VAN WYCK'S GUILT PROVED BY RECORDS.

Amazing Disclosures Showing How the Trust Spread Its Net, Caught an Ex-Governor, a Mayor, Judges of High Courts and Politicians of Both Parties.

Mayor Van Wyck must go!

The publication of the stockholders' list of the American Ice Company has convinced the people of New York, in spite of his declaration, that their Mayor is NOT all right.

An expert analysis of the Ice Trust's transfer record shows that he holds 5,000 shares of preferred and 5,175 shares of the trust's common stock.

His transactions in the stock involve a grand total of 16,250 shares, representing a par value of $1,625,000.

He acquired in all 10,265 shares of preferred and common stock, par value $1,026,500.

He disposed of 5,965 shares, par value $596,500.

His name first appears on the stock record of the trust on April 20, 1899, when he acquired 2,000 shares.

On that day he vetoed two bills passed by the Legislature which would have seriously crippled the trust.

WENT TO LOOK AT ICE PLANT.

A month ago, holding 10,265 shares of the trust stock and accompanied by John F. Carroll, Vice-Regent of Tammany Hall, holder of 10,292 shares, the Mayor went to inspect the trust's plant in Maine.

Within a week following their return the trust raised the price of ice in New York from 25 to 60 cents a hundred pounds.

Add to that the monopoly extended to the trust of wharfing privileges by the Dock Commissioners, also trust stockholders, with the knowledge and connivance of the Mayor and the granting to the trust of extensive contracts to supply the city institutions with ice, and you have the story of Mayor Robert A. Van Wyck's connection with the Ice Trust.

What is to be done with the Mayor?

Everything hinges on the investigation instituted by The World before Justice William J. Gaynor in the Supreme Court under the Anti-Tweed law.

Legal steps to cripple and crush the trust and its Tammany Hall allies have piled up with such celerity that only a legal mind can follow them.

MUST WAIT FOR THE WORLD.

They are all in abeyance until The World's proceeding under the Anti-Tweed law is completed.

That was the one step which hit the nail squarely on the head. All other proceedings hark back to it as a basis of action.

The trust so recognized it, as did the Mayor. It wrung from him the only interview he has given since taking office. His lawyers and the trust's lawyers fought its constitutionality with every objection high legal resource could suggest.

But the hearing will go on. Justice Gaynor has ruled that the Anti-Tweed law is constitutional and that The World's procedure is the correct one. He characterized the statute as a triumph of Publicity, The World's watchword, and showed how it fits the present case.

Gov. Roosevelt, petitioned by The World to remove the Mayor for malfeasance in office, says he will defer action pending the hearing under the Anti-Tweed law.

Comptroller Coler, petitioned to revoke the leases of the Ice Trust for docking privileges obtained from its stockholders, awaits the facts to be developed at the hearing before Judge Gaynor.

The proceedings by the Attorney-General through a referee to obtain evidence to warrant an abrogation of the American Ice Company's charter are in abeyance under judicial injunction.

A criminal proceeding against the Trust officials in a civil magistrate's court fizzled out as irregular.

Everything hinges on the development of the facts in a judicial manner in the Anti-Tweed law instituted by The World.

From the facts developed through what Gov. Roosevelt characterizes as "this dignified and orderly procedure," will follow the removal of the Ice Trust Mayor, the dissolution of the Trust, the punishment of guilty city officials, and cheap ice for New York.

It was intimated this morning by some of the share holders that the books from which the list of stockholders was secured were imperfectly compiled and therefore the statements as to the amount of holdings of the various individuals are not correct.

It was pointed out that there had been two issues of the stock, a temporary one and then the permanent certificates. Both these issues, it was said, appeared on the books submitted to the public without explanation. Therefore some men were credited with having double the amount of their actual holdings.

WHERE DID YOU GET THAT STOCK?

VAN WYCK'S DEAL WITH ICE TRUST.

WHAT THE OFFICIAL RECORDS SHOW:

Date When He Got It.	*No. of Certificate on Stock Book*	*No. of Shares, Preferred.*	*What He Did With Them.*
April 20, 1899	316	1,000	Sold June 2, 1899
April 20, 1899	317	750	Sold June 8, 1899
April 20, 1899	318	750	Sold June 1, 1899
June 1, 1899	53F	750	Still owns them
June 2, 1899	76F	1,000	Still owns them
June 17, 1899	92G	100	Still owns them
June 17, 1899	93G	100	Still owns them
June 17, 1899	174F	1,000	Still owns them
July 8, 1899	346F	750	Still owns them

Total Preferred Stock holdings, 6,200 shares.

