



WEALTHY UNITE TO BREAK LAW

Manufacturers of the United States and Canada Attack Public Measures

The secure position of corporations in the United States and Canada seems to be slightly disturbed, judging from the earnest appeals that have been circulated among the manufacturers and employers' associations.

United in Lawbreaking According to this, there seems to be a united effort on the part of corporations in Canada and the United States, which are the real beneficiaries of the government, to control legislation and especially tariff laws.

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ness creeping upon him, he actually fought death with one hand while stretching out the other to establish and maintain a press that should go on fighting when his voice should be stilled. For weeks he used all the power of his pen to rally support to the New York Call.

He Never Quit There was always a splendid vein of common sense running through his writings. He never was lost in the realm of theory, although there were few who had a better grasp of Socialist principles.

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