JERSEY SOLONS' $2 TAX STIRS CAT-CATCHING CONCATENATION

Fifi Expounds the Law to Mimi's Bebe and Petite, Who Wonder Why It Is Men Are Not Taxed.

IS THE CAT CATCHER COMING?

Fifi, the biggest Persian cat, brought her fluffy tail down on the newspaper she had been reading with what would have been an indignant thump if the fluff hadn't robbed it of its emphasis. (Some persons will not believe that cats read the newspapers, but it is a fact that cats are particularly fond of lying on a newspaper, and why do they do it, if not to read them? And when the papers were so full of kidnapping stories, a while ago, Fifi and Petite, the littlest Persian cat, and Mimi's Bebe, the middle sized Persian cat, were thrown into the most horrible state of agitation whenever they heard a noise outside the door.)

So Fifi had been lying with her big golden eyes fixed on the New Jersey items for ten minutes at least, and now she mewed to Petite and Mimi's Bebe in tones of grief and wrath.

"Well! Our mistress was right when she told that anti-suffrage lady downstairs that men can't be trusted to make the laws. See what the New Jersey Leg-islature is doing. It's trying to pass a law that cats must have licenses that cost $2 apiece."

Mimi's Bebe looked up from the bit of tender chicken that she had abstracted from the pantry shelf.

"It's a silly cat that will pay for license," she purred. "I take mine."

"You'd get taken yourself if you lived in New Jersey and this bill was passed, and our mistress didn't pay the $2," Fifi informed her. "The dog catcher would come"—

"Who-o-o'd come?" yowled Petite and Mimi's Bebe in terror stricken accents.

"Well, I s'pose it would be the cat catcher when that law was passed," Fifi corrected herself. "But there's always been dog catchers, because dogs have always been taxed"—

"I should fink they ought to be," observed Petite. "Howwid fings!"

"But they're only taxed $1, I b'lieve, and cats would be taxed $2," went on Fifi, who, being the aunt of the other two, always gave them all the information she could, to form their young minds.

"Well, if cats have got to be taxed, I'm glad it's by a Leg-is-lat-ure that 'preciates how much valuable we are than dogs," said Mimi's Bebe, who had swallowed her chicken and felt quite cheerful about life.

"But, my kittens," mewed Fifi gravely, "we must consider this seriously. Have we not heard our mistress say that the cause of one woman is the cause of all women? The cause of the New Jersey cats is ours, though we live in New York. And not very long ago a bill like this came up at Albany, and it might come up again, and pass next time. It seems to me a bad bill. In the first place poor persons might have to feed their cats less in order to get the money for the license."

"That's so," agreed Mimi's Bebe. "Two dollars would buy pounds an' pounds of fish an' beefsteak, an' quarts an' quarts of cream."

"Then," Fifi went on "in the country regions the cat catchers might be big cruel men who wouldn't mind how much they hurt the cats, and when people wouldn't pay the tax for their pets there might be a great deal of inhumanity used in catching them. I know there are a great many neglected cats in the world that are cold and hungry and would be better off if they were caught and put to sleep; but, oh, my kittens, it ought to be done kindly, and I'm 'fraid it wouldn't be. A great many people seem to think that cats don't have any feelings."

"What I'm afraid of," mewed Petite, "is how bad folks would feel that couldn't 'ford to pay the tax. Des fink how our mistress would feel if she had to buy licenses an' couldn't an' we was tooked away. The newspaper says the Leg-is-la-ture wants to tax cats 'cause they catch birds. Men shoots birds, an' they don't tax men. I've never caught a bird since I opened my eyes, a nine-days' kitten, in this flat."

"Any smart bird can get away from a cat," said Fifi. "See how quick the sparrows on the fire escape are when I jump at them and hurt my nose against the window pane. No, there is no excuse for that bill to tax cats, and I propose that we sharpen our claws and prepare to fight for our comrades in New Jersey, if the need comes."

Petite and Mimi's Bebe were about to agree, when a noise was heard at the door.

"Oh, oh," they mewed, scrooching down. "Maybe it's the cat catcher come after us!" And they crouched lower and lower, trembling. But it was just their mistress, come home to luncheon.

