

FEDERATION ON RECORD

INDORSED AUTONOMY AND TURNED DOWN SOCIALISTS.

President Gompers and Other Officers Re-Elected—Next Convention to Be Held at New Orleans.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 14.—The American Federation of Labor in the last minutes of this afternoon's session put itself on record on two questions which have been agitating the delegates since the convention convened 10 days ago, namely: Trade autonomy and socialism.

The convention took up the greater part of the afternoon in the election of officers. All of the officers were re-elected, as follows: President, Samuel Gompers; first vice-president, James Duncan, of Boston; second vice-president, John Mitchell, of

Second—We hold that the interests of the home-trade movement will be promoted by closing the industry, and by expending to make any radical departure from this fundamental principle, we declare that, as a general proposition, the interests of the workers will be best conserved by adhering as closely to that doctrine as the recent great changes in methods of production and employment make practicable.

Third—The American Federation of Labor, being a voluntary association, cannot direct and should not adopt methods antagonistic to or in conflict with established trade union laws, and in order to carry the above recommendations into effect, and in full recognition of its logical position, the American Federation of Labor pledges its offices to aid and assist in the adjustment of such craft encroachments as the disputants may be willing to submit to its arbitration.

The failure of the socialist delegates to attack the substitute resolution was the surprise of the day. The socialists, declining to take up the discussion, explained that the convention had so much business to dispose of in the limited time at its disposal, that they would not seize the opportunity at this time to show that socialism could cure the ills of humanity.

The aims and desires and aspirations of trades unionists comprise all that is necessary or possible to the welfare of the human family, and in the pursuit or accomplishment of which we cheerfully accept and, in fact, desire all the assistance which can be given our movement by those reform forces which stand for the betterment of mankind.

It is true, nevertheless, that in furtherance of our claim, namely, that our principles comprise the fullest and highest scope of human activity and from time to time will be advanced in accordance with the demand of human needs.

PRICES WERE DEPRESSED

STRINGENCY OF MONEY WEIGHED HEAVILY ON STOCKS.

Money Market Hardened by Gold Exports and Grain and Cotton Speculation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Operators in the stock market placed a favorable interpretation upon today's bank statement and bought stocks briskly after its appearance. As prices rose over last night's level, heavy selling to realize was encountered, which carried prices back from the best.

Previously to the bank statement the market was dull and hesitating and governed largely by the erratic fluctuations in Amalgamated Copper. That stock opened with running sales of 2000 shares at 65 1/2 to 66, compared with 66 1/2 at last night's close. It declined to 64, breaking

MONUMENT TO ROBERT FULTON



ERECTED IN TRINITY CHURCHYARD, NEW YORK CITY. The American Society of Mechanical Engineers unveiled, on December 5, the Robert Fulton memorial at Trinity churchyard, New York City.

NEW YORK BANKS

Relief in the Money Market is Expected This Week.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—It is expected that there will be some relief in the money market during the current week through the payment by the Treasury of the January interest due by the Government. From experience, however, not much improvement probably will be made by these payments, which will amount to about \$1,000,000 at New York.

A movement which has begun to be important is the withdrawal of new coins, gold as well as silver, from the Subtreasury for holiday presents. Such withdrawals last week amounted to about \$250,000, and it is likely that the volume will increase this week.

The market for the fairer large sales of unmatured bonds, and the payment by the Subtreasury of these securities amounted to \$2,865,000. The checks were collected over the counter of the institution, and the proceeds might be made immediately available.

At a pre-Boer meeting at Vienna, Chamberlain was denounced in abusive language. The military special, with 270 Westerners, on their way to South Africa, left Winnipeg yesterday.

The Crown Princess Sophia, wife of Crown Prince Constantine, gave birth to a son at Athens.

The report of the opening of the Manchurian railway to traffic is declared as false in correct.

Charles S. Dean, Harvard's football coach of last year, was married at Las Vegas, N. M., to Miss Katherine Wood.

Henry Backus, a Toledo, O., man, filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities amounting to \$96,000 and no assets.

A movement has been set on foot in Odessa to encourage Russian trade with France, Great Britain, Belgium and Switzerland.

Two men are dead and two others are at the point of death at Beverly, Mass., from the effects of drinking wood alcohol.

McGovern-Sullivan is willing to referee the fight between McGovern and Sullivan, providing he is free from other engagements at the time.

Richard Croker, with a party of friends, has gone to West Baden, Ind., where he will be the guest for a week of David Gleason.

The London Pall Mall Gazette says it is inclined to credit the rumor that the United States Steel Corporation is trying to get control of the Nickel Incorporation.

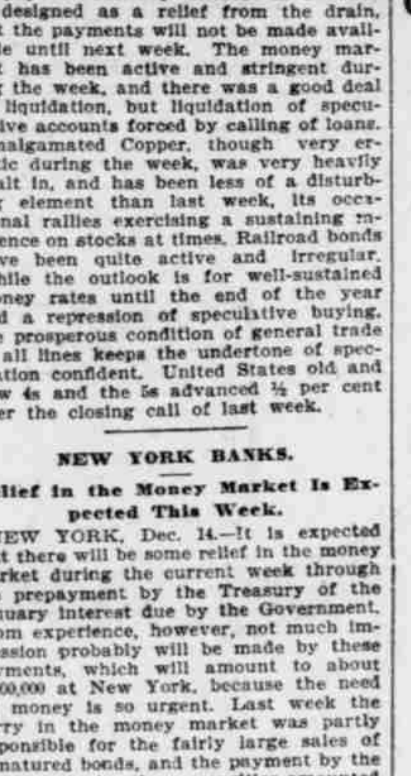
Judge McClellan, at Butte, sentenced Patrick Hayes to 90 years in the penitentiary for the murder of William G. McCain. The crime was done in cold blood, Hayes lying in wait for his victim.

