## **GRAFT GRAND JURY** STRIKES MAGNATE

Multi-Millionaire Now Among Accused.

HOFFSTOT ACCUSED OF CRIME

Charged With Paying \$52,000 to Pittsburg Grafter.

FORMED BANK SYNDICATE

President of Steel Car Company, Which Fought Bitter Contest With McKees Rocks Workmen Is "Man Higher Up."

PITTSBURG, April 6. - The climax promised in the Pittsburg graft exwith the presentment by the grand jury of a lengthy report, in which commended the indictment of Frank Hoffstot, president of the Pressed Steel Car Company, and one of most prominent business men in the

Simultaneously, in open court, came plea of Emil Winter, president of the Workingmen's Savings & Trust Company, that he had no defense to make to the charge that he gave s \$30,000 bribe to ex-Councilman Morris Elinstein

The following, in abbreviated form are some of the most startling findings in the grand jury presentment made

Hoffstot Accused of Bribing.

First-That Frank N. Hoffstot, president of the Pressed Steel Car Company and president of the German National Bank of Allegheny, and pro nently identified with other banks paid to Charles Stewart, a former Se fect Councilman, the sum of \$52,000.

Second-That the money was a bribe used in influencing the votes of Councilmen to pass an ordinance naming three banks in which Hoffstot was in terested as official depositories or the city's millions

Third-That the arrangement for the payment of money to Stewart was made in the Spring of 1908 and the late James W. Friend, at that time an official of the Pressed Steel Car Company, was an associate in the trans

Blakeley Declined to Help.

Fourth-That the original plan of Friend was to obtain the services of W. A. Blakeley, then a practicing attorney here, but now the District Attorney in charge of the graft prosecutions, as a stakeholder of the bribe money until the ordinance had passed. Fifth - That Attorney Blakeley de clined to act in the capacity named, and

the proposition and of the liability of prosecution if it went further, Sixth-That subsequent to Mr. Blake refusal. Mesers. Wriend and Hoffstot completed an arrangement pay or cause to be paid to Stewart the

warned all parties of the criminality of

sum named, \$52,000, Seventh - That the transaction was arranged to be made in New York City and took place there in June, 1908, in Hability in Allegheny County.

Young Asked to Subscribe.

Eighth-That Hoffstot also solleited om one James N. Young, cashler of e Second National Bank of Pittsburg \$21,000 to be paid Stewart to insure the selection of the Second National as one of the favored city depositories. Ninth - That Stewart did demand from the now deceased Friend, who

was acting as agent for the Second National Bank, a bribe for Stewart's Tenth-That in accordance with the findings, it be recommended that indictments charging conspiracy and

bribery be returned. The banks named as ultimate principals to profit by the bribes alleged to have been paid by Hoffstot to Stewart

The Farmers Deposit National Bank the Second National Bank of Pittsburg and the German National Bank of At-In addition to these three. the Columbia National Bank of Pittsburg and the Workingmen's Savings & Trust Company of Allegheny were named as city depositories in the ordinance passed July 9, 1906, over the

Judge Friend of Accused.

Winter, president of the Workingmen's Savings & Trust Company today was no less sensational than the report of the grand jury. He was charged with the payment of \$20,000 bribe to Morris Einstein, a former Select Councilman When Winter appeared in court, Judge R. S. Fraser, who is presiding in the graft cases, asked to be excused from

hearing the plea. Judge Fraser explained on account of his long and intimate friendship with Mr. Winter he wished to have nothing to do with the case. Winter was then taken before Judges Thomas D. Carni- a millionaire capitalist of

### **GUESTS AT HOTEL** CATCH OWN TROUT

INNOVATION PLEAS! EPICURES IN CHICAGO HOJO, VRY.

Individual "Drink Wagons", ater to Tastes of Exclusives Whe Throats Are Dry.

CHICAGO, April 6 .- (Special.) -- Hotel proprietors and managers from Eastern states caught brook trout and clack bass in huge live fish tanks of the Blackstone Hotel today and watched them later being cooked for their luncheon, which was served in the unfinished structure at noon.

This feature of modern gastronomy has been provided by the hotel management to attract those guests who insist upon cating absolutely fresh fish. The Eastern visitors, who are on their way to California to attend the hotelmen's convention, applauded the

Although the hotel is still unprepared for guests, it was possible to entertain the delegation in the English room on the second floor of the structure. The new \$2.000,000 hostelry will open its doors to the public next The individual 'drink wagons," which are wheeled from table to table and on which are all the ingredients of mixed drinks, will be installed in the room for epicures.

