### GOMPERS LOOKS FOR A BIG CHANGE

Head of Federation Sees Early Shifting in American Politics.

Rule in Veto of the Arizona Statehood Bill.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 13 .- President stronger politically and financially. Samuel Gompers of the American LEADERSHIP OF INTELLIGENCE. Federation of Labor, in his report eral absence of those provisions.

"This semi-delfication of judges," he said in defense of his endorsement, "this sanctimonious cant about 'mob rule,' some of which was in President Taft's message vetoing the Arizona statehood bill, is mere

#### MANY SUBJECTS UNTOUCHED.

covers 60 closely printed pages and would make more than 30 columns in a newspaper, says it leaves many subjects untouched or inadequately means of redress. We may not for

mands

Passage of the so-called anti-in-

COURTEES. Restriction of immigration.

Legislation to relieve civil service way of controlling them. employes from the executive orders. "Under existing conditions, we must

#### ENTFORM LAWS ASKED.

and health in factory buildings. eral government.

men's compensation acts throughout jority."

called scientific management or ef- against Vice President John Mitch-il

than 1,750,000, the greatest in its the District of Columbia. history and its financial condition. The McNamara case, however, is excellent, the organization often taken up at some length and fully recalled the greatest altruistic insti- viewed. President Compers expresses tution of the times enters the 31st his faith in the innocence of the men year of its work.

movement grows and thrives; its moval from Indiana to California. beneficent influence for the common unlift of labor and all our people ity and is becoming more generally congress, a so-called anti-injunction than many of the tollers. The fact labor to work for its early passage.

### SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY.

"With power in the hands of labor and of the people generally claved labor could expect little voluncomes a quickening sense of respon- tary help from the president on the sibility. And though errors are li- anti-injunction legislation and avoidance of recurrence. The of the report is addressed. Several ganization membership to 1,464. In errors or encroachments of the few plans are proposed for bringing the or of an autocrat teach them no les- migratory laborer into the ranks of gained nearly 200,000 during the year. sons and are rectified only by the organized labor. Further restriction

### MISERABLE DYSPEPTICS.

All the world looks gloomy to the the world through smoked glasses and deavor to ameliorate the lot of the prospects are bright. In its long the misery doesn't leave your stone essential step. There are sufficient of the work day, to do away with child ach and bring a sunny smile to your workers on the Pacific coast at the labor, and to animate the unorganized

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freedom is, is a truth not yet fully worker. understood," said the report.

as a whole, irrespective of class, conditions, calling or partisan alignment, have declared for freedom in fact, and not merely in name. They are taking affairs political into their own hands. ENDORSEMENT OF RECALL They will no longer tolerate the sale of legislation to the highest bidder or the granting of franchises to the rich-Taft Criticised for Reference to Mob est bribe giver. Under the coming regime, assuredly there are to be no more court decrees entered as prepared in advance and ordered by the attorney for the stronger party-

"In lieu of the political boss and his the 31st annual convention, pre- tice, with adherence proportioned in California. intelligence, pleading for public Jusdicted great changes in American number to the strength of the argumethods of government, particularly ments. The stuffed ballot box, the with regard to political parties. He false count, and the perjured election gave to the referendum, initiative returns will likewise disappear. With and the recall the unqualified en- these opportunities, with those stimudorsement of organized labor and lating inducements to free thought declared that a real, representative and action, the cause of public justice democracy had never been known in will be advanced in all directions. the United States because of the gen- Labor, acting from the point of enlightened self Interest, and yet with a full sense of responsibility respecting the jury rights of all others in society, will manfully and patriotically meet its enlarged responsibilities.

