the Equitable Life Assurance societ contain no reference, prior to 1909,

an instrument signed by James W Alexander, president, dated May 11, 1896 about a week after the death of Hen ry B. Hyde, certifying that the Turne

loan and additional adversarie account were really

pledged for its protection "On Feb. 6, 1900, five beginning that incurred

he aforementioned individu

the Mercantile Trust com-

request of the society, and that it

corporations, holding certificates participation in the Turner loans, perting that those loans were in the interest of the society and suring them that the society would

that the amounts their companies loan ed would be regulared.

for the payment of the obligation, and that the society is in no sense respon-sible to the trust company, and it is his opinion that it is very doubtful

whether the society is liable to th

"This, however is a matter that car only be settled by litigation. I have notified the Mercantile Trust company to this effect, and have orged that I proceed against its guarantors. I have

also notified the trust company that would expect to have repaid to

scriety \$718,264 and interest, which find the society applied on those lot and I have instructed counsel to I

the necessary proceedings for the re-covery of this money.

"I have been unable to form a defi-nite opinion as to the value of the pro-perties by which the Turner loans were

The Scarles loan was originally \$340, 000, and was reduced to \$86,488. The remaining collateral on this loan, Mr.

ESQUIMALT FORTIFICATIONS. Are to be Taken Over by Canada

Next Inly.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 19.-Sir Fred-

crick Borden, minister of militia, today

inspected the fortifications at Esqui-

malt, preparatory to the taking over of the defenses by Canada from the

imperial government next July. The royal garrison regiment at Halifax will disband on Oct. 1 and those who wish

dispand on Oct. I and those who was to do so may take service in the Cana dian forces. Canada will take ove the Hallfax defenses, on Oct. 18. The garrison regiment at Esquimait will not be disbanded until next summer.

TROOPS WITHDRAWN.

From Swedish Norwegian Fron-

tier to Prevent Collision. Christiania, Sept. 18.—The Aftenpos-ten declares that though during the negotiations at Karlstad no troops eith-

er Swedish or Norwegian, will be a dered to the frontier, and though the frontier guards on both sides will will

draw to a distance sufficient to prevent collisions, there is as yet no question of sending the troops home.

Indicted for Bigamy.

New York, Sept. 19.-Indictments ac

New York, Sept. 19.—Indictments accusing Frederick E. Carlton of Brooklyn of bigamy in marrying four women, three in Brooklyn and one at Rochester, N. Y., were found by the grand jury of Kings county today.

It alleged that he married Willetta S. Birdin in this city in 1894; Lula Kettering at Rochester in December, 1897; Mary J. Smith in Brooklyn in 1994, He is alleged to have used the name of William E. Rodriguez in marrying the Rochester girl.

Rochester girl. Carlton pleaded not guilty and the

hearing was posiponed to Sept. 5, on his statement that he wanted wit-nesses from San Francisco.

Dr. Goebel Goes to Harvard.

San Francisco, Sept. 19,-Dr. Julius

Goebel, who recently was dismissed from Stanford university, is to be head

of the department of the Germanic languages at Harvard university. He received a telegraphic offer today from President Charles W. Ellot of Harvard and immediately wired his acceptance.

Dowie Makes a Payment-

Mexico City, Sept. 19 .- According to

Weekly Crop Report.

Morton finds, is without avail.

enefit of the society. orincipal shareholder National bank sud

# EQUITABLE WAYS OF DOING BUSINESS

Paul Morton, President, Makes Public a Report Submitted by Him to the Directors.

