

wholesale will be somewhat higher than the one now in force, and together with the demand for the withdrawal of the bond order, has been presented to the general manager. A member of the committee stated that if the grievance was not adjusted amicably a strike would be ordered. A reply from the Santa Fe officials is expected today.

SPRINGER IS BETTER.
Latest News from all Parts—Blaine is III.
SECRETARY BLAINE.
 He Is Down with the Grippe, but Hopes to Be Out Soon.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—Secretary Blaine has been quite sick several days past. The following is official as to his condition, given out at the state department today: "Secretary Blaine is the victim of the grippe. He was taken Wednesday quite suddenly and severely. His fever was high Thursday and Friday. He is much better this morning, and hopes to be out in a few days."

HOW SMUGGLING IS DONE.
 How the Customs Laws Are So Easily Evaded.
 CHICAGO, March 5.—A sensational horsewhipping case at Sixteenth street and Michigan avenue has given the customs officers here something to do, and the customs officers in New York will also have another case of alleged smuggling upon their hands today. The man who was horsewhipped was J. A. Cummings, manager of the costume establishment of Mrs. Kate Reilly, No. 1730 Michigan avenue; and the one who wielded the whip was Stewart Charles Wade, the husband of a former employee of Mrs. Reilly. Mrs. Wade is a young Englishwoman, formerly employed in a similar establishment in London. She says that in September, 1900, Mrs. Reilly, who lives at No. 14 Dover street, Piccadilly, promised her good wages in her New York establishment at No. 577 Fifth avenue, and 5 per cent. of everything she sold. She agreed, and came to New York with five trunks given her by Major Griffith, Mrs. Reilly's husband, which Mrs. Wade now says were filled with smuggled goods. Since then, she alleges, she has not received her 5 per cent. promised, nor the \$200 which the major promised her in addition. She was transferred to Chicago, and put her claims into the hands of a lawyer. When the latter went to see Mr. Cummings, he was told that the latter was a blackmailer, and this being told to Mr. Wade, he got a horsewhip and thrashed Mr. Cummings soundly. Mrs. Wade then notified the customs officers and they seized four wraps and three dresses for which no revenue receipt could be shown. Mrs. Wade also charged that Mrs. Reilly made a business of employing young women in London for her New York establishment and furnishing them with trunks full of goods, which they passed through the New York custom house as their own, turning them over, on their arrival, to the Fifth avenue establishment. After being employed for a time in New York, the young women were discharged. Mrs. Wade says that Mr. and Mrs. Dunison and Miss Pilley, of East Thirty-first street, and Miss Green, A. J. Broad, Miss Harjes and Mlle. Brillouin, now in the Fifth avenue establishment, brought goods over for Mrs. Reilly on which duties were not paid.

MODUS VIVENDI.
 If Not Renewed Our Laws Should Be Repealed.
 NEW YORK, March 5.—Professor Elliott, who is recognized as authority on the life and habits of the seal, was asked to give a statement as to the effect of the English government not renewing the modus vivendi in Behring sea today said: "If the statement is true and extermination of the fur seal is at hand. Unless the modus vivendi is renewed poachers will kill practically all the seals left on the island." "Congress," Elliott continued, "should ascertain at once whether this proposition of Salisbury is final or not. If it is a bill should be passed immediately repealing the law preventing the killing of female seals on the islands. If Canadian and American poachers are allowed to kill female seals within thirty miles of the islands the law abiding Americans on the islands ought to be allowed a chance to get their share."

WILL NOT HAVE IT.
 Hill Does Not Want His Salary—Other News.

Crop Outlook.
 LOS ANGELES, March 5.—The crop outlook of Southern California is highly favorable. The latter rains have quickened the growth of cereals, and with the usual spring precipitation, a large yield will be assured.

THE TUNNEL ACCIDENT.
 It Was More Serious Than at First Reported.
 LOCKPORT, N. Y., March 5.—The Niagara Falls tunnel accident Wednesday has resulted more disastrously than was at first thought. The company's contractors, Rogers & Clement, gave out that only one man was injured nevertheless, five persons have been kept in the office of the contractors waiting a call in case of need. Robert Addison, the injured man, had his leg broken in two places and his spine dislocated. He was taken to Buffalo, and it is feared that he will not recover. The contractors today denied that there were any more men buried in the debris. Workmen who were employed there state that five men are missing, and are supposed to be buried. The workmen report that an additional piece of the roof fell and several men who were at work removing the debris narrowly escaped being buried beneath it. The work of removing the old timbers progresses very slowly, and the bodies of the men, if there, will probably not be reached before Sunday.

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 Hon. Geo. D. Perkins, congressman, Sioux City, Iowa.