RULE OF THE PARTIES.

tecting shield against wrong or a ments based on popular suffrage. I The referendum, the initiative and deem it unwise, or rather impolitic, to caste our energies now in efforts to

abolish political parties. Perhaps they junction bills at the next session of are institutional in all free governments. But if we can not now destroy them, we may, by more assiduous and Further restriction of convict ia- a guiar exercise of our privileges and rights of citizenship do much in the

probibiting them to petition con- obtain verious measures of legislation at the hands of dominant parties in tegislative bodies, and If party affairs Uniform laws for protection of life are to remain in the hands of corpor ate agents and corrupt bosses as here-A department of inher in the fed- ofore, then our interests will be imperilled and the desired relief retard-Employers' liability and work- cd. no matter which party has the ma-

Mr. Comnets refers very briefly to Severe arraignment is made of so-the contempt of court proceeding-Secretary Morrison and himself, which With its membership now more are still pending before the courts in

Despite all opposition of the most leged dynamicing outrages and de gation, seamen's rights, railroad track relentless kind the American labor nounces in unmeasured terms their re-

WILSON BILL PADORSON. The Wilson bill, now pending in recognized. The power which labor measure, which has the support of holds within its grasp is understood labor, is warmly endorsed and Presiby our opponents perhaps better dent Gompers calls upon all organized is that labor's opponents, like the Mr. Compers expresses the belief that tories of the past, many of whom by united action the Wilson bill have are still with us, are afraid to trust be passed at the next session, and he expresses the opinion that even should is he vetoed by President Taff a great victory would be partly won. He de-

> To the subject of lumistration, much of immigration is deemed necessary and schemes of distribution of immi-through its affiliated organizations has grants are discussed.

man with the upact stomach. He sees invariably confronts us, in our en-conclusion "Its standing is sound and Taborers now in America that there drawn out legal contests there is more Cheer up. Mr. Dyspeptic, there's must be a restriction of insulgration, reason than ever to assume that bright days ahead of you. Go to the Restriction as recommended by the labor's cause will win. In a number Harper House Pharmacy this very day United States immigration commission, of important strikes during the year. and may I want a box of Mio-na (ab is, if not the first step toward organ, we have had gains, and there has been lets. Take them as directed and it lame interatory laborers, at least an a tendency to continue the shortening gloomy count-dance go and get your present time, were their shifting about masses with a desire to take part in intelligently systematized, to perform the great labor movement.

people's revolt. How perfectly safe cerned itself seriously about the casual "The early completion of the Pan-

ama canal, however, will without doubt "Labor's contentions of many bring about a total change in the labor years have become merged, or have situation of the Pacific coast, both inrather coordinated with those of the ternally and with relation to other progressive of all parties. The people countries. It has already been calculated that immigrants from Europe Resume of Work Done by Assomay be landed via the Panama canal at Pacific coast seaports for a less sum than is required to pay the passage to inland points in states of the middle west. It is to be remembered that the enormous fleets of foreign vessels which are in the immigration trade are seeking business the world over. In a single year, aided by the climate, the present Transatlantic fleet could carry 500,000 wage workers from the southwest of Europe to the Pacific coast ports, while also transporting the average yearly number to the Atlantic coast ports. This is a have compiled an annual report of more than probable forthcoming con- the association and of its work for the submitted today to the delegates of machine, we shall have leadership of dition to be faced by our fellow trade unionists of Washington, Oregon and

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.

In the federation's fight for employers' ability and workingmen's comis reported from the states of Massachusetts. New Jersey, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio. California, Florida, Illinois, Kansas, Vermont, Washington and Wisconsin. The work of the commission, which has been hearing suggestions for federal laws, is highly through purchase by the association. commended and it is expected that some report will be made to the coming congress.

Under the prevailing system of cut reau of mines in establishing mine the combined objects of the societies and dried platforms and slated nom- rescue stations through the coal re- included in the association, and the inations, preceded by fake primaries, gions and the campaign of education policies of the association in giving aid in any adequate sense, either a pro- on among miners is warmly commend- the objects of the association, and is

some time be entirely rid of the rule duced at the last congress by Repre- en. In the main, the report declares of parties. If they be an evil they sentative Suizer of New York creat. The report concludes with a list of for, and says organized labor de are such as are incident to all governing a department of labor in the fed the donors for the year. The by-laws vanced to the lower Mississippi valedal government

LAWS TO PROTECT LIFE.

In an appeal for better laws to proect life and health in factory build ings. President Compers refers to the tre in the Triangle Shirt Waist com jany's building in New York last April in which 148 girls lost their lives.

In scoring the so-called efficiency and scientific magazement systems. statements that the systems have increased wages. He charged that the Triems work undue hardships on the labor and result in no material gain, less is \$150,000. The light for the eight hour day, men could find satisfaction in the fact | without injury. that the last congress applied the eight hour law to the construction of struction of the National from the bartleships, and that those provisions fact that it was formerly under the of the law had been put tato effect by management of Charles McHugh and the executive officers of the govern-

SENATE THIRD DEGREE.