BUSINESS REVERSES

LOUIS MARTIN, INC., restaurant at No. 1845 Broadway, near 60th street, filed schedules showing liabilities of $111,657 and assets of $74,920, consisting of proceeds of sale of assets by the receiver, $9,100; outstanding accounts, $5,420, and cash, $400. The corporation owed $5,462 to employes for wages when it failed. Among the creditors are Acker, Merrall & Co., $4,279; L. Barth & Son, $12,232; Blackford, $3,706; Gotham National Bank, $3,000; Hartman Goldsmith, $2,897; Mumm Champagne Company, $2,002; Henry Rump, $2,676; Theo. Schmalholz, $2,918; August Sitz, $4,511, and S. L. Waller, $3,588. The names of several hundred debtors are mentioned, with the amounts due on January 1. Some probably have since been paid. Among them are Robert Appleton, $8; Jules Aubrey, $12; L. R. Best, $421; Captain Duncan, $20; George L. Prevost, $1,252; Walter G. Murphy, $67; P. C. Mahoney, $195; Milton (chef, Ritz), $425, and Oscar Wormser, $58.

FRANK CRAWFORD INC., of No. 15 Harrison street, made an assignment to William N. Gilchrist. The deed was signed by George L. Lewis, vice-president. The company did a wholesale and commission business in butter and eggs. The business was started in 1897 by Frank Crawford, and was incorporated on April 10, 1912, with a capital stock of $200,000. Frank Crawford, the president, died in December, 1912. He carried, it was said, $80,000 life insurance.

DAVID M. KAHN & CO., INC., dealers in furniture, at No. 120 West 125th street, filed schedules showing liabilities of $53,808; assets, $31,824, consisting of stock, $22,688; office furniture, $3,529; horses and trucks, $850; accounts, $4,066; notes, $1,068, and cash in bank, $123. Among the creditors are the Oriel Cabinet Company, Grand Rapids, Mich., $3,650; Sligh Furniture Company, Grand Rapids, $2,578, secured, and State Bank, $1,700, secured.

POLANSKY BROTHERS—Judge Hand discussed petition filed on February 27, 1913, by Polansky Brothers, of No. 6 East 107th street, formerly grocers, whose liabilities were $10,690.

PRIZEFIT SKIRT COMPANY, INC., of No. 100 East Broadway, filed schedules showing liabilities of $18,564; assets, $8,211, consisting of stock sold by the receiver, $1,491; accounts, $1,785; claims, $3,153; cash in bank, $1,282, and shares of stock of the Middletown Watson Company, of Los Angeles, $300.

GERARD SHOE COMPANY—Judge Hand appointed Arthur P. Gotthold receiver for the Gerard Shoe Company, of No. 127 Duane street, which filed a petition on February 24, with liabilities of $12,960; assets, $1,492.

AMOUNTS UNDER $10,000.

JULIUS L. HOLMES, White Plains, shoe dealer, filed schedules, with liabilities of $5,732; assets, $1,612, consisting of stock, $1,350; fixtures, $250, and cash in bank, $12.

ELIAS ROTHENBAUM, dealer in men's furnishing goods at No. 639 Sixth avenue, filed schedules showing liabilities of $4,345; assets, $900, in stock.

HORACE W. COREY, of No. 150 Nassau street, filed petition, with liabilities of $5,418, contracted in 1880 at Middletown and Port Jervis, N. Y., no assets. Among the creditors are the First National Bank of Middletown, $3,610; Rosie Hollands, $928, and Minnie A. Corey, $420.

LOUIS SCHNEIDER, clerk, of No. 56 West 116th street, formerly a grocer, filed petition, with liabilities of $6,249; no assets. The debts were contracted in 1907 and 1908.

GEORGE B. BARTON, telegraph operator, of No. 223 East 32d street, filed petition, with liabilities of $264, to two creditors; no assets. Of the liabilities $235 is on account of a judgment obtained against him in December, 1908, by a salary loan concern.

JUDGMENTS RECORDED.

The following judgments for amounts of more than $200 were filed yesterday in New York county, the first name being that of the debtor:

FEBRUARY 27.

Manhattan.

