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LESS THAN  
\$2,000 TO RAISE

The Shares are still coming in and the Workers have now  
less than Two Thousand Dollars to Raise.

We cannot present as good a showing  
to the readers of The Toiler this week  
regarding the progress of the promotion  
of the Labor Temple Company, Limited,  
but the shares are still coming in, and  
we are anxious to have it able to pre-  
sent a statement that will be very pro-  
mising to the army of organized work-  
ers who have become shareholders in  
the company. Many of the organizations  
are now conducting a personal canvass of  
their membership with a view to assist  
the committee to reach the \$10,000  
mark before June 8th, and if the result  
of their effort turns out as they expect,  
there should be no difficulty in meeting  
our obligations on that date. We can-  
not possibly turn back now after coming so  
near the mark, and we are at where we  
started our campaign, and there are yet  
over 10,000 men in the city who  
have not signified their intention of  
becoming shareholders in the company.  
The purchase of the Atheneum Club  
for a Labor Temple will be one of the  
most significant moves ever made by or-  
ganized labor in Toronto, and will be-  
come much to solidify our movement as  
it has never been solidified before. We  
are in the age of combination and cen-  
tralization, and it behoves every orga-  
nized man to help in this centraliza-  
tion of the many organizations in the  
city which are now uniting in all parts  
of the city to come together under  
one roof, with the assurance of better  
accommodation than we are now getting  
in any hall in the city, will be one of  
the greatest boons to the organized labor  
movement we have ever had, and our  
very compatriots will add prestige and  
virility to our movement. Every man  
can be a shareholder to the extent of  
one share (one dollar), and the man  
who evades his personal responsibility in  
this matter had better go through a pro-  
cess of self-examination to find out if  
he is as enthusiastic as he ought to be  
in the movement. Let us hope that  
many find that the purchase of the  
Atheneum Club will be a wise investment  
and not call upon them for their assistance.  
A bigger mistake could not possibly be  
made. We need every dollar the orga-  
nized workers of the city can send in.  
The \$10,000 we ask for now is only one-  
quarter of what we really need to clear  
ourselves of our total indebtedness, and  
while we can secure the property we are  
after with the \$10,000, we do not intend  
to rest upon our oars until we have  
wiped off every cent of debt upon our  
property. It seems that there has been a  
large undertaking but organized labor  
will not allow large undertakings to  
impede their progress. With an eye to  
the future we must prepare ourselves  
for future's necessities, and if to-day we  
can purchase a property suitable for a  
Labor Temple and maintain it after pur-  
chase there will still be left for us un-  
dertakings worthy of our time and en-  
ergy which will result in our impre-  
vement.

It is not so important that you should  
know how much we have raised toward  
the \$10,000 necessary. It is of great  
importance that you should know that  
we only need about \$1,800 more to reach  
the mark, and we have now only a lit-  
tle over two weeks to do it. Get off  
your coats and roll up your sleeves for  
the final effort. A little personal work  
will do more now than long-winded  
speeches. The man next to you who has  
not yet become a shareholder should be  
reached and the best way to reach him is  
through you. Keep your eye on the  
main chance and strike some your argu-  
ment. Cut out the frippery and get down  
to business. If you have the necessary  
admission to do the work, the world  
would like to see you bring word to the  
secretary treasurer, James Simpson, 42  
Alberta Avenue, and you will be ad-  
mirably supplied. We have now about  
1,500 shareholders and our first meet-  
ing will be held in Victoria Hall on  
May 23, when we expect every share-  
holder to bring along his money so that  
there may be no delay in purchasing the  
property and commencing the necessary  
alterations. The more money we get  
the better we can make our property  
suit the needs of all the unions, and  
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Miss May Verrall ..... 2  
Miss Gertrude Verrall ..... 2

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A. D. Wilkinson ..... 2

Walter Williams ..... 2  
W. J. Wilson ..... 2

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Woman Sympathizer ..... 2

TORONTO DISTRICT LABOR  
COUNCIL

At the last regular meeting of the  
District Labor Council meeting seven  
new delegates were elected, represent-  
ing our locals.

