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JOE HILL ON THE EVE

Remarkable Interview By Reporter For a Salt Lake Paper.

(Herald-Republican, Salt Lake,

his cot and smiling through the grating hald:
"Well, I guess you pumped me dry.
I can't that I can't that I could add.
"Hillstrom was self-possessed throughout his final talk with the world he knew he must leave within the cause he could not grasp his hand over the intervening distance, he had clined to stay his execution upon request of President Wilson.

As a token to his extremity has had secrepted the had requested a bottle of grape juice as his final luxury.

I. W. W. headquarters throughout the country. Hillstrom retired last night at 10 o'clock and went into a peaceful sleep immediately. He was resting quietly at midnight. At the penitentiary, one outside to the south, and two on the walls. George Longdon was in charge of the night

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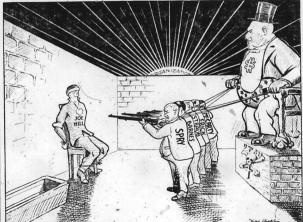


NEW ZEALAND CAPITAL-ISM SHOWS ITS HAND

Government Orders Exclusion From that Country of I.W.W. Papers and Literature.

(From "Direct Action," Sydney, Australia, Oct. 2.)

Minneapolis Gathering on Nov. 15 and 16, Transacts Much Business of Importance.--Haywood Speaks on Organization.



HILLSTROM'S LAST WILL

(Herald-Republican, Salt Lake
Nov. 19.)

What disposition are you going to make of your effects, your little trinkets and personal belongings. Joe" was asked Hillstrom hate yes the control of the world, awaken 1 Joe was the control of the world, awaken 1 Joe was the control of the world, awaken 1 Joe was the control of the world, awaken 1 Joe was the control of the world of the world was the world of the

MY LAST WILL

MY will is easy to decide,
For there is nothing to divide,
My kin don't need to fuss and m
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stone."

WORKERS OF THE WORLD, AWAKEN!

My body? Ah?, if I could choose, I would to ashes it reduce, And let the merry breezes blow My dust to where some flewers grow. Perhaps some fading flower them Would come to life and bloom again. This is my last and final will. Good luck to all of you.

JOB HILL.

All for One and One for All. Workers of the world, awaken! Rake in all your splendid might: I take the wealth which you are making the world will be all the world will be read be crying. We'll have free be grayed to the workers' commonwealth.

"Don't Waste any Time in Mourning-Organize."--Jos. Hillstrom

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LIKE A TRUE ARTIST!

"I have lived like an artist—I shall die like an artist." Thus wrote Joseph Hillstrom to the Salt Lake City Telegram prior to Oct. 1, the next to the last date set for his execution. Again, on Sept. 30th, he wrote to Solidarity: "I have said time and again that I was going to get a new trial or die trying. I have told it to my friends; it has been printed in the newspapers; and I don't see why I should 'eat my own crow' just because I happen to be up against a firing squad." On the evening before his murder, he sent two telegrams to Wm. D. Haywood: "Goodbye, Bill, I will die like at true blue rebel. Don't waste any time in mourning, organize." "It is a hundred miles from here to Wyoming, could, you arrange to have my body hauled to the state line to be buried. Don't want to be found dead in the state of 'tah." Fac grathe firing squad of \$40 murderers at the last moment, Himstrom shouted: "I am ready; let her go—live!"

shouted: "I am ready; let her go—fire!"

There was one "artistic touch" needed to complete the picture. Hillstrom supplied that, too. When the guards came to take him to the death chair, unlike the traditional martyrs of melodrama, he offered resistance with the only weapon he had, and some of the guards bore the marks of his blows upon their bodies. When we speak of "artists" we do not mean dilettants, who put daubs on canvas according to approved rules, or actors, who feign moral qualities they do not possess. We mean MEN who live and act true to their convictions and their declarations. In this "unexpected" act of resistance, Joseph Hillstrom put the real artist's master stroke to one of the greatest dramas of history. It was the act of the true blue I. W. W. rebel. "We shall resist unto death."

snail resist unto death."

The words of Joe Hill's telegram to Haywood mean more and bid fair to live longer than the last words of any martyr we can now recall: "Don't waste any time in mourning—organize!" Like a true artist, Joe Hill knew and understood. What more fitting message for the time and the occasion! Organization, not mourning, will supply the need future. But the militant labor mourner is anything if not sympathetic. But the militant labor and is that sympathy in this case, that the real meaning of "An injury to one is an injury to all' has been brought home to all of us. So, while mourning may not be the order of the day, FOR, GETTING is out of the question. The bullets, that stopped the pulsating heart of Joseph Hillstrom only had the effect of hardening the resolution of his fellow workers who remain behind. More than ever are they determined to ORGANIZE the power that will overthrow that of the class that murdered him.

