# RETIRES FROM NAVY

Rear-Admiral Bowles to Head Shipbuilding Firm.

PRESIDENT FILLS VACANCY

Chief of Bureau of Construction and Repair Will Be L. W. Capps, Now on Duty at New York

FRANCIS TIFFANY BOWLES. Born at Springfield, Mass., October 7, 1858; graduated from United States Naval Academy, 1879; associated with the building of the new navy since its

navy yards at Norfolk and New York. active in introduction of civil service reform in employment of labor navy yards.

Member of the Institute Naval Archi. tects, London. Phincipal organizer, member of council, secretary and treasurer of Society of Naval Architects of New York.

Resigned, October 26, 1900. 

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.-Rear-Admira Francis Bowles, Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair of the Navy Department, today tendered his resignation as an officer in the United States Navy to the President and requested it to take place November 1. Consctructor L. W. Capps, now on duty at the New York navy-yard, has been selected by the President for the vacancy.

Admiral Bowles is leaving the naval service to accept the presidency of a private called on the President today, accompanied by Secretary Moody, and verbally tendered his resignation. This will be foilowed by a formal tender, when the ap-pointment of his successor will be official-

Secretary Moody, is announcing the reignation of Admiral Bowles just before his departure for Massachusetts, late today, said it was received with profound regret, not only by himself, but by the President. The Admiral's private reasons aid the Secretary, compelled acquiescence

Admiral Bowies, who was present in the Secretary's office at the time of the an-nouncement, said that after 25 years of service, he regretted to leave the Navy in which his duties had been so admirably agreeable. The offer of the presidency of shipbuilding company which has been ade him, however, he added, presented opportunities to continue his professional work, and would permit him to live in his native state, and he therefore thought he must accept. The Admiral has had the matter under consideration for several days, but announcement of his intention was withheld until his successor had been determined on by the President and Sec-retary Moody. Admiral Bowles, as Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, which position he had held since March. 4, 1901, was a member of a naval board on

Naval Constructor Capps entered the ervice in 1880, and has been on duty at he New York navy-yard since March, 1901. Admiral Bowles expects to continue actively on duty until the date of his reinquishment of the administration of the office of Chief Constructor.

### OFFICE TO BE INVESTIGATED.

New York Will Be Visited by Inspectors at Once.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.-A special in vestigation of the New York Postoffice will begun within a few days by Inspectors working under the direction of Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Bristow The inquiry is supplemental to the general postal investigation recently concluded and is likely to occupy at least a month and probably longer.

It is stated at the Postoffice Depart-

ent that no charges are on file regardbeen many reports of laxity of admin istration and extravagance and all these will be looked into. The President has will be looked into. The President has taken on Interest in the New York Postoffice situation, and, it is understood, has talked the matter over with Postmaster-

Postmaster-General Payne tonight said the investigation had been contemplated for a long time, and the only reason it had not taken place before now was the inability to spare inspectors. He suggested that other large offices likewise would be investigated. Mr. Bristow declined to discuss the matter in any way,

### For New Extradition Treaty.

PARIS, Oct. 26.—Carrying out instruc-ions received from Washington, Ambassador Porter has begun negotiations in additional clause in the extradition ireaty between the United States and enviable Houdon is now 'Le Baiser.' Copprend to the company of the control of the contro will take some weeks, but the informal boys. The original at this moment in conferences indicate the willingness of Paris is worth 190,000. Well, there are the French officials to make the desired seven or eight 'originals' lying by quietly the French officials to make the desired seven or eight 'originals' lyin extension. It is doubtful, however, to be brought out in due time. extension. It is doubtful, however, whether they will be willing to make the clause retroactive so as to include bribery committed before the clause goes into The Ambassador is seeking to expedite the negotiations, and the French authorities are manifesting a desire to most fully the wishes of the United

Contracts for Battleship Armor.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Secretary Moody today decided the long-standing question of the awards for furnishing armor for the battleships Vermont, Kan-sas, Minnesota, Mississippi and Idaho. The Midvale Steel Company gets the contracts for supplying 6000 tons and the Carnesie and Bethlehem Companies a contract for supplying 5000 tons each. The bids of the Carnegie and Bethlehem Companies were identical namely, \$6,-990,000, the delivery to begin in nine months, while the Midvale Company's bid was \$6,606,932, delivery to begin in

Admiralty Has Jurisdiction. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 .- Justice Brown,

of the United States Supreme Court, to-day delivered the opinion of the court in the case of Clara Perry vs. Cornelius L. Haines, involving the question as to whether the admiralty jurisdiction of the Federal courts extends it to canals and canal-boats. The court held that it did. Justices Brewer, Harlan, Peckham and the Chief Justice dissented.

