

Sport and Profit Combined Aim of John Borden on Extensive Vacation Tour.

## STEFANSSON MAY BE AIDED

Three Guests Will Accompany Chicago Sportsman and Effort Is Contemplated to Get Bowhead Whales and Elder Ducks.

CHICAGO, April 15.-When the schooner Great Bear sails from Se-attle about the middle of May, on a fishing and hunting trip to the far north-a trip which has been planned partly as a Summer vacation and partly as a commercial venture-she will start on a journey that will take her about 5000 miles from Scattle and will not end until about the middle of No-vember. Incidentally John Borden, Chicago capitalist, sportsman and traveler, and one of the vessel's own-ers, will help the explorer, Vilhjalmur Stefannson-if help is needed-re-locate the continent he discovered in the polar regions. CHICAGO, April 15 .- When

Stefansion---if help is needed--re-locate the continent he discovered in the polar regions. Mr. Borden will be accompanied by Captain Louis Lane, long time a resi-dent of Nome. Alaska, and for years a gold miner, fur trader and whaler, and by three Chicago guests, who are go-ing just for sport--Norris H. Bokum, C.K. Knickerbocker and R. H. Slaugh-ter-and the schooner will carry a crew of 24 sturdy scame. With Mr. Borden, Captain Lane is joint owner of the vessel, which, in-cluding her equipments, cost \$75,000 and is 137 feet long. 32 feet beam, with a draft of 14 feet and a speed of seven knots an hour. She carries three sais and, as an auxiliary force, an oil-burning engine of 160 horsepower. Her oaken hull is sheathed in from-wood, a heavy timber from the Philip-pines almost as impervious as its name indicates.

Food Supply to Be Extensive.

Food Supply to Be Extensive. The Great Bear will carry 25,000 sailons of fuel oil, and about \$3000 worth of provisions—canned vegetables and sait meats—enough to hast the en-tire journey. A complete kitchen will be provided and will be in charge of a chef of long experience. A medical chest fitted up according to the list authorized by the Government for its vessels will be part of the ship's equip-ment. No physician will accompany the expedition, as Mr. Borden says his experience in northerp waters has given him sufficient training to handle any allments, peculiar to the northern country, that might come to himself or his men.

There will be private staterooms for each of the guests and comfortable berths for each man of the crew. Cards, books and a big phonograph will be among the things on board to provide entertial means entertainment

Captain Lane, though only 36 years d, is as much at home in a boat on e key seas of the north as would be the icy seas of the north as would be a landsman in an automobile traveling city streets. He has been a dweller in the Alaskan country since he was a child of 12 and has apent much of his time on the water. He will be in active charge of the boat as captain but will co-operate with Mr. Borden in all matters of management except the active tachnical details of bardiner the

but will condition to the second the original party that went to the northern regions with him had been proven up for lost.



VIEW OF EDWARD J. MNAMARA, FORMER \$100-A-MONTH POLICEMAN, AS HE SANG FOR MME, SCHUMANN HEINK.

partment of Agriculture have issued a warning to commercial and other growers of mushrooms to regard with tuspicion any abnormal mushrooms which appear in their beds. It seems that occasionally sporadic forms ap-pear in mushroom beds, persist for a day or two and then disappear. These are generally manure-inhabiling spe-cles and may be observed shortly after **TENOR RISING** John McCormick Has Real Riare generally manure-inhabiling spe-cles and may be observed shortly after the beds have been cased. In the instance clied, however, these fungi appeared in considerable num-bers at the time the edible Agaricus campestris should have been ready for market, and the dealer supposed it was probably a new brown variety and tried it in his own family. As a result, five persons were rendered absolutely helpless and were saved after several hours only through the assistance of a second physician who had had ex-Ignatius Lincoln Makes Anval in Edward McNamara. other Attempt to Escape. TRAINING AIDS CARUSO "GANG" LEADER EMPLOYED hours only through the assistance of a second physician who had had ex-perience with this type of polsoning. In the opinion of the department, this case is peculiarly significant and demonstrates that the grower must be able to distinguish Agaricus campestris from any of the wild forms of mush-rooms that may appear in the beds. Under the circumstances, the depart-ment strongly urges every srower to Mme. Schumann-Heink Predicts Fu-Man in Guise of Federal Officer With ture for ex-Policeman Whose Prisoner to Have Opened Way Dream of \$1000 a Night for Confederates to Raid May Yet Come True. New York Jail. ment strongly urges every grower to make himself thoroughly familiar with the cultivated species. Complete de-scriptions, with pictures of poisonous NEW YORK, April 15 -- (Special.)-NEW YORK, April 15 .- Two keepers

scriptions, with pictures of poisonous and cultivated species, are contained in Department Hulistin 173. "Mushrooms and Other Common Fungi." which can be purchased for 30 cents from the Superintendent of Documents, Govern-ment Printing Office, Washington, D. C.

