

"Yes, sit; I was present."

"Before you admitted the officers did you warn your son who were coming to see him?

'No, sir; I just dressed, when they knocked, and took them to my son's room. Kerrigan usked my son if he was one of the boys that and been drinking with Beauchene, and my con said: 'No; you can see me any time about this.' " 'Did your son then know that Beauchene

was dead?"

dou't think he did. I heard after ward from somebody on the sidewalk that Beauchene was killed. I don't think my younger son, John, was with Beauchene that night. I suppose he goes into a sa-loon now and then." "Did you see any one near the body when

you first saw it? I did not

"Did you hear any scuffle as you approached1

"No, sir. There was a drunken man on Chapman street, but I do not know who he was. He was not able to sit up. I eard afterward that his name is White. am sure that my eldest son was not with Beauchene."

## Blow Killed Beauchene.

Dr. J. D. Fenton was the next witness, and he testified that the cause of Beau chene's death was a fracture of the skull. The fracture was about two inches to the left of the temporal bone, at an angle of 45 degrees to the body, standing erect." continued the witness. "There was another line of fracture extending from the upper point of the fracture line, as de-scribed, and running across the frontai bone to the inner point of the left orbit. re were no other marks of violence except three distinct lines, three inches in length, and one-half inch apart, on the up, over the seat of the injury. It is my opinion that death was instantaneous. and was due to a blow over the seat of the fracture, and was made by some instrument or weapon, so made as to prevent a laceration of tissues."

"Might not the injuries have been caused by a fall?" asked a juryman.

'I do not think so. If the man had lien, his shoulder or left arm would have fallen bla she caught first, and there were not any marks on them."

"Suppose he fell in front, then?" There would have been a frontal in-Jury."

## Testimony of Conductor Fones.

L. C. Fones, employed by the Portland Railway Company, and also a veteran of the war in the Philippines, testified: "I the war in the Philippines, testified: "I was the first man to see Beauchene. It happened this way: I stopped work at 11:50 o'clock, left my car in the barn at 11:52, and at 11:55 I was at the car junction again. I had just stopped to talk to Mrs. Darling, when Mrs. O'Keefe ran up, saying: 'My God, there's a drunken man lying across the sidewalk!" I said I would go across and look him up. He was lying on his face, about 100 feet from intersection of Chapman and Jefferson streets, opposite the Canyon Gardens, were hanging over the curb line. lifted him over and saw blood issuing from his nose. When I straightened him from his nose. When I straightened him up he gave a kind of a groan. I think his heart was still beating. I went back to the women and said I would call a pollceman. But just then I met Pollce-man Connors, and we went over to the man. Mrs. Darling and another woman said: 'Don't take him to the pollce sta-tion. Liquor has got the better of him.' Somebody suggested placing him in the Somebody suggested placing him in the

purade of troops on the Templehof Field.

The object of King Victor Emmanuel's visit, as explained at the Italian En namy, is that the young King is simply making his first call since his acces tion upon his friend, the Emperar; that such was the only purpose of his to Russia, and that it is quite probable that the King will visit France next year. Austria is not likely to be visited by King Victor Emmanuel, for the reason that Envieror Francia Joseph has never returned the late King Humbert's visit to because he wished to avoid offending the Vatican by seeing King Humbert in Rome.

As King Victor Emmanuel on his visit to Berlin will be attended by the Italian Premier, Signor Fanarde'li, the relations between Italy and Germany will naturally be discussed, but anything approaching negotiations with a definite object growing out of the question of King Victor Emmanuel's disarmament proposals, are for the Emperor's personal ear, and not official, and the fruitigeness of making them is slready well understood by the Ministers here. As for the rest, the Berliners are looking forward to a brilliant show.

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he could. I came back at midnight and Fones told me about the man lying on the sidewalk. We took the man up and he breathed. I did not think at the time that he was badly hurt, and I thought of sendwill be bereft of its last show he was badly nurt, and I thought of I got ing him down in the patrol wagon. I got some water from Mrs. Darling, and I standpoint, is deserted. The members of some water from Mrs. Darling, and I dropped some in his face and on his wrists. the royal family, the Cabinet Ministerr pected, and then I found that his pulse was not beating. I heard of a drunken man on Chapman street, and, in company with Detective Kerrigan, I arrested this man, who turned out to be 'Bull' White.

