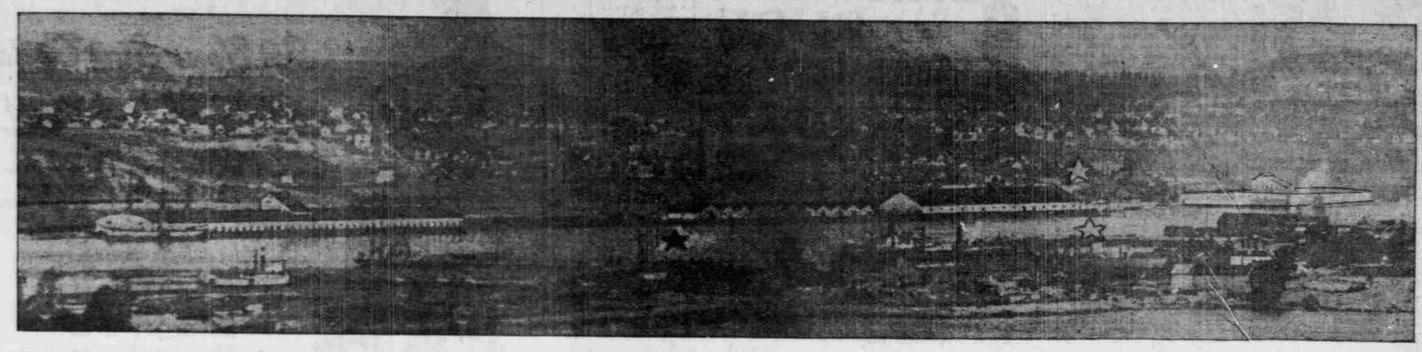
PANORAMIC VIEW OF THE PORTLAND WATER-FRONT BEFORE THE VISIT OF A DISASTROUS FIRE



# HEAVY LOSS IN ST. JOHNS FIRE

Aggregate Reaches Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Pireboat Does Much to Quench the Flames and Policemen Become Voluntary Firemen in Giving Their Assistance.

	LORE.	Inway.
Oregon Fir Lumber Company	60,000	
Two million feet of lumber owned by		
company	50,000	\$22,500
St. Johns Lumber Co	25,000	1011000
Lumber owned by		
company	2,000	9,000
Peninsular Wood Co.	6,000	
Jobes flour mill	200	******
Portland Woolen		
Mills Company	200	22111
Miscellaneous losses	2.000	

Fire at St. Johns destroyed two sawmills, threatened to destroy three other mills and many residences, and was only prevented from doing incalculable damage by the fireboat, George H. Williams, which was sent to the conflagration at 2 o'clock yesterday morning from Port-

seemed only to add fuel to the fire. Although St. Johns is out of the imme diate jurisdiction of the Portland police, Captain Balley of the second night relief sent Patrol Driver Price and a squad of six officers to the scene. The reports first received at the station gave it that the two sawmills, the oil tanks of the Standard Oil Company, and the entire waterfront was on fire. Feeling that the district was without police protection. Captain Balley sent his officers to pro-tect property and help fight the fire. Police officers turned firemen and rendered

## Heavy Loss by Fire.

The sawmills of the Oregon Pir Lumber Company and the St. Johns Lumber Com-pany, the former known as the Cone, and the latter as the Douglas plants, together with the woodyards of the Peninsula Wood Company, were totally destroyed by the fire. The loss aggregates \$140,000 with \$31,000 insurance. Some damage was sustained by the Jobes flour mills, but by the fire. it was not material. Losses by the fire are distributed as follows: Oregon Fir are distributed as follows: Oregon Fir Lumber Company, on mill, \$50,000; 2,000,000 feet of lumber in the yard, \$50,000; insur-ance on the plant, \$22,500. The St. Johns Lumber Company, Daniel Brecht's plant, loss, \$25,000; lumber in the yard, \$3000; in-surance on the mill, \$3000. Peninsula. Wood Company, loss, wood and eight wagons, \$3000; no insurance. Damage to Jobes flour mill about \$250, and the Portland Woolen Mills Company lost two wood wagons valued at \$300. The mis-cellaneous losses are about \$3000. The fire swept clear 1000 feet of

waterfront, and had it not been for the assistance from the Portland fireboat, the Central Lumber Company's plant and the Portland veneer factors, on the south, would have been destroyed also.

mill hose out as quickly as possible, and made an effort to stop the fire before it could sprend, but he soon saw that his one stream of water could not extinguish the fire, when he turned in an alarm.

