

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

A wire from Washington received yesterday 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.

Sadness again fills the breast of M. Susman, cattle king, politician and junk dealer. While the senatorial contest was on in this state Susman offered to wager \$25 with Samuel E. Harris that he could name the next United States senator.

The county court yesterday increased the salary of Deputy County Clerk S. G. Trullinger, acting recorder. Heretofore the emolument of this deputyship has been \$80 monthly, but yesterday the court made an order increasing it to \$100 monthly.

Leaders Do Not Believe Home Rule Will Be Abandoned. New York, March 5.—The secrets of Mr. Wynnham's Irish policy are well kept, says a London dispatch to the Tribune. No estimates can be formed.

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of the cost of the purchase scheme and the margin which the treasury must cover. The old Tories shake their heads ominously when the land purchase is described as a settlement of the Irish question.

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 technical 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 instincts of legislators have triumphed and the step has been gained."

In answer to the claim of Commodore Elbridge Gerry, counsel and ex-president 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.

ONE BOY SHOTS ANOTHER.

Youth Who Protected His Sister Will Probably Die.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 5.—Cecil Steeves, 16 years of age, was shot last night on Howard avenue by Lilly Lavichia, 17 years of age, employed as 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 umbilicus. The victim was taken to the hospital and was alive at 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.

OXFORD NEEDS ASSISTANCE.

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 carrying out the purposes of the Rhodes 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 their wills.

ALL QUIET ON THE WABASH

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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 opinion 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 leaders 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 declared that engineers, conductors, telegraph operators, brakemen and 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 order.

PLAY BALL, SAYS JOHNSON.

President of American League Very Sure as to Schedule.

New York, March 5.—"The American league 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 hotel, where the American league men held their meeting today. With Johnson at the time were Charles Comiskey of the Chicago club and Ben F. Shibe 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 public, 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 has been performed four times successfully in the history of Europe, has been 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 pavement several months ago was the subject. 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 amputation.

CHURCHILL AND CHAMBERLAIN.

Two Young Men Leaders in Parliamentary Affairs.

New York, March 5.—The fourth party has resumed operations in the commons on the grant for the new colonies and has succeeded in cutting down the government majority to 43, according to the Tribune's representative in London. Austin Chamberlain it at a disadvantage in repelling the assaults of the tory guerrillas. The older parliamentary hand now at sea is needed in the commons as South Africa 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 are also many unscrupulous dealers who put up an imitation article and offer it in place of the original. 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. It will do you good.

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United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Jan. 5, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of 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. 6096, for the purchase of the southeast 1-4 of the southeast 1-4 of section 23 and west 1-2 of southwest 1-4 and se 1-4 of sw 1-4 of section No. 21, in township 5 n, range No. 9 w of W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is now valuable for its timber or stone that for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land 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, Oregon. 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 of April, 1903.

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