Francesco Barracato—Italian Vineyard Company; $36 39.
Martin Black and National Surety Company—People, etc.; $1,600.
Anselm Bruck—M. Hyams; $358 71.
Victoria and Joseph Bohm—R. Batt; $5,572 45.
Malcolm N. Butler—L. Opper; $465 78.
Charles E. Burroughs—New Netherland Bank of New York; $2,157 64.
May Barney—Stern Bros.; $249 37.
Francesco Fu D. Calantuono—L. Di Foli et al. $45 91.
John R. Crespi—Turnbull Manufacturing Company; $82 65.
Nathan S. and Philip T. Dalsheimer—C. Langer et al.; $27 81.
Isidor Dorf and Joseph Levenson—I. Kramer et al.; $256 22.
Joseph W. Ellsworth—Bush Terminal Company; $443 16.
Joseph Fuchs—C. Schavrien; $223 81.
Nathan Goldfarm—C. Ludwig Baumann & Co., Brooklyn; $208 83.
Louis Grissler—Steinhardt Bros. & Co.; $482 85.
John Heitman—L. Markel; $236 50.
John Hamlin—Hannis Distilling Company; $228 13.
Johnson, Adams & Greacen, Inc.—R. R. Thorne; $25,096 58.
Max Levine—J. M. Sternglid et al.; $687 78.
Isaac G. Ladd and George D. Cook—A. R. Perine; $273 49.
Rebecca Meyer—Stern Bros.; $216 40.
Guerino Mango—State Bank; $2,199 82.
Thomas F. Mannix—Standard Fashion Company; $208 86.
Joseph F. Morrissey and Dennis J. Murphy—H. E. Fromont; $442 39.
Arthur A. MacGregor—J. R. Clark et al.; $539 67.
MacGregor, Arthur A.—J. R. Clarke et al.; $539 67.
Market, Albert and Katie—A. Kulenkampff. $439 20.
O'Connell, Timothy, jr., and Wm. J. Hanna—A. Roszhowski, $1,413.
O'Brien, James J., jr.—Hardman Tire and Rubber Co.; $34 49.
Rappolt, Herman A.—Hannis Distilling Co., $208 68.
Stone, Louis—N. Abrahams et al. $344 93.
Slater, Samuel T.—Williamsburgh Savings $9,778 41.
Schoen, Gustav—H. J. B. Willis, $240 16.
Stors, Thomas W.—R. De Koven, $1,635 28.
Simon, Anna—Tenement House Dept., $262.
Sterckx, Alphonse, Mary Sterckx and Whitney Hotel Inc.—W. Johnson; $1,108 46.
Stubbemann, Henry—George Ringler & Co., $2,112 88.
Wills, Henry T.—H. A. Forrest, $221 07.
Waterbury, Jennie B.—Windsor Trust Co., $4,973 17.
Webb, Frank—Lord & Taylor, $245 41.
American Citizens Pub. Co., Inc.—Peck & Durham, $441 26.
Bradley Contracting Co.—N. Coglio, $4,873 99.
City of New York—P. J. Kenny, $2,500.
Fidelity and Safe Deposit Co. of Maryland—N. Mercus et al, $460 96.
Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of Philadelphia—M. C. Elliston, $1,100 42.
Johnson, Adams & Greacen, Inc.—R. R. Thorne, $25,096 58.
Pannell & Co.—Century Bank of New York, $521 25.
Starrett Construction Co. and Morris Levenson—F. D. Cadmus; $373 55.
Thal Realty Co.—Lawyers Mortgage Co., $3,042 25.
T. S. Marvel Shipbuilding Co., Thomas S. Marvel and Henry A. Marvel—F. L. Fromont et al. $527 85.
Wilbern Realty Co.—Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.; $436 58.

The Bronx.

Bolton, Abraham, John Rossinsky and Edward Coitlin—Barnhart Bros. & Spindler, $683 56.
Bracker, John—Manhattan Leasing Co., $878 27.
Beringer, Solomon—A. Beringer, $549 41.
Glickman, Albert—F. D. Griffin, $233 61.
Grebe, Georgiana—International Gas and Electric Fixture Co.; $424 16.
Lippo, Luigi—G. Lordi, $264 41.
McHugh, James—Sonn Brothers Co., $362 89.
Streck, Alphonse, Mary Streck and Whitney Hotel, Inc.—W. Johnson, $1,108 46.
Weber, Henry J.—C. Klassert, $239 55.
Williams, Eliza J.—S. McCormick, $1,826 92.
James Realty Co.—J. Barbour, $2,115 36.

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and date when judgment was filed in New York County.

FEBRUARY 27.

Manhattan.

Van Ullem, Louis—J. S. Lawson; Nov. 7, 1913; $147 60.
Woolverton, William H.—A. P. Dickerson; March 1, 1912; $2,602 98.
Palmer, Russell—Cauldwell-Wingate Co.; Dec. 17, 1913; $5,087 34.
Andreae, Otto—E. Charles; Oct. 11, 1913; $386 52.
Sternbach, Isidore, and Illinois Surety Co.—People, etc.; Feb. 25, 1914; $2500.
Cooperman, Herbert, and Illinois Surety Co.—Same; Feb. 25, 1914; $1,000.

