

Clubwomen Elect Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, Conservative, President

REGULAR OFFICERS WHO HAVE BEEN ELECTED BY THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR



Federation Casts Its Ballots Two to One Against Radical Suffrage Policy

RESULT OF BATTLE OF BALLOTS

PRESIDENT		
Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, Austin, Texas	556	
Mrs. Philip N. Carpenter, Yonkers, N. Y.	255	
FIRST VICE PRESIDENT		Unanimous
Mrs. L. L. Blankenburg, Philadelphia		
SECOND VICE PRESIDENT		Unanimous
Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, Tipton, Ohio		
RECORDING SECRETARY		Unanimous
Mrs. Harry L. Keefe, Walthill, Neb.		
CORRESPONDING SECRETARY		Unanimous
Mrs. Eugene Reilley, Charlotte, N. C.		
TREASURER		Unanimous
Mrs. John Threadgill, Oklahoma City, Okla.		
AUDITOR		Unanimous
Mrs. Charles Howard McMahon, Salt Lake, Utah		
DIRECTORS (eight chosen)		
Mrs. Grace Julian Clark, Indiana	645	
Mrs. Francis D. Everett, Highland Park, Ill.	642	
Mrs. J. Creighton Mathews, New Orleans	632	
Mrs. William E. Andrews, Washington, D. C.	592	
Mrs. Lucy White Williams, Lapeer, Mich.	547	
Mrs. Frank White, Valley City, N. D.	540	
Mrs. A. S. Christy, Montana	533	
Mrs. William A. Harper, Seattle	528	

The three losing candidates for director were Miss Georgia Bacon of Massachusetts, Mrs. Catherine Carter Warren of New Jersey, and Mrs. Alvin R. Bailey of Massachusetts. The elected officers and directors assume office after the close of the convention this evening.

Pennybacker! Two to one. The conservatives won out. A thousand gloved hands clapped in a soft, ruffling wave of applause pleasing to the ear, and a gentle, subdued cry of ecstasy arose from hundreds of feminine throats last evening when Mrs. Samuel H. Hays, chief teller, announced the election results at the Pavilion in the largest meeting yet held by the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

For nineteen hours three women had kept profoundly the big secret of the result of the election. No one else knew. With throbbing hearts and burning anticipations the supporters of the two candidates gathered early at the Pavilion, crowded into the forward seats and waited and waited, with the minutes seeming to grow into hours, until the time for the revealing of that golden secret.

Pennybacker 556! Carpenter 255!

It certainly was a surprise, for neither Mrs. Pennybacker's supporters nor Mrs. Carpenter's supporters had been confidently sure of the result. The contest had been a most friendly one. Only a trained politician could say with confidence that it had been a fight between conservatives and progressives, for there is really but a shade of difference between the policies of the two women. The biggest issue in the campaign has been that of personality, while the little issues which tagged on behind were those of suffrage and of geography. Mrs. Carpenter is a radical worker for suffrage, and Mrs. Pennybacker, while favoring suffrage, is not ready to brush forward and say, "Now is the time."

REALLY MEANS FOUR YEARS

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, Texas, is the new president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs elected for two years. There is a rule of courtesy in the federation by which all presidents shall hold office for two terms of two years each, and thus Mrs. Pennybacker will be president from 1912 to 1916.

Mrs. Pennybacker received great support from the western clubwomen because "expansion" entered the campaign. The western women were decided that a western woman should be the executive officer of the federation during the Panama-Pacific exposition, and so this injected another slight issue into the campaign.

CLUBWOMEN AT LUNCHEON

Members of College Equal Suffrage League Entertain Sisters of Federation

The members of the College Equal Suffrage League entertained their non-franchised sisters of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at a luncheon in the Norman room of the Fairmont yesterday at noon, and heard from the strangers all about how clever, fortunate and progressive are women voters. About 700 guests were present.

Mrs. E. B. Stanwood, acting president, made the opening address of welcome in the absence of the president, Professor Lillian J. Martin of Stanford university, who is now in Berlin. Mrs. Stanwood read two telegrams of congratulation, one from Mrs. James Lee Hadley of New York and the other from Mrs. Herbert Winthrop of Illinois, both of whom are active suffrage campaigners in their own states.

