

STAL FRAUD IS UNCOVERED

of Former Officials Are dicted by the Federal and Jury.

ACCUSED OF CON- SPIRACY AND BRIBERY.

Are Charged With Setting
1,000 Shares of Stock to For-
the Interests of the Company
covers is Under \$500,000 Bail.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The names
of persons indicted Tuesday by
grand jury were given out this
noon by District Attorney Beach.
They were against Beavers, Machen
Erwin, James W. Erwin for conspiracy
fraud. Two indictments were
returned against Isaac McGlohan, Geo.
Mason, of New York, and Ma-
con a conspiracy to commit bri-
bery. Two indictments were against
Shoble and Machen for con-
spiracy and defraud and conspiracy
and bribery. Also indictments
brought against Machen for ac-
cepting bribes.

Indictment against Machen,
Erwin and Erwin alleges in sub-
stantive that the Postal Device Im-
provement Company, of San Francisco,
through the Mantogue Indicator
Letter Box Company, by resolu-
tion of 1,000 shares of stock
of the interests of the com-
pany. Richardson, accompanied by
a name to Washington. Erwin
postoffice inspector and the
company employees of the West.

CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

is Again Before Courts on
Serious Indictment.

York, Sept. 11.—Beavers, for-
postoffice official, who was in-
at Brooklyn in July on the
of bribery in connection with
sling postoffice supplies, this
appeared before Commis-
Hitchcock to answer to a new
charge, charging him with con-
which was handed down by
doral grand jury at Washing-
ton. He was admitted to
the amount of \$500,000, to ap-
pear before Commissioner Hitchcock
on the 25th.

Indictment charges that Beav-
er released supplies without ad-
ding for proposals, and at higher
prices than the market prices.
He, accompanied by counsel,
pleaded himself to the United
States marshal and was immediately
before Hitchcock, where he
pleaded without delay. Brown, of
New York, who went ball on
his own indictment, is again go-
ing to his bonds.

SHOCK KILLED HER.

the S. Boyesen Cannot Stand
ing Suspected of Robbery.

Sept. 11.—Mrs. Jane
Boyesen, the Chicago woman
wrongly accused of stealing
from a merchant in North
Dakota, is dying as a result of
the shock. She had been suf-
fering four years from tubercu-
le. In January she went to Ash-
land for relief. Last week she
was in White Springs when
the shock occurred. Through a mis-
understanding suspicion fell on her
apartments were searched.
Her experience aggravated her dis-
ease to such an extent she is dying.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

Scaffold Falls Sixty Feet
and Causes Awful Death.
Sept. 11.—Five men were
killed this morning by the collapse
of a scaffold at the Peavy elevator
shop. The fall was 60 feet.
The men are H. Benson, William
Helmer Anderson, of Du-
rham, and Andrew, of Minnapp-
er, and Erickson, of Ashland.

TO FIGHT TONIGHT.

and McClelland Will Have
Lively Go at Portland.
Sept. 11.—The fight
between Aurilia Herrera, the Mex-
ican, and Jack McClelland, the
featherweight, which is

scheduled for decision tonight before
the Pastime Athletic Club, is at-
tracting much attention in sporting
circles. The articles of agreement
call for a 20-round contest at 128
pounds. Herrera has shown great
improvement in the last year and is
expected to put up a good fight to
win the decision over the Pittsburg
boy. Both men appear to be in good
condition for the go.

GERTRUDE ELLIOT COMING.

She is the Star Actress in "The Light
That Failed."
London, Sept. 11.—Among the
players of note departing this week
for the United States, are Gertrude
Elliot, the beautiful sister of Max-
ine Elliott, and her husband, Forbes
Robertson. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson
have arranged with Marcus Mayer,
the American manager, for a tour of
the United States this fall and win-
ter. They will be seen in "The Light
That Failed," the superb production
which met with such success in Lon-
don last season. The opening of their
tour in America is scheduled to take
place in Buffalo three weeks hence.

GIBBONS IS COMING.

It is Expected That He Will Sail for
America Today.
Baltimore, Sept. 11.—From advices
received here it is expected Cardinal
Gibbons, who went to Rome to attend
the conclave which elected the new
pope, will sail for home today. His
embrace was in poor health prior
to his departure from Baltimore, and
the hope is generally expressed that
the trip abroad, attended with con-
siderable mental anxiety and arduous
work, though it was, may have proved
beneficial to his health.

State Diplomas Granted.

Salem, Sept. 11.—The state board
of education, in session yesterday
afternoon, granted state certificates
and diplomas to the following appli-
cants: J. H. Orcutt, of Drain, state
diploma, upon Iowa papers; Grace A.
Gilliam, Pilot Rock, diploma, grad-
uation from Portland University;
Katherine Patterson, Eugene, diplo-
ma, graduation from State University
at Eugene; Elizabeth Gill, of Quim-
by, Ia., certificate upon Iowa papers,
and Belle E. Joseph, of Portland, di-
ploma, upon graduation from the
Drain Normal.

