

GOVERNORS FEARS OF BOYCOTT PAPER

Hastened Issue to Anticipate Injunction by Federal Court.

SAYS HIS RIGHTS INVADED

Head of Labor Federation Makes Candid Statement at Contempt Hearing - Injunction Against Constitutional Rights.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The taking of testimony in the Gompers-Mitchell-Morrison case, of the Bucks Stove & Range Company anti-boycott proceedings against the officers of the American Federation of Labor, was resumed by Examiner Harper today with President Gompers on the stand.

Mr. Davenport was again interrogator for the prosecution, and he sought especially to develop the facts concerning the circulation of the January issue of the Federationist, the official publication of the organization, which Mr. Gompers had stated would be expedited in order that it might come out before an injunction could become operative.

Mr. Davenport asked Mr. Gompers to state his purpose in sending out the January issue after the injunction was granted.

Got Ahead of Injunction. "Was it," he asked, "to anticipate the operation of the decree which otherwise would have prevented you from issuing it?"

Mr. Gompers replied that he had not been sure whether Mr. Van Cleave would file his bond and thus make the decree operative, but in any event, he went on, "I wanted to issue the January number just as it had been prepared prior to December 22."

Invades Constitutional Right. At tonight's session, Mr. Davenport asked Mr. Gompers if it was his contention in this particular case that he had the constitutional right to publish in the Federationist's official organ anything he saw fit carrying out an alleged combination to boycott the Bucks Stove & Range Company and that it was beyond the power of the court to prevent such publication.

Cannot Agree on Wage Scale. HELENA, Mont., Sept. 17.—After having spent two weeks in deliberating on a wage scale for Montana, the coal operators and representatives of the miners-workers adjourned their joint conference sine die today.

STOCKS DECLINE SHARPLY Harrison, Hill and Other Active Railroads Most Affected.

to from 2 to 5 points in the active issues. There was a good deal of disorder in the unloading of stocks, and the selling at times appeared to be urgent.

LEAVES AUSTRALIA TODAY

FLEET TO START ON VOYAGE TO MANILA DAY LATE.

Premier Deakin Sends Sperry Farewell Message Rejoicing in Friendship Cemented.

ALBANY, West Australia, Sept. 17.—The American battleship fleet is to leave here tomorrow instead of today, as originally planned, on its long trip to Manila, where it is due on October 2 or 3.



Harry M. Shafer, New President Ashland State Normal School.

Mr. Shafer received the following telegram from Alfred Deakin, the Premier of the Commonwealth: Tomorrow you leave Australia, after experiences that I trust, have been as pleasurable to you as to the people of the Commonwealth.

CALL ON DUKE OF AOSTA

American Naval Officers Congratulated by King's Cousin. NAPLES, Sept. 17.—The Duke of Aosta, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, today received a visit from Captain William R. Casperon, of the battleship Maine, and Captain Tenney Veeder and Lieutenant Harold E. Cook, of the Alabama.

CROSSED PLAINS TO OREGON IN 1847.



The Late Mrs. Mary Caruthers, of Canby.

CANBY, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary Caruthers, who crossed the plains in an ox-team with her parents, when Oregon was an early pioneer of Linn County, having settled near Albany in 1847. She came to Canby 14 years ago.

CONFIRMS CLASS AT MEDFORD. MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—The right Rev. Charles Scadding, of Portland, held special services at St. Mark's church tonight, and administered the rite of confirmation to a class of young men. He is accompanied by Rev. Dorrance, one of the clergymen who is to do mission work in Southern Oregon.

SHOT HOGS; DID NOT HURT THEM. OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—This afternoon in the Justice Court a jury speedily acquitted W. H. Husband, a farmer of Multnomah, who was charged with cruelty to animals.

OPEN SCHOOL YEAR

State Normal at Ashland Has Largest Record.

H. M. SHAFER TAKES HOLD

New President and Several Members of Faculty Start in Under Favorable Auspices - All Teachers of Experience.

ASHLAND, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—The State Normal School at Ashland, began the new year Monday, September 14, with a new administrative head and new instructors in several departments.

