

TEACHERS' MOVES TO ADOPT CHARTER

One Voice Raised in Protest Charges Leaders of Collusion With Trusts.

E. F. COOLEY IS PRESIDENT

After Naming Ticket With Chicago Man at Head, National Educational Association Listens to a Series of Addresses.

LOS ANGELES, July 10.—The National Educational Association concluded today the important executive work of its sessions by electing Edwin G. Cooley, superintendent of Chicago City Schools, president of the association, together with other officers, and adopted by a unanimous vote the new charter and bylaws provided for at its meeting.

All was harmony in the nominating committee when it convened at 9 o'clock. John D. Shoop, of Illinois, nominated E. F. Cooley, of Chicago, for president of the association. No other names were presented, and Mr. Cooley was declared the choice of the committee by acclamation.

First vice-president, Nathan C. Schaefler, Harrisburg, Pa.; second vice-president, W. H. Elson, Cleveland, O.; third vice-president, C. H. Joad, of Maine, Conn.; fourth vice-president, R. A. Austre, Pierre, S. D.; fifth vice-president, J. F. Stillwell, Phoenix, Ariz.; sixth vice-president, J. H. Hill, Elmira, N. Y.; seventh vice-president, W. A. Clark, Kearney, Neb.; eighth vice-president, W. M. Kern, Ellendale, N. D.; ninth vice-president, W. F. Gorley, Springfield, Mass.; tenth vice-president, J. P. Kingsbury, Salt Lake, Utah; eleventh vice-president, E. E. Roby, Kokomo, Ind.; twelfth vice-president, J. H. Baker, Boulder, Colo.

Among the directors are: California—James E. Barr; Colorado—Charles E. Chadsey; Idaho—S. E. Chamberlain; Montana—Dr. Guelala; Nevada—J. I. Stubbs; North Dakota—C. Macdonald; Oregon—E. J. Ackerman; South Dakota—M. A. Lange; Utah—William Allison; Washington—Edward T. Mathes.

Teachers Denounce Leaders. Miss Elizabeth Shirley, a teacher in the Los Angeles schools made a spirited speech before the convention in opposition to the proposed charter. Miss Shirley's language was bitter in reference to some of the leaders of the association, whom she did not name, and whom she charged incidentally with collusion with the school book trust.

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Should Pension Teachers. Charles H. Keyes, supervisor of South District schools, Hartford, Conn., addressed the convention upon "The Teachers' Pensions and Annuities." He advanced five reasons why pensions should be provided to teachers.

George E. Nash, president of the State Normal and Industrial school, Aberdeen, S. D. spoke upon the "Forms of Compensation for Teachers."

"Sordid gold is the lowest and meanest measure of success. If gold be the standard, then the teacher's profession is meaner than the ditch digger's. But gold never was the standard of the measure of compensation in any exalted vocation for longer than a brief period. Who would ask how much money Socrates earned, or what were the wages of Plutarch, Plato, Caesar, Cromwell, Washington, Grant, or Lincoln? No one has ever been so worldly as to think of these great characters in connection with money making. No one would associate the name of any teacher with the sum of money he has earned. The most exalted, the most highly respected name in history is that of the Great Teacher, who had not where to lay his head, yet who would exchange the undying fame of the Nazarene for the gold of a Rockefeller?"

Before the department of special education N. M. McVior, superintendent of city schools of Oshkosh, Wis., delivered an address on introductory remarks. Before the department of secondary education W. F. Wegener, principal of the Tacoma, Wash., high school, read a paper on microscopic work in high schools.

L. Miller, professor of history in the State Normal School of Chicago, delivered an address on the place of modern history in the high school curriculum.

A new and unexpected feature was introduced into the convention today when it was announced that six of the largest women's organizations in the world will ask for the creation of a department in the association, so uniting the work of those institutions of the organization that will ask to be allowed to affiliate with the National Educational Association are: General Federation of Women's Clubs, Women's Christian Temperance Union, Daughter of the American Revolution, the National Congress of Mothers, the National Council of Jewish Women, the Association of Collegiate Alumnae and the Southern Association of College Women.

