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MONSIEUR JUSSERAND PREMIER DIPLOMAT

FRENCH AMBASSADOR

Suavest, Busiest, Cleverest and Most Popular Foreign Representative at Washington - Athlete, Historian, Courtier, He Has One End in View, Welfare of France.

Washington.-Jean Adrian Antoine Jules Jusserand is his name, ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary of France his station, and the sauvest, cleverest, busiest and most popular foreign representative at the capital, his reputation.

When it comes to real diplomating, the dapper little man who is accredited to the United States from Paris has everything on these shores distinguished statesmen would express it. There isn't an accomplishment from tennis to public speaking. Jusserand doesn't perform gracefully and well - and always with the purpose of letting the fact sink in that France is Damon to the Pythias of United States,

Stood in With Teddy. In the days when Colonel Roose velt swung the big stick for amusement and the tennis racquet for exercise, there was no single party in the capital who was more willing to submit to graceful defeat-40 to lov -than Jean etc. And, necessarily, there wasn't a man at Washington who was a more boon companionnot that Jusserand couldn't play tennis once in a while when he let him-

self loose. Occasionally he did. Jusserand was also indispensible to President as an historical authority -the little Frenchman, by the way, has written several noteworthy books of history. He was in demand as an orator on every occasion from a convention of foresters to a gridiron dinner; and he was the most popular ladies' man here at the capital.

Even now, that Jusserand dosn't care for golf, and finds President Taft a bit rusty on history, people here who watch things find that the French ambassador is still the busiest diplomatic person around town,

Known to Every Department. Every department, from the state to the interior, knows him. His dapper figure flits through all offices, and even the messenger boys know At present the representative from France is particularly on the job at the treasury department. His special object of solicitude is the new tariff board. Much depends, so far as France is concerned, on what this committee of three may recommend regarding the maximum and minimum feature of the Payne-Aldrich act. France is said to be preparing to discriminate against America in the matter of her duties and there are rumors of retallation on the part of

Just "Happens In." Ambassador Jusserand hadn't been back in Washington from the summer headquarters of his embassy more than a few days when he took pains to call at the treasury depart-Emery and Alvin H. Sanders, two of already knew former Assistant Secretary Reynolds, the third member. Up at the treasury they are still talking about that meeting. It looked like a remarkable coincidence that, just as the board had gotten together one day a clerk should usher in Ambassador Jusserand. He had dropped in to pay his respects" to Mr. Reynolds, but of course, at the same time he met the other members of the board. They were delighted that the ambassador had "happened in' so opportunely, but those who are

If France hasn't yet learned the fact, some one ought to tell her that Mr. J. A. A. J. Jusserand knows how to play the game.

FLOODS DEMORALIZE TACOMA TRAIN TRAFFIC

Tacoma, Nov. 4 .- Floods of the past few days played havoc with train schedules of the railroads running into Tacoma. Washouts have occurred at Crocker and Fairfax and much driftwood is in the Carbon river, river. Damage is reported to have been caused by a rise of the water in the Puyallup river near Meeker. A log jam formed at Puyallup. Should



Princess Tharpia, Premier Escape Artist, at the Grand Next Week,

the river rise much further it will overflow the Puyallup Indian res-

LA GRANDE POLICE

A negro burglar was caught by the he struck a match. knocked him down. Mr. Brooks tried a rich man, to get his gun from his pocket, but who in a few minutes joined them, to succeed him. form of a person sneaking along the of considerable importance suspect was disinclined at first to ing fine flavor. obey the command, but the officer had a square bead on him and he surrendered. The negro proved to be DANISH CAPITALIST SEEKS one who has been employed as a porter and bootblack in the Hargans barber shop on Depot street,

The prisoner was taken to jail and a search showed that he had a gun in the left pocket of his coat. Mr. Brooks was called to the jail and he positively identifies the prisoner as the one in his house.

REVOLUTIONARY MEASURE

London.-The house mons will conclude a debate on a budget the most revolutionary piece of legislation ever introduced into parliament, at midnight, and it is announced this evening that it will be passed by a majority of about 250 The measure will be introduced formally at the house of lords Monday. The lords will then adjourn until November 22, when the real fight for its passage will begin.

