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A Great Lesson.

The coal strike, in area of disturbance, and in magnitude of forces engaged, has been the greatest battle the world of industry has known. It has ended in the only way it could end, unless the coal operators were insane enough to risk virtual confiscation. Technically, it is a victory for the strikers, who have gained their point-arbitration. The operators have added to their own discomflure through their fatuous policy of trying to keep up an appearance of firmness till the last moment by a display of insolence and arrogance which did not respect even the head of the nation, and repelled many conservative people who were not inclined toward the strikers. In generalship the coal magnates had a great deal to learn from the despised Mitchell, whom they flouted as "the chief of the anarchists."

If the operators had had to reckon only with the union, the results might have been different. They had to reckon with public opinion, a force greater than organized capital or organized labor. People did not stop to weigh the merits of the dispute. They felt the pinch of a fuel famine, they saw misery and suffering ahead, and the full weight of their anger and distress fell on the handful of men, who held a monopoly of a necessary of life. What would have happened during the winter, if no relief had come, is not a pleasant subject for contemplation. In the great cities there might have been something approaching civil war. But if relief had not come in its present form it must have come a later in the form of Government intervention, even if the constitution were wrenched by the process.

Good comes out of evil; the strike the American people much searching of heart. They have seen their President insulted and defied by the heads of the coal trust, his good offices spurned, and his impotence to deal compulsorily with such a crisis, exposed to the world. Is the public to be crushed between the upper millstone of organized capital and the nether millstone of organized labor? This is a question which the American people are pondering, and for which they are trying to find an answer. The doctrine of public ownership of natural monopolies (among which the anthracite coal deposits of the United States, by reason of their contiguity, may fairly be classed), has received a great impetus from this strike. The Democratic party of New York State made it a plank in their platform. But the theory will probably be first worked out in the municipal sphere before it is attempted on a larger scale. The proposed solution which stands out most prominently, and to which thoughtful minds are now turning, is compulsory arbitration. With the growth of trusts on the one hand and trade unions on the other, great masses of capital and great masses of labor are thrown into collision, so that labor disputes, which were limited in their effects when industry was in the hands of smaller capitalists, tend to be waged on an ever-increasing scale, and one strike, as we have just seen, may convulse the whole nation and spread distress over millions of people. While labor and capital fight it out, must the public sit still and suffer, because of abstractions about freedom of contract and rights of property? The first remedial step will probably be an amendment to the constitution of the Unied States, empowering Congress, as the organ of the public will, to interfere in any situation which threatens the public welfare, whether it be to regulate the great trusts, or compel capital and labor to call a truce, and submit their differences to an impartial tribunal, with authority to enforce its decisions. The logical result would be the incorporation of the great labor unions, so that they might be held responsible by the law for fulfillment of contracts imposed upon them by the decree of the arbitrators.

Mr. Borden in the West.

Mr. Borden, the Conservative leader, made the principal speech of his western tour at Winnipeg Tuesday night. There was much curiosity as to what he would say on the tariff question, in the capital of the province which the stronghold of low tariff sentiment. Mr. Borden handled the subject in a very gingerly fashion. He declared the policy of the Conservative party to be "adequate protection for all legitimate industries in Canada." He took care not to stray from this generality into particulars. He did not attempt to define what degree of protection he considered "adequate." Did he echo the cry of the eastern wing of his party for an increase in the tariff? Not one word did he utter that could be construed into an argument for scaling up the duties. He trade, putting the label of the Liberal party on a man of straw and knocking him down. "I want to point out," he mean that we might destroy our home industries, and very materially benefit the south." If the Liberals were ad- devoted loyalty.

vocating the throwing down of these tariff barriers, there would be some logic in Mr. Borden's line of attack. "At the same time," Mr. Borden continued, "we would have no guarantee, The Leading Medium for Advertisers and indeed there would be little probability, that manufactured articles would be sold any cheaper than at present." Yet the agitation for an increase of the tariff, to which the Conservative party is committed, is based on the pretext that the American trusts will dump their surplus production on the Canadian market and undersell the home manufacturer, unless the tariff wall is raised. Mr. Borden realizes that the people of the West will oppose any policy which will increase the price of what they have to buy. He has not courage to stand before a western audience and assert, as his eastern supporters are doing, that the tariff should be raised, in order that the eastern manufacturers may take heavier toll of western consumers. The West will not have the wool pulled over its eyes by political platitudes.

Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious by the prospect of full

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has arrived home, and the best service his admirers can render him is to give him a rest.

Some of the municipalities that went into the fuel business will be out of pocket, but the ratepayers will give the aldermen credit for good intentions, and overlook the rest.

Lord Beresford has been promoted to the rank of vice-admiral. The noble lord has abused the admiralty in good set terms, but he must give the admiralty credit for bearing him no

vith a ringing appeal to the Democratic party to take its stand upon tariff reform. All signs point to the collapse of Dingleyism in the United States, yet there are some who want

British Columbia has adopted Ontario's sawlog policy, and American sawmills are being transferred to that Province. The policy so far has worked well. It is to be hoped Uncle Sam will not apply it to his exports of has been a great lesson, and has caused hard coal, raw tobacco, raw cotton and a few other raw things which we require from him.

