MANIAC FAILED TO KILL HEAD OF FRENCH NATION

No Political Import Connected With the Incident Say the French Papers

Paris, Dec. 26.—The entire press of paris with the exception of such reactionary newspapers as the La-Libre Parole and L'Action Francaise consider the attack yesterday on President Fallieres by an unemployed waiter named Mattis, a fantastic act without any political importance. The president considers the attack as that of a maniac.

The Mattis incident was discussed in today's meeting of the cabinet and it was decided "by energetic action to prevent recurrence of similar outrages." Closer secret service servillance will be the chief method of action.

FORM BIG COMPANY FOR CASCARA SALE

Plan is to Regulate the Supply and Demand for the Product

The Pacific Cascara company, composed of the largest holders of and principal dealers in Cascara bark in the Northwest, has been organized in Portland with a capital stock of $250,000.

The object of the company, as stated in the articles of incorporation is to buy and sell Cascara bark, herbs, roots, etc. It is the purpose to establish a market value for the bark to be regulated by the supply and demand. For some time past the bark market has been in a demoralized condition, which, it is said, is not justified by the quantity of bark known to be in existence, and the regular requirements of the trade. The only source of supply of Cascara bark in the world now is Oregon and Washington.

The officers of the company are: President, Daniel J. Fry, of Salem; vice president, W. J. Wasson, of Centralia; treasurer, Herman Metzger, of Portland; secretary and manager, William Pollak, of Albany. The directors, besides the officers named, are Adam Wilhelm, of Monroe; I. P. Callison, of Centralia; and A. F. Peterson, of Toledo.

HEARST'S HIRED MEN WERE BROUGHT IN COURT BY JOHN D.

New York, Dec. 26.—The case of S. S. Carvalho and other officers of the company that publishes William R. Hearst's newspapers in this city, who were arrested last week on the charges of criminal libel brought by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was called in court for a preliminary hearing today. It is expected the case will come to trial early in January. The complaint is based on an article which appeared recently in Mr. Hearst's paper under a Chicago date line. The headline read "John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Originated Peonage in Stockade, It is Said." The dispatch told of conditions said to exist in a stockade at Argo, Ill. The bringing of the charges is regarded as a counter-attack by the Rockefellers, against whom and the Standard Oil interests the Hearst papers have long waged a bitter warfare.

TWO WELL KNOWN MEN DIED TODAY

San Francisco, Dec. 26.—Claus Spreckles, famous sugar refiner and one of the most prominent business men on the Pacific coast, died at his residence in this city of pneumonia this morning.

New Orleans, Dec. 26.—Congressman Robert C. Davey, of Louisiana, died today after an illness of several months. He has been a conspicuous member of the committee on interstate and foreign commerce.

HENRY W. POOR MAKES ASSIGNMENT TODAY

New York, Dec. 26.—Henry W. Poor, trading as Henry W. Poor & Co., at 33 Wall street, assigned today for the benefit of his creditors. Poor is a member of the banking house of H. W. Poor & Co., of this city and Boston.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children for use throughout the season. They break up colds, cure feverishness, constipation, teething disorders, headache and stomach troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

SAW MILLS NEED TARIFF PROTECTION FROM CANADIAN MILLS

W. B. Sherman, the well-known timber man of Grants Pass, Or., is much interested and is well informed in regard to the effect of the removal of the tariff from all foreign timber, this subject now being before congress, says an exchange. In speaking of the matter he said that in his opinion the only timber that would have any immediate effect on our interestts would be that from the domain of Canada.

"Were the tariff taken from the Canadian lumber," said Mr. Sherman, "no doubt the lumber yards of the central and prairie state, where a large proportion of the output of the coast has heretofore been marketed, would be rapidly flooded with the Canadian product. If so, the Pacific coast would have the Pacific coast only for her market.

"This, no doubt, would close down many not only small, but large mills, and would materially depreciate the value of our hundreds of billions feet of standing timber.

"The Canadian government has disposed of its timber in an entirely different manner from that adopted by our government. Instead of having sold her timber to her subjects in 150-acre tracts at $2.50 per acre, as our government has done, the Canadian government has allowed the Weyerhaeuser and other large timber companies to go in and stake off, not only tens, but hundreds of thousands of acres of their timber land.

CHARLES H. WATTS IS GIVEN INTEREST IN JEWELRY FIRM

The firm of J. O. Watts, dealer in jewelry and optical goods, will be known as the Watts Jewelry Company after January 1. Christmas eve. J. O. Watts presented to his son, Charlie, before a number of friends, at a banquet in Otto's, a one-third interest in the firm. The interest applies not only to the jewelry store, which is one of the best in the Willamette valley, but also to the optical parlors.

Charlie H. Watts, the son, was raised in Eugene, and has hundreds of friends among the Eugene and Lane county population, besides many over the state. He has been associated with his father for a number of years, and understands the business thoroughly.

ALVA C. DINKEY.

Alva C. Dinkey, who, it was said, would succeed James Gayley as vice president of the United States Steel corporation is president of the Carnegie Steel company.

LEADERS OF BOTH PARTIES WANT SPECIAL SESSION FOR TARIFF

Washington, Dec. 26.—If the leaders in congress of both parties are able to bring sufficient influence upon Taft, a special session to revise the tariff, will be called almost immediately after inauguration. The purpose will be to cut the session as short as possible to secure an adjournment before the extremely hot weather sets in.

