ACQUIRE MILLION BY NEW SWINDLE

Fake Underwriting Companies Cause Seven Arrests in Chicago.

COMPANIES THEIR VICTIMS

Undertake to Sell Stocks in Behalf of Concerns With High-Sounding Names and Divide Fees With Brokers.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Postal authorities and other Government officials today unearthed alleged frauds by several underwriting and incorporating companies, said to be the greatest ever perpetrated in Chicago. Early in the evening seven men involved in alleged fraudulent underwriting schemes were arrested on indictments returned by the Federal grand jury, in which they were asserted to have used the United States mail to promote fraudulent underwriting, and late tonight two alleged comrades of the men arrested earlier in the day were arrested in connection with fraudulent schemes.

According to the Federal authorities, the men accused of operating the swindles had many victims and obtained nearly a million dollars by the scheme. The names of the men arrested and the companies with which the Federal authorities say they are connected follow:

W. J. Root, W. H. Welch, vice-president, and W. D. Hurlbut, secretary of the Central States Underwriting & Guarantee Company; Charles Endicott Brown, president of the Prudential Securities Corporation, brokers; Frank S. Winslow, president of the American Corporation & Security Company; Ezra C. Karnum, president of the National Stock & Guarantee Company and the Bankers' Credit & Mercantile Company; David O. Owings, National Stock & Guaranty Company; George J. Monroe, arrested in his home at Joliet; Frederick C. Struckmeyer.

Hurlbut, Root and Welch were taken to the United States District Court and gave bonds of $5000 each for their appearance for trial. According to the postal authorities, the other men who were arrested were locked up in jail because they were unable to secure bonds.

Swindlers' Plan of Operation.

The alleged fraudulent operation of the men, as explained by the postal authorities, is that the underwriting companies were in league with certain brokers with whom they divided the fee taken for the supposed underwriting, which was never done by the alleged underwriters.

The plan by which the swindles were carried on, it is alleged by the Federal authorities, involved representations in the United States mails that the underwriting and guaranty companies had given trust companies certain assets and collateral security to indemnify bonds given the investors until the time the bonds matured. The corporations were given bonds at maturing periods all the way from 20 to 40 years.

Gathering in Suckers.

In using the mails to circulate their methods of doing business the alleged fraudulent companies informed corporate enterprises desiring money that they could secure funds by calling at the Chicago offices. On arrival in Chicago the corporation officials would be introduced to alleged capitalists who represented that they had available capital to finance business propositions and would buy the underwritten stock, provided the corporation officers would have them underwritten by responsible guaranty companies. It is asserted that these alleged capitalists would then advise that the work be done by the Central States Underwriting & Guaranty Company, the American Corporation & Securities Company or the National Stock & Guaranty Company, of San Francisco.

The brokers in the alleged fraudulent transaction represented to the proposed victim that they would get no compensation for their work unless they actually sold the stocks and they would be content with a commission of from ½ to 1 per cent on such stocks as they sold. The victim was assured there could be no doubt that the stocks underwritten would realize, as the capitalists to whom the victim had been introduced would be certain to buy them. The brokers would then take the men seeking the underwriting to the offices of the Guaranty Company and arrange for guaranteeing the bonds on payment of a fee of 1 per cent of the amount of underwriting.

Dividing the Plunder.

The Federal authorities assert that in each case the underwriting company was given a fee and that in many cases the officers representing the company seeking the underwriting had scarcely left the underwriting door by the front office before the broker who introduced the capitalist would enter through another entrance and get half the underwriting fee, and the underwriting venture would then be closed by the underwriters and the brokers, no attempt being made to sell the stock.

The Government officials say the men arrested never entered into a proposition in which less than $100,000 was involved and that they in many cases obtained as much as $5,000,000 worth of stocks to underwrite.

SLANDER BLIGHTS HER

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her with as deep a sincerity and earnestness as though the individual members had been accused. Many of New York's most prominent women publicly declared their belief in her innocence.

Wrecked by Jealous Woman.