Communication from the Brewery  
Workers, was read, contests ordered to  
be printed and filed.

Closure of striking iron founders was  
referred to the Metal Trades Section.  
Delegate Simpson, Provincial Secretary  
Treasurer, Labor Temple Committee,  
reported eight thousand shares ap-  
plied for up to date, solicited a return of  
envelopes "filled out," at the next  
regular meeting of the Council, the 13th  
inst.

President Long, of the striking tele-  
graphers' organization, was granted the  
privilege of a seat in the Council, ad-  
dressed upon the strike now on hand,  
told of the success attending his efforts  
throughout Ontario and Quebec, in form-  
ing new locals, and declared that the  
fight would continue until victory was  
achieved.

In view of the fact that it was found  
necessary for the Brewery Workers to  
call their men out of the O'Keefe and  
Reinhart brewery establishments, previous  
to a meeting of the Miscellaneous  
Section, to which they belong, Delegate  
representing that body during its trouble  
requested the privilege of the Council,  
which was granted. The delegate re-  
viewed the situation in its entirety,  
showed the thoroughness of their organ-  
ization in examining facts and a full  
knowledge of the strike, and the resort to  
an effort to decide the public. The  
Council endorsed the strike.

The Clothing Section's report was  
adopted. Recommendation contained  
therin that Council interview Govern-  
ment upon certain grievances was chang-  
ed to a method more effective, which was  
acquiesced in.

The report of the Educational Com-  
mittee was ordered to be printed in full.

The question of sending a delegate to  
the old country was ordered to be taken  
up the second order of business after  
the reading of the minutes. By order of  
the Press Committee.

THE BREWERS HARD PRESSED

And Old Age Pensions Discussed in a  
Report by the Educational Com-  
mittee to the District  
Labor Council.

Your Educational Committee, in this  
their report for May 12th, 1904, beg to  
submit the following:

We have been further considering the  
principle involved in the Canadian Militia  
Act, which was partly the subject of our  
last report, and we wish to supplement  
that report with the following:

We find that of all the heavy burdens  
that press upon the producers of the  
world is the world's militarism is the heaviest.  
The lot of the toiler in England is far better than in any other European  
country, yet in the city of London, where  
wages are the highest, one and a half  
millions of people live on \$5 per week or  
less, for a family of five, and in Russia,  
where the wage income of the workers  
averages 2 cents per hour. Yet in Eu-  
rope the annual cost of the three great  
empires is six, army, navy, and air, and in  
order to sustain these debts, together with  
the estimated loss of services by the  
men engaged as soldiers and men of  
war—a sum amounting to the enormous sum  
of \$5,847,809,600 (ten billion, eight  
hundred and forty-seven million, eight  
hundred thousand dollars).

The Civil War between the North and  
the South cost 1,800 million dollars  
or \$27,450,000,000. Yet the con-  
sumers for 1900 gave two millions of people  
out of work, besides the millions who in  
the main chance and strike some their argu-  
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O'Keefe and Reinhart Beers  
are being put up in Cope-  
land Brewery Barrels.

The developments in the brewery work  
make this week clear that the brew-  
ers are going to strike in order to  
decide the price. The O'Keefe and  
Reinhart beers are being put up in  
Copeland brewery barrels and they are even  
going so far as to have them delivered to  
the retail trade.

The great 50 a week man Karsman  
is so hard pressed that he says to do this.

Let every worker remember that the  
brewers say that they would rather earn  
less than pay wages. Let them also remem-  
ber that according to the govern-  
ment statements the brewer will not stand  
the payment of fair wages, and

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### SPENDING MONEY.

Says R. Anthony he quotes as having  
said: "Married women know nothing  
about money while they are married, and  
when they come into possession of money  
later they do not know how to give it  
away or for the encouragement of re-  
forms."

If married women know nothing of  
money, then I would like to know who  
does, for just as sure as the men are the  
breadwinners, so are the women the  
bread purchasers. Few workingmen do  
the buying for the family, and so it is  
the wives and mothers have to do it. And  
if the buyers for the families don't  
know anything about money, it is a great  
marvel to me. And how most of them  
make ends meet might as well, as big  
a pile to burn. But Anthony's opinion is to a  
good many business right here in To-  
ronto, as well as all over the world.

