

AMBASSADOR BADLY BURNED



United States Ambassador Lloyd C. Griscom was severely burned while attempting to put out a blaze in the Palazzo del Drago, his home at Rome. The picture at the top is from a recent photograph of Mrs. Lloyd C. Griscom, wife of the American ambassador, in the center is shown the Palazzo del Drago, and in the bottom, is shown Prince del Drago, to whom the house belongs.

THE VERY BEST OF ALL THE YEAR SUSPECT POLICE GRAFTED ALSO

But Bargains Are Snapped Up Rapidly, and If You Want a Fine Piano for Little Money You'll Have to Hurry.

Eilers Sold Eight of Those Splendid Bush & Gerts Pianos Yesterday at Just About Half Price.

These are good times in Portland. Business is never better, everybody has money, and the "goose hangs high." But this is getting a little away from our topic, and therefore the pianos for those who are pianoless. We've a proposition that means a fine instrument in your home and a big saving in the cost to you—if you are quick to respond. Monday morning we had eighteen fine Bush & Gerts pianos which reached us with the cases more or less scratched and marred. These pianos were shipped to us in what we call "hastiness"—a full car of them, unboxed to save weight and expense in shipping—and the car was broken into and entered by some malicious parties, who created more or less mischief. All the damage, however, was confined to the outside of the instruments, and therefore the pianos are really not injured a particle. From a musical point of view, the railroad company pays the loss, and we have cut the price almost in half. We will put each instrument through our shop, repolish the case on each one, and every instrument will carry the same full and complete guarantee that goes with all new instruments sold by us—the guarantee of the strongest, most reliable, biggest, busiest and best piano-selling house in the United States. There are—or were this morning—just ten of these fine pianos still unsold. Prices regularly would have ranged from \$150 to \$225, but now are just about half these figures. A more satisfactory piano would be hard to find than the Bush & Gerts make. They are made with cautious caution, thoroughly honest all through, fine in tone, action and finish. Be your own judge, or bring along the best posted friend you can find in piano construction and we'll be satisfied to leave the matter of decision entirely with you. Never mind a few drops of rain—they'll soon dry off. Come this afternoon or first thing in the morning, for these few pianos will soon be snapped up by appreciative music lovers. Come right to the busy piano headquarters, the House of Highest Quality, 123 Washington street, corner of Park. Eilers Piano House.

Henny Suddenly Turns Searchlight in New Direction in Hunt for Graft.

MAY INDICT SCHMITZ AND POLICE OFFICIALS

Mayor Shows in Light of Sneak Thief, Accepting Petty Graft From Slot Machines—Go-Between Is Exposed and Turns on Schmitz.

(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, April 9.—It is generally believed that Monday's session of the grand jury marked the firing of the first gun in general assault upon the police department and that in the testimony of Fred Hilbert, Schmitz's bosom friend, was laid the foundation not only for an indictment against Schmitz, but for several police officials as well. Before Hilbert it is believed Henny's real purpose in going into the alleged slot machine graft will be revealed. Hilbert will be awaited again this afternoon and members of the fight trust will also be examined. Almost without warning, the grand jury yesterday turned its attention from the investigation into the manipulations of the board of supervisors by the local telephone companies to the comparatively insignificant grafting indulged in by Mayor Schmitz through his go-between, Fred Hilbert, the confidant of the mayor and secretary of the Hilbert-McCovey company, who went out of existence in a blaze of scandal. Evidence was adduced yesterday showing that Hilbert received half-pickings from conducting gambling machines in the saloons of the city against the law, and under the protection of the city's executive. In principle the grafting by the municipal authorities and the go-betweens was tremendous. In fact, it is insignificant, for the graft lasted but 20 days in January and February of 1906, the period between the revocation of the city ordinance by the supervisors and the seizure of the machines by District Attorney Langdon under the state law. Another Exposure of Schmitz. Hilbert has concluded that the safest place for him is under the immunity wing of the prosecution and in the panic has, in the language of his associates, "couched up" all he knows about the Mayor's graft and the slot machine hold-up. Hilbert, relying upon his information concerning Schmitz and his relations with those seeking protection, to save his face hopes to escape serious trouble by a betrayal of his former friend. He is still under subpoena and will be recalled for examination. Hilbert's story shows Schmitz in the light of a sneak thief, as he was content to pick up the small graft from the saloons and the slot machines, and money machines. This trail, however, seems likely to lead to bigger game. The examination of the talesman at Cedar Mill Union cemetery, yesterday morning and one additional talesman was temporarily passed. Wednesday is the last day for discount on west side gas bills.

