

LABOR

Paz para la pluma y para el aire.

Paz para el papel y para el fuego.

Paz para la palabra y para la tierra.

Paz para el pan y para el agua.

Paz para el amor y para la casa.

Paz para el pensamiento y para el camino.

Paz para la semilla y para el átomo.

Paz para la obra y para el hombre.

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For the first time in the history of the world, the laborer has become a power. He has organized himself into unions, and through these unions he has been able to demand better conditions of work, higher wages, and shorter hours. He has also been able to demand the right to strike, and to demand that his employer should be held responsible for the safety of his employees. In short, the laborer has become a factor in the production of wealth, and he has been able to demand that he should share in the fruits of this production. This is a great step forward, and it is one which has been made possible only by the development of the modern industrial system.