

GOMPERS CHOSEN LABOR HEAD AGAIN

Second Vice-President John Mitchell Voluntarily Retires From Office.

DEMONSTRATION IS GIVEN

During Closing Hours of American Federation Session Socialist Vote Is Tested and Found Lacking.

1914 Meet in Philadelphia.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 22.—The American Federation of Labor adjourned tonight after electing officers and choosing Philadelphia as the site of its next convention, which will assemble on the second Monday of November, 1914.

The officers chosen are: President, Samuel Gompers; first vice-president, James Duncan; second vice-president, James O'Connor; third vice-president, Denis A. Hayes; fourth vice-president, Joseph P. Valentine; fifth vice-president, John A. Alpine; sixth vice-president, John P. White; seventh vice-president, John P. White; eighth vice-president, John P. White; ninth vice-president, John P. White; tenth vice-president, John P. White.

In this list are only two new men, White and Duffy. Second Vice-President John Mitchell and fifth vice-president William D. Huber retired voluntarily.

For delegates to the British Trade Union Congress W. D. Mahon, international president of the Brotherhood of Street and Electric Railway Employees, was elected, over Councilman F. Wheeler, of Los Angeles, by a vote of 14,693 to 3,884. John Mitchell nominated Mahon and Wheeler's vote was looked upon as a test of Socialist strength.

For second delegate to the British Trade Union Congress Matthew Wolf, of the Photo Engravers' Association, was unanimously elected. Mortimer Donoghue, of Butte, was chosen delegate to the Canadian Trade and Labor Congress.

A conference of delegates was held last night at which it was agreed to place John P. White on the executive board, as John Mitchell had desired. This removed all talk of opposition to Gompers.

The election of Gompers today was unanimous, except that William Knerr, delegate of the Utah Federation of Labor, asked to be recorded in opposition. As he had been instructed to vote so. His declaration was received with jeers. There was a great demonstration when Gompers was declared elected.

Attendance Sets Record. President Gompers closed the convention with an address in which he said no former convention had been so largely attended by delegates and visitors. He announced that the executive council would meet in Seattle Monday; that he would leave for San Francisco next Tuesday and that he wished to meet representatives of the union involved in the electric strike at Labor Council headquarters, San Francisco, Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

The most important act of the convention was a declaration for political action, but saying the time was not yet ripe for the formation of a party. There was long cheering while Mr. Mitchell went to the platform and shook hands with Gompers.

Equal Suffrage Indorsed. The convention unanimously adopted a resolution favoring enfranchisement of women. Other resolutions adopted were: Requesting the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations to investigate labor conditions on the Illinois Central Railroad and the Harriman system.

Expressing sympathy with the strikers in Dublin. Condemning the effort to introduce a piecework system in Navy-yards. Favoring the lending of postal savings deposits to individual borrowers directly.

Requesting the executive council to cause an investigation of charges that certain lands of electric companies were obtained from the Government by fraud and if proof of fraud is obtained that the President and Congress be asked to take steps for restoration of such lands to the public domain and restitution by the companies. Asking the Senate to pass the Hetch-Hetchy bill for a water supply for San Francisco.

Demanding self-government for the District of Columbia. Instructing the executive council to examine existing vagrancy laws and pending labor legislation and to prepare a uniform bill for state legislatures, safeguarding the rights and welfare of the unemployed.

Indorsing the regular Government League and requesting affiliated bodies to join it. The building trades department of the Federation will meet in session in Seattle most of next week.

ELECTION PAY TO BE CUT

Tacoma Commission Plans Ordinance Reducing Clerk Salaries.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—The City Commission has decided to reduce the pay of election judges and clerks in Tacoma to curtail the cost of future elections. The City Attorney is preparing an ordinance fixing the compensation of election officials. Judges and clerks will get \$3 a day and the inspector, who has to get the ballot box and bring it back, will receive \$4. This will cut the expense of each election precinct \$9 and will save \$727 on each election.

Heretofore there has been no ordinance fixing pay of election officials, but they have been paid \$3 a day by common consent by both city and county.

R. S. HOPKINS DIVORCED

Girl Won by Seattle Man in Romantic Courtship Gets Divorce.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Ralph S. Hopkins, Seattle capitalist and chairman, has been divorced by Agnes V. Hopkins, the beautiful Superior, Wis., girl whom he married October 14, 1902. The decree, signed by Judge John E. Humphries on October 30, was entered this morning in the records of the Superior Court.

month permanent alimony. A 4-year-old boy was awarded to his father.

The couple were married under rather romantic circumstances. She was in Seattle on a visit when Ralph Hopkins met her. He immediately began courting her, followed her back to Superior and finally won her there. Her complaint for divorce alleged that the union was not a happy one from the start.

Hopkins has property holdings in Seattle valued at \$250,000, a part of which, under the decree of the court, has been set apart for the maintenance of the children.