Among the other subjects treated in the report are child labor, locomotive now on trial at Los Augeles for al case, the senate third degree investiinspection, insurance laws, the strike of the women's garment workers, the Baldwin locomotive works strike and the work of the federation's organizers. Each is treated briefly, reporting progress, but without any recommendations other than those hitherto

The membership of the organization was never so great. According to Secretary Morrison's report, its financial condition is excellent. The treasury shows a balance of nearly \$200, disbursed in support of strikes by the various unions which are affiliated with the federation. During 1911 the ederation issued 326 charters to unions, bringing the total of its orindividual membership the federation

The American Federation of Labor today the largest membership in its "Turn which way we may the fact bistory," said President Compers in

Mocans stometh tablets will prompt- all the pressing work there through- "Our movement has no schism withly and the distress of indigestion, will out all the seasons of the year. The in. All opposition to its policies, its stop nervousness, dizziness, billious main trouble has been that the emp procedures, its form of organization, ness, sick headache and elecplessness. ployers have not paid any adequate at. and its tactics, come from without, Fifty cents have a large box at the tention to the laborer as a social en. All who would divert it from its estab-Harper House Pharmacy and drungists rity except at the mement when one lished principles are enemies, working is to be hired. Society has not con, for the promotion of institutions foreign to its character. Those who would change it aim at its disintegra-

"This is true whether the antagonist n view is the college president who believes in the right of the non-unionist to work below the union scale alongside of the unionist; or the philinthropist who believes unions should be mere benevolent societies; or the editor who believes that the unionist hould be always in his party and a supporter of his interests, or the poliician who demands that the unionist

must always vote his ticket. "But, it can safely be said, our trade mionism is to witness no integral change in structure, or principle, for these are all adaptable to circumstances as they arise-to conditions as they develop."

The old, old story, told times withover again for the last 36 years, but it & out number, and repeated over and is always a welcome story to those in search of health. There is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds so quickly as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

### COMPILE REPORT FOR ENTIRE YEAR

ciated Charities to Be Printed in Pamphlet Form.

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of Organization Together With Personnel of Officers Contained in Booklet.

Officers of the Associated Charities year, which in addition to messages by the officers and committees is to be presented to the public in pamphlet form within a short time, so that not only the workers will become better pensation laws, progressive legislation acquainted with the object of the association, but other people as well. The pamphlet will be neatly arranged and the front page will convey the reproduction of a photograph of the Association house, recently acquired SETS FORTH OBJECTS.

In his message contained in the report, Dr. J. W. Stewart, president, The work of the United States but tells of the reorganization recently, followed by the secretary's report in The report endorses the bill intro- which examples of the work are giv-

> of the association will also be included ley, freezing weather having extended indicated for this vicinity tonight and St. Louis ..........20 and there is a complete list of officers to the Atlantic and gulf coasts, while Tuesday. and committees for the year.

## NATIONAL HOTEL AT

Mooberry, a fireman, was killed to- gion and the Missouri vailey, with rain Boston ...........68 President Compers declared as false day in a fire which destroyed the or snow on the north Pacific coast and Buffalo beneath a falling smokestack. The low pressure which extends from the Jacksonville .......84

W. Clyde Jones, progressive candi-President Compers said, is steadily date for governor of Illinois, was going on, and he declared that labor one of the hotel guests who escaped

(Local interest attaches to the de-

J. E. Montrose of this city, who relinquished control several years

### To Keep Oilcloth Like New

Oilcloth should not be swept with straw broom or scrubbed with a si crush. Instead, sweep with a soft ha ush and wipe off with lukewarm wat which has been dissolved a teaspoor il of Gold Dust washing powder as with clear, warm water. Wha cloth is losing its shiny surface, was above, then dissolve a little ordina he in a pint of hot water. At hi over the whole carefully with a fla-I dipped in glue water. Choose a c and by morning the glue will d; it will give a fine gloss and male calcloth wear much longer.