OLD FASHIONED POLICIES

Mrs. Pennybacker is a quiet, conservative, southern woman of forceful judicial temperament. Reasonable, a worthy opponent when her ideals are attacked, one who believes unity

Order of Program As Arranged for Today

MORNING
Sutter Street Pavilion
9 o'clock—Reading of minutes, Mrs. George O. Welch; greetings from Needlework Guild of America, Mrs. E. G. Desnoyers; California; greetings from National Municipal League, Clinton Rogers Woodruff, executive secretary; unfinished business; presentation of business resolutions; Mrs. Frank N. Shiek, chairman; discussion; new business; final reading of minutes.

AFTERNOON
Golden Gate Commandery Building (Clubroom)
2 o'clock—Public health, Asylum hall; Mrs. S. S. Crockett, chairman.
3 o'clock—Legislation, Doric hall; Mrs. H. N. Bushnell, chairman.

EVENING
Sutter Street Pavilion
President's Evening
Mrs. Moore, Presiding
8:15 o'clock—Music in cooperation with existing agencies—state boards of health, municipal housekeeping, Mrs. Caroline Bartlett Crane, Michigan Association of Collegiate Alumnae, Dr. Laura Drake Gill, president A. E. C. Association, J. Horace McFarland, president; Bureau of Pure Food and Drugs, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley; children's bureau, Miss Julia C. Lathrop, chief, Washington, D. C.; report of committees on resolutions, Mrs. Frank N. Shiek; introduction of new officers, Mrs. C. C. Conover; music, "Be the One That Binds"; announcements; music, "America," by audience, with chorus.

"My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty, Of thee I sing, Land where my fathers died, Land of the pilgrim's pride, From every mountain side Let freedom ring.

"Our father's God, to thee, Author of liberty, Denmark, we pledge our lives, Long may our land be bright, With freedom's holy light, Protect us by thy power, Great God, our King."

The members of the eleventh biennial convention, which were from 3 until 6 o'clock and the large ballroom with the "red room" adjoining were thronged with guests during the three hours of the reception. There was a long receiving line in the ballroom, and among the women who stood to greet the guests were Mrs. J. W. Orr, president of the California state federation; Mrs. E. G. Denniston, president of the local board of the biennial, and Mrs. Philip N. Moore, president of the general federation.

Mrs. Orr wore a gown of brocaded white satin trimmed with rare lace, and Mrs. Denniston's gown was white satin draped with Chantilly lace.

Mrs. Moore was an attractive figure in her white gown, which was trimmed with black applique. The affair was notable particularly for beautiful gowns, and some of the most attractive gowns in which the women were dressed.

There were scores of other clubwomen, members of the various local organizations, who were informal hostesses and greeted the handsomely gowned visitors as they entered the reception room. An orchestra, played during the afternoon and the ballroom was decorated with palms and ferns.

Among the guests at the reception yesterday were the clubwomen who had attended the luncheon of the Equal Suffrage League earlier in the day, and after remaining for the speeches came in to greet their visitors from other states and other parts of the country.

Among the prominent clubwomen in the receiving line with Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Denniston and Mrs. Moore were: Mrs. J. W. Cowley, Mrs. William Fairchild, Mrs. Frank E. Shiek, Mrs. James J. Briggs, Mrs. C. H. McMahon, Mrs. George W. McCoy, Mrs. J. H. Parsons, Mrs. John A. Lynch, Mrs. Raymond B. Holm, Mrs. Ella Westland, Mrs. A. A. Goddard, Mrs. George Law Smith, Mrs. E. D. Knight, Mrs. John Bulkeley, Mrs. Russell J. Waters, Mrs. Robert Potter, Mrs. Cora E. Jones, Miss Ellen Dolliver.

10,000 NAVY EMPLOYEES SUBJECT TO NEW LAW

President's Signature All That Is Needed to Protect Men

WASHINGTON, July 4.—Ten thousand navy yard mechanics will pass under the protection of the civil service law when President Taft signs the executive order now being prepared by the navy department officials, in conjunction with the civil service commissioners.

Theoretically these men have been shielded against the vicissitudes of political changes by a system of regulations governing the employment boards in navy yards and stations, but they were subject to change or abolition at the will of the person who might be at the head of the department, and lacked the binding force of the law.

The men now in the yards are not to be required to undergo an examination, but newcomers will be subjected to severe practical tests and must also pass physical examinations.

A regulation that any one leaving work and seeking reinstatement must place his name at the bottom of the roll of eligibles is regarded as a probable deterrent to strikes.

