

# HOW BEEF TRUST INQUIRY STARTED

It Is Said Dissatisfied Grand Jurors Sought the Aid of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis.

## WANTED TO INDICT IN 1908.

Investigation Will be Under Anti-Trust Statute and May be Civil or Criminal.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Four members of the federal grand jury, which investigated the so-called "beef trust" in 1908, forced the government through Judge Landis, to start the present inquiry, according to a report current here today.

Asst. Atty.-Gen. Wade Ellis, who spent the day here, denied that there was any friction among government officials concerning the present investigation and that Dist. Atty. Sims would remain in charge.

Concerning the inception of the present action, it is said there would have been none had the four dissatisfied jurymen not sought the aid of Judge Landis.

This quartet, it is said, was willing to indict the packers in December, 1908, and finally became so indignant over the increasing price of meat that they informed Judge Landis that they thought it was time for the government to begin an inquiry.

The report of the four jurors alleged that enough evidence was submitted to the 1908 grand jury to warrant true bills, and that, in spite of this, there was a sudden apathy on the part of those behind the prosecution. They also said that, if the investigation were not immediately renewed, they would make a statement to the public setting forth their theory of why the prosecution had been dropped.

Following the jurors' complaint, Judge Landis is said to have made the investigation that resulted in the present action being started. Judge Landis, it is said, got in touch with the evidence submitted to the 1908 grand jury, and he is determined that the present action shall not be nullified by influence outside of the grand jury room. In his statement concerning the purpose of his visit here, and the scope of the present investigation, Mr. Ellis said:

"I have spent the day in conference with the United States district attorney and his assistants, and in a call upon Judge Landis, whom I have known pleasantly for many years. There is no friction whatever in the beef inquiry.

"The department of justice has been at work for five or six months investigating developments of the fresh meat industry since the last action by the government and especially the relation of the situation to the prices of food and products, with a view to

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# DON'T BE BALD

One of Our Readers Tells How She Obtained a Marvelous Growth of New Hair by the Use of Simple Home Remedy After Hair Specialists and Tonics Had All Failed.

I had what most people would call a beautiful head of golden hair. I prized it most highly, as I considered it my chief attraction. Suddenly it began to come out very rapidly, and at times I had intense itching of the scalp. Physicians and hair specialists said my case was one of dandruff germs, hair microbes etc., but nothing that they gave me did the slightest good. On the contrary, my hair seemed to come out even faster, and I was now fearful lest I should become entirely bald. In my despair a friend told me of an Ecuador herb which he said would positively grow hair on any head where the hair roots were not entirely gone, and he said the natives of the country where it grew were famous for their beautiful long hair. Upon medical advice I combined this herb with Bay Rum and Menthol Crystals and immediately began its use. In three applications it entirely stopped the intense itching of my scalp and in a very short time it not only stopped my falling hair, but I noticed an abundance of new hair coming in. In less than one month my hair was longer, thicker and more beautiful than ever. All due to this marvelous hair growing herb. A lady to whom I gave the formula used it on her daughter, and she says it made her hair grow five inches in less than a month. Doctors who have shown it to me say it is the only thing which will actually grow new hair, therefore I think the public ought to have it. At first I thought I would keep it a secret and sell the secret, but when I think how I suffered and how badly I needed it and how hundreds of others must need it the same as I did, I feel I ought to give it to the world.

Therefore, I authorize this paper to publish the formula, which is as follows: Bay Rum, 6 oz.; Lavona de Composee, 2 oz.; Menthol Crystals, 1 dr.; Tokalon Perfume one to two teaspoonfuls.

Ask your druggist for an 8 oz. bottle containing 6 oz. of Bay Rum, then put in the Menthol Crystals and the Perfume. Next add one-half of the bottle of Lavona de Composee, let it stand six to eight hours and add the remainder of the Lavona de Composee. Always use the preparation night and morning and rub well into the scalp. If properly used it will soon produce most astonishing results. Be careful not to get it on the face or any part of the body where you do not want to produce hair.

ascertaining whether a cause of action now exists.

"The investigation will be conducted under the anti-trust statute and may be either civil or criminal.

"Proceedings now in progress before the federal grand jury of this district are in line with this investigation. Ordinarily cases presented to the grand jury for trial in the courts are wholly within the routine duties of the United States attorney. Where, however, the subject of inquiry affects the country at large, and especially where it involves the complaint of a violation of the anti-trust statute having a more than local effect, the attorney general exercises a special supervision. He is particularly charged by the law with the enforcement of this act, and in this behalf he is also fixed by statute under his direction.