The Bronx.

Fletscher, Martin, and Elsie Fletscher—L. Faith; Feb. 11, 1914; $3,603 23.

INCORPORATED AT ALBANY.

Albany, Feb. 27.—Incorporations to-day filed with the Secretary of State:

Henry C. Smith Building Company, Inc., Manhattan; $5,000; James Fanning, No. 501 Fifth avenue, New York; Henry C. Smith, New York; F. C. Smith, Mamaroneck.

Ben. G. Gross Hat Company, Inc., Manhattan; $10,000; Samuel Phillipson, No. 2030 Morris avenue, The Bronx; Ben. G. Gross, Dallas, Tex.; Ross Walser, New York.

Ife Revolving Door Company, Inc., Manhattan; $250,000; Crawford Elliott, No. 242 Cumberland street, Brooklyn; Walter W. Ife, Walter P. Hatch, Brooklyn.

D. H. Gowing & Co., Inc., Syracuse, creamery and milk; $30,000; Edward G. Dietrich, No. 1503 Grape street, Syracuse; N. Howard Gowing, Burnsville, W. Va.; Cora K. Gowing, Syracuse.

No. 230 Fifth Avenue Corporation, Manhattan; realty; $600,000; Stark B. Ferriss, No. 42 Maple avenue, Madison, N. J.; Percy R. Buttenheim, Haworth, N. J.; William H. Frame, Peekskill.

The Physicians' Research Laboratory, Inc., Manhattan; $12,000; Samuel Perlman, No. 27 Avenue D, New York; Nathan E. Bates, New York; Harry H. Clifford, Brooklyn.

Mis Creek Oil Company, Inc., Portville; $50,000; Duncan C. Dusenbury, William A. Dusenbury and Edgar G. Dusenbury, Portville, N. Y.

Morrison Mitchell, Inc., Ithaca; clothing; $20,000; J. Mitchell Morrison, No. 526 East State street, Ithaca; Francis E. Mitchell and Fordyce A. Cobb, Ithaca.

David Laboratories, Inc., Manhattan; deal in drugs; $100,000; Earl H. Mayne, No. 139 Bay 17th street, Brooklyn; Henry Bruning, Brooklyn; David E. Ushkow, New York.

Transcontinental Specialty Company, Inc., Rochester; deal in animals and farm products; $40,000; William F. Whitney, Cutler Building, Rochester; William H. Mehlarry and Claude V. Hicks, Rochester.

Third Avenue and Fifty-eighth Street Company, Inc., Manhattan; realty; $10,000; Leonard W. Simmons, No. 115 West 114th street, New York; Albert E. Egelhoff and William H. Meagher, New York.

Ritterband, Reed & Co., Inc., Manhattan; printing; $25,000; George Ritterband, No. 2374 University avenue, New York; Aivah E. Reed, Dumont, N. J.; Anson N. Dodge, Brooklyn.

Everybody's Department Store, Inc., Manhattan; $200,000; Eli S. Wolbarst, No. 37 Liberty street, New York; Hannah C. Dennin and Charles Posenick, New York.

Karl Fuchs, Manhattan; general for business; $10,000; Henry A. Leland, No. 610 Summer avenue, Newark, N. J.; Frederick C. Brunn, Mortimer Brenner, Brooklyn.

J. J. Archbold Forwarders, Manhattan; trucking; $100,000; James J. Archbold, No. 300 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn; Charles Harding, William Hansen, New York.

Wesmac Separator Company, Manhattan; $300,000; L. A. Sorensen, No. 507 West 36th street, New York; Elmer Hollis, Oscar Wilhelm, New York.

D'Arcy Manufacturing Company, Buffalo; foundry and machine works; $25,000; Catherine A. Yearke, John C. Yearke, Charles F. Yearke, Buffalo.

Rex Business Exchange, Manhattan; $6,000; Isaac Feingold, No. 391 Sixth avenue, New York; Lindsay G. Ellington, R. Evelyn Rowe, New York.

David Acetylene Gas Generator Company, Manhattan; $10,000; Louis Strimlan, No. 26 Pike street, New York; Dave Strimban, Henry Melzer, New York.