## Telephone Portland for Aid.

The Portland fire department also boat was soon on the way to St. Johns. All the people of St. Johns turned out and almost average and Marketh Fruit, "C. D. Harvey, San Jose, Cal. and almost every man became a volunteer fireman. The Portland fireboat sopowerful streams turned on the Central Lumber Company's plant and checked the flames from going in that direction. P. D. Holman, of the Oregon
Fir Lumber Company, also tried to
stop the fire in that mill, but without
success, and soon the 1000 feet of water
front, covered by the two sawmills and
lumber rards back to the O. R. & N. Fir Lumber Company, also tried to stop the fire in that mill, but without lumber yards back to the O. R. & N. spur, were a mass of flames, Being on piles the mills burned rapidly, owing to the under draft. For a time Beebe & tend. Tremble's machine works on the north were in danger, but the fireboat turned on two powerful streams in that direction and saved the plant. The flames

dered, in checking and confining the

The St. Johns Lumber Company, owned by A. B. Douglas & Son, was cold to Daniel Provided to Daniel D sold to Daniel Brecht, the purchase price being \$30,000, but it is said that the deal had not been fully completed. Last week the Cone Sawmill Company became the Oregon Fir Lumber Company, George W. Cone having sold a two-thirds inteerst to N. J. Blagin, of Portland, but the deal had not been fully completed. None of the owners yesterday were able to say whether the plants would be rebuilt at once or not, but it is considered probable that one of the plants will be rebuilt. The destruction of the two mills is recognized as a severe blow to St. Johns. As to the origin of the fire, it is thought that it might have been caused PORTLAND SENDS ITS AID by a lighted cigar dropped by some one of the crowd who witnessed the fireworks on the Fair grounds the

night before. J. L. Smith, who was looking after Government light on the dock in which the fire started, had a narrow escape, and had to run through the fire to make his way out. He was cut off by a wall of fire, but managed to get through with some burns on the face

# BOYCOTT

CHINESE IMPERIAL EDICT IS PUBLISHED.

President Rooseveit's Message to President Wheelwright, of the Chamber of Commerce.

President William D. Wheelwright, of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, yesterday received the following telegram from Secretary William Loeb, dated at Syster Bay, in reply to a message sent President Roosevelt:

"The President has received your tele gram and is doing covrything that can be done in the matter. Following cable has just been received from Minister Rockbill: 'Imperial edict published yesterday states that the long and deep friendship between the United States Government and China has never been tried as now. 2 o'clock yesterday morning from Port-land. The tiny streams poured on the ised to revise treaty and people should flames by the mill company's apparatus cheerfully await action of both governmetits. Boycott wrong and harming friendly relations. It commands Viceroys and Governors to take effective action making them strictly responsible. Undoubtedly will have a good effect. Shangial reported yesterday situation improv-

> Mr. Wheelwright declined to state the exact character of his communication to the President, saying that it was a pri-vate message that had been sent by the Chamber of Commerce at the instigation of some other organization. It was in the line of a suggestion as to some course of action which the United States might follow out at Canton in relation to the present Chinese boycott. President Wheel-wright was much pleased with the reply, saying that it was in every way satis

Co-Operative League Convention. The National Co-Operative League convened yesterday morning in annual con-vention in the pariors of the American inn at the Lewis and Clark Exposition Delegates were in attendance from all parts of the United States, as well as those to the Patific Coast organization, which adjourned Thursday. The main object of the association is to promote (fade) relationship among the co-operative insti-tutions. Particular attention will be paid at this convention to perfecting the or-ganization made at St. Louis last year. Colin H. McIsaso, of the bureau of ex-cursions at the Lewis and Chirk Exposi-tion delivered the address of velocultion, delivered the address of welcome yesterday morning on behalf of President H. W. Goode, who was unavoidably absent. The response to the address of welcome was delivered by President N. O. Nelson. The regular routine was then taken up. The convention will end today. Among the important matters to be set would have been destroyed also.