FINGERPRINTS AID MAN

Chinese Suspected of Portland Murder Exonerated in Seattle.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Finger prints have exonerated a murder suspect held in the Spokane City Jail.

Hoey Lee Young, a Chinese, 40 years old, was arrested Thursday night by Detectives in the Oriental quarter near Trent avenue. The officers said the suspect fitted the description of a Chinese wanted in Portland, Or., for the murder of a fellow countryman last March. Young so closely resembled a photograph of the alleged murderer that it was not until the finger prints were brought to use that the police were convinced that they were mistaken.

Finger Print Expert Turner mea-

MOTHER'S JOY RARE

Mrs. Sarah Davidson Attends Daughter's Golden Wedding.

PARENT IS 89, CHILD IS 70

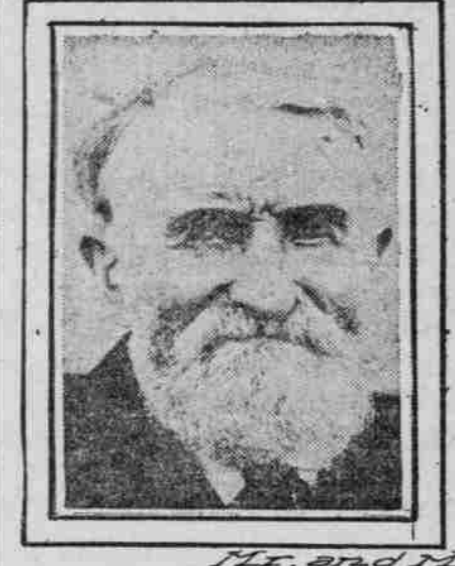
Happy Husband and Wife of 50 Years, All Passed in Oregon, Are Surrounded by Seven Children and 25 Grandchildren.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Not often is given to a mother the privilege of attending the golden wedding celebration of her own daughter, but that pleasure was Mrs. Sarah P. Davidson's at Lebanon last Tuesday when she attended the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Murphy. Mrs. Davidson is 89 years old and her daughter is 70.

With all of their seven children and 25 of their 26 grandchildren present, the happy occasion was one long to be remembered. The presence of the golden wife's mother was the occasion for numerous felicitations and about 75 friends gathered for the event. An appropriate dinner featured the reunion.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Murphy are Oregon settlers of 1853. They came from Indiana the same year, but not in the same wagon train. Mrs. Murphy settled with her parents near Halsey, Linn County, and Mr. Murphy located near Independence in Polk County. Mr. Murphy is 75 years old.

The children present at the golden wedding were: Mrs. William L. Wells, of Halsey, wife of ex-County Judge Wells, of Polk County; John Murphy, of Buel, Idaho; O. T. Murphy, of Independence; Mrs. A. M. Rayburn, of Othello, Wash.; Mrs. Kate Cooper, of Sherwood, Or.; Mrs. C. J. Dickman, of Vancouver, Wash.; and C. H. Murphy, of Lebanon.



Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Murphy.

ured the tiny whorls and ridges of Young's digits and compared them with those of the man wanted, which had been furnished on a circular from Portland. They failed to correspond and the prisoner will be tried for vagrancy.

MUTE SUES FOR DIVORCE

Instructor in School for Deaf Says Wife Deserted Him.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Although neither had heard the other's voice since their marriage, June 2, 1909, a young couple of this city district, and the wife, Cecyl Hunter, has deserted her husband William S. Hunter, an instructor at the State School for the Deaf in this city. Hunter filed suit for divorce today on the ground of desertion.

Both were employees at the school. Hunter alleges in his complaint that his wife deserted him June 7, 1912. He asks to be declared sole owner of certain property he had paid for before his marriage.

T. M. THOMPSON IS DEAD

Durkee Stockman Is Latest Victim of Pneumonia.

BAKER, Or., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—T. M. Thompson, 56 years old, a stockman of Durkee and one of the wealthiest retired ranchers of this district, died here today from pneumonia. Mr. Thompson, like many others who have been stricken with pneumonia in Baker recently, was well until a few days before his death. Doctors announced today that not in years has there been so much pneumonia here.

Scores of persons are ill in the hospitals, and in the last month health records show that more than half the deaths have been caused by pneumonia.

WIFE STAYS WITH PARENT

Chicago Judge Rules Hussy Cannot Have 17-Year-Old Bride.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—A disorderly charge against Mrs. Mary G. Murphy, brought by Ross Shaffer, who complained she was forcibly restraining his girl wife, was dismissed by Municipal Judge Sullivan at the South Chicago court.

Philippines Prohibit Slavery.

MANILA, Nov. 22.—The Philippine Commission today passed the anti-slavery law adopted on November 13 by the Philippine National Assembly. Only a few amendments were made and these were introduced merely for the purpose of obviating legal defects in the measure as passed by the Assembly.

ROSEBURG MAN WINS BRIDE, DAUGHTER OF WILBUR RESIDENT



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Quine.

