HER DELAY **INSANITY PLEA** SURRENDERS VITH FORT ST. FOR CHARLTON **TO SHERIFF** MUST AGAIN FIGHT TO PREVENT BANKER FACES CHARGE **INSULT THE OWNERS** MURDERER'S EXTRADITION OF, EMBEZZLEMENT Payment of Cost of Side.

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Ten Years

Prisoner Instructed to Repudiate Ex-President of Bellingham Insti-Confession Made to Police at tution in Hiding for Months in British Columbia Hoboken

(Times Leased Wire.) (Times Leased Wire.)

Bellingham, Wash., June 24,-Harry Hoboken, N. J., June 24 .- A legal . Welty, ex-president of the wrecke fight, paralleling in intensity the mur-Home Security Savings Bank of this der of Mrs. Mary Scott Castle Charlcity, wanted on a charge of embezzle-ment, reached Bellingham at an early ton at Moltrasco, Italy, will be fought in the American courts to prevent the hour this morning. He gave himself up in the American courts to prevent the return to Italy for trial of Porter Charlton, the confessed murderer. to the sheriff at New Westminster, B. C. last night. He has been there since Wednesday, when he came down from Powerful influences are being brought his hiding place in British Columbia on nto play to fight against the effort of the steamship Princess Beatrice. the Italian government to extradite

The bank was closed by State Bank Examiner J. L. Mohundro on the last young Charlton. day of March, but conditions had be The legal machinery of the United States and Italy is being invoked by such that on the first of the year the relatives of the murdered woman to secure extradition, and the same powerful agencies are the means by which relatives of Charlton are endeavoring to prevent the youth's return to the for his arrest charges him with the emscene of the murder. bezzlement of \$10,000, but it was given

Judge Paul Charlton, father of the accused man, has engaged eminent lawyers to defend his son. Already they have instructed him to repudiate The reports of A. E. Mead, former they have instructed him to repudiate this confession made to the Hoboken governor, who is receiver for the bank, and the state bank examiner, show beaud have told him to plead not guilty. yond question that other charges will Was Porter Charlton a victim of be preferred against Welty, as do also mental prostration when he wielded the the statements of the depositiors' com mallet that crushed his wife's skull? mittee.

That is the principal question that must be decided before the Italian During the time that he has been absent from this city Welty has been government will be able to bring about his return for trial. The attorneys for lumbia. A reward of \$500 was offered the defence and the grief-stricken for his arrest by the board of county commissioners, but this was with-drawn cn motion of the presecuting

Capt. Scott, brother of the dead wo- attorney, who stated to the board some The new found attorneys for the de-fence have intimated that they will days ago that he had information in his possession that led him to believe Welty would come back of his own set up an insanity plea to clear Charl-ton of responsibility. J. Fred Clarke Among the charges that the receiver' and former States Attorney Edwards, of Jersey City, counsel for Charlton, to-dealing in high finance have resulted in be allowed to see the accused youth. the bank being filled with worthless paper for which gold coin was given, In the meantime alienists for the state will examine Charlton to test the gage is missing.

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(Times Leased Wire.)

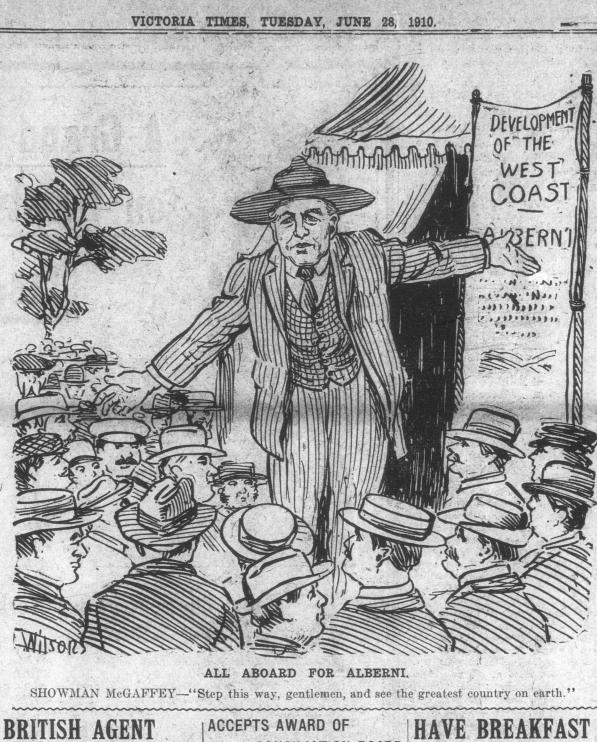
Actorneys familiar with Italian laws assert that Charlton, if extradited, can-not be convicted of any crime but of manslaughter. The penalty for that young man's sanity. IN THE PROVINCE crime in Italy is six years' imprison-The Italian government, through Marquis Di Montaglia, the Italian charge d'affaires, will use every effort B. C. BUYS TWO NEW

to secure extradition. Charlton appeared to take little in-terest in the trend of his case. He was MACHINES EVERY DAY arraigned before Recorder McGovern this morning. The recorder adjourned the preliminary hearing until next Tuesday at the request of Charlton's Number of Cars Has Almost Douattorneys, who said that they were not sufficiently familiar with the case to bled in Six Months-Interesting Records

warrant an immediate examination. Charged With Murder.