Corbin Assumes New Dutles.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28 .- H. C. Corbin, Adjutant-General of the Army, who was ap-pointed to relieve General Chaffee as Commander of the Department of the East, assumed his new duties today,

Freedmen Indian Case Advanced.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.-In the United States Supreme Court the Solicitor-Gen eral entered a motion today to advance the hearing in the case of the Chickasaw Freedmen vs. the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation, involving the question as to Nation, involving the question as to the grain and maiting business whether the freedmen are residents of out the country, died today.

the Chickasaw Nation and therefore en-titled to share the Chickasaw lands. The case was decided against the Freedmen by the Court of Claims

Dietrich on Needs of Alaska. LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 25.—Senator Charles H. Dietrich and his daughter, Miss Gertrude, who have traveled 12,000 miles, going as far north as Icy Cape, Alaska, have returned home. The Senator's tour was for the purpose of investigating con-ditions in Alaska. He recommends the establishment of a railroad from Valdes, on the South Coast, to Engle City, in the Dawson neighborhood, in order that an American city may be made the distributing point, and he recommends Gov-ernment aid in this project.

Young Returns From Fort Riley. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26,-Lieutenant General Young, Chief of Staff, has re-turned to Washington from Fort Riley, Kan., where he inspected the troops engaged in the maneuvers. He says the conduct of the troops, regular and state was highly creditable.

RARE ANTIQUES TO ORDER.

Expert French Artisans Turn Out "Originals" by the Thousands.

London Leader. In the stately home of many a multimil-ionaire there are costly antiques for which there have been paid fabulous sums. If the truth were known, it would show they were manufactured by clever Parisian artisans, who grow prosperous on the desire of the rich for curios. How cleverly these artisans work may

be illustrated by one incident. An anti-quary sent one of them a block of marble with instructions to imitate an object which he sent along. The artisan made the imitation, and made it look more gendine than the original. As a joke, he sent the imitation to the antiquary as the original. Afterward he carried back the original as the imitation.

The antiquary looked at the original and "It's a bit faulty. To be frank, it's a botched copy. I hardly care to take it."

The artisan looked at him and said:

'Why, it's the piece you gave me to opy."
And the antiquary became furious. As oon as he could recover his composure he informed the artisan that, of course he had known it all the time, and that he

had permitted the deception to be carried on simply to see how far the artisan would go with his impudence."

This same artisan showed plainly what craft is employed to manufacture these imftations. He explained thus:

"With wood you can do what you please You can make it worm-eaten and put dry rot into the carved parts. A chisel cannot work on dry rot. This defect can be used as a certificate of authenticity. One of my friends bought a bahut. He paid three experts to examine it, and they certified it o be genuine. Some time after he had it taken down to shift it to another room. In moving it a panel got broken, and he sent it to Pickard to be repaired. 'Good-ness me!' cried Pickard, 'It is the bahut that I made a few years ago.' The cab-hetmakers who work for antiquaries now ase the oak which had been employed in the beams and rafters of old houses. Forwho bought old tumble-down houses in Orienns and other provincial towns. They sold the rotten wood to manufacturers of ancient furniture for more than the house cost, and had the ground for nothing. I have another acquaintance who manufac tures timepieces for an antiquary at the | was aged 74.

rice of \$15,000 apiece.
"And for what does the dealer sell them? He alone could say. Such things are counted invaluable. The antiquaries sell them to dealers, who sell them to Park Lane millionaires and Americans There are now only these two classes of purchasers. Here and there a French millionaire springs up and wants to distinguish himself as a collector. One shoul leave to all such their illusions. The forged thing is as good as the genuine. forged thing is as good as the genuine.

