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UNSKILLED CITY LABORERS

The Nottingham Guardian, Eng., April 10th, has the following to say about the immigration of unskilled city laborers:

In spite of the fact that the Canadian government is imposing more severe restrictions on the arrival of immigrants, the number of people who have already reached the Dominion this year is said to be large, and all of them are finding employment. There is a great demand in Canada for labor on the land, and men who are able and willing to work there can have no fear of emigrating to Canada. But, on the other hand, it cannot be too frequently pointed out that there is no room in the Dominion for men who only want to loaf around the towns. All through the recent winter there were great complaints of unemployment in most of the larger Canadian cities. There complaints were, there is little doubt, quite justified, because during the previous summer large numbers of town dwellers had emigrated to Canada, expecting to find employment in their own trades if they knew any, or in unskilled town labor if they did not. But the supply of most kinds of town labor was sufficient before any of these emigrants arrived, and, therefore, the emigrants were not wanted. The demand for unskilled town labor is very small anywhere, whereas the supply is usually large, and this is the reason why there is so many unemployed. It is becoming a serious problem what to do with the unskilled worker, and unless the state takes action to protect children from being reared without acquiring some degree of technical skill the problem will become more serious still, as the number of people who are not wanted anywhere increases. But, however, this may be, it is useless to ship the unskilled laborer off to the colonies except he is strong enough and willing to work on the land.

W. R. Trotter lectured in Nottingham, during his recent tour of the British Isles, and it is evident that his work was not in vain. Most of the old country papers have assumed that Mr. Trotter was in England for the sake of bucking the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, and it had been even further asserted that he was boosting the cause of Trade Unionism to the detriment of the country. Some papers have gone as far as to state that the labor leaders of the United States were behind the movement, and it was another attempt of the selfish trade unionists to keep British workers out of Canada. This statement has of course been proven groundless, and it is gratifying to know that the old country press is assuming a more sensible attitude and are recognizing the fact that the cities are overcrowded with men just now, both skilled and unskilled. To the farm laborer and the man with money to invest in land Canada offers opportunities that no other colony can equal. There are millions of acres of land to be cultivated, and every man in the labor movement in Canada will welcome the arrival of bona fide farmers, as the development of the land is not only necessary but absolutely essential to the development of the cities.

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them the minimum laborers wage of twenty cents.

Nor is there anything to hinder laborers being put on work that skilled men should be doing so that a false saving may be made by paying for work that should be done by skilled men at a minimum laborers price. False, such a principle undoubtedly is, inasmuch as the work is not and can not be satisfactory, the passage of time proving the unsatisfactoriness of the contention in the instability of the structure and the consequent unnecessary patchwork and repairs.

Church and Labor

(By Rev. Charles Stelzle.)

There probably has never been a time in the history of the labor movement when the church and labor were so close together as they are now. There are several reasons for this changed attitude. It is due, in part and perhaps principally, to the fact that they understand each other better. Much has been accomplished in this direction through the exchange of fraternal delegates between the Central Labor Bodies and the Ministers' Associations. Each has come to see that the other is really human, made of flesh and blood, of heart and brain, and with very much the same temptations and the same aspirations for bettering things, even though they are sometimes differently expressed. Each has given the

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While the churchman still believes that without a moral and spirit vision, the people are bound to perish, he has also learned that church cannot succeed without the rugged strength of the common people. The church needs, most of all, not the rich and the mighty, but those who can suffer and toil as Christ suffered and toiled. Who knows better than the working people how to do these things?

The working man has been learning that "man can not live by bread alone." There are some things even more important than bread, for there are some things more important than life itself. This isn't very tempting truth to offer to starving men, but workingmen nevertheless learned the lesson. For what means the sacrifice for others which one sees so often among the lowly? Nowhere is there greater sacrifice than among those who have least to give.

Coming from different roads both church and labor have been approaching the same great truths, not realizing that both have been working away largely ignorant of each other's laborers, toward a common end.

And some day, very much as those who tunneled from opposite directions beneath the Hudson River, came together with mathematical exactness at the completion of their tasks, so the church and labor come together, having prepared the way for suffering millions who needed greater comfort and better facilities for their life's work.

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