But the mischief had been done. Though she was completely and publicly vindicated—Mrs. Teall's own lawyer apologizing in court for having permitted her name to be dragged into the case—Miss Cayvan's life was wrecked, her nervous system shattered, her hope and courage broken. In the days of her highest success she had attached more importance to her good name than to any other possession. She had held herself aloof from associations that in any possible manner could link her name with scandalous charges. That she should be singled out as the object of venomous jealousy after years of irreproachable life in the heart of the gay metropolis was one of those singular blows of fate for which there seems no justification. At the end of the trial she said:

Could Never Forget It.

"I want it all forgotten as soon as possible, forgotten by the public. I myself can never forget it."

Eager to rise above her troubles she accepted a New England manager's offer to back her, formed a company of her own and started a starring tour of the states. Half way across the continent, her backer, suffering from heavy losses, deserted her and left her to get home as best she could. She returned to New York, paid the company's debts out of what she had saved and was ordered by her physician to go abroad for her health. On her return from this trip she played ten nights in her last play, which bore the significant title "A Woman's Silence," and then left the stage forever.

Mind Becomes a Wreck.

For awhile after that she lived quietly at her home, 351 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, with her sister, but her friends soon noticed that something more than mere physical breakdown was the trouble. Brooding over the misfortune which she had not merited, her reason gave way, and in 1900 she was taken to Flushing, where for the past seven years she has been hopelessly insane and so near actual want that a few years ago a benefit performance was arranged in her behalf.

Georgia Cayvan was born in Bath, Maine, in 1858. From the time she was 14 years old she supported her sister and mother, her father having died when she was a child. At the time the Teall scandal overwhelmed her she had saved enough money to be protected from the needs of old age.

Georgia Cayvan was for years a prominent figure on the American stage. Her acting was of the highest order of artistic merit and her splendid qualities of mind and heart made her universally respected and beloved by the public.

She appeared in Portland several times, her last visit having been about 11 years ago, when she appeared with the famous Empire Stock Company in a repertoire which included "Americans Abroad," "Charity Ball" and other big successes of the time. Her work was characterized by gentle womanliness and those who saw her in her prime will feel genuine regret that such a splendid artist and sterling woman has passed at such a comparatively early age.

In speaking of her yesterday, William T. Pangle, of the Heilig, summed up her character by saying: "She was the kind of woman who would teach a Sunday school class in the morning and act at night, doing both so sincerely and graciously that everybody who came in contact with her recognized at once a good, pure woman and a brilliant one."

When she was compelled to retire, the stage lost one of its brightest lights and in her death the world loses a woman who in the highest sense was a credit to her sex.

SEALING VESSEL IS SEIZED

SCHOONER GEORGE IS CAPTURED BY URAGUAYAN BOAT.

Captain Matt Ryan Was Formerly in Command of Agnes S. Donahue, a Previous Seizure.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 20.—Advices were received today in private dispatches from Montevideo, Uruguay, of the seizure of the sealing schooner George of Halifax by Uraguayan gunboat. The George was towed to Montevideo. Captain Matt Ryan, who was imprisoned at Montevideo two years ago, when his schooner Agnes S. Donahue was seized, is in command of the George, and his crew of 20 men were shipped at Halifax.

A portion of the crew of the Agnes S. Donahue were rescued by an American war vessel, and Ryan, his mates and two others remained in prison for many months, being finally released after the intervention of the British government at the instance of the Canadian government.

Shafter Left No Will.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 20.—Captain W. H. McKittrick, son-in-law of the late Major-General William R. Shafter, filed a petition in the Superior Court of the county for letters testamentary in the estate of the deceased general. The petition states that no will of General Shafter has been found and property valued at $15,000 is enumerated as follows:

Real estate property in Kern County, valued at $10,000; personal property consisting of bank stock, livestock and articles necessary for the cultivation of a farm, valued at $5,000.

MANIAC PRINCE IN RAGE

GEORGE OF SERVIA ENRAGED AT INSANITY STORY.