man, who turned out to be 'Bull' White. The latter was dead drunk, and could not speak." Gottleib Rapp, the proprietor of the Canyon Gardens, formerly the Jefferson Gardens, testified: "Beauchene came into my saloon about 7 o'clock Friday night. I did not feel well, and went to my room for did not feel well, and went to my room for a part of the time. Beauchene remained there from 7 until 10 o'clock, and he was The Shah has been the object of much attention on the part of the newspapers sober then. When I went behind the bar for a week past, and while it is a mooted

he was drinking beer, and we shook hands. He gave \$5 in gold to the bartender to point whether the monarch is really en-joying himself, certainly social and of-ficial London have spared no pains to that change for beer he bought. He left my saloon about 10 o'clock, and was not there again that night. The White boys were in end. The round of entertainments pro-vided for him included everything of a light and showy character, from a visit the saloon about \$:30 o'clock. They went out before Beauchene left. John O'Keefe got a bucket of beer about this time. John to the wax works to the big review of artillery at Woolwich, while the short in-tervals were filled up with conversations on political matters, such as Russian at-tempts to secure ports on the Persian Gulf, the fulfillment of which would ne-cessitute large additions to the Detted King was also there." "After the crowd left your place, who

"They got four cans of beer, and all the excepting Beauchene, came over for the beer.

fleet in Persian's jewels were an unending "Did Beauchene show any money in your-

"The \$5 gold piece and about \$1 50 or so

vary cemetery.

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source of gossip. A jewel merchant who was present at the Shah's reception Tues-day estimated that if the gems the mon-In small change." That concluded the evidence, and the jury found their verdict without hardly any discussion.

arch was then wearing were put up at soction, they would fetch \$2,700,000. The last of the Indian potentates, the Maharajah of Japur, sailed for his home The funeral of the murdered man will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock Friday, though officially he commences his journey homeward by deputy Monday at the Cathedral, Fifteenth and Davis streets. Interment will be at Mount Cal-It is customary for the Maharajah, befor

starting on important journeys, to con-sult the state astrologist as to whether Cauada and Blaine-Bond Treaty. planets are favorable. The astrol ogist advised the Maharajah's departure NEW YORK, Aug. 21.-Secretary of State S. W. Scott, of Ontario, is quoted in a special from Ottawa to the Tribune Monday, but as it was inconvenient to do so, the Maharajah determined to trick as saying that there is not, nor has there been since the present Dominion Gov-ernment came into power, any negotiathe planets, and deputized his alde-de-camp and some members of his suite to start and await him at Dover. tions, so far as Canada is concerned.

The Maharajah has caused London hostcases endless confusion by having the name of his special god printed on his visiting cards above his own name. Variin the matter of the Bond-Blaine con-vention. Newfoundland, being an independent colony, need not ask the advice ous smart women were hurt by not re-celving answers to their invitations until of Canada, nor would Canada under the circumstances feel at liberty to give advice. Any counter proposals that may it was discovered that they had been addressed to the god instead of to the Maharajah. The embarkation of the Maharajah's

cessitate large additions to the British

recently have been suggested by Cana-dian statesmen across the Atlantic have not reached the ears of the mem-

appears the names of voters of almost every nationality on the globe. But their signatures are all in the Spencerian style of penmanship, which is not used by for- All of the Governors have promised to igners, and the handwriting of the Commissioners of Deeds who attested the signatures is also in the Spencerian style. There is a remarkably close similarity in most cases of the signatures of all three follows: names."

# MADE' A FORTUNE BEGGING.

#### Woman Worked the Country From San Francisco to New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21-The police have arrested a woman representing herself to be Mrs. Harris Hunter, the widow of a one-time member of the Chicago Board of Trade, on the technical charge of vagrancy, and a Magistrate has held the wom-an in \$500 ball for examination. She is 50 cars of age, slight of build, with gray air, and was dressed in deep mourning. She was arrested in front of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.'s banking office by an agent of the harity organization society and detec-

tives from the central office. Mrs. Hunter had tried to obtain finanial aid in the banking-house by saying that she had an invalid brother, for whom she wished to buy an invalid's

DEMAND FOR TARIFF REVISION IS GROWING

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 23. - The Washington Star tonight makes the following comment upon the declaration of the Idaho Republicans on the subject of tariff revision: "The Idaho Republicans want the tariff revised 'without unreason-

able delay." That means now. That means that the business interests of the country have nothing to fear from action on the subject by the party which prepared the present tariff law on protective lines. and could not be induced to propare a new law on any other lines. Secretary Shaw should ponder upon this deliverance. It is not of an scademic character. Mr. Cannon, of Illinois, can afford to give it a moment's thought. It does not propose that the work be postponed until the existing prosperity has received a check. The movement grows. It is strong throughout the Northwest, and it is invading other sections. The men who are behind it are Republicans in the best standing, and they quote as authority for their contention the greatest influence that has operated in our affairs in favor of protection in half a century. They certainly are safe with the shade of McKinley showing the way."