As for women giving to charity and for  
reforms, I think when women have money  
they are quite as liberal with it as men.  
Of course, there are exceptions to every rule,  
and you will find strong women as well  
as strong men, and vice versa; but  
then to condemn all married women as  
knowing nothing about money is going  
a little too far to be consistent with  
what we see every day in our stores, and  
on making inquiries with regard to the  
home, so where you must know something  
about money or else we would not be  
more bankrupt homes than we do to-day.

A Woman.

### NATIONAL ARMY.

As a nation of workers, we must be  
well clothed and fed, but it is not necessary  
for us to be turned into a national army  
of workers.

CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

Those who wish to know what co-  
operation has done for the workers in Eng-  
land should take out of the Public Li-  
brary the small book entitled "The His-  
tory of Rochdale Pioneers," by George  
Jacob Holyoake.

### REPORT.

We may find it very hard work to re-  
form competitive industries, but it will  
be perfectly easy for the workers to start  
together instead of pulling apart.

### UNION LABEL.

Co-operative industries would make the  
union label popular with the workers.

### A TRADE UNIONIST.

I saw a leading trades unionist throw  
down a card announcing a meeting. He was  
disgusted because the union label had  
been mentioned. He wonder how long the  
workers will be before they have a daily  
paper with the union label on it. I am  
afraid we are all stale when we read  
our daily paper.

### DRAW THE LINE.

Every worker should draw the line in  
his mind between our productive and  
distributing institutions and his own pri-  
vate affairs. It would not interfere with  
the worker's home if he worked in a  
co-operative workshop any more than it is  
interfered with now.

### KING AT HOME.

Every worker according to our laws is  
a king in his own home, but in the work-  
shop or store where he works he has no  
such power.

### LABOR TEMPLE.

When the Labor Temple is paid for  
you will have no landlord giving you a  
month's notice, you will own and con-  
trol it.

### HOW CHEAP.

We are all trying to-day to see how  
cheap we can buy things, and we do not  
stop to ask if the workers that made  
them received a living wage. This is  
where our selfishness hurts us all and  
makes all our lives miserable.

### CITIZENS' LEAGUE.

I saw that the secretary of the Citi-  
zens' League requires \$7,000 to organize  
one League, and that the cost of establish-  
ing one League is \$1,000. I can under-  
stand it taking much more than that  
amount to organize the church electorate,  
but I cannot understand why it should  
cost even ten cents to organize Chris-  
tians. Christ was always on the side of  
right, because His kingdom was founded  
on righteousness, and that is what true  
Christians will always vote for, not  
what is necessary to co-operate in the  
new century as competition was in the  
last century.

### A Lost Foot.

I saw a man the other day that had  
lost a foot, and he was hobbling along  
with a crutch and a stick, and I thought,  
just one cent apiece from the 15,000 org-  
anized workers would buy that man a  
modern artificial foot and what a  
blessing it would be for their eggs, butter  
and hamburgh more than anything else.

Let what percentage of the pro-  
gressing leaders of the church has approx-  
imated, during the past SIXTEEN cen-  
turies, the injunctions which were the  
main spring of their whole life on earth!

Don't all jump to your feet at once,  
dear well-read, would-be leaders of the  
blind—heavenly workmen are not  
naturally blind.

No one denies that there have been  
good Christians since multitudinous  
corporation Constantine decided who were  
not out how about the average paid  
UNIFORMED Soldiers of the Cross!

Have not the latter either been in the  
habit of telling what you believed and  
knew already or what neither you nor  
anybody else ever knew and very few  
ever pretended to believe?

The Masons, so-called, have just  
shown that they have been more  
interested in their two, and they don't  
think the average church gives them any-  
thing approaching what they like applied  
Christianity.

Sticking plaster that won't stick is  
mighty little good as "sticking plaster,"  
and the average modern mixup  
called Christianity, which leaves out  
Christ's teachings and applications is,  
well, to say the least, not attractive to  
the masses, who object to be flim-flam-  
med any longer.