Terrorizes Premier, Forces Publication of Official Denial and Abuses Young Bother.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—The Vienna correspondent of the Telegraph forwards what purports to be an account of the official denials of the present condition of George, Crown Prince of Servia. When Prince George heard the newspaper reports of his insanity, he rushed with his riding-whip to the Foreign Office and into the room of Premier Pasics, shouting:

"You dog, you intend to confine me, your future master? I'll kill you! I'll trample on you, canaille!"

The Premier had much trouble calming the Prince, who then proceeded to the press bureau, where Director Ivanitch, under the orders of the Prince, composed official denials in his presence. When this was done, George departed, flourishing his whip and crying:

"These Swabian and Hungarian dogs shall eat their words!"

Similar scenes were enacted at the palace, where, the correspondent says, the Prince ill-treated his brother, Prince Alexander, who is a quiet youth.

Will Investigate Welchers.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Secretary Metcalf, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has directed the Commissioner of Corporations to make an investigation of the action of fire insurance companies in the settlement of claims for losses resulting from the earthquake and fire in San Francisco and other places in California.

George E. Butler, of Ross, Cal., has been appointed special agent to conduct this investigation in California. Mr. Butler, it was stated, has had an experience of 35 years in the fire insurance business on the Pacific Coast.

Innocent Man Is Set Free.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 20.—Richard Dowdell, who was sent to San Quentin for 50 years from San Francisco for highway robbery for holding up ex-Coroner Leland, was pardoned this afternoon by the Governor. Dabner and Siemsen, the "gas-pipe" thugs of San Francisco, confess that they, and not Dowdell, robbed Dr. Leland.

WILL NOT REVOKE

President Sends Emphatic Message on Negroes.

IN ANSWER TO PROTEST

Unless Charges Proven False, Discharge of Negro Troops Stands. Riot Blow to Military Discipline, Says Roosevelt.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—A cable from President Roosevelt, declining to suspend his order discharging colored troops of the Twenty-fifth Regiment unless the facts as known to him are shown to be false, but expressing his willingness to hear new facts bearing on the case, was made public today by Gilchrist Stewart, of the Constitutional League. Mr. Stewart cabled to President Roosevelt at Ancon, Panama, as follows:

"Republican county committee unanimously denounced discharge of colored soldiers. Parsons, Olcott, Bennett, committee petitioning department. Newspapers emphatic. Development and new facts warrant ask immediate suspension order."

Must Show New Facts First.

The President's reply contained the following:

"Unless facts as known to me are shown to be false, the order will under no circumstances be revoked and I shall not for one moment consider suspending it on a simple allegation that there are new facts until these new facts are laid before me. Inform any persons having new facts to have them in shape to lay before me at once on my return, and I will then consider whether or not any further action by me is called for."

Blow at Army Discipline.

Collier's Weekly has received a dispatch from its correspondent, who is traveling with the President, in reply to one sent asking if Mr. Roosevelt would suspend action in regard to the negro soldiers until he got home. The reply says the President's views are "clear and unchanged"; that the disbandment is due to him, and that the president's view is that the negro soldiers, in refusing information necessary to the apprehension of the men who committed criminal acts at Brownsville, Tex., struck at the very heart of military justice and discipline. Had white troops done the same thing, the reply says, they would have suffered the same penalty. In conclusion the reply states:

"Be the offenders black or white, the President proposes to combat race antagonism by his action in the Brownsville matter, which was taken in the face of much adverse influence and advice before he left. There can be no amelioration of the penalty until the men concerned show their sense of duty as citizens and soldiers by giving up the offenders to justice."

SUPERVISOR IS INDICTED

FRED NICHOLAS ACCUSED OF AGREEING TO TAKE BRIBE.

Peter Duffy, a Hanger-on About the Courts, Indicted for Perjury in His Testimony.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—The grand jury returned two indictments this afternoon, one accusing Peter Duffy of perjury, and the other charging Supervisor Fred Nicholas with agreeing to take a bribe. Duffy is a hanger-on about the courts, and was formerly elevator man in the Hall of Justice.

The charge against Nicholas grows out of the purchase of furniture for the city. In the indictment Supervisor Mamlock is reported as having been the intermediary between the furniture firm and Nicholas. No action has been taken as yet against Mamlock. Duffy was indicted in connection with testimony he gave before the jury in the investigation of Supervisor Nicholas.