The Clinton Amusement Company, Buffalo; $10,000; Charles Laube, Walter A. Haas, Frank K. Tanner, Buffalo.

The Attica Supply Company, Attica; general department store; $20,000; George C. Broadbooks, Michael A. Trausch, Frank A. Whitman, Attica.

John W. Butler, Inc., Manhattan; butter, cheese and eggs; $20,000; Josephine K. Butler, No. 2107 Broadway, New York; John W. Butler, New York; George Ehlenberger, Brooklyn.

Nicholas H. Trapp & Son, Inc., Manhattan; general building; $5,000; Nicholas H. Trapp, No. 17 Thames street, New York; Joseph N. Trapp and Max Freedman, New York.

Cosmopolitan Automobile School Company, Inc., Manhattan; $5,000; Albert G. Armento, No. 105 East 23d street, New York; Robert J. Morris and Bernard Wertheim, New York.

COTTON EASIER AFTER ADVANCE

March Notices Quickly Taken Up and Market Declines in Late Trading.

There were about 50,000 bales of the local stock tendered on March contracts in the cotton market yesterday, but they were stopped by leading spot interests. It is expected that the cotton will be taken when it is delivered on Monday, and the holders will then control practically all the local stock. The opening was steady at unchanged to an advance of 6 points, and March gained 11 points soon after the call, with the general list 1 to 5 points net higher. There was some selling of late months by buyers of March, and when the demand for the near month slackened the whole list tapered off, closing some 5 or 7 points below the best, with March showing net gains of 5 points, but other months 1 to 2 points lower. The week-end figures were considered about a stand-off, and Southern spot market generally unchanged, the local market, however, advancing 5 points, to 13.05c for middling upland; no sales; delivered on contract, 800 bales. Local contract prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Thursday.
February	—	—	—	—@—	12.15
March	12.20	12.30	12.20	12.24@12.25	12.19
April	—	—	—	12.05@12.08	12.03
May	11.97	11.97	11.89	11.90@11.91	11.92
June	—	—	—	11.87@11.89	11.83
July	11.91	11.92	11.86	11.86@11.88	11.88
August	11.72	11.73	11.72	11.71@11.73	11.73
September	11.54	11.54	11.54	11.52@11.54	11.53
October	11.51	11.51	11.48	11.48@11.49	11.50
December	11.54	11.55	11.52	11.52@11.54	11.54

Weekly movement figures of the New York Cotton Exchange: Port receipts, 140,968 bales, against 130,070 last year; overland to mills and Canada, 29,165, against 25,224 last year; Southern mill takings (estimated), 60,000, against 55,000 last year; loss of stocks at interior towns, 22,943, against 17,315 last year; brought into sight for the week, 197,190, against 199,979 last year. Total crop movement: Port receipts, 8,790,756, against 8,415,496 last year; overland to mills and Canada, 850,303, against 829,510 last year; Southern mill takings, 2,125,000, against 2,059,000 last year; stock at interior towns in excess of September 1, 610,251, against 547,334 last year; brought into sight thus far for season, 12,576,310, against 11,852,024 last year.

Liverpool cables—Spot in moderate demand; sales, 7,000 bales; speculation and export, 500; American, 6,000; imports, 7,000; American, 6,000; middling upland, 7.08d. Futures opened steady, unchanged to 1 point lower, closed quiet at a net decline of 1@3 points; February, 6.62½d; February-March and March-April, 6.68d; April-May, 6.63d; May-June, 6.62½d; June-July, 6.57½d; July-August, 6.55½d; August-September, 6.43d; September-October, 6.30½d; October-November, 6.22½d; November-December, 6.18d; December-January and January-February, 6.15d. Manchester—Yarns dull and irregular; cloths dull.

New Orleans, Feb. 27.—The cotton market to-day chiefly was concerned over March notices in New York. First estimates caused buying. Afterward the report that notices for 65,000 bales were out had little effect because it was seen that they were being quickly stopped. The March option here stood at the highest at a net rise of 10 points and closed 8 points over yesterday's last quotation; other trading months were only 1 to 2 points up, and closed at a net decline of 1 point. The close was steady, 1 point down to 5 points up.

Month.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	12.57	12.49	12.55
May	12.56	12.52	12.53
July	12.57	12.52	12.54
August	—	—	12.10
October	11.64	11.61	11.62
December	11.64	11.62	11.62

Dividends Declared.

