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Advertisement

Series Shows Setback in Negotiations for

Child's Release.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 9.—(AP)
—Attempts to rescue Charles Mattson, 10, from the hands of a kidmaper stalled under a blanket of

MATTSON RANSOM PAYMENT OBSTRUCTED

BRITISH, FRENCH FLEETS STEAM TO MOROCCO Death Summons "Farmer" Burns, Dean of Professional Wrestlin

Entry Into Spanish Strife of Nazis and Fascists Presages Clash at Any Time.

(By the Associated Press)
Ingles called the French colonials of Morocco to the alert today as great turbines drave the
French and British fleets to new

danker zones of Spain's "Ittle
world war."

Quiet orders that dealt with
the emergency of casualty lists
went out to British naval men and
to the royal marines.
Morocco, powder keg of 1911;
cradle of the fascist revolution
of 1934—there lay the newest men
ace to Europe's peace.

France put her Moroccan zone
garrison in a virtual state of mobilization; sent the first units of
her Atlantic fleet off Mediterranean Africa for "maneuvers"; stepped up her Moroccan army from
40,000 to 100,000; reinforced the
borders that bar the way to the
Spanish zone of General Franciaco Franco's insurgent armies.

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need be, resort to armed force, if
diplomatic protests fail to stop a
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SCOUT COUNCIL TO

A dinner meeting at the Umpqua hotel at 6:30 p. m. Monday night for all persons interested in Boy Scout work has been called by P. H. Yearout, Portland, deputy regional-executive, Mr. Yearout is directing the reorganization of the Douglas-Coos council, following plans adopted several months ago, and reports the work is nearing and reports the work is nearing and reports the work is nearing and old noise in a corridor, was bound to a locker.

One robber was described as face hidden behind reports the other

Snowstorm Sends Temperatures Rising In Oregon; Willamette Ice Jam Damages Salem's Waterfront

Frozen River Here Lures Ice Skaters

Seldom used ice skates were brought out of retirement last night as many skaters frolicked on the South Umpqua river. Quiet stretches of water near the Oak street bridge and at the soldiers home bridge were from soldiers home bridge were froz-en sufficiently for skating for the first time since the December cold spell of 1932.

A new storm center moving into northern Washington from the Pacific ocean brought a slight moderation in the cold of the past few days, the weather burean reported today, bringing a minimum of 20 degrees here last night, and providing some relief following temperatures of 11 and 7 degrees of preceding

Snow is predicted for today and Sunday with continued low temperature and icing condi-tions.

PHONE OFFICES IN PORTLAND ROBBED

Masked Rair Locks Two in Vault, Binds Third, Gets Booty of \$5,649.

PORTLAND. Jan. 9.—(AP)—
Two masked robbers walked into
the paymaster's office at the headquarters of the Pacific Telephone
and Telegraph company about 9:30
a. m., today, imprisoned three employes and fled down a fire escape
with \$5.649 in currency.
The robbery occurred on the
sixth floor of the company offices
in the heart of the downtown district at Southwest Broadway and
Oak streets.
Gordon G. Lundeberg, treasury

be in Roseburg Monnay domino mask, while the other, meet with the local on short and stocky, wore a plain ban-cements are being made to

Arrangements are being made to name district committees in each of the larger centers to work in cooperation with the field exemitive who plans to spend several days of each month in each of the sections where scouting is operating.

Invitations to Monday night's meeting have been acut to all men who hays been acute in Boy Scout work in the past, but it is urged that any interested persons attend, regardless of whether they have

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EUGENE Jan. 9.—(AP)—Robert M. Hetts, chairman of the state mining board and recognized as one of the leading mining men in the state, died at his home here suddently about midnight Friday. For many years associated with the Corcopia Mines (company in the Baker district, Mr. Betts at the time of his death was superintendent of the Back Butte quick sixter mines in southern Lame county. Resides his position with the state mining board, he also was a member of Governor Martin's special mining committee and in the state mining board, he also was a member of the mineral resources committee of the state planning board.