PINKERTON MEN EXPECT TO RECOVER MONROVIA MONEY

Los Angeles, Dec. 26.—Important developments are expected in the next 48 hours of the Monrovia bank robbery of $29,?00, taken Monday night from the vaults of the First National bank. The Pinkerton office today says the guilty parties have been discovered and will be taken into custody in a short time. They also stated that they expect to recover the money.

The Agricultural College will, during the month of January, give free lectures to anyone who cares to attend. The various subjects will be taken up as follows: Dairying from Jan. 18 to March 2?; a course in horticulture Jan 11 to Feb. 20; a course in mechanic arts from Jan. 11 to Feb. 20; a course in road construction from Jan. 11 to Feb. 6; a course in household science and art, from Jan. 11 to Feb. 20. Special lectrues on business methods on the farm will be given.

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At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Turner, on Sixth street, Thursday evening, by the Rev. J. A. McCallum, Mr. Jos. P. Chrisman, of the Siuslaw country, and Miss Ora A. Turner. Mrs. Chrisman is the daughter of Street Commissioner Turner and has a host of friends in this city.

At 6 o'clock, Christmas eve., December 24th, 1908, at the residence Sixth and Madison street, Rev. J. S. McCallum married John Wisman, of Gardiner, and Miss Ora Turner, of Eugene.

AMUSEMENTS

The special attraction opening at the Bell theatre on Monday, Dec. 28, will be Prof. Fauzard, the Handcuff King, escaping from handcuffs and leg irons. The truck mystery, the Hindoo bag mystery. Prof. Fauzard is assisted by Mlle Sulina, spiritualist medium.

Another feature of the bill is Sanborn and Ingersoll, doing high class comedy.

The popular baritone, Mr. Harry Espy, will sing the latest illustrated songs and the biograph will present the latest moving pictures direct from the factory.

On New Year's night there will be a dance at the Crow hall. A general invitation is issued to the public.

"Watch for the Wagon."—See ad. page 4, Boyd Tea Co.

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WONDERFUL MACHINES IN USE IN THE CENSUS BUREAU.

The preliminary work of taking the United States census is almost as gigantic a task as the actual counting of the population. The bureau has the work of the new census fairly under way already and is using some wonderful machines in tabulating and indexing the various classes of information that is to be gathered.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for Lane county.

In the matter of the estate of Christian L. Winter, deceased.

Pursuant to an order dated this day, notice is hereby given to all persons, that my final account as executrix in the above entitled matter, will come up for hearing, allowance and settlement by said court, at a term thereof to be held at the court rooms in the court house in the city of Eugene, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, Jan. 4th, 1909 at which time all persons interested therein may appear and be heard.

Dated Nov. 30, 1908.

ANNIE M. WINTER, Executrix.
S. D. ALLEN, Attorney for Executrix. 4t

REFEREE'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.

Ernest J. Ellis, Fred L. Ellis, Elizabeth H. Ellis, Frances A. Ellis, Samuel Ellis and Mary Ellis, his wife,
vs.
John L. Ellis and John E. Ellis, minor heir of Frances Ellis, deceased, and John L. Ellis, as guardian of John E. Ellis, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree of the Circuit court of the State of Oregon for Lane county, made on, to-wit, the 1st day of December, 1908, in the above entitled cause, which is duly entered at page —— of Volume 13 of the Circuit Court journal of said county, authorizing and directing the undersigned E. O. Potter, sole referee appointed by the court, to sell the following described real property belonging to the plaintiffs and the defendants, as the heirs of Frances Ellis, deceased, as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 22 in Block No. 1 of Shaw & Patterson's addition to Eugene City in Lane county, Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said court, I, E. O. Potter, sole referee, will offer for sale at public auction at the court house door of said Lane county, on Saturday, the 2d day of January, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at 1 o'clock, all the right, title and interest of said plaintiffs and defendants in and to the above described real property as heirs-at-law of Frances Ellis, deceased, together with the courtesy interests of the defendant John L. Ellis.

Terms of sale, cash in hand, subject to confirmation by the court.

E. O. POTTER, Referee.
GEO. B. DORRIS, Attorney.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, September 17, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Alice J. Perdue, of Eugene, Oregon, who, on May 1st, 1908, made Timber Application No. 9904 for W½ of SW¼, Section 24, Township 19 South, Range 8 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 24th day of December, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: W. D. Neely, of Eugene, Oregon; M. E. Gillespie, of Eugene, Oregon; Minnie Winniford, of Oakland, Oregon; E. Whattam, of Eugene, Oregon.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 23, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Judith Ann Carnahan, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, who, on June 13th, 1908, made timber application No. 10172, for s½ of nw¼, ne¼ of nw¼, Sec- 4 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Roseburg, Oregon, on the 20th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hal E. Wood, of Eugene, Oregon; Marvin L. Hammitt, of Eugene, Oregon; George S. Corser, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Samuel Carnahan, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 1, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Jonathan H. Vincent, of Eugene, Oregon, who, on June 17th, 1907, made Timber application, No. 9375, for W½ of SE ¼, Section 22, Township [illegible] South, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Roseburg, Oregon, on the 12th day of December, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: James Wilhelm of Creswell, Oregon; Joseph Wilhelm of Zion, Oregon; Joseph A. Mayo of Zion, Oregon; Earl McNutt of Eugene, Oregon.

Re-advertisement.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Or., December 3, 1908.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by ... Pratt, contestant, against ... entry No. 12,2?1, made ... for N. W. 1-4 Section ... S., Range 2 E. Willamette ... Jesse J. ..., contestee ... is alleged that Jesse J. ... [illegible]

... J. M. LA[WRENCE] ...

Fred Fisk. Oregon ... bought and sold. ...

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