

SPENCER IS SHAMMING INSANITY, IS CLAIM OF ILLINOIS PROSECUTOR

Alleged Murderer Abuses the Judge, Denies Confession; "Stalling," Says Attorney.

(Special from St. Louis, Mo.)
Whitson, Ill. Nov. 14.—"I don't be-
lieve there is a God above, but I'm
pretty certain there is a devil below,"
was the opening statement today of
Henry Spencer, on trial for the murder
of Mrs. Mildred Allison-Hessroth, when
he took the stand in his own defense.
He refused to be sworn, and when asked
his name, said: "I am Jean Valjean,
and I live everywhere."
Spencer then started a wordy abuse of
Judge Slusser.
"Cover up the judge's face," he shout-
ed, "so I can't see it. A man with a
face like his should keep away from
public places. It makes me sick."
Spencer answered, "I don't know" to
most of the prosecution's questions and
interrupted the prosecutor once. "He's
stalling well, too."
The defense rested as soon as Spencer
finished his testimony. It was ex-
pected the closing arguments would be-
gin this afternoon.

ORGANIZE TO EXHIBIT FOR EIGHT COUNTIES

(Special Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Nov. 14.—Another step in
the movement to have eight Willamette
valley counties unite in an exhibit at
the Panama exposition, was taken here
yesterday when representatives from
the various counties perfected an or-
ganization by electing C. H. Stewart, of
Albany, president; A. J. Johnson, of
Corvallis, vice president; E. W. Haines,
of Forest Grove, treasurer, and Fred
S. Bryan, of Salem, secretary.
An executive committee consisting of
one member from each county was
chosen and this committee will meet
with the Panama-Pacific committee in
Portland next week. These present at
yesterday's meeting were:
Lane county, Chris Myrhe, George
Halley; Benton county, W. P. Grove, A.
J. Johnson, C. A. Murphy; Polk county,
Charles Dammore, H. G. Campbell;
Yamhill county, A. O. Garf, E. L.
Kulkerbocker, N. E. Britt; Washing-
ton county, E. W. Haines, C. A. Han-
ley, John Nyberg; Clackamas county, O.
E. Prater; Linn county, C. H. Stewart;
E. C. Roberts, O. H. Russell; Marion
county, W. A. Taylor, L. D. Pettyjohn
and Fred S. Bryan.

News of County Board

At the suggestion of Whidden &
Lewis architects of the courthouse, no
one will be allowed in the loft in which
the return steam pipes in the courthouse
are placed, by order of the county com-
missioners. The architects reported
that someone removed a valve and al-
lowed the steam to spill. The presence of
one of the deputy district attorney's
offices. The ceiling has been repaired.
D. W. McKay, road superintendent of
district 10, reported 198 feet of 8 inch
pipe necessary to properly drain the
water from the terminus of the Base
Line road so that it would not over-
flow the property of R. H. Thompson.
The question of making the improve-

What Thin Folks Should Do to Gain Weight

Physician's Advice for Thin, Un- developed Men and Women

Thousands of people suffer from excessive
slenderness, weak nerves and feeble stomachs who,
having tried advertised flesh-makers, food-codes,
physical culture stunts and rub-on creams, re-
solved themselves to life-long skinniness and
think nothing will make them fat. Yet their
case is all hopeless. A recently discovered re-
generative force makes fat grow after years
of thinness and is also unequalled for repairing
the waste of sickness or faulty digestion and
for strengthening the nerves. This remark-
able discovery is called Sargol. Six strength-
giving, fat-producing elements of acknowledged
merit have been combined in this peerless pre-
paration, which is endorsed by eminent physi-
cians and used by prominent people everywhere.
It is absolutely harmless, inexpensive and ef-
fectual.
A month's systematic use of Sargol should
produce more flesh and strength by correcting faulty
digestion and supplying highly concen-
trated fats to the blood. Increased nourish-
ment is obtained from the food eaten and the
additional fat the body needs are pro-
duced. Woodward, Clarke Drug Co. and other
leading druggists supply Sargol and say there
is a large demand for it.
While this new preparation has given splen-
did results as a nerve tonic and vitalizer, it
should not be used by nervous people unless
they wish to gain at least 10 pounds of flesh.



ment was taken under consideration.

Complaint of the Mount Scott Im-
provement association that the cross-
walks on the Foster road at Ariola,
Kern Park, Anabel and Archer Place
are in bad condition, was referred to
Road Supervisor Small.
Superintendent of Forests Murman re-
ported that, in compliance with the
recommendations of the United States
steamboat inspectors, he has installed
an upper on the ferry cables, and a
room for the passengers and a revolving
lifebuoy on the Goldsmith ferry.
The county commissioner approved
a report by Whidden & Lewis archi-
tects, that the east end of Assessor
Boed's office, should be divided from
the main business offices by a partition
and the work will be done.