Row in Amateur Press Convention. CHICAGO, July 10.—The convention of the National Amateur Press Association broke up in a row yesterday. The heated debate for recognition of the Kansas City faction precipitated the trouble, which resulted in a bolt by the Milwaukee delegation, headed by Edward D. F. As. The convention of the Kansas City faction is being held at Seattle, Wash. Both factions claim to be the "regular" organization. The Milwaukee faction, which bolted, sympathized with the faction now holding its seats at the convention.

BLOW AWAY WAR-CLOUD

country to answer and not for us to express an opinion. America is a country which has been very friendly to us for years; in fact, the treaty between this country and Japan was made at the time I was born. It is an old feeling of friendship which I do not think a passing storm can interfere with, but depend on the pens of the press to smooth the storm.

Admiral Yamamoto seemed to regard as a joke the report from Tokio that on his return Count Okuma would ask him to take up the leadership of the Progressive party, with a view to overthrowing the Saionji Ministry, and after a hearty laugh, he said:

"I have already accepted one Cabinet position in my country and am quite tired out. My business is my sword by my side. Political parties have no interest for me."

The Admiral said that much depended upon the attitude taken by the press upon the present situation.

"Too much care cannot be taken by the press," continued the Admiral, "for a few careless words will do more harm than good. There are many sensational

papers, both here and in Japan, and I ask the editors to make a thorough study of the situation before writing their views."

The Admiral may make an informal call on the President at Oyster Bay after he has received the official visit of the Admiral Evans, commanding the Atlantic fleet, and Admiral Goodrich, commanding the New York Navy-yard.

The examination of Mr. Ryan, who has served since 1881, was directed by the prosecution to establish the identity of the application submitted by the Home Telephone Company and was momentarily interrupted by Mr. Delmas, whose views of what Mr. Heney might and might not ask under the law were as variance with the Assistant District Attorney's. Minutes of the board were under examination for introduction in proof of the making of that application and the subsequent awarding of the franchise to the Home Telephone Company when the forenoon session was adjourned.

It is expected that Boxton will tomorrow go on the witness stand and tell the story of his own disgraces.

Records Lost In Fire. "Dr. Boxton," asked Mr. Heney, "were you a member of the Board of Supervisors in 1906?"

Dr. Boxton said he was a member of the Board of Supervisors during 1906 and 1908 and until yesterday, when he resigned in order to succeed Schmitz temporarily as Mayor at the behest of the prosecution.

Each question put by Mr. Heney was objected to by Mr. Delmas on technical grounds and nearly every objection made was overruled. When Mr. Heney asked Boxton if he participated in the proceedings relative to the sale of the telephone franchises to the Home Telephone Company, Mr. Delmas objected on the ground that the minutes of the Board were not in evidence.

"What became of these records?" Mr. Heney asked.

"They were destroyed in the fire," replied Boxton.

The witness testified, over the objection of the defense, that he was a member of the public utilities committee when the Home Telephone Company's application for a franchise to deny the Home Telephone Company was made, and that he was destroyed in the fire.

Argument Takes Much Time. Questions by Mr. Heney as to the general contents of this application and as to when he had first met Halsey provoked an objection from Mr. Delmas. Mr. Heney supported the competency of the question by explaining that he wanted to show that Halsey in all of his acts pertaining to the bribery of Boxton was acting as the subordinate and under the direct orders of Glass. When adjournment was taken, the argument between Mr. Heney and Mr. Delmas as to the admissibility of this and similar evidence was still in progress.

SCHMITZ IS REFUSED BAIL. Appeal Court Orders Dunne to Act on Exceptions.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—The attorney for Mayor Schmitz appeared before Judge Dunne today and renewed their application for bail pending the appeal to the higher courts. Judge Dunne denied the application and a writ of habeas corpus was granted by Judge Dunne today.