# Household

Beats all what a little am-

monia will do in removing 8

r	8	stains, large 10c
10	ŏ	bottle
1	ğ	Giass ware rinsed in bluing
1	8	water regains its sparkling
	8	brilliancy, our best bluing, a bottle 10c
	ğ	bluing, a bottle
	0	A scorched cooking utensil
ř.	8	will polish like new if Eagle
	ğ	lye is used.
1	8	lye is used, three large cans 25c
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	8	when cleansed with Bon Ami, a bar 10c
1	8	Bon Aun, a bar
	ŏ	Three bars 25c
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	8	tin, etc., are best polished with
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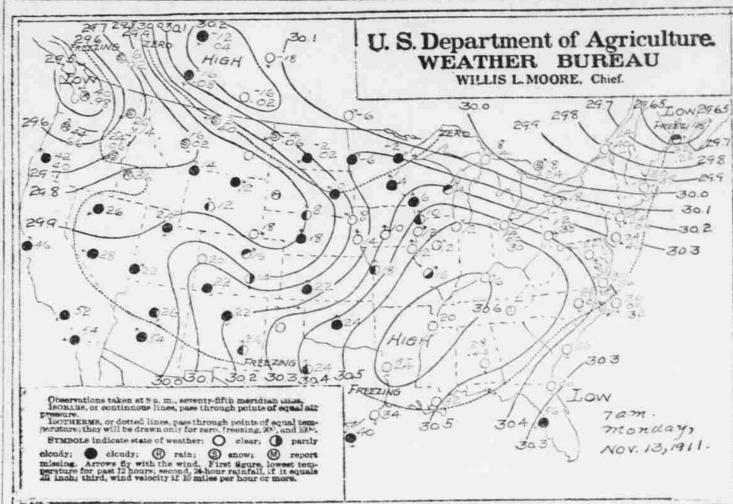
new if polished with Crow, Vulcanol or X-Ray stove polish. For cleansing polished woodwork, we are not aware of a thing to compare with Savanol, a large Broom corn is advancing. For this week only we will sell a No. 4 parlor broom, sleet 8 made, each at .........35c

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FORECAST FOR ROCK ISLAND, DAVENPORT, MOLINE AND VICINITY.

Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight and Tuesday. The lowest temperature tothe ballot in our hands has not been, which the bureau has been carrying to the needy. Another item tells of night will be about 25 degrees above zero.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The crest of the area of high pres- its center over western Washington. New Orleans ...... 54 sure and low temperature has ad-Saturday's storm center is disappearing beyond New England, Another high, accompanied by temperatures decidedly below zero, has appeared PEORIA DESTROYED over Alberta and Saskatchewan. A decided rise in temperature through-Feorla, Ill., Nov. 13.—Chester out most of the Rocky mountain re- Atlantic City ......64 in the northern Rocky mountain sec- Davenport .......20

cloudiness and warmer weather was Phoenix ..........68 OBSERVATIONS. High Low Pr'cp. yes- last 24 hrs. t'rd'y. night inch. 24

Inorth Pacific coast to Nebraska, with | Kansas City ...... 22 St. Paul ..... 6 San Diego .........74 San Francisco .....54 Seattle .....42 Washington ......70 Winnipeg ..... 8 Yellowstone ....-RIVER FORECAST.

.98

Slowly falling stages in the Missis-- sippi will prevail from below Dubuque - to Muscatine. J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster,

## Today's Market Quotations

members of Chicago Board of Trade Grain, provisions, stocks and cotton. Local offices at Rock Island house, Rock Island, III Chicago office, 98-99-100-

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS. Wheat.

December, 93%, 93%, 92½, 93½. May, 99%, 100, 99, 99%. July, 94%, 94%, 94, 94%.

Corn. December, 62 1/2, 63 1/4, 62 1/2, 63 1/4. May, 64, 64%, 64, 64% July, 64%, 64%, 64%, 64%,

Oats. December, 47%, 47%, 47%, 47%. May, 49%, 50%, 49%, 50%; July, 461/2, 46%, 461/4, 461/2.

January, 16.45, 16.45, 16.25, 16.25, May, 16.70, 16.82, 16.62, 16.62,

May, 9.55, 9.60, 9.52, 9.52. Ribs. January, 8.42, 8.52, 8.40, 8.40.

