

TELLS HER DEBTS

Mrs. Chadwick Admits Owning \$750,000.

JEWELS BY WHOLESALE

Rope of Pearls Sold at Fraction of Its Worth.

IN CLUTCH OF MONEYLENDERS

Woman Who Hypnotized Bankers Tells Story of High Commissions for Loans and Great Purchases of Jewels.

CLEVELAND, O., March 24.—In the bankruptcy court today Mrs. Chadwick detailed some of her financial transactions, during an examination by Louis J. Grossman, attorney for Nansen Lower, the trustee. Mrs. Chadwick said that she was not able to give any more details of the transaction as she would like, because of the absence of papers which were at present in a number of cities. She had sent for the papers and expected to have them when the hearing is continued next Thursday. She testified that her total debts would not exceed \$750,000. Of this sum, borrowed from various persons, she had received only \$17,000, leaving \$733,000 for commissions to the money lenders. She said she owned certain banks in Cleveland \$200,000. The names of three of these institutions she was willing to give to Mr. Lower privately.

Mrs. Chadwick walked from the County Jail to the bankruptcy court this afternoon, a distance of about a block. She looked well and appeared cheerful. She expressed her willingness to tell all that she could of her financial affairs. Some of the questions that were put to her were not answered because she did not care to give a reply from memory. The examination was conducted in the presence of Mrs. Chadwick's four attorneys, who at times interposed an objection to the questions of Mr. Grossman. Mrs. Chadwick frequently consulted with her attorneys before she replied to some of the questions.

Willing to Tell, but Needs Papers.
Mr. Grossman opened by saying he believed that Mrs. Chadwick owed \$2,000,000 and had \$100,000 in recovered assets. He asked Mrs. Chadwick to assist the trustee for the creditors in finding all her property. This Mrs. Chadwick said she was willing to do, but said the papers had not been sent for would be in her possession until next week. She said these papers were scattered around in Cleveland, Pittsburgh and other cities. She said the papers would show where hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property was and would show what she owned. She denied that her debts would amount to \$2,000,000. She said that \$750,000, which she made public, would include the bonuses paid for loans.

Relative to the suit of Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline, Mass., to recover \$150,000 lent by him, Mrs. Chadwick said she was not indebted to Mr. Newton for that amount. She said Mr. Newton held her papers for that sum, but that she did not receive that much money from him.

High Commission for Loans.
"How much did he give you, actually?" Mr. Grossman asked.
"He would represent \$750,000," replied Mrs. Chadwick. "I obtained \$250,000 in money, and notes for the rest. Two \$100,000 notes were applied on an old debt, and two \$100,000 notes were negotiated. I realized \$100 on one and \$200 on the other."
"Does the difference between \$750,000 and \$300,000 represent the commission?"
"Yes."
"What are these notes?"
"One is in Oberlin, one for \$100,000, and the other \$100,000 note is in Europe."
"Who has the note in Europe?"
"It is in the hands of a broker."
"Where are the two \$100,000 notes?"
"They are with a banker. I would rather not mention his name."
"When you paid \$112,000 commission for the Newton loans?"
"Yes."
Mrs. Chadwick said she had received \$50,000 from James A. Friend, of Pittsburgh. For this she said she gave him notes for \$100,000. She said that Mr. Friend had assisted her in making loans to the amount of \$100,000. For this she gave him jewelry as security. Of the loans for \$150,000 she said she received the entire sum. Mrs. Chadwick said \$225,000 was the total of her indebtedness in Pittsburgh.

Rope of Pearls Worth \$60,000.
Mrs. Chadwick said that beside the jewelry held in Pittsburgh, Henry Wurst, of Elyria, and Ludwig Niessen, of New York, had in their possession jewelry belonging to her that had been taken as security for loans. She said she believed Mr. Niessen had sold a rope of pearls valued as high as \$60,000, given on a loan of \$17,000. Mrs. Chadwick also gave her note to Mr. Niessen for a loan, but the note having been returned to her and again, Mr. Niessen finally sold the rope of pearls.