He made the remark to the court that the Judge "intended to deny the application any way," and Judge Dunne informed him that repetition of such offensive remarks would lead to his being sent to prison. Judge Dunne directed the District Attorney that, if application should be made in any other department of the court, he (the District Attorney) should oppose it as a species of fraud.

The District Court of Appeals this afternoon granted a writ of mandamus against Judge Dunne commanding him immediately to fix a date for settlement and to settle the bills of exceptions in the

BLOCKS EVERY STEP

Delmas Obstructs Prosecution of Louis Glass.

BOXTON IS CHIEF WITNESS

Temporary Mayor Called to Tell How He Was Bribed to Kill Home Telephone Franchise by Pacific States.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Very little was accomplished today in the trial of Louis Glass, Assistant District Attorney Heney made to the jury the opening statement for the prosecution, in which he outlined the steps by which the state expects to prove that the president of the Pacific States Telephone Company paid Supervisor Charles Boxton, now temporary Mayor of San Francisco, a \$5000 bribe to vote against the Home Telephone Company's application for a rival franchise. Then Dr.

Langdon Promises No Dictation. SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—(District Attorney Langdon in his letter calling a convention to elect a Mayor to serve out Schmitz' term reviewed the present situation in San Francisco and the conditions leading up to it, explained why the District Attorney's office had to take the initiative, expressed the desire to keep politics out of the reign of the city government, stated that the selection of a Supervisor such as Boxton by the Board of Supervisors yesterday as acting Mayor was merely temporary, asked that all political and factional differences be laid aside in the selection of a Mayor and declared that the great prosecution would refrain from participation after the convention has assembled. A reply is asked for within five days.

Boxton was sworn in as Mayor last night. It was announced that he would be permitted to make no appointments.

SLAIN FOR HER INFIDELITY

Tacoma Man Shoots Woman Dead and Wounds Her Companion.

TACOMA, July 11.—Driven to desperation by the false promises of the woman he loved, Frank Harvey, at an early hour this morning shot and killed Mrs. Gertrude Hall, a former denizen of the restricted district, and seriously, if not fatally, wounded Sherman Blanchard, whom he found in the room with her.

The shooting occurred in the bedroom occupied by Mrs. Hall at her home at 417 Thirteenth street. Harvey, who is about 30 years of age, had secured a promise from the woman that she would return, but, doubting her fidelity, lay in wait for her. He entered the house by the back window shortly after midnight and made his way to her bedroom. In the room with her at the time was Blanchard, a barn boss for the Far West Lumber Company, a man about 40 years of age and the father of a family.

Harvey aroused the sleeping inmates of the room and Mrs. Hall raised herself on her elbow. At this instant the assailant fired her with a .32-caliber revolver. The ball took effect in her left temple. She sprang out of the bed and ran across the room, falling with her head in a sloopjar. Death was almost instantaneous.

Harvey then turned the gun on Blanchard, shooting him twice. Blanchard made his escape, however, to a saloon six blocks away. The murderer took a car to go to police headquarters to give himself up. In his pocket was found a note stating that he wished his money to go to the murdered woman in case of accident.

SANTA FE ROAD INDICTED

Accused of Granting Rebates to Sugar Beet Company.

CHICAGO, July 10.—An indictment charging the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroads with granting rebates amounting to \$12,000 to the United States Sugar Beet Company, of Garden City, Kas., was returned today by the Grand Jury in the District Court. The indictment contains 65 counts, each one relating to an alleged infringement of the law and the company fined \$1,000, or a minimum fine of \$5,000.

The rebates are said to have been granted by the Santa Fe Railroad while the Garden City in 1906 and 1908, on shipments of building material, the freight on which amounted to \$100,000. It is alleged that the railroad had agreed to return \$35,000 of the \$12,000, but that only \$12,000 had been paid, when complaints were heard from other shippers and the Government commenced an investigation.