DEATH CALLS ANOTHER PIONEER OF OREGON

J. E. Smith Crossed the Plains to This State in Fifty-Four.

J. E. Smith of Mount Harmony, an Oregon pioneer, died of heart failure in Portland, Oregon, at 11. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hamlin of Cedar Mill Union cemetery, yesterday.



grange of which Mr. Smith was secretary. The remains were interred in Cedar Mill Union cemetery. Mr. Smith was born near Madison, Indiana, November 18, 1852. He crossed the plains with his parents in 1854 and was married to Miss Nanie E. Scott March 14, 1877. Mr. and Mrs. Smith celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary shortly before his death. Eight children were born to the union, all of whom are living. They are Mrs. Emil Stark, Mrs. Louis Stark, Mrs. Setta R. Cook, Lindsey A. Pilon, C. Carl S. Fanny Y. and Marshall D.

THOMPSON CASE WAITS UNTIL MAY TWELFTH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Tacoma, Wash., April 9.—A deserted rowboat was found 10 days ago in Gig Harbor, and today word reached here from Vason island that the boat belonged to Matt Bridges Jr., a fisherman, 25 years old, whose friends fear he has been murdered. On the night that Bridges was first missed residents of Clatsop county, Oregon, and some recognized the voice of young Bridges. Boats which put out overhauled a launch, the occupant of which said he believed a man had been drowned in many wrecks action, and presently steamed away in the Barkness. Bridges' friends believe that he and the man in the launch may have got into an altercation, in which Bridges was knocked into the water. The deserted boat contained young Bridges' hat and ax.

CASE OF MATT BRIDGES MAY BE MURDER MYSTERY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Tacoma, Wash., April 9.—For the first time in many weeks action was taken in the Chester Thompson case yesterday, when an order was entered by Judge Snell continuing the trial on the complaint filed by Prosecutor Mackintosh of King county, charging Thompson with being a dangerous person to be at large. Pending the decision of the supreme court on the appeal of Judge Thompson, the father of Chester, in which he decried to the action of Judge Snell in refusing to try Chester on a complaint filed by Maurice Thompson charging Chester with being insane, the Mackintosh complaint will not be heard until May 3. In the meantime the boy murderer is taking his long imprisonment with a stoicism that would do credit to a philosopher. His jailers describe him as a model prisoner.

THOUSANDS OF MINERS THROWN OUT OF WORK

(Journal Special Service.) Butte, Mont., April 9.—The Pennsylvania Mountain View, Leonard and East and West Colusa mines of the Boston & Montana company were shut down today, throwing 3,000 men out of work, following the closing of the Great Falls smelters because of the strike of the 12 electrical workers, machinists and blacksmiths for a 50-cent raise in wages. Besides the 1,500 smeltermen rendered idle at Great Falls and the miners at Butte, about 1,000 coal miners, quarrymen and trainmen are out of work.

CITIZENS' TICKET IS ELECTED AT CONDON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Condon, Or., April 9.—The city election yesterday to elect three councilmen, clerk and recorder, resulted in the entire Citizens' ticket being elected. The councilmen-elect are Dr. J. F. Wood, Dr. E. A. Mann and F. H. Stephenson; recorder, C. H. Horner; clerk, Arthur Schilling.

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HERMANN MIXED

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such lands, which agitated Oregon politicians for many years. Questioned further, he said, "No, sir, I did not know I was violating the law. I was not removed because I acquired the lands." The government then introduced in evidence the records showing that Hermann made out papers as receiver, selling public lands to himself, Hermann. "I knew of Senator Mitchell's receipt of two \$1,000 bills from S. A. D. Puter, Senator Mitchell never called at my home in reference to the Puter claim. I never had business relations with Senator Mitchell. I do not remember meeting Puter on F street and talking in reference to his claims. Never Gave Tips. "I never gave tips as to the Blue mountain forest reserves. What any one got, the whole world got. I always administered affairs of the general land office conscientiously, with an eye to single duty and public good. I never received one cent of money for action in the Blue mountain reserve matters." This examination by his counsel ended and the cross examination began. The district attorney took up the homestead entry of Schiller E. Hermann in the Roseburg district, to show that Schiller's claim was handled by Hermann, in violation of his own order of February, 1901, saying that no official or employee of the land office could acquire public lands or become interested in lands, the purpose being to show that Hermann was interested in Schiller's claim which came before him as a commissioner.