BIG VICTORY FOR THE IRISH

IN CELEBRATED LYNCH- HAUN EXTRADITION CASE.

He Cannot Be Taken to New York to
Be Tried—An Endeavor will Be
Made to Send Him Back to Ireland
to Complete Term in Prison.

Indianapolis, Sept. 11.—Federal
Judge Baker this forenoon handed
down a decision in the celebrated
Lynchhaun extradition cases, hold-
ing that he cannot be taken to New
York to be tried. The decision is a
great victory for the Irish benevo-
lent orders over all of the United
States. He will now be taken before
the commissioner of this city upon
whose decision depends whether he
will be taken back to Ireland to com-
plete the sentence in prison.

Lynchhaun, who was convicted in
Ireland on the charge of criminal as-
sault, seven years ago, escaped from
prison a year ago and came to Indi-
anapolis, where he was joined by his
family.

He succeeded in convincing promi-
nent American Irishmen that he
was innocent. A large sum of money
for his defense was donated by some
of the Irish societies in America.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Quotations Furnished by Coe Commis-
sion Company—B. E. Kennedy, Local
Manager.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—There has been
an immense trade in corn today, but
it is hard to follow. The government
crop bulletin places the condition of
winter and spring wheat as follows:
Wheat, 74.1 per cent of a crop; corn,
80.1; oats, 75.1; barley, 82.1; rye,
84.1. General average for August,
1903, 78.7 per cent; general average
August, 1902, 84.3. The average for
the past 10 years is 75.3 per cent.

Wheat—	Opening.	Close.
Dec.	81½	84½
May	83½	83½
Corn—		
May	50½	50
Wheat—	Opening.	Close.
Minneapolis, Sept. 11.—		
Dec.	80	82½
May	82½	82½
Liverpool, Sept. 11.—		
Wheat—	Opening.	Close.
	66 7/8	68 1/2
Chicago Wheat.		
Chicago, Sept. 11.—Wheat—Open-		
ed, 81½; closed, 81½.		

NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL APPOINTED AT BEIRUT

It is Believed He Will Settle the Magelssen Case Satisfac-
torily to the United States.

Cheikh Bey, Turkish Minister at Washington, Tells of the Massacre of
Last Sunday—He Says it Was Greatly Exaggerated in Reports Sent
Out—Turkey is Still Fortifying Frontier Points.

Washington, Sept. 11.—Cheikh Bey,
the Turkish minister to the United
States, called at the state department
this morning and presented a dis-
patch which he had received from his
government concerning last Sunday's
riot at Beirut, which says that eight
persons were killed, one of whom was
a soldier and the others were
civilians, and 50 injured.

The dispatch continues that the in-
cident had no other bad results.
Many persons, who at the time fled
from Lebanon, are returning. Confi-
dence is being established.

Slaughtering Exaggerated.

The troubles were greatly exagger-
ated by some of the newspapers who
received their information from some
of the panic-stricken people and who
sent it to their government without
confirmation.

Cheikh Bey says Haidin, the govern-
or-general at Beirut, is an exception-
ally capable official. He was for sev-
eral years chief of police at Constanti-
nople.

The minister knows him person-
ally and expresses the greatest confi-
dence in his ability to maintain order
and to settle the Magelssen case sat-
isfactorily to the government.

The New Official.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The navy
department received the following
cablegram from Admiral Cotton, at
Beirut this morning:

"Governor-general of Damascus has
been appointed as acting governor-
general at Beirut and has expressed
the desire to settle the Magelssen
case satisfactorily to the United

States government. Beirut is quiet
and business is improving. Confi-
dence is increasing."

State Hostilities Expected.

Vienna, Sept. 11.—It is the general
opinion here that even if Bulgaria
does not declare war that state hos-
tilities will actually exist, as reports
continue to show that there is sym-
pathy for the Bulgarians of Macedo-
nia. The dispatches from Constanti-
nople continue to minimize the suffer-
ing of the Christians at Monastir.

Captured by Turks.

Constantinople, Sept. 11.—An offi-
cial dispatch announces the capture by
Turkish troops, of Vasilika.

To Guard Serbian Frontier.

Sofia, Sept. 11.—Instructions to
carefully guard the Serbian frontier
have been sent to Valt of Kirovo,
the Turkish authorities having re-
ceived the information to the effect
that the Serbia revolutionary com-
mittee has become active in organiz-
ing bands for the purpose of distrib-
uting bombs.

Three Hundred Massacred.

Constantinople, Sept. 11.—A con-
sular report received from Beirut
afternoon, states that 300 insurgents
of Zelenets were recently massacred
after they had surrendered to the
Turkish troops.

