

Labour Line

ARTICLES AND NEWS OF NOTE

The Home Line

Librarians making noise about new head of New Brunswick public library service
Social Sharing

<https://tinyurl.com/txb3ex5>

Scrapping fines has boosted Blackpool's libraries

<https://tinyurl.com/s3qdrys>

Confronting racism with personal stories

<https://tinyurl.com/r2epou4>

British Columbia Labor Union Says Casino Workers Remain Exposed to Organized Crime Syndicates

BCGEU President Stephanie Smith told the commission investigating money laundering in the province this week that casino workers have been forced to deal with known criminals for decades

<https://tinyurl.com/u5yul8v>

Second \$35-million lawsuit hits Canada's reality TV industry

A class action has been filed against a second Toronto-based reality TV production company, seeking damages stemming from alleged employment standards violations

<https://tinyurl.com/ugvl2qx>

Ontario labour board rules Foodora couriers are dependent contractors, eligible for union

The labour board decided the couriers more closely resemble employees rather than independent contractors in what it said was its first decision with respect to the so-called gig economy

<https://tinyurl.com/tpuu8fl>

<https://tinyurl.com/t2a23zu>

Target raised wages. Then it cut workers' hours and doubled their workload

Workers say Target is making drastic cuts to their schedules and doubling their workload as it increases minimum wage under its 'modernization plan' to increase efficiency

<https://tinyurl.com/s56xn6a>

Coronavirus threat leaves gig economy workers 'abandoned and penniless'

Workers in the gig economy – or on zero hours contact – who have to self-isolate due to the coronavirus are often left with no wages and little support from their employer

<https://tinyurl.com/vrzs5ls>