Par value of Preferred Stock the Mayor got..... $620,000

Actual cost at the then market price if he had paid for the Preferred Shares he acquired in 78 days..... $434,000

COMMON STOCK HE ACQUIRED.

Acquired.	*No. of Certificate.*	*No. of Shares, Common.*	*What He Did With Them.*
April 20, 1899	309A	1,000	Sold June 2, 1899
April 20, 1899	310A	750	Sold July 8, 1899
April 20, 1899	311A	750	Sold June 1, 1899
June 1, 1899	43D	750	Still owns them
June 2, 1899	63D	1,000	Still owns them
June 14, 1899	211E	100	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	212E	100	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	213E	100	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	214E	100	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	215E	100	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	162D	50	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
June 14, 1899	164D	550	Sold Sept. 9, 1899
July 8, 1899	321D	750	Still owns them.

Total Common Stock acquired in 78 days, 6,100 shares.

Par value of Common Stock the Mayor got..... $610,000

Actual cost at the then market price if he paid for this Common Stock..... $244,000

SUMMARY OF MAYOR VAN WYCK'S ICE TRUST STOCK DEALINGS.

He acquired in 78 days shares of a par value of . .	$1,230,000
Market value of these shares, ...	678,000
Mayor Van Wyck's official salary, 78 days, ...	3,198

MAYOR GOT STOCK ON THE DAY OF VETO.

Mayor Robert A. Van Wyck was opposed to the Ice Trust early in April, 1899. He was on record officially against the combine.

Bills prepared by Senators Grady and Ahearn, Tammany, which would have seriously crippled the Ice Trust, were passed by the Legislature.

The bills came to Mayor Van Wyck for acceptance or rejection in April.

On April 18 and 20 Mayor Van Wyck vetoed the bills he had officially favored. This gave to the Ice Trust control of the New York docks where ice is landed.

ON APRIL 20TH—THE VERY DAY MAYOR VAN WYCK VETOED THE ANTI-ICE TRUST BILL—HE OBTAINED 2,000 SHARES OF ICE TRUST STOCK, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL RECORDS—PAR VALUE $200,000.

AUGUSTUS VAN WYCK, HIS BROTHER, RECEIVED 1,000 SHARES ON THE SAME DAY.

DENIES HE OWNS ICE.

Guggenheimer Again Declares He Hasn't Any Trust Stock.

Randolph Guggenheimer, President of the Municipal Council, whose name appears on the books of the American Ice Company for four hundred shares of stock, gave the following typewritten statement to a reporter of The Evening World this morning:

"Mr. Guggenheimer has not now and has never had any interest whatever in the stock of the American Ice Company except to the extent of one share of preferred stock, which he acquired many years ago and which was sold by him to William Gelshenen, President of the Garfield National Bank, on July 26, 1899, for $90, evidenced by Mr. Gelshenen's check to the order of Mr. Guggenheimer on the Garfield Bank.

"The 200 shares of stock appearing in Mr. Guggenheimer's name on the books were purchased by him in behalf of others on May 26, 1899. He did not remember that they ever stood in his name. They consisted of 100 shares of preferred stock with a bonus of 100 shares of common, for which $10,000 was paid.

"On Oct. 20, 1899, this stock was sold by Mr. Guggenheimer for the account of the person for whom purchased through Messrs. August Belmont & Co., realizing $11,120.50.

"If the gentlemen who are investigating this question of stock transaction will consult the actual stock transfer books of the Ice Company, they will find that all of the stock now appearing in Mr. Guggenheimer's name was long since transferred.

"The statement that the amount of stock held is 600 shares is erroneous. There were two issues of the stock, a temporary one, followed by a permanent one.

"Mr. Guggenheimer first purchased 100 temporary certificates of the preferred stock, which were retired and cancelled by the issue of the permanent certificates, but this is made clear by the books which have been consulted."

Mr. Guggenheimer declined to state for whom he had purchased the stock.