Not long ago I took two pieces of furniture that one collector prides himself on
possessing for genuine things, until I became acquinted with the man who made the present day workman. I an now making a marble fountain, which will look the product of a far-back time. I give it patine by burning damp straw under it, and then I knock off a nose, or a finger, or leaves of a wreath. It is a great trial to artistic workmen to be obliged to mutilate their work in this way. feel awfully disgusted when we have dis-figured a statuette. But we can make

sometimes our profits are enormous; we have to be so conscientious and so attentive to details. The antiquaries can ask any prices they like. Their customers want antique by the lock of the cold-storage of the cold-storage of the cold-storage. ers want antique things to give the illu sion of having ancestors who flourished in far-back centuries. A present crase is for Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth century marbles. They are ugly, but they help to throw dust in the eyes of South African gold kings settled in Paris and African gold kings settled in Paris and American heliresses. The owner of the chateau de Rochefort goes in for such things. He paid dear to secure for his chateau marbles that I dare say are gen-uine, but so inferior in workmanship and conception that I would not stoop to pick

three times more money in working for

out of the mud, if by doing so could have them for nothing. "Houdons are now the rage, and have been for some time. Think of the prices to which they ran up those spurious graces on the timepiece bought by a Frankforter at the double sale. The most

The dealer who knows his business never parades his antiques in the front shop. He keeps them in the back mixed up with the rubbish. The emateur after hunt among things conspicuously dis played goes into the back shop to hunt. When he "discovers" the treasure he will bring it out. Then the dealer pretends that he had not paid any attention to that particular object and that he will have to ascertain its value before he can part

with it. By this time the collector's desire for possession is on edge, and he will pur-chase his "find" at almost any price. Amateurs sometimes as a favor are per-mitted to go through the living rooms of an antiquary. On every occasion they will make a "find." One dealer made a mint of money out of the Renaissance bed he slept on. He gave the collectors a chance to discover it. Because he was using it they thought he had not recognized its value.

### Free Togs for the Booster.

Philadelphia Record The wine booster and the cigarette tout are well known personages, but the fellow who gets his clothes for nothing by talk-ing up his tailor is a new one. Yet it is said that nearly all the fashionable billors now carry such adjuncts to their business. In Philadelphia society there are lots of impencunious young men of good family and high social standing who are not averse to accepting their clothes gratis, as a return for which they lose no opportunity to become the railor who they unity to boom the tallor who thus sup plies them. Of course these young men must be credited with reputations around town as heavy dressers, else the trans-action would be a dead loss to the tailor. But there are sufficient quantities of them with more blue blood than ready to make the practice worth while to the honest tailor.

Well-Known Grain Broker

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. M.-Frederick Kraus, aged ® years, a member of the Chamber of Commerce, and well known in the grain and malting business through-

## ACTIVE CHURCH WORKER

DR. THOMAS FRAZER DIES AT HIS HOME AT OAKLAND.

Founded First Presbyterian Church at Portland, and Hundreds of Others in the Northwest.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.-(Special.) -Rev. Thomas Frazer, D. D., the oldest and best known worker in the Presby terian Church on the Pacific Coast, died at his home in Oakland yesterday at the age of \$2 from pneumonia. To the last he was active in religious affairs. He came to California in Octo-per, 1859. He founded hundreds of ber, 1859. churches in the Northwest, including the

First Presbyterian Church at Portland and the First Church at Seattle. In 1867 he was given the important sition of synodical missionary of cific. His territory was all west the Rocky Mountains. During his 15 years of service Rev. Mr. Frazer established more than 100 churches of the Presbyterian denomination in California

J. W. Stewart.

EUGENE, Oct. 26.—(Special.)—J. W. Stewart, one of the pioneers of this county, was instantly killed at Springfield this morning. The employes at the flouring mill went to open the gate in the millrace and Mr. Stewart being near volunteered his assistance. The gate is operated by a wheel after the style of an inverted windlass. In some manner Mr. Stewart fell, releasing his hold and the weight of the gate caused the wheel to reverse quickly. One of the arms of the wheel struck him on the head, crush-ing the skuil and killing him instantly He was a highly respected citizen, welknown throughout the Upper Willamette Valley, and for nearly 20 years was en gaged in the general merchandise ( ness in Springfield, and was one of the town's leading citizens. He was a brother of Mrs. J. S. Luckey, Mrs. T. G. Hendricks and John Stewart, of Eugene.

Death of a Recluse.

