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John D. Professes Profoundest Ignorance of Oil Company's Operations. Is Under the Impression That It Refines Oil, But Is Not Certain—Has No Knowledge of Operating Refineries

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, July 6.-John D. Rockefeller was on the stand in the federal district court before Judge Landis this morning and swore to general ignorance concerning the methods and operation of the Standard Oil company of which he is founder and president. He even denied knowledge of the kind of business the Standard conducted. The following is the verbatim report of the proceedings :

"Have you any official connection with the Standard Oil com-pany of New Jersey?" asked Judge Landis."

"I am its president. The position is honorary, however, and has been so for eight or ten years, during which time I have rendered no service for the company whatever."

Do you know what the outstanding capital of the Standard

John Miller, Standard Oil attorney, objected, claiming that the line of inquiry was unreasonable. The objection was overruled. "I think the capital is \$100,000,000," replied Rockefeller. "What is the general business of the Standard Oil company?"

Miller again objected and was overruled.

"I have been out of the business so long I could not answer.

ADMITS HAVING HEARD OF STANDARD OIL, BUT THAT'S ABOUT ALL

ROCKEFELLER SWEARS IGNORANCE OF TRUST

PHOTOS OF THE WINNER OF THE NATIONAL BEAUTY QUEST IN SUNDAY'S JOURNAL

PORTLAND, OREGON, SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 6, 1907 .- TWO SECTIONS-18 PAGES.

Experts From Orient Barred Judge Cameron in Municipal From Places in Islands Where New Safeguards Are Being Erected by the United States Government

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Court Rules That Manning's Closing Law Is Violated Even by Giving Liquor Away on Sabbath.

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Deep Significance Attached Decision Rendered in Case of to Ordering of Warships to Station in the Pacific-Vessels Will Be Kept in Western Waters in Future

Sam Wafler, Proprietor of Uncle Sam's Hotel, Who Was Assessed \$15 for Attempting to Puncture Seal

It costs \$15 to attempt to puncture a

hole in John Manning's Sunday closing

lid, according to the assessment fixed

by Judge Cameron in the municipal

court this morning. Sam Waffer, pro-

prietor of Uncle Sam's hotel, is the man

who tried to do the puncturing and con-

The last spike required to hold Port-

land's cover on was driven by Judge

Cameron's decision 'this morning, for

now it not only is unlawful for any person to sell liquor on Sunday, but it is also a violation of the statuse to give it away. Sunday drouth can now be complete.

Decision of Importance

sequently paid the price.

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, July 6 .- A special from Manila says:

All of the Japanese working on fortifications and around Olongapo and Cavite naval stations have been discharged, including the experts who have been in the service for some years. It is asserted by the officers stationed here that orders for this action came direct from Washington and were per-

emptory. emptory. Rear-Admiral Hemphill and other naval officers denied that any extra-ordinary preparations were under way. Men who have watched the situation here, however, including those high in official life, believe that General Wood

Men who have watched the situation here, however, including those high in official life, believe that General Wood and Rear-Admiral Hemphili are carry-ing out plans to put the defenses of Mania and the two important naval stations in the Philippine islands on a man bests war basis.

Eas Deep Significa

Much importance was attached to the decision in the Waller case by the dis-trict attorney's office and the saloon men, it being asserted by the district attorney that a decision against the contention of the state meant to all practical purposes the defeat of the en-forcement of the Sunday closing statute. Waller was acreated Sunday last

Deeper significance of an interna-tional character than has yet been at-Wafler was arrested



(Journal Special Service.) Washington, July 6.—Postmaster Gen-eral Meyer has decided to remove to a more convenient point the postoffice now located at Bay Pond, N. T., within the satate of William Recketeller. It now located at Bay Pond, N. T., within the estate of William Rockefeller. It may be re-established at Brandon, from which it was removed after Rockefel-ler's feelings wars aroused by the re-fusal of Oliver Lamors, h civil war veteran, to sell this present to the multimillionsity. Rockefeller wants: manufild the sell war

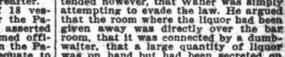
PRIVATE POSTOFFICE OF WM. ROCKEFELLER

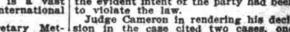
Captain Isbester of the British ship Dalgonar lays claim to having seen the biggest spot on the face of the sun. Calculations show that the spot meas-ured 75,000 miles from edge to edge, or about one tweifth of the entire diameter of the immense orb. The slate-colored spot was plainly outlined against the slowing background, especially when

Captain Isbester of British Ship Dalgonar Claims to Have Seen Blur Across Old Sol's Face Measuring 75,000 Miles From Edge to Edge.

Deeper significance of an international character than has yet been at tached to the sending of the fleet of American battleships to the Pacific coast shortly is now admitted by people in close touch with the situation. While in a room over his saloon. When havy department that no menace to be the fleet, and Ambassador Aoki of that country has asserted that Japan will be dispatch of the fleet, and Ambassador Aoki of that country has asserted that Japan will be proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the proprietor of the place was arrested and charged with having given the provide the maintenance of a permanent fighting fleet in the Pacific hereafter. Whether the endite fleet of 18 versels which is now destined for the Pacific will remain or not, it is asserted of the continent unless there is a vast change in the aspect of international politics. By pre-arrangement Secretary Metation (Continued on Page Nine.)

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Course at Request of People of Northwest.

Washington, July 6 .- The state dethe chambers of commerce, principally those in the northwest and Pacific

coast. President Roosevelt made suggestions concerning the plans. Robert O'Brien, ambassador to Japan, has been peti-tioned by big American merchants to correct the feeling among the common public in Japan which threatened boy-cott. O'Brien is now on his way to Tokio on this mission. It is understood Ambassador Aoki approves the plan.

POSTMASTER SUED BY ST. LOUIS PUBLISHER Dalgonar as she was slowly making her

(Journal Special Service.)

St. Louis, July 6 .- E. C. Lewis, publisher, has started a million dollar suit against Postmaster Wyman and

glowing background, especially when seen through a smoked glass. The spot was discovered on June 25 at high noon by the officers of the Dalgonar as she was slowly making her way to the Columbia river with a cargo of cement from Europe for this city. She had been out nearly 150 days and was nearing her destination when again the colored glass of the sextant Capitain Isbester was startled by the sight of

Postoffice Inspector Fulton alleging a conspiracy to ruin his business by re-fusing to allow him to use the mails. UNCLE SAM REMOVES

SECONDSUITAGAINSTO.R.&N.

Jell, of Boston, G. Allen Bloomer, of partment is mapping out plans in an-Providence, both prominent alienists ticipation of a possible general boycott were today named by Judge Aldrich to help him determine the sanity of Mrs. Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, to learn if she is competent to manage her estate.

SEES BIGGEST (Journal Special Service.)