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Striped, Plain and Novelty Silk Parasols, Values $3.75 to $5.00 — $2.95, $3.75

Fine Parasols, handsomely trimmed with lace & chiffon, Formerly $9.50 to $13.75 6.75

Women's Hosiery

Black Lisle Thread Hose, double heels and toes, also Cotton Hose, in black and new shades of tan, double soles, Value 35c 25c

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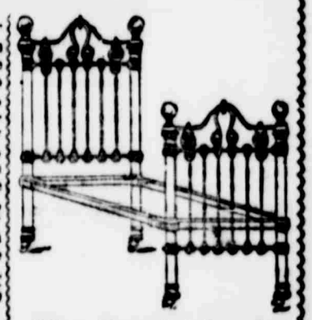
Handsome Solid Oak Sideboard, has serpentine shaped top drawers, handsomely carved top, fine French bevel-plate mirror, actually worth $30.00, sale price, $16.95



White Enamelled Iron Bedstead, heavy posts, camel back brass top rails on head and foot, with fancy brass scrolls and four brass rosettes, solid cast brass vases and brass ball cap mounts, actual value $15; sale price.. $8.99

Elegant, Large Size Couch, like cut, costs this week only $8.75

Spring edge all around, deep tuftings, covered with velour or Belgian velvets, made very soft and luxurious, actually worth $14.00.

Large Heavy Solid Oak Extension Table, finely polished, has 5 heavy roped turned legs, strong and easy working really worth $10.00; here this week..... $6.75

Railroad fare allowed to Out-of-town buyers, and their custom respectfully solicited.

No mail orders filled for advertised specials.

COLER SAYS "WIPE OUT ICE TRUST!"

"There is nothing I would like better than to wipe the Ice Trust and half a dozen other trusts out of existence at once," said Comptroller Coler to an Evening World reporter to-day in response to a question as to his action on the petition.

"It would be imprudent to do anything hastily. There is no sense rushing to do something in the morning that the courts will undo in the afternoon. In this Ice Trust business, for my own reasons, I have not consulted the Corporation Counsel, but have called to my aid ex-Judge Dillon.

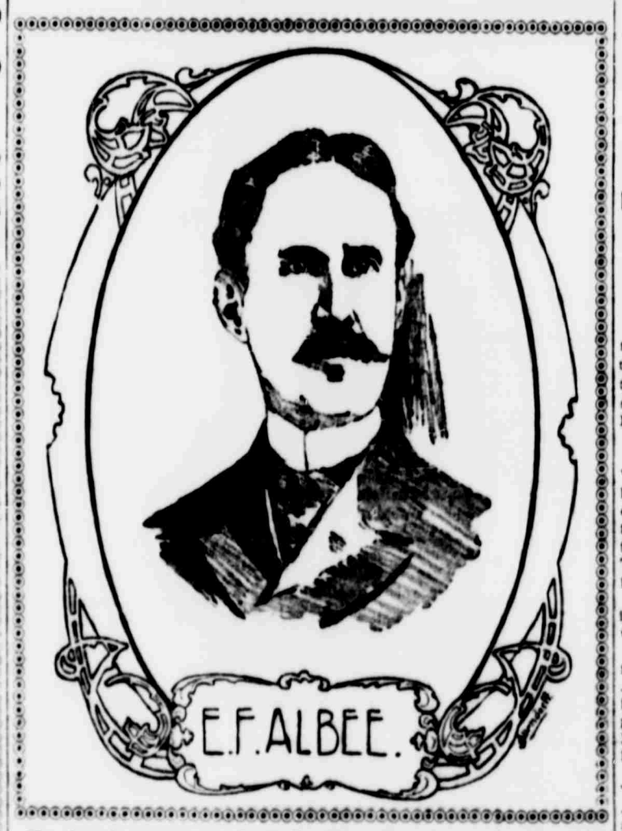
"That being the fact, I must be sure of my ground, for by retaining outside counsel I become personally responsible.

"It has not been fully decided what course my action will take. Until that decision is arrived at it would be scant courtesy to my attorney to talk for publication. The whole matter is in Judge Dillon's hands. I consider him the greatest lawyer in a matter of this kind we have.

"The public may rest assured that this matter will be sifted thoroughly and that what Judge Dillon will advise will be right.

"We must go at this thing slowly to avoid mistakes. We will get to the bottom of the matter in good time. When it is shown to me in legal manner that the law has been violated I will act."

$80,000 GIFT TO THIS LUCKY MAN.



The above is a portrait of Mr. E. F. Albee, general manager of Mr. B. F. Keith's chain of continuous performance houses. Mr. Albee is a very lucky young man, for last week his employer presented him, without any restrictions, with Keith's Theatre, Providence.

This playhouse is one of the handsomest in the country, and is assessed by the Providence assessors at $80,000, which shows it is worth more than that. It has always been a money maker, and its profits are greater than those of any other theatre in New England in proportion to the capital invested. Thus it can be seen that Mr. Keith's gift to his manager is no mean one. But sixteen years of faithful service was not lightly regarded by Mr. Keith, and Mr. Albee's friends say he deserves his good fortune.