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Unlimited Debate Allowed but Attempts to Amend Measure Are Futile.

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PERSIFLAGE MARKS TALK

Members Refuse to Take Discussion Seriously-Record of Effort to Tombigbee River Fund Is Enlightening.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-ington, April 15.--- "You might as well try to drive a team of horses through a stone wall as to try to amend a rivers and harbors bill in the House of Rep-resentatives." The remark was made by a Congressman who vainly tried, day after day, to strike from the pend-ing bill various items which were dem-onstrated to lack merit. The House al-lowed almost unlimited debate on the rivers and harbors bill; it placed no restraint on members who desired to assail it, but as regularly as a vote was taken, every item reported by the com-mittee on rivers and harbors was agreed to and the bill passed in its original form. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-00 00 original form.

original form. , As a matter of fact, the House had something of a Roman holiday while the rivers and harbors bill was under consideration. It was early demon-strated that the bill was safe against amendments, for it was a carefully pre-pared log-rolling bill, caring for enough districts to insure its absolute passage. There was little serious discussion of the bill, save by those members who undertook to show that many of the projects failed to have even the in-dorsement of the Army engineers.

Record Shows Debate Character.

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The character of the debate can best be shown by a few extracts from the Congressional Record. The House reached the appropriation of \$35,300 for the Tombigbee River, in Alabama and Mississippi, and this is some of the dis-cussion that followed: Mr. Madden—I thought it would be beneficial to the bill if the Tombigbee were left out and this \$35,000 saved. Mr. Candler—If you strike out the Tombigbee you cannot pass this bill. Mr. Madden—I sincerely hope this item will be stricken out that this \$35,000 as the be-00 at least will be saved as the be-inning of the end of a fund to be used

ginning of the end of a fund to be used later on for preparedness. Mr. Mann—The Senate the other day passed a bill for a bridge across the Tom Beckby, commonly called the Tom-bigbee. I want to know the correct name of the stream. I want to know whether the gentleman from Missis-sippi is going to permit the Senate to call this the 'Tom Beckby' River. Mr. Candler—Even the Senate, if it were an august body of idiots, would not undertake to change the name of the Tombigbee, because if they did they would change the history of the United States.

States. Mr. Sloan-Why should we invest any morey on this river? It is Mr. Beck-

Persiflage Fails to Amend Bill. Mr. Mann-The gentleman is wrong This is the Tombigbee, and it belongs to the gentleman from Mississippi, Mr.

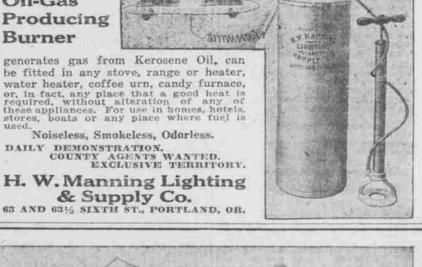
Candlet Mr. Moore-Where the name of the river is spelled in two different ways, is it not entitled to two distinct appropriations?

Mr. Candler-The Tombigbee is en-titled to a double appropriation regard-less of its spelling.

And after more of this airy persiflage the House agreed to the sppropriation for one of the notorious "pork barrel"

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Former Trip Notable.

Former Trip Notable. Mr. Borden is well filted by experi-ince for his proposed long journey. Though he did not go but half as far north as his present plans will carry him, he made a notable voyage in the Summer of 1913 in his 100-foot salling yacht, Adventu-er, from the coast of Maine, around the American continent, through the Straits of Magellan, thence to the Pacific Coast and on to a point about 200 miles north of the Aleutian Islands. It was the delightful experi-ence that he had on this trip that got the salt of the northern sea into his veins. Keep Into peace. Now Mr. McNamara, whose voice has received the praises of so great a singer as Mme. Schumann-Heink, has visions part is dreaming dreams of singing for store evenings a week, for one whole hours. Three evenings a week, for one whole is giving of his time and talent to train the great voice of the 30-year-old youthful ex-patrolman for the concert stage. Senator William Hughes is Mc-

Veins. The route of the Great Bear will take her through the Pacific Ocean for 2000 miles on the first leg of the journey from Scattle, on which she will reach the Aleutian Islands, where, as she turns northward she will ex-pect to encounter much floating ice. Three great sails and her powerful oil-to make the handling of the boat casy. Another thousand miles will bring her to the Guif of Anadyr, off the Siberian