The fire was first discovered by Night
Watchman Wetzel, of the St. Johns
Lumber Company's mill, yesterday
morning shortly before 2 o'clock, well
down under the dock and between the
fixed sawmills, where there was much
combustible material. Wetzel got the
mill hose out as guickly as possible.

Among the important matters to be settied is the place of meeting for next year.
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Fowler California, report of the National Fowler, California; report of the National Farmers' Exchange and its work, H. N. Gaines, Kansas; "Necessity of Wholesale Companies and Local Support," J. B. Merrill, Toledo, O.; "The American Co-Op-erative Exchange and Its Work," Bradford Peck, Lewiston, Me.; "Causes and Pailures of Co-Operative Institutions and How to Remedy the Same," James Bhodes, Lawrence, Kan.; "Fruitgrowers"

# Admiral Dewey Not to Attend.

Admiral George Dewey will not be pres-ent at the great naval sham battle which will be held on Guild's Lake, at the Lewis nevertheless disappointed when definite ord was received that he would not at-

## Labor Day Next Monday.

Labor day, which comes next Monday, is expected to be one of the big events of the Jobes' flour mill on the north, but were held back by streams from the fireboal. The fire burned itself out by about I o'clock in the morning. Much praise is given the fireboat for assistance renthered in the morning and afternoon, but at night of a' given the fireboat for assistance renthered in the morning and afternoon, but at night of a' oda.

Technical and Industrial Education Discussed.

#### SYSTEM IN UNITED STATES

Why It Differs From Those in Vogue in European Countries and the Results Achieved by American Methods.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* TODAY'S PROGRAMME AT EDUCA-TIONAL CONFERENCE.

General subject, "Colleges and Uni-President William P. Kane, of the University of Washington, will act as presiding officer of

Address, President P. L. Campbell, University of Oregon; subject, "Education and the State." General discussion will be opened by President Penrose, of Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash.

Address, Professor Samuel McCune Lindsay, Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania; subject, "Education for Ernclener and the Demands of Modern Business." William D. Wheelwright, president

of the Chamber of Commerce, will lead in a general discussion on edu-

Yesterday's subject at the Educational ongress now in session at the Lewis and Clark Fair was "Technical and Industrial Rogers, Assistant Commissioner of Education for the State of New York. Both men are prominent in National Educa- from a quarter to a half mile in width. tional affairs, the latter having delivered. As near as can be ascertained, no houses a masterly address at the Education Conwers burned, although several orchards gress at the St. Louis Exposition. Counwers rulned.

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FIREBOAT GEORGE H. WILLIAMS AT ALBINA DOCK

THREE STREAMS OF WATER WERE POURED ON THE FLAMES BY THE

Multnomah County, presided at the day's morning from an unknown source. With-session. In 15 minutes it covered several acres. The

by midnight.

The fire started about 9 o'clock in the

people of the neighborhood got alarmed and turned out by the hundreds to fight

Half Block Is Sold.

A half block on Ankeny, between

Fourth and Fifth streets, has just been purchased by H. Weinme for \$55,000. The

stable which now occupies these lots will soon be replaced by more valuable build-ings. The Marshall-Wells Hardware Com-pany has a building on the other half of

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE

Cures Nervous Disorders , Incomnia, Exhaustion and Rest Rebuilds the nervous system.

BOAT, WHICH DID EFFECTIVE WORK.