### THE INVENTORS.

The man that invented the electric  
light did not go to the "King" to complain  
to him that he had not the electric light on  
the market. The man that invented electric  
cars did not go to the owners of livery  
stables and try and persuade them to  
start electric car companies. They start-  
ed new companies composed of men that  
believed in these new ideas, and the  
workers will find it hard to get the own-  
ers of private industries to run them in  
the interest of the workers.

### CHOOSE WHICH.

It is for the workers to choose whether  
they will live on the old 19th century  
road of competition or turn to the  
20th century new road of co-  
operation of the people, and for the people.

### MACHOON.

Co-operation based on machoон, wo-  
manhood and childhood not on wealth,  
is the kind of co-operation humanit-  
y needs to-day.

### LOVE ONE ANOTHER.

Co-operation is the only practical way  
of applying Christ's new commandment  
to our everyday life.

### TRUTH.

Truth in society is perfect co-  
operation of man with man, of woman with  
woman, of boy with boy, and girl with  
girl.

### THE LABOR TEMPLE.

Although the opening of the Labor  
Temple will mean a good many vac-  
ancies, yet we hear of no opposition, be-  
cause such a movement does not break  
any of our civic laws.

### Always bear in mind that success does not lie in trying to build yourself up by pulling your brother down.

### 441. Q.—Can you confide the communists to Toronto? A.—I do not believe any of them are communists.

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## THE TOILER

### Current Comment

Kingston plumbers have come to terms with their employers.

On the fourth of July there will be a

The Master Plumbers' Association and the Employers' Union reached a mutually satisfactory agreement, and every man will be busy for at least a year to come.

The New York State Labor Department's latest bulletin shows a gain in membership in trade unions of 38,634, or 1 per cent., in the last six months, and mentions the increase in cities as follows: In New York, 24,361; Buffalo, 4,358; Rochester, 818; Syracuse, 637; Albany, 201; Troy, 238; Schenectady, 187.

parties in Chicago of all the child workers in the city. It is claimed by the Children's Federation of Labor that there will be 20,000 children, boys and girls, in line. They will cover the sweatshops, the ready factories, the laundry stores, and telegraph companies. It is hoped by the Chicago labor union that the people will wake up the city to do its duty, and put these child workers in the schools, where they belong.

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"Health and Vigor depend upon the quality and quantity of the blood." HUMANITARIAN

The Liver is the great secreting organ of the body, and when it is not in a healthy condition becomes palsied, causing many unpleasant symptoms, such as dull, heavy, languid sensations, loss of appetite, etc., etc., etc., pain in back or shoulders, poor stomach, constipation, dryness of the skin, restlessness, etc. These symptoms are not dealt with immediately, they become aggravated so we try to better our case by bargaining together.

Now, union may do this for you; but can do much more. It can give each of you that which makes your employers strong. It can give you capital. The sort of union which can do this is called co-operation. It can give you capital in the easiest way possible, simply by uniting to buy what you eat or drink or wear, at what it costs to buy it if it is bought wholesale for ready money, and to sell it to yourselves for ready money, what you have to pay for it now, and letting the difference grow. Hundreds of thousands of laborers in the various parts of England and Scotland have joined together to do this. They have found that after all the cost of selling the things to themselves—wages, coal, light, etc., have been paid, and interest besides at one shilling in the pound to get these things, there is 1/- from 1/- to 2/- 6d on every pound that they sell.

Now take 100 men who spend, on with another, 250 a year in food and clothes for themselves and their families; if these men unite to sell to themselves and get 2s in the pound on it this means an income of £250 to them, saved without costing them any stint to save it. In five years those men, if they let their savings grow, would have gained even £100 to buy for each of them three-quarters of an acre of land that would cost £75 per acre. Is it not worth while to form unions that can do so much for you? You can

get rich by eating and drinking. Such a union will be the best savings bank you ever put into. In other savings banks you must pinch in order to save, while here you can save while you are spending. There, you get little more than 1/- a month on each pound, while here you get 1/- a month on your investments.

