

Boss Gompers' Collapse.

One of the interesting features of the canvass was the extinction of Samuel Gompers as a political boss. As head of the American Federation of labor, Gompers made an assault on the republican party in the campaign because the party refused to pass some of the bills which Gompers urged. He was particularly wrathful because the anti-injunction bill failed to pass. He sent out letters to every member of congress asking how he stood on various issues which Gompers pretended were in the interest of organized labor. In nearly every case the answers which came from republican congressmen were against Gompers' programme. Many republicans ignored Gompers' letters altogether.

For these reasons the federation boss declared war on the republican party. Gompers made a personal campaign against Littlefield, of Maine, who was particularly outspoken against the anti-injunction bill. Maine voted in September, and Gompers, in his stumping of the 2nd Maine congressional district, boasted that he would make an example of Littlefield which would strike terror into the republicans in the election in November. Littlefield was re-elected. Littlefield and his democratic opponent, McGillicuddy, said that Gompers' speeches made votes for Littlefield. Gompers fought Jenkins of Wisconsin the chairman of the house judiciary committee, in the primary and at the polls. Jenkins won an easy victory in each case. Gompers fought Cannon, Barthold, Longworth and many other republicans who refused to obey his orders. All these men were re-elected.

The Art of Losing.

For every winner in a political contest there is a loser, each with a following to share the experience. Nearly 400 men were elected to congress recently and are receiving congratulations, while their supporters jolly and enjoy the incense of victory. In the background are another 400 who lost in the race, and who, with their party, study the causes of their reverse, and console themselves as far as they can with the views of philosophy. This spirit of manly acceptance is characteristic of the great republic, who have the intelligence to see that the ballot, unless the judgment rendered by it command respect and obedience, is a mockery. It is right here that the Latin republics meet with so many difficulties. Elections are held, but often the minority, finding the ballots against them, resort to revolution. Cuba has lately furnished an example of losers so bad that they argued themselves and virtually destroyed their government. The United States would have perished long ago if the losers had not bowed to the majesty of the ballot. A voter who assails it is as much his own enemy as that of his political adversary. He attacks the sovereignty of every citizen when, after going into an election, he repudiates the decision unless it is what he wishes.

Elections are frequent in the United States and losers have not long to wait until they can submit a cause anew. If it is good, they need have no fear, since nothing is settled until settled right. Many of the most momentous issues have had small and discouraging beginnings and yet at length forced their way to just conclusions. A loser is not necessarily in the wrong, and has no reason to despair or even to doubt if he has an honest faith. A political defeat calls for re-examination. An unworthy issue will eventually drop out by a sort of tacit abandonment. One that has vital merit will not down it though it suffer neglect and rebuffs for a generation. Therefore, political victories and defeats are relative terms. Give the ballot time and it will straighten out what is wrong, but it must be the ballot of honesty and recognized supremacy. A party that tampers with it is doomed, no matter what hollow advantages may be obtained for a season.

The most prominent loser in the election of last week is a rank demagogue, one of the kind admitted to be of a type dangerous to any republic. He has debased everything he has touched—politics, party honor and the press. A man of vast wealth, he applies it to schemes of public upheaval for his personal aggrandizement, appealing to the lowest elements in the haunts where they are most densely congregated. It is said that he made a great run. But he met with something greater than all the powers of evil he could muster by the lavish use

of millions. As a matter of fact, he is the worst embodiment of what he pretends to be combating, the plutocrat, using his great means for purely selfish ends. He was overthrown by the common sense of the American people. For a loser such as he there is only obliteration. He is a pretender, a living falsehood, a leader who degrades and would destroy. He will not be the last of the demagogues, nor will his associates and imitators, but they have just learned a lesson they will not forget.—Globe Democrat.

Kidnap Teachers.

A news telegram from Pierre, S. D., says: "All other means of inducing women school-teachers to come to South Dakota having failed, the directors of rural districts, where the school houses have been locked since September 1, have resorted to kidnaping, and already two young women have been victims of the practice. "Two teachers were sadly needed in the northern part of Beadle county, in neighborhoods where the farmers are prosperous and wanted their children in school. Last week the school directors learned that Misses Stella Meade and Alice M. Pound, together with a number of other teachers, who had been assigned positions in different parts of the county, would arrive at Huron. They boarded the Great Northern train at Cavour and found the teachers. After some conversation the directors insisted that the two young women get off at Cavour. Half against their will, Misses Meade and Pound left the train at Cavour, though it afterward developed that they were assigned to other schools. They were driven to the two school districts, taken to two of the best homes, given the best room in them and their first month's pay in advance. Monday morning they opened the school-houses and went to work. "County Superintendent Du Bois has protested, but the farmers are laughing at him and declare they will fight in the courts to retain possession of the teachers. They have offered to pay the teachers so well and do so many other things to make them comfortable that the young women are taking the matter philosophically."

A Year of Blood.