Force Harriman Into Court. (Journal Special Service.) Washington, D. C., April 9.—It is in-

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TIMBER BUYER SHOWS BOOKS

Manager of the Great Barber Company at Boise Obeys Sharp Order.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Boise, Idaho, April 9.—Federal Judge Beatty today issued an order requiring L. G. Chapman, manager of the Barber Lumber company, to produce before the grand jury all the books of the company to be used in the investigation of its timber purchases in Idaho. Chapman had been before the jury, but refused to produce all the records of the company. Judge Beatty suggested that any trifling with the order would bring a request for the marshal to take Chapman into custody for contempt of court. Chapman obeyed the order today and laid the books and papers before the grand jury.

CORK LEGS AND STOCK LEAD TO DAMAGE SUIT

Artificial Limb Company is Made Defendant in Contract Case by B. S. Pague.

William Kelly, an expert in the manufacture of artificial limbs, is suing the Portland Artificial Limb company for \$5,000 damages. Kelly charges that B. S. Pague, president of the company, secured his arrest for the purpose of extorting from him 300 shares of the stock of the company. The stock was given to Kelly as a bonus in consideration of his signing a contract to work for the company for two years. The stock was turned over to the workman and then there was a hitch about the signing of the contract. Pague fearing, it is alleged, that he would lose both stock and workman, called an officer. The sight of the city turned-up was too much for Kelly and he turned over the certificates of stock. The case is being heard in Judge Ganter's court.

HOLD JUBILEE IN GYMNASIUM

Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. Members Will Express Gratitude at Securing Building Fund.

Wednesday evening, from 8 to 10 o'clock, the members of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. will have a jubilee time in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Clifford's orchestra will furnish the music. An especial effort is being made to have the gymnasium tastefully decorated. The first hour will be given over to social games and a general reception, to be followed by an hour of impromptu speech making, in which Mrs. Dr. A. E. Hooker, Miss Constance McCormick, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., S. G. Reed, Walter A. Goss and H. W. Stone will deliver short addresses.

MUDSLIDE CUTS UNION PACIFIC ROAD IN TWO

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Cheyenne, Wyo., April 9.—A mudslide 100 feet long and 25 feet deep at the east portal of Aspen tunnel, on the Union Pacific, west of here, has blocked transcontinental traffic on the Overland route and it will be days before trains can be moved. A passenger train was wrecked on the soft road last night and Engineer Burton faintly hurt.

PURCHASES OF SACKS FOR INLAND EMPIRE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., April 9.—C. A. Barrett, president of the Inland Empire Grain Growers' association, has purchased of Koshland Bros. of San Francisco 250,000 sacks and 75,000 from a Portland house. The price paid is 94 cents, the sacks to be delivered at the wheat stations in Umatilla and Morrow counties.

DEATH DISMISSES WOMAN'S DAMAGE SUIT

The damage suit of Campbell against the Portland Railway company was dismissed this morning on account of the death of the plaintiff, Mrs. Christina Campbell. June 20, 1906, Mrs. Campbell fell from a car at Sixteenth and Morrison streets, striking her head on the pavement. Her demise was not in any way due to the accident. Mrs. Campbell was extremely modest in the amount of damages asked for. Her claim was for \$415, the actual expenses attendant upon her sickness following the injuries.

ANOTHER SOLUTION OF SUB-TREASURY MYSTERY

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, April 9.—The mystery surrounding the theft of \$175,000 from the sub-treasury is said to have been cleared. The employees who were suspected are not guilty. It is said that a colored scrubwoman took the bills when the employees were not looking. Following a search of the woman's flat, the woman was questioned by government secret service men today. It is said a warrant will be issued.

SOZODONT CLEANS AND BEAUTIFIES TEETH

SKATING Oaks Rink Tonight

Lungs Diseased—Appetite Gone And Could Not Sleep



Miss Ella Agard of Eureka, Kan., who had grown weak and frail, from a deep cough, caused by diseased lungs, loss of appetite and sleeplessness, joins the throng to sing the praises of DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY, which cured her after all other remedies failed.

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