

## EQUITABLE LIFE BUSINESS METHODS

Senator Chauncey M. Depew Gives Some Truly Startling Testimony.

### INTERESTED IN SECURING LOAN

It Was Got but Neither Principal Nor Interest Was Ever Paid—A Stock Purchase Speculation.

New York, July 10.—The World to-morrow will say:

"Revelations fare more startling than those in the report of St. Louis, Hendricks are contained in the testimony taken by the state insurance department investigating the Equitable Life Assurance society.

"Senator Chauncey M. Depew testified that the improvement company in which he was interested obtained a loan from the Equitable of \$250,000 on property which the state insurance department valued at only \$15,000. He admitted that neither principal nor interest had been paid and that the Equitable had been forced to foreclose. He admitted that as a member of the executive committee of the Equitable he had not noticed this loan and voted for it. He concluded that the Equitable should be made whole but in the same breath said that the promise was not legally binding.

"Jacob H. Schiff, confronted with records of the Equitable that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. had sold a large amount of Union Pacific preferred stock to the society, swore that these records were false. In return several records of the Equitable in his name he admitted that a large loss was shown. He confessed that he had been a dummy director, but said that since the Equitable scandal developed he had bought five shares of stock, paying \$2,000 a share.

"It appeared from his testimony, that of Mr. Hyde and others that the Equitable had taken \$2,000,000 worth of Union Pacific preferred, apparently at the suggestion of Mr. Harriman. It appears that this stock was under a syndicate agreement that it should not be sold, making the deal a speculative one. No record of this agreement was put in evidence. Mr. Hyde said Harriman had it, but Harriman was not called as a witness."

### ESCAPED CONVICT RELEASED.

Town Marshal Didn't Know Who He Was.

Seattle, Wash., July 10.—C. D. Castle, one of the eight convicts who made their escape from the penitentiary on McNeil's Island on July 3, was arrested in Kent last night. Castle, a shephard and kept jail over night, was released Sunday morning without his identity being discovered. It was not until he had been gone some 10 hours that the marshal learned who his prisoner was. Castle has not been seen since. While Castle was in jail Friday night Matt Moors and R. Takeuchi, the two Japanese convicts who escaped with the other men, broke into a Kent clothing store and stole three suits of clothes. They were seen walking along a bay in the neighborhood of Covington, and were dressed in the new suits. The marshal's office is in receipt of a report that a posse is in pursuit of George Wade, on Vashon Island, between Vashon and Aquabon.

### SENATOR MITCHELL'S CASE.

Motion for a New Trial is Argued by His Counsel.

Portland, Ore., July 10.—Counsel for the defense in an argument before Judge De Haven in the federal court on a motion for a new trial in the Senator Mitchell case, argued yesterday that on the fact that the government did not prove the sixth count of the indictment wherein it is alleged that on Jan.

## BABY'S FACE ALL ONE SORE

He is Charged with the Crime of Bigamy.

Infant's Terrible Humor—Even Eyes Were Affected—Suffered for Many Months—Nothing Helped Him—Better in a Few Days, and

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"My boy when an infant was afflicted with a terrible humor. His face was all one big, black sore, even the eyelids were sore. He suffered for many months, and nothing that I tried helped him till I bought a can of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I washed him three times a day with the Soap and then applied the Ointment. In a few days he was better and before I had used the can of Soap he was cured and to-day he has got as good a complexion as anybody. I have also used Soap for my hands to great advantage. They break out once in a while in watery sores, but when I use Cuticura Soap I can keep them in good shape." (Signed) Mrs. O. O. Airey, Underwood, Miss., March 28, 1905.

### 100,000 MOTHERS Daily Tell Other Mothers

That Cuticura Soap is the best baby soap in the world for cleansing and purifying the skin, and that Cuticura Ointment is of priceless value for soothing and healing itching, torturing, and disfiguring eruptions, itches, and chafings. A single application of Cuticura Ointment, preceded by a warm bath with Cuticura Soap, gives instant relief, and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers. Bath the affected parts with hot water and Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the surface of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle; dry without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment freely, to allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal.

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## A CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY.

Mayor of Newport, Ky., and Jailer Have a Fight Over Which Cell Powers Should Occupy.

### FORMER WAS KNOCKED DOWN

Prisoner Has Been in Jail for Five Years and Has Been Tried Four Times.

Cincinnati, July 10.—In the custody of the United States marshal, under orders of United States Judge Cochran, who last week assumed jurisdiction in his case, Edith Powers, charged with complicity in the murder of William Giesler of Frankfort, in the winter of 1903, was tonight lodged in the Newport jail across the river from this city, where he will be held pending a decision of the various legal points arising out of the transfer from state to federal jurisdiction.