VESSEL RUNS HEAD ON SEAL ROCKS

San Francisco, Nov. 4 .- The Associated Oil company's steamer Cantania, rammed her head on Seal Rocks at the entrance of Golden Gate today, while feeling her way into port through the fog and was nearly wrecked before the officers were able to swing her clear. When she arrived in San Francisco harbor seven feet of water was in the hold.

Watch Ellers Plano House!

GOVERNMENT PLUMS

SEVERAL ADMINISTRATION JOBS ON TAP

Numerous Vacancies and Empty Berths Walting for Occupants-President Taft Must Find Competents-Associate Justiceship and Ministership to China Most Important Vacancies.

There are several large, juley plums ow hanging on the administration's tree, ready for President Taft's plekng and subsequent distribution to individuals who have an appetite for gevernment delicacies,

The jobs that are awaiting occupants are numerous. It is unusual to find so many good bertha vacant around the capital and particularly so in view of the Roosevelt method of putting in new men in vacant places before the chair of the former incumbent had grown cold. But President Taft's temperament makes him move

Foremost of the vacancies is the asociate justiceship on the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States. BAG NEGRO BURGLAR Obviously, the president will exercise great care in selecting a man to succeed the late Justice Peckham, Ther officers last night and he is now in there is the ticklish matter of securjall, says the La Grande Star. He ing the right man for the minister was encountered at the home of R. P. ship to China, vacanted through the Brooks, who occupies the Mrs. Shear- dismissal of Charles R. Crane of Chier house on North Fir street. Mr. cago. Also there is the question of and Mrs. Brooks had returned from who shall succeed Whitelaw Reid as the show at a little after 10 o'clock ambassador to Great Britain-probwhen Mr. Brooks went into the ably the most important post abroad, kitchen. He there discovered that and the biggest gift within the power there was someone in the room and of the president. It takes more than The negro a big man to fill this place-it takes

Third Assistant Postmaster Generit caught in his clothing. The negro al Lawshe some time ago sent in his escaped through the door and Brooks resignation. Assistant Secretary of fired three shots at him. The offi- Commerce and Labor McHarg has cers, Walden and McLaclen, were at been trying for some weeks to get his once notified, and in fact were at- resignation accepted, and now intends tracted to that locality by the shoot- to leave, willy nilly, this week. So ing. They phoned for Chief Rayburn far, nobody has even been mentioned

As they were going along the railroad | James B. Reynold's resignation as yards discussing the situation. Offi- Third Assistant Secretary of the Treascer Walden saw by the reflection of ury to accept presidential appointment the steam exhaust from an engine the to the tariff biard, leaves another post side of the track. He commanded a There are many who have their eyes halt and "throw up your hands." The on this place. It is a plum of exceed-

BEAUTIFUL DAUGHTER

Salt Lake, Utah.-In the course of a country wide search for a young daughter, who is described as young and beautiful, Hans Bortz, a capitalist of Copenhagen, Denmark, has reached Salt Lake and will journey on to Los Angeles.

The girl, Mr. Bortz says, was dying of tuberculosis four years ago. As a care of a physician, Dr. Carl Bourne of Copenhagen. The climate of the United States worked wonders. Letters received by the anxious father told of the continued improvement of the patient and at last he was told that her recovery was complete, and she was ready to go home. He says that he sent her a considerable sum of money for the expenses of the trip. She did not reach home and her letters ceased. Tortured by anxiety, Mr. Bortz finally came to America and for 18 months he has gone from city to city in quest of his daughter and Dr. Bourne. He stalsfied himself that the two were in Colorado Springs last June, but he missed them. His latest information leads him to believ" that the girl and her physician are now in Los Angeles,

DEDUCTS PRICE OF

London.-Summoned at West Ham by his wife for arrears of maintenance, Henry Green of Neville Road, Upton Park, said: "I have regularly him taken.

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ALEXANDERS

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for the postage and 1d for the postal order. He has always sent me four stamps and a 7s postal order." Defendant-"I always send her five

stamps and a 7s postal order." Mr. Jackson-"You have no right to deduct anything. The wife says you have deducted 2d for ten weeks, and you have not paid the costs, amounting to 24s.

The defendant, who said that he had very little work, was ordered to pay the £1 5s 8d forthwith, or in default seven days' imprisonment.

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Irate Woman-These photographs you made of myself and husband are not at all satisfactory, and I refuse POSTAGE FROM ALIMONY to accept them. Why, my husband

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