

#flo #inclass

1 | it's (was) growin!

- strength in numbers
 - that's what the labor movement needed to leverage for success

1.1 | what's changing?

- industrialization, labor
- where people live
 - goin @ u, urbanization and social group!
- change for labor groups
 - distinction between different immigrant groups fade away
 - * as class inside the massive inequality becomes the defining barriers
- we also have **middle management**
 - but really, the biggest layer is the laboring group
 - * one of which, is children!
 - massive amount of supply of worker, so wages start going down
 - and also child labor is valuable because children can
 - fit in small places, step on things without breaking it, etc.
- because of this issue of child labor, people pushed for investing in **child labor**
- and also, galley labor
 - crazy amount of exploitation!

1.2 | labor unrest

labor unrest is either in northern **industrial cities** or **along the railroads** which makes a lot of sense, as the railroads were the "lifeblood" specialization!

- capitalists also hired personal muscle
 - the Pinkerton detectives, for example
- management vs. labor was a big deal

title: scab

The term "scab" is a highly derogatory and "fighting word" most frequently used to refer to people who

- lot's of tools of management
 - blacklisting, breaking up strikes, etc
- likewise, tools of laborers
 - boycotts,
 - strikes, etc.
 - use **numbers**

one of the ways they did this was the **knights of labor** like in KBxCapatalismAndIndustrialization#the labor movement

AFL, another union, only cared about the *skilled* laborers had a strike fund!

1.3 | international context

marixism is coming to rise in europe socialism is rising in US which ofc becomes the antichrist of capatalism about grouping and demonizing: haymarket vs negotiation