French Are in It Too.

Paris, Sept. 11.—The government
fearing that eventualities may lead
to serious trouble, has ordered one
battleship and two cruisers to im-
mediately depart for Turkish waters.

of the O. R. & N., at the request of
Pendleton citizens. He is an expert
fruit man and has selected nothing
but the most perfect specimen for
the exhibits. The fruit is now pack-
ed and will be shipped by express to
Ogden, where it will be placed on ex-
hibition to the great advantage by the
Umatilla county delegation.

The exhibit consists of winter ap-
ples, pears, silver pines, German
prunes and peaches and while it is
not as large as it should be, it is
made up of elegant specimens. The
fruit in the exhibit prepared here,
comes from Echo and Milton.

Returned From Outing.

Mark Patton, accompanied by his
family, have returned from Kent,
Wash., where Mrs. Patton and the
children have been spending the
summer. Mr. Patton went to Kent
several days ago to escort his fam-
ily home.

O. R. & N. Assessment Raised.

The Dalles, Sept. 11.—The assess-
ment of the property of the O. R. &
& N. company in Wasco county is \$55-
961 greater than the assessment last
year. The total valuation put on the
company's property by Assessor
Woodcock this year is \$336,601.

OREGON TAX LAW DECLARED INVALID

Portland, Sept. 11.—Special to East
Oregonian.—A great blunder has
been discovered in the state tax law
which changed the time for the levy
from January to September.

The legislature failed to provide for
the levy of the taxes assessed in 1903.

Governor Chamberlain will prob-
ably be obliged to call a special ses-
sion of the legislature, as without an
immediate act of the legislature,
there can be no collection of the
state, county, city or town or the
school district taxes for this year.

TWO KILLED BY HORRIBLE EXPLOSION

Elstorado, Kan., Sept. 11.—A car-
load of powder on the Frisco siding,
near Beaumont, last night got be-
yond control and ran several miles
toward Winfield, colliding with a
train which had left the station a
short time before, and exploded.

Fatally injured are: A. H. Mer-
ill, Fred Orr.

The awful explosion tore up the
yards and track and dismantled the
locomotive. The towns for miles
around were terror-stricken, believ-
ing that an earthquake had occur-
ed.

TO LAUNCH MARYLAND.

is Expected That Large Crowds Will
Be in Attendance at Ceremonies.
Newport News, Va., Sept. 11.—
Everything is in readiness at the
yards of the Newport News Ship-
building and Dry Dock Company for
the launching tomorrow of the 15,000-
ton armored cruiser Maryland. It
will be a gala day at the yards and
a large attendance of visitors is ex-
pected from Baltimore and other
Maryland points and also a delega-
tion of public men from Washington.
The christening ceremony is to be
performed by Miss Jennie Scott
Waters, daughter of General and Mrs.
Francis E. Waters, of Baltimore.

MEXICO PRODUCES OIL.

Government of That Country Goes
Into a New Industry.
City of Mexico, Sept. 11.—The Mex-
ican government has gone into the
oil producing business in connection
with the operation of the National
Tehuantepec Railroad. It is develop-
ing a new oil field on the isthmus
of Tehuantepec. Two good produc-
ing wells have been bored, and the
locomotives on the National Tehuan-
tepec road are using that product for
fuel. Other wells are to be bored,
and the production entered into on
a large scale.

CHLOROFORMED ENTIRE FAMILY

Burglars Use Horrible Method to Get
Cattle Money.
Wabash, Ind., Sept. 11.—Burglars
last night chloroformed the entire
family of Chris Harnish, a farmer.
They secured a considerable sum of
money, just realized from the sale of
cattle. As a result of chloroforming,
Lolo, a young girl, is in a critical
condition. All are more or less ill.

Coal Strike Growing.

Fort Worth, Sept. 11.—The coal
miners' strike at Strawn is increas-
ing. Fifteen hundred are now out.
The governor has ordered the Texas
rangers on the scene to preserve or-
der.

Calls for Bank Reports.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The com-
ptroller of currency this morning is-
sued a call for the reports on the
conditions of the banks at the close
of Wednesday's business.

THIRTY OREGON DELEGATES

O. R. & N. SPECIAL CAR WILL BE FILLED.

Oregon Will Have Strongest Delega-
tion at Irrigation Congress in the
History of the State—Train Leaves
Pendleton Monday Morning.

The irrigation delegation from Ore-
gon continues to swell, and the special
car generously provided by the
O. R. & N. will be filled to over-
flowing, before the Idaho line is reached.

Already 20 delegates have signified
their intention to go, and it is likely
that more will be ready to join the
excursion by next Monday morning.