"There will be no change in the present instance. Mr. Sims, in whom the attorney general has entire confidence, will present his testimony to the grand jury. After this testimony is in, I have no doubt the grand jury will do its full duty, both to the government and those against whom such testimony may be adduced.

"I expect to keep in touch with the inquiry; to come to Chicago whenever it may seem necessary and participate either now or later, in any way that shall seem advisable.

**MAIL ROBBER PLEADS GUILTY.** Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 27.—Carl E. Olson, baggage man on the Union Pacific, today pleaded guilty before Commissioner Gill to robbing the mails. Olson is one of four railroad employes arrested yesterday on charges of complicity in a long series of mail, baggage and express robberies here.

**TO MAKE NEW YORK BEAUTIFUL.** New York, Jan. 28.—In order to arouse a wider sentiment for making New York a city beautiful, the American Institute of Architects has offered two medals, which are to be awarded to the owners of the two most beautiful tenements erected in New York during the next year.



**Elk's California Excursion.** February 5—Cheapest excursion of the year. See or write, A. W. Raybould, Elk's club, Salt Lake.

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**JOHN STEVENS' COURTSHIP.** A Story of the Echo Canyon War. By Susa Young Gates.

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**MAY TALBOT'S DEFENSE WILL BE SELF DEFENSE.** Reno, Jan. 27.—The state closed its case in the Talbot murder trial this afternoon and Judge W. Massey of counsel for the accused woman made the opening statement for the defense. It will be the contention of the defense that Mrs. Talbot acted in self-defense when she fired the shot which caused the death of her husband and that she was in complete ignorance of any shooting or of any injury done to her husband after the shooting, until she was apprised of the fact by the sheriff. The dying declaration of Al Talbot was introduced by the state this afternoon, and a strong light on the part of the defense to have it excluded from the records. It consisted of an oral statement made by Talbot just before his death and was not reduced to writing. Talbot told how he had some angry words with his wife in regard to a settlement of their property rights prior to an action for divorce by Mrs. Talbot. Mrs. Talbot, during the course of the argument, jumped at him, holding her hand in a muff. She pressed the muff to her husband's breast and there was a report.

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# POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BILL READY

Perfected by Sub Committee and Introduced in Senate by Senator Carter.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES MANAGE

All Money Order Offices to be Declared Depositories—Any One Above Ten May Have Account.

Washington, Jan. 27.—The postal savings bank bill, drafted by Senators Carter, Dooliver and Owen, a sub-committee of the committee on postoffices and post roads, was perfected today and was introduced in the senate by Mr. Carter.

It was referred to the postoffice committee and probably will be reported back to the senate tomorrow.

The bill provides that a system of postal savings depositories, under the supervision of a board of trustees, to consist of the secretary of the treasury, the postmaster-general and the attorney-general, shall be established.

This board is authorized to make all regulations governing custody of moneys deposited with the postal savings banks.

All postoffices of a class authorized to issue money orders, and such others as the postmaster-general may designate, are declared to be postal savings depositories. They are to receive deposits from the public and are to be kept open for all transactions of business in the usual postoffice business hours of the town or locality where they are located.

Accounts may be opened by any person 10 years of age or more, and by married women in their own names and free from interference by their husbands. No person will be permitted to have more than one account.

An account cannot be opened for less than \$1 and not more than \$100 can be deposited in any one month. All deposits must be in multiples of \$1, out, that is, in whole dollars. No interest is paid on deposits, savings cards will be issued, and 10 cent postal savings stamps sold. When these cards and attached stamps show an investment of \$1, or multiple thereof, they will be received as deposits.

Deposits in postal savings banks will draw 2 per cent interest, credited to the books of depositors once a year. No interest will be allowed to accumulate in excess of \$50, exclusive of accumulated interest.

Funds received by postal savings banks are to be deposited in banks, subject to public supervision, and, as nearly as practicable, in the neighborhood in which the funds are received. The banks are to pay for the funds not less than 2 1/2 per cent interest.

The deposits are to be distributed among local banks on the basis of their capital and surplus, and the banks must give indemnity bonds to insure the safety and prompt payment of deposits. At its option any bank may deposit collateral security subject to the approval of the board. In event banks refuse to receive postal deposits on the terms prescribed, the funds may be deposited with the treasurer of the United States.

Provision is made for the maintenance of a reserve fund not exceeding 10 per cent of the total funds deposited. Interest and profits accruing from deposits or investment of postal savings are to be applied to the payment of expenses of administration, and any excess is to be a part of postal revenues.

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**HARD COLDS.** People whose blood is pure are not nearly so likely to take hard colds as are others.

