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KEEPS PRESIDENCY

Samuel Gompers Vindicated by Federation of Labor

ONLY ONE DISSIDENTING VOTE

Daniel Keefe, Who Opposed His Policy, Forced to Resign—Career of Great Leader

Special to the Evening Review. DENVER, Colo., Nov. 21.—Samuel Gompers was today re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor. Only one delegate, Charles Heske, president of the Wisconsin State Federation of Labor, voted against him.

James Duncanson was re-elected vice-president of the Federation by acclamation. Daniel Keefe, one of the vice-presidents, was forced to decline re-nomination because of the recommendation of Gompers' report, declaring that all those who opposed the policies of the executive council should quit office.

which he is held by millions of his fellow citizens. Gompers was born in London Jan. 27, 1856, the son of a cigarmaker. He attended school for four years, and this was the extent of his formal education, with the exception of a few terms at a night school while working in his father's cigar shop.

The great labor leader is a man of scholarly, refined tastes, and his appearance is that of a college president rather than a labor agitator. He is a member of no church or religious organization, although in New York he was a regular attendant at the meetings of Dr. Felix Adler's Ethical Culture Society.

The bulky form of Gompers is frequently to be seen at the Capitol during the sessions of congress. He watches closely all labor legislation and frequently appears before congressional committees to argue the cause of organized labor, in its relation to bills affecting the interests of workers. Laboring men throughout the land have benefited by his activities and probably will continue to do so for many years to come.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. James A. Hughes to N. Bonebrake, \$633; 25 1/2 acres in Brookside addition to Roseburg. T. E. Bledsoe to S. M. Wilcox, \$2500; lots 7 and 8, block 4, Drain. C. D. Drain to S. M. Wilcox, \$37,000; parcel of land in East Drain. John Casebeer to M. M. Cooper, \$1500; 310 acres sec 3 and 4, 28-5. Carrie Nelson to G. Blomquist, \$1; w 1/2 w 1/2 sec. 22, 25-8. O. P. Coshaw to Marion R. Smith, \$350; tract of land in East Roseburg. Jerry Robin to Sparrow & Kroll, \$1000; 160 acres sec. 14, 20-12.

OREGON WINS FIRST HALF.

Special to The Review. PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 21.—At the end of the first half of today's football game, the score stood: University of Oregon, 8; Oregon Agricultural College 0. Moulten kicked two goals from the field. Second half—Neither scored.

HARVARD DOWNS YALE.

NEW HAVEN, Mass., Nov. 21.—Before a crowd of 35,000 spectators, Harvard won the annual football game with Yale today; score 4 to 0. This is Harvard's first victory over Yale in six years.

THE ARTIST TRIO.

JACKSON, Mich.—Miss Mary Agnes Doyle is a very accomplished reader and is far superior to many seen upon the platform lately. All of her readings were given in a charming manner and the evidences of approval given the talented young woman by the great audience were merited in every respect.

DETROIT.—Miss Blanche Deering is, in my opinion, the most perfect development of the natural musician that I have ever had the satisfaction of knowing. In that the great promise she gave as a child has been verified to a remarkable degree. By her own industry and musical mentality, she has mastered the technique and readings of an exceptionally varied repertoire so that, place her where you will, as a soloist or as a factor in ensemble results, she carries her work triumphantly.—Chas. S. Hathaway, Musical Critic, Free Press.

"IT WAS A HUMMER"

Commercial Club's Social Session was a Pronounced Success—Fifty-eight New Members Added to the Roll

"Unity of action brings results." "Many willing lifters help to lighten the load." Lethargy was the load that for many years hampered Douglas county's progress. With the organization of the Roseburg Commercial Club about eight months ago and the subscribing of over \$7000 in one evening as an advertising fund to make known to the world the many natural advantages of Douglas county that spirit of lethargy was delivered such a telling blow that it has never been able to regain its hold upon our people. Instead, it has ever since been gradually superseded, by an ever widening spirit of progress and advancement. No community grows without the application of intelligent effort; else with the splendid resources possessed by Douglas county we should have long since been the center of the leading community of a great commonwealth.

On last evening the Club held its first social session at which were present as guests a large number of citizens from the town and surrounding country, including representatives from other towns and neighborhoods. The evening's program was opened with appropriate words of welcome by Hon. Dexter Rice, president of the Club. Then followed a piano solo by Mr. W. W. Thackrah, a vocal solo by Mr. Geo. C. Graham, and a violin solo by Mr. Edw. R. Feckenbacher.