Two masked men entered the Chicago Club, at Hot Springs, and at the point of pistols compelled Henry Turner to deliver a roll of the amounting to \$500. Then they rid the money drawers of \$100.

The Eagles of the Pagoda. Anglo-American Magazine. We reached the top of the hill at 11:15, in time to see the two eagles for which the place is named. At about 11:20 the priest, a Pandaram, ascended a slightly elevated rock in the vicinity of the temple, and, facing the east, prostrated himself.

PERUNA PROTECTS THE FAMILY

Coughs and Colds Grip and Catarrh



The Roberts Family, of Falls City, Neb., Are Healthy and Happy—A Rare Sight in These Days. They Say, "We Think Peruna is the Greatest Medicine on Earth."

No man is better known in the State of Nebraska than Mr. Carl T. Roberts, contractor and mason. A typical American—active, shrewd and full of business sagacity. He is not only a provider for his family, but a protector. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman he writes, among other things, as follows:

"Our boy, James, had the membranous croup, and after he had recovered he was subject to repeated attacks of lung fever.

"Our boy, Charlie, was also subject to attacks of pneumonia and pleurisy. Our third boy, John, was subject to fever and ague (malarial) and liver trouble.

"Your remedy, Peruna, cured my boys entirely, and now I have three of the healthiest boys in the State of Nebraska, which I attribute to your medicine. My wife had stomach trouble, which Peruna also cured.

"Although for my whole family we have had 19 bottles of Peruna, and have thus saved over \$500 in doctor's bills.

"I am a contractor and mason by trade, and am known all over Nebraska. I have had a stomach trouble which has been greatly relieved by your remedy, Peruna, for which I am still taking it. We think it is the greatest medicine on earth.

"Falls City, Nebraska." C. T. ROBERTS.

Mr. T. G. Walker, Carneiro, Kan., writes: "It is with pleasure that I report that I am better than I have been for many years. I believe Peruna is without a doubt the best medicine that was ever used in a family. It has cured my

We observed the eagles perched accurately. The birds have white bodies and white wings. Their necks and talons are yellow. The priest tells me that there were three cross marks on their foreheads, which none of us was able to notice. They are good-sized birds and appear to be quite young.

The British Medical Association is sitting at Cheltenham, and on Wednesday some very interesting facts were brought forward as to the position of the wounded in naval battles. Owing to the alterations in the structure of the ships, the old arrangements under which the wounded were at once carried down to the cockpit cannot be continued, and, in the opinion of Fleet Surgeon C. Kirker, the most numerous course, now adopted both by the French and Japanese, is to leave the wounded on the deck, where they are until the action is over and men can be spared to carry them down in ambulances, which it will take some mechanical skill to devise.

A light sleigh on runners of his own device is now being tested previous to approval. The wounded are as safe on deck for a short time as elsewhere, and modern wounds do not cause dangerous loss of blood. It is essential, however, that each ship should have an operating room, which at present is not included in the accepted designs. It appears that the general health of sailors in warships is good, iron being much better than wood for sanitation, but some improvements are

PERUNA KEPT IN THE HOUSE FOR FIVE YEARS.

Mr. Albert Liezmann, 1536 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes: "I am only too glad to inform you that my wife, who had been suffering for five years from a severe case of catarrh of the bladder, and who had been treated by the best physicians, and who had spent a great deal of money, was cured by your medicine, Peruna, in a few days."

Mr. J. H. Billings, Tyngsboro, Ark., writes: "My wife and my little boy 6 years old and myself have been using your medicine. I was broken down and my wife had catarrh. I never saw anything like Peruna for a strength producer and appetizer."

Mr. J. Walden, of Jamestown, N. Y., writes as follows to Dr. Hartman: "Peruna is curing my wife of female trouble, and we both declare Peruna to be the greatest medicine on earth and it will always be a household remedy with us."

"Before taking your treatment I had not done a day's work for 12 weeks."

As soon as the value of Peruna is fully appreciated by every household, both as a preventive and cure of these affections, tens of thousands of lives will be saved, and hundreds of thousands of chronic, lingering cases of disease prevented. Peruna is a household safeguard.

A complete work on chronic catarrh sent free to any address by the Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, O.

Walking out with him one day when they met a poor grey woman. The Englishman addressed her in Hungarian, and she answered in the usual disdainful way. He changed his language, however, and spoke a word or two in an unknown tongue. The woman's face brightened up in an instant, and she replied in the most passionate, eager way, and after some conversation dragged him away almost with her.

The English gentleman visited a number of their most private gatherings, and was received everywhere as one of them. He did more good among them, all said, than all the laws over them, or the benevolent efforts for them of the last half century. They described his appearance—his tall, lank, muscular form, and mentioned that he had been much in Spain, and I saw that it must be that most ubiquitous of travelers, Mr. Borrow.

Smallpox at Boston. BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Twelve new cases of smallpox have been discovered here during the past 24 hours.

Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it. It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood.

It may then produce irregularity of the stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarrh, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous eruption or glandular swelling.

It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on

Hood's Sarsaparilla. The best of all medicines for all humors.

Advertisement for A.C. Feldenheimer's Christmas Goods. Features include: 'Never Before' display of varied, beautiful and up-to-date holiday gifts; 'Special Lines' of Patek-Phillippe watches, Hawkes' cut glass, Rookwood pottery, French art ivory, French enameled ware, and art nouveau jewelry; and 'We Cannot Go Into Details' of beautiful, varied, and valuable stock of jewelry. The ad includes the company name, 'A.C. Feldenheimer, Diamond Merchants and Manufacturing Jewelers', and the address, 'On the Cor. of Third and Washington Sts., Portland, Ore.'.