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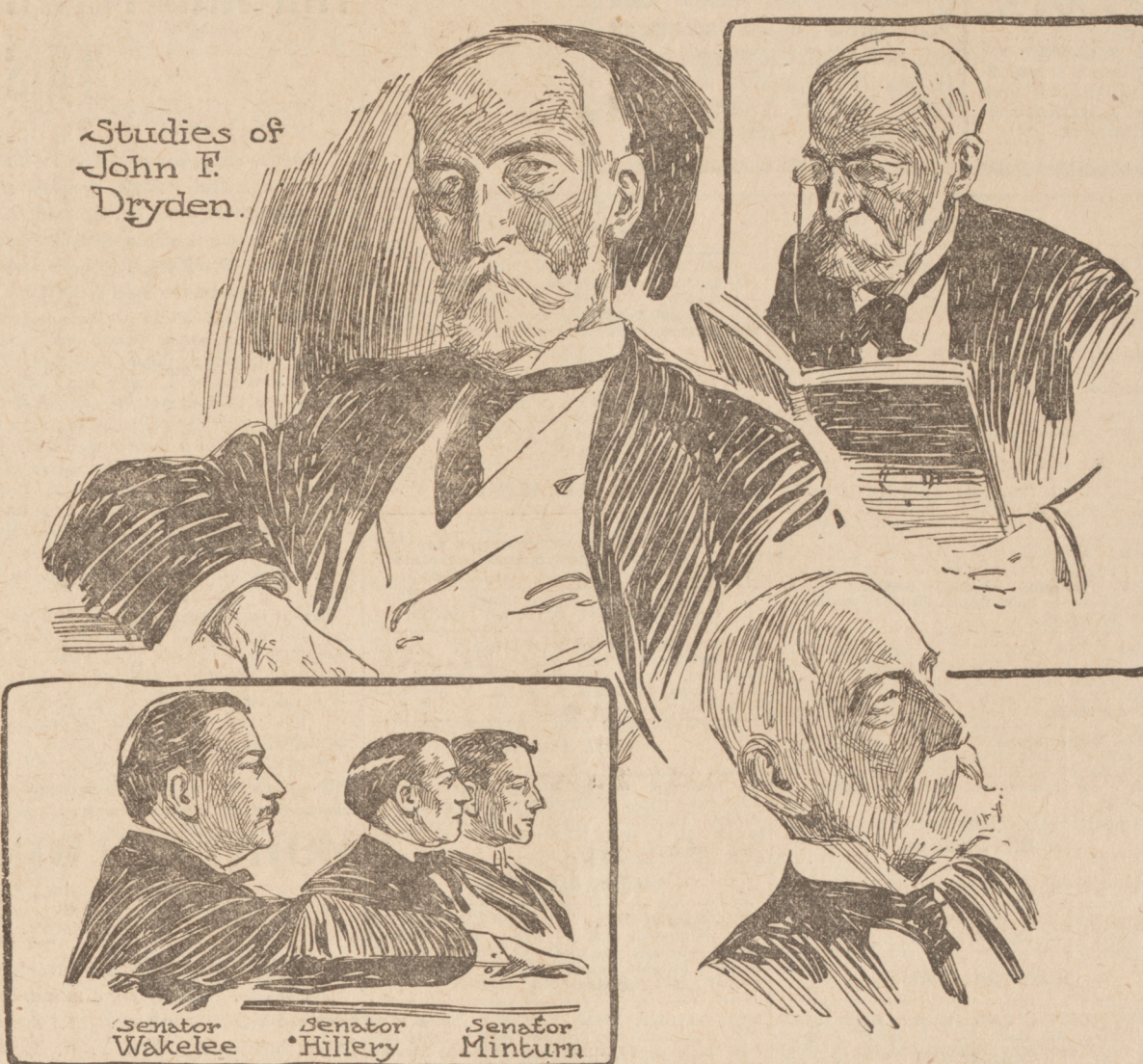
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Dryden.



NEW YORK, July 21.—Senator John F. Dryden, president of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, occupied the witness stand in the Chancery Court Chamber, in the Prudential Building, Newark, for six hours Thursday advising the special senate committee which is inquiring into the administration of insurance companies and banking inspection, expounding insurance law to the committee's special counsel, W. H. Corbin, and describing the attributes of industrial insurance organization in general and the Prudential in particular.

When the proceedings opened at half-past ten o'clock the senator faced a circle of the highest salaried officers of his company. In effect, Senator Dryden's testimony under examination and as embodied in the voluminous document which the committee balked at and declined to

listen to had directed the stenographer to incorporate in the proceedings, was an extension of his testimony before the Armstrong committee last fall. He described how he worked two years and a half for the infant company before getting \$25 a week, notwithstanding the fact that he was one of the principal owners; and mentioned each successive step which landed him in his present \$65,000 position, which he admitted was not too much for his services.

Senator Dryden admitted that the premiums in his company were sixty per cent higher and the mortality ninety-four per cent higher than those of ordinary companies, but justified the figures on the ground of greater expense and risk. He agreed that the legislature ought to prohibit campaign contributions and consented to a law prohibiting investment in

BEIT LEFT MILLIONS IN PUBLIC BEQUESTS

South African Diamond King Remembers Educational Institutions in His Will --- Universities and Clubs Aided --- \$6,000,000 for "Cape to Cairo" Project.

LONDON, July 22.—Many millions in public bequests are announced in the will of Alfred Beit, the South African multimillionaire, who died here July 16.

