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Associated Press.

Honolulu, July 26.—(via San Francisco)— The royalists who presented a cane to Claus Spreckels just before the Australia sailed, have deeply offended Minister Blount by an unauthorized use of his name, and the matter has become the subject of diplomatic correspondence. Just before the steamer Australia left port, a prearranged scheme of presenting Claus Spreckles with a cane inscribed with a list of names headed by those of Liliuokalani and James H. Blount, was carried out amidst the popping of champagne furnished by friends of Mr. Spreckles. The royalists took occasion to assert on the boat and wharf that Minister Blount had allowed the use of his name to show his appreciation of Spreckels and the ex queen's cause. Half an hour after the matter became public, Minister Blount denounced it in an excited manner as an outrage, and authorized a local reporter to publish his statement. On July 20th, Minister Blount sent the provisional government a note calling their attention to the matter, and the government at once began investigations as to the persons responsible for the outrage. The provisional government is fully in earnest in sifting the matter, and it is understood will not stop short of full reparation to the American minister.

FINANCES OF THE FAIR.

Chicago, August 2.—Now that the fais is half over, the council of administration and the national commission have become convinced that heroic measures must be adopted to induce people to come in crowds large enough to insure financial success. They are making every effort to stop leaks and create new attractions. With regard to the financial position of the company now, President Higginbotham said today it is impossible to give exact figures concerning the indebtedness yet. However, when they say that with the best half of the exposition season before them, they are out of debt, they think it is doing well. "Inside of five days," said Higginbotham, "we will have all the funds necessary to pay every debt we owe. The assertion that $1,000,000 would not put us even is entirely false."

FINED FOR CONTEMPT.

Chicago, August 2.—Judge Stein, in the superior court today, adjudged the World's Fair directors guilty of contempt on Sunday, July 23d. He ordered that Directors Gage, Hutchinson, Henrotin, McNally, and Kerfoot be fined $1000 each. Director Lawson received a fine of $100. Director General Davis was fined $250. An appeal was taken.

PREPARING FOR THE FAIR.

San Francisco, August 2.—Herr B. Cornelly, assistant director general of the Midwinter Fair, leaves tomorrow for Chicago to make a systematic canvass among the foreign and other exhibitors for the purpose of inducing them to come to San Francisco. The foreign departments will be asked to establish commissioners in whose hands the matter of the preparation of exhibits for the Midwinter Fair will be placed, and likewise, through various councils in this city, to appoint agents here for a similar purpose.

PRICE OF PORK AND WHEAT.

Chicago, August 2.—At the opening of the board of trade September wheat started at 60; September pork opened unchanged at 12 @ 12 1-2. The buoyancy, however, was shortlived. Soon after opening the failures were announced of D. Eggelston & Son, George G. Parker & Co., and Thos. Gregg. This caused a break in wheat to 58 3-4, but a rally quickly followed to 61 1-2. Pork declined to 11, but recovered to 12 2-5.

CHAMBERS ON TRIAL.

Tacoma, August 2.—Ex-Postmaster Clarence Chambers, of Kalama, charged with purloining postoffice property, is on trial in the United States circuit court. The trouble grew out of defendant's refusing to hand over the Kalama postoffice to his successor, C. F. Smith, from March 18th to March 23d of this year.

CRACKED HIS LAST SAFE.

Moscow, Idaho, August 2.—At Vollmer, Idaho, last night, J. C. Nelson and Jim F. Cody entered the store of Lestee & Llewellyn, and were in the act of blowing open the safe when detected by J. H. Hayes. The burglars opened fire, but Hayes returned it, wounding Nelson mortally. Cody was arrested.

A MILL SHUT DOWN.

Woonsocket, R. I., August 2.—The Plants Valley Falls Company, making cotton dress goods here and at Valley Falls, running 2,000 looms, and employing 750 hands, has shut down indefinitely.

DUE TO RECKLESS MANAGEMENT

San Francisco, August 2.—The Chronicle charges that the failure of the Pacific Bank, the only commercial bank in San Francisco which has closed its doors, was not due to the present financial stringency, but to reckless management. The bank, it says, is hopelessly wrecked. About two million dollars are gone.

CREATED A SENSATION.

Charles H. Jones Assumes Charge of the New York World.

New York, August 2.—A sensation was created in the World office this evening when Colonel Charles H. Jones, formerly editor of the St. Louis Republic, walked into the editorial rooms and assumed direction of the paper. Colonel Jones comes not only as editor, but as personal representative of Pulitzer, with supreme authority over all departments of the paper.

THE BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

Paris, August 2.—With reference to the London report that the Beeing Sea decision will favor Great Britain, Hon. C. H. Tupper, Canadian minister of marine and British agent here, said all forecasts are mere surmise. The arbitrators had arrived at a decision in regard to half the points presented, but did not know when the work would terminate.

ESTABLISHED THEIR CLAIMS.

Portland, Or., August 2.—Two Chinese merchants, Lee Chow and Wong Hoy, were allowed to land from the Haytian Republic, having fully established the fact that they are Astoria merchants.

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In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Clatsop: Astoria Iron Works, Plaintiff, vs. Dean Blanchard, Defendant:—

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause on the 22d day of June, 1893, upon a judgment duly made and rendered therein on the 19th day of June, 1893, which said execution and order of sale was to me directed and delivered, I did on the 5th day of July, 1893, levy upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of the within named defendant in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots numbered one (1) and two (2) of block numbered one hundred twenty-one (121) of J. M. Shively's First Addition to Astoria as recorded by him in the record of said county, said real estate being situated in Clatsop county, Oregon, and notice is hereby given that I shall on Friday, the 4th day of August, 1893, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the city of Astoria, in said county and state, in front of the court house door, proceed to sell the same or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $530.58, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from June 19, 1893, together with the further sum of $16.90 costs and disbursements, and accruing costs of this suit, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in U. S. gold coin at time of sale.

H. A. SMITH,
Sheriff of Clatsop County, Oregon.
Dated, Astoria, Or., July 5, 1893.