"Everybody Boosts." "All the world loves a booster," declared Mr. Rice, and with a few words of explanation, he caused to be distributed among the audience a plentiful supply of cards containing the following pledge: "I HEREBY PLEDGE MYSELF THAT FOR THE ENSUING SIX MONTHS (1) I will boost ceaselessly for Roseburg. (2) Say no discouraging word as to any investment of anyone in Douglas County. (3) Attend and support all meetings held under the auspices of the Commercial Club. (4) Stand back of the Club in all its efforts for the good of the community, whether I personally approve thereof or not, so long as the end sought is beneficial, reserving to myself the right to object on moral grounds only to any end proposed or means employed." "Signed November 20, 1908."

A few minutes later, when these cards were recalled to the secretary's desk it was found that they had been signed by nearly every person present, thus showing the unanimity of the prevailing booster spirit. After a short recess, during which the Club trustees held a brief session, Wm. Perman rendered a beautiful cornet solo, and Mr. Stubbs favored the assembly with a humorous recitation. To a persistent encore he responded with a song that was also highly enjoyed.

Club's Work Outlined. Hon. J. H. Booth, an active member of the board of trustees, since the organization of the Club, then spoke briefly of the booster movement. He declared that "more progress has fallen from this community in the last eight months than during the twenty years before." There is still some more to come off. He told of the booster meeting held in Roseburg about the time this Club was organized and which was addressed by Tom Richardson, of Portland. At that meeting upwards of \$7000 were pledged for advertising Douglas county. This was followed by the preparation and distribution of thousands of advertising booklets. Club headquarters had ever since been maintained with a salaried booster in charge. The new exhibit building at the S. P. depot had been erected and supplied with fine samples of Douglas county products. The new Commercial Club headquarters in the Kohlhaugen building was referred to as being ready for occupancy soon. This alone will be a fine advertisement for the town. It will provide a place for the comfort of the members; a place to take and entertain visitors to our city; a place where we can meet and get better acquainted, besides doing the more important work of boosting the city and county. To do this work properly the Club needs the assistance of all "Many willing lifters help to lighten the load." Every citizen was invited to become a member of the Club. From permission recently granted

them the trustees had voted to suspend the rule fixing the membership fee at \$20, and making it only \$10 for a brief period. Thus every person who becomes a member of the Club now will save \$10. The Club needs a larger membership, but it needs co-operation more. "With unity of action," the speaker declared, "geographical lines will soon be blotted out. Douglas county will then be bounded on the west by a line of salmon canneries, on the south by the green and purple of the prune orchards, on the north by red and yellow apples and on the east by the markets of the world." Roseburg is emulating the example of Eugene which has recently doubled its annual advertising fund, and the speaker was told by a commercial traveler a day or two ago that Roseburg and Eugene are the two best towns in Oregon today. This Commercial Club now wants 200 active members. Mr. Booth announced that application cards would be distributed through the audience and everyone was urged to sign. With the unity of action now awakened, Roseburg is destined to advance more in the next two years than it has in the 60 that have elapsed since Aaron Roe, its founder, drove here the first stake of his donation land claim.

Mr. Booth's remarks were warmly applauded, and while the orchestra rendered some further selections numerous application cards were signed. Then followed a substantial buffet lunch, composed of Douglas county products, including sliced ham, bread, butter, cheese, salad, pickles, sweet cider, red apples, cake, etc. Roseburg Havanas followed. In fact the committee in charge seemed to have kept in mind the home industry admonition standing at the head of The Review's front page: "Made in Oregon."

Over Fifty New Members. Upon summarizing the results of the evening it was found that 51 new applications for membership had been signed, besides which an incalculable impetus had been given to the general spirit of advancement in Douglas county. Seven more names were added to the list since Friday night, bringing the total number of new applications up to 58, and the total for the Club to 121.

This social session was held on the second floor of the Fisher & Bellows Co. store building, the use of which had been kindly donated for the evening by the owners, Messrs. Bellows and Ewart. The tables and surroundings had been tastefully decorated by H. B. Graves, chairman of the hall committee for this occasion.

Following are the names of the present members of the Roseburg Commercial Club, and also of those whose applications for membership were received Friday evening. Look them over and see if this isn't a real live "batch of boosters." There are 150 of them, an increase of over 100 since the Club was organized, and this total will doubtless be doubled in another year.

