

## **IS CRUSHED UNDER WHEELS OF A CAR.**

### **Six-Year-Old Child Fails to Observe Vehicle's Approach and Is Badly Mangled.**

Six-year-old Harold Hamilton, the nephew of Peter McCormick, chief deputy at the Morgue, was mangled beneath the wheels of a car of the Twenty-ninth-street line early last evening and now lies on a cot at St. Luke's Hospital in a critical condition. The child's right arm was torn from the body, the jawbone shattered, while the scalp was badly torn in several places.

The boy, who resides with his uncle at 22 Twenty-ninth street, was playing on the street just before dusk with several companions. He suddenly stopped his play and started to cross the street for home just as car 1132, in charge of Motorman Charles Philbrook, dashed by.

The motorman did not observe the child, who stepped directly in the path of the speeding car.

An ambulance hurried the injured lad to St. Luke's Hospital, where at an early hour this morning he was still swaying between life and death.

### **MARRIOTT ASKS JURY TRIAL.**

SAUSALITO, August 24. — Frederick Marriott, who is testing the street poll tax ordinance, appeared before Recorder Pryor to-day and entered a plea of not guilty. The demurrer, which his attorneys had submitted, was overruled by the Recorder several days ago. Upon entering his plea Marriott demanded a jury trial and a venire of fifty jurors was issued and made returnable Tuesday.