BERI-BERI ATTACKS SEVEN

British Sailors Stricken After Drinking Rainwater, One Dying.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., April &-The British ship Eiginshire, 140 days out from Glasgow, arrived today with seven of the crew seriously ill. On investigation the quarantine officials pronounced the sickness beri beri in aggravated form. No explanation of the appearance of he disease can be given, except that the ship's supply of drinking water became exhausted and the men used rain-water 'he sick men are being treated in the Marine Hospital.

W. Saxon, one of the men afflicted with the disease, is expected to die within a short time. The other men suffering from the strange malady, all of whom are in a serious condition, are A. E. Averill, J. Hanan, J. E. Hay, J. Hanlin, John Gall and John Mc-

#### TIDE FLOWS TO CANADA

Unprecedented Immigration Follows Offer of Free Homesteads.

LONDON, April 6 -- (Special.) -- Unpredented numbers of Britons are departing for Canada. Sailings for the first three months of 1910 are likely to exceed combined sailings of the corresponding periods in the previous two years. Nearly all the berths on Canada-bound smigrant vessels are booked until well into the Summer. The activity in the Canadian immigration office in London is inadvertisement representing Canada as a huge funnel out of which grain is pour-

mada," it mays, "offers you 160 fat and fertile acres for nothing. It is a land of glorious sunshine and opportun ity. Wheat costs 30 shillings (\$7.20) an sere to raise and sells for 60 shillings (\$14.40). Two years' rent of an English farm will purchase a freehold of proved land of equal area in Canada, where field crops brought to farmers in 1909 £120,000,000 (\$600,000,000).

with Stewart whereby Hoffstot would FARMERS WAR ON AUTOS Speeding on Liberty and Rosedale Road to Be Stopped.

> SALEM, Or., April 6 .- (Special.)-Numous complaints having been made by farmers against automobile speeding on he Liberty and Rosedule rock road south of the city, the County Court has decided to take the matter up and will instruct the officers to enforce the state law

> It is said that demonstrators of cars we used this fine piece of highway to display their machines to prospective ustomers, and that the terrific made in these dem endangers life, but tears up the roads,

> WOMEN DINE IN BARROOM

Amusing Incident Marks D. A. R. Assembly at Olympia.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 6.-An amusing incident in connection with the state assembly of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which opens here to morrow, occurred tonight, when the barroom of a local restaurant was closed while the women sat down to dinner, There was not space enough in the private dining-room for all the wor to be seated, so the saloon was closed it rder to accommodate the overflow, and the bar remained out of business until the women had finished singing their The plea of noile contendre of Emil patriotic songs and had departed.

ELOPERS ARE DIVORCED

Mrs. Helen Graydon Tires of Football Star for Husband.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.-A final decree of divorce was granted today to Mrs. Helen B. Graydon, a former Harvard football star.

Mrs. Graydon, who was Miss Helen Whitney, daughter of J. Parker Whitney, van and J. W. Swearingen, and entered cloped with Graydon from a fashionable (Concluded on Pars 2.)

Lauded by Methodists and Catholics.

CHURCH OFFICIALS GIVE WORD

Reference Made to ex-President's "Glorious Career."

EARLY RENEWAL IS HOPED

Abbot Jensens Calls and Leaves Card of Congratulation for Support of Church-Dr. Clark Regrets Tipple's Statement.

ROME, April &-Before leaving Rome ex-President Roosevelt had reason to be lieve that a great triumph was his, as the attitude of the Vatican toward him and the statement of the Methodists, which e had condemned, were repudiated by leading adherents of those two institu-

Abbot Lawrence Jansens, one of the nost learned of the Benedictines and sec retary of the Congregation of Affairs of Religions, called on Mr. Roosevelt evening, and, not finding him in, left his card, on which he wrote in French that he desired to congratulate him for the onstant support given to this order and the Catholic Church in general in Amer ica during Mr. Roomevelt's "giorious career" as President, which he hoped on would be resumed.

Papal Secretary Criticised.