SOME VERY QUEER BOOKKEEPING

Records Show no Authority For Transactions involving Millions of Dollars.

his Life Assurance society paid out he Mercantile Trust comdon with certain loans Turner loans," and that s were without authoriis records of the society ac known today when Paul Mecter, president of the society, made public a report on the subject satisfied by him to the society's di-

ctions occurred in what Mr. Morton refers to as the "Turner loun, Mr. Morton's recas carried in 1894 by sal bank, which was Equitable Life Insurcollateral for the to by the bank exy B. Hyde then agreed

Louis Fitzgerald, then Moreantile Trust com-The loan was guaran-is Hartley, John N. exerald, W. M. Coler,

(895, the same guaran-cic guarantee, the loan \$1,275,478, the increase tempts to develop the a the collateral for the of consisted of Salt

cks. This collateral le value. Other colty Land and Irigation and the Colorado sums were expend-

and by July 1. Kentucky proper-and the Colorado 3. The Equitable ty paid the Mer-c \$218,264 on these

## TWITCHING NERVES.

COLD SWEATS. STOMACH TROUBLE AND WEAKNESS.

Caused by Disregard for Health and Cured By Dr. Williams' Pink Pills For Pale People.

Nature punishes every infraction of her laws, and careless habits easily lead to the condition described by Mr. William Browne, of No. 1013 Lincoln street, St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Browne is n expert tinner in the employ of the National Biscuit Co. He gives the fol-owing account of a trying experi-

the spring of 1902," he says. while I was regularly working at my trade, I grew gomewhat careless in my habits of eating and drinking, and habits of eating and drinking, and finally found that my appetite was fickle, a bad taste lingered in my mouth, my nerves twitched and were beyond my control, my kidneys were out of order and cold sweats would break out over my body at odd times. Perhaps, while I stood talking with some one, this trembling of the limbs, and profuse sweating, and a severe chill would seize me. I became alarmed at my condition and, having read an endorsement of Dr. Williams Pink Pills, I got a box and began to use them. They helped me at once. After I had used one box the twitching of the nerves, the trouble with the stomach and the cold sweats stopped and have not reappeared, and my appetite have not reappeared, and my appetite a good. I have told all my friends that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me

and I recommend them to everybody Dr. Williams' Pink Pilis cured M Dr. Williams' Pink Pilis cured Mr. Browne because nothing can strengthen the nerves except good rich, red bloodund Dr. Williams' Pink Pilis actually make new blood. They don't act on the bowels. They don't bother with mere symptoms. They drive from the blood the cause of america, indigestion, nervous disorders, general weakness and the troubles of growing girls and women.

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of the society, Mr. Alexander, made a statement that these loans wer made in the interest of the society and assured the guarantors that the society would see that the amounts their companies loaned would be repaid with interest. Mr Morton referred the matter to special counsel, who have assured him that the Equitable Life Assurance so-ciety is not responsible for the loans. Mr. Morton has also notified the Merantile Trust company that he will exy the Equitable Life Assurance so-

Mr. Morton found that \$255,000 was said by the Equitable Life Assurance ocisty to the Mercantile Trust com-any on the \$685,600 loan, the nature of which loan has never been explained a ounsel had been instructed to begin proceedings for the return of this sum. This loan was the J. W. A. No. 3 ac-

Mr. Morton also reported to the directors that it would be necessary to charge off \$86,488 unpaid balance of a loan to John E. Searles, who has gone through bankruptcy. The collateral against this \$86,488, Mr. Morton declares,

custantons of the Turner loan the there at the society for their pro-tion. On feb. 14, 1960, the president be duly advised." "In case any other transactions of

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Mr. Morton said the Turner loans were made by the Western National bank before the Equitable Life Assur-ance society became interested in the

To John W. Young, \$113,057 on collateral consisting of Sait Lake & Fort Douglas Railroad company bonds and stock; Sait Lake & Eastern railroad stock; Sait Lake Rock company stock and Dentine Stores, Mades & Parise and Deming, Sierra Madre & Pacific

To the Kentucky Mineral and Timber company, \$258,394, the collateral being contracts for the purchase of certain lands in southeastern Kentucky. To the Amity Land and Irrigation company, \$264,599, the collateral representing a controlling interest in certain irrigation ditches in Prowers county, Colo. To the total, \$638,049, was added interest of \$25,443, making the rotal \$521,491.

trust company against loss, and that, therefore, the society would hold them, the guarantors, harmless from loss on account of their guaranty.