To the question by Mr. Grossman whether she had any jewelry in Europe, Mrs. Chadwick replied:

"There is some in the hands of Wolfers Bros. of Brussels."
"What is that transaction?"
"That was jewelry I bought abroad and left with Wolfers Bros. to sell. It was not paid for, as it was purchased under contract to be paid for if it suited. Wolfers Bros. sent their bill and I paid \$10,000 on it. The job was to take about a year. It was now being sold."
"What was the cost of the jewelry?"
"I do not remember exactly. I think it was between \$10,000 and \$20,000."
"Any one else abroad who holds any of your jewelry?"
"No, sir."
"Any other property, lace or fur?"
"I would rather tell you in private."
"Is there any other property in this country held for you?"
"I cannot say without the papers."
"While you were in New York the last time you sent Emil, your son, to the Cleveland Trust Company. What was in that package?"
"Just letters. Some that do not relate to this matter at all, and others that related to the property in Europe. To get money in New York I had to have those letters."

In the past two or three years you had dealings with the Raymond & Whitcomb Company, steamship agents and bankers. What were they? This paper would indicate that you own their \$100,000. Can you explain it?"
"I must have time to look at the paper."

MAY DISSOLVE THE UNION

CRISIS AT HAND BETWEEN NORWAY AND SWEDEN.

Nansen Says Norway Will Insist on Separate Consulates at Any Cost—Nations Disagree on Tariff

LONDON, March 24.—Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, who is making a short stay in London to discuss scientific matters with the Royal Geographical Society, being interviewed on the consular difficulty between Norway and Sweden, said that the situation was graver than understood abroad and that there was a very serious danger to the union if Sweden persisted in refusing Norway's undisputed rights. Then, explaining the history of the dispute in detail, Dr. Nansen said that the consular question involved a test as to whether Sweden was prepared honestly and honorably to carry out the treaty of union, or whether Norway was to become a mere Swedish dependency. Owing to the fact that Sweden is protectionist and Norway free trade, and because of Norway's extensive sea trade and other divergencies of commercial interests, Dr. Nansen said it was absolutely essential for Norway to have her own consular service; but since Sweden's breach of faith in her failure to carry out the agreement on the subject arranged in 1902, the Norwegians were reluctantly driven to the conclusion that it was useless to enter into further negotiations. "We wish the union maintained," Dr. Nansen declared, "but it must be on the unalterable foundation of equal rights of both states. No government that can possibly come into power in Norway will adopt any other policy."

VOTES CONFIDENCE IN TITTONI

Italian Chamber Upholds New Premier After Hearing His Policy.

ROME, March 24.—The Italian Cabinet, headed by Acting Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs Tittoni, received a vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies today. The government's majority being 129.

The majority obtained by Signor Tittoni is also favorable to Signor Fortis (who on March 16 was commissioned to organize a Cabinet, but declined the task). In a speech set forth his programme, agreeing with that of Signor Tittoni, chiefly in protecting the state against the threats of the clerical and prohibiting that one of the greatest conquests by a nation is liberty of conscience. He also proclaimed the necessity of having the railways under control of the state, and of adopting measures for the prevention of strikes.

As the members of the old Giolitti Cabinet only returned to Parliament in order to bring about a vote which would show that their policy was supported by the majority, it is expected that the Ministers will now resign and that King Victor Emmanuel will once more request Signor Fortis to form a new Cabinet, in which Signor Tittoni will remain as Foreign Minister.

Farwell Dinner to Consul Evans.

LONDON, March 24.—Forty representatives of the American colony tonight gave a farewell dinner to Consul General Evans at the Grosvenor hotel, London.

Mr. Van Duser, president of the American Society, voiced the sentiments of the guests in a farewell speech, saying that Mr. Evans had been a worthy representative of his country and had won the heart of every Briton who knew him. Mr. Evans will leave London with his family the latter part of April and will make a two months' tour on the continent before returning to America.

Kaiser's Yacht Passes Dover.

DOVER, England, March 24.—The Hamburg-American Line steamer, *Hanstrang*, from Cuxhaven yesterday, with Emperor William on board, for the Mediterranean, called today for dispatches and proceeded. Rumors were exchanged between the ports and the seagoing German armored cruiser *Prince Frederick Karl*.

Admiral Folger Will Retire.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Admiral William Folger has been relieved of the command of the Asiatic fleet at his own request because of ill-health. Rear-Admiral Train, who will succeed him, will be succeeded as junior flag officer of the station by Rear-Admiral G. C. Reiler.

GETS AT FACTS.

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Instrumental in collecting much evidence against the packers in the West and aided in the serving of subpoenas in Omaha. The grand jury will not sit tomorrow. When it adjourned this afternoon its work was continued until Monday.