At the same time, Mr. Roosevelt re ceived letters from relatives of high prelates and cardinals, condemning what the styled the "personal attitude of Cardinal Merry del Val," for which neither the Pope nor the Catholic Church was re-

On the other hand, Mr. Roosevelt rethe following letter from Dr. Walling Clark, head of the Methodist or ganization in Italy

"The incident connected with the article written by Rev. B. M. Tipple fo the American press has caused me untold regret. I was not aware the article was written or sent until Tuesday afternoon, when it was brought to me by a newspaper correspondent with the statement which you gave out on Tuesday morning.

"If I had known Mr. Tipple's intention, I certainly should have used all creasing. It publishes today a striking assure you the Methodists of Rome were not responsible for the article. admiration for the courageous position. taken 1 nthe face of the demands of the Varican. Methodists of Rome will not forget it.

Among Mr. Roosevelt's telegrams to day were two from well-known Catho lic publishers, declaring Catholic opinion in America indorsed his position The Vatican today made further rep-

resentations regarding the cancellation new points. The Vatious insisted es pecially that Cardinal Merry del Val's sole purpose was to avoid, if possible a repetition of the Fairbanks incident. in the belief he could have been justly criticised if a repetition of this had occurred and no previous warning had

At the dinner to Mr. Roosevelt tonight, given by the municipal authorities, no reference, either directly or indirectly, was made to the Vatican incident.

## SCALDED BY STEAM

ONE DEAD, TWO HURT BY EX-

That Vessel Was Unfit for

VALLEJO, Cal., April 6 .- (Special.)afternoon that late Saturday afternoon bara, the tubes in one of the forward boilers blew out, terribly scalding at least three firemen and water-tend-era, one of whom has since died and

is being brought here. The injured men are being treated on the ship and will be placed in the Naval Hospital at Mare Island when the cruiser fleet reaches here tomor-row. Details are mesger and officials

The report says that the Maryland is in bad shape, but will be able to reach the local station on her own

Before the Maryland went south for target practice members of the crew made statements to the effect that the ship was in no fit condition to go

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., April 6.-A steampipe on the cruiser Maryland burst or her trip from Santa Barbara, scalding to public. Details are withheld.

A coffin was secured here and the ship, together with the California and West Virginia, proceeded to San Francisco this afternoon. The cruisers are under ommand of Rear-Admiral Harber and have been off Capitola drilling in mine

ELECTION CAUSES DEATH

Colorado Pastor Dies After Being Refused Right to Vote.

fult of having his vote challenged yesterday at the municipal election, Rev William Johns, pastor of the Methodist hurch at Evans, died today from valvular heart trouble induced by the excitement.

aving come to the United States from England when he was 15 years old, but e could not prove that his father had taken out naturanzation papers, al-though he insisted such was the fact, and his ballot was rejected.

PANE TRUST IS ALLEGED

Grand Jury Investigates Pittsburg Window Glass Company.

eral grand jury in session to hear evi-dence in support of the Government claim that the Imperial Window Glass Company is a combination in restraint of trade, today heard testimony of A. Chan-nan, secretary of the Wholesale Portraft

Should the investigation be prosuccessfully by the Government other nvestigations of corporations in Western Pennsylvania alleged to be combine tions in violation of the Shern trust law will be instituted.

Dr. Miller Recounts Finding Sayler Slain, Wife on Porch.

esumed his recital. resumed his recital.

Cross-examined by Special Prosecutor

J. W. Keeslar on the events immediately
following the shooting of J. B. Sayler, he
told of hinding up his wounded wrist,
sending John Grunden for help, looking

# MADRAS ORDERED

Oregon Trunk Route to Klamath Falls Set.

BIDS ASKED; WORK ON MAY

Tracks to Pierce Redmond, Bend, Rosland and Odell.

RESERVATION RIGHT NEXT?

Completion of Task Due Next January, 111 Miles of Leveling to Be Undertaken, Laying of Rails to Follow Closely.

Work on the grading of the Oregon Frunk Line from Madras to the northern line of the Klamath Indian reser

ation is to commence by May 1. It is asserted at the offices of the company in Portland that bids have been asked for the grading of the road for the distance named, the bids to be filed not later than April 18.

The terms of the contract will call for the commencement of work within ten days after the contract is awarded and for completion of the

grading by January 1, 1971.
In the contract to be awarded there will be aproximately 111 miles of grade and all of the work but the bridge building and track-laying will be in-cluded. The bridge material will be ordered, however, and contracts let fo the larger structures so that the tracklaying can follow completion of grading

Three Towns Pierced.