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**SURE WAY TO TELL IF EGGS ARE FRESH**

Washington, Jan. 27.—It is easily possible to tell the difference between a fresh egg and a cold storage egg without breaking the shell, and dealers in the District of Columbia who sell stored eggs for "strawberry fresh" may be prosecuted and convicted, according to statements made today by Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the government's chief chemist. Dr. Wiley gave his testimony at the "high-cost-of-living" hearing being conducted by a house sub-committee.

Dr. Wiley brought with him a large number of fresh eggs and also some of

the cold storage variety. Dropping them into a large vessel of water, containing a 10 per cent salt solution, the fresh eggs immediately sank to the bottom and the refrigerated ones floated on the surface.

When asked how he knew the eggs were fresh, Dr. Wiley replied that one of his inspectors had watched the hens lay them yesterday.

## "YOU ARE MY LONG LOST BROTHER"

Chicago, Jan. 28.—"I won't charge you for that shave, pal, because you're my long-lost brother."

Thereupon Thomas Rich, barber, 1204 West Taylor street, wiped remaining flecks of lather from a patron's face, stood him up and said: "I'm pretty good, Tom. How are you?"

Then they shook hands and went home to supper.

"As soon as I had him shaved, I found a scar on his face I put there myself when we were playing Indians 20 years ago," Rich said. "We were separated when you were a boy and had lost each other for 20 years."

## IMPROVING HARRIMAN ESTATE.

Ardon, N. Y., Jan. 28.—A large force of carpenters and artisans has been put to work on the Harriman estate here and the construction of a new wing to the big mansion planned by the late master has been begun.

Rumors were current for some time that Mrs. Harriman would abandon, or at least curtail, the work begun by her husband. It is now announced, however, that she has contemplated even more extensive building than had been outlined by Mr. Harriman.

## ELLA GINGLES MARRIED.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Ella Gingles, the young Irish lacemaker who caused a stir in Chicago at the time of her trial last summer on charges of stealing lace from her former employer Agnes Barrett, following the sensational incident when she was found bound and gagged in a downtown hotel, has been married in Larnie, Ireland. This announcement was made in a letter received yesterday in Chicago by friends of Mrs. G. Van Dusen Cooks, who was given charge of the girl upon the latter's acquittal.

## MORE CUSTOMS FRAUDS.

New York, Jan. 28.—Customs frauds in the importation of mosquito netting, showing an alleged loss to the government of more than \$800,000, are said to have been discovered in New Orleans, according to a report from government officials and merchants in New York after testifying before the grand jury at New Orleans.

It is said that federal authorities here will be asked to take up the investigation as soon as the New Orleans grand jury has completed its labors. Indictments may be returned, according to this report against government officials and merchants in New Orleans, Washington and New York.

## ONIONS MADE HIM DRUNK.

Pittsburg, Jan. 28.—Unsuspected forces in the lowly onion were revealed when George Prunner appeared before Magistrate Fred Gottman and the onion jag was added to the catalogue of pitfalls for the unwary.

"I was going to call on a friend who has consumption," explained the prisoner, "and my doctor advised me to eat some onions first to avoid contagion. I did so. They went to my head and things began to whirl. I don't remember what happened after that," he added. "I did not know onions ever affected folks like that."

The magistrate did not confess to similar ignorance but promptly discharged the victim of the newest joy charged the victim of the newest joy charged the victim of the newest joy.

## RESCUED FROM BURNING HOUSE

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Thirteen persons were rescued from a burning building at 420 Clark street early yesterday following an explosion.

The police were unable to determine whether a bomb was thrown or whether escaping gas exploded. The damage was small.

## CUTLER'S \$6.50 SUIT SALE.

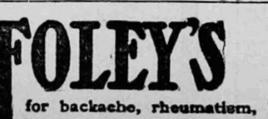
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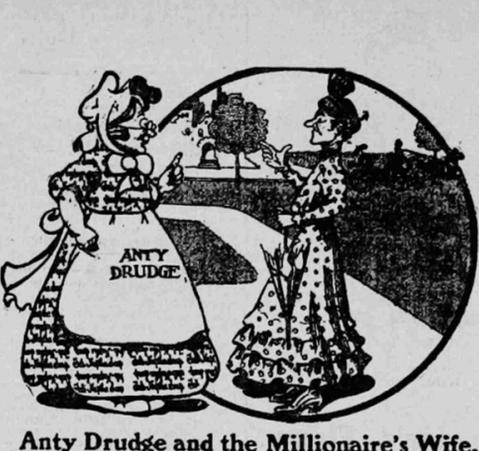
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- FOURTH MUNICIPAL WARD—Longfellow School, Corer J and 1st Avenue.
- FIFTH MUNICIPAL WARD—Twelfth School, 1st South between 4th and 5th East.
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