ADDITIONAL LOCAL

wire from Washington received sterday conveyed the information that the department officials had awarded to R. M. Leathers the contract for construction of the customs launch to be built for use at this port. Several different blds were asked for and that accepted provides for payment of \$10,000 for the work. A No II Roberts boiler will be installed, with tripple expansion engines. Mr. Leathers will have four months in which to finish the boat. The engine will be of the cost of the purchase scheme and built by the Astoria Iron works and the margin which the treasury must provision for it was made in the bid of cover. The old tories shake their declared that engineers, conductors, Mr. Leathers. The launch will be at heads ominously when the land pur- telegraph operators, brakemen and the disposal of Collector of Customs chase is described as a settlement of Robb, and her construction will be su- the Irish question. They cannot be pervised by an agent of the depart-| convinced that the nationalists will ment.

Sadness again fills the breast of M. Susman, cattle king, politician and junk dealer. While the senatorial contest was on in this state Susman offer ed to wager \$5 with Samuel E. Harris that he could name the next United States senator. Mr. Harris accepted the wager and the money was deposited. On the election of Senator Fulton Susman claimed the money, but Mr. Harris would not allow the stakeholder to turn it over. "You have not yet won,' 'said he. "Let us wait and see whether or not Mr. Fulton is the next senator. You must know that he is not a senator until he is sworn in." So they waited. Meantime the warring republicans got together in Delaware and elected two senators. As there were two vacancies, the new Delaware senators, J. Frank Allee and L. H. Ball, were at once sworn in, while Mr. Fulton did not take his oath until yesterday. Mr. Harris has therefore won his bet.

The county court yesterday increased the salary of Deputy County Clerk S. G. Trullinger, acting recorder, Heretofore the emolument of this deputyship has been \$90 monthly, but yesterday the court made an order increasing it to \$100 monthly. The order takes effect March 1. It has been stated during the past few days that the deputy sheriff bill passed at the late session of the legislature provides for increase of all deputyship salaries, and also that it takes out of the han is of the county court the fixing of sal-The bill has not yet been received in this city and its exact terms said. are not known. It is said to provide for a salary of \$100 for the recording deputyship, but under its provisions the salary would not become effective until May 1. The court confirmed Sheriff Linville's appointment of A. Y. Anderson and F.W. Gardiner as deputies to serve during the collection of taxes, and fixed their salaries at \$190 monthly. The bonds of Roadmaster Frye, \$2000, were approved.

AS TO WYNDHAM'S POLICY.

Leaders Do Not Believe Home Rule Will Be Abandoned.

New York ,March 5 .- The secrets of Mr. Wyndham's Irish policy are well kept, says a London dispatch to the Tribune. No estimates can be formed Steeves, 16 years of age, was shot last

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abandon home rule.

PLEADS FOR CHILDREN.

President Gompers Makes Strong Talk on Labor Legislation.

Albany, N. Y., March 5.-President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of labor, speaking before the senate judiciary committee in support of the measures in reference to child labor, said:

"We are unable to meet the tech nical and legal objections urged; they are always urged against bills or move ments to improve the conditions of the unfortunates who cannot urge technicalities in their own behalf. This is the history of the betterment of the laboring class. All kinds of legal and technical objections have been raised. but in each instance the better sentiment of the people and the human in stincts of legislators have triumphed and the step has been gained."

In answer to the claim of Comm dore Elbridge Gerry, counsel and expresident of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, that he and his associates had been the prime movers in factory legislation in this state, Mr. Gompers declared he recalled that in 1866 Commodore Gerry had visited the meeting of the State Federation of labor and complimented them upon the passage of the law for whose passage Gerry now claimed the credit

"This committee is competent t meet the technical objections," he "We are straining at a knat, We want the substance, not the legal shadow in this matter, and we look to the legislature to remove the blot from the state and the shame fro mits business life, of compelling or permitting the babes to fight for their living on the streets. We want our boys and girls to become virile mer and women, and the streets and clamor of traffic are not the schools to train such."

ONE BOY SHOOTS ANOTHER. has been performed four times success-

Probably Die.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 5 .- Cecil

night on Howard avenue by Lilliv a street lamp lighter.

The bullet, fired from a 38-calibre revolver, passed into Steeves' abdomen two and a half inches to the left of the median line and four and a quarter inches above the umbolious. The victim was taken to the hospital and was alivent 1:30 this morning, but the doctors hold out no hope for his recovery. Lavichia was arrested immediately after the shooting. He is locked up in a steel cage at the station house Steeves friends claim that the lamp

lighter was in the habit of frightening thrusting his blazing torch at them, and several had narrowly escaped being burned. Steeves' sister was among the rest. Her brother had warned Lavichia several times to stop scaring evening the boys had a quarrel and the Italian drew a huge revolver and snapped it at Steves twice without exploding the cartridges. His friends claim that the west side boys had amused themselves by stoning the young lamplighter while he was at work and that Steeves had repeatedly threatened to

OXFORD NEEDS ASSISTANCE.

chastise him.