HILLSBORO, Oct. M .- (Special.)-John arsons, a recluse bachelor, was today ound dead in his house in East Hills-Deceased had not been seen sine last Friday, and indications are tha death must have ensued some time Fri day night. Parsons came to Oregon in 1847, and crossed the plains with the late George Sigler. He was about 75 years of age, and had resided here continuously since coming to the Coast. his neighbors failed to see him When morning, Calvin Briggs, who lives with a daughter on an adjoining lot, gave the alarm. Investigation followed, and the doors were found locked. Parsons was found in his kitchen, flat on his back. The rats and mice had gnawed holes in his face and throat, and had eaten pleces out of his hands. So far as can be de-termined there was no foul play.

Deaths at Walla Walla. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Oct. 26 .- (Sp. cial.)-Mrs. E. M. Leitch died last night

after a long illness. Her son R. D. Leitch is foreman at the John Stack establish Mrs. Martha Buehler, a native of Switz erland, who has been in this country since 1854, died yesterday, Mrs. J. H. Coyle, Mrs. John Muell and George Buehler, are her children living here. She

CAUGHT IN ICE JAMS.

Steamers and Cargoes Worth \$2,000.

000 Will Probably Be Lost. SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Dawson says steamers and cargoes valued at more than \$2,000,000 remain exposed to the perils of the Yukon ice and frost, with little hope, of being got to safe places for the Win-ter. Nine steamers, six on the Upper River, all bound for Dawson, are stranded on bars and delayed by ice jams. Three of the Upper River steamers have full es of perishable provisions, worth in the aggregate \$100,000. These perishables are certain to be ruined by frost.

The steamers Columbian, Victorian, Zealandian and Bailey are stuck on bars about 100 miles above Dawson. It is im-The ice jams may damage or ruin the steamers and their perishable cargoes are sure to be a total loss.

A telegram from St. Michael says the big packet, Will H. Isom, built at Seattle

The cold-storage steamer Kerr, with 200 tons of refrigerated means, is stalled below Eagle, and will not get through this same evening all the partisans of Presi-year. Her cargo is valued at \$150,000. An effort will probably be made to move the rested. The inhabitants of Monte Christi. meat by sleighs.

All the steamers bound up the Yukor

from White Horse got through the ice after a battle that continued for ten days. The last of them reached White Horse

The gold output of the Klondike for the past season is now figured at \$10,400,000. Fire broke out in the Orpheum Theater last night, practically destroying the and contents, entailing a loss of \$10,000. Six small stores in the building were damaged perhaps \$5000 more.

ONE GUN KILLS TWO.

Murder and Suicide In a Seattle Hotel.

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.-Crazed with knowledge that she had deserted him for Thomas Bullene, a well-known mining man of Nome, Claud N. Arbuckle, formerly a floor-walker in a local dry-goods house, tonight fired two shots into Gladys Grey, formerly a variety actress at Nome, in a room at the Hotel Cecil, and then blew out his brains. The woman will die. E. L. Robinson, a steamship purser, and Miss Ollie Bennett were visting Miss Grey in her room when Arbuckle entered in response to a note from Miss Grey to call The two quarreled, and Arbuckle drew his revolver and fired. The first bullet lodged in the girl's lung, and the second sho fired with the muzzle of the gun presse against her back, set her clothing on fire. Arbuckle then placed the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth and blew off the top of his head.

Not So Ready to Plead Gullty.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 26.—Clarence Leonard, wanted in East Orange, N. J., for the alleged forgery of his employer's name to a check for \$10,876, and who, with his wife, was arrested here yesterday at the leading local hotel, was arraigned in the Police Court this afternoon. pleaded guilty to the charge of having brought stolen money into Canada. This plea he withdrew after he had been questioned by the magistrate as to wheth-er or not he had fully considered his position, and the consequences of a plea of guilty. The Magistrate informed Leonard that the maximum penalty for the offense with which he is charged is seven years' imprisonment. Upon the withdrawal of the plea the case was remanded for one week. Mattle Miller, Leonard's wife, when asked to plead af-ter Leonard's position had been explained to her said that she also would like a remand. It was granted.

Believe the Children in a Trance. SALINAS, Cal., Oct. 26.-Mrs. Louis verson, who killed three of her children at Pacific Grove on Saturday, was today examined as to her mental condition. To the examining Justice she answered allquestions in a rational mood, but when asked about the tragedy her mind was a blank. She asked the doctors to go to a

sanitarium where the children lay in a trance, as they were sleeping too long. Finally she stated that by order of the Lord she had put them in a trance, and cried bitterly for them to be brought to

they lay dead at the morgue.

