

# Federal Judge Swayne Still On The Griddle

NEW EVIDENCE IN THE FLORIDA IMPEACHMENT CASE ALLEGED TO BE ADVERSE TO THE DEFENDANT

Judge Charles Swayne, of the northern district of Florida, has been on the griddle since a year ago, when citizens of his district sent a memorial to the house of representatives at Washington, praying for his impeachment. Later charges were formally presented by Congressmen Lamar, of Florida, his resolution alleging absenteeism, inefficiency, corruption, and other misdemeanors. A majority of the house judiciary committee voted to report a resolution of impeachment, and the house has now voted for his impeachment.

A sub-committee was appointed to take further testimony and make a report. This sub-committee was appointed to take further testimony and make a report. This sub-committee has just reported to the full committee its new evidence, with the conclusion that, in its opinion, this new testimony strengthens the case against Swayne.

Among other things it is charged that Judge Swayne, while the Jacksonville, Tampa & Key West railway was in the hands of a receiver, accepted the use of a private car belonging to the road, stocked with provisions and equipped with a cook and conductor, on which car he took a party of his friends from Florida to California and back; also that his expense accounts were in excess of what he expended.



JUDGE SWAYNE.

Judge Swayne is a republican and formerly lived in Delaware. He was appointed to the federal bench by President Harrison in 1890. Only two United States judges have ever been impeached by congress, though attempts were made to impeach five others. The two were Pickens, of New Hampshire, in 1804, charged with drunkenness and profanity, and Humphreys, of Tennessee, in 1862, for disloyalty.

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## OLD MAN IN COURT AGAIN

(By Service News Ass'n.) PORTLAND, Dec. 15.—Michael Pierrier, the aged recluse who figured so prominently in newspaper stories, first as having disappeared, second as having abducted a young girl from St. Helens, Ore., next as the girl's husband and lastly as a would-be suicide, was in court yesterday.

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## MAD KING OTTO IS NEARING DEATH'S DOOR

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King Otto



King Louis II

MUNICH, Dec. 15.—King Otto of Bavaria, who has occupied the throne of this country since 1886, has spent all the 18 years of his reign in a mad house.

King Otto was born in 1848, and developed symptoms of incurable insanity in his 23d year. Previous to this, he took part in the wars of 1866 and 1870 with some distinction. In 1873 he was secluded in a private lunatic asylum and he has been under control as a dangerous madman ever since that time.

When he succeeded to the throne in 1886 he was incapable of grasping the significance of his accession. The ceremony of coronation was performed in the madhouse and in the circumstances was a veritable mockery. Soon after his accession, one of the royal castles was turned into a lunatic asylum for his reception.

It is fitted with padded walls and all the other appliances required in dealing with madmen. Here the king spends his life in royal state. He crawls about the floor on hands and knees, eats his food like a dog, and imitates the noise made by various animals, but he is nevertheless king by divine right and his attendants must never fail to address him as "your majesty."

From time to time, King Otto suffered from fits of ungovernable rage, when he foams at the mouth, bites his keepers and demolishes everything within his reach. After such outbreaks he lies exhausted for several days. These attacks are becoming more frequent, and it is thought that in one of them he may die from heart failure or exhaustion.

In consequence of King Otto's condition, his uncle, Prince Luitpold, of Bavaria, acts as regent.

The course of insanity has pursued the Wittelsbachs, the royal family of Bavaria, for centuries past. King Otto's brother and immediate predecessor, King Louis II, was also a lunatic, though he reigned for 22

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## OFFICERS KEPT BUSY

RECRUITS FOR ARMY COMING IN BY THE SCORE

According to the present indications the admission to the different branches of the army in December will greatly exceed the number recruited at the local office last month.

During the month of November there were 45 enlistments, which is looked upon by the recruiting officers as being rather a good showing for the time of year.

For the first fifteen days of the present month enlistments have exceeded the total number of November. Men have been seeking entry into the army at the rate of from three to five a day.

Besides being extremely gratifying, the excellent showing made for the present month comes somewhat as a surprise to the army officers, as only a few enlistments are expected during the month of December. The cavalrymen has been a cause for the large enlistments, as these branches of the army are somewhat more popular than the others.

The artillery, however, is getting its share and although it is the hardest branch of the army, the number of men applying to this branch is surprising.

The opinion is given out among certain of the local army men that the secretary of war will soon reinstate the course adopted by some of the eastern forts, of drilling the men in horsemanship before they are assigned to their respective regiments, and exempting from the receiving barracks. At the present time men enlisting in the cavalry service are merely given such drill as can be done without horses.

As a result of this the recruits are a cause of trouble to the officers on being assigned to the regular army. Many of the men have never seen a horse. They don't know how to ride, and it is many months before any sort of regularity in the drills can be had. In the California barracks, where many men are sent monthly, there is not a single horse to be found. From past experience it is thought the department will soon issue an order for certain number of horses to be attached to each of the receiving barracks in the west.

## RUSHING THE PLANS

WORK ON THE NEW LABOR TEMPLE TO BEGIN AT ONCE

Within six months the Western Central Labor union expects to have quarters in the Seattle Labor temple. The Seattle Labor Temple association has purchased the southeast corner of Union street and Sixth avenue as a site for the new building, and the construction of the hall will begin as soon as the arrangements can be made for drawing the plans and letting the contract.

Most of the required funds are already on hand. The original site for the temple, at the corner of Pike street and Seventh avenue, was recently sold for \$11,000. The new site was purchased from John B. Agren for \$14,000. It is 6x100 feet in size. The intention is to erect a frame building, with two stories and a basement on the ground, the basement floor being rented for store purposes. Only a portion of the purchase price was paid down, the balance being due in three years.

The building proposed will cost \$20,000 more, but it will be adequate for its purpose for a good many years. The association has, besides the money derived from the purchase of the old site, about \$4,000 net returns from its labor carnivals.

The project to build a labor temple was started about 19 years ago. The first session of the convention held in Musielans' hall on December 7. It was at that time that the committees were appointed. More than 75 unions, practically every one in the city, were represented. The object of the reorganization is to place all the unions in the city under one head. At the present time there are two main central bodies—the Western Central Labor union and the Building Trades assembly.

Previous factional fights have to a large extent destroyed the complete unity of these organizations, and labor leaders are now desirous of once again bringing all local unions under one head. A new set of officers will be elected. The main issue is to reconstruct the constitution on modern lines that will be acceptable to all the delegates. After that each union must individually endorse the constitution.

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## CANNOT HELP FINDING HIM

"I have not heard from my boy for two years, but think he is in Seattle. He is five foot nine and has a broken nose, so I do not see how you can have any trouble in finding him. Do this for me and God will bless you for it."

Sheriff Cuddehe received a letter containing this plea this morning

from Mrs. O'Brien, of San Francisco. She asked the sheriff to tell the boy if he should be found here to some home, as she needed him and would try to raise the money to pay his expenses.

Stuart Matson is being tried before Superior Judge Tallman today on the charge of robbery. He is accused of assisting two other men while they held up and robbed C. C. Cothran in a dark alley on the night of November 8.

## REORGANIZING CENTRAL BODY

The work of forming a new central organization for all the labor unions in Seattle has begun in earnest. Committees are now at work framing a constitution and by-laws for the body, and will report at a meeting to be held next Wednesday.

Two hundred delegates attended the first session of the convention held in Musielans' hall on December 7. It was at that time that the committees were appointed. More than 75 unions, practically every one in the city, were represented. The object of the reorganization is to place all the unions in the city under one head. At the present time there are two main central bodies—the Western Central Labor union and the Building Trades assembly.

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