PENSION INVESTIGATION.
 Secretary Bussey on the Witness Stand Yesterday.
 WASHINGTON, March 4.—Secretary Bussey, of the interior department, was yesterday before the special investigation by the committee. Enloe, after eliciting the information there were a number of complaints from pensioners of delaying the adjustment of their claims, asked if an order had been issued practically taking the issue force from work under the old laws and putting it to work on the adjudication of cases under the dependent and disability act of 1890. Bussey denied the entire force was so employed, but added a large number of claims arising under the old law, in which the evidence was insufficient to meet its requirements, had been adjudicated under the new law through an order issued by himself to the commissioner in 1883. Enloe then examined Bussey with reference to the "completed files" order, which it was charged was issued at the request of Pension Attorney Lemon, and gave Lemon a considerable advantage in prosecuting claims. Bussey said he believed the order facilitated the adjudication of claims. It was true that many claims found by the board of review to be incomplete were put on the completed files, but no cases that were known in advance to be incomplete were put there. Witnesses did not know from whom the order originated. He had heard before it was issued that the experiment had been made on some of Lemon's cases. Practical experience, Bussey declared, had demonstrated that under the "completed files" order greater efficiency was observed than under the former methods.

INSULTING TO US.
 England's Attitude on the Behring Sea Question.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—The Behring sea matter has assumed a most serious phase, and public officials make no attempt to disguise their grave concern at the outcome. It was developed today that Lord Salisbury's proposition with regard to the present season not only to open Behring sea outside of the 30-mile zone from Pribyloff islands, to indiscriminate sealing, but to limit the catch to be within that belt, including, of course, the shores of the island to 30,000 seals. In the language of a prominent official, regarding this proposition: "Wholly unfair, arrogant, and even insulting to our country."

The Typhus Fever.
 NEW YORK, March 5.—The worst case of typhus fever yet reported was found in a five story tenement occupied by eighteen families. Mrs. N. Thomson is the stricken one. She contracted the disease by coming in contact with immigrants. She was removed to North Brother's Island. Abraham Jesse, proprietor of the lodging house, where several typhus patients were found, has been stricken with the disease.

Sentenced Today.
 PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 5.—Ex-Mayor Wyman, of Allegheny, convicted of extortion while in office, was sentenced today to pay costs of prosecution and undergo three months imprisonment in the county jail.

Cotton Banned.
 LIVERPOOL, March 5.—A block of six story cotton warehouses were completely burned this morning. Loss will be very heavy.

A Chinaman Roughly Handled.
 NEW YORK, March 5.—A Chinaman was roughly handled by a mob of angry Italians, and but for police interference might have been killed. He is Ah Jiah, a laundryman, and is accused of having attempted to assault a 10-year-old Italian girl named Amelia Menola.

Killed in a Collision.
 BERLIN, March 5.—An express train from this city and a goods train collided yesterday at Bromberg. The driver, stoker, and a passenger were killed and several passengers were injured.

Springer Out of Danger.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—Last evening Dr. Verdi said Mr. Springer continued to improve steadily, and he considered him out of danger.

CRISP AND REED.
 The Ex-Speaker and the Speaker Have Some Words.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—Greek met Greek in the house yesterday, and for a few minutes a lively parliamentary colloquy was carried on between Speaker Crisp and ex-speaker Reed over the vexed question of "no quorum." The entire day had been consumed in desultory consideration of minor measures, and Kilgore, of Texas, introduced a recess until 8 p. m. On division the vote stood 85 to 83.

Minister to Japan.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—It is learned that no appointment of minister to Japan will be made by the president until there has been an investigation of the charges made against Major Bonebrake, of Los Angeles. The charges made relate to the case of the Semi-tropical Irrigation company.

Narrow Escape.
 LATHROP, Cal., March 5.—At 2:40 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in the Banner hotel, owned by T. Flanagan. The house, which was insured, burned to the ground. The guests in the house barely escaped with their lives. A party named Lewis jumped from an upstairs window in his night clothes, but only got scorched and his hair burned a little.

REAL ESTATE MOVEMENTS.
 January transfers.....\$170,220 50
 February transfers.....203,074 65
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 E H White and wife to Geo W McBride and F C Barker, quit claim to 8.82 x Denny H Honder d c, \$1.
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 Pacific Land & Orchard Co, to Walker B Ray, it 5, 8, East Salem Fruit Farms, \$1444.
 T G Jones and wife to Wm E Burke, it 1, 2, 3, 4, blk 7, Pleasant Home ad, \$1000.
 Thos Van Scoy and wife to Wm E Burke, 334 feet on Commercial street, blk 48, Salem, \$4900.

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 A A Kraft, Sacramento.
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 E M Carr, Mrs Cunningham, Seattle.
 F S Rogers, J H Brook, A F Sears, Jr, A B Colby, J T Rasmussen, H L Wells, Portland.
 M A Beagle and wife, Pendleton.
 C McConner, Silverton.
 Wm Rikaris, Albany.
 M Small, Silverton.
 J Tat, Creswell.
 V H Reed, H J Parker, Turner.
 J J Woods, H Jones, A Kilgore, D Oulek, J A Bishop, H Bishop, R McDouald, W McCormack, O P Graham, Portland.
 S W Cunningham, Oregon City.
 G H Horsfall.