Other evidence showed that Mrs. Iverson had been alling mentally for three months. She was afraid she was becommended the statement of the stateme ing irreligious, and was very solicitous about her children's spiritual welfare. She was committed to the Agnews Hospital for insane, and sent there at once. Her father, who was prostrated when he heard of her crime, has nearly recovered, but it warr feeble. but is very feeble.

Two Seeking Divorces. OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 26.—(Special.)

After three months of married life, Meivina Saum, who became the bride of George Saum, Sr., at Portland, July 21, last, asks for a dissolution of the marital

ties and for a division of the property of the defendant, who is estimated to be worth \$8000. In her complaint, filed today, the plaintiff represents that her husband compelled her to perform hard and severe labor when she was physically unable to do so, and in addition called her many bad Fayette T. Biake, of Portland, desires a

divorce from Grace P. Blake whom

married in Portland in November, 1898

He claims that she frequently left home without his consent and remained away

as long as her pleasure dictated. These

temporary absences, complains the hus

band, finally terminated in desertion.

Haynie Trial Postponed. SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 26.-The trial of Harold Haynie, the alleged highwaymar of Seattle, which was to have come up in the Superior Court today, was continued until Wednesday at the request of the prosecution. Two other criminal cases were given preference over the Haynie case. Mrs. Haynie was in court as well as her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, and Mr. Haynle, father of the accused young man. The boy's mother is at present dangerously ill at her home

Haynle's attorney, Fred Dale Wood, objected to the prosecution introducing any more witnesses at this late date, but Judge Bell allowed them to be heard. The courtroom was filled with spectators this afternoon waiting for the trial to be

Would Have Been Rich in a Month. SEATTLE, Oct. 28.-Had Alexander Morrison lived another month he would have received \$25,000 as his share of an estate left by his father when he died at Ox-ford, England, some years ago. This is confirmed by letters from Morrison's sister, found by Coroner Hoye among his effects today. Morrison was the cook at the Apex Mining Company's camp, who, on Friday night, fell from a bridge near Berlin and was killed. His body still lies at a local morgue pending Oxford.

Eight Years for Highwaymen. TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 28.—John Mc-Donald and Mike Ross, the two young highwaymen, 18 and 19 years of age, who held up seven miners near Fairfax and later were captured in bed at Carbonado with purses of \$250 in gold in their stockings, were each sentenced by Judge Snel today to eight years in the penitentiary.

Circuit Court at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—De-partment No. 1, of the Circuit Court for Linn County, was convened this morning in Albany by Judge George H. Burnett Work was commenced on a very light docket, containing but three criminal cases, and the business of this department will be completed soon.

REBELS TAKE SANTIAGO.

Dominican Republican Outbreak Is Feared.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Oct. 26.-The town of Santiago, in the Dominican Republic, was surrounded this imorning by insurgent troops under the command of Gen-eral Epifanio Rodriguez. After severe fighting, which lasted for several hours, and during which a number of men were wounded, the revolutionists triumphed, and Santiago fell into their hands.

The revolution, which has broken out in the northern part of the Republic of Santo Domingo, and which has already Mr. Bryan would not have it, and the resulted in the establishment of a pro-reason is plain. Mr. Bryan is a lawyer, visional government at Puerto Plata It has never been in this state, nor where under General Morales, was caused, ac-cording to advices received here, by the numerous custom-house frauds and evarications of the Ministers of War

and Foreign Office. The signal for the outbreak of the reolt was given at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon by three cannon shots. La Ligne and Loca united and attacked Santiago. Telegraphic communication be tween Santiago and La Vega has been

The revolutionary outbreak is extending and the general opinion is that the gov ernment of President Wos y Gil is out. President Deschamp has arrived here a small sailboat from Monte Christi. He has abandoned the government.

LAWYERS COME TO BLOWS. One Now Threatens to Tell Grand Jury All He Knows of Boodling.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. M.-This afternoon grand jury resumed its investigation into the charges made by James T. Roberts against James L. Blair. Roberts was

ong several witnesses summoned by the Judge J. A. Seddon, an ex-law partner of James L. Blair, who succeeded the lat-ter as general counsel of the World's Fair, and Ralph C. Kann, an employe of Sed don & Blair for many years, also appeared

in response to a summons, There was a sensational encounter out side the grand jury room between Judge Seddon and Roberts. The former had, it was reported, repudiated an interview at-tributed to him. This made Roberts an-gry, and he said:
"You have forsaken me. I'll go before

the grand jury and tell all I know.'
This afternoon one of the attendants who came outside of "Stancote." the Blair ome, for a breath of fresh air, stated that Mr. Blair was in a critical condition; that he was unconscious, and be had never fully regained consciousness since his fall.

