GRAFTERS TELL PRICE OF VOTES

Lonergan's Wife Corroborates His Story of Selling to Halsey.

CONFESSES SINS

Former Supervisor Admits Taking Money From Both Telephone Companies-Fire Most Conveniently Destroys Evidence.

BAN FRANCISCO, July 22 .- Mrs. Anna Leone Lonergan, wife of Supervisor J. F. Leone Lonergan, wife of Supervisor J. F.
Lonergan, was a witness today for the
prosecution in the Louis Glass bribery
trial. She was the second woman thus
far to testify since the commencement of
the bribery-graft proceedings. She corroborated the testimony of her husband
that he accepted \$4000 from T. V. Halsey,
of the Pacific States Telephone Company
to you against the granting of a rival to vote against the granting of a rival franchise to the Home Telephone Com-pany. She said her husband brought the money home in bills and gave it to her. Supervisor M. W. Coffey testified that he accepted a bribe of \$5000 from Halsey nder the conditions stated, but he denied that the vote was thereby influenced.

Price of Wilson's Vote.

Ex-Supervisor Andrew M. Wilson, who is now State Railroad Commissioner, was the first witness at the afternoon session, Mr. Wilson testified that Halsey had handed him \$600 and had stated that he wanted Wilson to be a friend of the company and to look out for its interests. The ordinance granting a franchise to the Home Telephone Company had not at that time been passed, in addition, Halsey had paid him \$2500 if he would continue in the employ of the Pacific States Tele-phone Company.

On cross-examination by Mr. Delmas for the defense, Mr. Wilson testified that he had been promised immunity by Chair-nian Gallagher, of the Board of Super-visors, if he would testify for the prose-This premise of immunity had been made at a meeting of the Board of

Double Cross for Sunset.

On February 20 Wilson said he voted for the franchise to the Home Telephone Company and received \$3500, given him by Gallagher. This was after he had received \$7500 for his opposition to the granting of the same franchise. He did not know from whom Gallagher obtained the money, but had been given to understand by Gallagher that it would be political suicide if he did not vote with the ad-

ministration in favor of the Home Tele-phone Company for the franchise. Wilson testified that he received \$500 in gold in January, 1906, for his vote in favor of the granting of the license to the so-called prize-fight trust.
Wilson also said he was paid \$750
for his vote establishing the \$5-cent

Price of Trolley Vote.

In response to a question by Mr. Del-mas, Mr. Wilson said he received \$10,-000 for his vote in favor of the grant-ing of the trolley franchise at the time that the United Bullward. that the United Railroads system was electricized. The money was given him by Gallagher in currency. He had heard that the other Supervisors were to get \$4000.

W. W. Eaton, treasurer of the Pacific States Telephone Company, was then recalled to the stand and Mr. Heney

brought checks to you amounting to \$40,000 or \$50,000. Was there any memorandum kept?" "Yes, but the memorandum was de-

stroyed in the fire." "Were these checks entered on a separate tag?" Mr. Heney asked. This question brought about an ex-tended argument between counsel as to

the admissibility of such testimony.

MAYOR WELCOMES DELEGATES

Taylor Makes First Public Appearance Since Election.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—The opening day of the first industrial peace conference ever held in San Francisco was marked by strong addresses and a warm enthusiasm on the part of the delegates that augured well for the success of the effort to bring about better relations between employer and employes in this city. At the afternoon and evening sessions fully 1200 were in attendance and close attention and applause was evidence of tention and appliause was evidence of the carnestness with which delegates and listeners were working on the

problems before them.

The day was chiefly notable for the first public appearance of Mayor Edward R. Taylor since he assumed the Mayoralty. He formally welcomed the delegates to the city in a ringing address that was repeatedly interrupted with cheers and the waving of handkerchiefs. In the course of his address Mayor Taylor said: "Let us refuse to be ruled in municipal matter by parties or politics. Let us cease to inquire whether a man is a Democrat or a Republican, a union man or a non-union man. Let us look only to the

And he announced his policy in the ad-ministration of his office in the words: "It shall be one of my most imperative ment ever since. duties to restore the charter."

in transacting the necessary routing

Professor Adolph Miller, of the University of California, was chosen per-

manent chairman.