When the grand jury reconvened this this morning to resume its inquiry into charges of municipal graft and extorting, Jean Loupe, a French restaurant-keeper, who had appeared before the jury last Wednesday as a witness, again appeared with the request that he wished to "correct and reconsider" the testimony he had given. Loupe was admitted to the grand jury rooms, and as he remained behind the closed doors for some time, it is believed that he was allowed to take the stand again.

Loupe's action this morning is believed to have been prompted by the rumor that he was to be indicted for perjury as the result of false testimony he is said to have given before the inquisitorial body. It is stated that Loupe endeavored by false or erroneous statements to shield Abraham Reuf, who was indicted for extorting thousands of dollars from the French restaurants. Whether Loupe will be permitted by the grand jurors to reconsider his testimony and thus escape the indictment that is said to be hanging over him is a matter of conjecture.

Juror H. H. Young was again temporarily excused this morning during the investigation into the restaurant matter.

EBERLY CAUGHT AT LAST

Indicted St. Louis Teller Found in Town Near Denver.

DENVER, Nov. 20.—Charles H. Eberly, indicted by a grand jury today in St. Louis on a charge of embezzlement and for whom the officers of this city have been making a diligent search since early last Summer, was arrested late this afternoon at Morrison, several miles southwest of Denver.

Eberly came to Denver last July, and shortly afterward the authorities here were advised that he had suddenly disappeared from St. Louis while the affairs of the St. Louis Union Trust Company, where he had been employed as a teller, were being investigated. Eberly was brought to Denver tonight.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 20.—An indictment charging embezzlement was returned today by the grand jury against Charles H. Eberly, ex-teller of the St. Louis Union Trust Company. Eberly has been missing for several months. He was last heard from in Denver. Detectives have been sent West to search for him. The indictment contains but one count and names the amount as $5000.

No Coal Left in Hoquiam.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—This city is facing coal famine, there being none left in town. Since the flood an effort has been made to get fuel, but cars cannot be obtained and coal users are forced to burn wood.

AT THE HOTELS.

Hotel Portland—A. S. Haight, P. L. McDermott, New York; S. K. Prescott, Wisconsin; F. B. Church, W. Preston, A. G. Davis, New York; W. G. Graves, Spokane; G. J. Senk, San Francisco; J. M. Hanford, J. G. Woodwright, H. A. Treat, St. Paul; J. H. Rohr, O. M. Nichols and wife, New York; F. H. Finley and wife, J. Frohmin and wife, Spokane; E. F. Biddell and wife, New York; R. B. Ward and wife, San Francisco; J. P. Badenhausen and wife, Seattle; J. F. Stapleton, St. Louis; D. F. McCune and wife, Seattle; J. F. Branigan and wife, Seattle; R. H. Parnell, Bloomington, Ill.; P. D. Tull, Spokane; L. O. Ludlow, New York; J. I. Rosenfeld, Chicago; B. P. Rosenstein, Minneapolis; L. E. Alexander, San Francisco; H. U. Hosick, Chicago; T. J. McHugh, New York; W. W. Wishon and wife, Los Angeles; L. A. Lefevere, San Francisco; J. A. Bennett, St. Louis; C. H. Westler, L. L. Harrington, Chicago; W. Seabury, Ilwaco; L. H. Orr, Jr., P. Greenbery, San Francisco; W. G. Davis, Seattle, R. H. Peal, San Francisco; E. Allsopp, New York; W. J. Judson, Philadelphia; L. C. Dillman, Dr. A. Varivle, J. Hess, Seattle; Mrs. W. B. Mads, Aberdeen; Mrs. L. G. O'Toole, Tacoma; T. A. Lawson, Chicago; A. C. Babson, Seattle; W. A. Davis and wife, Marshalltown, Ia.; G. Krauss and wife, New York; L. A. Burke, Seattle; C. N. Thebe, A. Irving, San Francisco; Dr. Roughsidge, C. H. Woodhouse, Prince Albert, Alaska; W. S. Cram, Raymond, Wash.; E. B. Haryen and wife, Astoria, Or.; E. B. Colby, New York; H. L. Tatum and wife, San Francisco; E. L. Hall, Boston; J. L. Eisendrath, B. Harris, Chicago; J. B. Keating and wife, Redding, Cal.; C. C. Barker, Baker City.

