



MISS CLARA MATHES, LEADING LADY OF THE MATHES COMPANY TO APPEAR AT FISHERS' THIS WEEK.

### ADVICES RELATIVE TO MESS CANNED BEEF SHIPMENTS

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Railroad freight officials have additional advices relative to Russian and Japanese mess and canned beef shipments from the east by way of this port to their respective military depots in the orient. Japan is ordering for shipment from Kansas City Omaha and Chicago 2,500,000 pounds of corned beef. She has already contracted in Cincinnati for 12,000 cases of mess beef. The same country is taking from a Chicago firm, in 60,000 pounds monthly shipments, 800,000 pounds of mess beef. By February 15 next Japan will have taken from this country as food for her war forces about 7,000,000 pounds of mess beef. Russian shipments of mess beef up to February 15 next from Chicago, Kansas City and Omaha, will have amounted to an aggregate of about 6,000,000 pounds, inclusive of 3,000,000 pounds now loaded on board ship in this harbor.

### EGBERT BELIEVED THAT WHILE THERE'S LIFE THERE IS HOPE

Salem, Ore., Jan. 30.—Although Egbert had apparently become thoroughly resigned to his fate and felt that nothing could save him from the doom that awaited him, it is known that he had not completely given up all chances of escape, for he still maintained a faint hope that something would happen before the end came that would spare him the pain of death upon the gallows. This fact was proven upon the last night of his stay on earth, or rather the early hours of the day of his execution. Warren Cyrus, for whom Egbert formed an attachment, and who took Egbert upon his daily walks and acted as his watch during the last night, says that Egbert entertained a faint hope of escaping the gallows up to the last moment. His last hope was that the rope would break, and he thought that if this thing should happen he would be subject to release. At any rate, before retiring about 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning, Egbert asked as a last favor of Cyrus that he (Cyrus) should speak to the Warden and beg him to turn him (Egbert) loose if the rope should break upon the first attempt. Cyrus promised him that he would do so, but at the same time he knew that in case the rope should break, which was altogether improbable, as the rope was made especially for the occasion of extra long fibre, Egbert could not be liberated as the warrant reads that he should be hanged until dead. The supreme court, too, in the case of Armstrong, held that even though a person should be hanged and pronounced dead and should "come to life again," the court would have the power to have him executed again. However nervous Egbert may have been over the ordeal which he must go through before the execution, he was determined to enter the unknown in his natural state, and repeatedly refused to take stimulants which were offered him when it was thought, upon several occasions, that he was on the verge of collapse. There is another interesting feature about the case of Egbert which has not yet been given publicity, and that was that he was supposed to, or at least claimed to, know who it was that supplied Tracy and Merrill with their firearms when they made their sensational escape from the penitentiary here in June, 1902. Egbert claimed that he knew who said that he would put the guns over the wall and also that he knew who had offered to put up \$50 to buy the guns. He had repeatedly intimated to his guard that he knew who had placed the guns within reach of Tracy and Merrill, but the most tactful and careful questioning upon the part of the guard could not induce him to divulge that secret. The officers of the prison tried every means possible to induce him to tell who did the deed before he was executed, but he maintained his stubborn silence on this point. Guard Cyrus, the last night, tried very hard to get the confession out of him, but he failed utterly, although he thought at one time he was going to tell it. When Cyrus put the direct question to him: "Did you put the guns over the wall?" he said that Egbert turned fairly black with rage and looked as though he would have attacked him had he been within reach of him. He would tell Mr. Cyrus anything he asked him except this and no kind of questioning would move him to betray the guilty party or parties for some unknown reason.

### HITCHCOCK RECEIVES NOTICE OREGON ARRESTS

Washington, Jan. 30.—Secretary Hitchcock today received the following telegraphic report of wholesale arrests made in the land fraud cases at Pendleton, Ore.: "The important arrests made yesterday in the land fraud cases includes eight entrymen, Notary Public Parks,

#### NOTABLE GUESTS AT CLUB.

President Roosevelt, Secretaries and Diplomats Enjoy Themselves.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Gridiron Club entertained notable guests at its annual dinner at the Arlington hotel tonight. In the large assembly were the president, members of the cabinet, diplomats, senators, representatives, army and navy officers and other prominent persons. Men whose names have figured in connection with the presidency, including the present chief executive, Hanna, Taft, Gorman, Cockrell and Francis, were present and enjoyed clever satire and gridiron quips at the expense of themselves as well as many unique features burlesquing national and international events.