CALIFORNIANS GREET GUESTS

Women of State Federation Hold Reception for Visiting Delegates

A throng of clubwomen attired in effective afternoon gowns crowded the white and gold ballroom at the Fairmont yesterday afternoon at the reception given by the members of the California Federation of Women's Clubs to

LABOR UNIONS IN BUSY SESSIONS

Elections of Officers for the Current Term Are Held by Most Locals

Molders' union No. 164 at its meeting last Tuesday night elected James E. Dillon, R. W. Burton, John O. Walsh and T. J. Mooney as its delegates to the international convention, which will assemble in Milwaukee, Wis., September 22.

T. H. Dowd and W. Dorley were elected delegates to the label section of the San Francisco Labor council.

The meeting was addressed by Mrs. Frances Noel of the Woman's Humane Legislation League on the subject of having the women of members' families register for the approaching election.

The union received one new application for membership and obligated one elected candidate.

Louis Schulse, one of the oldest members of the union, was granted a card, as he will leave shortly for San Diego.

Local No. 168 of the Ship and Machine Blacksmiths' union at its last meeting had its officers installed for the current term, and Walter Lockery, the retiring president, was in appreciation of his attention to the members during his term, presented with a valuable gold emblematic fob.

The locals of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Helpers have arranged for a concert to be given in Oakland Saturday, July 20, under the direction of A. L. Beaton, financial secretary of local No. 168.

During the last 10 days the local has obligated 10 candidates for membership.

The Woman's League for Humane Legislation held a reception in Germania hall last Tuesday. Mrs. W. French presided and there were short addresses on the importance of working women and wives and relatives of workmen registering for the next election, in order to aid in securing humane legislation. The speakers were Mrs. L. C. Walden, Andrew J. Gallagher, Thomas V. Cator and Frances Noel.

During the session it was decided to arrange a series of district meetings to teach women their political rights.

The United Laborers' association of San Francisco at its meeting last Tuesday night installed the officers recently elected for the current term. The association indorses the proposition for the appointment of a state produce commission. Sixteen candidates for membership were obligated.

It was reported that William Kendrick, a member of the association, employed in the Geary street road, had during the day met with an accident which resulted in the loss of both hands.

Journymen Tailors' union No. 2 has been advised from general headquarters that the new local unions have been chartered for Haverhill, Mass.; Trenton, N. J.; Waterbury, Conn.; Woodland, Cal.; and Dunkirk, N. Y. It

TWO FISHERMEN PERISH AT SEA FROM EXPOSURE

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 4.—The dead bodies of two unidentified fishermen and a live dog were found yesterday in a fishing boat off Pender Harbor, 70 miles north of Vancouver. The boat was nearly filled with water. The dog, very thirsty, had strength enough to bark loudly and attracted attention to the boat. The elder man, an Englishman of about 46, was lying in the bottom of the boat. The other, a lad of 19, had evidently been lashed to the mast by his companion. The men had perished from exposure.

DAMPNESS AND FOGS

tax reserve vitality and greater strength is required to maintain good health during such weather.

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A call has been issued for a session of the district council of cement workers, to be held in Stockton, Sunday, July 28. There will be 21 delegates in attendance to represent the local from each of the following places: Oakland, Redwood City, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Jose, San Mateo, Santa Rosa, Santa Cruz, Stockton, Vallejo and Watsonville.

At the last meeting of the Laundry Workers' union the officers for the current term were installed by Frederick Graham, president of the international union. The union made a donation of \$25 to the web pressmen who are out on strike, and obligated a class of 35 applicants who were elected to membership.

Local No. 144 of the Cigar Makers' union, located in New York city, has without opposition named Samuel Gompers one of its members for delegate to the cigar makers' international convention that is to meet in Baltimore next September.

Local No. 149 of the Firemen's union has elected as its officers for the ensuing term: H. E. Shamp, president; J. Reed, vice president; E. Hodgkinson, financial secretary; J. W. Bentley, recording secretary; F. A. Moore, guide, and H. E. Zoller, sergeant at arms.

F. P. Lamoureux of Fresno, after serving for a year and a half as manager and editor of the Fresno Labor News, official organ of the council, has been elected to his dual position for a period of three years.

Local No. 447 of the Painters' union has chosen as officers for the ensuing

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KNOCKOUT DROPS USED TO ROB EASTERNER

Acting part of the good Samaritan cost C. G. Moore, a guest at the hotel, \$205 early yesterday morning. Moore was drinking with a Pacific street dance hall girl when he was asked to help in carrying an intoxicated sailor to a lodging house nearby. While in the lodging house Moore was given a drink of whisky which he says contained knockout drops. He awoke hours later and his money was gone. Detectives are looking for the dance hall girl and two strangers. Moore is a visitor from the east.