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ty School Superintendent Rebinson.

The address of President Bryan was de-

voted to a discourse on the development of practical scientific learning in schools

and colleges, during which he dweit on the progress made in this branch of edu-cation in recent years and the gradual decline of the old hidebound curriculum

which possessed nothing useful to the young mind as relating to modern condi-tions. According to President Bryan.

educators were slow to conceive the fac-

that education of the body was a corol-lary to training of the mind, and educa-

tors of the old school pursued a course tending to divorce the mind from the

Address by H. W. Rogers.

was the theme of Howard W. Rogers, who said in part:

The title of the paper implies the possibility of a change in school policy and school meth-ods. There is no reason why this problem

"Education in Reference to Our Future

for it is the principle upon which evolution and progress of men and of nations rest. The questions which are causing unesafines in the educational world may be stated briefly thus: In view of the truth that B6 out of every 100 children in the elementary grades do : enter the high school, and that three out every four children in the high schools do not so to a college, technical or professional school, and that only for the remaining one is there an opportunity to be fitted at public expense for his work in life, what should be

penne for his work in life, what should be done for the other 50 to give them a fair training for their future occupations?

The second question comes from the counting-room, the workshop, the factory and the field, and takes the following form: Can you not send us boys and girls from the elementary grades or from the high schools with some idea of practice and with a training to make them more efficient for work and leasen their period of instruction by us?

The characteristics which have marked the educational growth of the United States.

educational growth of the United States, namely, freedom from the trammels of creed and precedent and a responsive adjustment to the material needs of the country, are the strongest evidences of its meeting the demands of the country are the strongest evidences of its meeting the demands of the country.

#### mands of the future. Commends American Methods.

Mr. Rogers then elaborated on the merits of the American system of education as compared with that of the European countries, and demonstrated why this country should differ in style from the others, while siming at practically the same end. A sufficient amount of manual training should be introduced into the elementary and secondary schools, according to the New York educator. In order to familiarize all pupils with the processes, and that secondary schools be specialized in accordance with the three main divisions, education for the trades, education for compares and education for compares and education for compares. for commerce and education for agricul-

ing's session of the Education Congress there will be a regular meeting of the Western Division of the State Teachers' Association, at which there is considerable business of importance to be trans-

#### FIGHT BIG FOREST FIRE Lents and Evelyn Were for a Time

in Danger.

Lents and Evelyn had a narrow escape from being completely devastated by a forest fire yesterday. The fire started Education," and the principal speakers about a mile northwest of Lents, and were President E. A. Bryan, of the Wash-burned to a mile southeast of the town. Agricultural College, and Howard At one time it was in the very outskirts of Evelyn, and within a half-mile of Lents. The fire left a blackened path from a quarter to a half mile in width.

Japanese Will Buy Heavily When Prices Are Right.

THEIR STOCKS ARE LOW

Good Cargo Expected for the Portland & Asiatic Liner Numantia. Chinese Boycott Causes Cessation of Trade.

The export flour demand is very light at present, but with the old orders on hand and those expected in the next two weeks, it is probable that the Portland & Asiatic liner Numantia will go out with a very fair cargo. The Japanese are ing some buying in a small way, and as soon as they are satisfied that prices will go no lower, they can be counted upon to become heavy purchasers. Just now they are holding off for lower quotations. Prices given them for some time past have been steadily lowered and the cartious Adattor activities declined. the cautious Asiatics naturally declined to do business on a falling market. That they will buy heavily when they think that bedrock is reached is almost certain, as it is known that stocks of flour in the islands are light. It is also probable that ney will make considerable shipments of heir holdings to Vladivostok and other orts, as their antagonists have been un-

has been abolished. Importers at those points are out of the Their stocks have run down to a low point, but, though opposed themselves to the boycott.
is making serious inroads on
finances, they are afraid to buy.