FISH DRAGGED WOMAN IN keep the peace. - New Mr. McNamara, whose voice has

Namara's benefactor, having made it

Namara's benefactor, having mide it possible for the young singer to pur-sue his studies under the noted Caruso. The appeal to the New Jersey solon fell not on dear ears, for he is "full is a car of of the bause dis-may have fallen in, and a can of bait of art for art's sake," and he made ar-rangements through Caruso's manager that the tenor should give instruction to McNamara, and it isn't costing the latter anything but hard work. MeNamara said the other day that "if hard work will hand me where I want to go there will han on difficulty. I am working day and night." Here the tenor should give instruction. The supposed the woman slipped working day and night." Here the tenor should give instruction to McNamara and it isn't costing the hard work will hand me where I want to go there will be no difficulty. I am working day and night." Here the tenor the instruction tenor the tenor tenor the tenor the tenor t

FISH DRAGGED WOMAN IN Mrs. Frank La Duke Believed to Have Lost Life in River. RAYMOND, Wash., April 15.—(Spe-cial.) — Mrs. Frank LaDuke, of East Raymond, has been missing since yes-terday morning, under circumstances which he disclosed to the prison authorities, provided that a "well-known gang leader," was to be in charge of the jail delivery. This leader and another man were to come to the prison at night in the guise of Federal officers with a prisoner. Six confederates were to be concealed out-side and as the keeper opened the door these men were to cover him with revolvers, bind and gag him. Another which he disclosed to the prison authorities, provided that a "And so the debate ran on. The record of the House proceedings during con-sideration of the river and harbor bill is filled with "(Laughter.)" Three was more of an effort to provoke mirth the article and as the keeper opened the prevolvers, bind and gag him. Another which he disclosed to the prison authorities, provided that a "Statement of the statement of the stateme

terday morning, under circumstances which point to accidental drowning. The accident is supposed to have oc-curred about 10 o'clock in the morning, but her disappearance was not discov-ered until her children returned home from school in the afternoon. A search of the bank of the river that runs within a rod of the house dis-closed heel prints where Mrs. La Duke may have failen in, and a can of bait york today filed with the Supreme Courted abrief setting forth reasons for ing pole was found near by. Later her fish-ing pole was found some distance down

return to her parents.

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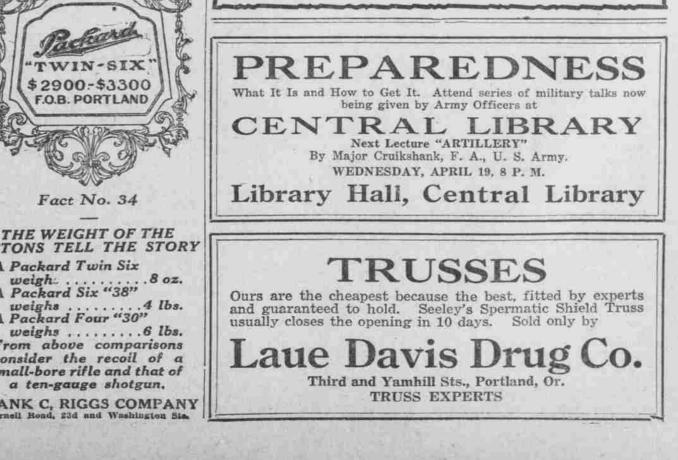
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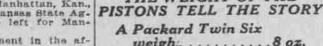


Another thousand miles will bring her to the Guif of Anadyr, off the Siberian coast. Then she will pass into the Arctic Ocean and will circle Point Bar-row through the Beaufort Sea and hav-ing added another 2000 miles to the dis-tance from Seattle, she will reach Cor-onation Guif, off the northern coast of Canada, where the journey will end The return will be made over the same rout. GERMLESS RESORT IS NEED \$30,000 LODGE CONTRACTED DR. TORBET'S FUNERAL SET Modern Woodmen to Build at Elev-Services Will Be Conducted Tomor-

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DAYTON, Wash. April 15.—(Special) —A daring theft was committed here Thursday night when a car belonging to Fred Florine, clerk of the Pacific Fower & Light Company was stolen from the street in front of his home inst at dusk. —Mrs. Florine heard the car start and remarked that it sounded like their own, but thought that unlikely and continued her work. —The suitherities were notified, but were aluded everywhere, and not until morning after the car had been left a wreck on the state highway about from the street in front of Walla Walla was it found. —Musch and the car start and prime state of the car start and prime state of

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 15,-Fred E, Pape, of Seattle, was chosen state fire warden today at a meeting of the State Porest Commission, succeeding E. W. Ferrie, who resigned to become FRANK C, RIGGS COMPANY postmaster at Mount Vernon,



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