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The following is the annual report of the work done in the different sections by the Co-operative Societies in Great Britain for 1902:

	Societies Members	Shares	Sales	Profits
Wholesale societies	2 1,300	£1,292,308	£24,456,678	£63,191,845
Retail societies	1,474 1,583,118	£25,187,819	£53,319,262	£8,382,714
Productive societies	139 33,270	£87,917	£9,907,645	£2,610,533
Special societies	11 1,284	£29,984	£2,204,144	£2,533
Supply Association	7 91,483	£2,024	£2,670,533	£63,785
Agricultural Dairy and Farming	36 1,805	£10,861	£58,644	£10,861
			£53,305	£278,220
				£5,425

### THE RELIGION OF HUMANITY

#### The Reign of Brotherhood and the Triumph of Justice and Peace.

Cincinnati, O., May 14.—Mr. Herbert S. Bigelow, pastor of the Vine street Congregational Church, in discussing the subject "Labor," said:

Zangwill, in his "Martyr of Elijah," has made a splendid plea for peace and industrial freedom. Zola, in his novel entitled "L'Assassin," has raised the same protest against the present wrongs of men and pleaded for a new society in which labor, free and joyful, shall bear the pains of life and the wail of poverty and the curse of war shall no longer mingle with the laughter of the children.

A New Social Conscience.

It is well for the world that the great novelists are beginning to take for their heroes men who will glory, not by vanquishing their fellow-men, but by toiling for their freedom. It is well for the world, adduced by poverty and perverted by luxury, that the prophets are growing in number, who proclaim a new social conscience to which the present inequalities are and even shall be intolerable.

Justice Needed, Not Charity.

Zola's hero exclaims: "Ah! What misery may be produced by labor—men changed into wolves by overwork, by injustice, by bread so hard to earn, and that must be shared by other starving creatures!"

Zola's hero sweeps away the benevolent plans of the philanthropist who fondles and lectures and lectures him. "All this is charity, not justice. These things might go on for years and years without hunger ever ceasing without poverty ever abolished. No, no! There is no means of relief possible. We must strike at the root of the evil!"

Anarchism and Injustice.

International Association Machinists' Lodge, 235, have discontinued their instruction class, held during the winter months on the second Thursdays. The meetings will be resumed in the fall.

Lodge 235 I. A. of Machinists will hold its annual picnic on Niagara Falls, Saturday, July 10th, and expect to have the usual successful attendance.

Sheet Metal Workers' Union, No. 36, will hold their first annual excursion, Saturday, June 11th, to Buffalo, where the annual International Convention will be held, opening June 13th. J. H. Kennedy has for the fifth time been elected to represent his local, his delegates being President James Gow and ex-Ad. Frank Moses.

Picture Frame Makers' Union, No. 114, had one of its most successful meetings since organization on Monday night, and increased its membership considerably. The energetic business agent, Wm. Ward, promises much progress for the immediate future.

The terms asked for by the Guelph Sheet Metal Workers have been granted by four of the employers in the city—Messrs. Wm. Sonley, T. E. Rudd, McCormick & Robinson, and Wolcott & Ward.

In St. Louis a few years ago the waiter girls got \$4 per week salary; now they get \$9, no brokerage charges, and their hours of labor are much shorter and conditions generally are better. Such is the power of unionism.

Huddersfield, Eng., tramway workers taking for the last months ended December 31st last showed receipts £50,000, expenditure £26,781, and gross profit £23,295, of which £20,000 was transferred to interest and redemption securities.

WHAT CO-OPERATION CAN DO FOR THE LABORER.

"United we stand, divided we fall," is an old saying and a true one. Have you ever thought out what this maxim, followed up to its results, might do for you? You believe that union will make you strong enough to bargain better with your employers for the wages paid you than you could do without it. But what makes employers so strong that you need to unite in order to bargain with them? The answer is that you are stronger together than separately, and that the fruits of justice and harmony are proof of a vital religion.

THE BREWERS' STRIKE.

