MR. BORDEN'S SLAYER.

He Might Have Been a Young Man Whom the Neighbors Saw

LOITERING NEAR THE PREMISES.

Marshal Hilliard Describes in Full llis Visit to the House.

THE TESTIMONY IS NOW COMPLETE

FALL RIVER, MASS., Aug. 31 .- All the testimony in the preliminary murder trial of Lizzie Borden is now in. The features of the evidence to-day was the description by Marshal Hilliard of his visit to the premises, and the stories of several witnesses about having seen a strange young man about the premises.

The first witness called was Marshal Rufus B. Hilliard, who said that his attention was called to the murder at 11:15 August 4. He sent officer George W. Allen to the house and did not go to the house him-self till 2:30 or 3 P. M. When witness went at 3 o'clock he took with him some men to search the barn and yard and the yards in that vicinity, but knew nothing about the matter, except from what he had been told by Medly, Fleet, and, he thought, Riley.

Medly is not in town now, but has been sent to look after evidence that Rev. Mr. Buck placed in his hands, following out some supposed clue in connection with this murder, but witness declined to state what. When he arrived there he went back of the yard where the lumber was.

All the Neighboring Yards Inspected.

A thorough examination was made of the hav in the barn. He went into the back yard where the lumber was by the Chagnon fence and looked over into the Chagnon property and also into the Crowe and Kelly yards and then to the vault, then to the barn, where they were overhauling the hay; then to the tower of the barn, where they were examining the carriages. He searched the stalls on the north of the barn and under the stairway; in fact, all down stairs; then sent officers to search other

Witness then went into the house. He saw no other officers in the house when he went in. This was about 4 o'clock. He and three or four doctors were in the room where Mrs. Borden's body lay and were in consultation. He spoke to Dr. Dolan about the matter and looked at the sofa, but could not say whether any part of it was cut. He could not tell whether there was any blood spots on the head of it. There were blood spots on the parlor door, but he did not notice the chair. They were blood spots

indoubtedly.

Mr. Borden's body was then removed from the lounge. Then he passed into the front entry with Dr. Dolan and into the front room where they said Mrs. Borden's body was found. He saw some spots of blood on the nillow shame.

blood on the pillow shams. The Blood-Stained Pillow Shams.

Here witness was sent for the pillow shams and the marble piece taken from the bureau. The shams were produced and identified. Witness said they were given to him Wednesday, the 10th. He saw them on the bed, however, on the 5th of August. The bed-spread of white was examined and also the shams. The sham with the blood

lay next to the bureau. Witness made no search of the house, but when he sent men to search the yard he also sent men to search the cellar. He knew the cellar was scarched from what was re-ported to him. The officers reported through Assistant Marshal Fleet. Nothing was delivered to witness as the result of

that search that afternoon, Marshal Hilliard described in detail the search he had made. The District Attorney said he was willing to admit that a most thorough search was made in the house. George F. Senver, State Detective, detailed his part in the various searches of the premises. John Donnelly, the next wit-ness, a hackman, said the hay in the barn looked as if somebody had been lying on the northwest part of it toward the window.

At the afternoon session Dr. Benjamin J. Biandy was the first witness. He said he passed the Borden house on the day of the murder at 9:50 or 10:40 in a carriage. The Strange Lolterer He Saw,

He saw opposite the space between the house and Dr. Kelly's a stranger. His attention was attracted to him because he was pale, very pale; a young man, medium height, dressed in light gray clothes. He turned and looked at him a second time as he went by, because there was something, he could not tell what, that attracted his attention. He had seen the man before, he thought, a few days before, on the same street. It was not Thomas Bolles.

He could not tell what attracted his attention. He could not say on what day he saw him before. He thought the person might be found. He had the impression that he had a mustache. He had a full, very white forehead and full face. Witness spoke to his wife about having seen the man

after the tragedy. Mrs. Delia S. Manley was next called. She was in the vicinity of the house on the morning of the murder about 10:40. She a w somebody standing near the north gate during that time. She was standing be-tween the Borden and Churchill houses, talking with a man who was in a carriage The man witness saw was standing in the gateway and appeared to be a young man. It was not Mr. Morse, and she did not know Mr. Borden. It was a younger man than

Morse. She never saw the stranger before to her knowledge. She could not say posi-tively about his clothes, but thought they were not black.

Next Door Neighbors Hear a Noise Mary Ann Chagnon, wife of Dr. Chagnon, was at home the night before the murder, but not on the day of the murder. She went away about 11 o'clock that day to Central Falls. The night before the murder witness said that between 11 and 11:30 o'clock she heard a noise as if somebody was jumping the tence. The sound appeared to come from the back of the house near the kitchen, where there is a fence between the Borden and Chagnon yards. Her daughter also heard it. In fact her daughter heard it first and called her attention to it. The daughter was so much frightened that shortly after she refused to go downstairs to the cellar. Witness told her it was the dog but the daughter pointed out where the dog

was then lying.

Martha Chagnon testified in corroboration
of her mother in regard to the noise at the
fence. This closed the evidence and the arguments will be begun at 10:30 to-morrow.

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American and English Sealers. VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 31.-The Ameri can bark Majestic, from Patropaulovski, reached here last evening, having aboard the captains and crews of the four sealing schooners Rosie, Olsen Alice and Willie McGowan, flying the British flag, and the American schooner C. H. White, of San Francisco. These four were sealing off Copper Island, betwen 40 and 50 miles, during the latter part of July, when the Russian war ship, Seabraka, and the Fur Com-pany's steamer Kodiak, bearing the Gov-ernor of Bering Island, rounded them up one by one, sent the schooners to be sold at Petropaulovski, and made the captains and

crews prisoners.

The captain objected to the seizure, claiming they were freemen on free waters, whereupon the marines pricked them with the points of their bayonets and informed them there was such a place as Siberia for those who spoke too loudly of freedom. Both the British and American skippers recognized that it was no time for talking, still they ventured to protest that they were away outside the three-mile limit and were away outside the three-mile limit and were met with the astounding information from the officers of the Seabraka: "Russia is sovereign over the water 1,000 miles from her shores." The captain of the Russian cruiser based his action on the ground that Russia exercised jurisdiction over all land and water west of the line of demarcation. After being taken aboard the Seabraka the master of each schooner was ordered to sign a paper, written in Russian and explained by the interpreter as an acknowledgement that he had been sealing in Russian waters.

A SALVATION ARMY SCANDAL

Serious Charges Against Commandant Booth Following a Canadian Secession

TORONTO, ONT., Aug. 31.-Recently Brigadier Philpott, of the Salvation Army, was given the option of a reduction in rank or resignation by Commandant Booth, son of General Booth, to punish him for alleged rebellious spirit. Philpott resigned, and several officers and many privates seceded with him.

Philpott then made charges that several valuable barrack sites had been sold throughout the country, and that the pro-ceeds had been used to furnish the officers at headquarters with large salaries, on which they lived in luxury. He also made a special charge of extravagance and luxurious living against Marechal Booth, daughter of General Booth, while she was traveling in Canada. These charges Commandant Booth declined to notice, but the revolt from his standard has assumed such alarming proportions here and throughout the country that he will to-morrow mail to all the Canadian officers a reply to the charges. He denies all of them, and offers considerable evidence in support of his denial.

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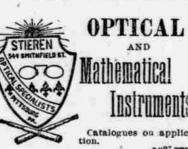
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