KING EDWARD IN IRELAND

Hearty Reception Given Royal Couple at Dublin.

DUBLIN, July 10.—The first day of the visit to Ireland of King Edward and Queen Alexandra was a great success. The weather was fine and the city gave the sovereigns a royal reception. Both wore the national color of Ireland.

His majesty delivered brief speeches at various functions of the day. They then went on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert in Kingstown at 6:30 P. M. The warships and shipping in the bay were beautifully illuminated tonight.

A rumor is current here tonight to the effect that the portion of the state regalia valued at \$250,000 which was stolen from Dublin castle recently and for the return of which the government has offered a reward of \$500, was removed by an important official of the order of St. Patrick, who has disappeared.

MARKSMEN SHOOT GIRL. SEASIDE, Or., July 10.—Jennie Sigar, of Portland, was shot just below the temple late yesterday afternoon by boys who were practicing near by at a target. The bullet was removed. Miss Sigar will recover.

ARE YOU CONVENTION

Clark, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, tonight called the twenty-third international convention to order. A chorus of 100 voices swelled the welcoming ode. The convention was called to order in the presence of the Governor of the state, United States Senators and representatives, city, county and state officials and a distinguished gathering of clergy and laymen from the four corners of the earth. Seated in the tent in which the meeting was held were delegates from Alaska, two full blood Indians, a large delegation from Japan, and delegates from the dark continent and from every European country.

Proceeding the meeting the corporation officers and trustees met for the transaction of business. Related trains delayed the meeting and it was after 4 o'clock when it was called to order. Dr. Clark, of Boston, was unanimously re-elected president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor; Hiram N. Lathrop, of Boston, treasurer; George B. Graff, Boston, clerk of the corporation, and Fred H. Kiefer, Boston, auditor, a position newly created by the board.

Trustees Elected. Denominational trustees were elected as follows: For four-year terms, C. Brown, D. D., Findlay, O. (Church of God); Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D., Winona Lake, Ind. (Presbyterian); Rev. A. C. Crews, Toronto, Ont. (Methodist Church); Rev. Alexander Rev. Robert E. Preloy, Toronto, Ont. (Presbyterian Church of Canada); Rev. N. E. Grubb, D. D., Philadelphia, Pa. (Mennonite); William Phillips Hall, New York City (Methodist Episcopal); Rev. W. T. Johnson, D. D., Richmond, Va. (African Baptist); Rev. Samuel McNaughton, Boston, Mass. (Friends); Rev. H. Walker, D. D., Los Angeles (Presbyterian); Herbert L. Willett, D. D., Dean of the Divinity School, University of Chicago (Disciples of Christ); Rev. A. Ashland, O. (United Brethren).

One year-term—Henry Churchill King, Oberlin, O., to fill the unexpired term of Rev. C. A. Dickinson.

Re-elected as Trustee. F. Edgar Earth, representing the Washington State Christian Endeavor Union on the board of trustees, was unanimously re-elected by the board, chairman of the 1907 international convention committee.

The Rev. W. T. Johnson, of Richmond, Va., is the honored guest.

The new members of the board are: Rev. Alex Gilray, Toronto, Can.; William Phillips Hall, New York, known throughout the world as the author of the "Business Man's Bible"; Rev. Robert E. Preloy, Brooklyn, N. Y. Henry Churchill King, Oberlin, O., was elected a member of the board to fill the unexpired term of Rev. C. A. Dickinson.

The board of trustees, after the corporation meeting, elected William Shaw, of Boston, secretary.

William Phillips Hall is president of the American Tract Society and American Bible League.

St. Paul, Atlantic City and Kansas City are in the race for 1908 convention seat.

Secretary Shaw, among other statistics in his report, gave out the following information:

He shall not trouble you with a statement of the thousands of miles traveled by your secretary, the tens of thousands of patient hearers addressed, the scores of thousands of letters and circulars printed matter circulated since our last convention.

