

MAINTAIN WITNESSES AGAINST OCTOPUS

Former President of Railroad
Owned by Standard
Called.

TO INDICT ROCKEFELLER

Grand Jury Begins Work in Chicago
Monday With Large Number of
Railroad Men—St. Louis Fur-
nishes Much Evidence.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Extraordinary efforts will be made to secure the indictment of John D. Rockefeller and others in the Federal inquiry into Standard Oil methods, which will begin Monday morning. The Government has been fortifying itself for an unusually hard struggle, and is understood to have witnesses who will impart startling testimony concerning the relations of the company with certain railroads, the alleged granting of rebates and reported discriminations in the matter of storage charges. The inquiry is expected to be one of the most important ever undertaken in Chicago.

Important Witness Called.

A new angle was added to the case today, when Henry C. Barlow, executive director of the Chicago Commercial Association and formerly an official of railroads in which the Standard Oil Company is heavily interested, was summoned to give testimony. It is expected that he will be one of the most important witnesses. Mr. Barlow severed his connection with the railroad business in 1901, and since that time has been associated with various shipping associations, and finally with the Commercial Association. Mr. Barlow was president for nine years of the Evansville & Terre Haute Railroad, which is said to be controlled by Standard Oil interests, the right of way being used for Standard Oil pipe lines. He also was traffic manager of the Wisconsin Central Railroad, which is owned practically by the oil concern.

"I do not know what questions I am expected to answer," said Mr. Barlow. "I have been subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury August 8, and that is all I know about it."

It is said that Mr. Barlow's knowledge of the transportation of oil by the two railroads in question will be of great value to the Government.

Array of Federal Lawyers.

The investigation will be in charge of District Attorney J. J. Sullivan, of Cleveland, who will be assisted by District Attorney and Special Counsel Morrison. Assistant District Attorney General Pagin, Assistant District Attorney Francis Han- chett and E. G. Godman and Special Agent Schindler.

Clues Lead to St. Louis.

District Attorney D. P. Dyer of St. Louis was another official who went to the office of Mr. Morrison yesterday to discuss the Standard Oil Company's case. The investigation of the Federal prosecutors in Chicago concerning the transportation of oil led to St. Louis, where it is said many important witnesses will be found. Mr. Dyer announced that he was in possession of considerable data about transportation matters.

Others summoned today were: M. J. Carpenter, Ohio; George W. Thompson, Campbell, Dearing Construction Company; F. P. Austin, acting auditor of the Evansville & Terre Haute Railway; J. J. Dixon, assistant auditor, Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad; A. J. Kennedy, railroad man in Ohio.

COAL COMPANIES ARE MERGED

Eight Million Corporation Takes
Over Bituminous Properties.

STANTON, Pa., Aug. 4.—It was reported today that the largest authority in the history of the bituminous coal business was consummated this week, whereby a corporation known as the Pennsylvania, Beach Creek & Eastern Coal Company, with a capital of \$8,000,000, acquired by a 99-year lease all the property and business of the Pennsylvania Coal & Coke Company, the Beach-Creek Coal & Coke Company and the North River Coal & Wharf Company, and a number of electric light and water companies controlled by the old operators. C. D. Simpson and T. H. Watkins of Stanton, are largely interested in the project.

The importance of this transaction will be readily appreciated from the fact that the new company will control approximately 15,000 acres of coal lands, containing over 20,000,000 tons of coal, with 41 coal mines and over 300 coke ovens now in operation.

The company owns 100 private railroad cars, and will control the business already established in distributing coal throughout Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York and New England.

SUBPENAS FOR OIL MEN.

Deputy Marshal Summons Many Independent Operators to Testify.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 4.—Deputy United States Marshal William Henry returned today from a tour of the oil country, where he served subpoenas upon independent oil operators to appear next Monday at Jamestown, N. Y., and testify in the suit brought by the United States District Attorney of that district against the Standard Oil Company.

SAYS TRUST CONTROLS TRADE

John Hill Charges Grain Elevators
With Illegal Combination.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—John Hill, Jr., has reopened his war on the owners of public warehouses in Chicago with the declaration that the grain trade is in the clutches of a trust. Mr. Hill says he now has evidence of the existence of an illegal combination among the warehouse men, and that he intends to fight it to its death. The Interstate Commerce Commission will meet here next month, and Mr. Hill says he expects to see an investigation of the elevator trust started at that time.

