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A MONUMENT in memory of Professor Nocard was unveiled recently in the Veterinary School of Alfort by M. Ruan, minister of agriculture.

SEÑOR MANUEL GARCIA, the well-known teacher of music, and eminent for the invention of the laryngoscope, died in London, on June 30. It will be remembered that the hundredth birthday of Señor Garcia was celebrated on March 17, 1905.

THE death is announced of M. Rayet, director of the observatory and professor in the University of Bordeaux.

DR. PHILIP OSSIANNIKOW, professor of anatomy and physiology at the University of St. Petersburg, died on June 11, at the age of seventy-nine years.

A NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES has been established in Japan. It will contain forty members, of whom fifteen are to be nominated by the government and twenty-five elected.

THERE will be an international conference on cancer research in connection with the opening of the Institute for Cancer Research at Heidelberg, on September 24.

THE offer of the New York Zoological Society to the government to provide a herd of buffaloes for the Wichita Forest Reserve, in southwestern Oklahoma, has been accepted. The society will supply a herd of between fifteen and twenty buffaloes, and the government will fence in a suitable range on the game reserve. For this purpose an appropriation of \$15,000 was included in the agricultural bill.

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MR. CLARENCE H. MACKAY and Mrs. John W. Mackay have given \$100,000 to the Uni-

versity of California, to endow the chair of electrical engineering. It will be known as the John W. Mackay, Jr., professorship, in memory of Mr. Mackay's brother, and will be filled by Professor C. L. Cory, head of the department of mechanical and electrical engineering.

THE newly-organized School of Forestry of Colorado College will begin work at the opening of the college term in September. The courses in engineering, chemistry, physics, geology and biology will be given at the college in Colorado Springs. The instruction in forestry proper will be given partly in Colorado Springs and partly in Manitou Park, a forested area of 13,000 acres, situated in the mountains at a distance of twenty miles from the city. This tract has been recently presented to the college for the use of the School of Forestry, and a number of cottages have been provided for the instructors and students.

DR. GEORGE E. FELLOWS, president of the University of Maine, has declined the offer of the presidency of the Pennsylvania State College.

DR. JAMES LOUDON has, on the ground of ill health, resigned the principalship of the University of Toronto.

DR. RAYMOND PEARL, instructor in zoology at the University of Michigan, has been appointed instructor in zoology at the University of Pennsylvania.

LOUIS M. TERMAN, Ph.D. (Clark, 1905), principal of the San Bernardino High School, California, has been appointed professor of pedagogy at the State Normal College at Los Angeles.

C. S. MYERS, M.A., M.D., has been appointed professor of psychology at King's College, London. At the same institution H. S. Allen, B.A., B.Sc., has been appointed senior lecturer in physics.

PROFESSOR ALBERT NARATH, of Utrecht, has been appointed professor of surgery in the University of Heidelberg, to succeed Professor Czerny, who has retired to take charge of the new Cancer Institute.