

### KEEP PUBLIC OPINION ON YOUR SIDE, SAYS LABOR MINISTER

Hon. T. W. Crothers Addresses Members of Canadian Federation of Labor

Workmen of Canada Have Not Got What They Are Entitled To

Labor Men Declare Against the Permanent Chairman to Conciliation Board

Federation of Labor Declines to Recognize the Dominion Trades Council

Three Rivers, Que., Sept. 12.—"Try to keep public opinion on your side," was the advice of Hon. T. W. Crothers, minister of labor, to members of the Canadian Federation of Labor, assembled here in convention.

"I am glad," he said, "to find there is so much respect for law and order in this province that you are not proposing any revolutionary means such as are being proposed in some parts of Canada. Get public opinion on your side and you will get almost anything you want."

The visit of the minister of labor was the chief feature of the afternoon session. Hon. Mr. Crothers was introduced by Victor Dubrill, to Mayor Dr. Normand and President Moffatt, and he greeted personally each of the delegates after receiving an address of welcome.

In showing how legislation of a century had bettered the lot of the worker, especially of women and children, the speaker said trades unions had done a great deal and he asked why should people challenge the right of labor to unite since the legal and medical professions exercised their rights. The working men of this country, he declared, have not got what they are entitled to. Examining causes of unrest, the minister blamed employers for failure to recognize that a man was a mere adjunct to a machine and he laid it down that employers must be willing to pay a living wage, such as would make decent food, clothing and other necessities possible. An employer who had a profitable business and did not give this living wage, he denounced by press, pulpit and platform.

The speaker regarded strikes in the same light as war, as only to be used in the very last resort. He stated that of 104 awards under the Lemieux Act, only one showed the workers' complaint to be groundless. At the conclusion of the minister's address he and the company of delegates, at the invitation of the city, were taken on a tour of the city in automobiles, and inspected several large industrial establishments.

A Permanent Chairman At the morning session the appointment of a permanent chairman of the committee under the Lemieux Act was advocated in an amendment proposed by Edouard Peppin, who contended that such an appointment would mean that the disputes would be heard by arbitrators more conversant with procedure and less prejudiced. In some discussion which ensued, Secretary Mercure, President Moffatt and others opposed the change, expressing the opinion that the workingman would probably be worse off under it.

Victor Dubrill, representing the federal department of labor, made an explanation of the act and said that this idea had been considered before, but was regarded as impossible owing to the fact that thirty or more cases might be under hearing from coast to coast. He denied the allegation of some speakers that politics could creep into such appointments and said in nearly all cases where the government was called on to make nomination, it was favorable to the workers. He also asserted that the department was most sympathetic to labor organizations so long as they were properly organized.

Ultimately this resolution was withdrawn, another resolution approved of the action of the department in publishing reports on labor organizations, but asked that greater accuracy be exercised in, according to one speaker, current reports include the name of the unions, defunct for some years. A proposition by Delegates Chambers, Toronto, to send greetings to the Dominion Council in session at Guelph created considerable opposition. P. H. Simard, Quebec, read an extract from a Labor Day souvenir published at Quebec, the tone of which was inimical to Canadian unions and this together with other objections from Nova Scotia delegates resulted in the proposition being withdrawn.

### STATIONERS' HALL IS NOW ONLY HISTORY

London, Sept. 12.—The new British Copyright Act is now in operation. It provides that all British publications shall obtain copyright automatically—although colonial works will still require to be registered. The phrase, "Entered at Stationers' Hall," will consequently not be seen on new British publications.

The famous institution, which dates back to 1557, was opened for the last time for registering purposes on June 31. Over 15,000 books, pamphlets, drawings and photographs were registered at that hall last year, yet few Londoners know where this famous building is situated.

It is in a narrow passage off Ludgate Hill, and was built in 1570, to replace an earlier building burnt in the great fire of 1666, when over \$1,000,000 worth of books was destroyed.

The Stationers' Company was incorporated by royal charter in 1557, and its records from 1576 to the present day are intact and are of great interest and importance to students of English literature.

All Shakespeare's works were "entered at Stationers' Hall," and in the registers there are notices of "a book called Hamlet," "The Taming of the Shrew," "Romeo and Juliet," "Love's Labor Lost" and other of the immortal plays.

Books of learning were expensive to register in early days, that of the first known English edition of Euclid cost 3s 4d in 1564. But the registration of the first English comedy known to be put into writing, "The play intitled 'The Four's Dinner,'" cost only 4d.

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Embroidered Cashmere, hose, mixed designs, all sizes, marked 59c and 65c, now, pr. .... **50c**

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Children's ribbed stockings, will do for boys or girls, small sizes and large sizes only, medium sizes all sold, the remaining lot we will clear at, pair **20c**

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All wool English and Scotch imported tweeds, in many neat and nobby patterns, made up to our own specifications in latest single breasted models, all sizes from 34 to 44, all prices from

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Men's Chesterfield Overcoats in black and light shades of Grey Messaline all sizes at \$10.30 to ..... **\$15.00**

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New Fall Trousers—Men's heavy English worsted trousers, in dark shade with neat needle stripes, carefully and neatly tailored, two side, two hip, and watch pockets, side buckles, fit guaranteed, and have a very dressy appearance, Regular \$5.00. Saturday only from 1 to 9.30 p.m., pair ..... **\$3.69**

### Boys' Jersey Suits

**\$2.75 and \$3.50**

Boys' Fall weight all wool jersey suits in all colors, navy, cardinal, brown, reseda, white, and myrtle, these are very smart and warm suits for Fall wear, ages 2 to 6 years, \$2.75, \$3.25 and ..... **\$3.50**

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Our smart Fall and Winter Boys' hats are now being shown in felt and beavers in grey, blue, brown and dark green ..... **\$1.25**

### An Autumn Sale of China and Glassware Starts

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We've demonstrated on numerous occasions the purchasing power of this Great China Store—and we shall do so again in this September Sale, which will offer extraordinary varieties and most exceptional economies. Counter after counter will be filled with the choicest selection from the very best English and foreign potteries—dinner and tea sets of all descriptions, and everything else that is known under the term of china and glassware will be sold in this sale at prices that must appeal to the most economical pocket book. Hotel, Restaurant and Boarding house keepers cannot afford to miss this sale. The news of buying china at the low prices that will prevail, should be just as welcome to them as finding money.

The sale will start today and continue throughout the month, but of course you must come early. It is likely those goods you most desire will be picked up by some one who comes earlier. The great variety does not permit of detailed description, but one visit to this popular department will convince you that this sale is one of the greatest money saving events ever planned for anyone who uses china and glassware.

Note particularly our special bargain tables at

**5c, 10c, 15c 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00**

Also an exceptional showing of cups and saucers, values to 50c. Sale price 15c. Come first thing tomorrow. Your dollars will have four times their usual purchasing power.




### New Fall Hats \$3.50 to \$5

Ready-to-wear Hats, the prettiest lot we have seen. Plain felts, with fancy wings or mounts, simple yet graceful and charming. Very special value at ..... **\$3.50 and \$5.00**

Colored Roses, with velvet leaves and foliage; colors, rose, pink, cerise. Special price ..... **35c**

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Men's elastic ribbed underwear, heavy weight ribbed cuffs and ankles, guaranteed unshrinkable, Pryjo special, garment ..... **\$1.00**

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