

MORGAN'S BIG DEALS

Financier on the Stand at the Power Hearing.

ANSWERED QUESTIONS FREELY

But Declined to Go Into the Firm's Relationship With Its Customers - Formation of Securities Company.

NEW YORK, March 26.-J. P. Morgan gave evidence today before Special Examiner... He was questioned for two hours and a half by George Alfred Lamb, of counsel for Power, and during that time he answered questions rapidly and without the slightest appearance of reserve.

Several times during the hearing the financier seemed to be in a hurry. Mr. Lamb asked if the price of Northern Pacific did not go above its real value while his firm was buying it in May, 1901.

Mr. Morgan said it was the business of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. to take up anything in a financial line that was creditable, and which might suggest itself as profitable.

Mr. Lamb next asked Mr. Morgan in regard to a transaction in which \$20,000,000 par value of Northern Pacific stock was purchased from the Northern Pacific in 1896.

Mr. Morgan said he did not remember all the details of the transaction. "Of course, it is a great transaction and it is only natural that you might not be able to remember it," said Mr. Lamb.

Mr. Morgan said the Northern Pacific had not been controlled by any other railroad since 1896. Since that time its value had steadily increased.

Mr. Morgan said the Burlington purchase, the witness said he had made up his mind that the Northern Pacific ought to have an Eastern terminal in Chicago.

Mr. Morgan said the Burlington stock was demanded by the Burlington directors, and I told Mr. Hill by all means to take it.

"Did you know that there was a competition between the Northern Pacific and Great Northern for the business of the Burlington?"

"I never knew two roads that did not compete," the financier replied.

"At the present time the Burlington is operated jointly by the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern," asked Mr. Lamb.

"Nothing of the kind. The Burlington is operated as independently of all other roads as any railroad in the country."

"Was not the Burlington deal precipitated because somebody else was after it?"

"I do not know. If you ask my personal opinion I might say yes."

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The proper care for sufferers in this: Read these symptoms carefully over, mark those that apply to your case and bring this with you to the Copeland office. If you live away from the city, send by mail and ask for information of the new home treatment.

CATARRH OF HEAD AND THROAT

The head and throat become diseased from neglected colds, causing Catarrh when the condition of the blood predisposes to this condition.

- "Do your ears itch and burn?"
"Are the ears dry and scaly?"
"Have you pain behind the ears?"
"Is there throbbing in the ears?"
"Do you have a ringing in the ears?"
"Are there crackling sounds heard?"
"Is your hearing less cloudy days?"
"Do you have occasional noises?"
"Does your hearing seem to come and go?"
"Do your ears burn when you blow your nose?"
"Do you constantly hear noises in the ears?"
"Do you hear better some days than others?"
"Is the noise in your ears kept awake?"
"When you blow your nose do the ears cross or water?"
"Is hearing worse when you have a cold?"
"Is roaring like a waterfall in the head?"

CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Catarrh of the kidneys and bladder results in two ways, first by taking cold; second, by overworking the kidneys in separating from the blood the poisons that have been absorbed from catarrh, which affects all organs.

- "Is the skin pale and dry?"
"Is your hair getting gray?"
"Are there blotches around the eyes?"
"Is the hair dry and brittle?"
"Is the skin itching and aching?"
"Do the legs feel too heavy?"
"Does the nose bleed easily?"
"Is there pain in the back?"
"Is there pain in the small of the back?"
"Are your hands and feet swollen?"
"Are they cold and clammy?"
"Have you pain in top of head?"
"Is there a tingling in the feet?"
"Is there a bad taste in the mouth?"
"Is there a bad taste in the back of the throat?"
"Are there dark rings around the eyes?"
"Do you see spots floating before the eyes?"
"Have you cloudy feelings down the back?"
"Do you see unpleasant things while standing?"
"Does a deposit form when left asleep?"

CATARRH OF BRONCHIAL TUBES

This condition often results from catarrh extending from the head and throat, and if left unchecked, extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes, and in time attacks the lungs.

- "Have you a cough?"
"Is your coughing in the usual course?"
"Do you cough at night?"
"Have you pain in side?"
"Is your appetite variable?"
"Is there a bad taste in the mouth?"
"Are you cough until you gag?"
"Are you low-spirited at times?"
"Is your nose itchy and watery?"
"Do you spit up yellow matter?"
"Do you cough on going to bed?"
"Is there burning pain in the throat?"
"Is your cough short and hacking?"
"Have you pain behind the breastbone?"
"Have you a disgust for fatty foods?"
"Is there tickling behind the palate?"
"Have you pain behind the breastbone?"
"Do you feel you are growing weaker?"
"Are you nervous and weak?"
"Do you cough worse at night and mornings?"
"Do you have to sit up at night to get breath?"

CATARRH OF THE LIVER

The liver becomes diseased by catarrh extending from the stomach into the tubes of the liver.

- "Are you irritable?"
"Are you nervous?"
"Do you get dizzy?"
"Have you a sick feeling?"
"Do you have cold feet?"
"Is your memory poor?"
"Do you get tired easily?"
"Do you have a sense of heat in the face?"
"Is your eyesight blurred?"
"Is your vision dim?"
"Have you a bad taste in the mouth?"
"Are your spirits low at times?"
"Are you constipated?"
"Have you pain around the loins?"
"Do you have a sense of heat in the face?"
"Do you have rumbling bowels?"
"Is there throbbing in the stomach?"
"Is there a bad taste in the mouth?"
"Do you suffer from pains in temples?"
"Is there a general feeling of lassitude?"
"Do these feelings affect your memory?"

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH

This condition may result from several causes, but the usual cause is catarrh, the mucus dropping down into the throat and being swallowed.

- "Is there nausea?"
"Is there vomiting?"
"Is there belching up gas?"
"Have you waterbrash?"
"Are you light-headed?"
"Are you nervous and weak?"
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"Is there disgust for breakfast?"
"Have you distress after eating?"
"Are you at times after diarrhoea?"
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SYMPTOMS OF EAR TROUBLES

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She denied any knowledge of the box. He thereupon shot her dead, turned the revolver upon himself and killed himself, too.

During the inquest on the two bodies, Richards' employer rushed into the court, holding up the missing box, which had been the cause of the tragedy. It had been found near the place where the unhappy murderer and suicide had said he placed it.

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European Iron Combination. LONDON, March 27.-The Daily Mail today declares that negotiations are on foot for the formation of a gigantic iron combination in Europe, the object of which is to keep up prices. These negotiations were instituted by the British ironmasters. In view of the American demand for pig iron and steel, continues the Daily Mail, there are many difficulties in the way of the formation of such a combination, and the matter has not yet developed. According to a dispatch from Brussels, the principal Belgian and German firms are not inclined to join this combination, because the fall in prices enables them to compete in the American market.

Coming London Weddings. NEW YORK, March 26.-The wedding of the Lord Chamberlain's daughter, Lady Evelyn Gifford, will occur early in April, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. Lord Lytton's wedding will come about the same time, at St. Mark's, Westminster. His bride, Miss Gifford, has been lent to him for his honeymoon, and he will then go to Italy for a long journey.

World's Gold Supply Short. LONDON, March 26.-At a meeting here today of the shareholders of the Bank of Africa, the chairman said it was calculated that owing to the closing of the South African mines during the last two and a half years the world's gold supply was short to the extent of £40,000,000.

Cholera at Mecca. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 25.-The official bulletin on the subject of cholera at Mecca and Medina announced that 1129 deaths from that disease have occurred in the two cities mentioned.

Rome's Wish for Peace. ROME, March 26.-The Osservatore Romano, the semi-official organ of the vati-

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