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 tion, whose only purpose is to secure cheap labor at the expense of the community.

During this year many instances are reported where large numbers of mechanics have been induced to come here under gross misrepresentation concerning the wages paid and certainty of permanent employment, only to find that they were required to fill the places of citizens out on strike for better conditions.

GOVERNMENT ROAD.
 The decision of the Government to build a transcontinental railway at the public expense, and lease it to a private corporation, is one of the most important acts passed by the present Parliament.

RAILWAY LEGISLATION.
 Among other matters a clause was inserted in the Railway Act by the Hon. Mr. Ferguson to the effect that where any Government assistance is given to a railway, in the shape of either a subsidy or guarantee, the company shall pay such wages as prevail in the district where the work is performed, and in districts where there is no current rate of wages, the rate paid shall be fair and reasonable, to be determined by the Minister of Railways in case of disagreement.

THE A. F. OF L. COMMISSION.
 During this session of Parliament the Federal Government appointed a commission to inquire into certain industrial disputes in the province of British Columbia. The commissioners being the Hon. George H. Fisher, Chief Justice of British Columbia, and the Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, of Vancouver, B.C. This report has been brought down, after full inquiry into numerous disputes between the employers and their employees, and between transportation companies and their employees.

CONVENTION NOTES.
 The Hatcher Club was convened by the "Chief Hatcher" at 1:30 a.m. Wednesday morning, and the roll call showed the absence of some old ones and the addition of some new ones.

INCORPORATION OF UNIONS.
 The incorporation of trade unions has been advocated in many quarters by our opponents, who have resorted to every means at their command to destroy our unions hereafter, now propose to accomplish their purpose through the medium of incorporation, and the law courts. It is not the object of corporations to incorporate to assume greater responsibility. Under existing conditions it would not be advisable for our unions to incorporate, as we are not money-making institutions. While we bargain collectively for certain wages we rarely undertake to supply labor by contract, our agreements with employers are usually that an increase in wages will be again demanded for a given time. I know of no instance in which a trade union incorporated or unincorporated, has ever recovered damages from an employer where he has violated an agreement.

either case the end would be the same, resulting in our funds being frittered away in expensive law costs. We now possess a recognized legal right to make rules to govern our unions without reference to the judiciary. As members of trade unions we are now amenable to the law for any overt act. We will never consent to incorporate until laws are enacted which will fully protect the rights we have secured by years of trade union activity.

THE TOILER AT 114 ELM STREET

By HARRIET G. CANFIELD
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The young man coming up the walk passed to look at the address in his notebook. Yes, this was it—114 Elm street; the directory had said. The hall door stood wide open. Some one within was sweeping vigorously and singing as she swept. He caught the words (and the dust) as he came up the steps:

"My country, 'tis of thee,
 Sweet land of liberty,
 Where all my hopes are bound,
 Thy name my countrymen,
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 Thy guardian Heavenly King,
 Uphold thy laws and rights,
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 Which Heaven has put between
 Thy territories and ours."

"Let me help you," he said as he came into the hall. She did not take the hand he stretched out to her, but she smiled at him and displayed a dimple on her cheek. "Penny?" he asked. "I don't want to get up—just now," she said frankly. Then, at his look of astonishment, she added: "Marjorie will be here soon; she'll show you the rooms. You want to rent one, don't you?"

"Yes," he said without any perceptible hesitation. "My name is Sterling—Roger Sterling. Your sister may remember me. I met her when she was visiting near my home last summer. The little girl on the floor looked up at him. "My name is Bess," she said simply. "Marjorie may remember, but I never heard her speak of you. You sit down and wait till she comes."

"I promise," he said solemnly, then leaned forward and said almost in a whisper: "I'm sitting here to hide a heat on. I wouldn't tell you if I thought you'd mind the holes, but you don't look as if you'd mind much. Oh, they're covered! There's a rug we lay over this one, but I took it up, 'cause I was sweeping. It's Saturday, you know, and there's no school. Marjorie says it's no disgrace to be poor, and it isn't best if it's dreadfully unbecoming."

"I'm sorry," he said, "I'm glad you have a room to spare," he said. "I am fortunate in finding one so soon."

"Oh, we have three to spare. You're the first one that's answered our advertisement. I hope you want to take your dinner and supper here too. We can make more that way. Mrs. Mulligan (that's Kate) is a fine cook. Why, she's been cooking ever since she was sixteen. And she gets up good meals out of almost nothing. But we can't afford to keep her now unless we can make some money renting rooms. Marjorie's employers' linen pieces, but she can't make enough to keep you, you see. She looked at Roger thoughtfully for a minute. "I wish," she said, "that you'd turn your back while I get the rug that covers this hole."

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 Matters That Will be Dealt With by the American Federation of Labor.

The question of trans-jurisdiction and the constant disputes among international trade unions was one of the problems that took up most of the time at the meeting of the executive committee of the A. F. of L., as will be their annual convention. Having at the head of the labor movement men of superior knowledge, diplomatic in thought and action, several projects are already on foot, which, if perfected, will remove all future haggling for superiority of jurisdiction, and the great hope of David M. Parry and his National Manufacturers' Association and several employees' associations, to see the labor movement wrecked by internal dissensions over jurisdiction, will be shattered. And that which was considered a weakness will eventually be being its strength. Already a movement is on foot to amalgamate the United Garment Workers of America and the Journeymen Tailors' Union of America, now known as the Custom Tailors' Union. The former having recently absorbed the National Custom Clothing Makers' Union, the three combined will have a membership of 150,000. It may not stop here, but indeed fulfill its mission, "united" garment workers, and take in the Ladies' Garment Workers' International Union and Skirt Waist Workers' Association and several employees' associations, to see the labor movement wrecked by internal dissensions over jurisdiction, will be shattered. And that which was considered a weakness will eventually be being its strength.

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