Before going to Harvard, he taught some years in the public schools of Illinois, beginning in a country school and finishing in a city superintendency. After leaving Teachers' College, he became head of the department of education and director of the training school at the State Normal School at San Diego, Cal. Here he established the department of education and developed it to a high state of efficiency.

Helped Increase Membership. Three years he was a member of the executive committee of the Washington Educational Association, and was one of the three men who in one year increased the membership of that association from 300 to 400.

Formerly Was Supervisor. Blanche E. Stedman, supervisor of music, drawing and geography, is a native of Montana and a graduate of the State Normal School at Plymouth, N. H. She taught some years in high schools in Ohio and Indiana.

Old Members Retained. Old members of the faculty who are continuing their work at the Normal this year, are: W. T. Van Scoy, mathematics; Armida Dougherty, history; W. Wickerman, principal of training school; Katherine E. Sloan, primary critic teacher; Esther C. Silby, vocal music; Susanna T. Nell, instrumental music.

EVERETT MAN IS MISSING Fails to Return Home, and Friends Suspect Foul Play.

HILLSBORO, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Advice from Everett, Wash., states that Charles Ellsworth, aged 41 years, has disappeared from that place and has been missing since last Thursday evening. Ellsworth and wife were living at Getchell, Wash., ten miles from Everett, and the husband went into Everett Thursday to rent a house, taking with him about \$100.

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McAlLEN & McDONNELL GOING THE LIMIT Specials for Friday and Saturday. White Wool Blankets \$2.65, Ladies' Hose 19c, Comforters 97c, Children's 50c Caps 25c, Boys' Madras Waists 19c, Table Damask 25c, Children's Stockings 11c, Hemmed Sheets 37c, Brown Turkish Towel'g 11c, Ladies' Union Suits \$2.19, Pillow Cases 9c, Ladies' Vests and Pants 47c, Muslin Drawers 75c, Cotton Comforts \$1.29, Sample Waists \$1.47, Ladies' Union Suits \$1.19, Women's Underwear 98c, Linen Crash 9c, Men's Underwear, \$1.75 Long Silk Gloves, Best \$1.50 Kid Gloves.

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BODY HARD TO IDENTIFY

Name of Man Found Dead With \$660 May Never Be Known. OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—There is little prospect for the identification of the unknown man, whose body was found last Sunday evening three and a half miles northwest of Oswego.

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Special Rates and Train Service to Salem via Oregon Electric Railway FOR OREGON STATE FAIR September 14 to 19, Inclusive, and "PORTLAND DAY," THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 Effective Monday, September 14th, the Following Train Schedule Will Be in Effect for Fair Week: Leaving Portland—A. M. 6:25, 7:35, 8:35, 8:55, 10, 11:10, 11:20; P. M.: 2:05, 3:30, 6:05. Leaving Salem—A. M.: 6:05, 9:05, 10:15, 11:05; P. M.: 1:45, 3:25, 5:30, 6, 7, 8:30. "PORTLAND DAY," THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 Four special trains from Portland and Salem, in addition to other trains above, as follows: Leaving Portland—8:35, 8:55, 10, 11:10 A. M. Leaving Salem—5:30, 6, 7, 8:30 P. M. Trains arriving at and departing from Salem stop at Highland Avenue, Hood street, State street and Mill-Street Depot. The cars of Salem City Railway will meet all Oregon Electric Railway Trains at Hood street and handle passengers directly to and from the Fairgrounds. Highland Avenue in Salem is located within a few blocks of the Fairground entrance, and passengers not desiring to go into the city will find this a convenient place at which to leave and board the trains. Rates From Portland: ALL DAYS EXCEPT "PORTLAND DAY," \$2.00 ROUND TRIP. Tickets on sale daily, commencing Sunday, September 13, good for return until Sunday, September 20th. "Portland Day," \$1.25 Round Trip. Tickets on sale Thursday, September 17th, good going and returning on any train of this date only. For further information, call up N. L. ATKINS, Ticket Agent, OR GEO. F. NEVINS, Traffic Manager. Phone Main 1908. Phone Main 7098.