When Powers arrived at the Newport jail she knocked down a contrivance between jailor Phlegar and Major Hemboldt in what cell the prisoner should occupy. The major insisted that the cell that had been prepared for Powers was not the proper place. Phlegar and Major Hemboldt finally came to blows and the latter was knocked down.

During the fight between the mayor and the jailor the furniture in the cell prepared for Powers was complicated, unknown, and useless. Subsequently Powers was placed in another cell with other prisoners, where he will remain until jailor Phlegar can secure other quarters for him.

For five years Powers has been in jail. He has been tried four times and sentenced to death three times, but as he walked into the jail tonight he expressed hope of his ultimate acquittal of the capital offense.

He was the only one of those charged with conspiracy to murder William Giesler to be convicted and sentenced to death. His fight for life has been remarkable, and the attorneys today expressed the belief that three more years may pass before the end of the present legal complications will make possible the trial in the federal courts for which he applied five weeks ago at London, Ky.

In instructions from United States Dist. Atts. Phlegar warrants were sworn out late tonight for the arrest of Mayor Hemboldt for interfering with United States officers.

**LIABILITIES AND ASSETS  
OF PEOPLE'S U. S. BANK**

St. Louis, July 10.—Immediately after taking charge of the affairs of the People's United States bank, former Judge Selden P. Spencer, today appointed receiver by the St. Louis county circuit court, and orders to the depositors of the bank in other cities to go to Memphis and take up their accounts and the issuance of money on checks and to report at once the amount of money on hand credited to the People's bank.

The United States census will demonstrate the true Chinaman who wishes to be excluded when he desires to enter the United States.

"Let us ask Congress for a law that is honestly intended to protect American labor rather than a patchwork that means nothing but an endless expense to the government."

President Keefer agreed that the convention should recommend government control of the life insurance business. He declared that a system of insurance could be profitably conducted on a basis of \$10 per thousand dollars of insurance.

"Holding 'graft' he said:

"The great weapon for the extermination of grafters from the ranks of organized labor will be found in annual trade agreements. Sympathetic strikes can find no suitable apology for their existence during the life of any trade agreement or contract."

President Keefer congratulated the delegates on the encouraging prospects of the association which has reached a membership of nearly 100,000.

Oregon Land Fraud Cases.

Portland, Ore., July 10.—The first evidence which connected Congressman Williamson with the alleged land frauds for which he with Dr. Van Clesser and Marion Briggs are now being tried, was introduced in the United States district court today.

This was the testimony of John S. Watkins that Mr. Williamson was in a book which Watkins wrote in a book which Watkins was in certain sections which Watkins testified Williamson and Van Gessner desired the witness to enter on for their benefit. Little progress was made with the case today, it being late in the afternoon before the arguments of counsel upon the motion for a new trial of Senator Mittchell's case were ended.

After Judge Spencer had taken control of a meeting of the board of directors of the bank, he was called, at which the hearing were presented and signed the act of removal against the court and the issuance of a fraud order by the United States postal authorities.

Theodore F. Meyer, former Gov. Lon V. Stephens, W. E. Carter, James E. Coyle, E. G. Lewis,

State Bank Examiner R. McCook to-night declared the affairs of the People's United States bank were in no way complicated condition. He said:

"After giving an explanation I made of the assets and liabilities I believe the receiver now would be able to pay all the depositors in full and have enough left to pay the stockholder 50 per cent of their stock."

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GOLDEN GATE COFFEE

Russell Succeeds Bowen.

Washington, July 10.—Formal announcement was made at the state department today of the appointment of William W. Russell, of Maryland, as minister to Venezuela, where he succeeds Mr. Bayard. Mr. Russell was formerly secretary of legation at Quito and was sent there from Rio de Janeiro as minister to Colombia, where he has been relieved by Mr. Barrett.

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## PURE BLOOD INSURES A CLEAR SKIN

When Hezema, Acne, Tetter, Pimples, or other skin diseases make their appearance it is a sure sign that the blood is filled with humors and burning acids. These being forced through the pores and glands burn and blister the skin, producing the eruptions which are usually accompanied with intense itching, and are disfiguring and humiliating.

Years ago my blood was bad, as evidenced by skin eruptions on different parts of the body, and other symptoms, so I concluded to try S. S. S., knowing it to be highly spoken of. After taking it for number of bottles—do you remember how many?—my blood was thoroughly purified and enriched and I was relieved of all eruptions and manifestations of impure humors. I then took it to the doctor and he prescribed blood medicine, and any one in need of such a medicine would do well to use it. They will find it a perfect cure and prevent any recurrence.

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