Eastern Power and Light Company, quarterly of 1½ per cent on preferred stock, payable March 15 to stock of record February 28.

Goldfield Consolidated Mining Company, 30 cents, payable April 30 to stock of record March 31.

Montana Cotton Company, quarterly of 1 per cent on common and 1¾ per cent on preferred, payable March 15 to stock of record March 5.

New York Transit Company, quarterly of $10, payable April 15 to stock of record March 25.

Sears-Roebuck Company, quarterly of $1.75, payable April 1 to stock of record March 14.

NEW ROCK ISLAND COMMITTEE FORMED

Will Protect Interests of Stock of N. J. Corporation —W. A. Read Chairman.

Following the formation of a protective committee to look after the interests of the collateral trust bonds of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Company, announcement was made yesterday that William A. Read, Arthur Curtiss James, William Church Osborn, Ogden Mills, Francis L. Hine, Andrew J. Miller and Benjamin Strong, jr., would constitute a committee to protect the interests of the stockholders of the Rock Island Company. The Bankers Trust Company was appointed depositary, and Hornblower, Miller & Potter and Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft counsel.

The committee stated that "the exigencies of the situation required prompt action, and stockholders are requested to deposit their certificates of stock with the least possible delay."

It was learned yesterday that the formation of these committees was due primarily to the failure of the committee of Rock Island directors appointed a few weeks ago to produce a plan for the dissolution of the two holding companies satisfactory to the various interests represented by the members. It is the intention of the two protective committees to formulate a plan before the interest falls due on the collateral trust bonds, on May 1. Should the committee be successful in obtaining the consents of the stockholders and the bondholders before that time a reorganization, it is stated, would be effected without a receivership.

William A. Read, chairman of the stockholders' committee, said the stockholders stood ready to put up the money needed by the railway company provided an equitable agreement could be reached with the bondholders.

"If not," he added, "we'll have to go into the ash heap. The railway company's immediate requirements aggregate $25,000,000. The property is one of the best in the country, but its equipment is in bad condition, and new freight cars are needed to handle the increasing business. The road is also suffering from the burden imposed by the two holding companies. Something must be done to remedy the errors of the past.

"I am a financial doctor. Phelps, Dodge & Co. asked me in for that reason to take hold of the patient and try to cure him. Everybody else on the committee is a financial doctor and is trying to do the same."

Mr. Read was asked to explain his reference to the "errors" in the Rock Island management.

"The errors," he said, "were the purchase of the 'Frisco and the Alton. When the directors purchased those lines they expected them to turn out well, but they were wrong. If the Rock Island to-day had the $25,000,000 it lost on the 'Frisco deal it would not need any reorganization."

The Dutch holdings in the Rock Island Company, Mr. Read said, amounted to 240,000 shares. A. J. Miller, a member of the stockholders' committee and of the firm of Boissevain & Co., is their representative. A large portion of the collateral trust bonds is also held in Holland.

A man holding an important interest in the Rock Island declared yesterday that a definitive plan for a readjustment of the company's finances would probably not be announced much before the May interest on the collateral bonds of the railroad company fell due on May 1. The formation of the two protective committees, however, according to this, leaves the way open for the railway company to carry out its plans for immediate financing. Application has been made to the Illinois Railroad Commission for permission to issue $7,500,000 collateral 6 per cent notes which will provide for the company's needs for the current fiscal year.

BIG FIFTH AVENUE LEASE

Franklin Simon Co. Gets Building at 38th Street Corner.

Albert B. Ashforth has leased for a long term of years to Franklin Simon & Co., the Gattle Building, owned by Emanuel M. Gattle, situated at the southwest corner of 38th street and Fifth avenue, on a plot 28x108 feet. This will give the firm of Franklin Simon & Co. a frontage on Fifth avenue of 100 feet and a depth of 150 feet, together with an "L" on 38th street, 75x100 feet.

The securing of this space by Franklin Simon & Co. is another evidence of the great growth of the retail business in this section of Fifth avenue.

The attorneys in the transaction were William L. Levy, representing E. M. Gattle, and Strauss, Reich & Boyer, representing Franklin Simon & Co.

INCORPORATED AT TRENTON

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 27.—The following New Jersey charters were filed to-day:

Wonderland Amusement Company, Camden; $100,000; Francis J. Smith, Beverly; S. C. Roray, Palmyra; Herbert D. Craatz, Haddon Heights.

