

CRAZY PASSENGER LOOSE ON STEAMER

Canadian Being Deported Suddenly Breaks Bonds and Cannot Be Found.

TRACE LOST IN GALLEY

Other Passengers on President Are Much Alarmed and Lose No Time in Scampering Ashore When Vessel Docks.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—(Special.)—Terrifying scenes of passengers aboard the Coast liner President, as she was passing through the Golden Gate at daybreak, John White, an insane passenger on his way to British Columbia for deportation broke away from the leash that bound him to his bed in the second cabin and disappeared.

Pursued by members of the crew and passengers, he hid somewhere on the big passenger steamer, and up to a late hour tonight had not been found. Passengers were taken from the vessel as speedily as possible when the liner reached Broadway dock, in the fear of an encounter between the madman and his pursuers.

Inspectors Aid in Search. Word of the maniac's escape was sent by wireless to Immigration inspectors at Alsworth at Angel Island, and a corps of inspectors was dispatched to the President in the cutter Golden Gate. They boarded the liner, but while she was proceeding along the bay and are assisting in the hunt. San Francisco police are guarding the vessel and every port hole is being watched to prevent White's escape.

The last seen of White was when he raced wildly into the galley. It is believed that he armed himself there with knives or cleavers and a club, and expected when the hiding madman finally is apprehended.

White, a Canadian, was arrested in Los Angeles for insanity and ordered deported. He was being taken north to Vancouver in custody of an officer. The guard had quarters in the first cabin and kept his prisoner under guard in the second cabin. It was feared that the presence of the madman in the first cabin would annoy other passengers.

Crazed Man Breaks Bonds. During the trip White behaved well and gave his guard little trouble. Last night, as usual, White was strapped to his bed. At daybreak, as the President was steaming through the heads, White burst his bonds and made a leap from his stateroom.

Scores of passengers and several members of the crew on deck saw him dash into the galley. He was followed, but no trace of him could be found. Passengers and members of the crew quickly organized and a systematic search of the vessel was begun. Every nook and corner of the big liner, from the innermost recesses of the hold to the lifeboats, have been searched, but no trace of White has been found.

White went to Los Angeles recently for his health, and there became demented. His family at Vancouver notified the United States Immigration officials at Los Angeles that they would care for him and approved his deportation.

SPIRIT REFUSES TO TALK

Preacher's Spiritualistic Argument Wins in Seattle Court.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—Judge Frater yesterday gave A. J. Specker, a Spiritualist preacher, permission to open a trunk for the purpose of ascertaining what insurance was carried by John J. Jacobson, who committed suicide by shooting on March 13. Jacobson is said to have committed suicide on account of estrangement from his wife, who had identified herself with Spiritualism. Mr. Specker, representing Mrs. Jacobson, yesterday told the court that Mr. Jacobson probably was a member of one or more fraternal insurance orders, but had no property in such.

"I desire permission to open the dead man's trunk," he said. "Why don't you communicate direct with the spirit of the dead man and ascertain what orders he belonged to?" asked Judge Frater. The pastor shifted his position uneasily, blushed a little and said: "Your Honor, the spirit is in the dark. It is unwilling to communicate with me."

"In that case," said Judge Frater, "you probably would be justified in opening the trunk. You may have permission to do so."

CHILEAN AVIATOR ROBBED

Steamer Sails for Portland With Monoplane, Leaving Owner.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—(Special.)—George Alberta Roberts, an aviator recently returned from Portland, who arrived here yesterday that he had been drugged in a saloon near the water front in the night and robbed of \$127, a diamond ring and his gold watch. While Roberts was recovering from the effects of the poison, which he says was given him in a glass of beer, the steamer Geo. W. Elder, on which he was to have sailed for Portland, left port, taking with it Roberts' monoplane, which was stored in the hold.

For some time Roberts was teacher in a military school at Valparaiso for the Chilean government.

Contract Brings Good Figure. MARSHFIELD, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—Returning from Portland this week, where he had purchased machinery to double the capacity of the plant, Manager Vernich of the North Bend Manufacturing Company said he had made contracts for the product of the local plant at satisfactory prices. The local firm had been turning out about 50,000 deers per season, and now expect to double that figure, the most of the contracts for their output being taken as far south as San Diego and Los Angeles.

Deputy Assessor Gets Own System. DRYAN, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—C. P. Staeger, of this city, at present one of the Deputy Assessors, has Chas. Hall and Centralia "backed clear off the boards," when it comes to installing a gravity water system. He laid a two-inch wood pipe from his place a distance of 2400 feet to the headwaters of a spring in the nearby hills, and from this source has a fall of over 1800 feet of pure ice-cold spring water. His home and that of his brother, Chester Staeger, have been piped. Pipes have also been laid over the yards and barns, thus giving excellent fire protection.