Killed by Explosion of Locomotive. LANCASTER, Pa., Oct 26.—Two men were killed and two faully injured by the explosion today of a freight locomotive on the Pennsylvania Railroad near could write such a letter as this, Rohrerstown. The Conductor James Rowman. Fireman Leslie A. Heim.

Mrs. Burdick is Given Estate. BUFFALO, Oct. 26.-Surrgate Marcas to morrow will hand down a decision by which Mrs. Burdick, widow of Edwin L. Burdick, will gain full control of the property left by her husband. The will was drawn after the divorce proceedings were begun by Mr. Burdick. Under its

Fatally injured: Engineer Lutz, Brake

provisions, Mrs. Buridek was cut off with-\$50,000 Fire in Louisiana Town. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 26.-A \$50,000 fire

at Amite City, La., today consumed 14 residence and business houses. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Lexative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. He said: "It is incumbent upon me to respond

W. J. BRYAN HIT HARD

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prise at the course taken by your counsel money left you in the trust. From the conduct of your attorney, I am satisfied, that being one of the Gold Democrats who left us in 1896, and not at all in sympathy with the political views of your hus-band and myself, he is willing to defeat Mr. Bennett's purpose if it can be done, no matter how plainly that purpose is set forth.

Tour niece's disappointment at Mr. Bennett's failure to specifically remember his namesake, together with the fact that your niece and her mother received less than was expected, seems to have influenced that branch of the family to attempt to defeat the plans and long-standing plan of the testator. Disappointment can also account for the half brother's willingness to defeat the will, but as my proposed arrangement gives you practically as much as you could secure by attacking the \$35,000—I voluntarily offered you the income on about \$20,000 as long as you needed it and I did not and by defeating the will you would only get absolutely \$25,000, less lawyer's fees and inheritance tax, as I say, you would profit but little.

I am satisfied that your action is due to the persuasion of a lawyer unfriendly to the political views of Mr. Bennett and myself, and to the persuasion of relatives whose disappointment has made them indifferent to the wishes of their benefactor.

Tour expression of confidence in me and the

willingness of Judge Stoddard to defeat Mr. Bennett's purpose has led me to reconsider my decision on the executorship. I wish you would, therefore, delay action until further notice. I want to consider the matter further. I may decide to serve until Mr. Sloans is ready to set, for I want a friend of Mr. Bennett connected with the administration of the estate If I retire in favor of any one, I think it ought to be some one who sympathing with his views, or Mr. Hloane, who was designated by him and who was his intimate associate I told you I would not, against your wish, accept the sum intended for me personally, but, knowing that he gave to his relatives all he thought he ought to, I am not willing that they shall defeat his purpose if I can help it, and I am unwilling that they should put in my place an executor who will go into office

THE PORTLAND.

W H O'Neill, Cago | S M Maynard, N Y J Goodfriend, N Y | S L Hals, Baker Cty H J Rothey, Seattle Miss A Wilson, D M A Bethel, N Y | S L Hals, Baker Cty H J Rothey, Seattle Miss A Wilson, D M Mrs I Harrison, S F G C McPherson, K Y G C McPherson, K Y H H Ammitton, Alam W B Sommer, La Gd J F Cutter, S F H M H Hamilton, Alam W B Sommer, Chap O G A Smitley, Olymp C Storch, N Y H H Hamburger, S F E A Demonlin, S F H S Clair, N Y S Neider, do G W George, Barber G W George, Barber G W George, Barber G W George, Aurora W George, S P H Jones, Seattle S Ellenshutz Chap D H Jones, Seattle S Ellenshutz Chap D H Sanborn, K C W E Bliven, Tacoma L Burkhardt, Jr., Vanc G L Myers, city F W Eckstrow, do G L Myers, city L F Roberge, St Paul T L F Roberge, St Paul T L F Roberge, S Paul pledged to try to defeat the will,