Meantime he is pressing his charges before State Attorney Healy, intending to show that the Armour Elevator Company is violating an injunction issued by the

late Judge Tukey eight years ago, prohibiting the owners of public elevators from storing grain belonging to themselves in their own houses. A deal in prices of oats last month, in consequence of which some of the smaller shippers and dealers lost large sums of money, is said to have been indirectly due to the alleged evil practices of some of the large elevator concerns, which manipulated receipts and the inspection in such a way as to give the impression that the market was threatened with a flood of new oats when such was not the case.

Druggists File Demurrer.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 4.—H. E. Bucklin & Co., manufacturing druggists of Chicago, filed a demurrer in the Federal Court today in the answer to the case in the United States against the alleged drug trust. The demurrer states that the United States Circuit Court has no jurisdiction in the suit for the reason that the acts charged against the defendant do not constitute or affect interstate commerce or the commerce between nations.

BOY CATCHES BANK THIEF

TEN-YEAR-OLD USES FOOTBALL
TACTICS ON ROBBER.

As Bandit Runs From Bank of Boys
Father, Lad Gets Tackle Hold
and Trips Him.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Sebastian Liotta, a 10-year-old boy, captured the man who had robbed his father's bank today by a football tackle. The robber had succeeded in stealing nearly \$3000 from the Banco Italiana on Orange street, shortly previous, and made fast to make his escape until young Liotta stopped his progress by tripping him and holding tenaciously to his feet until his father and several others arrived.

The robber, who gave his name as Bert Donaldson, a waiter, tried to shake the boy off, beating him over the head, but the lad retained his hold although he was dragged quite a distance.

Donaldson entered the bank while Liotta's wife was alone behind the counter. Without a word, he dashed by the counter, grabbed nearly \$3000 in bills and ran. The woman screamed and her husband came running in with a revolver. He rushed after the robber, fired several shots at him. The robber got a good start and was just rounding a corner when young Liotta, beckoned by his father from a distance, threw himself at the robber's feet, tripping him to the ground. The older Liotta and a small-sized policeman reached the scene and held him until the police came.

THE DAY'S DEATH RECORD

Colonel Cuthbert Bullitt, Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 4.—Colonel Cuthbert Bullitt, one of the most widely known men in the West, died today at 87 years. He was appointed Collector of Customs at New Orleans by President Lincoln, and served in that capacity for several years afterwards holding other Federal appointments. He was known as a great bear, and was extremely particular regarding his personal appearance up to his last illness.

Rev. Oscar Filipo.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 4.—Rev. Oscar Filipo, for 13 years secretary of the Baptist Publication Society, of Philadelphia, died at his home in this city today, aged 70 years. He was at times editor of various Baptist publications.

John T. Peters, Illinois ex-Auditor.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 4.—John T. Peters, for many years Auditor of Public Accounts, died of diabetes today at his home in this city, aged 62 years. He served 20 years as Assistant State Treasurer.

Supreme Judge Sedgwick, Canada.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 4.—Associate Justice Robert Sedgwick, of the Supreme Court of Canada, died at Colchester, N. S., today, aged 68 years.

Duke of Rutland.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The Duke of Rutland (John James Robert Manners) died today. He was born in 1818.

Chinese Diplomat at Cohasset.

COHASSET, Mass., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, Chinese Minister to the United States, arrived here today to spend a few days with M. F. Dickinson, at the latter's summer place. The Chinese diplomat suffered from hay fever and hopes to avoid the ailment this summer by remaining near the sea.

Crushed Beneath His Engine.

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 4.—John Gibb, an engineer on one of the Lodi traction trains, was instantly killed today near Overacker, about ten miles from Livermore, in an accident that overturned an engine and three cars, landing them in the ravine below. A boulder on the track caused the accident.

STIRS UP THE ARMY

Koehler's Appeal From Wood's
Court-Martial.