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ierk telephoned the charities organiza- claring it the purpose of the Lewis and tion and informed them that for the past five years a woman answering her description had been going the rounds of the prominent brokers' offices, collecting money upon one pretext or snother. She would invariably represent herself as the widew of an ex-president of the Chi-cago Board of Trade, it was suid, and

as having lost her money through various When she came back to the bank, she was arrested. It is alleged that she had traveled from San Francisco to New York, collecting money all the time, until it is said she has amassed at least \$50.000

Mrs. Hunter says of herself:

"I come from Sheridan, Wis., where I have left a father \$1 years old, a son Somebody suggested placing him in the empty wagon opposite the place where he was found. I suggested trying to get him home. The policeman said he would no L'knew my wife would be waiting for me and would be getting anxious, think-

at the laying of the corner-stone for a lish poets of the Elizabethan era. He is monument to the memory of Lewis and a bright and witty conversationalist, and Clark to be crected in the City Park. capital impromptu after-dinner speaker. He has been Minister at Copenhagen for attend. An invitation was sent to Presifour years. Mrns Jusserand, like Lady Herbert, the dent Roosevelt, whose response has not yet come to hand. Governor Geer, in re-ply to the letter of Mr. Reed, wrote as wife of the British Ambassador at Wash-ington and like the Duchess d'Arcos and the Baroness Moncheur, wives of

"Answering yours of the 16th inst., I Ministers of Spain and Belgium, is an desire to say that I have today made out American. Mr. Desch's commission as representative Miss Richards, the daughter of a partne of Oregon to Japan in the interest of the Lewis and Clark Centennial. No better in the banking-house of Munroe & Co, during the lifetime of the late Mr. Munroe, father of John Munroe, the present man for the work could have been se-M. Jusserand is at his post at Copen-

"I also acknowledge with pleasure the hagen, and is not expected in Paris before October. formal invitation to be present at the laying of the corner-stone of the monument to be spected in honor of Lewis and Clark. I desire to add, however, that if I am to be present as Governor of Oregon there will have to be some 'hurry up' work done since through no fault of mine, nor of the people of the state, the close of my term of office is rapidly approaching. Anything I may do toward furthering the WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.-Attorney-General Knox returned to the city to-day from his vacation, spent principally at Atlantic City. On Monday he will

ing for Paris next week on the Occanic, He had hoped that this trip to France might be avoided, but Mr. Russell, who is now there investigating the Panama Canal question for this Government, has cabled Mr. Knox that there are some features of the case that in his opinion should receive the Attorney-General's personal attention. An to what these

matters are Mr. Knox has no information In speaking of the railroad merger merger suit, the Attorney-General said that testimony would be taken in the case, be-ginning at New York next month. When that had been concluded the court would set a time for an oral hearing. Mr. Knox and that within a day or two

he would formulate instructions to the Government counsel in Quebec as to the next steps to be taken to extradite Greene and Gaynor. The Government, he said had no thought of shandoning its case Referring to the published report that he would be selected to succeed Justice Shiras on the Supreme bench in a the latter's early retirement, Mr. suid that he had no information upon the subject. He declined to indicate whether he would accept the place if it were offered to him.

The published report that Solicitor-General John K. Richards is to resign to enter into partnership with Abner McKinley is discredited by Mr. Knox.

#### Attack on Bluefields

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.-Carlos Overend, a planter and merchant of Corinto, Nicaragua, has arrived here from Central America. He brings the news that about July 25 a party of political conservatives of Nicaragua, aided by a few Co-lombian insurgents, landed at Bluefields in a small schooner and attacked the town in old-time filibultering fashion. The as-saulting party numbered hardly more than 100 men, and most of them were promptly captured by the government troops and placed in jull. The others escaped in their schooner. Overend says the reason for the attack by such a small party is not known in Nicaragua. While death might legally be inflicted upon the invaders, Overend is of the opinion that they will not be treated

so harshly. Except for the incident at Bluefleids, th political situation in Nicaragua is reported to be very quiet.