NEW GREEK MONARCH AND CONSORT, WHO ASCENDED THRONE YESTERDAY.



KING CONSTANTINE AND QUEEN SOPHIA.

KING TAKES OATH

Constantine Formally Placed on Throne of Greece.

CABINET JOINS CEREMONY

Brilliant Weather Brings Out Big Crowds in Athens, Guns Boom Royal Salute and People Cheer New Ruler on Way.

ATHENS, March 21.—King Constantine, of Greece, took the constitutional oath of office in the Chamber of Deputies today under auspicious circumstances in the presence of the highest officials of the state and the entire Parliament. The Metropolitan of Athens, who was surrounded by the members of the Holy Synod in full canonicals, offered prayer and then read aloud the oath, which the King repeated in a firm voice. The King then signed the oath, and all the Cabinet members and the Metropolitan countersigned it, amid the hearty cheers of the deputies.

A salute of 101 guns was fired when the royal procession left the palace for the Chamber of Deputies. Brilliant weather had brought out great crowds, who cheered the King on his way, and the military bands, stationed at intervals, played the National anthem.

DEALERS AVOID CLASH

LUMBERMEN TELL OF EFFORTS TO PREVENT COMPETITION.

Sales Made at Times to Consumers by Producers, but Business in Retail Territory is Not Sought.

MILWAUKEE, March 21.—The Milwaukee hearing in the Government's anti-trust suit against the Northwestern Lumbermen's Association, before Judge General, lasted only a few minutes today.

Frank M. Clark, manager of the John Schroder Lumber Company, testified that the volume of the company's business with consumers showed there was a demand for sales, doors and blinds, and that the Northwestern Association and the Wisconsin Lumbermen's Association have tried to prevent the sales. He cited one instance where the Mississippi Lumberman had scored his company for what it said was a sale direct to a consumer at Rochester, Minn., but which Mr. Clark said had been a sale to a retailer who had requested that the lumber be shipped to Rochester.

He testified, though, that his company was willing to sell direct to the producer at any point, whether he was a retail dealer or not, but, he said, the company made no active effort to obtain business at the points where the retail dealers were operating.

BUSINESS MEN AID FAIR

Hood River Folk Donate Prizes for School Industrial Exhibit.

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—A committee composed of Professor Thompson, Judge Castner and Joe D. Thomson, appointed by the Commercial Club to arrange for the industrial school fair to be held here this Fall, have interviewed local merchants and business men and have secured sufficient aid to promise an event that will surpass that of last year. A premium list of several hundred dollars, consisting of cash and merchandise, has been pledged by business and professional men.

While the contests will cover all forms of rural activity, the main interest will center in poultry-raising. Poultry fanciers have donated 15 sets of fine eggs, which were distributed among the 125 applicants by allotment.

TEAMSTERS GO ON STRIKE

Tacoma Union Men Quit When Increase is Refused.

TACOMA, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—Demanding an increase in pay and recognition of their union, the teamsters employed by the Tacoma Truck Company struck today. The men demand an increase from a

MINOR FRIENDS COURTED

BRYAN SAYS SMALL NATIONS HAVE FEARED BIG ONES.

Wilson's Policy Toward China and South America Intended to Inspire New Confidences.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 21.—Declaring that in the past smaller nations had been afraid to admit a foreign merchant of the greater countries, Secretary of State Bryan, in an address today before the Lincoln Commercial Club explained the policy of the Wilson Administration with regard to China and South America and declared that it would cause a friendly feeling in those countries toward America.

Mr. Bryan suggested that the city erect a statue of Jefferson as a companion to the memorial to Lincoln on the canal grounds here. A rumor that has been current in Lincoln for some time that Mr. Bryan contemplated selling Fair View, his suburban home, was denied today by Mrs. Bryan. She said Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Hargreaves, Mrs. Hargreaves being her youngest daughter, would make their home at Fair View and keep the house open during the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan at Washington.

IMMUNITY OFFERED GIRLS

Government Insists Only in Panishing Drew and Caminetti.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—The Federal Government will not prosecute Miss Marcella Warrington and Miss Lola Norris, the two Sacramento sorority girls, who ran away to Reno with Maury I. Diggs and Drew Caminetti, if they do not embarrass the proceedings now pending against the men in this case, according to a statement made tonight by United States Attorney McNab.