The year 1903 will long be remembered in the home of F. N. Tackett, of Alliance, Ky., as a year of blood; which flowed so copiously from Mr. Tackett's lungs that death seemed very near. He writes: "Severe bleeding from the lungs and a frightful cough had brought me at death's door, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, after taking four bottles I was completely restored and as time has proven permanently cured." Guaranteed for Sore Lungs, Coughs and Cold, at Chas. I. Clough's Drug Store. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Features of Peary's Dash.

Later messages from Commander Peary to President Jessup of the Peary Arctic club, told how he had reached Hopedale, Labrador, and was having his steamer, the Roosevelt, repaired and ballasted. The return voyage from the farthest north point even reached by a human being had been one of incessant struggle with ice floes, storms and head winds. Two rudders, sternpost, two blades of the propeller, four top masts, sparker boom and one boat had been carried away, and they had been obliged to use interior portions of the ship to keep the fires going after the coal supply was exhausted. Peary also announced his purpose to make another attempt to reach the pole after getting fresh supplies and making repairs. His dash was impeded by several tons of dog meat spoiling, and the loss of other supplies by breaking of ice. Mrs. Peary, who started with her son to meet the explorer, at Sydney or farther north, said no words could express her elation and happiness over the fact that her husband was "the hero of the most successful polar expedition in the history of the world."

One important scientific result of this expedition is the explosion of the theory arose from the observation of peculiar floe ice in the ocean north of Grantland by the British expedition under Capt. Nares in 1876. Hence the name of this part of the Arctic ocean, which means a sea of ancient ice. It was thought that it was covered with an expanse of enormously thick ice and that the sea was shallow, the floes resting on the bottom. Peary found the floe ice thick, but not of the ancient variety supposed by Nares. The ice as a sledge route failed him utterly, as it broke up into big and little islands under an unusually mild winter. Peary and his party saved their lives by converting eight dogs into food.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russia-Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, have singled their roofs in dry weather. The virtue of preparation was made history and given to us our last great war. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand for instant use. For sale by Chas. I. Clough's Drug Store.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a general election will be held at the City Hall in Tillamook City, Oregon, on Monday, December 3, 1906, for the election of the following officers of said City: Mayor. One councilman from the first ward. One councilman " " second " One councilman " " third " One councilman " " fourth " One councilman " " fifth " Recorder, Treasurer, City Marshal. One water commissioner; from second ward. One water commissioner at large. For an amendment to the charter of Tillamook city, submitted by Ordinance of the Common Council, to be known as Article XII. Polls will be open from nine o'clock a. m. to twelve o'clock m., and from one o'clock p. m. to four o'clock p. m. The following named persons have been appointed judges of said election: C. N. Drew, Geo. P. Wilt, Alex. Watt. The following named persons have been appointed clerks of said election: T. B. Handley, Walter Baker. By order of the Common Council, Tillamook, Oregon, November 19th, 1906.

J. C. Holden, City Recorder of Tillamook City, Oregon.

Notice.

A general Caucus for the nomination of a city ticket will be held at the Opera House Saturday evening, the 24th of November, at 8 o'clock sharp.

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance to Provide for the submission to the Legal Voters of Tillamook City, in Tillamook County, State of Oregon, and amendment to the Charter of said city, being An Act Entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Tillamook City, in Tillamook County, State of Oregon, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Oregon, February 13th, 1893, adding to said Charter a new Article to be known as Article XII.

The People of Tillamook City do or do as follows:

Section 1. That at the city election to be held in Tillamook City, Oregon, on Monday, December 3rd, A. D., 1906 there shall be submitted to the legal voters of said Tillamook City an amendment to the Charter of said City, being an act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Tillamook City, in Tillamook County, State of Oregon, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," filed in the office of the Secretary of State of Oregon, February 13th, 1893, to be known as Article XII, and to read as follows:

ARTICLE XII. In addition to the power to levy and collect taxes for the purpose of paying interest on water bonds and to create a sinking fund therefor, the Common Council of Tillamook City shall have power to levy and collect an annual tax for the purposes of defraying the expenses of said city and of paying its general indebtedness, not to exceed five mills upon the dollar upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of said city. Section 2. The City Recorder is hereby ordered and cause to be printed on the official ballots to be used at the said election as mentioned in section 1 of this ordinance, in addition to the other matters required by law, the following: Vote Yes or No.

50 Yes 51 No

For an Amendment to the Charter of Tillamook City, submitted by Ordinance of the Common Council, to be known as Article XII. Section 3. If a majority of the votes cast by the legal voters at said election upon said amendment shall be cast in favor thereof, then said amendment shall thereupon be and become a part of the Charter of said Tillamook City.

The Two Sides.

TO THE EDITOR TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT. Two men were looking at a railroad sign. One said it was red, the other white. One was looking on one side, the other on the other side.

Salvation is presented as a reward and as a gift, and it all depends on which side we stand. "The wages of sin is death." Why did not the writer keep on and say that life was the reward of righteousness? It would naturally imply that, but he did not. He said, "But the gift of God is eternal life."

