

# Grand Jury's Report On Steel Trust Will Be Sensational One

### The Federal Grand Jury Report Gives Promise of being Most Far Reaching Anti-Trust Action Yet Taken by Government Trust Busters.

### Greater Revelations Than Have Been Indicated by Published Reports are Indicated--Criminal Indictments Against Men High up Said to be Ready

New York, June 29.—What promises to be the most sensational and far-reaching anti-trust action the federal government has ever undertaken is expected to take from here today when the federal grand jury, which has been hearing evidence against certain officials of the United States Steel Corporation, its subsidiaries and many independent steel companies, makes its report.

It is known that the findings of the grand jury promise to be a greater revelation than any of the published reports have indicated. Criminal indictments charging conspiracy to control the prices of steel and steel products the country over, involving men high up in the financial world, are said to be ready. The government's investigations have gone even further and are said to have reached a prominent firm of this city which has for years been commonly identified with so-called trust contracts and pool agreements.

Some of the evidence presented to the grand jury is said to show that the steel business in the United States has been divided by agreement into about twenty pools. It is said, however, that the government's action is directed more against the "trust within the trust" than against the steel corporations alone, although the evidence laid before the grand jury is said to involve many of the officers of the big corporations.

While the bureau of corporations at Washington has been making an investigation of the steel corporation for nearly three years, this proposed criminal action is apart from that. The criminal case will not have any connection with any suit which the government may bring against the steel corporation.

### Castro Must Not Land.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., June 29.—In accordance with instructions from the government at Copenhagen, all steamship agents of St. Thomas have been notified that the government forbids landing on the island of General Guano Castro, the deposed president of Venezuela, in the event of his arrival here.

### Charges of Persecution.

Bearne, Texas, June 29.—Charges of persecution have been made by about 30 Italian families in this section against Americans. The Italian consul from Galveston, C. Nicolino, is here today, investigating the charges. The details have not been made public, but it is reported that they have been sent to Governor Oscar B. Colquhoun.

### Army Aviators Are Progressing

Washington, June 29.—Army aviators continue to show progress in the operation of aeroplanes at College Park, near here. Every favorable day flights are made and some of the officers studying aviation are distinguished by themselves. Yesterday Lieut. Arnold attained an altitude of 1500 feet. He concluded that flight with a spiral side from a height of several hundred feet.

### Steamer Unable to Berth.

Liverpool, June 29.—In the absence of the shore gang, who are on strike, the steamer Zealand of the Red Star Line, from New York, was unable to berth at her landing stage today and her passengers were landed on a tender. The men due to receive the Zealand's crew at Mersey Lightship refused to go on duty.

### GENERAL ARZOCOWILL RUN FOR GOVERNOR

Juarez, Mexico, June 29.—Disabilities received here last night from the influenza state that General Pascual Arzocowill will become a candidate for governor of that state against Provisional Governor Abram Gonzalez.

## Condition Of Weather Today

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., June 29.—Good showers have occurred in Minnesota and the eastern portions of the Dakotas and a few scattered showers over the eastern portion of the cotton section and Florida during the last 24 hours. It is somewhat cooler today over the upper Ohio valley and the Lake region, but much higher temperatures prevail over the middle Western states northward as far as Minnesota. Maximum temperatures of 90 to 98 degrees were registered yesterday over the southern and eastern Rocky mountain slope, the Arkansas and lower Mississippi valley along the Atlantic coast from Atlantic City, N. J., to Jacksonville, Fla.

## THE ILLINOIS LOWER HOUSE DEADLOCKED

By Associated Press.  
Springfield, Ill., June 29.—Deadlocked on either a recess or adjournment by one faction of the waterway fight and prevented from transacting any business by the others breaking a quorum the lower house of the Illinois legislature at 4 o'clock this morning agreed to "stand at ease" until called to order by the speaker.

### THIS BURGLAR A REGULAR HUMANITARIAN.

Alexandria, La., June 29.—A burglar entered the residence of Judge W. W. Blackman here a few nights ago and the story has just developed that when the pockets of the burglar's clothes were rifled only one penny was found, whereupon the man with the dark lantern left a note saying that he would petition the next legislature to have the salaries of judges in this state raised.

