

CRAZED WITH RUM, YOUNG MAN KILLS STEPFATHER.

Joseph Bartlett Is the Victim of Close Range Rifle Shot.



VICTIM OF UNPROVOKED MURDER. HIS STEPFATHER WHO FIRED THE FATAL BULLET WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF LIQUOR, AND THE WIFE AND MOTHER, WHO WAS A WITNESS TO THE TRAGEDY.

Joseph Bartlett, a fruit peddler 64 years of age, was shot yesterday at 11 a. m. by his drunken stepson, Logan Bell, in front of their home at 422 1/2 Fulton street.

Robber Jokes with Victims. Holds Up Crowd of Men in Siskiyou County Saloon and Invites Them to Drink.

Although Bell says he shot his stepfather because the latter struck Mrs. Bartlett, witnesses to the tragedy agree that the act was unprovoked and that the drunken condition of the son was accountable for the murder.

GAZELLE, Aug. 6.—The saloon owned by Behnke Bros. was entered last night by a masked robber, who held up fifteen men. He walked past the tables where the men sat and drawing his revolver stepped behind the bar and ordered Bartlett to get into the corner.

Mrs. Minnie Bartlett, who was divorced from her husband but lived with him, figured in the murder, as she tried to prevent her son from committing the rash act, and now she lies on a cot at the Emergency Hospital hysterical from the shock.

BROTHER AND SISTER DROWN AT PORTLAND. Their Rowboat Struck by a Launch on the Willamette River.

Witnesses to the murder, attracted by the loud quarrel, were unanimous in saying that there can be no valid claim of self-defense. Bell was drunk when locked up at the Hall of Justice station, but he says Bartlett struck his mother and he killed him to protect her life.

PORTLAND, Aug. 6.—Owing to a lack of presence of mind in all but one of twenty occupants of a launch which had collided with a rowboat, two of the three occupants of the rowboat were drowned within a dozen feet of the launch on the Willamette River to-day.

Small boys in the vicinity of the tragedy hurried after a policeman, finding Officer O'Connor, who arrested the murderer and sent for the ambulance to carry Bartlett to the hospital.

THRONE OF NORWAY FOR A BERNADOTTE. King Oscar Now Said to Favor Selection of One of His Sons.

San Francisco People Who Are Guests at the Hotel. CORONADO, Aug. 6.—The following San Franciscans are among the recent arrivals at Hotel de Coronado:

LONDON, Aug. 7.—A dispatch to the Standard from Berlin says it is reported in diplomatic circles that King Oscar has reversed his opinion in regard to the Norwegian throne and now inclines to the belief that the situation would be best solved by accepting the crown for one of his sons.

ENVOYS MEET ON TUESDAY

Transformation Wrought at the Portsmouth Navy Yard in Preparation for the Plenipotentiaries.

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Lightship. At 5:30 o'clock the Mayflower came to Newport and anchored at the torpedo station, at the same time displaying the Russian flag at the fore. Soon afterward Mr. de Witte, Baron Rosen, two secret service men and Commander Cameron Mr. Winslow entered a steam launch and were landed at the wharf.

PORTSMOUTH IN READINESS. Naval Stores Building Handsomely Fitted for the Peace Envoys. PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 6.—After a day of activity in the navy yards the finishing touches in preparation for the peace conference were made this afternoon and everything is now in readiness, both on the inside and the outside of the large new naval stores building, where the plenipotentiaries are to be received and where they are to hold the daily sessions.

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—Mr. de Witte and party arrived here from Newport at 11:40 o'clock to-night and were immediately driven to the Hotel Touraine. It is said that the party will leave early to-morrow for Portsmouth.

RUSSO-AMERICAN ALLIANCE. Significant Semi-Official Article Appears in the Novoe Vremya. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 6.—The republication here to-day in the Novoe Vremya of an article written in 1859 by Alexander Hertzgen, the Russian author and political agitator, in which a strong plea is made for a Russo-American alliance and in which the American and European systems of government are compared most favorably to that of America, is not without interest and is of considerable significance, particularly in view of the general political situation and the fact that Russia is to-day about to establish a general Assembly and grant the country some sort of a constitution.

RAID ON A POLISH TREASURY. Armed Men Kill or Wound the Guards and Escape With \$10,000. OPATOFF, Russian Poland, Aug. 6.—Early this morning the local treasury was attacked by forty armed men, who killed or wounded all the watchmen guarding the buildings. The robbers secured \$10,000.

Novoe Vremya Says That Peace Is Necessary to the Japanese. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 7.—The morning newspapers appear to be tiring of commenting blandly on the possibilities of the Portsmouth peace conference, but the movements of M. de Witte and the others are followed closely and with interest by the people in the daily papers and they are awaiting actual news of the negotiations with anxiety.

THE NOVOE VREMJA declares that Russia's internal troubles will be ended with the introduction of a representative government. Russia, it says, wishes peace, but peace is necessary to Japan.

Police Capture Many Bombs. MOSCOW, Aug. 6.—The police to-day raided an important terrorist headquarters located in a suburb of Moscow. They captured many documents and bombs and other explosives.

HEARTY WELCOME TO FRENCH GUESTS. Lavish Hospitality Will Be Shown by British Nation. LONDON, Aug. 7.—The arrival of the French fleet in British waters to-day will mark the commencement of a notable week of festivities in honor of the visitors. The programme which has been arranged shows that England as a host is prepared to surpass all records in her display of lavish hospitality.

General Roy Stone Is Dead. NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—General Roy Stone, aged 69, a veteran of the Civil and Spanish-American wars and a distinguished civil engineer, is dead at his home in Mendham, N. J. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Lady Monson, wife of Lord Monson of England.

Captain Evan P. Howell Dead. ALTANTA, Ga., Aug. 6.—Captain Evan P. Howell, long prominently identified with Southern journalism and a leading Democrat, died at noon to-day, aged 65.

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