TRIED FOR MAKING CHARGE

Fend Between Old Indian Fighter
and Governor Scott, of Jolo, In-
volves General Accused of
Making Scott His Pet.

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Tried for Attack on Scott.

Captain Koehler was tried last January by order of General Wood for making malicious, vexatious and groundless charges against Major Scott, civil and military Governor of Jolo, where the Mount Dajo battle occurred in March. Captain Koehler charged Major Scott with incompetence and with neglecting his duty. When the charges reached General Wood, instead of appointing a court of inquiry, the usual military method, he suppressed them and Major Scott, who was present in Manila at the time, made charges against Captain Koehler.

The trial of Captain Koehler was pushed at times when Major Scott was crossing the ocean. He therefore could not be called as a witness. Just before Captain Koehler filed the charges against Major Scott, General Wood had recommended the latter's promotion to the rank of Adjutant-General, with a view of having him jump a long line of senior officers, and a formal investigation was ordered into Captain Koehler's charges against him.

Appeals to War Secretary.

Captain Koehler, who has a fine military record, appealed to the Secretary of War to set aside the technical findings against him and to grant him a full and complete trial. The letter of appeal went to General Wood's hands and he had Koehler's trial. Koehler is a West Point graduate and has a name as an Indian fighter.

GOES TO ISTHMUS IN NOVEMBER

Roosevelt Given Formal Invitation
by President Amador.

PANAMA, Aug. 4.—Governor Magdon this afternoon informed President Amador that President Roosevelt will visit the Canal Zone in November. Senator Amador, through Mr. Magdon, extended an invitation to Mr. Roosevelt to visit the City of Panama.

Northwest Rural Route.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-
ington, Aug. 4.—Rural carriers appointed:
Oregon—Woodburn, route 2, Laverne V.
Remington, carrier; Carrie E. Pries, sub-
stitute.

Washington—Prescott, route 1, James
P. Linklater, carrier; Asa W. Lyle, sub-
stitute.

Rural route No. 1 has been ordered
established October 1 at North Powder.
Established Oct. 1, serving 250 people
and 57 houses.

Bids for Umatilla Ditches.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Bids will be
opened in Portland, October 1, for the
construction of the main lateral ditches
of the distributing system of the Umatilla
irrigation project.

The work is divided into two "nearly
equal schedules, and includes 35,000 cubic
yards of earth and rock excavation.

Tennis-Player Resigns From Marines

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Second Lieu-
tenant E. P. Larned, of the Marine Corps,
who is now with the legion guard at
Fekin, has resigned. He is one of the
Larned brothers, of Princeton, who dis-
tinguished themselves as tennis players.

Army Can't Use Circus Methods.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Captain J. A.
Logan, Jr., the substance officer
of the Army who, with Major I. W.
Littell, the Army quartermaster, ac-
companied one of the large circuses
for some time to observe circus meth-
ods, has reported that although the
discipline and system about the show

were admirable, the equipment used is
much heavier than the Army can make
use of and the subsistence is not suited
to Army needs.

Wilson Finds Eastern Packers Good.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Secretary Wil-
son returned to the Department of Agri-
culture after visiting Philadelphia, Jersey
City and New York, where he inspected
slaughtering and packing-houses. "On
the whole," said the Secretary, "condi-
tions in the packing-houses in the three
cities named were good." The trip just
ended is but one of a number which the
Secretary will make.

German Law Not So Very Bad.

HAMBURG, Aug. 4.—The new meat-
inspection regulations will not seem-
ingly seriously affect American im-
ports. The regulations require the in-
spection of the lymphatic glands with
fresh meat, while with prepared meat,
such as is chiefly imported from the
United States, only the glands natu-
rally belonging to the cut must be at-
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up for arbitration and the peace of the
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day completed its work of preparing a
resolution declaring that there was ur-
gent necessity of all South American
countries sending to The Hague dele-
gates to arrange a general arbitration
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The form of the resolution is due to
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bring it to an early conclusion.

HEARTY WELCOME TO ROOT

Brazilians Give Reception in Honor
of Secretary of State.