Woman Writes Bride-to-Be.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Jessie Wilson
received a letter from Mrs. Beattie Wake-
field, under sentence to hang for killing
her husband, praying to be saved from
the noose, and sent it to the governor
of Connecticut.

BIG HYDRAULIC GIANTS START UP WORK AGAIN

After Being Shut Down for Year, Operations Begin on Goldsmith Hill.

The big hydraulic giants that were
tearing down Goldsmith hill started
again this morning after a shutdown of
12 months. While in operation these
giants furnished one of the spectacular
sights of Portland. Tearing the earth
out of Goldsmith hill they start it run-
ning through flumes and sluice boxes a
mile or more to fill the low lands in
Guild's lake.
Starting this morning the giants will
be in operation 24 hours every day in

the week except for the Sunday shut-
down from 4 o'clock Saturday after-
noon until 4 o'clock Sunday. This will
continue until the hill is entirely re-
moved.
The present operation differs from
the former in that the high trestle from
Cornell road to the old fair grounds has
been done away with. The water
pipes and flumes are now placed in
Balch gulch and from there are carried
through a tunnel up onto Goldsmith
hill.
Much uneasiness has been felt by
some property owners on Willamette
Heights for fear the earth would be
dumped in Balch gulch, thus destroying
one of the beauty spots of Portland,
which they feel should be saved for a
city park.
Mr. Lewis of the Lewis-Wiley com-
pany said this morning, however, that
it was not the present intention of his
company to fill the gulch, but to use
the earth in completing fills now being
made in Guild's lake.
An idea of the magnitude of the work
may be gained from the fact that over
3 1/2 miles of wooden pipe line from 18
to 24 inches in diameter has been in-

stalled for this final operation. Also
about 900 feet of tunnel and a like
amount of trestle has been built. One
unit of the pumping plant weighing 35
tons has been moved from Guild's lake
and installed on Cornell road.
When in full operation the pumps
will require a constant electric current
of 2200 horsepower and will pump 13,
000,000 gallons of water every 24 hours
to a height of 100 feet.
Anyone desiring to watch the giants
in operation can get to the work by tak-
ing a "W" car and transfer to a West-
over car at Twenty-fifth and Pettygrove
streets.
**SAM NEWMAN RETURNS
WITH SHERIFF WORD**
Sam Newman, arrested in Seattle a
week ago on a charge of exhibiting im-
moral pictures in a basement at Fourth
and Salmon streets several months ago,
returned to Portland voluntarily with
Sheriff Word yesterday. He had started
habeas corpus proceedings but Sheriff
Word persuaded him to drop proceed-

BOY IS RELEASED AND GIVEN FINANCIAL AID

Following in the footsteps of the
October grand jury, the November grand
jury yesterday ordered the release of
Roy Demerest on his own recognizance
and then presented the youth, with a
purpose to help him get on his feet. Pro-
cess of assistance if he would call at
their houses were also made by the jury-
men.
Demerest was charged with the theft
of postcards, a handbook and stamps
from the First German Evangelical
church. A not true bill will probably
be returned later. The October grand
jury did a similar service for a boy, one
of the jurors also providing the lad with

WEST THREATENS TO SUE TREASURER KAY

Salem, Or., Nov. 14.—On the heels of
State Treasurer Kay's refusal yesterday
to furnish him with a list of the com-
mon school fund notes upon which the
interest has not been collected for 15
months or more, Governor West today in
a letter addressed to the state treasurer,
once more made a formal demand for
the information desired.
"If the information isn't forthcom-
ing within a reasonable time, I shall
bring a mandamus suit to compel the
state treasurer to furnish it," declared
the governor. "I have a right to the in-
formation and I intend to get it for the
protection of the school fund."

"My Lease on Entire Broadway Bldg. has been Canceled, and I am Compelled to Vacate the Premises by Jan. 31, 1914."

R. M. Gray

Just 78 Days to Close Out My Brand New \$100,000 Stock of "Chesterfield" Clothes Furnishings and Women's Fine Apparel!!!

Like a bolt from a clear sky comes this announcement to the Portland public! It has been only six months since this beautiful new store—the finest of its kind in the West—was opened! The merchandise and appointments have been the admiration of all Portland. Now force of circumstances brings about the crisis I am facing today. My 20-year lease on the entire Broadway Building has been canceled. I must absolutely vacate by 12 o'clock, January 31, 1914. I have no location in sight. Every vestige of my immense new high-grade Fall and Winter stock must be closed out in the next 78 days. It is an almost Herculean task, yet I am losing sight of profits in the determination to sell out everything before I am literally forced into the streets. There have been many "sales" in Portland, but never one of such tremendous magnitude, embracing brand-new, high-class merchandise, with such a purpose to accomplish! The opportunity supreme for men to provide every Winter need, and for Christmas buyers to select practical gifts of "Chesterfield" Clothes, Furnishings and Women's Apparel! I stake my name and reputation on the values you will get in this sale. IT HAS NO CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER SALE IN PORTLAND.