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—A simple wedding, in which two of Douglas County's prominent young people were the principals, took place at the parsonage of the local Methodist Episcopal Church this morning, when Kenneth Quine and Miss Hilda Brown were united in marriage. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. A. R. Maclean and was witnessed by Sheriff and Mrs. George K. Quine, parents of the bridegroom, and Miss Kittle Brown, sister of the bride. Following a wedding ceremony the party repaired to the Umpqua Hotel, where a delicious breakfast was served in honor of the "newly-weds." The happy couple left for Portland. Mr. Quine is employed as salesman in a local store. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown, of Wilbur, and has made her home here for some time.

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These Specials from the complete new stock of Drapery Materials. IN THE POPULAR SUNDOUR FABRICS. Special, 45c Yard for new Sundour Curtain materials, one yard wide and in the wanted shades of dark blue, yellow, brown, green, gold, pink, mulberry, light blue and light green. Regular price 75c yard. Special, \$1.15 Yard for the \$1.50 yard Sundour materials, 50 inches wide. In plain and figured two-tone effects. IN CURTAIN MADRAS. Special, 18c Yard for 35c yard figured cream Madras, 40 inches wide. Special, 45c Yard for 50c yard figured cream Madras, 50 inches wide. A Good Quality Jacquard Wilton Rug. Size 9x12 ft. \$37.50 at the Special. A most serviceable and slightly rug in design, color and fabric. Made on the same loom as the very finest Wilton rugs. Several patterns to select from and all of them new. Special, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at \$37.50. See window display of the latest things in Dainty Bedroom and Bathroom Rugs. All the popular sizes in these shown in the Carpet Department, Second Floor. Just Received, Direct From Paris—a large and varied selection of Furist Linen, the New Drapery and Upholstery Material. 32 to 50 inches wide—75c to \$4 Yard. Fifth and Stark J. G. Mack & Co. Fifth and Stark

HIGHER FARE REQUESTED UNITED RAILWAYS ASKS RIGHT TO INCREASE RATES ON LINE. Service From Portland to Wilkesboro Now Being Operated at Loss Says Appeal to Commission. SALEM, Or., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Declaring that its loss for the fiscal year ending June 30, last, was \$126,000, the United Railways Company today filed an application with the State Railroad Commission for an increase in rates on its line from Portland to Wilkesboro. When the company obtained a franchise to lay its tracks on the Linton road by the Multnomah County Court in 1903, it was stipulated that the fare between Portland and Linton should be not more than 5 cents. After the line was built the company attempted to charge 15 cents from the Portland station at Second and Stark streets to Linton. There was no legal question as to its right to charge 5 cents from the station in Portland to the city limits, but the Circuit Court held that it could not charge a fare of more than 10 cents from the station to Linton. The company avers that the fare is unremunerative and that when the franchise was granted by the County Court, no one had a knowledge of what rates would be reasonable. It says in the application, "The order of the Court was imprudently without proper regard to the public interests or a fair return for the service." The following schedule of rates is asked: Between station in Portland to shops, 5 cents; 10 cents from station to Stockdale and Willbridge, including stations between; 15 cents from Portland station to Webster and Linton; 30 cents to Burlington instead of 25 cents as at present charged. 60 cents to North Plains and 70 cents to Wilkesboro. MINISTER IS FATALLY HURT Pastor Victim of Crash of Auto and Buggy—Wife Injured. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—V. N. Thorne, a Swedish Lutheran minister, died from a fractured skull last night half an hour after he and his wife were thrown from their buggy on Summit View road about 9 o'clock. Their horse ran when a grocer's automobile delivery wagon, driven by a boy, bumped into the buggy from the rear. The Rev. Mr. Thorne walked to a nearby house, but died soon after being taken to the hospital. His wife had both arms broken.

A Thanksgiving With or Without Music, Which? CHRISTMAS PIANOS. Three carloads just received—350 pianos for \$195; \$10 cash, \$6 monthly. \$650 player pianos, \$295; \$15 cash, \$10 monthly, at Graves Music Co. removal sale. 111 Fourth street.—Adv. FRUITOLA and TRAXO. These natural fruit oils and juices not only completely cleanse the system but they give strength and tone to the mucous lining and muscular walls of the stomach and bowels. They put the spring in the step, the sparkle in the eye, the rose on the cheek and the smiles in the face. They not only relieve you but they will keep you free from sick headache, biliousness, constipation, liver complaint, and many users testify that they have relieved gall stones and appendicitis. All this is quite natural because FRUITOLA and TRAXO will bring about a perfect digestion and assimilation of the food you eat. Do it now—end your suffering. Be well, efficient and happy. Fruitola and Traxo are sold by nearly all druggists. If your druggist does not have them, write to us direct and we will see that you are supplied. A free booklet telling about the wonderful properties of these preparations and the testimony of relieved thousands may be had for the asking, at the drug store or direct from our laboratories. PINUS MEDICINE CO., LOS ANGELES, CAL. For Sale by The Owl Drug Co., Portland, Oregon.

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