There is but one way to avoid an end less confusion, and that is to settle the question whether we seek a reward or the gift. The reward is "through Jesus Christ our Lord." The man who seeks a reward has it all to do. The one who seeks the gift does nothing. He merely accepts the gift through the giver.

It was very perplexing to the son who remained at home and worked all his life to see the prodigal come and to enjoy all of the best of the good things without stint or measure. Who would not persuade a young man to be in, dustrious, saving and virtuous, and to

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acquire all the good traits of manhood, as though his life depended upon it. Yet we cannot hold up the gift of God without denouncing self-righteousness as an impossibility. Every nurseryman cultivates a tree that he knows will bear natural or worthless fruit unless he buds or grafts it. So we teach a boy to hope for a bright reward, which we know that eternal life can only be acquired as a gift. What we do or don't do is not brought in question. How that the vilest trifling man can come into possession of the great storehouse of God as a free gift, and on the other side no man is able to meet the demands of God to merit a reward can only be ascribed to the glory of God. J. C. GOVE.

For Sale, several hundred shares of American Forester and Hurst Switch stock at low prices. We buy and sell mining stocks. We are in the market for timber lands. McCUSKER KEADY INVESTMENT CO., 307 Failing Building, Portland Oregon

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ELLA T. EDMUNSON, of Eugene, county of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 7048, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Sec. 4, Tp. 12 N., R. 10 W., and 1/2 of Sec. 5, Tp. 12 N., R. 10 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906. He names as witnesses: L. K. Edmondson, of Eugene, Oregon; Lillian Travis, of Eugene, Oregon; W. C. Bailey, of Tillamook, Oregon; Walter Baker, of Tillamook, Oregon.

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JAMES P. KIRBY, of Tillamook, county of Tillamook, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7046, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Section No. 28, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 8 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906. He names as witnesses: Thomas E. Kirby, of Tillamook, Oregon; K. G. Staples, of Tillamook, Oregon; W. L. Snyder, of Tillamook, Oregon; W. H. West, of Tillamook, Oregon.

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EMMA M. TRAVIS, of Eugene, county of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 7047, for the purchase of the Lots 10, 11, 12 of Section 6, Township No. 12 N., Range No. 10 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906. She names as witnesses: L. K. Edmondson, of Eugene, Oregon; Lillian Travis, of Eugene, Oregon; W. C. Bailey, of Tillamook, Oregon; Ella T. Edmondson, of Eugene, Oregon.

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NELLIE E. CARVEY, of Tillamook, county of Tillamook, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 7072, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Sec. 14 and 1/2 of Sec. 15, Tp. No. 1 North, Range No. 7 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906. She names as witnesses: Wm. Illingworth, of Wilson, Oregon; Toby Smith, of Wilson, Oregon; William Ryan, of Tillamook, Oregon; F. F. Fowler, of Tillamook, Oregon.

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BYRON A. EDMUNSON, of Eugene, county of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7047, for the purchase of the Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, of Section No. 5, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 8 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906. He names as witnesses: L. K. Edmondson, of Eugene, Oregon; Lillian Travis, of Eugene, Oregon; W. C. Bailey, of Tillamook, Oregon; Ella T. Edmondson, of Eugene, Oregon.

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GEORGE M. MILLER, of Republic, county of Peary, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7045, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Sec. 14, Section 13 and 1/2 of Sec. 14 and N 1/2 of Sec. 12, in Tp. No. 1 North, Range No. 10 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Friday the 23rd day of November, 1906. He names as witnesses: Walter Edmondson, of Tillamook, Oregon; James Cox, of Tillamook, Oregon; Leila Beebe, of Republic, Wash.; Nellie Louder, of Warsaw, Illinois.

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WILLIAM H. POWELL, of St. Helens, county of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7053, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Sec. 14, the N 1/2 of the Sec. 15, and the S 1/2 of the Sec. 16, in Township No. 13, in Township No. 10 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Thursday, the 6th day of December, 1906. He names as witnesses: W. C. Bailey, of Tillamook, Oregon; Eugene Hunsinger, of Tillamook, Oregon; W. M. Easter, Tillamook, Oregon; Frank Eckroff, of Hobsonville, Oregon.

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EMELINE G. WHITE, of Tillamook, county of Tillamook, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 7070, for the purchase of the Lots 18, 19 and 20 of Section No. 6, in Township No. 1 South, Range No. 4 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 15th day of December, 1906. She names as witnesses: John Maginnis, Robert F. Louder, Robert Louden, G. Leffer, W. H. Pettie, Portland, Oregon.

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GUST HOLM, of Astoria, county of Clatsop, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7111, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of Sec. 14, N 1/2 of Sec. 15, and S 1/2 of Sec. 14, Section No. 18, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 8 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver, at Portland, Ore., on Wednesday, the 23 day of January, 1907. He names as witnesses: Wm. H. West, of Tillamook, Oregon; Walter Snyder, Portland, Oregon; King G. Staples, of Tillamook, Oregon; Gilbert D. Stearns, of Portland, Oregon.

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