

Portland Nov 6th 1878

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen,

In accordance with instructions given me by the Workmen's Protective Union of this City I enclose you a copy of House Bill No 10 passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor prohibiting the employment of Chinese on Public-improvements in the name of the laboring class of this City for whose protection the law was passed we beg your Honorable Body to carry out said law to the letter.

Yours Respectfully
S. D. McDevitt
Pres. W. O. U.

Petition of
Workmen's Union

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R. L. Durham
Auditor & Clerk