SANTOS PAULO, Brazil, Aug. 4.—
(Special.)—The American cruiser
Charleston, having on board Secretary
of State Root, Mr. Griscom, the Ameri-
can Minister, and a party of friends,
arrived at Santos Paulo, from Rio de
Janeiro today. After a hearty welcome
to Mr. Root in that city, the party
came to this place, the capital of the
state.

The city was gaily decorated
with flags and flowers in honor of the
visitors. Dr. Tibiria, President of the
state, welcomed Mr. Root at the sta-
tion. Salutes were fired and bands
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them. A detachment of sailors escorted
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LONGWORTHS START HOME

Loaded With Gifts and Flowers by
Americans in France.

PARIS, Aug. 4.—Congressman and Mrs.
Nicholas Longworth today sailed from
Cherbourg for New York on the American
Line steamer St. Paul. A crowd of friends
saw them off at the railroad station here,
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CARS MEET HEAD ON

High-Speed Electric Trains
Crash Together in Ohio.

TWO DEAD, SCORES INJURED

Two Carloads of People Crushed
Into Frightful Mass in Twisted
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CATARRH OF THE INTERNAL ORGANS OFTEN THE WORST FORM OF CATARRH

Miss Helen Spencer, of St. Louis, Was Afflicted For Years
With Catarrh of the Liver. Pe-ru-na Brought Relief.



"I am like a new person and feel perfectly well and
happy. I never saw anything work like your valuable
Pe-ru-na and it is a pleasure to recommend it to
others."—Helen Spencer.

Miss Helen Spencer, 2324 Cook Ave.,
St. Louis, Mo., writes:

"I gladly recommend Pe-ru-na to all
those who are troubled with catarrh of
the liver. That was my trouble for years
and I know all about it. I was tired,
despondent, had a bad taste in my mouth
in the morning, and felt generally un-
well nearly all the time. I took Pe-ru-na
because I had taken about everything else
and felt so badly that it seemed imperative
that I should try to keep on taking.
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Catarrh of the liver is a new phrase to
many people. Many will say, "I never
heard of catarrh of the liver," but the
very people who say this may be afflicted
with the disease.

ART LEAGUE GIVEN REST

ANTHONY COMSTOCK TAKES HIS
ANNUAL VACATION.

Head of the Anti-Vice Crusade Says
Art Catalogues Transgressed Be-
cause They Were Distributed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—(Special.)

Art students, lovers of art and publish-
ers of art catalogues are safe for a
month. Anthony Comstock, their dread-
ed enemy, overcomes by the avowal of
criticism that fell on his head for the
raid of the Art Student League, has
fled from the city. Mr. Comstock has
sought refuge in the mountains, miles
away. He is at Stamford, N. Y., where
there are no art students, artists' mod-
els, or art books to disturb his repose.

The agent for the Society for the Sup-
pression of Vice will return to the
scene of his late activity in time to ap-
pear in court when the case against the
Art Students' League is heard. There
was speculation today as to whether
Mr. Comstock intended to let the Art
Students' League have the only say
when the matter of the raid comes up
in court next Tuesday.

Employees in the office of the anti-
vice society insist that Mr. Comstock
will remain out of town a month. Just
before starting on his vacation Mr.
Comstock defended his action in con-
fiscating the league's catalogues. He
said:

"If the art league had not distributed
the pamphlets, it would have been all
right. Wild animals are safe enough
when caged up. But turn them loose
and they must be suppressed. The same