At the afternoon session, in addition to the Address of Mayor Taylor, there were addresses by A. W. Scott, Pro-fessor Miller, Mr. Fairfax Whelan and

James D. Phelan, James G. Maguire and Lincoln J. Steffens spoke at the evening session

CHANGE MOTIVE POWER?

Great Northern to Erect Power-Houses to Generate Electricity.

WASHINGTON, July 22 .- (Special.)-The Forest Service today issued a permit to allow the Northern Railroad to erect two dams and two power plants in the Yakima division of the Washington Forest Reserve for the purpose of generating electricity by utilizing the water powers on which it had filed. The com-

its road, this change having been hinted at by representatives of the Great Northern at a recent hearing before the interstate Commerce Commission,

MAY BE MARS TALKING

Curious Record Through Wireless on

a Mountain Station.

Metropolitan Magazine.

Strange things are happening. For some time past toward midnight the receivers of the wireless telegraph stations have registered, and for a long period at a time, the signal three dots, which is persistently repeated. It has been proved, after investigation, that from no eartily station has such a from no earthly station has such a message been sent at such a time. What, then, is this mysterious call?

What, then, is this mysterious call? These three dots singularly recall; three points of light which were observed on the planet Mars in 1901.

Midnight. Tap-tap-tap! Tap-tap-tap! Tap-tap-tap! Tap-tap-tap! Three sharp little knocks, short and hurried, sound insistently in the vast silence of the Marconi station. The sleeping employes are awakened with a start, and, frightened and vaguely anxious, they frightened and vaguely anxious, they

look at each other.

"Did you hear it? It is beginning again. What is it, and who on earth can be sending it?"

"Don't you know your Morse alphabet? Three short dashes mean S. Will that receiver never stop sound-

ing S . . . S . . . S when no one knows why it is repeating it? It one knows why it is repeating it? It gets on one's nerves—listen!"

Tap-tap-tap! Tap-tap-tap! "Yes, it is true, but what can we do? Every night this happens at midnight. As long as S is being telegraphed, the receiver will register it. When they have had enough of it they will stop."

But in the loneliness of their stations so lost and solitary at the end tions so lost and solitary at the end of the promontory, the employes at the wireless telegraph station feel, in

the wireless telegraph station feel, in the oppressive silence of the deserted night, those painful shivers which the black wing of mystery sends creeping up the back as it flies near. For several days past these three taps have been obstinately repeated. Inquiries have been made at all the stations in the whole world. No one has sent forth such a message. Someone is telegraphing, but not from this world. It must be, then, that the message comes from somewhere beyond. sage comes from somewhere beyond. What is this obstinate little voice that calls to us in the darkness across the cold immensity of sidereal space.

Three dots? Walt a moment—why in

1892 and again in 1901 the observers of the heavens were talking about three dots. During those two years, through the most powerful telescopes, a triangle made of three luminous dots was distinguishable on the planet Mars, small to our sight, but in reality immense, a triangle whose sides measured several hundred kilometers in length. These luminous spots stood out in dazzling whiteness against the blood-red background of Mars.

KILLED BY BLANK CHARGE

Private Dead, Four Injured at Battery Bradford.

FORT PLUM, Mare Island, July 23 .-By a premature explosion of a blank charge of one of the 6-inch rifle guns at Battery Bradford today Private George Hammond, of the One Hundredth Com-pany, Coast Artillery, U. S. A., was killed, and four others were injured, one man

siy. injured: Sergeant Bejamin W Banks, who may lose the sight of both sanks, who may lose the sight of both eyes, and Private Hayes, both of the One Hundredth Company; Private John Mc-Hugh and Private Joseph McHugh, a brother, burned on the face. The two last-named men are members of Company K, Third Infantry, Connecticut National Guards.

tional Guards.

Private Hammond received the full charge of ignited powder, tearing away his shoulder and arm. His home is in Talbot, Tenn. Sergeant Banks is in the hospital. The other injured are in their quarters, suffering severely.