Just what I shall do in regard to the
executorship, I shall decide before the day set for the probate, but I thought I had better notify you, as I had told you I would not serve at all. I enclose a notice that not serve at all. I enclose a notice that you can give to Judge Stoddard. You can use your own judgment about showing this to any one, or keep it as confidential. Please write me as soon as you see the sealed let-ters, as they might possibly clear up the matter. Wishing you health, I am, yours truly, W. J. BRYAN. truly,

After the letter had been read and admitted, Mr. Stoddard asked Mr. Bryan: "What conduct on the part of Mrs. Bennett's attorney did you refer to in this

"From the first time that I talked with you I was convinced there was more politics in it than law. That covers the

Q .- Have you any other reason for writing such a letter?

A .- That is sufficient. Denunciation of Bryan.

Mr. Hewitt, associate counsel for Mr. Bryan, then asked that the will be probated, and as part thereof the latter written by Mr. Bennett to his wife and found sealed up. Mr. Hewitt cited law in support of the contention that the will as found is valid in law, and that other forms called for by statute have been followed.

Attorney Stoddard then began his argu-

THE PERKINS.

W H Gardner, do
Mrs. Gardner, do
Eugene Vest, do
A C Connelly, Seattle
N F Wood, Sait Lake
Mrs. Wood, do
C H Peterson, de
Ora McMurray, Hicult
C D Jackson, Chicago
Mrs Jackson, do
Mrs Jackson, do
Mrs Robinson, The D
H A Shields, Troutdale
F T McConnell, Uma
R. P Kearing, S F
J E Martin, Seattle
F T McConnell, Uma
R. P Kearing, S F
J E Martin, Seattle
C T Amos, St. Louis
W H Hocalt, Baker City
Alloe Amy, do
L Wilbur, Snohomish
Mrs Wilbur, do
Geo Otts, Boston
Irs G J Maitkemper,
Terre Haute
Bert Messener, The D
L I Wakefield, Elimer
A E LeRgy, do
H G Hill, do
Mrs Tannie Enfer, Sal
Mrs W M Colvig
J H Deviln, Chicago
Mrs Vidle Van Patten
Salem
Frank J. Taylor, Ast
Cocil Oisen, Wal Wal
W K Thomas, Fargo
Mrs Thomas, 60
M McInnis, The Dailes
Ad Allen, Astoria
O P Hoff, Salem ment. After reviewing Mr. Bryan's testimony given last week Mr. Stoddard referred to Mrs. Bryan's training in law and to the fact that both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan are lawyers. He wild in part: "Mr. Bryan and his wife, with Mr. Bennett, arranged in Lincoln, Neb., a draft of this provision and framed this letter, which disposed of \$50,000 of Mr. Bennett's money. No member of Mr. Bennett's family was present, nor notified of the fact, and no man associated with Mr. Bennett in his business was present or notified of the fact. Mr. Bryan has told your honor that Mr. Bennett wanted to make a different disposition of the \$50,000, to give it to him absolutely. Mr. Bryan would not have it, and the reason is plain. Mr. Bryan is a lawyer. It has never been in this state, nor where the law controls, that a lawyer can write himself heir to a considerable fortune in the will of his friend which he prepares. To permit it would be a disgrace in any system of jurisprudence. The common law says that when a lawyer draws a will in which he obtains a benefaction he must show that the influence Mr. Bennett in his business was present

faction he must show that the influence which he exerted was not undue.

Declares It is Bryan's Will. "Is it any wonder, then, that when Mr. Bryan found himself confronted with this situation, when this matter came up between himself and Mr. Bennett, he would not permit Mr. Bennett to make provisions directly to his family. But this sealed letter does not state Mr. Bennett's will. It states Mr. Bryan's will. It was Mr. Bryan's desires that Mr. Bennett yielded to. Why, no man knows. That sealed letter speaks falsely, for it does not tell the truth of the arrangement between Mr. Bennett and Mrs. and Mrs.

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Mrs Moodworth, Buttev Bryan. "A solemn letter addressed to the wife of Mr. Bennett secretes from her the fact that \$10,000 was going to the wife of this man. Why was it? Did it enter into the calculations that Mrs. Bennett might object? Mr. Bryan knew perfectly well that the provisions of that section of the will are proscribed by law. In the shadow of her husband's death Mr. Bryan made an offer to Mrs. Bennett that when, as trustee, she should pay to him the \$50 .-000 bequest he would do certain things set forth in his letter to her, read in the testimony a few days ago.