### Grady Bill Killed.

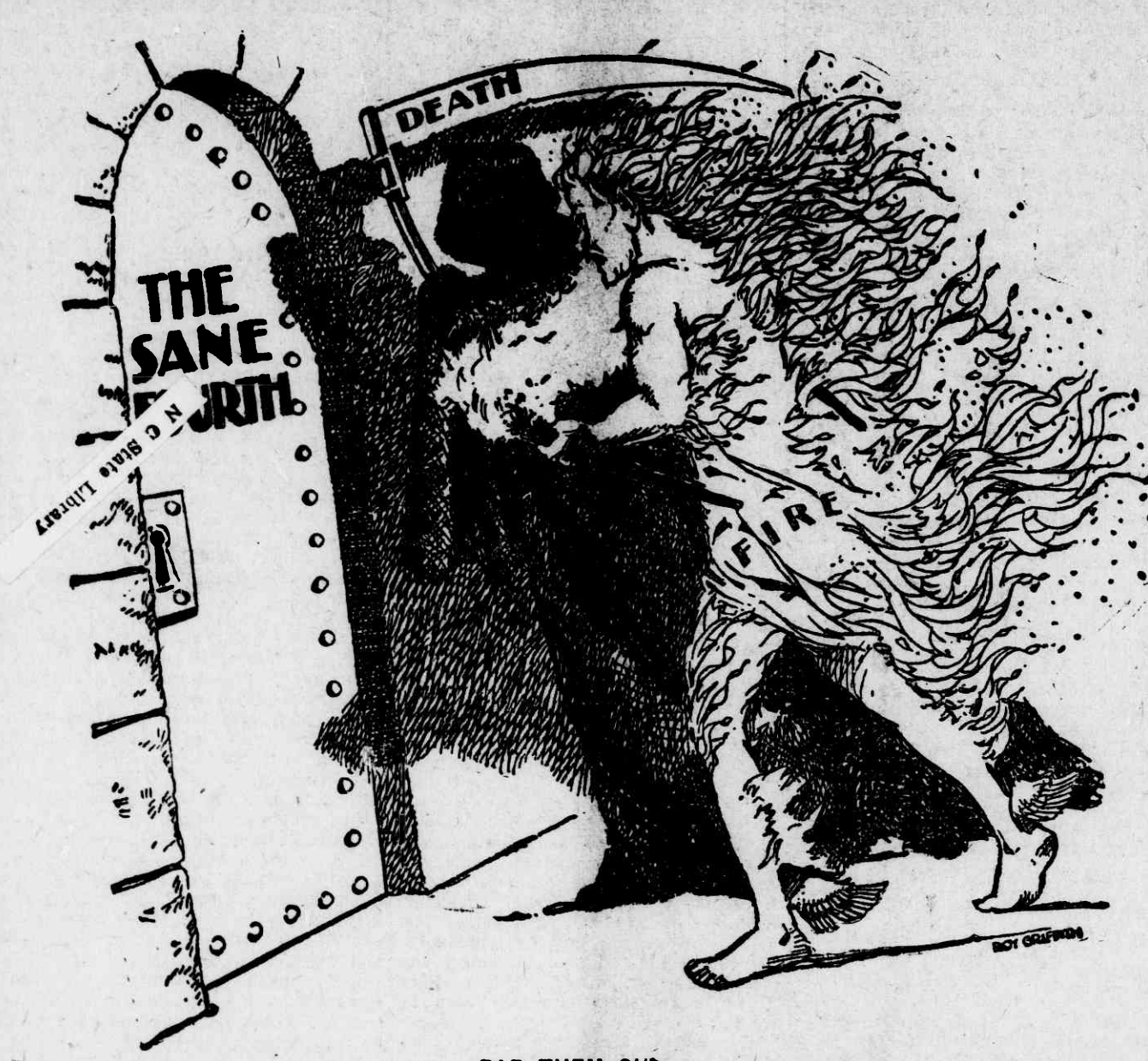
Albany, N. Y., June 29.—The Grady bill prohibiting the photographing and measuring of suspected criminals was vetoed last night by Governor Dix on the ground that it would hamper the police in securing the most usual and simple means of identification of suspected criminals and add a difficulty to securing evidence of crime and clues to its detection.

### Steamers Collide.

Sandy Hook, N. J., June 29.—The United States torpedo boat destroyer, Ammen, from Philadelphia, reports being in a collision with a schooner off the hook at 2:45 o'clock this morning. The damage was slight.

## KING AND QUEEN MAKE FINE TRIP THROUGH CAPITAL

By Associated Press.  
London, June 29.—King George and Queen Mary, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary, today made still another trip through the capital.



## EDWARD HINES TAKES STAND IN LORIMER CASE

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., June 29.—Edward Hines, millionaire lumberman, of Chicago, whose name has been repeatedly connected with the alleged raising of \$100,000 to elect William Lorimer to the senate, took the witness stand in his own defense today before the senate committee. It was expected that he would be the last important witness examined in Washington at this time.

In beginning his testimony Mr. Hines said he was 47 years old. He told of his rise from office boy at \$10 a month to the day he and others formed the Edward Hines Lumber Company, in 1892.

None listened to his story more intently than his wife, who has been a constant attendant at the hearings. Mr. Hines said he owned \$1 or \$2 per cent of the Edward Hines Company, and named banks of which he was either president or director, or in which he was a stockholder.

"Do you drink or smoke?" suddenly asked Attorney Hynes.

"I have never smoked. I occasionally take a glass of beer and a glass of wine, but I don't drink any strong liquor."

## HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION IN ALBEMARLE N. C.

Special to The News.  
Albemarle, N. C., June 29.—At a meeting in the court house Tuesday night, June 27th, the organization of the Home Builders' Association was completed. Directors as follows were elected: J. M. Morrow, E. E. Spuzers, J. C. Hall, S. H. Hearne, T. C. Rivers, F. O. Skidmore, J. E. Ewins, A. F. Harris and W. L. Mann.

"I urged upon Senator Aldrich that it might be embarrassing to him for me to go up there. He urged me to go to his house to wait for him."

"When he returned he said he had a long talk with the president on the Illinois situation. The president told him about a visit from Representative Boutell regarding the situation. Senator Aldrich said the administration was very anxious to have a senator elected and that they felt that Congressman Lorimer could be elected."

## OPponents OF RECIPROcity HOLD FOR THE

By Associated Press.  
Washington, June 29.—While both branches of congress were in session today, interest continued to center in the senate, where the opponents of the agreement with Canada now have fairly begun their attack on the reciprocity bill.

## President Ware Again on Stand

Special to The News.  
Raleigh, June 29.—President F. D. Ware, of the Ware-Kramer Company, was again on the stand today under cross-examination in the suit against the American Tobacco Company.

"I told him that I did not, but because I just happened to meet Boutell and Madden."

"Did Senator Penrose send for you?" asked Senator Kenyon.

"Yes, sir."

Mr. Hines said that Senator Penrose told him that Senator Aldrich was very anxious to have a republican senator elected from Illinois "because the vote on certain schedules in the Payne bill looked very close."

# Two Bold Bad Bandits Hold Up Trains On Southern Pacific

## CHANGES HIS OPINION OF THEODORE

By Associated Press.  
Washington, June 29.—"I used to think Theodore Roosevelt was the greatest man in the universe and the people in Kansas still do," declared George H. Earle, Jr., of Philadelphia, when he resumed his testimony today before the house sugar trust investigating committee. Mr. Earle told that Mr. Roosevelt once talked to him in Latin and in a more serious vein, discussed the sugar trust and the tariff.

"None at all. I voted for him twice and stumped for him and when I wrote him about this case, I was sure something would be done."

"I told him that I 'didn't know.' Then in that peculiar enunciation which he possesses, he quoted me something in Latin, which I couldn't by any chance understand. Being examined in Latin by the president of the United States made me feel silly, so I smiled and the president slapped me on the back and said: 'I see you understand' which, of course, I didn't, but by smiling it made him think so. That's the only conversation I remember having had with Mr. Roosevelt in many years."

"None at all. Some of the sugar trust people are my personal friends. Mr. Thomas was my classmate at Harvard and George Prazier is my personal friend. In all this transaction I never found anything that reflected on them."

## ALEXANDER AND REESE TO OPEN NEW DRUG STORE

A. B. Reese and Oscar Alexander Resign From Blake's to Enter Business on Their Own Hook--Elaborate Plans.

Chicago, Ill., June 29.—Love, politics and hobble skirts are hopelessly entangled in the latest edicts of William Glenn Voliva, overseer at Zion City, the north shore community founded by the late John Alexander Dowie.

## North Bound Train Held Up Near West Fork and Mail Car-Rifled—Safe Blown and Registered Mail Taken and Yeggs Leave.

### Express Messenger Refused to Allow Them to Enter His Car—Train was Thought to Have Been Carrying Large Amount of Gold Dust.

Glendale, Ore., June 29.—Apparently mistaking the first section of north-bound passenger train No. 16 on the Southern Pacific railroad for a south-bound train said to be carrying a shipment of \$400,000 in gold dust from Seattle to San Francisco, two robbers held up the northbound train last night near West Fork, an isolated station in Cow Creek canyon.

The robbers rifled the mail car, blowing up the safe, and made away with the registered mail. They tried to secure entrance to the express car but were foiled by Messenger Robb, who refused to open the door despite threats that they would use dynamite if he resisted.

The amount taken by the robbers cannot be ascertained at this time. This train carries in its registered mail the cash from Southern Oregon post office to Eugene, Ore., which is their depository, and this was probably included in the mail stolen.

The noise of the explosion warned Messenger Robb of what was taking place and when the demand came for him to open his door he made no response.

## Love, Politics And Hobbleskirts

Chicago, Ill., June 29.—Love, politics and hobble skirts are hopelessly entangled in the latest edicts of William Glenn Voliva, overseer at Zion City, the north shore community founded by the late John Alexander Dowie.

Voliva discovered that some of the young women of his faction are actually making love to young men in Zion who are opposing him.

## Plan To Treat Victims of The Fourth

By Associated Press.  
Albany, N. Y., June 29.—While the glorious Fourth is expected to be celebrated in a safe and sane manner in this state, the state department of health has notified health officers throughout the state that it has a supply of tetanus anti-toxin ready to distribute for emergency use.