Collinson Iron Fence Company, West Orange; manufacture fences; $5,000; Joseph Collinson, East Orange; John Collinson, West Orange; John G. Crowell, Orange.

Motokart Company, Newark; real estate; $5,000; Alfred R. Gormully and E. M. Moore, New York City; Hugh E. Steinbock, Peekskill, N. Y.

Fort Mercer Gas Company, National Park; $50,000; Furman A. Wood, Palmyra; David B. Owens, Camden; Emerson Skill, National Park.

Smith Austermuhl Company, Camden; construction; $125,000; Charles W. Austermuhl, Walter McIntigle and J. Charles Winters, Camden.

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202-210 WEST 89TH ST.
New York, February 21st, 1914.

To Miss O. Antwerpen, Mrs. Charles Berry, Mrs. Mary Bockman by Paul Vandebeck, Gust Bolian, Miss Marie Bonner, Mrs. Treva D. Brown, E. R. Bule, Miss Margaret Corcoran, Mrs. Mary A. Cox, Miss Josephine Curtis, Mrs. F. or Mrs. A. V. Erskine, Harry C. Evans, J. A. Farley, Charles Higgins, A. A. Jones, Mrs. Anita M. Lyman, McEntee-Evison Co., Al. Mealing, Mrs. Florence O'Callaghan, H. E. Perch, Mrs. William C. Raymond, Mrs. Mary Reilly, W. E. Rich, Mr. Theodore E. Senior, Estate of Mrs. Marie Lovell Stork (deceased), Mrs. G. A. Weingetz, Mrs. Cora C. Wilkening, A. Wilson: You and each of you are hereby notified that the time for the payment of my lien upon the property hereinafter described having expired, after due notice thereof had been given you, I will cause such property, to wit, household goods, personal effects, carpets, etc., stored by you or in your name in the West End Storage Warehouse, to be sold at public auction, according to the statute in such case made and provided, at George Merle's Auction Rooms, 135 East 125th st., New York City, on Tuesday, March 10th, 1914, and on Wednesday, March 11th, 1914, at 10:30 a. m.; and if the sale thereof is not completed on said dates the same will be continued at the same place on each and every Tuesday and Wednesday thereafter, beginning at 10:30 a. m., and continuing until all the goods are sold.
THE WEST END STORAGE WAREHOUSE.
BEN BLUMENTHAL, Proprietor.

COLONIAL STORAGE WAREHOUSE, INC.
Main Office & Warehouse, 143 West 99th St.
Fireproof Warehouse, 504 West 126th St.
New York, February 21st, 1914.

To Miss L. Matteon, Mrs. W. E. Tefft, Mrs. Margie Robinson, Miss Josephine Swinington, Mrs. William H. Farrell, Mrs. V. Davis, Mr. George Koppinger, Miss A. Metcalf, Mr. E. Barrett, Mr. J. Crean, Mrs. J. H. Rennells, Mrs. Richard Burns, Miss Eva Burnett, Mrs. Nina Hall, Miss Tillie Allen: You and each of you are hereby notified that the time for the payment of our lien upon the property hereinafter described having expired, after due notice thereof had been given you, we will cause such property, to wit, Household Goods, Office Furniture, Pianos, Boxes, Barrels, Personal Effects and Merchandise, stored in the Colonial Storage Warehouse by you, or in your name (or in which you may have an interest), to be sold at public auction, according to the statute in such case made and provided, at the warehouse, 504 West 126th St., New York City, on Thursday, March 12th, 1914, at 10:30 A. M., and if the sale thereof is not completed on said date the same will be continued at the same place on each and every Thursday thereafter, beginning at 10:30 A. M. and continuing until all the goods are sold.
COLONIAL STORAGE WAREHOUSE, INC.

THE CARRINGTON STORAGE WAREHOUSES
284 THIRD AVENUE, NEAR 25TH ST., N. Y.
New York, February 20th, 1914.