Flour shipments to the Orient from Portland in August, as compiled by the Merchants' Exchange, were but 13,292 barrels, as compared with 52,971 barrels August last year. Puget Sound also felt the effect of the lack of demand in Asia, having exported only 52,667 barrels last as against 207,200 barrels in Au-

Wheat shipments to California last month from Portland were 224,990 bush-els. compared with 215,583 bushels a year ago. Puget Sound ports sent 58.912 bushel-California in August, against 130,493 bushels last year.

SPOKANE CALLS HERE.

#### Pacific Coast Liner Helps Relieve Traffic Congestion.

The steamer Spokane, sent here by the Pacific Coast Steamship Company to help relieve the congestion of travel south-ward, arrived at Alnaworth dock at 6 o'clock last night from Seattle, and two-hours later salled for San Francisco. She took out 256 passengers from this city and also had 59 through passengers from

The steamer Valencia, also of the Pa-Coast Company's fleet, is due here r this morning and will leave for the south at 8 o'clock tonight with a full list.

The steamer Columbia arrived at 8 o'clock last night with a heavy passenger list and a full cargo of freight, and moored ahead of the Spokane at Ainsworth dock. The presence of the two steamers made things lively in that section for a while.

The case of the state vs. John F. Shorev, manager of the City Messention for a while,

## Eventful Passage of Henry Villard.

HONOLULU, Sept 1 .- The ship Henry Villard arrived here on the 19th, 217 days after she started from New York for this port, having made one of the longest and most eventful trips in her history. she encountered damaging storms at the start and abandoned the Horn route to go around the Cape of Good Hope. After sustaining further damage, she put in at Melbourne for repairs, spending 58 days there. On June 18, near Cook's Islands, here. she again encountered a gale which dis-abled her. It carried away her three topsails, a foresail and the main lower top. sail yard. The ship was leaking during most of her trip around a large part of the world.

## Mate Nelson Goes to Sea.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 1.-(Special.)
-Mate Nelson of the tug During, for whose arrest a warrant charging him with assault with intent to kill, was issued, has not been arrested, having gone with the tug on the ocean to look for a tow. Officers at Westport, Hoquiam and this city are watching for his return, which may be several laws. the fiames. At one time it is estimated there were 1000 people fighting the fire. The houses and barns, in the path of the fiames, were saved from total destruction by back fire. The fire was under control which may be several days yet.

## Water ship Iris Off for Orient.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1 .- (Special.)-The United States distilling ship Iris came down from the Mare Island Navy-yard and passed out to sea today without giving any information as to her des-tination. She was towing a large barge. It is believed that the Iris is towing the barge to Honolulu whence she will pro-ceed to the Cavite and Olongapo naval stations in the Philippines.

#### for San Francisco, will be repaired here. It has been found necessary to discharge her cargo of sugar and place her on the marine railway. Marine insects had eaten into her planking so that much of it was rotten and the leak was a very

Sick Saflor Libels Schooner.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Sept. 1.-The schooler Alumna, belonging to the Simpson Lumber Company, has been libeled by F. S. Edlet, a sallor, who left the ship on her last voyage here from San Francisco. Edlet claimed to be sick at the time, and now wants to be paid wages.

#### Fears for Overdue Launch. TACOMA, Sept. 1 .- (Special.)-The new

launch Argosy, due at this port early yesterday morning with Captain Green and two boys aboard, has not returned, and fear for her safety is expressed by the owners. She was on her maiden trip, visiting up-Sound ports. Jap Line Orders 18 Steamers. GLASGOW, Sept. 1.-The Nippon Yuser