- Club Members: Frank E. Alley, Albert Abraham, Geo. M. Brown, W. A. Burr, J. A. Buchanan, J. H. Booth, J. T. Bryan, S. C. Bartrum, W. L. Cobb, Thos. Cobb, W. W. Cardwell, C. B. Cannon, O. P. Coshaw, W. L. Dyringer, B. L. Eddy, W. H. Fisher, Nathan Fullerton, J. C. Fullerton, Irvine P. Gardner, H. B. Graves, E. L. Giles, J. W. Hamilton, W. S. Hamilton, Dee Howard, F. W. Haynes, Geo. E. Houck, Sam Josephson, Julius Josephson, C. S. Jackson, H. O. Lewis, H. T. McCallen, Frank G. Miceill, C. W. Martyn, Joseph Miceill, Luther B. Moore, A. C. Masters, B. W. Bates, A. N. Orcutt, E. B. Pengra, C. L. Pearson, James A. Perry, Wiley Pilkington, Dexter Rice, W. H. Richardson, N. Rice, Moses F. Rice, A. Salzman, A. C. Seely, T. H. Sheridan, J. M. Throno, J. O. Watson.

- L. Wimberly, A. Wollenberg, I. Wollenberg, J. W. Wright, B. R. Westbrook, J. D. Zurcher, R. H. C. Wood, J. F. Barker, H. J. Frear, Jas. E. Sawyer, E. L. Parrott, O. C. Baker, S. C. Miller, B. A. Hunsaker, G. W. Staley, S. T. Smith, H. W. Strong, Roy E. Bellows, G. W. Riddle, F. L. Calkins, G. J. Bacher, J. H. Sykes, F. A. Boggess, A. Mahoney, J. N. Ryan, Geo. Norman, W. H. Kenny, F. B. Walte, C. J. Denning, F. P. Patterson, J. R. Chapman, J. M. Lawrence, C. W. Parks, E. V. Hoover, R. W. Harding, R. W. Hinkley, J. W. Perkins, E. M. Andrews, F. B. McCord, S. J. Caswell, G. V. Wimberly, R. E. Smith.

- The New Applicants: H. M. Hale, Will A. Sebring, B. Fenton, J. Gordon, C. C. Verrill, Louis Barzee, A. R. Marker, S. K. Sykes, E. B. Stewart, A. F. Sether, L. A. Sanctuary, Ringer Hermann, E. F. Nichols, Wm. Perman, Geo. Neuner, Jr., H. J. Wilson, F. G. Stewart, D. C. Pitzer, Guy L. Flint, E. W. Kuykendall, E. A. Johnson, Elbert B. Hermann, Otis Fisher, D. P. Fisher, D. B. Bunnell, G. C. Graham, G. W. Wonnacott, C. W. Wharton, Ira B. Riddle, C. D. Beale, Wm. Voorhes, Geo. Marsh, Frank Brown, Henry Harth, G. W. Clay, N. D. McCall, H. Guest, C. F. Harpster, M. C. Gregory, C. K. Root, M. F. Wright, W. E. Dodge, E. L. Davis, W. E. Clingenspeel, A. D. Daly, T. L. Graves, O. P. Fulkerson, E. A. Hinkle, W. H. Bond, R. T. Ashworth, Samuel A. Phillips, A. S. Huey, E. W. Page, Frank Woodard, R. W. Terrell, H. C. Aulhaus, Ross Goodman, Roy Roadman.

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Total is \$1,700,000—C. P. Taft Gave \$160,000

FOUR OTHERS \$25,000 EACH

Czar of Russia Walks on Street For First Time Since Coronation—Need of Subsidy

Special to the Evening Review. NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—When the report of Treasurer Sheldon, of the Republican National Committee, is filed with the state auditor, it will be found that the republican fund for national campaign recently held amounted to \$1,700,000. The heaviest individual contribution was received from Wm. H. Taft's brother, Chas. P. Taft, of Cincinnati, who gave \$160,000. Andrew Carnegie, J. Pierpont Morgan, Whitelaw Reid and Wm. Nelson Cromwell each gave \$25,000. Four years ago the republican campaign fund amounted to \$4,000,000 and eight years ago it was twice that amount.

Urges Ship Subsidy. SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 21.—That congress, through the machinations of lobbyists in the interest of foreign shipping concerns, are responsible for the demoralized state of the American merchant marine, was the charge made by J. Parkington, editor of the Railway and Marine News, before the Washington State Conservation Congress here today. "Until the people of the United States," he said, "awake to the fact that favorable legislation to the American merchant marine is needed this American flag will gradually disappear from the Pacific."

Ankeny on Tariff. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 21.—Senator Ankeny, who leaves for Washington in a few days, stated today that he was a "stand-patter" on the tariff question. He admitted, however, that he will favor a reasonable revision if the people want it.

Czar Braves Death. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 21.—The Czar today made his first appearance afoot in the streets since his coronation. The occasion was the funeral of his uncle, Grand Duke Alexis, who died recently in Paris. The Czar was dressed as an admiral of the Russian navy, and walked behind the royal casket, apparently indifferent to danger.

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