The extension of the Oregon Trunk Line, thus assured, will pass through the towns of Redmond, Bend, Rosland and Odell.

To those familiar with the country to be traversed the letting of the contract is taken to mean that another ontract will soon be let for construcion of the road across the Indian res ervation to Klamath Falls, or as soon as the right of way is approved by the Indian Bureau and granted by the Interior Department. From Odell south the road will pass through a country partly grown up to "jack pine" and other more or less rocky and barren soll until the reservation is reached The building to the reservation does not carry the road to a desirable terminus, therefore it is taken to mean that the location of the line southward from the northern boundary of the reservation has been determined definitely and that construction work waits only the formality of securing

right of way. Rich Country Tapped.

From Madras to Odell the road will tap some of the best of Central Oregon. including Opal Prairie, the Juniper Butte lands, the Redmond irrigated district, the great timber area extending from Bend southward and a large irrigable district surrounding Rosland, where a company is already at work on a Carey act project. It is the supposition that the road will follow the vest shore of Klamath Lake and in that portion of Klamath County will

serve another immense timbered area. When the grading on this extension under way, the Oregon Trunk Line will have about 225 miles under cor struction. The first section of the work, from Cellio to Madras, was let direct to Porter Brothers, who originally

## WIFE STILL ANGRY, JACK CUDAHY GAY

SENIOR PACKER BACK FROM FUTILE PEACE OUEST.

Father Returning to Los Angeles From Kansas City, Knife-Wielder Appears Cheered.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 6 .- (Specfal.)-Michael Cudaby returned from Kansas City late last night and anciliation with his recreant daughter-in law, Mrs. Jack Cudahy.

Just what he told his son Jack is known only to the two, but whatever it was it cheered the young mar greatly. For the first time since his arrival here shortly after the Lillis cut ting affray at the Kansas City home he appeared out of doors today. Friend of the family said today that Jack had released himself from his self-enforce imprisonment at his father's home, and now that there is no possibility that his father can bring Mrs. Jack Cudahy to receive her husband with open arms he will proceed to enjoy himself.

The elder Cudahy is an enthusiastic

golf player and today he persuaded Jack to accompany him to the links. The two men and Miss Cudahy drove to the Raymond links in a touring car Jack was sitting in the small front seat. He looked drawn and tired and He was extremely nervous.

As the automobile whirled out through the driveway he turned anxously to look at a group of loitering "They are reporters," said, savagely, to his father. He was right. He glared at them until the car turned a corner. It was the first glimpse any newspaper man had had of him since the night of his arrival, when he was seen racing up a back alley from the station, his hands a mass of cuts and his clothes badly tor from leaping into a cinder pile to escape reporters.

SLAYER TELLS OF CRIME

Burglar Who Killed Woman Is Criminal for Notoriety.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 6.-Ber SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 6.—Bertram Gage Spencer confessed today to the murder of Miss Martha Blackstone at the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Dow, on Roundhill, this city, last Thursday night. Spencer also confessed to the commission of a long series of burglaries. Miss Blackstone and Miss Harriet P. Dow, school teachers, were shot by a masked burglar who entered the Dow home on the evening of March 31. Miss Dow is recovering.

In his confession Spencer said he did

In his confession Spencer said he did not intend to kill Miss Blackstone or wound Miss Dow. He said he fired on impulse. When asked why it was that he entered upon such a career of crime, Spencer said that after his first bur-glary he was fuscinated by the notoricity. Spencer was held without ball for a continued hearing April 15 on a charge of murder.

GERMAN ADOPTS INDIAN

Long Beach Resident Adds Yaqui to "International" Family.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 6.—Dr. M. S. Schutz, of Long Beach, took legal steps today to acquire another member for his "international" family by making application in the Probate Court for permission to adopt Ramond Palamoris, a Yaqui Indian boy, 18 months

Dr. Schutz is a Russian and has two by. Schulz is a Russian and has two children of his own. Besides he has adopted a Corean and a mulatto, and is casting about for infants of other races to add to his family. He believes that racial differences can be largely eradicated by providing a proper en-vironment for the children.