Men's Fall Shirts Hundreds of crisp, new patterns—Gray's high-grade makes. \$1.50 New Fall Shirts priced for this sale \$1.15 \$2.00 New Fall Shirts priced for this sale \$1.65	Men's Underwear Famous Sterling, Cooper, Wilson Bros., Kneipp Linen Mesh and others. Union Suits and separate garments, fine cotton, wool, silk and linen. \$1 Underwear at 75c \$4.00 Underw'r \$2.85 \$1.50 Underw'r \$1.15 \$4.50 Underw'r \$3.25 \$2.00 Underw'r \$1.35 \$5.00 Underw'r \$3.75 \$2.50 Underw'r \$1.75 \$6.00 Underw'r \$4.50 \$3.00 Underw'r \$2.25 \$7.00 Underw'r \$5.25 \$3.50 Underw'r \$2.65 \$8.00 Underw'r \$5.75 \$1.50 Men's Bacmo Gloves, special, a pair \$1.15 All Traveling Bags and Suitcases now at 1/4 Off All Men's Umbrellas on sale at Sacrific Prices	"CHESTERFIELD" Suits and Overcoats Every garment a smart, new Fall and Winter style. You know the quality of these fine clothes that I have made famous. \$20.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$14.75 \$25.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$18.75 \$30.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$23.50 \$35.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$26.50 \$40.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$29.50 \$45.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$34.50 \$50.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$39.50 Men's Mandelburg Raincoats at Same Reductions	Men's Neckwear Celebrated Keiser and other High-Grade Cravats in a multitude of newest colors and patterns. Buy Christmas Gift Neckwear for "him" at these prices. 50c Neckwear only 40c \$2.00 Neckwear \$1.45 \$1 Neckwear only 65c \$2.50 Neckwear \$1.75 \$1.50 Neckwear \$1.15 \$3.00 Neckwear \$2.25 Fine Half Hose All grades of cottons, lises and silk. 25c Hose, the pair 20c \$1.50 Hose, pair \$1.15 35c Hose, the pair 25c \$2.00 Hose, pair \$1.45 50c Hose, the pair 40c \$2.50 Hose, pair \$1.85 75c Hose, the pair 50c \$3.00 Hose, pair \$2.25 \$1.00 Hose, a pair 75c \$3.50 Hose, pair \$2.50 Men's Ruffneck Sweaters \$6.00 Men's Ruff-Neck Sweaters priced at \$4.75 \$9.00 Men's Ruff-Neck Sweaters priced at \$6.25
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Women's Fine New Suits, Coats and Dresses Sacrificed

Just think of being able to select from this great stock of absolutely new, smart garments for less than the prices regularly paid for ordinary merchandise! Come in at once—the assortments cannot long remain intact at such deep reductions!

Women's Suits \$30 and \$35 Suits only \$21.50 \$40 and \$45 Suits only \$28.75 \$50 and \$60 Suits only \$36.50 \$75 and \$85 Suits only \$59.50 Fancy Fur-Trim'd Suits 1/4 OFF	Wool Dresses \$25.00 Dresses \$16.15 \$30.00 Dresses \$20.00 \$32.50 Dresses \$21.75 \$35.00 Dresses \$23.35 \$37.50 Dresses \$25.00 \$40.00 Dresses \$26.70 \$45.00 Dresses \$30.00 All Silk and Party Dresses at 1/4 Reduction.	Blouses FANCY SILK \$ 9.00-\$10.00 Blouses ... \$ 5.95 \$12.50-\$17.50 Blouses ... \$ 9.95 \$18.50-\$25.00 Blouses ... \$13.95 \$30.00-\$45.00 Blouses ... \$21.45 TAILORED \$4.00 and \$ 6.00 Waists . \$2.95 \$6.50 and \$10.00 Waists . \$4.65	Sweaters \$ 6.00-\$ 7.50 Sweaters ... \$ 4.45 \$ 9.00-\$10.00 Sweaters ... \$ 6.95 \$12.50-\$15.00 Sweaters ... \$ 9.45 \$17.00-\$20.00 Sweaters ... \$12.95 \$25.00 Sweaters \$16.50 PETTICOATS \$7.00-\$8.50 Petticoats ... \$4.95 \$10.00-\$15.00 Petticoats ... \$6.95 All separate skirts, Fourth Off	Women's Coats \$19 Women's Coats at \$13.50 \$25 Women's Coats at \$17.75 \$30 and \$35 Coats only \$22.50 \$40 and \$45 Coats only \$28.75 \$50 Women's Coats at \$34.75 All Evening Coats at 1/4 OFF
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