Prisoner Died in Hospital.

John McGee, sixty-seven years old, of 445 East Eighty-eighth street, who was taken sick in Harlem Court yesterday afternoon while awaiting trial, died at the Harlem Hospital this morning. McGee was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of his daughter Susan, who said that he had been drinking heavily for some time.

Lost things found and found things find owners through the medium of Sunday World Wants.

We have another *Men's Underwear* attraction that is well worthy of attention—a silk finished balbriggan, at 50 cents a garment—*the manufacturers' present price by the hundred dozen.* Reinforced seams—double seats—either long or short sleeves. Both novia and natural color.

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BETRAYED BY HIS LETTER.

Detectives Pieced It, and Arrested Yates for Burglary.

Through the fragments of a tender note to his mother and a decoy letter through the mails, Stephen Z. Yates, of the Knickerbocker Hotel, in McDougal street, was arrested in the General Post-Office this morning on a charge of burglary.

The home of James L. Gormley, at 446 Washington avenue, Brooklyn, in the heart of the fashionable district, was entered on the night of May 26. The family was at home, but slept undisturbed while the thief or thieves worked. The burglars were deliberate, even stopping for a lunch of cake and wine.

Only about $20 worth of silver, mostly in sterling spoons, for souvenirs perhaps, was taken.

Outside of the window that was forced for entrance was found a torn up letter. After two days' work the police pieced it together and found it was from Stephen Yates to his mother in Worcester, Mass. The letter had been used as a lever for the burglar's "jimmy."

A decoy registered letter was sent to Yates, and this morning he called for it. After his arrest he denied that he knew anything about the burglary. The police admit their only proof is in the pieced-together letter.

ESCAPED JAIL BOY DYING.

John McGee Taken Ill While Awaiting Sentence in the Court.

John McGee, a laborer, of 445 East Eighty-eighth street, who was a prisoner in the Harlem Police Court yesterday, escaped sentence on a petty matter by dying.

He was taken ill in court, and died at the Harlem Hospital early this morning.

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WON HER HEART AND JEWELRY.

Miss Auph Found Haussler Was Married and Had Him Arrested.

Joseph Haussler, a young married man, and the father of two children, made love to Miss Tilly Auph at a party six months ago. They became engaged and the wedding day was fixed.

Miss Auph says that about three weeks ago Haussler persuaded her to give him her gold watch on the pretext of having it repaired. Then he told her that her diamond ring needed cleaning, and that her gold-headed umbrella with her name on it also needed cleaning.

Haussler suddenly ceased his visits and love-making and Miss Auph's suspicions were aroused. She investigated his family affairs and learned of his duplicity. Then she swore out a warrant for his arrest on the charge of larceny.

In the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, this morning Haussler was held in $500 bail for examination. He lives at 114 Hopkins street and Miss Auph at 225 De Kalb avenue, Williamsburg.

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NEGRO CUTS WOMAN'S THROAT

Bertha Domer Mortally Hurt in Quarrel Over Raid.

John Koxine, colored, of 7 Seigel street, Williamsburg, was arraigned in the Police Court there to-day charged with assaulting Bertha Domer, colored, of 97 Gwinnett street. The woman lies at her home in a critical condition.

No. 97 Gwinnett street is a negro resort. Sunday night a minister passed and was accosted by the women.

He was indignant, and had the place raided. Last night the men were talking over the raid, and Koxine blamed the three women of the house for it.

A row followed, and Koxine drew a razor and slashed Mrs. Domer's throat. She ran out and fell in the gutter.

Policeman Edwards stooped to pick her up, and Koxine tried to cut her again. Edwards hit Koxine with his night stick, and the woman's husband then attacked him. He escaped.

The woman will probably die.

CLAIM AGAINST FRESHMEN

Headmaster of Newark Wants Princeton Students to Pay, Pay, Pay.

William M. Atkinson, a Newark lawyer, is trying to collect a claim made by Fred Voss, leader of the First Regiment Band, Newark, against certain Princeton College students.

The claim is for services rendered by the band at the annual parade of the freshmen upon their entry into the Princeton estate nearly a year ago. It amounts to $[illegible].

It is said that when Voss presented his bill shortly after the parade, the amount was raised by subscription, but the money was used to pay prior claims. A new subscription was raised, but met with [illegible].