The Yaqui boy, adopted today, is a son of an insurgent chief in Sonora, his mother having been captured by Mexican soldiers. She was given into slavery and came to Los Angeles during a visit of the family in which she is

ALASKA WOULD LEGISLATE

'We Want Lawmaking Body Before Insane Asylum," Says Mayor,

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Mayor Abe Spring, of Fairbanks, Alaska, appeared before the House committee on terri-tories today. He said that, while he was not opposed to the proposed estab-lishment of an asylum for insane at Skagway, he wanted Congress first to cive the territory a Legislature. give the territory a Legislature. "Where would Alaska get the mone for an asylum without calling to Con-gress?" asked Delegate Wickersham. gress? asked Delegate Wickersham.
"Oh, I don't know how the Legislature would work out the taxation matter," replied the Mayor. "What I want
is to force Congress to give us a Leg-"Are you going to defer an Alaskan

asylum until you get a Legislature asked Representative ...oyd (Dem.). "Yes, sir." hen you've got a long wait before 'smilingly responded Mr. Lloyd.

S. P. BONDED DEBT GROWS Vote Increases California Amount by

\$50,000,000-Lovett Named.

LOUISVILLE, April 6.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company, a Kentucky corporation, was held today in Beechmont, a suburb of Louisville.

The stockholders, voting by proxy, authorized the \$50,000 Increase of the honded indebtedness of the company upon the company's property in San Francisco County and San Mateo County, California.

Robert S. Lovett was elected a director to succeed the late E. H. Harlman,

One Russell Claimant Heard. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 6.—The ar-ument in behalf of the Dickinson, N. D., ialmant to half the estate of Danlel Rusell was made in the Probate Court today by State Senator L. A. Simpson, of North Dakota. Nothing was seen of the Fresno Cal., claimant in or about the Courthouse

Milwaukee's Fears Are Calmed by Seidel.

'WILDANTICS' REMOTEASSURED

Party Bosses, One-Man Rule Taboo, He Declares.

VICTORY IS DEEMED TEST

Electorate Pointed to as Real Boss. Conference With Other Winners to Precede Changes-Principle Won, Says Berger.

MILWAUKEE, April 6 .- The first step of the Socialist-Democratic party will be to reassure the people and relieve their minds of apprehension that our victory means the entire overturning of business in this city," said Emil Seidel, Milwaukee's newly elected Socialist Mayor.

ued, 'no millenium, none of the wild to us. There will be no party bosses, no one-man policy. When we decide or a course to pursue there will be conelected and the best lines will be fol-

owed. "We shall give every one in the party a chance to be heard and to voice

"Our plans are now in an embryonia ondition, so I cannot discuss them at length. As to corporations, I shall make them pay their share of the taxes and improve the lot of the workingman. Revolt Not Planned.

"We will do nothing revolutionary, othing that would turn the tide of entiment against us.
"If any question arises which the adninistration cannot handle, we will re-

fer it to the electorate as a whole.

"After all, they are the only bosses." Socialism has been given a chance to show its merit. We can do this by insistent and consistent conservatism. "In a way we are on trial, and will slow the people of what metal we are

Battle Long Fought.

"This election was not the result of one campaign. It is the victory that mes to a cause after 26 years of the hardest kind of work. We have floodhad men on the stump in and out of season, educating the workingmen to

ised the best government we can give and we are going to live up to that promise."

ingmen or the city at large an immediate panaces for ills. We have prom-

Epoch Marked, Says Berger. Victor L. Berger, whose reputation as a Socialist leader extends through-

out the country, had this to say about the election: "This victory marks a new epoch in American bistory, and any man or woman who has helped to bring it about will naturally feel prosd. This is nobody's personal victory. It is not Seidel's, it is not Berger's, victory. It is a victory for principle, a victory for progress—a little step toward a higher phase of civilization. It is the result of many years of hard work for the education and enlightenment of the working class of Milwaukee."

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Charge Made Before Trip South Active Service at Sea.

The report reached Mare Island this when the cruiser Maryland was on the way to Monterey Bay from Santa Bar-

in authority deny knowing anything

GREELEY, Colo., April 6 .- As the re-

Mr. Johns had voted for 40 years.

PITTSBURG. April 6 .- As special Fed-

& Picture Dealers' Association, of Chi-

DISCOVERY OF BODY TOLD

WATSEKA, Ill., April 6.—Somewhat worn by the severe ordeal of three hours on the witness stand, Dr. Miller, defendant in the Sayler murder trial, today

## at the body of the slain man, stepping to the porch and seeing Mrs. Sayler and tell-ing her what had happened.