Faculty is Concerned That Millionaires

Do Not Help Out. New York, March 5 .- The reports of Mr. Carnegie's benefaction to Princeton creates an envious feeling among English educators, cables the Tribune's London representative. One of the best informed Oxford professors has said that his university's equipment needs to be greatly increased in order to carry out the work of Anglo-Saxon education planned by Mr. Rhodes. He wonders whether American millionaires will not supplant that work by granting professorships of philosophy. law and science, and widening the courses of study. He would himself be pleased to see some great American educators in Oxford chairs for car-

scholarships, Some of the Oxford colleges are rich, but the university as a whole has limited resources. British millionaires are not in the habit of remembering their universities in making

rying out the purposes of the Rhodes'

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not be made permanent. Whether these will be completed in time to file today, as expected, is a question. Grand Master Morrissey of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, is of the oninion that the motion and affidavits may not be filed today.

The possibility of the firemen and trainmen of the Wabash striking as individuals without word from their lead ers is now being discussed. It is stated that the men are ready to go out at a moment's notice. Unless President Ramsey yields it is further trackmen to the number of 50,000 may become involved in the struggle.

Rumors of a secret compact between the men and the leaders to go out even if the dissolution of Judge Adams' injunction is not granted are abundant. The rules of the brotherhood prohibit striking without the sanction of the grand masters of the

At Wabash headquarters everything was reported quiet and the men still at work.

PLAY BALL, SAYS JOHNSON. President of American League Very

Sure as to Schedule. New York, March 5 .- "The American eague will play ball in New York city the coming season, according to its schedule, if it is compelled to mortgage every ground in the circuit." This is the statement made by President Johnson in the Fifth Avenue hetel, where the American league mer held their meeting today. With Johnson at the time were Charles Comiskey of the Chicago club and Ben F. Shi-

bee of the Philadelphia club. Johnson refused to say whether he had already obtained a location for his park. or whether it would be on Manhattan island or in the Bronx. "We propose to wind up everything regarding the New York situation at this meeting," he said, "and the publie, which has expected us to live up to every declaration we made, shall

not be disappointed. As to the site for the park, it will be made known before the meeting is over. That statement stands and there will be no further delay. None is necessary, as everything is arranged and we are about to begin the work of equipping our grounds which will be ready for the first game of the season here in May according to our schedule."

PERFORM DELICATE OPERATION First of the Kind Ever Undertaken in

the United States.

Philadelphia, March 5.-An operation which, it is said, was never before attempted in this country, although it fully in the history of Europe, has been Youth Who Protected His Sister Will made at the Jefferson hospital here It was for the removal of a tumor near the left hip joint, and involved the amputation of the entire left leg and a portion of the ilium.

A man who fell on an icy pavemet several months ago was the subject. Lavichia, 17 years of age, employed as Exactly an hour and 30 minutes was consumed in making the amputation. The operating surgeon said that a man undergoing such an operation had only one chance in three of surviving. Transfusion was resorted to only in the operation to make up for the loss of blood attending the apmutation.

CHURCHILL AND CHAMBERLAIN.

Two Young Men Leaders in Parliamentary Affairs.

New York, March 5.-The fourth little girls along Howard avenue by party has resumed operations in the commons on the grant for the new colonies and has succeeded in sutting down the government majority to 43, according to the Tribune's representative in London. Austin Chamberlain the girls, but he persisted. Yesterday it at a disadvantage in repellingthe assaults of the tory guerillas. The older parliamentary hand now at sea is needed in the commons as South African questions are discussed. Winston Churchill is gradually taking the lead of a small group of independents and reviving memories of his father's stand for retrenchment.

LOOKING FOR COUNTERFEITERS The secret service is endeavoring to locate the headquarters of a gang of counterfeiters who have been circulating spurious half-dollars and quarters in some of our eastern cities. There Office are also many unscrupulous dealers State. who put up an imitation article and offer it in place of the original Hostetters Stomach Bitters, claiming it is "just as good." Don't accept it. The genuine is sold only in bottles, securely sealed, with their Private Stamp over the neck There is no medicine in the world that can take its place as a sure cure for nausea, sick headache, heartburn, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation or liver complaints. Many prominent physicians always prescribe it in the above cases. You will therefore make no mistake in trying a bottle at once.

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states of California, Oregon, Nevada,

and Washington territory," as extended August 4, 1892, LAURA B. KIDDER,

of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 60%, for the purchase of the southeast 1-4 of the southeast 1-4 of section 33 and west 1-2 of southwest 1-4 and se 1-1 of sw 1-4 of section No. 34, in township 5 n. range No. 9 w of W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is 'nore valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said and before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 6th day of April, 1903. She names as witnesses: Wm. Luce, Robert M. Fry, Lester M. Leland, and

Edward J. Elliott, all of Seaside, Ore-Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day f April, CHAS. B. MOORES, 1-13-3-20 Register.

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