The ways unfer the direction of Lieu-

The men, under the direction of Lieu-enant Joseph M. Myers, were engaged in repelling an imaginary enemy. It is believed the blank was placed in the breech and that a burning ember was left there unnoticed and ignited the

UNVEIL MORTON MONUMENT

Campfire Concludes Exercises Memory of Indiana Executive.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 23 .- A campfire at Tomilnson Hall concluded the exercises attendant upon the unveiling of the monu-ment to Oliver P. Morton, Indiana's war Governor, this afternoon. Vice-President Fairbanks and R. B. Brown, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., were the prin-cipal speakers at the campfire. The oft-repeated prayer of Mrs. Mor-

ton that she live to see the unveiling of the monument to her illustrious husband was partially answered today. She was not permitted to view the unveiling, however, as her physician forbade the aged woman from leaving her honfe. Mrs. Morton has been in feeble health for some years.

Governor J. Frank Hanly of Indiana accepted the statue for the state. A parade of state troops and veterans of the Civil War preceded the unveiling.

Wanted Money From President.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(Special.)—August Franke, of Scattle, is detained in an asylum in this city, pending the pro-curement of proof that he has a legal residence at Scattle. When this is ob-tained. Franke will be sent home to be turned over to the state authorities for proper care. He came here last month to collect \$100,000 from the Govern dent and demand payment, he was taken into custody and has been under treat

Loggers Pile Up Runs.

LITTLE FALLS, Wash., July 23. (Special.)—In an exciting game of baseball between the Fleets and the Stillwater Lumber Company's loggers on the Little Falls diamend, the Logers won out by a score of 23 to 18. In a game between the first team of Little Falls and a team from Lewis County the locals won by a score of 4 to 3. Wallace, of Little Falls, struck out 17 men, and Schriver, of

Glidden Cars Leave Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, July 23 .- The automobilists who are upon the annual tour of the American Automobile Asso-ciation for the Glidden and Hower trophies, resumed their journey on schedule time today. The itinerary provided for a run to Philadelphia over a course 172 miles in length and a time limit of 10 hours and 30 minutes. An easy run was anticipated, for the road is macadamized all the way.

Creates Forest Reserve in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22,-(Spepowers on which it had fied. The company is also given the right to occupy a right-of-way 190 feet wide and 10 miles serve in Alsska, embracing 88,000 acres of the reserve. This is taken to mean that the Great Northern is preparing to substitute electricity for steam on part of Prince William Sound.

Cial.)—The President today signed a proclamation creating the Chugatch forest relation to the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired.

Canton Linen

We have just received a large shipment White Canton Dress Linen which we bought at very special prices, and we will supply all demands. This splendid fabrie is regularly worth \$1.50 the yard. We are selling it specially at the 78c low price of, yard....

PORTLAND AGENTS ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

A Curtain Sale

Curtains worth \$8.50 \$6.75 pair, special price.

Curtains worth \$9.00 \$7.00 pair, special price. Curtains worth \$9.50 \$7.50 pair, special price.

Curtains worth \$10.50 \$8.35

A Sale of Shoes For Summer Wear

A LIST OF SPECIALS FOR TODAY THAT SHOULD PUT ALL ECONOMICAL PEOPLE ON THE "RISE EARLY AND COME" LIST

Any Woman's \$5.00 Tan Shoe \$3.19

A sweeping special takes in any tan high shoe we have worth to \$5.00. This means choice of many, many dozen pairs of any shade of tan shoes, with light or heavy soles, of button shoes, lace shoes, regular Oxford, blucher-cut shoes

in soft leather for dress wear, smart walking boots and tan shoes from the very best makers in the country; worth to \$5.00; for today

> WOMEN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS-Ten styles to choose from; come in patent or kid; worth to \$2.50; choice \$1.39 MEN'S BLACK HUNTING BOOTS-12 inches high; viscolized double sole, that runs to heel; regularly worth \$5.00; special to-The \$7.50 grade for.....\$5.69

Any Woman's Canvas Shoes \$1.89

Here is a sale of cool Summer Shoes that is really a wonder. They are an ideal Summer shoe, and you will find plenty of use for them this season when white is so popular. This sale gives you unrestricted choice of hundreds of pairs of neat, stylish oxfords. There are many styles in canvas, also splendid assortments of styles in green, gray, brown, tan, pink or blue. There are shoes in the lot worth to \$3.00 a pair. Choice for today only at