The menu was a treaty for the establishment of the "gridiron alimentary canal," in which a number of guests figured as high contracting parties.

Among those who made speeches were President Roosevelt, Secretaries Root, Shaw and Wilson, Governor Taft, the German ambassador, Speaker Cannon, ex-Senator Carter and Senators Hanna, Gorman and Cockrell.

#### No Chinamen Wanted.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 30.—"No Chinamen wanted," is the slogan for the moment for the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council. It was recently reported that an overall factory on the Pacific coast intended to establish a branch at the prairie capital, and operate it entirely by oriental labor.

Winnipeg has no objections to another factory, but it does not want the Celestials. It prefers that British Columbia keep them. The labor council has accordingly taken the matter up, and has particularly appealed to the women to back it up in keeping the Chinese out. "Knowing something of the injurious effects that such concerns have," says a resolution of the council, "especially as they are injurious to the women workers, we feel alarmed that any such proposition should be entertained by any good citizens." The council accordingly calls on all Winnipeg merchants, workers, employers and employes to discountenance the inauguration of a Chinese-operated factory in as strong a manner as possible.

#### Threatened From Another Quarter.

Paris, Jan. 30.—Oscar T. Crosby, the American explorer, has returned to Paris from a trip to central Asia, where he explored parts of Turkestan and Tibet never before visited by a white man. On his way to Tibet Mr. Crosby skirted Afghanistan, visited Chinese Turkestan and later traversed the Kashmir and Karakorum route, probably one of the most difficult used by human beings, to India. His investigation developed that China was threatened from another quarter, by her rear door, and that an advance by Russia and Great Britain in this direction may become as important in its possible result to the United States as a move of the European powers from the sea.

#### Will Wait For Japan.

Paris, Jan. 30.—Gaulois quotes a high authority as follows: "Russia will not declare war unless she is attacked by Japan. This is the will of the czar and the fundamental base upon which negotiations will be continued. At St. Petersburg it is believed that Japan, despite her belligerent attitude, appreciates the madness of engaging in war. "Russia is ready to give satisfaction to the legitimate claims of Japan, on condition that her interests are safeguarded. At this hour war depends upon two eventualities—an attack by Japan or some local incident in Corea necessitating military intervention."

#### Sister of Bryan Dead.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—Miss Nannie Bryan, sister of W. J. Bryan, died here at 1:30 this afternoon. Her brother is on his way from Chicago and has been making a race against time ever since he left the east in order to reach his sister's bedside before the end came. He will arrive late this afternoon. Miss Bryan was 34 years of age. She came to Lincoln in 1898 from Salem, Ill., and had made her home since with her sister, Mrs. T. B. Allen. Her health had not been good for several years.

#### Chamberlain Wants to Know.

London, Jan. 30.—Joseph Chamberlain's tariff commission has mailed to all the manufacturers in the United Kingdom inquiry with regard to trade conditions as effected by foreign tariffs. Replies are designed to form a basis for further inquiry on which the committee intends to formulate a tariff bill.

#### Want to Go it Alone.

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 30.—A monster mass meeting was held here today protesting against the admission of

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### MASQUERADE

Of the Sons of Herman Given February 11.

The annual masquerade ball of the Sons of Hermann will take place in Foard & Stokes hall on Thursday evening, February 11. Nine handsome and durable prizes will be given this year. The committee in charge of the ball has engaged the finest music in the city and the usual good time is assured. The prices of admission are as follows:

- Gent maskers ..... \$1.00
Lady maskers ..... .50
Spectators ..... .50
Children ..... .25

Tickets can be had from any of the members. An additional prize will be given this year to one of the spectators. Coupons will be given with each ticket and of course the lucky one gets the prize.

Arizona and New Mexico to statehood jointly. Resolutions were adopted expressing preference for territorial government independently as against joint statehood.

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Enough Rifles To Equip Army. Washington, Jan. 30.—The war department has announced that by early fall there will be enough new Springfield rifles on hand to equip the entire army.