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Says as Good Men Have Gone to Jail as Any of the Three Convicted of Violating the Buck Stove Injunction—Forefathers Boycotted Tea.

New York, Jan. 30.—As good men have been in jail as any of the three of us. If they want their pound of flesh they will have it, but they'll find no yellow streaks in it.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, told the Ethical Social League at a meeting last night at the East Side parish church and the audience cheered. Mr. Gompers' subject was "Trade Unions and Social Progress," but the greater part of his speech was a defense of the boycott and a guarded arraignment of the court that recently sentenced him to a year in jail.

The Sherman law, Mr. Gompers said, enacted to protect the people from the machinations of great combinations of wealth within nine months has been decided by the supreme court to apply to organizations of men and women. Any member of a labor organization may now be mulcted into heavy damages or sentenced by a federal court to a years imprisonment and a fine of \$5,000.

"It is not absurd to say that there is no difference between combinations of capital and combinations of men and women," Mr. Gompers asked and then he added:

"The trust deals in dead inanimate things. Does it not differ from a body of men who can not separate their labor from their very flesh and blood?"

"If there is to come a better day, is it to come by catapaults, a revolution, or by a quiet, orderly trade union movement? If by legislation or by judicial interpretation of the law, trades unions are to be outlawed, if we are not permitted to carry on our work for special uplift, then what? Labor is not typified by the man with the hoe—it stands erect and demands nothing but justice and equality."

"We have been trying to get legislation that will treat men and women differently from coal and pork and they accuse us of wanting class and special legislation. The words come with poor grace considering the class and special legislation of the last half century. See how easily a great corporation gets rid of a \$29,000,000 fine."

"In regard to the strikes and the boycott, I don't like strikes but a boycott that can bite is safe from many a kick."

"I don't like the boycott. There is not a man, woman or child toward whom I have ill will, but there are some that I won't deal with, some to whom I prefer to give my trade rather than to others. When two or more people agree to do this it is a boycott. Our forefathers wouldn't buy English tea, or buy from those who bought it—talk about secondary boycott. They tell us the boycott is a foreign institution. It is not. It is revolutionary America. From Adam's time it has been a natural weapon of mankind and for a court to throw itself into a spin because the word is not euphonious is."

A Horrible Hold-up.
"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption," writes W. H. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs, and Colds, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Asthma and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Ardmore Pharmacy.

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"I have said and I hope I may retain my sanity to repeat again and again that when it comes to a choice between obeying a court order that infringes the constitution, I shall have no hesitation in upholding the constitutional guarantee. Freedom of speech and the freedom of the press is a natural right. We shall continue to uphold this right and if some men have to bear the consequence, there are others."

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ART AND LIVING.

(By Bonnie E. Snow.)

In the study of art or drawing, as we commonly speak of it, these two aspects, the practical and the aesthetic, or spiritual, are very strongly marked. The children must be taught to draw for the same reason and to the same ends that they are taught to read and spell. They must receive training in the study of form, proportion and color, and they should be taught to set down their ideas of form, proportion and color accurately and well. Every teacher appreciates how great a gift is the ability to sketch rapidly, and the teacher who can do this on the blackboard, to illustrate or to enforce a point which she uses to make with her class has an immense advantage over the teacher of equal mental ability who has not this power. The carpenter or the overseer or supervising foreman who can show by a few lines drawn upon a rough pine board what he wishes constructed, or the manner of its construction is a much more valuable man in the world of industry than he who depends on words alone to convey his meaning. The workman who can understand or can make a working drawing has another language at his command. So it is with the milliner, the dressmaker, and with every worker along industrial lines the ability to draw, to sketch, or to design on paper is always a great advantage, and is often indispensable to success.

But this ability to draw, to sketch, to design or even to paint pictures may be classed among the so-called practical results of a training in art education. Very few of our pupils can attain any great facility as designers or artists, and it may be that very few of them can learn to draw well although I think the percentage of pupils who draw well is constantly increasing under our improved methods of instruction. But there is another result as much greater in value to the American citizen as the enjoyment of good literature is greater than the ability to use grammatical speech, and this result is the ability to perceive and to enjoy beauty. It is in this power to stimulate good taste and to open the faculties of the mind and soul to the appreciation of beauty that art education justifies itself, and in this power it shows an immense ascendancy over any other one study that is included in our scheme of instruction today.