"I have lived like an artist; I shall die like an artist." Thus Joe Hill lived, and thus he died—only to live on forever in the hearts of the working class.

"Empty Threats"

On the morning of Nov. 20th, the Cleveland Leader, a (not "leading" capitalist daily of Cleveland, delivered itself edi-

the) "leading" capitalist daily of Cleveland, delivered itself editorially of the following:
"EMPTY THREA/S.—Joe 'Hillstrom, the I. W. W. poet who was convicted of murder while robbing a store in Utah and condemned to death like any other thieving assassin, has paid the penalty of his crime and there has been no "revolution" in Salt Lake City or anywhere else. 'No public building in Utah has been blown up. No public official has been killed by moles or by sneaking murderers. All the threats showered upon Governor Spryand other Utah officials have proved empty bluster, at least so far. "That is almost always the way things go when active that they will do terrible things if their demands are not heeted. They seldom make their threats amount to anything but load when the time comes for action they realize too clearly the lopeless odds against them and the imminent peril of the course they there were they come into direct collision with the forces which represent the vast majority of their fellow countrymen.

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It is easy enough for revolutionists to make themselves half drunk on the bluster of their own kind when they have nothing more to do than flock by themselves and enough the work of the wo

This sounds almost like a revelation of "professional secrets." It suggests that there may have been something more behind the Joe Hill case, as far as the capitalists are concerned, than their mouthpieces and the slavers of our fellow worker have their their mouthpieces and the slavers of our fellow worker have in their mouthpieces and the slavers of our fellow worker have of disappointment in the Leader's editorial. The unexpected happened. Utah was not immediately turned into a hole in the ground with dynamite or any other sort of explosion. The "revolution" did not take place in that section, nor did anything happen personally to any of the official murderers of Joe Hill. The icapitalist plot to raise a rumpus failed. The revolutionists only indulged in "empty threats." to be Laxy." He is probably dead or crets." It suggests that there may have been something more child that there may have been something more than their mouthpieces and the slayers of our fellow worker have hitherto been willing to admit. At least there is a decided not of disappointment in the Leader's editorial. The unexpected happened. Utah was not immediately turned into a hole in the ground with dynamite or any other sort of explosion. The "revuluing the condition" did not take place in that section, nor did anything happened. Utah was not immediately turned into a hole in the ground with dynamite or any other sort of explosion. The "revuluing the condition" did not take place in that section, nor did anything happen personally to any of the official murderers of Joe Hill. The capitalist plet to raise a rumpus failed. The revolutionists only indulged in "empty threats."

Let us grant the Leader's contention for the sake of the artiful words." Having granted that, let us turn to the despatches emain anting from Salt Lake City on the day of the Hill murder, and note this statement attributed to Governor Spry:

"Every law breaker, every man who defies law and order." is its its indication of the sake of the law of the industrial slavery it is its mission of the members of the man in the Kanasas grain fields."

To those who say the I. W. W. state that the Leader's the the football field in the works the law was the law wa

every man who is opposed to law and order—call themselves what they will—will be driven out of the state. I am going to see that the work is started at once. If the city officers and others whose duty it is do not do so, I will do it myself."

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This sounds like a "threat," doesn't it? It also sounds rather odd in other respects, when taken in connection with certain other lacks, President Wilson mildly suggested to Governor Spry a "thopough reconsideration of the Hillstrom case," do'bously in the interest of that larger "law and order" of the nation, which he perceived was in jeopardy through the action of the Utah authorities in the Hill case. He was roundly scored by the Governor and the members of the Utah Board of Pardons, one of the latter, "Judge" McCarthy, going so far as to assert that Wilson might now expect the votes of every released verg and criminal in the United States. Governor Spry resented Wilson's "interference" in a matter that concerned the law is necessary for him to interfere with the city-authorities of the Utah capital, in the interest of the "larger order" of the state. Utake the "revolutionist" who might threaten a "revolution" in Utah, the would "drive every lawbreaker, etc., out of the state." Like the "revolutionist" who might threaten a "revolution" in Utah, the governor does not perceive that Utah is only a small part of a larger grouping and that in that larger grouping of territory there are many thousands of men and women who have lost all respect for His "law and order" who could neither be kept out of Utah if they close to come in, nor prevented from induencing the Utah situation from the outside.

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We conclude then, that Governor Spry's declaration amounts also to an "empty threat" only. And having arrived at that conclusion, we read the following despatch from Salt Lake City dated Nov. 20: "The Hillstrom case was officially a closed incident here today. Governor Spry's threat to drive the I. W. W. out of Utah, attracted only mild attention." The following day-we read that the funeral of Joe Hill took place in Salt Lake, and that thou-sands marched behind his remains to the depot, where his body was entrained for Chicago. Why didn't Spry get busy at once with these thousands of "defiers of law and order"?

