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NO LABOR FAZENE

It may sound absurd for Secretary Wilson to say that there isn't any labor shortage in the United States. Everybody knows how hard it is to get enough labor for war industries, and most private industries are little better off. But the secretary makes out a pretty good case.

He remarks that we haven't taken a large number of men from industry, as numbers are reckoned in America. Great Britain, with less than half our population, took 5,000,000 for her army and left the labor supply 25 per cent short, thereby making a big equipment necessary. But, with our millions and a half of men transferred to military service in the first year of the war, have only taken 1 per cent of the country's workers. And that is less than the number unemployed under ordinary conditions.

Conditions, he says, are not ordinary at present. Industry demands more men than usual. Unusually the total number of workers in America could be productively employed if they were all available. That is the point, he says, we're not in any such state of shortage, regarding the labor supply, as we imagined.

The trouble, says Secretary Wilson, is not so much a shortage as a lack of adjustment. We can get along all right if we simply distribute our workers better among the various industries. In some branches, the working trades for example, there is a surplus of labor.

Under a proper system these skilled workers would not be left idle. They would be assigned to appropriate work in their own communities, or transferred temporarily to other communities where their services are needed.

There is much for the federal, state and municipal governments to do along this line, in co-operation with the labor unions.

LIVES AND DAYLIGHT

The national day-light project has usually been considered in aspects of saving artificial light and getting more fun out of life. Here comes an army of health workers who agree that artificial day light will be the means of saving lives.

Says Dr. Charles F. Binkley, director of the bureau of public health education of the New York City health department: "One of the cardinal principles this bureau has always laid down is the necessity of getting plenty of sunlight, fresh air and exercise in order to keep well. The effect of getting another hour of daylight would have a marked effect upon the health of the nation. Nightlight kills. The plan would be of great benefit to those suffering from tuberculosis."

Miss Helen Vetric Bassett, president of the Women's Forum says that the efficiency of the woman in industry will be greatly increased by daylight saving. She mentions the fact that at 11 in the morning and 11 in the afternoon one's vitality is lowest. "The time to work will come just when that 'pomp' feeling is strongest and there will be no loss of excessive mental and physical fatigue in doing through."

The National Civil Service League favors trial of the hour-advance schedule for two summers, and the vote of the office force was unanimously in favor of continuing it afterwards. The Life Extension Institute has also tried the plan among seventy-five employees with excellent results.

That sunlight is the best of cures for many ailments is universally known. There seems to be every reason for trying the experiment, mental, social and physiological.

INCIDENTAL BENEFITS

Anyhow, the workless days imposed on millions of workers by the factory closing order have had no good result. A lot of old jobs that have long needed doing around the house have got done. Last, Father or brother or son has got busy with a paint brush, varnish brush, hammer, a new driver or other useful instrument and proceeded to make domestic repairs and improvements.

There was nothing else to do. Prolonged idleness within doors is not healthy, hangs heavy on the hands of a normally active man. And so the menfolk in countless homes, aided thereby by their busy-wives, have at least earned their money.

The same sort of thing has been done in factories. Repairs and alterations that were impossible while the plants were working under ordinary hours have been attended to. The equipment will be in better condition after the resumption.

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Louisville, Ky., January 25.—Every man and woman in Kentucky, whether resident of the city or the country, is asked by the State Food Administrator, Frank W. Macklin, to observe rigidly the prohibition of wheatless days and meals during the next three months. Values are to be done, not merely to help the war effort, but to help the war effort, but to help the war effort.

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