SENATOR HILL'S SALARY.
 He Refuses to Draw More Than is Exactly Due Him.
 WASHINGTON, March 5.—There was quite an interesting episode in the rooms of the secretary of the senate after the vote on the Idaho case had been taken. Senator Hill strolled into the room and remarked that if convenient he would like to draw a little money. The secretary of the senate, who is General Anson G. McCook of New York, is the disbursing officer of the senate. He draws monthly from the treasury a sufficient amount to pay the salaries of members, and with the beginning of each session draws enough to pay their mileage and stationery allowance. Senator Hill's request was promptly responded to by Secretary McCook's disbursing clerk, who placed before him vouchers for an amount aggregating about \$6000, and asked him to sign them. "Oh, no," said the senator, "I want a voucher for my salary from the day I was sworn in, in January, 1892, up to the end of February. This is your usual pay day, is it not, the 3d of the month?" The clerk said it was, but went on to remark that they had a certain amount standing on their books to the credit of the New York senator, and to pay out only a portion of that amount would cause confusion both in their bookkeeping and that of the treasury department. With some brusqueness of manner, Mr. Hill said this was none of his business; they must keep their books to suit themselves; he wished to draw his salary for the actual time he had served in the senate, and not one cent more. After some further parleying, the clerk made out a voucher for \$897.09, and Mr. Hill signed and took a check for that amount in full payment of all his claims upon the senate salary and mileage fund up to date; \$778 of this amount was for salary from January 8 to February 29, and the balance was for mileage. The disbursing clerk stated afterward that the balance left undrawn was \$4320, which would in due course by operation of law be converted back into the treasury.

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 10 acres of land 5 1/2 miles south of Salem (postoffice) best fruit land, nearly all cultivated. There will be 1000 acres set to fruit, immediately adjoining this tract, this spring; price, \$50 per acre, \$100 cash, balance easy payments.
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 Choice of 25 ten acre fruit tracts six miles south of Salem (postoffice) best fruit land, very desirable location; springs and running water, adjoin the Oregon Land Company's model 100 acre orchard farm, three miles from steamer landing. First choice \$60 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance on eight years time, enabling purchaser to pay for land out of the fruit crop. This land will be set out to fruit trees and cultivated two years in a first-class manner, by the Willamette Valley Fruit Growing company so that a two year old orchard, complete in ever respect, will cost the purchaser \$125 per acre, including a good fence around it.
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 19-30-100 acres cultivated land with house, spring and orchard 3 miles from Turner, \$60 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance in three equal annual payments.
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 16-98-100 acres cultivated land, running water on land, \$40 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance in three equal annual payments. First payment taken in work.
 39-68-100 acres pasture and timber land, all good land, with running water, 3 miles from Turner, \$25 per acre.
 6 fruit tracts ranging from 12 to 14 acres each, all cultivated, 200 fruit trees on each lot, land all plowed, \$45 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance in three equal annual payments. Work such as carpenter work, cutting wood, making rails, building fence, setting out and cultivating trees taken in part payment on land; also horses, harness, wagons, or buggies taken in part payment on land. Also good city property, when unencumbered by mortgage or other claims, taken in part payment on land.

Had the Wrong Man.
 NAPAI, Cal., March 5.—A dispatch has been received here from Sheriff McKennie, at Ukiah, stating that Captain Greenwood said the man Martin, suspected of the murder of Mrs. Greenwood, was not the man.

A Suicide.
 BOSTON, March 5.—David Stambaugh, commander of the British steamer Otomas, which arrived from Liverpool yesterday, ended his life by shooting himself. No cause is known for the act.

MARKETS.
 SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Wheat (lower season) \$1.05.
 PORTLAND, March 5.—Wheat valley, \$1.55@\$1.60; Walls Walls, \$1.50@\$1.55.
 CHICAGO, March 5.—At close wheat was easy cash, 87 1/2; May, 93 1/2.

Issues a Challenge to Fight Anybody Except a Negro.
 ST. PAUL, March 5.—John L. Sullivan today issued a challenge to fight anybody either in the last week in August or the first week in September this year at the Olympic club, New Orleans for a purse of \$25,000, and an outside bet of \$10,000. The winner of the fight is to take the entire purse. Sullivan addresses the challenge particularly to Slavin, Mitchell and Corbett. He states however, he will not fight a negro.

Examination Continued.
 CHICAGO, March 5.—The proceedings today in the case of Dr. Martin Scudder, arrested for the murder of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Dunton, was continued on week. Attorney Wilbur for defendant said he had not had time to examine into the sanity of his client and therefore asked for a continuance. The request was granted, and the case will come

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 THE assessment roll for Marion county, for the year 1901, has been placed in my hands for collection. Taxpayers will please come forward and pay their taxes, as they will soon be delinquent, and costs added. E. M. CROGAN, Sheriff and Tax Collector, Marion county, Salem, Ore., Feb. 17, 1901.

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