January, 9.35, 9.40, 9.30, 9.30.

May, 8.60, 8.67, 8.55, 8.55. THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago Cash Grain. Wheat-No. 2 r 94%@95%, No. 3 r 92@93%, No. 2 hw 96@101, No. 3 hw 94@97, No. 1 ns 107@108, No. 2 ns 104 @107, No. 3 ns 102@105, No. 2 s 98@ 102, No. 3 s 96@102, No. 3 s 85@100 vc 90@102, durum 90@104.

Corn-No. 2 71@72. No. 2 w 711/2@ 72, No. 3 w new 621/2@631/2, No. 3 y 73 @73½, No. 3 y new 65@66, No. 4 new 59%@61, No. 4 w 70@70%, No. 4 w new 60@60%, No. 4 y new 62@63, sgm new 57 1/2 @ 58 1/2, sgy new 59@ 61. Oats-No. 2 47%, No. 2 w 48%@ 49%, No. 3 47, No. 3 w 47% @48%, No.

4 46%, No. 4 w 47% @48%, standard 4814@49. Liverpool Cables.

Wheat opened 1/4 to 1/4 lower; closed % to 1% lower. Corn opened 1/4 lower; closed 1/4

lower. Chicago Receipts. Today. Contract. Wheat ..... 52 Corn ..... 225 Oats ..... 124 Northwest Cars.

To- Last Last

day. Week. eYar Minneapolis ... ..... 546 718 365 Duluth .... 385 508 Winnipeg .... ..... 565 1,677 959 Chicago Estimates Tomorrow. Wheat ... 68 

Primary Movement. Receipts. Shipments. Wheat today ..... 1,140,000 348,000 Year ago ... .43,000 Corn today ..... 536,000 217,000 Year ago ..... 224,000

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Opening of Market. Hogs 30,000. Shade higher. Left over 1,992. Light 5.70 26.15, heavy 5.90@6.57, mixed 5.95@6.57, rough 5.90

Cattle 25,000. Steady to strong, Sheep 35,000; 5c to 10c higher.

Nine O'clock Market. Light 5.80@6.50, bulk 6.25@6.55, mixed Copper ...... 584,

6.00@6.25. Cattle 25,000, Strong; top 9.20. Sheep strong; top 3.90; lambs 5.95. Cattle tomorrow 6,000.

Sheep 30,000. Western Live Stock. Hogs, Cattle, Sheep Kansas City ..... 6,000 14,000 10,000 Omaha ... 2,000 6,100 15,000 Estimated Chicago Tomorrow. Hogs, Cattle, Sheep

Chicago ... .....25,000 6,000 30,000 NEW YORK STOCKS. New York, Nov. 13.-Following are tions on the local market today: Gas ...... 1421/2 U. S. Steel common .... 62% Rock Island common ..... 27% Northwestern ... ... ... ... ... ... 145 1/2

U. S. Steel preferred .........1091/8 Rock Island preferred ... .... 52 Southern Pacific ... ... .112% Missouri Pa cific ... ... 411/2 Louisville & Nashville .......150

Baltimore & Ohio .........102

Locomotive ... ... 36

Republic Steel common ..... 2214 LOCAL MARKET CONDITIONS.

Nov. 13.-Following are the quotations on the local market today. Eggs, 221/2 c. Butter - Dairy, 271/2c; creamery,

Lard, 121/2c. Feed and Fuel.

Corn, per bushel, 70c. Oats, 44c to 46c. Forage-Timothy hay, \$20. Clover hay, \$15. Wheat, 80c to 83c. Wild hay, \$14 to \$17. Straw, \$8. New corn 55c,

Coal-Lump, per bushel, 15c; slack,

Potatoes 65 to 75c.

A Father's Vengeance would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help Great Northern ..... 1281/8 him," he wrote, "so at last we gave Smelters ...... 711/2 ties. It's the best kidney medicine ed wonderfully from taking six bot-Colorado Fuel & Iron ...... 27% I ever saw." Backache, tired feel-Canadian Pacific ... ... ... ... 24034 ing, nervousness, loss of appetite, Erie ... ... 32 % in dropsy, diabetes or Bright's dis-Brooklyn Rapid Transit ...... 77% anteed; 50 cents at all druggists.

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