Editor Toiler: In your paper of last week referring to the brewery workers strike, I was pleased to read a most valuable suggestion, namely, that pending the settlement of this trouble, all workmen should sign the pledge. Now, this is excellent advice, but how better would it be if workmen in general were permanently boycotted all breweries and hotels by signing the pledge and keeping it. This would soon end the land of one of the greatest evils that now exists, as it is evidently apparent to the most sensible minds that these drink factories and gin mills are a menace to the peace and respectability of any community. My advice to the striking brewery workers is to cease to be the servants of the servants of the devil and seek for more honorable work and less sin, will bless them, and they will find themselves better men, mentally, physically, morally, financially, and every other way. Workmen could soon close up these breweries and hotels which now disgrace our land, as they simply did not deserve them. I have never yet heard of one man who regretted signing the pledge, but consistently violated it for the many blessings received by denying himself that which ultimately ruins both soul and body. Statistics show that eight-tenths of all crime is directly attributed to strong drink. The respectable people of this city do not want the bars, as was plainly shown when the last vote was taken on this question, when three out of five said by their votes "Banish the bars," and yet they are tolerated by a spineless Government that receives as its reward a few thousand dollars of blood money annually. How often times we read in the papers the particulars of some resulting crime, and lower down we see that "he was drunk when he did it," or "he was drunk visiting several hotels just before he did the terrible deed." The old drunkards are all dying off and filling yonder graveyards, complained a hotelkeeper to a brewer lately.

What am I to do to increase my business?" "Get after the young fellows," said the brewer, and after the orgie later held at the Junction, when three beers or two whiskies for five cents were sold to more boys, it looks as if the brewer's advice is being taken. Does not Scripture say that the drunkard shall not inherit the kingdom of heaven? Wine is always a mocker, as easily seen any Saturday night on any of our principal streets, where two or three boozey fellows are seen swearing eternal friendship to each other, and shortly after they will

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### GIVEN AWAY

The Circulation Committee of the District Labor Council submitted to the Directors of THE TOILER PUBLISHING CO. the following proposition: "That a trophy valued at \$50 be presented to the Section of the District Labor Council sending in the most subscriptions by the first of September, 1904. Not less than 300 Subscriptions will be necessary to win the trophy."

F. J. WILSON,  
President.

WM. BOLAND,  
Secretary.

The Directors have accepted the proposition and will offer the following prizes to be competed for between the **1st day of May, 1904, and the 1st day of September, 1904**, inclusive:

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Continuation of the Evidence in the Suit Against Labor Men.

375. Q.—Upon what ground did you base your refusal to employ them again? A.—Their places were filled.

376. Q.—But why was it necessary to fill their places if you had to shut down? A.—When the place started up again we rapidly filled up the places vacant in the mounting shop, and the other departments had to respond.

377. Q.—Then the men you had been laid off were immediately re-employed? A.—Yes.

378. Q.—The slow down? A.—It was very slight.

379. Q.—And at the time that you were laying off men for the reason that owing to the moulder's strike you had to slow down, you were putting on other men at the same time were you not? A.—I do not think so; it would be very illogical.

380. Q.—Do you know what occurred? A.—I was told what occurred.

381. Q.—What were you told occurred? A.—My Fox asked Mr. Gurney whether he would utilize the shop, discharge all men who deserved to be laid off. Mr. Gurney said he would not; that after he had left town those few moulder's walked out.

382. Q.—Do you know of your own knowledge whether these men struck or were laid off? A.—I know some of them struck.

383. Q.—Then all of them struck? A.—Yes.

384. Q.—And your evidence therefore would be an information and belief altogether? A.—Not altogether.

385. Q.—Largely? A.—To a certain extent.

386. Q.—Did you do the most of the talking that committee? A.—I did not do any talking.

387. Q.—It would be Mr. Edward Gurney that would do it? A.—We did not do much talking; they did the talking.

388. Q.—Subsequently I saw a committee of those who were laid off show a Mr. Gurney—would that be you or Mr. Edward Gurney? A.—Yes, I only committed myself, I know about it. I have just spoken on that all together.

389. Q.—Who were the individuals on the committee, do you recollect? A.—I could not recall; I do not know any of them.

390. Q.—Do you know Mr. Johnston? A.—No, I do not know him.

391. Q.—There was only one occasion when you and Mr. Carrick and Mr. Hickey received this committee? A.—Yes.

392. Q.—Do you recollect were they received all together or one at a time? A.—All together.

393. Q.—One of the men asks why they had been laid off? A.—This was two years ago and I cannot remember the detail of the conversation; I presume they did.