He leaves the property known as Borstler's Jager, near Hamburg, to the city of Hamburg, to be held for the people.

If this is not practicable, the city is authorized to realize on the property 20 years after Mr. Beit's death and apply the proceeds to charitable purposes of the state of Hamburg, the maintenance of the property to be defrayed by the revenue from the hotel on the property. The proceeds of the sale of the surplus timber is to be devoted to charitable or educational purposes.

The picture by Sir Joshua Reynolds of Lady Cockburn and her children is left to the British National Gallery, and Reynolds' picture of Mistress Boone and her daughter and other art treasures are left to Berlin and Hamburg, and to the college of technology connected with the London University the sum of \$250,000 and 1,000 \$12.50 shares in the De Beers company are bequeathed.

The sum of \$1,000,000 is left to the University of Johannesburg, to build and equip buildings on the land previously given by him; \$1,000,000 is bequeathed for educational or charitable purposes in Rhodesia and other territories within the field of the British South Africa Company; \$125,000 to the research fund of the London University; \$125,000 to the Rhodes University, Grahamstown, Cape Colony; \$50,000 to the Rhodes memorial fund at

Cape Town; \$50,000 to the Union Jack Club of London; \$100,000 to the deceased and infirm in South Africa for educational or charitable purposes in the Transvaal; \$75,000 for the same purposes in Rhodesia; \$75,000 to Dr. Jameson, the famous "rider," now premier of Cape Colony, and Sir Lewis Michell, chairman of the De Beers company and a trustee of the Rhodes fund, for the same purposes in Cape Colony; \$100,000 is left to the King's Hospital, London; funds and \$100,000 to Guy's Hospital, London; and \$200,000 is to be distributed equally in London and Hamburg by Mr. Beit's executors for educational or charitable purposes.

The testator, continuing, says that believing that civilization can best be advanced in Africa by the construction of railways, telegraphs, telephones and wireless telegraphs, and knowing how difficult it is to raise money for these purposes, he leaves \$6,000,000 in stocks and shares to his partners to constitute a fund, the income of which is to be devoted to the construction, equipment or furtherance of any such methods of communication or transportation in Rhodesia, Portuguese South Africa or the German possessions, and any parts of Africa as may be traversed in establishing the Cape-to-Cairo railway, telegraph or telephone lines.

Mr. Beit left large sums to relatives, numerous legacies to friends and gifts to clerks and servants. The residue of his estate, real and personal, is bequeathed to his brother, Otto Beit, absolutely. The will is dated April 5, 1905.



INDIVIDUAL STANDPOINT

He having offered his umbrella during a severe rain storm to a pretty young woman—"Now this is what I call delightful weather."

ALL "SLATER" SHOES IN ONE STORE

New St. John Store to Carry
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No Other Make of Shoes Will be
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Which Will be Opened Next
Month on King Street.

Carrying out a policy which was decided upon by the directors of the Slater Shoe Company, President Charles Slater cancelled the Slater Shoe Agency in St. John some weeks ago, and at once selected from the applications from dealers one first-class shoe man who will sell only the Slater Shoe, upon each pair of which is plainly stamped the price and the well-known Slater mark. "In stores where other shoes are carried in the larger cities," said Mr. Slater, "confusion is caused to the buyer. Often a customer buys a common shoe in a store where the Slater sign is displayed, and they are under the impression that they are getting a Slater Shoe. I do not say that the clerk misleads them, but they do not always inform them, for salesmen are human."

The new Slater Shoe store will be opened in St. John about the 15th of August.

E. G. McCullough, who has been a Nova Scotia merchant in that city, and Slater Shoe for the city, having acquired the sole agency. He will handle Slater Shoes exclusively, and at this opening the people of St. John will have an opportunity of seeing a fuller representation of this famous shoe than it has ever had in the Maritime Provinces.

For women as well as men the Slater Shoe Company are making fine shoes—every pair stamped and trade-marked with the "Slater Shoe" trade-mark. Mr. McCullough says that he will demonstrate the superiority of the made-in-Canada Slater Shoe in all its sterling qualities. "When you see the new styles you will not wonder why the Americans take off their hats to the Slater Shoe," he said.

RECENT DEATHS

The death of Mrs. Robert R. Allan took place suddenly Saturday morning at the home of her step-son, Clarence B. Allan. Mrs. Allan was a native of Halifax, a daughter of the late S. R. Caldwell, at one time mayor of the city.

Her first husband was Mr. Shaw, a dry goods merchant in that city, and their only daughter, Mrs. P. W. Daniel, now resides in Chicago. About 1875 the deceased lady married the late Robert R. Allan and came to live in St. John. Mrs. Allan is survived by four brothers, Dr. W. Caldwell and Alfred, in Providence; Thomas, in Halifax, and John, in Vancouver; and by four sisters, Mrs. George Smithers, who resides with her son, Rev. Allan W. Smithers, at Hopewell; Mrs. G. Brown, Vancouver; Mrs. W. L. Cameron, Halifax, and Mrs. Anderson, wife of Dr. F. W. Anderson, Halifax.

Mrs. Agnes Barr Stevens, widow of Benjamin Stevens, died yesterday at her home at Grand Bay, in her eighty-first year. She had been in poor health for more than a year. Three sons survive—all residents of Grand Bay. The funeral will be held today after arrival of the 1:10 o'clock train from St. John at Grand Bay.

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