He joyfully and honored predecessor as general secretary, Mr. Von Ogden Vogt, reported at the Baltimore convention 65,772 societies in all the world. It is my privilege to report the present net enrollment of 82,138 societies, a net gain of 23,366 societies. Of these, 47,781 are Young People's, 22,655 are Intermediate, 19,947 are Junior, and the rest are Young People's and other classes, with a total membership of 3,456,500.

From reports received from the societies in this country we learn that 5,386 members have united with the churches during the past year. A reasonable estimate for all the societies for the two years would be 446,583, or an average of 223,291 for each year.

The gifts for missions and other benevolences, largely local church work, aggregated \$4,375,250 for the two years since our last report, or an average of \$2,187,625 for each year.

A long list of Junior and Intermediate societies report gifts of over \$100 each, and still longer list of Young People's societies report contributions ranging from \$150 to \$1050 each.

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Resort to Forbidden Devices to Make Good Losses Sustained Under Sunday Closing.

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The slot machines were put in operation again last Monday. Sheriff Stevens said yesterday that it is probable the saloon men of St. Johns will attempt to evade the law on the plea that no money is being used in the devices. The Sheriff did not say what action will be taken by his office.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the enforcement of the Sunday law has hit the six St. Johns saloons hard. They pay a license of \$100 each, and Sunday has always been their best day. Some of them, it is said, formerly took in between \$30 and \$50 on the first day of the week. They have all ceased to subscribe for the maintenance of the St. Johns baseball club, giving as a reason that the game was not played on Sunday and at that time the saloons, being closed, derive no benefit.

One or two of the saloons will probably be compelled to go out of business, and it is hinted that another will be compelled, instead of selling liquor over the bar, to sell it in packages only, for which the license is but \$40.

DYNAMITE IN TRANSVAAL

Strike of White Miners Caused by Destructive Explosions.

JOHANNESBURG, July 10.—A series of dynamite outrages occurred last night in the vicinity of mines in which the white workmen are on strike. The Crown Hotel, at Boksburg, and the water main supplying the Simmer and Jack mines were destroyed by explosions, which did much damage and injured several persons.

At about the same time attempts were made, without success, to destroy the shaft and engine-house of the Glesser mine and the shaft of the Modderfontein mine. A feeling of anxiety prevails throughout the district.

C.C.C. A CERTAIN SAFE TREATMENT

Even if mercury and potash could cure Contagious Blood Poison the condition in which these strong minerals leave the system would make the "cure worse than the disease." But they cannot cure the vile disorder; they can only cover up the symptoms for awhile or mask the disease in the system, but as soon as the treatment is left off the hideous symptoms return. Mercury and potash eat out the delicate lining of the stomach and bowels, produce chronic dyspepsia by drying up the gastric juices, cause the teeth to decay, and often completely break down the constitution, and where they are used in large quantities, the bones become affected, while the disease for which one has so long taken this destructive treatment has not been cured. Contagious Blood Poison is a disease it will not do to trifled with. It is a vile, dangerous and destructive disorder. When the blood becomes infected with its virus the mouth and throat ulcerate, hair and eyebrows come out, glands in the neck and groin swell, copper-colored spots appear on the flesh, and in severe cases sores break out on the body, the fingers nails drop off and the sufferer is diseased from head to foot. S. S. S. is the only known antidote for Contagious Blood Poison—the one remedy that is able to get to the root of the disease and force out every particle of the poison so that there are never any signs of its return. It is purely vegetable, made entirely from roots, herbs and barks of known curative value. Instead of leaving bad after-effects as some medicines do, S. S. S. tones up every part of the system and puts every part of the body in perfect health. It will also remove any lingering effects of former mineral treatment while eradicating the poison from the circulation. Special book on the home treatment of this disease and any medical advice desired furnished free to all who write.

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