The Oregon—Feliz Black and wife, city; H. L. Benson, St. Paul; Ann Singleton, New York; John R. Cole, San Francisco; J. G. Stine, Walla Walla; L. G. Newberger, Cincinnati; P. J. McMahon, Medford; G. V. Kane and wife, San Francisco; H. D. Ruby, Kansas City; W. C. Wheeler, Jr., Tacoma; B. F. Hance, St. Louis; J. A. Brice, San Francisco; J. O'Brien, Melbourne; J. H. Marshall and wife, Vancouver; Lulu Tyler Gates, Graham Smith, William E. Snyder, Chicago; F. D. Wetherby and wife, Boston; John De Land, Seattle; George F. Rogers, Salem; A. A. Kerr, Portland; J. C. Morin, Los Angeles; E. D. Ressler, Monmouth; D. Nayher, Jr., McMinnville; Mrs. Desucca and daughter, Portland; T. W. Gillette, Bellingham; E. P. Birmingham, Chicago; W. J. Heney, Newberg; W. B. Ives, L. J. Gay, Seattle; A. Hath, Tacoma; G. D. Fairgrieve, Detroit; F. C. Ripper, E. W. Pollock, Seattle; M. W. Wenthoff, Cleveland; Mrs. Elmer Williams, Seattle; E. H. Fosdick, St. Louis; F. Langerman and wife, Seattle; J. T. Thocker, Millard Lemon, Olympia; T. H. Jackson, Seattle; W. H. Thompson, Olympia; M. H. Dryden, Harry Henton, E. Rucker, Seattle; C. A. Devers, Chicago; J. E. Miller, San Francisco; H. E. Klein, New York; Mrs. F. Paddock, Portland; A. E. Datin, R. S. Cooper and wife, Seattle; R. S. Kellogg, Washington; S. Raphael and wife, Maurice Winter, Portland.

The Perkins—T. F. Mahoney, Mrs. Alice Finch, Seattle; R. M. Towle, Geo. A. Stephenson, Astoria; Thomas Brogan and family, Antelope; H. Nelsen, Newburg; R. C. Garong, F. M. Garong, Oregon City; J. H. White, A. E. Gencard, Gaston; T. B. Gildner, Dallas; Mrs. B. Murray, Seattle; Cal White, Tacoma; J. S. Flint, J. T. Burns, A. M. Frank, Eugene; M. H. McCune, St. Paul; F. J. Fitzgerald, C. H. Fitzgerald, H. T. Lee and wife, San Francisco; F. H. Mitchell, Seattle; G. McNeill and wife, Centralia; J. S. McKee, W. E. Rockwell, Van S. Ashman, Hoffman; T. P. Lannigan, Seattle; Mrs. B. D. Garlock, Spokane; F. L. Davis, Roseburg; C. L. Parker, San Francisco; W. C. Gilmore, Oakland; W. G. Fisher and wife, Scottburg; Al Mishler and wife, Woodburn; Mrs. H. P. Pratt, Sacramento; M. W. Gardner, McMinnville; P. Connach and wife, Yacolt, Wash.; A. L. Richards and wife, Goldendale; A. C. Klaus and family, Iver Johnson, Clatskanie; Lewis Kent, J. A. Summers, Elgin, Or.; Chas. McAlvey, A. E. Fuller and family, Hilex, Or.; Wm. L. Rice, Lansing, Mich.; Gertrude B. Howard, Salem; Samuel E. Lux, Topeka, Kan.; G. B. Hagler, Pacific Grove; J. P. Konnor, Centralia; C. B. Chandler, Lebanon; Mrs. Julia Moore, Baker City; A. W. Cully, Lewiston, Idaho.