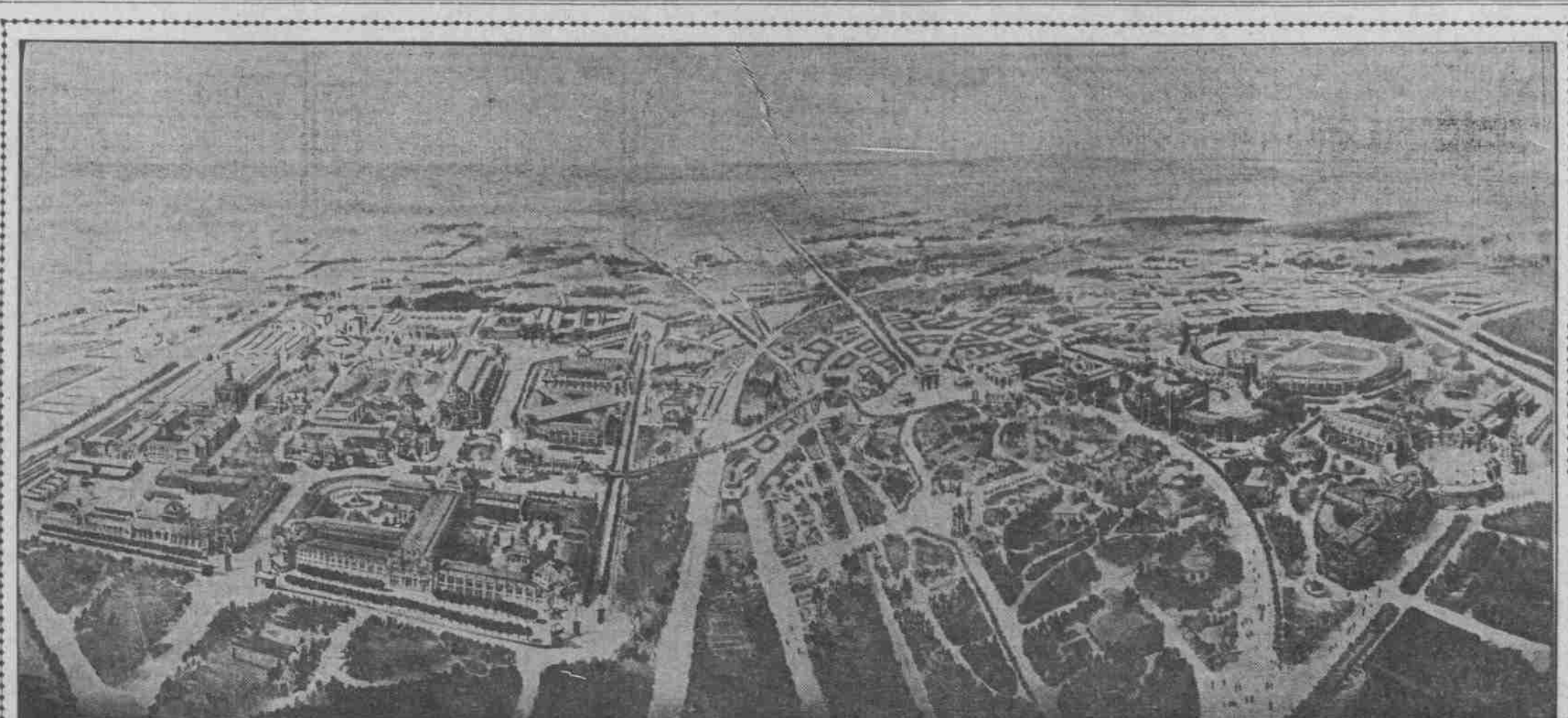
Damage Suit Follows Fight.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 4.—J. K. Mullin,
the wealthy flour manufacturer, who was
assaulted in his home last Sunday by Ar-
thur Tyson S. Dines, after a contro-
versy with Miss Virginia Dines over the
use of a party-line telephone, filed suit in
the District Court today against Mr.
Dines for \$25,000 damages.

Poisoned by Canned Tongue.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—It became known
last night that 20 nurses in the Bellevue
training school have been suffering from
ptomaine poisoning. All of them were
confined to their rooms, and some of
them to their beds. Eight are still suf-
fering from the poison, but none is in
dangerous condition. The nurses were
taken sick Wednesday night, after, it is
said, they had eaten some canned tongue
and ham. The first one stricken said she
thought she had been poisoned, and then
the others began to show the effects of
the poison.

At Bellevue Hospital the poisoning
is denied.



BIRDSEYE VIEW OF THE MILAN EXPOSITION, ITALY, WHICH WAS SEVERELY DAMAGED BY FIRE FRIDAY.

Shreve & Company

have on sale their usual
complete stock of
DIAMOND and GOLD
JEWELRY, WATCHES
SILVERWARE, GLASS-
WARE ETC., AT
Post Street and
Grant Avenue and
2429 Jackson Street
San Francisco
Prompt and careful atten-
tion given to correspondence.