HE GOT IMPORTANT EVIDENCE

Burnett Satisfied With New York Grand Jury's Work.
NEW YORK, March 24.—Important evidence is said to have been adduced in the so-called beef trust investigation now in progress here, in conjunction with that before the Federal Grand Jury in Chicago. Six witnesses were examined at one sitting, five of whom were, it is understood, former employees of the packing companies.

"It would be unlawful and highly improper for me to disclose any of the details of the investigation," said Joe M. Marx, who is associated with District Attorney Burnett in the investigation in Chicago, "but I am free to say the results of Thursday's work were exceedingly satisfactory."
Although the grand jury has been excused until next week, the inquiry has not been discontinued. How many other witnesses will be summoned could not be learned, but it is probable the hearing will be continued for at least another week, and perhaps longer. District Attorney Burnett is in frequent communication with the authorities in Chicago, and is acting in the investigation, the investigation being conducted there. Within a short time it is said he will forward a statement of the evidence obtained here to the Chicago authorities for comparison with that obtained there.

Rope Trust at End of Its Rope.

TRENTON, N. J., March 24.—The Manhattan Trust Company today filed a bill in the Court of Chancery to foreclose a mortgage of \$1,000,000 on the property of the Standard Rope & Twine Company, which is now in the hands of receivers. The receivers are a joint party defendants. It is set out in the bill that on the same day the mortgage was given to the Manhattan Trust Company another mortgage for \$7,500,000 was given to the Central Trust Company. The Manhattan Trust Company claims that its mortgage takes priority of lien over the mortgage given to the Central Trust Company. These mortgages were given to guarantee the outstanding of the company.

The Lazy Company.

Philadelphia Ledger.
During the Civil War a captain of a company which had 60 men in its ranks, none of whom was as energetic as the officer thought they should be, hit upon a plan which he believed would cure their habits of laziness. One morning, after roll call the Captain, addressing his command, said:

"I have a nice, easy job for the laziest man in the company. Will the laziest man step to the front?"
Instantly 28 men took a step forward.
"Why didn't you step to the front?" inquired the commander of the one man who did not come.
"I was too lazy," replied the soldier.

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The Society Event of the Season—Portland's First and Only Grand Formal Opening of Correct and Authoritative Styles for the Spring Season of 1905.
NEXT WEEK—TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY!
A Representative Exposition of All That's Newest and Best in the World's Latest Novelties for Wear of Dressed Men and Women, Boys, Misses, Children and Tots, and for Household Use. Particulars in the Next Store Announcement—Watch for It!

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Portland's One and Only "Daylight Store" That Closes at 6 P. M. Every Business Day—SATURDAY INCLUDED.
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A DELICIOUS, WHOLESOME SUGAR OF RARE VALUES IN NEW SPRING GOODS
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Grand Salons—Second Floor.
New arrivals, just stepped, like a dandy from his handbox, from their cartons to the display racks. Women's Rain-or-Shine Coats, to which their expert man tailors have imparted the traits of distinctiveness, individuality and exclusiveness. Smart, trim and trig, these stylish garments have come in the nick o' time to protect dainty Spring gowns from the ever-changing smile-to-tears mood of Oregon skies in delightful Springtime. Appropriate for street wear, calling or shopping, for the trolley jaunt, for traveling—even the theater—the Raincoat of 1905 is a fetching and indispensable garment to any woman's wardrobe. Here is the most comprehensive showing—and the largest ever shown by any Western house. Every new and favored rainproof material, embracing imported Panamas, Cravenettes—Priestly's and others. Every desired color, including attractive mixtures, tans, light and dark grays, blues, browns and severe, dressy blacks. Single and double breasted, blouse effects with griddles, and every favored-by-fashion style. Trimmed with braids, silks, buttons and of rich materials. Grand choosing in wide range—\$12.50 to \$45.
New and Charming Shirtwaist Suits
In by late express from leading New York modistes. Dressy and plain styles in jaunty, pretty silk and worsted models. The silks are indescribably in their dainty beauty. Fancy patterns predominate, neat and dressy hairline stripes and pin checks vie for favor with the favorite shepherd plaids and checks and bewitching overshot silk-embroidered effects. Chiffon and fancy taffetas in every new and wanted shade. Some beautifully trimmed in laces, others in demi-tulle effects. Among them the voguish suspender suits, with linen bodice or lace bodice, with elbow sleeves of silk trimmed with laces. Handsome satin finished silks attract the eye. Worsteds embrace plain and fancy Panamas, Siellians, Alpaca's, Cassimeres and Henriettes. Choose as low as \$10, or as lavish as \$75. There's scores of in-between values—all fairly priced.