Imperial—J. O. Rasmus, Carl Rhea, Heppner; Mrs. A. R. Shreve, Cathlamett; E. W. Haines, Forest Grove; Mrs. J. M. Stevenson, Cascades; W. R. Thomson, Nelson, B. C.; Anna Hellstrom, Stockholm; Mamie Swanberg, Minneapolis; L. J. Davis, Union; Ray Knight and wife, Stockton; J. McDonald, Jackson; Chas. A. Park, Salem; Wm. Glynn, San Francisco; Mrs. D. W. Myers, Grass Valley; E. H. Van Gelder, New York; Agnes O'Keefe, Albany; John A. Daly, Andy Rood, Jr., city; S. T. Jeffreys, Nome; Levi Mellon, Mt. Home; G. A. Dew, Caldwell; F. E. Rogers, McMinnville; R. H. Warfield and wife, city; Grant Mays, Edwin Mays, The Dalles; G. McMillen and wife, Bend; Mrs. M. H. Craft, Mt. Hood; E. J. Maloy, Seattle; O. E. Greenwood, Grant; C. M. Allen and wife, Kalama; Thos. H. Tongue, Jr., G. R. Patterson, Hillsboro; J. Brown and wife, Baker City; H. H. Greer, Paul A. Talbot and wife, Seattle; Julia A. Douty, M. J. Lee, Winlock; Mrs. Lester Lewis, F. W. Gardam, Seattle; John L. Hanson, Valdez; Jas. McDonough, Seattle; Mrs. T. W. Hilliard, San Francisco; A. M. Crawford, P. H. D'Arcy, Salem; E. S. Ally, Kansas City, Mo.; C. W. Root and wife, Seaside, Or.

St. Charles—W. D. Lenard, Columbus; T. [illegible] Mallory, J. H. Wanker, Wildwood; W. B. Scott and wife, Eugene; J. C. Marquam, Jewell Marquam, Marquam; Mrs. O. Anderson; R. McCarty, Woodland, A. M. Stewart and wife; G. W. Popp, Seaside; W. W. W. Jove, J. C. Kearney; M. Anlegton; G. C. Carter; W. E. Melivan; M. Maisel; A. T. Stewart, Hood River; J. B. Rise, Dayton; F. Meeker, Kelso; W. B. Emery; E. White; C. Taylor, J. D. Mitchell, Salem; Jas. Nagle and wife, Pendleton; Sidney Humekin, New York; Chas. Flint, Collins, Wash.; James Keefe, Tacoma; C. H. Buckholder, Cottage Grove; John Johnson, Yacolt, Wash.; May Grit, Grass Valley; O. E. Johnson, Astoria; J. D. Miller, Woodland, W. P. Evans and wife, Richland, Or.; Mrs. W. E. S. Levins, Richland, Or.; R. H. Robinson, W. J. Stacey, Rainier; W. V. Bernaer, M. Amgart, Waiville, Wash.; Mrs. Ada Russell, J. A. Vaughn, Jefferson; J. J. Whitney, G. A. Whitney, Albany; H. C. Everding, W. E. Alvin, U. S. A.; G. L. Gunderson, Carlton; E. S. Godmanson, Corvallis, Amos Gregg, Dufur; R. C. Wilson, Stevenson; Geo. A. Johnson, Deer Island; G. Wise, Rickreall, M. Everest, Oregon City; Frank Stone, The Dalles; W. W. V. Gorn, Lebanon, Wash.; C. Lawson, Rainier, Grace Mann, Lewiston; Frank Goyer and son, Fairbanks; Mrs. P. C. Schneider, F. T. Schneider, Pamelia; J. C. Gaines, M. M. Splamor, Lyle; Frank Fenton, Goldendale, Kenth Landeback, Lents; Miss Doris O'Shinn, Independence; E. E. Gelason, Castle Rock; W. W. Mohe, Geo. Keackmann, The Dalles, Fred Keackmann, Mt. Pleasant; E. A. Johnson, Drain; Capt. Wilbur Foster, Hood River; H. W. Strong, Corvallis; J. L. Daniels, Clatskanie; Bert Eaton, Wasco; Mrs. Lamott; Lewis Collard, Camas; Richard Talbot, Wallace.

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