In conclusion, please note that Governor Spry's "threat" was official; while on the other hand, the I. W. W. has made no threats. Individuals may have done so, as other individuals have warned the governor and other authorities, that the killing of Joe Hill might lead to trouble. Joe Hill himself uttered a similar warning, when he said that his death would not do the I. W. W. any harm or the state of Utah any good. Meanwhile the deed has been done, and the disappointment is all on the side of the enemy, along with the "empty threats."

The Economics of Ford

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Henry Ford is just now furnishing some opportunities for divining home a few lessons in economics. He rightly denounces capitalism as the egues of the war abroad. Says he :e of murder in Europe, the cause that will bring war to America if it every comes? It is capitalism, greed, the dirty hunger for dollars. Take away and the world will have seen the end of barbarism.

But when accused of inconsistency, in that he, as a capitalist individually to the state of the state of

Chickens Come

Home to Roost

Home to Roost

Why Not Join

The A. W. O.

"A dollar a day is enough for any working man," It certainly is, the working class are emore. If they organize they can the first the order of the day in one of the pile. No not fight for more is being over-time to the country against having traveling east from Los Angeles, tions in the country against having that Travelman has caused considerable trouble in Section Los Angeles, the country against having for wages? Do you expect to do it?

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Joe Hill's Murder

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New Zealand Capital To The Lumberjacks of ism Shows Its Hand Northern Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan

Less: Why should they be fed better than we, who do the work.

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We know the wages are altogether too low, in fact far lower than in other sections of the country. The lumber harms are than in other sections of the country. The lumber harms are than in other sections of the country. The lumber harms are manning the richest class of employers. They can afford to pay more.

LUMBER COMPANIES ARE ORGANIZED

We know the lumber companies are well organized through the same wages. Whenever one company pays materially more than the rest, that company is called on the carpor.

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Organization is the road to power. Join the union of your class. Et into this fight, it is your fight! Get into this Union; it is your Union!

For Special Offers

Organize as the boss is organized, without consideration of nationality, creed, race or color. All the working class are to us of one nationality—The Workers. To us the only foreigner is the boss.

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Not alone is the 1. W. W. the grant labor organization of the future, it is also the greatest farter-replication. In the loyalty one members gives another there is another there is members of the property o

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Where You Can Secure Solidarity

And I. W. W. Literature

Wisconsin and Michigan

Looking over the conditions of the lumber jack in this territory we find that the lumber camps and general conditions are as had as any, with the possible exception of the conditions in the steel industry.

The wages of a lumber worker are much lower in this section. The wages of a lumber worker are much lower in this section that in any other. The sleeping quarters are especially rotten the in any other. The sleeping quarters are especially rotten the in any other. The sleeping quarters are especially rotten the intervention of the country. We are crowded together in groups of from fifty to a hundred or more into small bunk houses, with bunks three tiers high.

In this cold climate, incessantly working in the snow, it is an attent of the country with the seases. We must have a special dry room, that the clothers may be stried over night, without our having them hung around the store in the bunkhouse. It is a menace to our health to have to breath the foul air front demonster and the lumber companies could be stored the foul air front of the country. The lumber demonsters and the sex of the boss—why not for use? This is of the first importance, as the boss—why not for use? This is of the first importance, as we spend over one-third of our lives in sleep.

The food in the logging camps is about the poorest with the exception of the Railway Extra gangs. We find that in many places the foremen (camp bosses) have a table for themselves with extra food. Are they better? Do they do more work? You will be seased the second of the work. We must have better food, if we wish to vernain healthy and large the second of the work with extra food. Are they better? Do they do more work? You will be seased to the second of the work with extra food. Are they better? Do they do more work? You will be seased to the sease of the

of one nationality—The Workers. To us the only foreigner is—the boss.

Remember the boss hates the Industrial Workers of the World. His reasons are good reasons. Organized we can hit him in the pocketbook. We can expect him to grunt.

He will lie to you about this movement. But if organization is good for the Lumber Companies, why not for us?

Get our literature from the working delegates on the job.

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BURIAL PLACE OF JOS. HILLSTROM



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(Telegram to Solidarity.).

Seattle, Wash, Nov. 20th.

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(Telegram to Solidarity.)
Sacramento, Calif., Nov. 21.
Conference of A. W. O. postponed until December 12. Advertise.
C. L. LAMBERT.

Want the Mr. D. McPherson that accompanied me with two cars of horses from Miles City, Mont. to Lincoln, Nebr., in July 1914, to write or wire me at once. Need you as a witness—will pay mileage and for your time—have sued railway Co. for damage done

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