INFANTS' SHOES-Spring heels; in kid or patent leather; every pair in the lot worth from \$1.25 to \$2.00, and they come in sizes 73c

MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS-In patent or plain calf; six styles to choose from, and shoes that you will say are worth \$3.50; \$2.69



Bathing Suits Are Cheap Now



ing Suits in several qualities, made of good material and very tastefully trimmed. Note carefully the sizes we mention in each lot, and come prepared for a bathing suit bargain MISSES' BATHING SUITS, | WOMEN'S BATHING made of brilliantine, prettily trimmed with fancy

> ular \$5.00 values; special....\$3.55 MISSES' BRILLIANTINE .BATHING SUITS, neatly trimmed; sell regularly at \$4.50; sizes 12, 14 and 16; your choice at \$3.10

WOMEN'S BRILLIANTINE BATHING SUITS, in pretty jumper styles, neat blue material, trimmed with white braid; sizes 34, 36 and 38. An excellent \$9.00 value: on sale \$7.89

SUITS of Brilliantine, in blue, black or brown; very prettily trimmed; \$7.50 and \$9.00 values; sizes 32 and 34 only, at special the suit \$4.98 WOMEN'S BATHING

SUITS of blue or brown brilliantine, trimmed with white braid; sizes 32 and 34 only; regular \$6.00 values; on sale at \$4.39 WOMEN'S BATHING .SUITS of fine blue brilliantine, neatly trimmed in assorted designs. A superb \$5.00 value, but we have size 32 only; special for Today at, only \$3.19

We have all bathing suit accessories, shoes, stockings, caps, etc., and they are all low price too.

Lovely Kimonos Worth \$1.29

women's LONG KIMONOS of prettily figured lawn trim'd with bands of the same material, and plain colors. Lightweight garments for hot weather house wear, well made, good material; in light colors; mostly regularly special \$1.29

WOMEN'S SHIRTWAISTS SUITS-\$35.00**\$14.95** Worth to

Very dressy, swagger Costumes of plain or fancy silks and nicely trimmed. The plain colors are blue, blacks, and browns. The fancies are in plaids, stripes and checked effects. They are trimmed with lace, braid to \$35; special...... \$14.95

WOMEN'S WOOL SKIRTS-Special one-half price. These skirts come in fine wool mixtures, light colors. Most of them in the very popular plaited style. Some are quite plain tailored models. They are well made and hand-tailored. Good styles, good values at regular prices today One-Half

GERMAN Dinner Sets

Here's a bargain in decorated German China Dinner Sets. China that anybody would be proud to have on their table, comes in dainty shapes, and very pretty decorations. Just 28 sets in all to sell. Those who come promptly find substantial savings and a good range of choice. 100-piece sets, regularly 100-piece sets, regularly worth \$20.00, \$14.00 worth \$18.00. \$12.50 special for.....

Haviland Decorated French China

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51-pc.	Dinner	Set,	\$27.75	value,	special		\$19.4	0
100-pc.	Dinner	Set.	\$35.00	value,	special		\$25.2	1
							\$30.0	
100-pc.	Dinner	Set,	\$53.75	value,	special		\$37.5	0
102-pc.	Dinner	Set,	\$56.00	value,	special		\$39.2	5
117-pe.	Dinner	Set,	value \$	102.50,	special		\$79.0	0

A Special on Childs' Sweaters

All-wool Sweaters for misses or children; come in many different styles; slip over neck or button down front. Plain white or colors, or in fancy combinations, for little ladies from 2 to 14 years of age. Regularly priced at 90c to \$3.75; special at 60¢ to

Choice of Trimmed Hats to \$10 98c

Chic, jaunty, dressy affairs they are, too. Smart Trimmed Hats with plenty of go and style to them. Many different materials to choose from and a wealth of choice and good colors. Wings, flowers, foliage and ribbons placed by the hands of experts form pleasing effects in trimming; choice today from \$6.00 to \$10.00 Hats for 98c

.HATS; regularly worth to \$3.50 each; sell Today for 63c DRESS SHAPES, regularly worth up to \$5.00, sell 39c

WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR | DUCK TAM O' SHANTERS, extremely smart headgear for Summer wear; bargains for Today, and the 75c kind 39c sell for

DEMENTED NEW YORKER LAT-ER WOUNDS MERCHANT.