#### Holland's Boer Fund.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 21-The funds raised by the National subscription started to aid venient for me to be present or furnish a by the National subscription started to aid representative at any time, and I have the Boers, will be placed at the disposal of

ness, as well as others.

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Mme, Jusserand was formerly

MUST GO TO FRANCE.

Attorney-General Knox Will Soon

Sail for Paris.

leave for New York, preparatory to sail-

of that firm.

The American Can Company was organized something over two years ago, it being simply a combination of the various manufacturing establishments devoted to the making of tin cans throughout the United States. At that time the plants at Fairhaven, Seattle, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Astoria were grouped together in a corporation known as the Ph-cific Sheet Metal Works. There was also a tin manufacturing plant at San Jose, Cal., devoted to making cans for the fruit inneries of that section. When the pooling of issues was effected all these companies, as well as many others throughout the United States, wers grouped under one head, the American Can Company, which has since then con-ducted the business. The company is well capitalized, and in a position to put up buildings here which will compare fa-vorably with any it has.

Rumors have been circulating for many months that the Astoria establishment would be removed to Portland, but until the present there has been nothing definite to announce. It was reported several months ago that this corporation had under advisement the purchase of the land on which the Wolff & Zwicker Iron Works were located, there to build; but if so, its

plans failed to materialize. The land just purchased has not been in use, but the fact that the owners of barges which have been lying alongside bank have been ordered to remove them, is ample evidence that no time will be lost in going ahead with the plans

"What can you tell of the sale of your water-front property to the American Can Company I" was asked of Ellis G. Hugher last evening.

"I can tell you nothing at present," was the smilling reply, "for I have been re-quested to say nothing for publication. You must go to the other people if you want to learn anything." "Would Mr. Keudall know about it?"

"I think he would," replied Mr. Hughes,

"It imms ne world, topart an inspace, "It is my opinion," said a man who is in a position to know something about the matter "that the driving of piles along the river front will commence within a days, probably this coming week. I have been given to understand that orders have been given to start in at once to build and that \$200,000, exclusive of the cost of the ground, will be expended in the buildings. Something like 300 people will be given employment by the company, and this will be a decided benefit to Portland and Multnomoh County."

Death From a Rare Disease.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.-Rudolph Flied. ner, of New Brunswick, N. J., is dead, after a lingering lifness from a rare disease of the skin, known to scientists as pemphigus vulgarus. No other case of the disease has ever been known in the United States, it is asserted. Fliedner's skin became as if scalded, and his nurses had to swathe his entire body in cution, Mr. Fliedner was first taken ill in May Specialists were called, who studied case with great interest, but could, dr nothing to relieve him, and he died from exhaustion. He was 44 years starting as a factory laborer, had built up a large business.

Negro Boy Escapes Mob.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Aug. 21-Jaspe Scott, the negro boy who assaulted and robbed Mrs. Taylor, an aged woman, in this city on Wednesday, and for whom mob clamored last night, has been take to the Crawford County jail and has a least temporarily escaped violence. The tail here was surrounded nearly all night

Clark Centennial to crect a monument the City Park of Portland to the mem ment in of Lewis and Clark. The Governor at this time is unable to suggest a date, as you

request. Yery truly yours, "J. HOWARD WATSON, "Beerstary to the Governor." The Chief Executive of Montana ex-ressed himself in this manner: "Dear Sir: I am in receipt of yours of the 16th inst., inclosing a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of

the Lewis and Clark Centennial, Ameri-can-Pacific Exposition and Oriental Fair, and asking my opinion as to the time when it would be most convenient for me to visit Portland for the purpose of par-licipating in the ceremonies incident to the laying of the corner-stone of a monument to be erected to the memory of Captains Lewis and Clark, the explorers

of the Oregon Country. It will be con no suggestion to make as to the time for the Beer generals

interests of the Lewis and Clark Centen-nial I shall regard as a pleasant duty.

Very respectfully yours, T. T. GEER." From Governor McBride, of Washing-ton, the following was received: "The Governor directs that I acknowlchair. She was told to come back at a edge receipt of your favor of the 16th certain hour. As soon as she had left a inst. inclosing a copy of a resolution de-