here, is placing contracts here for eigh-

ers with the Clyde Shipbul

#### Company.

Kaisha, through the Japanese

Domestic and Foreign Ports. ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 1 .- Arrived last night 30 A. M.-Steamer Acme, from Arrived at 8 A. M. and left up at 9 A. M.-Steamer Spokane, from Seattle. Arrived down at 6 A. M. and sailed at 2 P. M.—Schooner Virginia, for San Francisco Arrived at 10:15 A. M. and left up at 1 P. M. Stramer Columbia, from San Francisco, Arrived at 2:30 P. M.—Steamer Ascunsion, from San Francisco, Arrived at 6:20 P. M. and left up at 6 P. M.—Steamer Alliance, from Coop Bay. Condition of the bar at 6 P. M., amooth; wind southeast; weather cloudy. San Francisco, Sept. 1 .- Arrived at 5 P. M. Steamer St. Paul, from Portland. Arrived at 10 A. M.-Schooner O. M. Kellogg, from Port-

ports, as their antagonists have been unable to buy in outside markets for many months, and must need liberal supplies.

All these facts lead Portland shippers to believe that the movement in flour to Japan this Fall will be immense and that it will begin as soon as the prices named are satisfactory to both sides.

Not much business is expected with Hongkong and Shanghal until the boycott has been abolished. Importers at those

INFORMATION IS FILED AGAINST GEORGE MARSHALL.

Many Defendants for Various Offenses Appear in Court Entering Pleas of Not Guilty.

An information charging George Marshall with attempting to extort money said, C. A. Brady walked up to Ah Lin. from Kaspar Van Dran was filed in the State Circuit Court yesterday by District Alder streets, and struck him a vicious Attorney Manning. Marshall sought to obtain money by pretending to know something about the mystery surroundsomething about the mystery surrounding the death of Van Dran's wife, and geant Hogeboom and Policeman Craddock by intimating to Van Dran that he was connected with it. Marshall was arraigned before Judge Frazer, and was granted time until Tuesday to enter his plea. He said he did not have means to employ an attorney and did not think. to employ an attorney, and did not think

he required one. Ed Johnson and Tom McGlinn, pro

J. Guttman, a purse-anatcher who tried to take a purse out of the hands

Shorey, manager of the City Messen ger & Delivery Company, charged with violating the child labor law, was set for trial September 18. Beatrice Lewis, the negress who shot

a companion in a North End resort last month, and was arraigned a week ago, entered a plea of not guilty this morning, and her case was set for trial George Wilson, allas Jack Scott, charged with robbery, pleaded not guilty, and will be tried September 14. charged

charge of statutory rape, and pleaded ance, not guilty. His trial was set for September 8.

A. Swanson, charged with selling liquor to a minor July 4 at his saloon, at Twenty-third and Washington streets, appeared through an attorney and entered a pies of not guilty. His trial was set for September 13.

Grimes was proprietor of the alleged "blind-pig" raided at Montavilla a week ago, and falled to appear for armignmen:

Joseph Hayes, accused of assault and battery on his divorced wife. Augusta Hayea, entered a plea of not gullty and his trial was set for September is.

Andrew Hamilton, who conducted a matrimonial bureau, pleaded not guilty to a charge of emberziling 167 from W. B. Young.

## DUSINESS ITEMS.

Marine Insects Cause Leak.

HONOLULU, Sept. L.—The schooner W.

H. Marsten, which was compelled to reand diarrhoes.

If Raby Is Cutting Teeth
edy, Mrs. Winslow's Spothing Syray, for childran teething. It seethes the child, sections
the gures, allays all pain, cures wind colleand diarrhoes.

# ROAST FOR POLICE

Deputy City Attorney Fitzgerald Speaks His Mind.

# FAST CHAUFFEURS ESCAPE

He Declares That Arrests Are Made Only in Outlying Districts and Asks Why None Are Made Down Town.

Deputy City Attorney Fitzgerald took ecasion yesterday morning, during the ession of the Municipal Court, to "roast" the Police Department for failure of the patrolmen to arrest violators of the law against speeding more than eight miles an hour. He charged that practically all of the arrests for infractions of this nature had been made in the outskirts,

where life and limb were not so greatly endangered, and that in the business dis-tricts the officers had not been active. Mr. Fitsgerald's remarks were occasion-ed by the arrest of C. H. Snyder, by Po-liceman Neison, which took place at an early hour yesterday morning. The de-fendant pleaded guilty, and Judge Cam-eron imposed a fine of \$25, which is the

"What puzzles me is why the police are so active in the outskirts of this city regarding excessive speed of automobiles, while on the down-town thoroughfares cars go whizing about, chauffeurs violating the law every day of their lives, but never being arrested," said Mr. Fitsgerald. "Now, why is that?"

