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Tragic Story Of Conspiracy

Frenchman Charged With Murder in London Tells a Sensational Tale.

Refused to Kill Colonial Secretary and Had to Fight For Life.

London, Sept. 11.—Martial Faugerin, a Frenchman who was charged today at Clerkenwell court with the murder of Merman Jung, an old jeweler about 10 days ago, told a remarkable story of a plot to kill Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary.

Faugerin said he had been the recipient of small loans from Jung. The day of the murder Jung summoned him to his shop where they discussed the matter caused by the South African war, which Jung declared Mr. Chamberlain was responsible for, and told Faugerin that if he could kill Mr. Chamberlain Jung, through intermediaries, would guarantee him a ten pound note to buy good clothes to enable him to approach his victim.

Once there was a Man who was Lang-Hungry. He could not get too much quitclaim Deeds into his capacious Maw. He wanted to own all the adjoining Property.

THE POZZLE AND THE SUCCESSFUL APPROACH. On a Ship bound for Southampton were two Americans who were taking their Money to England in order to offset the Balance of Trade.

THE THIRD AND LAST CALL. A Public Official presiding at a Marriage License Counter put his Head through the Window and shouted "Next!"

THE MERITED REBUKE. A Traveler at a rag-weed Junction moved up to a Lunch Counter and negotiated the Sandwich of Commerce, sometimes known as the Glove.

SANDLES FOR THE SEASIDE. A New Fashion Which Has Grown Phenomenally in England.

Never before in its history has the wholesale boot trade witnessed such a remarkable increase in the demand that has sprung up within the last few weeks for sandals for children's holiday wear.

Take a piece of old Japanese metal work—a sword guard, for instance, which you can buy at a sale for a dollar or two to any of the manufacturing jewelers in this city.

Money is like blood, said the spendthrift Napoleon; it isn't any good unless it keeps in circulation. Yes, answered the Wise Uncle, but you shouldn't either of them get away from you.—Baltimore American.

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WILL BE WELL WORTH SEEING Biggest Nugget Ever Found in North to Be Shown at Victoria. Eugene Brooks, elder of the Christian Catholic Church in Zion, and John Rogers, one of the adherents of that church, upon whose shoulders a coroner's jury on Thursday placed the responsibility for the death of Rogers' little daughter, who died of diphtheria without medical attendance, were arraigned in the city police court yesterday on the charge of manslaughter, the information being sworn to by Supt. Husey, of the provincial police force.

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