Mrs. ANDERSON, Mrs. ROSE BARRY, Mr. V. BARK, Mrs. BERRY, ROSE CLINTON, KATE COLLINS (Mrs. ELLSWORTH), LA MONTAGNE, JOHN HULLEY, Mrs. HUNTER, Mrs. LARKIN, SMITH EXPRESS CO., KATE FARRELL, KATE FEENEY, FROELICH & MORRISON, Mrs. HESS, Mrs. HERMAN, Mrs. HOGAN, LA PEARL, KATE LOONEY, MICHAEL McARDLE, NELLIE O'DONNELL, Mrs. MARGARET SCANLON, Mr. E. BUTTNER (Mr. SABOR, CONLON'S EXPRESS), CHAS. O'BRIEN, Mrs. REYNOLDS, Mrs. O'BRIEN, Mr. McDONALD, Mrs. McCORMICK: You and each of you are hereby notified that the time for the payment of our lien upon the property hereinafter described having expired, after due notice thereof had been given you, we will cause such property, to wit, Household Goods, Personal Effects, Machinery and Merchandise, stored in the Carrington Storage Warehouses by you or in your name (or in which you may have an interest), to be sold at public auction, according to the statute in such case made and provided, at the warehouse, 284 Third Avenue, New York City, on Friday, March 20th, 1914, at 10:30 a. m., and if the sale thereof is not completed on said date the same will be continued at the same place on each and every Friday thereafter, beginning at 10:30 a. m. and continuing until all the goods are sold.
CARRINGTON STORAGE WAREHOUSES.

NEW YORK, February 20, 1914.—To James Satchell, Mrs. Florence Berry, Mrs. Walter MacGregor, Mrs. Mary L. Adams, Mrs. J. Elms, Hosea McDurfey, Mrs. Victoria Wilkes, Mrs. Isabell Williams, Mrs. Harry Williams, Mrs. C. Tryee, Mrs. Abbie Francis, A. Milton, Mrs. L. C. Brown, John Harris, Mr. B. Bradley, Mrs. Frank Summerville, Mrs. Ida Dunnary, Mrs. Louisa L. Ford, Mrs. Emma Martin and Cornelius Martin, Mrs. Georgiana Bean and Ludwig Baumann & Co., Paul Bailey, Miss Mattie Berry, Henry Williams, J. W. Storgers, Mrs. Lizzie Smith, George Fisher, Kate Hall; also the following which was stored by Cagneys Storage Warehouses: Mrs. Mary Rock, Mrs. Annie Hawkins, Mrs. J. E. Watson, Victor Delecroz, John Ribillion, Miss Della Connelly, Mary A. Shaughnessy, W. J. Greenfield: You and each of you are hereby notified that the time for payment of my lien upon property hereinafter described having expired, after due notice thereof had been given you, I will cause such property, to wit, household goods, personal effects and merchandise stored by you or in your name, or in which you claim an interest, in the Cagneys Storage Warehouses, to be sold at public auction, according to the statute in such cases made and provided, at my Warehouses, 311 and 313 West 41st st., New York City, on Tuesday, March 10, 1914, at 10:30 A. M., and if the sale is not completed on the said date the sale will be continued at the same place on each and every Tuesday thereafter, beginning at 10:30 A. M., until sale is completed.
GUARANTY STORAGE WAREHOUSES.
JOHN J. WEBB, Proprietor.

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FORECLOSURE SALES.

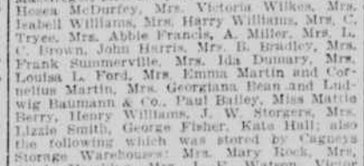
SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—Joseph Corn, plaintiff, against The S. B. Construction Co. et al., defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure, and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 21st day of February, 1914, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 14-16 Vesey street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Jacob H. Mayers, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 81st street, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue, running thence northerly parallel with the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue, 102 feet 2 inches to the centre line of the block; thence westerly along said centre line of the block 112 feet 5 inches; thence southerly parallel with Amsterdam avenue 102 feet 2 inches to the northerly side of 81st street, and thence easterly along the northerly side of 81st street, 112 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning. Said premises being known as Nos. 203 to 211 West 81st street.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1914.
ARCHIE E. BAXTER, Referee.
MORRISON & SCHIFF, attorneys for plaintiff, 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 203 to 211 W. 81st street.



The approximate amount of the lien or charge, to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold, is Fifty-seven thousand and twenty-seven and 24-100 ($57,027.24) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 16th day of February, 1914, together with the costs and allowance amounting to $426.24, with interest from February 21st, 1914, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the Referee, is $438 and interest.

The property will be sold subject to a mortgage in the sum of Three hundred and thirty-five thousand ($335,000) Dollars, with accrued interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per cent per annum.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1914.
ARCHIE E. BAXTER, Referee.

FORECLOSURE SALES.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—The German Savings Bank in the City of New York, Plaintiff, against Leopold Winkler and another, Defendants.—In pursuance of a judgment of forecl