He said he did not attempt a contest That is incredible in a lawyer writing himself heir to \$50,000 in a friend's will. The letter which he wrote foreshadows that he feared a contest. That letter introduced here tonight, after the contest had come, when it was apparent that he was not going to get that money, caused him to make one last despairing effort to get that widow to permit him to do as he pleases with the \$50,000. Except I saw it under his own handwriting, it would be incredible that any lawyer

"What right has Mr. Bryan to intimate that I am unfaithful to my client, or that I am unfair to my oath of office because of some miserable difference in political beliefs? Why does he go behind my back and say this to my client? He makes reference to attorneys' fees. To my mind, it marks the morality of the man. It shows how desperately he was driven in avarice to get this \$50,000. "Another branch of the case is abso lutely decisive, and that is the legal

Baby's bright eyes, rosy phase of the question. This sealed letter feature is a device, that brands the cheeks, firm flesh and sound whole transaction. It won't answer under limbs are the results of using the law that Mr. Bryan did not ask for the gift." Mellin's Food. Bryan in Reply. 14. Bryan rose to his feet as Mr. Stod-

You will be glad that you sent for a sample of Mellin's Food when you see how eagerly baby takes it. dard concluded, and in a stillness that was almost oppressive began speaking.

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to so much of the argument as comes under the heading of facts. There has

been nothing of the presentation of evi-

dence to justify us in the expectation that the will would be attacked on the ground

of undue faith. If it had been known

that that point would be presented, we

should have presented testimony on that point. There was no such intimation in

the testimony. But I am not surprised

in the language used by Judge Stoddard,

nor surprised that he has sought to draw

such inferences as he has. I wrote the

widow the letter that I did because I be-

"I am not surprised that he falls to

comprehend the interest in my principles

which my friend Bennett felt. There is no

cause for secrecy in this will. Mr. Stod-

dard seems to feel that everybody should

have been invited in when it was written.

But that is not the way wills are pre-

pared. People don't publish them, nor

do they perform their kindnesses in that

"During the campaign men like counse

for the contestants declared that I did not know the law; that I was no lawyer at

pliment of saying that I am a lawyer. Let him make every presumption that

can be alleged against a lawyer in such a

situation. There is no evidence that Mr. Bennett ever consulted me upon law

matters. Our friendship was personal, political and in the way of business." In the remainder of his speech Mr.

New York, where he executed the will, placed it in a safe deposit vault, and left

it there without alteration for three years

make such changes as he might have de-

He concluded his speech of more th

an hour's length with a tribute to Mr. Bennett's character and his memory.

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AN OCTOGENARIAN WHO USES DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Mr. Kindred Says They Cured His Rheumatism and That They Give Him Strength.

When old people are stricken with disease every practitioner knows how greatly the chances of successful treatment are diminished by the natural de. bility due to advanced age. This fact gives vital importance to the case of Mr. Amos Kindred, of No. 82 Jacques avenue, Worcester, Mass., who in his 84th year is enjoying good health and attributes it largely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Not only does he use them as a tonic, a purpose for which they have no equal, but he was cured by them of an acute disease, as related in the following interview

Mr. Kindred says: "Some time ago I was a suffered from inflammatory rheymatism. It was in my hands, legs and back, and my flesh was very sensitive. My hands were badly swollen, but my back troubled me most and sometimes was so bad that I could hardly get about. Once when I stooped over to pick up something I found I could not straighten up. For two weeks after that I could not stand up straight. It was a terrible affliction, and neither doctors nor ang medicines I tried gave me any relief. I kept getting worse, and my back grew so bad that I could not even turn over

in bed without help. "Then I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They fitted my case exactly and cured me. I have had no return of the rheumatism since then. I still take the pills occasionally, for a person of my age requires a tonic now and then, and I find that nothing gives

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of dioceses in the Southern States who have been attending the Pan-American conference of bishops of the Episcopal Church conferred today with a delegation of negro rectors and laymen regarding the question of a negro bishop in the United States. The meeting was executive, and no statement was given out, one bishop stating, however, that the solution of the quetion "is a long way off."

Train and Street-Car Collide. CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 26.-A freight train on the Cleveland & Pittsburg Railcrossing late this afternoon, resulting in

the street-car being wrecked and six or eight passengers badly injured.

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