Gorst, British' agent in Egypt, will be One of the many indications of the recalled. The Guardian says:-Como, Italy, June 24 .- Procurato Guglia to-day signed an affidavit charging Porter Charlton with the columbia during the past couple of years is found in the record of auto-mobile registrations, which show that murder of his wife, Mary Scott Castle Charlton, at the Vila Legnazzi. The affidavit will be signed by the local judge and sent to the foreign office, since the first of the present year al-most as many automobiles have been Charles Hardinge, viceroy of India, to judge and sent to the toreign onter which, in turn, will demand the ex-purchased in the province as in the preceding six years. The members of the congregation a

instituted by the province, there were resigned before Roosevelt delivered his eved here that Charli





conditions were ideal for the flight. The Deutschland travelled a distance of 50 miles, then returned to Dusseldorf. Twenty new passengers were taken **READY FOR EMERGENCY**

aboard for a similar flight this after-Takes Every Precaution and terminal.

EXPERT BURWELL HAS FIFTY OTHERS ARE FINISHED INVESTIGATION SERIOUSLY INJURED To Construct Tunnel Through the Four Cars Break Away From Troop Train and Plunge Mountains Would Cost \$30 Down Embankment Per Foot (From Friday's Daily.) (Times Leased Wire.) Mexico City, June 24 .- Thirty-seven H. M. Burwell, C. E., who was com nissioned by the city council a short ime age to make a report as to the persons were killed and fifty seriously injured to-day when a troop train was possibilities of Sooke lake as a source of supply for water for the city has wrecked on the National railroad in made his report. It is understood to the state of Colima. be an adverse one. He estimates that Four cars broke aw Four cars broke away from the train t will cost at least \$30 per foot to make and were derailed as the train was a tunnel through the mountains, and rounding a curve while travelling at a mplains that from lack of data he has been handicapped in his work. His high rate of speed on a down grade. report, which has been filed in com-The cars pitched over an embankment, pleted form, will be submitted to a and the soldiers were crushed to death. of the general water com The troops were on their way to the American border to prevent a possible revolution that has been brewing for tee, which will be convened at an early

SAYS SOOKE IS

IMPRACTICABLE

After assuming office this year one some time. f the first acts of Mayor Morley was In addition to the 150 soldiers, the o appoint a water committee consistwives and families, of some of the ng of twenty-five selected from among troops were aboard the train le leading citizens of Victoria. Sev-Dispatches say that several of the men jumped from the flying train, but that the majority of the killed and inral meetings were held, but the only decision reached was one to employ an expert engineer, to report on the cost of the tunnel which must be a part of came. Seven officers are reported to be the scheme if water is to be brought among the dead.

rom Sooke to the city. The alternative proposition which has The engineer and conductor of the train were placed under arrest. been before the city is that of buying water from the Esquimalt company, which has already offered a supply at six cents per thousand gallons. The company has of late been making a Floor of Building Collapses-Architect large expenditure on additions and ex- Narrowly Escapes Death tensions. Large quantities of heavy pipe have been received from the Old Brandon, Man., June 24-W H. ountry via the Blue Funel route, and hillinghaw, an architect, yesterday these are now being installed. narrowly escaped instant death in the ollapse of the top floor of the Nation

It has been intended to submit a bylaw to the ratepayers at an early date and Shewan departmental store. Shillasking for a loan for the purpose of going ahead with the Sooke lake pro-position. formerly city engineer, is the architect in charge of the work of al-terations of Nation and Shewan's block,

Nice, France, June 24.-An automobile occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Ameri-cans, and Mme. Mattein, ran into a ditch and was overturned near Castellane, in he department of Basses-Alpes, yester day. Madame Mattein was killed and Mr. Henry badly injured. The latter's wife

where another story is being added to the present establishment. He was inspecting the work when the floor fell and he was buried beneath the debris. Workmen hurriedly dug him out. He

was badly bruised, but conscious, and was removed to his hotel. It was learn ed that four persons were badly injured. One man had his hip fractured, and all were severely, cut and bruised. The section where the accident occur-red was in the hands of the contractors.

FIVE INJURED.

TWENTY-SEVEN

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NEW THEATRE FOR PORTLAND.

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Portland, Ore., June 24 .- Portland today is assured of a new theatre. Klaw, and Erlanger and Charles Frohman have just signed a contract for the construction of a ten-story building to be erected between Thirteenth and ourteenth streets, fronting on Morri-on. They will lease the building only. Klaw & Erlanger's representative, E. . Cook, said that the building would be rushed to completion, and probably would be ready for occupancy within nine months.

Cooke is expected to arrived in Spokane to-day, where he is to arrange for a site and the construction of a new heatre in Spokane for the syndicate.

Rev. J. B. Warnicker, B.A., a well "WHITE SLAVER" SENTENCED.

known minister of the Baptist denom-Seattle, Wash., June 24.-Lugius ination, has accepted a call to First oon. It is the plan of the manage- Baptist church, of this city, and will the federal penitentiary on McNeil's Katz is under sentence of two years at island to-day, for engaging in the The members of the congregation at white slave traffic. It took a jury 10 largely attended meeting recently de- minutes to convict him. Katz, two

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