Surviving are the widow and a son and daughter. gress that there is no immediate constitution to permit the carryment to cope with economic and his tremendous personal prestige social problems, and then bluntly it is a practical certainty that he demand a more liberal interpreta- even to the extent of making over the constitution. Instead, he contents himself with

a warning to the courts-which he says, "for the nation to prove that it can meet new national needs within the framework of the constitution."

"But." he adds sharply, "the document clearly was intended to receive liberal and not narrow interpretation."

THERE has been much speculation, as to whether President Roosevelt that their views on the constitution can not be changed by the results of an election.

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Here is the oldest law in the book of politics:

Radicalism of utterance is a good reading, but no comban suffrage, began her 79th year to day, optimistic because the hour and are men of such high character is moving onward and upward, although sometimes we behave very badly."

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Cold Blamed for 11 Deaths in Midwest; Blizzards Upsets Traffic and Slow Shipping.

(By the Associated Press)
King Winter called off his bit
crest attack on Oregon today—
ub-zero temperatures—and gave

SUFFRAGE FIGHTER STARTS 79TH YEAR

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Jan.

Armory and Hotel Dining Sportsmen, at Meet Here, Room to Be Temporary Quarters; Possible Contests Seen.

By CLAYTON V. BERNHARD SALEM, Jan. 5 — (AP) — O anization virtually complete ith the exception of a few ele we clerks and minor changes of day for the opening of the 39th legislative assembly in the tems porary capitol here Monday morn-ing.

Both the house and senate will

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PACIFIC FRUIT CO.'S YREKA PLANT BURNS

YREKA, Calif., Jan. 9.—(AP)— Fire Pacific Fruit and Produce company distributing plant was de-troyed in an early-morning fire to

ay. The volunteer fire department

Dean of Professional Wrestling

Enthused Over Prospect of Commercial Ban on the Umpqua.

Blue mountains of eastern Oregon, 10 22 above at coastal points, rose inc.

Both the house and seenate will hold preclaiminary sessions tome to embedd over and the clear, cold weather of the week was replaced with a steady fall of show.

Drifting snow piled up on the old Oregon Trail in the eastern part of the state and the highway department worked six snowplaws in the Maecham area to keep trailing of snow in Portland but traffic crawled through the deep snow on the streets.

It was five below at Klamath Falls, the fifth consecutive day of which already have been land but traffic erawled through the deep snow on the streets.

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The cold halted lumber operations in parts of all three constituous in parts of all three constitues the constituous in parts of all three const

conditions so far as they bear on the Umpour river. The results of this inquiry are to be submitted to the legislature for its guidance in its action on the commercial

massing through the press room which will be located between the two.

This was the scene of the special session of 1935 called after the fire April 25 of that year which destroyed Oregon's old capitol building. Work has been started on the new structure and it was expected the 1939 legislature would inaugurate that building.

Possible Contests

Little delay in formal organization was seen as the result of the controvery the past week over the eligibility of members who hold inautarial commissions to serve in the assembly. It was believed the notarial phases will be dropped.

The only possible contests, members here declare, may be the qualification of Delimore Lessard of Portland because of his holding the post as attorney for the World War Veterans State Aid commission. Circuit Judge John P. Winterheld this post was an employment rather than an office and did not continued on page 6)

FORGER'S RECORD

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Sentence upon E. L. Marriman, recently returned from Prescott, Arizona, to answer to a charge of forzery, will be postponed until of-ficers can check his past record, Appearing late yesterday before Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberty be The volunteer fire department of the volunteer fire department of

FOPE PIUS ISSUES
APPEAL FOR PEACE

VATICAN CITY, Jan. 9—(AP)—
Pope Pius, improved but still confined to his bed of a variety of old age fills, sent this message today to the forthcoming eucharistic congress in Manila.

"Pray for the recetablishment of peace in a world which needs it badly."

Were instructed to inquire into his bed of wood.

ABON BON' BURGLAR LOOTS FOUR HOMES

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ALEM, Jan. 9—(AP)—Sa lem's "Bon-Bon" burglar, sweets long to congress this week. The persibility of a change in the research of the court was still complete the past few mights, city police reported.