Two Kinds of Fits.

[Chicago Tribune.] Dressmaker (standing off and admirng it)-What a beautiful fit! Customer-Yes, and what a beautiful fit my husband will have when he

Malice Aforethought.

[Baltimore News.] ntie." said the judge to the tered lady of color, "did your husband strike you with malice aforethought?" "Deed he didn't jedge," was the in-dignant reply. "He didn't hit me wid dat mallet afore he thought; he'd been figgerin' on dat er long time, jedge,

Our Hope Is the West. [Ottawa Journal.]

London, Ont., assessors report an increase in the population of 82. Hamilton had an increase of only 274. Ottawa's increase of 448 is better, but not large; and looking at all the figures, it would seem that if there is to be a big increase in the population the Dominion during the present de cade, it is to the west we must look for it-despite the prosperity of the whole country.

Thanksgiving.

[John Greenleaf Whittier.] Once more the liberal year laughs out O'er richer stores than gems or gold more with harvest song and shout Is Nature's bloodless triumph told

Our common Mother rests and sings, Like Ruth among her garnered sheaves; Her lap is full of goodly things, Her brow is bright with autumn leaves.

O favors, every years made new! O gifts, with rain and sunshine sent! bounty overruns our due The fullness shames our discontent. Then let these altars, wreathed with

flowers, And piled with fruits, awake again Thanksgivings for the golden hours, The early and the later rain!

Fate.

[Chicago Tribune.] She didn't like his style at ali, But still she sighed and took him; His fortune and his wit were small,

But to her lot fate let him fall-

Her rival tried to hook him.

Beware of Claws!

[Ohio State Journal.] Fond Mother-Don't carry the kitty y the tail, Willie. Willie-It's the only safe way, maw.

Sale This Day.

[Philadelphia Press.] "He never advertised his business, did he?" 'No; but it's being pretty well ad-

"Indeed?" "Yes, the sheriff is doing it."

ertised now."

Laurier's Felicitous Epigram. [London Commercial Intelligence.] Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke in terms of affection and veneration of the land of his forefathers, but it is rarely that a public man clothes his sentiments in such felicitious language as that used by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. 'Our veneration for France," he said. honors France which has inspired it, Canada which has preserved it, and England which has respected it." The most glowing eulogy of the British constitution could not convey a betconfined himself to an attack on free ter tribute to its greatness and magnanimity, its freedom and the selfrespecting manliness which it inspires, than the bare fact that a British colonial premier could speak creasing loyalty and love for the Word said, "that to throw down our tariff so frankly of his natural affection of God. He rejoiced in this in a day for the land of his ancestors. It is when many hesitated not with ruththe broad and tolerant spirit of the less hands to seek to tear away the British nation towards the peoples very foundations of our faith. that have come under our flag that growth of a spirit of Christian charity the industries of the great republic to binds them to us with sentiments of was also very evident in the church.

On a Bust of Dante.

[T. W. Parsons.]

See from this counterfeit of him
Whom Arno shall remember long,
How stern of lineament, how grim,
The father was of Tuscan song!
There but the burning sense of wrong,
Perpetual care and scorn, abide;
Small friendship for the lordly throng;
Distrust of all the world beside, The lips as Cumae's cavern close,
The cheeks with fast and sorrow thin,
The rigid front, almost morose,
But for the patient hope within,
Declare a life whose course hath been
Unsullied still, though still severe;
Which, through the wavering days of sin, Kept itself icy-chaste and clear.

Faithful if this wan image be, No dream his life was, but a fight; Could any Beatrice ever see
A lover in that anchorite?
To that cold Ghibeline's gloomy sight
Who could have guessed the visions Of beauty, veiled with heavenly light, In circles of eternal flame?

Peace dwells not here—this rugged face
Betrays no spirit of repose;
The sullen warrior sole we trace,
The marble man of many woes.
Such was his mien when first arc se
The thought of that strange tale divine,
When hell he peopled with his foes,
The scourge of many a guilty line.

CHURCH UNITY RULING NOTE IN THANKSGIVING SERVICES

Helpful Meeting in St. Andrew's they remembered the words of the Church Yesterday.

Optimistic Addresses by Clergymen of Various Churches.