Result of I. C. School Vote at 6 P. M. YESTERDAY
Arthur Taylor, M. & A. Shogren... \$4,235
Reginald Carter, Bell Boy, the Norton \$3,000
Max Hughes, Knight Shoe Co... 49,202
Guy, De Ader, Portland Delivery Co... 24,517
Charles Adler, Woodard, Clarke & Co. 21,905
Arthur Lindborg, Lindborg Grocery Co. 6,238
Scattering... 288,968
Total... 345,138

A Sort of Grand Opening of Children's Hats
In the Bijou Millinery Salons
Today—Annex—Second Floor.
Pursuant to a policy adopted by Mr. Hamburger, our millinery chief, we have prepared a grand showing of children's hats for Spring and Summer wearing today. Hosts of new and pretty creations for wear of Portland lassies have arrived in the salons this week, and will pop from their boxes today, among them a pretty line of fine Milan shapes for wear of children from 2 to 6 years of age. The lilliput "Napoleon" Shapes are very fetching on tots of the above ages.
Sailors for the older ones, an exhaustive showing ready in all the popular straws, including Milans, Tuscanes, Japs and Canton braids. Choose, any price from \$4.50 down to 25¢, and be sure of the best value at any given price.
New Automobile Caps for Ladies.
SPECIAL TODAY — A WONDERFUL BARGAIN.
Children's \$2.25 Hats at 25c
To close—Children's Serge and Velvet Tricorn Shape Hats, also a fine lot of wool tams and pretty caps, all Spring styles, suited for immediate wear. Values in the lot up to \$2.25. Special, today—to close—25¢.

Men's Bargains
In the Twiggery Shop—First Floor—West Annex.
MEN'S 75c SHIRTS 47c.
Men's Golf Shirts in plain blue, tan and gray madras; also some in figured blue and gray effects. You cannot buy a better shirt anywhere for 75c; special today, each 47c.
MEN'S 20c HANKERCHIEFS TWO FOR 25c.
Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with hemmed borders; splendid values at 25c; special for today at TWO FOR 25c.
MEN'S \$1.25 SHIRTS FOR 95c.
A fine new line of Men's Pique Colored Marcellized Satin Shirts, with soft collars; entirely new and the best we can buy to sell at \$1.25. To make it interesting we will sell them today at the special price of, each 95c.
MEN'S 25c 80X 17c.
Men's Fancy Hose, in oyster gray, with fancy stripes—Our best 25c value; special price, the pair... 17c.

Women's New \$20 Covert Jackets \$13.85
For today only. New, smartly tailored, all-wool Covert Jackets, strikingly stylish, corset fitting, full lined with guaranteed satin, 24-inch length, 15 yd lined and with stitched strap trimming. New leg-o'-mutton sleeves also strapped. Hard buttons. A jaunty jacket for dressy women, absolutely correct in style. Best \$20 value in the city, today only, special at... \$13.85
Pick a Pair o' Lace Curtains
From the Fourth-Flower Stocks, Today; Here Values in the Sale.
Opening of magnificent new goods. Special Sale Lace Curtains. Special purchase of large quantity Brussels effect Curtains.
Regular \$2.00 value—special, pair... \$1.25
Regular \$2.50 value—special, pair... \$1.50
Regular \$3.00 value—special, pair... \$1.75
Regular \$3.50 value—special, pair... \$2.00
Regular \$4.00 value—special, pair... \$2.25
Regular \$4.50 value—special, pair... \$2.50

SHOES Great Closing-Out Sale of Women's Fine Shoes
The "Pair-Way" Shoe Shop—West Annex—First Floor.
Women's \$5.00 Shoes \$1.94
We have decided to close out our entire stock of Women's Colonial Ties, Buckles and Low Blows. Stout soles for street and turnout shoes for house wear. In patent, dull and matt kid. Tasse Shoes were made by Laird, Schobor & Co. Philadelphia, and every pair guaranteed—Regular value \$1.00; special, pair \$1.94.