After Injuring Girl Charles Warner Runs Amuck Until He Is Felled by a Truckman.

NEW YORK, July 28-Miss Esther Vorling, 23 years of age, of Ridgefield Park, N. J., was shot and killed early today, it is alleged, by Charles Warner, her former employer, as she was entering a haberdasher store on West Twelfth street, where she was employed as a bookkeeper. Warner, it is charged by the police, fired several shots at A. H. Spicer, the manager of the store, while eccaping. Warner fled to the store of A. G. Spaulding & Company, and although 20 policemen surrounded the building and searched it thoroughly, no trace of War-ner could be found. The police believe he was unbalanced by business reverses and

Miss Norling had reached the door of

the gun and made a dash for it, as did Warner. Seizing it before Spicer could reach it he turned and sped up the street to the Spaulding establishment. Policemen, attracted by the shooting, surrounded the building and Policeman Walsh, seeing Warner fleeing up the winding stairways to the second floor, darted after him. The police hesitated as he fired a shot at Walsh and when they recovered themselves. recovered themselves Warner had es-

Spicer said Warner, who is about 55 years of age, had been calling for Miss Norling each evening and that she had

Warner later appeared at the hat store warner later appeared at the hat store of John C. Wilson, whom he knew, and asked for a loan of \$10. When Wilson turned to get the money, Warner shot him in the back and arm, inflicting wounds that are thought to be fatal. Warner then fled but was intercepted by a truckman. Warner shot at him but missed. The truckman, to save his life, felled Warner with a cotton book, inflicting a fatal injury. Warner was hurried to a

Killed by Explosion in Practice.

the fleeing man in the back. Angered, the fleeing man in the back. Angered, tonal Guard of Bridgeport, were injured in an accident at Fort Terry, His aim was bad and he threw the weapon at-the loy.

Spicer, who was chasing Warner, saw the gun and made a dash for it, as did warner Seigher. It hefers Seigher would warner the explosion of a bag of powder in the explosion of a bag of powder in one of the six-inch batteries during a sham attack upon the forts

REFUSE THE CITY BONDS

Trust Company Will Not Accept Issue for Erection of City Hall.

WALLA WALLA, Wash, July 23 .-(Special.)-It was made known today for the first time that the Harris Trust Company, of Chicago, has refused to take over the \$100,000 bonds for which they were awarded the contract some time ago for the erection of the new City Hall. The bonding company maintains that it has refused to accept the bonds on the grounds that the \$153,000 water debt should be in-cluded on the common 5 per cent fund while the Washington state law while the Washington state law pro-vides that it shall be in a special 5 per cent fund. This at last explains the delay on the work of erecting the City Hail, which was abandoned last

"It's Charley Warner; he shot me,"
the Charley Warner; he shot me,"
the Charley Warner; he shot me,"
wate Hammond, of the One Hundredth
Warner slipped out of the door. A mesCompany, a regular artilleryman, was

NEW LONDON, Conn., July 23.—Priwate Hammond, of the One Hundredth
ford won its first victory on the Thames,
has just died, at the age of 87.

ARCHIE ROOSEVELT'S PET BAN-ISHED FROM WASHINGTON.

Bulldog That Treed French Ambassador Ends Career as Dictator of White House Lawn.

WASHINGTON, July 23—(Special)— Pete, Archie Roosevelt's pet bulldog, has been banished for keeps. The President commuted the death sentence at the re quest of Archie to extile for life, and Pete, who moved fast in diplomatic and other official asciety in Washington, never again will rule supreme over the lawn at the White House.

Fete got along fairly well until he companies to be supported to the suprementation of the suprementatio

menced to chew up common folks. A lineman from a telegraph company had

Peptiron Pills

Hood's Pills

out of him. Complaint was made to the President and the President sent to Washington for the dog. Securely muzzled, Pete, who treed the French Ambassador, was carried from Washington into perpetual exile.

Straw hats still going at sale prices, at