Heartiness and a spirit of good will among brethren, with thanksgiving for blessings of the past year, characterized the service in St. Andrew's propriate, the music was inspiring, the congregation was large and the ad-Christian charity and hopefulness for the future of the church in Canada.

many and such conspicuous causes for of the happier future.

thanksgiving as this year of 1902—the Dr. Johnston, in a few closing words, end of the sad and trying war, the re- expressed his great delight at

Master himself, "Who so doeth will of my Father, the same is brother and sister and mother."
Rev. George Bishop, speaking for

the Methodist Church in Canada, congratulated Dr. Johnston on the happy idea of this service. There were causes in the denomination for deep humiliation, and yet there were other causes for the most profound thankfulness. In the Methodist Church there had A DISTINT FORWARD MOVEMENT

in missionary effort. This had been especially conspicuous among the Church last night. Every feature of young forces of the church. It was the service left little to be desired; the something for which he had long decorations were artistic and apprayed and which he was now rejoiced to see had taken possession of the en tire church. Following this had come the recognition on the part of the dresses were pointed and full of church of responsibility in the great social and moral movements of the land. In accordance with this recog-On the platform with Rev. Dr. of a superintendent to lead the church Johnston were Rev. Geo. Bishop, Rev. in the great work of moral reform. Prof. Burgess, of Huron College, and Lastly, a spirit of unity and desire for Rev. D. S. Hamilton. Dr. Johnston in closer union with other branches of Ex-President Cleveland has come out introducing the speakers said that in evidence in the church. His own some had asked what was the purpose | heart was fully in sympathy with this, of this service. Canada had never and he believed that such a service known a year in which there were so as that of this evening was a forecast

Canada to take up that discredited covery of our sovereign from serious spirit of the meeting. For himself be llness, his coronation, and more recent- was ready to do anything consistent



Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., Pastor of St. Andrew's Church.

It was at Dr. Johnston's suggestion that helpful inter-denominational Thanksgiving services were held yesterday in St. Andrew's Church,

y the end of the strike that threatened with truth to further this great cause such disaster to our land as well as of unity among the different branches to the land more immediately con- of the one Church of Christ. Progress cerned.

land meant the progress of the Church up in one word—
of Christ in that land. There was al- INCREASED INTEREST IN THE ways danger of forgetting this, perhaps special danger in a time of great material prosperity. It was for this reason that instead of reminding them of material good, he had invited his brethren representing other churches to come and tell them in what lines their denominations had been moving forward during the past year. He rejoiced that it was possible for them all to join in a common thanksgiving for each other's progress and to rejoice in each other's success.

PROGRESS IN CONGREGATIONAL

CHURCH. Rev. D. S. Hamilton, in speaking for the Congregational Church, said that although his church in Canada was small among the tribes of Israel, yet they could tell of blessings enjoyed and some progress made. Progress had been particultarly marked on the lines of a broader sympathy with other churches and a revival of interest in foreign mission work. He referred to the settlement of the coal strike, and said that it was a sign of the times that on the committee of arbitration a representative of the Church of Christ should have a seat. His church had believed in taking a deep interest in social questions and never more fully than at the present, when these questions were so prominent.

Rev. Prof. Burgess was introduced Dr. Johnston as a former teacher of his own. Speaking for the Episcopal Church, the professor, in graceful sentences and in a manner that held the closest attention of the large audience, briefly reviewed the features of progress which he had noticed during the past year. First there was a very DISTINCT REVIVAL OF INTEREST in the church on the part of the young The church was worthy of people. their loyalty and was happy in pos-sessing it. Enthusiasm for our King marked us as a people, but what caus was so worthy of enthusiasm as that of Him who had given his life for us? There had been evident also an in-The None could fail to rejoice in this when

in the Presbyterian Church in Can-But after all, the true progress of a ada for the past year could be summed

HOME MISSION PROBLEM. The marvelous opportunities open-

ing to the church in a land capable of supporting a population of 50,000,000 appealed to the church, as did also the dangers threatening - the Mormon danger, the Chinese danger, the fordanger arising from conditions in a land where wealth was rapidly accumulated and where a materialistic spirit threatened to submerge higher and better things.

Progress in other lines would come to the church, he had faith to believe, but for the present he was glad that in some measure at least the church was aroused to recognize that now was the time to do what might be done to possess our land for Christ. He could not fail to note that while they prayed and worked for union among the churches blessing had come even from the existing divisions, for it was evident that the different denominations had been pressing forward in different lines of activity, and thus God had overruled existing conditions for good.

During the evening the choir rendered an anthem, the St. Andrew's Quartet sang "The Wayside Cross, and Miss Pickard and Mrs. Munroe sang solos. The closing hymn was Church's One Foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord."

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The undesirable structure, it is said will appear in the avenue between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets. Sixteen stories in height, it would overshadow the home of every multimillionaire in the street. Of course a person would have to have some money

to live in the apartment hotel. Frank J. Gould purchased recently a residence at 834 Fifth avenue, for which he paid \$500,000. Should this hotel project be carried out, Gould will have this skyscraper immediately next door It would darken half the to him. rooms in the Gould mansion.

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Skyscraper Men's Union.

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The demand for a fixed scale of wages and an eight-hour day is made by the engineers and firemen of the power producing plants. For engineers a scale of 37½ cents an hour is demanded, with 12 cents for over-

time. The firemen demanded 25 cents an hour and overtime. The managers say they propose to treat unionists and non-unionists alike, but members of the union say that buildings which refused to recognize their demands will find it impossible to remain open

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