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KILAMATH FALLS, Jan. 9—(AP)—Frank Ferguson, about 10, with a fine hand of jewelry, money and other articles from Qui homes didner have wond be given administration sanction before long. This was the consensus at the

And One-Time Champion of World COUNCIL BLUFFS, I.a., Jan. 9— (AP) — Death removed Martin "Farmer" Burns, dean of profes-sional wrestlers, from the Ameri-can sports scene last night.

Burns and been connected with the wrestling sport half a century. He was holder of the world's heavyweight championship from 1895 to 1898 and discoverer and tutor of Frank Gotch, one of the nation's greatest wrestlors, who refired as undefeated world cham-



snow today.

Three inches of snow covered the Matison home as the search went through its 13th day in another of the perfods of complete inactivity which have frequently characterized the case. More snow fell hourly, steadily lessening the chances Charles would be released immediately.

Dr. W. W. Mattson, father of the missing boy, waited at his home for additional word from the kidnaper which would make payment of the \$28,000 runsom possible. Some undisclosed "hitch" in negotiations was believed to have prevented this payment at a schedulation of the standard word from the delivery of the money were unknown, but the Tacoma physician indicated very definitely he feared an attempt was underway to "hijack" the ransom money.

Some observers believed an intermediary for the family was followed by "hijackers". Thursday evening during a trip made to pay the ransom as the kidnaper sup-

MAN SLAIN DURING RADIO MURDER YARN

Thieves to Prison Shot; Nearby Trio Unaware.

Three men sat around a pot-bellies

47-year-old storekeeper had held forth for 28 years.

Merchant Who Sent Four Senator Sends Encouraging Wire to Portland After Talk With President.

eral bureau of investigation agents yesterday morning could only be explained by a similar supposition. The new advertisement, fifth of a series, revealed Dr. Mattson's fear outsiders were attempting to "muscle in" to collect the ransom prepared for Charles' release.

The advertisement read: "Mable — we are still walting. All arrangements have been carried out in accordance with instructions in notes received. Be certain to give me information so that I may guard against impositors and hijackers, and be more PORTLAND, Jan. 9.—(AP)—
Senator Charles McNary, republican minority leader in the upper house of congress, in a telegram to-day said he had conferred with President Roosevelt on the mari-time strike and had reason to be-lieve it would be "adjusted in a very short time."

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leve it would be "adjusted in a very short time."

The senator's telegram was addressed to George L. Haker, chairman of a citizens committee here, who appealed recently to public organizations to telegraph the president, asking his intervention.

The telegram read:
"Have discussed with President Roosevet crushing effect of Pacific coast strike. He has received thousands and thousands of wires on this situation and is working through the department of labor for its adjustment. Have reason to believe that the whole controversy will be adjusted in very short

termediary for the family was fol-lowed by "hijackers". Thursday evening during a trip made to pay the ransom as the kidnaper sup-posedly had ordered. A reliable source hinted yesterday such a trip had been made, and subse-quent developments fitted well with the theory some unexpected trouble had occurred during the contact effort. STRIKE'S END NEAR

EUGENE, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Oregon chapter of the United Spanish War Veterans will seek a legislative appropriation of \$20,000 to entertain the national convention scheduled for Portland in 1938, officials announced here. COOS BAY JOINS IN INTERVENTION PLEA

SEEK REUNION FUND

contact effort.

"Ad" Reveals Setback
A new "contact" advertisement
in the Scattle Daily Times yesterday supported this theory; while
a sudden flurry of activity by federal bureau of investigation agents

Vestoriary manuface could only be

Supreme Court and Business Will Get "Election-Follow" Chance

come connected with Kelly's home. Depaty District Attorney John Coller gaid:

"It is a question in my mind whether the killer entered this store with the intention of robbery and murder." Officers said the men previously caught robbing the store had been sentenced to the penitentiary and suggested revenge might have been the motive for the attark.

Sylvan is on the summit of Canyon road, main artery to Hillsboro and westward.

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