The complete list of delegates from
the state, so far reported to A. L.
Craig, passenger agent of the O. R.
& N., who is using every means to
secure a large attendance, is as fol-
lows:

Congressman J. N. Williamson, A.
H. Devers, president of the Oregon
Irrigation Association; Frank Daven-
port, W. A. Laidlaw, A. King Wilson,
J. Thornburn Ross, F. C. Bryant, Les-
lie Butler, E. L. Smith, R. Winans,
and E. N. Blythe, of Western Oregon;
T. G. Hailey, G. A. Hartman, Walter
M. Pierce, Judge W. R. Ellis, E. P.
Dodd, D. C. Brownell, R. C. Stanfield,
F. B. Holbrook, W. T. Shaw and Bert
Huffman, of Umatilla county; D. B.
Thomas, of Arlington; J. M. Church
and E. C. Corbin, of La Grande; E.
P. McDaniels, Sam White and J. W.
Patterson, of Baker City; J. M.
Johns, of Sumpter, and A. M. Drake,
of Bead, and Malcolm A. Moody, of
The Dalles.

The Portland delegates will start
east on Sunday evening, and the
train will reach Pendleton Monday
morning at 4:45. The congress will
convene on Tuesday morning, and
end Thursday afternoon.

Several delightful side trips have
been arranged by the citizens of Og-
den, and the trip will be educational
from every standpoint. An ideal ir-
rigated farm has been prepared for
the occasion, and the delegates will
be permitted to view the great Salt
Lake valley, the most perfect irri-
gated spot in the world.

Weather predictions for the next
24 hours are stamped on all letters
which pass through the postoffices
in Mexico. The stamping is done at
the same time that the postage
stamps on the letters are canceled.

FOR CHEMAWA INDIAN BAND

It Will Furnish Music for the
Five Days of the Big Carni-
val Show.

TO START ELECTION OF QUEEN IMMEDIATELY.

Tickets Will Be Sold at Five Cents
Each—Ballot Boxes to Be Placed
in Different Business Places About
the City—Arnold Will Give \$100 to
Queen.

E. J. Arnold, the carnival man, is
in the city today looking after the
work of the carnival. Already many
arrangements for the opening are be-
ing made and by the time Mr. Arnold
leaves again the detail will be well
under way.

One feature of the affair will be the
music for the week. Mr. Arnold is
in communication with the Chemawa
Indian band and has about closed
with the aggregation to come to the
city and furnish music for the five
days of the show. This band is the
best in the western part of the state,
and there is none better on the West-
ern coast. They toured the North-
west in the first days of their exist-
ence as a band, and at that time
made a great success. If they come
here the people who attend the car-
nival will be assured of the best mu-
sic that can be produced in the West.

Mr. Arnold is anxious to get the
election of the queen started, for
after she has been elected it will take
some little time to get her outfitted.
And in order to have the matter
started, tickets will be printed at
once and voting boxes will be placed
in all of the stores of the city. The
tickets will be sold at 5 cents each.
It is the intention and promise of
Mr. Arnold that the queen shall be
royally outfitted and taken care of
during the week. He himself will
deposit \$100 for the purpose of buy-
ing the robes. Besides the outfit, Mr.
Arnold will see that the queen has
a carriage for herself and court dur-
ing the entire week, always at her
disposal. In fact, everything will be
done to make her majesty one of the
envied ladies of the land.

John Hailey, Jr., who has charge of
the stock exhibit, will leave in a
short time for the interior of the
county and will make every effort to
arouse interest in the stock and fruit
exhibit. He will not only advertise
the matter in the papers, but will
make a personal canvass among the
growers, asking them to bring their
stock here for the competition. It is
thought and some encouragement
has been given, that the exhibit will
be a good one and will be the stop-
ping stone for a county fair here in
the years to come.

The success of the carnival is as-
sured and since it will give an added
impetus to the inclination for the
farmers to come here, there is great
hope that there will be a good county
exhibit from all the industries of the
county.

Head Manager Here.

C. A. Koepff, of Seattle, and the
county clerk of Kings county, is in
the city. Koepff is the head man-
ager of the Woodmen of the World,
and is on his way to Leadville and
Denver to attend the meeting of
the managers of the order. He will
be accompanied from this city by A. D.
Stillman, who is also one of the mem-
bers of the board and who will leave
for Colorado to attend the meetings.

New Primary Teacher.

Miss Nellie Ewan, of Ashland, is
one of the new teachers who have
reached the city to be ready for the
opening of the school the first of the
week. Miss Ewan is to be the head
of the primary department and comes
highly recommended for the place,
having made a specialty of that part
of the work.

A thief in Chicago stole a valise
which he probably thought contain-
ed currency, from the cashier of the
Milwaukee Avenue State Bank. It
contained certified and canceled
checks to the value of \$65,000.
Afterward the thief left the valise,
with contents intact, at a restaurant,
and phoned to the bank where it
could be found.