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NAVY REFORM COMES NEXT

THE PRESIDENT ASKS A COMMITTEE TO STUDY OUT SOME REMEDIES.

SAVE AND BUILD MORE SHIPS

Attention to Be Paid to Charges of Political Deals as Well as to Subordinating the Various Bureaus, if Plan is Carried Out.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The president hopes to pave the way for a full reorganization of the navy before he leaves office. In a letter addressed this afternoon to the board of naval experts and ex-secretaries of the navy, which have been at work on the problem, he asks for an investigation of the legislation needed to obtain the requisite consolidation of authority and responsibility. He asks also for an inquiry into the "political navy yards," which are described by George Kibbie Turner in the current issue of McClure's magazine.

Part of this work will be a continuation of what has been in progress several weeks. The rest of it appears to have been inspired by the magazine article and by Senator Hale's efforts to investigate the "political navy yards" by the senate committee on naval affairs, which is itself responsible for them. The Hale investigation naturally would be regarded as farcical by the country. The president's will be the real thing.

It is known that the president regards the most important of the indictments brought by Mr. Turner as in the main correct. He believes that if the navy could be conducted on business and military lines there would be an enormous saving which could be invested in more battle ships. But the pressure for political expedients is heavy and it is held on the president desires the report of an expert board to back him before congress and the country in going after the desired reforms.

The president's letter, a copy of which was sent to each member of the board, follows:

"I have appointed you as a member of a commission to consider certain needs of the navy. The organization of the department is large and such as to bring the best results and there is a failure to coordinate the work of bureaus and to make the department serve the one end for which it was created—that is, the development and handling of a first class fighting fleet. With this proposition in view I will ask you to consider:

"First—All defects in the law under which the navy department is now organized, including especially the defects by which the authority of chiefs of bureaus is made in certain respects practically equal to that of the secretary or the president.

"Second—The division of responsibility and consequent lack of coordination in the preparations for war and conduct of war.

"Third—The functions of certain bureaus, as to see whether it is not possible to consolidate them.

"Fourth—The necessity of providing the secretary of the navy with military advisers, who are responsible to him for co-ordinating the work of the bureaus and for preparation for war.

"Fifth—The necessity for economical allotment and disbursement of appropriations and for a system which will insure strict accountability.

"Sixth—Finally, I want your views as to how best to recognize and emphasize the strictly military character of the navy, so that preparation for war shall be controlled under the secretary by the military branch of the navy, which bears the responsibility for the successful conduct of war operations.

"I wish to have the above subjects considered under two general heads: One—As to the fundamental principles of an organization that will insure an efficient preparation for war in time of peace, a separate report under this head to be submitted at the earliest practicable date. Two—Specific recommendations as to the changes in the present organization that will accomplish this result, the report under this head to be submitted later.

"In addition to the above reports I desire your recommendation as to the number, location and general facilities of the navy yards which are required by strategic considerations in time of war and for maintaining the

fleet in constant readiness for war in time of peace.

"Sincerely yours,

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Announcement of the president's action was entirely unexpected at the navy department. Secretary Newberry appeared to be the most surprised of all. He said he was not aware that the president had taken such action, had not even the letter of appointment addressed to the various members of the commission and did not know the purpose of the letter addressed to him.

A Religious Author's Statement.
For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. For sale by all druggists. d & w

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 30.—A joint meeting of democrats in both houses will be held Monday night when the question of public buildings will come up for consideration. Already lobbyists from the various towns seeking public institutions are arriving in Guthrie. In justice to those towns the majority party will determine the expediency of locating public institutions at this session before aspirants exert themselves and spend money advancing their cause.

The famous school land bill is before the senate. It is provoking quite a discussion. When it gets before the house another fight is expected. Both sides are making determined resistance.

Senator Redwine of McAlester, who would amend the old soldier home bill to "provide separate homes for union and confederate soldiers, is appealing to confederate organizations throughout the state to back him up.

Gov. Haskell today notified the legislature that he has approved the Bryan memorial asking congress to divert Oklahoma's share of the reclamation fund, amounting to six million dollars, to the aid of irrigation and drainage of Oklahoma swamp lands.

A woman suffrage resolution has been introduced by Representative Anthony by request. It provides for a constitutional amendment permitting women to vote in Oklahoma in all elections. Sentiment is decidedly negative.

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If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 531 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

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