"I thought I did my duty when I arrested this man," spoke up Policem

"You did do your duty," replied Mr. Fitzgeraid, "but what is the matter with policemen on the down-town beats? Why is it that they never arrest drivers of au-tomobiles who daily break the law? In the crowded centers of the city, life and limb are endangered greatly, but the po-licemen can't make any arrests. This

seems very peculiar to me. "There were several people in the auto-mobile with the man I arrested," suggest-ed Policeman Nelson, "I feared they

would get hurt."
"The law is made to protect people who have to walk," replied Mr. Fitzgerald, "If people who ride in automobiles want to get their necks broken, why I guess we do not care very much; they would not endanger the public any longer, then." Without any provocation whatever, it is

blow on the jaw, causing a fracture. There was great excitement for a time, and several blow police whistles. persons who were in court as witnesses in the case of Neille Ryan, charged by

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knebel with assault prietors of the Tuxedo saloon, in Alder street, arraigned on a charge of allowing a girl under age to enter their saloon, appeared by Attorney Logan, and pleaded not guilty. Their trial was set for September 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knebel with assault and battery. The witnesses were ordered to report back for court at 9:30 yesterday morning, and did so. However, they got tired o. waiting to be called and took the liberty to leave before the case was taken up. This occasioned a delay, and for the court of the same transfer of the Tuxedo saloon, in Alder and battery. The witnesses were ordered to report back for court at 9:30 yesterday morning, and did so. However, they got tired o. waiting to be called and took the liberty to leave before the case was taken up. This occasioned a delay, and the court of the case was the liberty to leave before the case was taken up. This occasioned a delay, and the case of the case was the liberty to leave before the case was taken up. taken up. This occasioned a delay, and finally a continuance until next Wednes

Judge Cameron intimated, after in-structing Clerk Hennessey to Issue bench warrants, that something startling might happen when they are brought into court. It would not be surprising if fines were imposed for contempt. In the meantime, Miss Ryan, who had trouble before the Knebels, is under a peace bond of \$150.

Detectives Carpenter and Resing and Patroiman Stuart, after several days' work succeeded in securing sufficient evi-dence against A. Hamilton to warrant his arrest on a charge of arson. He is accused of burning down a barn at 380 East Madison street recently, for the purpose of securing \$300 in insurance, which He is charged with having held up W.

H. Gordon at the point of a pistol and robbed him on the night of June 26.

Frank Eastman was arraigned on a charge of statutory rape, and class.

Frank Rierdon, a saloonkeeper, will be held to the grand jury by Judge Cameron, as a candidate for the whipping-post. He was on trial yesterday on a charge of as-saulting his wife, and she took the stand against him. She told a harrowing story of alleged abuse, saying that Rierdon had repeatedly beaten her; that he had often pressed the muzzle of a revolver to her forehead and threatened to kill her; had cut her finger with a butcher-knife and otherwise misused her. She said that on a former occasion, when he was under arrest for striking her, she fled to Vancouver, Wash, and remained there until he could get the case disminsed in order to save him from the flogging he might otherwise have received,

Rierdon denies using any abuse, and ciaims his wife has been giving him a merry time of it. He exhibited scratches on his cheek, which he said were put there by the gentle fingernalis of the fair

#### complainant EXCURSION TO HAWAII.

A more delightful trip cannot be found than to these beautiful islands. The crater of Kilauea is one of the world's wonders, and now active? The S. S. Alameda salis from Ban Francisco for Honolulu September 9. Refuced round-trip rate, 1125 for this voyage. Tickets and information, 633 Market street, Ban Francisco.