394. Q.—Do you recollect if the ground advanced for any one of them was because of this too much? A.—I do not remember.

395. Q.—It might have occurred? A.—Unquestionably it might have; I do not remember anything in connection with it.

396. Q.—You do not recollect anything Hickey may have said on that occasion? A.—No.

397. Q.—Mr. Hickey was very friendly towards union very warmly disposed towards union friendly? A.—I do not think he is antagonistic towards the union.

398. Q.—Friendly towards the members? A.—He is just as friendly towards a good union mechanic as he is towards a non-union mechanic.

399. Q.—However he had some little friction with the union about the facts? A.—It is impossible to be familiar with all the details of a large business conversations on the street.

400. Q.—You state in paragraph seven of your affidavit that the real cause of their action was that the union thought that they were strong enough to force the employers to employ union men only? A.—Yes.

401. Q.—How do you know that that unionists again? A.—No, that has been born out by the examination.

402. Q.—Are you aware that the iron moulder's are just as friendly towards the members? A.—He is just as friendly towards a good union mechanic as he is towards a non-union mechanic.

403. Q.—However he had some little friction with the union about the facts? A.—It is impossible to be familiar with all the details of a large business conversations on the street.

404. Q.—You do not subscribe to some funds? A.—About some associations that were made with reference to some funds?

405. Q.—Some moulder's he had that they thought they should have? A.—I believe there was something of that kind.

406. Q.—Now you have stated in paragraph seven of your affidavit that the iron moulder's had for ever, an alleged grievance against the company—do you still acknowledge that? A.—Yes.

407. Q.—So that if they did strike in sympathy with the others, they had something in the nature of a grievance apparently? A.—No, they had no grievance.

408. Q.—It would not be a grievance in your view that their friends, the moulder's and polishers, were discriminated against? A.—They would have no grievance.

409. Q.—The iron moulder's and the company have always got well together? A.—Our employees always did until they ceased to become our employees.

410. Q.—And when did this trouble with the moulder's begin? A.—I think it was in August, 1892.

411. Q.—How did it arise, do you know? A.—They simply disappeared one morning and did not come back to work—twenty of them I think about.

412. Q.—There had been no interview with you or with any other member? A.—I think Mr. Fox came in; it was from the moulder's convention he came; he was in town.

413. Q.—Did you see him when he came? A.—No, Mr. Edward Gurney saw him.

414. Q.—Did you see him when he came? A.—No, Mr. Edward Gurney saw him.

415. Q.—Do you know when he came? A.—I believe that would refer to crime? A.—I believe that would

## THE TOILER

### IN THE WAKE OF A SIDE COMB

By SYLVIA LEE

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could not help seeing new wretched she looked. Her hair bore no sign of side comb.

When they went out later there seemed to be a species of shadow mixed with the preliminary silence.

The man spoke first (and he waited a good while).

"You haven't found it, have you?"

"Oh, dear, no."

"Don't you think perhaps it fell out in the boat?"

"Why, there was nothing in the boat to loosen it."

Harkness felt the corners of his mouth suddenly give way even while his temper rose. He looked off to the right for a long minute and then asked severely:

"Was there anything at the Point to loosen it?"

Leda's mouth flew open in undisguised fright.

"Who told you we were to the Point?"

"I knew it all the time."

She began to cry.

"I never will again, truly."

"How could you behave so?" said the lover, launching himself suddenly into the full tide of his righteous wrath.

"You put me beyond all patience; going off like that with Wrycroft when you know perfectly well that you belong to some one else, and then actually letting him—"

Leda seized his arm.

"Only once," she protested earnestly, "only once."

"Once is once too often," said Harkness, a great and exceeding bitterness welling up in his tone. "Once is a great, great many times too often, considering the situation. New, Leda, listen to me," he continued sternly. "Either realize me that you will never, never again do anything in the slightest degree questionable or well call it all off, and you can give me back the comb for all I care."

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