"On Feb. 14, 1900, the executive committee of the society passed a resolution authorizing the president to convey to the individual guarantors the assurances of the society for their protection. This resolution is the only minute on the records of any committee of the society or its board of directors in respect to any connection of the society with the Turner loans.

"On Feb. 14, 1900, the president of the society Mr. Alexander, also wrote the officers of the three aforementioned exporations, holding certificates of from the Western National bank to the Mercantile Trust company when the bank examiner objected to the collateral, is thus described by Mr. Morton "Henry G. Hyde, who was presiden of the society at the time, and also director in the bank, arranged to trans-fer the collateral to the Mercantile Trust company in the following man

The collateral was first assigned by The collateral was first assigned by the bank to George V. Turner, secretary to Louis G. Fitzgerald, then president of the Mercantile Trust company. Contemporaneously with the assignment Turner, on the security of the rollateral, obtained from the Trust company a loan of \$651,491, the exact amount that the collateral assignment that the collateral assignment to that the collateral stood at on the books of the bank, evidenced by his note daetd Nov. 15, 1894; and this amount was turned over to the bank

amount was turned over to the bank in payment for the collateral which it had assigned to Turner,

"Upon Turner's note there was indorsed a guaranty payment by Marcellus Hartley, John E. Searles, Louis Fitzgerald, W. N. Coler, Jr., and H. B. Hyde and upon all renewals of the note the same guaranty was indorsed. These Hyde and upon all renewals of the note the same guaranty was indorsed. These gentlemen were all directors of the Western National bank and held considerable amounts of its stock. Mr. Hyde was also president of this society, as stated; Mr. Fitzgerald was president of the Mercantile Trust company and a director of this society and chalcuman of its finance committee; Mr. Hartley was also a director of this society and a member of its finance committee."

It developed soon after the Mercantile Trust company assumed the loans, perties by which the Turner loans were secured. They certainly have substantial values, and the officers of the Mercantile Trust company are sangular that they will ultimately produce sufficient money for the liquidation of the loans. In any event the individual guaranters of the loans, including the estates of Henry B. Hyde and Marcellus Hartley, are amply responsible, and the trust company, by enforcing its rights against them should be able to It developed soon after the Alercan-tile Trust company assumed the loans, Mr. Morton reports, that the collateral for the loan to John. W. Young was worthless and then it was that an enormous sum was spent in an effort to develop the Kentucky and Colorado properties. On July 1, 1995, the cost the trust company, by enforcing its rights against them should be able to escape ultimate loss upon the losns."

Coming to the mysterious \$885,000 teans made by the Mercantile Trust company on the "J. W. A. No. 3 account." Mr. Morton said that no such losn had been authorized by the cociety, and he repudiated it. The "J. W. A. No. 3 account" lean was repaid recently by individuals. Mr. Morton discovered, however, that from 1901 to 1904 the Equitable paid \$266,000 on this lean, and be has instructed coursel "to take the necessary proceedings to recover these amounts for the society."

The Scarles loan was originally \$340.

properties. On July 1, 1995, the cost of the Kentucky property stood at \$619,-067 and the cost of the Colorado property stood at \$2,809,633.

The cost of the Colorado property was assumed by the Commercial Trust company to the extent of \$500,000, by the Western National bank (now the National Bank (now the National Bank of Commerce) to the ex-tent of \$200,000, and by the American Deposit and Loan company (new the Deposit and Loan company (new the Equitable Trust company) to the extent of \$100,000, on certificates of participation issued to them respectively by the Mercantile Trust company on Jan. 23, 1900, and again were executed by Turner and the guarantors, or their representatives, consenting to the issue of At the conclusion of his report Mr. the certificates and agreeing that the forton stated: with the notes held by the Mercantile Trust company.

The Turner loans were made by the

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