The young women are now out on bonds in the Juvenile Court of Sacramento, while Diggs and Caminetti, who are both married men, are awaiting prosecution under the Mann act.

SALARY PETITION DELAYED

Hood River Club to Urge More Pay for County Officers.

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—The plans of a number of the Heights citizens to start a petition to refer to the people a bill to increase the salaries of the officers of Hood River County, which was passed recently by the Legislature over the Governor's veto, failed to materialize when the last meeting of the Heights Improvement Club was held.

J. T. Holman, president of the Heights Club, says that the document is being prepared and will be circulated soon.

BROOM HANDLE FACTORY IS NEXT

MARSHFIELD, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—With a daily capacity of 7500 handles a broom handle factory is a new industry to be established on Kentucky Inlet. This makes the third industry for that tributary to Coos Bay in the last two weeks that has been opened, the former ones being a saw mill with a daily capacity of 45,000 feet and a coal mine in process of development. The mine has now reached the 300-foot level and it is expected that it soon will begin shipping coal.

HOOD RIVER LIBRARY AIMS

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—The City Council of this city has adopted a resolution instructing the proper authorities to begin proceedings whereby the city charter may be changed that the city may acquire property to be used for a library site. The limit of indebtedness for library purposes is \$7000. A special election will be called in the near future to vote on the amendment.

SUTRO FALLS IN BAY

Hydroplane Collapses in Seas of Golden Gate.

GERMAN STEAMER RESCUES

Wind and Giant Combers Imperil Lifeboat, but Costly Air-Water Craft Is Towed Ashore, Completely Wrecked.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—(Special.)—Adolph Sutro, the millionaire aviator, and a passenger with whom he was flying over the Golden Gate, narrowly escaped death in the bay today when their hydroplane collapsed half a mile from Fort Point, sending both men into the heavy seas of the Golden Gate.

The pilot, who recently obtained his license, is a nephew of the late ex-Mayor Sutro.

As the men struggled to keep afloat and shouted for help they were sighted by the crew of the Fort Point lifesaving station and surmen put out to their aid in a power-boat, manned by Captain J. S. Clark and six men. While the lifesavers were rushing to their aid, the German steamer Salatia, bound for Hamburg, lowered a boat to aid the pair. A stiff breeze was kicking up heavy seas.

The Salatia men reached the men just as the lifesavers came to the scene. They assisted the surmen in lifting the aviator and his passenger into the surfboat.

A heavy gale impeded the work of getting the wrecked hydroplane into tow. A line finally was attached to the flying machine and the lifesavers started back for Fort Point with the exhausted and drenched aviator.

Considerable difficulty was encountered on the return trip because of the wind and the giant combers which threatened to overturn the lifeboat. Medical aid was given both Sutro and his passenger as soon as they reached the lifesaving station, and after an hour's rest they were able to leave for their homes. Young Sutro's costly hydroplane was eventually towed ashore, a complete wreck.

GARDNER SCORNS PLACE

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS NOT "BIG ENOUGH."

Secretary Lane Canvassing Field Carefully, for There Are Many Active Applicants.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Ex-Senator Gardner of Maine, having refused the offer of Commissioner of Pensions, it was learned today, friends of Dr. O. C. Gentoch, of New Philadelphia, O., have renewed their efforts on his behalf for the place. There are several other aspirants, however, and Secretary Lane is understood to have canvassed the field carefully.

Mr. Gardner is credited with refusing the offer because he and his friends did not believe the place was "big enough," and his friends ventured the opinion that he deserved something better. Mr. Gardner had been prominently mentioned for the position of Secretary of Agriculture when President Wilson was making up his Cabinet.

Among the candidates are several from Indiana, backed by the Indiana Agricultural Congress. Henry C. Bell, of Robinson, Ill., is said to have strong backing.

ALASKA ENTRIES MADE

Five Dog Teams Reported for Big Annual Sweepstake Event.

NOME, Alaska, March 21.—Five dog teams already have been entered for the annual all-Alaska sweepstake race to be run over the 412-mile course from Nome to Candle and return, April 6. The entries now in the dog owned by Mrs. C. E. Darling, of Berkeley, Cal., and A. A. (Scotty) Allan, of Nome; John Johnson, Fay Delzen, Percy Blatchford and Alek Hansen. Entries will close April 1.

The Darling-Allan team won the last two races. The John Johnson team of Siberian wolves won the 1910 race and set the record of 7 hours, 14 minutes and 29 seconds for the distance.

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he had threatened her life several times and had threatened to commit county and in Portland, where Mrs. suicide. The couple are well advanced Wheeler formerly lived.

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