

# Paid Labor-or-Forced Labor Which?



Which shall it BE—work for AMERICA for PAY—or work for GERMANY WITHOUT?

This war must first be WON before the workers of Philadelphia can CHOOSE—and to WIN it ever man must WORK as he never worked BEFORE.

SMITE the anvil, PUSH the jackplane, DRIVE HOME the pick!

This is no milk-and-water war! This is FOR BLOOD!

Lose, and we lose ALL—absolutely ALL—and the days of FREE PAID LABOR in America will be at an END!

Bismarck said—"We must leave our enemies nothing but their EYES to WEEP with."

Who ARE the enemies of Germany?

ANYBODY—that HAS what Germany WANTS, is an enemy of Germany.

Germany wants AMERICA — all of it — North America, South America, the EARTH, and the fullness thereof—and her place in the sun contemplates that the rest of us live in the CELLAR.

To enslave the WORLD, she has for years been stealthily gathering her resources, to one day rise up unawares, slit the throats of her neighbors, shoot the bottom out of HELL, and spill its contents upon mankind.

Is she GOING TO PUT IT OVER ?

She IS—if the men back of the firing line LIE DOWN!

If we are to have 3,000,000 fighters in Europe this year—it means that there must be 30,000,000 WORKERS like YOU—doing exclusively those tasks that—if well and promptly done—are to send our lads to VICTORY—and if DALLIED with, or left UNDONE, are to BETRAY them to their DOOM!

And, if through ignorance, thoughtlessness or malicious intent, we DO betray those men, what will happen to US ?

Misled by visionary pacifists, prompted by Germany and designing and self-seeking scoundrels, the Russian threw down his GUN—and made peace.

In the provinces newly seized by Germany the peace-making Russ is now forced to work with bayonets at his back, for as long as he is able to stand up, for ONE-TENTH the wages that are being paid in Russian towns not yet enslaved.

Germany doesn't believe in paying money to CONQUERED peoples. She pays them in scraps of paper, labels off bottles, milk tickets after the cows have been driven to Germany—and with kicks, bayonet prods and welts across the back with WHIPS!

YOU, free, self-respecting, intelligent American WORKER—REALIZE the bitterness that would well up in your SOUL—to be lashed with a WHIP!

Treitschke died in 1896. He's been gone twenty-two years. WE didn't KNOW we were an ENEMY of Germany then, but Treitschke rated us so—and told Germany so. Whatever Treitschke told Germany about anybody, Germany swallowed, hook, line and sinker — and here's what Treitschke wished on America :

"Germany must overwhelm other peoples, but England must be CRUSHED, and after England, HER SPAWN IN AMERICA !"

Up, you American SPAWN—and CHEAT the MAW of the BEAST!

Give the HUN what he's been asking for—WAR!

Temporize or compromise—and you're LOST!

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