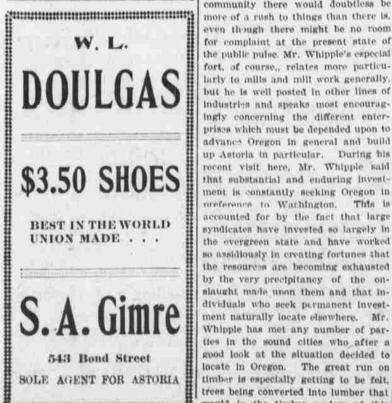


Mary's hospital after a prolonged illness. Deceased was a nutive of Norway and had been an inmate of the hospital for the past three years.

Sirs Margaret Frey died at her home 258 Bond street .yesterday morning at backed by 50,000,000,000 feet of the best 10:39 o'clock, after an illness of several timber." While this might be rightly months. Deceased is survived by a considered somewhat of an exaggeradaughter, Mrs. Margaret Paulsen of Brookfield, and a son, John Ryan of try tributary to Warrenton affords an this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic church, to which friends of the family are invited to attend.

It is well worth the while of any Astorian who admires enterprise to visit the store of the A. Dunbar company. Other merchants are enterprising, but for ingenuity Mr. Dunbar is surely entitled to the prize. He and an efficient corps of clerks have just completed the interior holiday decorations, and the result of their efforts is certainly a flattering tribute to them. Autumn leaves are grecefully entwined about the shelves, while arches of snow-white bunting reach from celling to floor. A line of holiday goods that has never before been equalled is displayed, and the store can be properly termed one of the most attractive of its kind on the entire coast.

in the lumber market.



it up to make a large and successful J. R. Richard was brought in from enterprise. The mill will be built on Vine Maple last evening and taken to the cast side of the river at the bend the county fail, where he will be conopposite D. K. Warren's landing. The fined pending examination as to his Port Oregon Tribune, now defunct, all

sanity. Birchard was accompanied by along claimed that "Warrenton is James Jamieson. The man is laboring under the hallucination that he has killed somebody ,and he wants to give himself up to the authorities. He seems to be in a bad mental state, and at tion, the fact remains that the counhis examination before Judge Trenchalmost inexhaustable supply of materard on Monday will probably be comial suitable for the manufacture of mitted to the state hospital for treatlumber and the wonder is that it has ment.

not long ago been utilized to a greater It is possible that the parties who extent for local consumption. The preshave made repeated attempts to fire ent Warrenton mill gives employment to a substantial crew of men and it is Fort Stevens and were successful in destroying some of the partially disnow in active operation but if larger used buildings have at last been appreworks are constructed the business will hended and will be made to suffer sedoubtless be merged, making one of the vere punishment for their heinous oflargest industries of its kind in this fenses. At any rate four suspects are part of the northwest, and one that will unquestionably be felt and appreciated lodged in jall at the post, having been arrested Thursday last at the instig-

nation of an order received from headquarters at Vancouver, and the accept-It is possibly true that there will oced belief is that the prisoners are incasionally be found those who become discouraged with local prospects and cendiary suspects. As the whole affair speak slightingly of Astoria's future, is tried to be kept absolutely secret only surmises and vague reports can but W. W. Whipple is certainly not one of them. If the optimism that be depended upon to give evidencer be depended upon to give credence to the that gentleman displays as to the outtheory advanced, but it is generally aclook of this section of the state could cepted as genuine, nevertheless, What be felt by every business man in the tends toward the authenticity of the community there would doubtless be idea more than anything else that the more of a rush to things than there is, men are suspected of being the fire even though there might be no room. bugs are the incidents which led up to for complaint at the present state of the arrest. It has developed that Samthe public pulse. Mr. Whipple's especial uel Simonds, the well known detective fort, of course,, relates more particuof Portland was in the city Wedneslarly to mills and mill work generally. but he is well posted in other lines of day, though at the time he was not industries and speaks most encouragknown to be here, those interested in ingly concerning the different enterhis presence being very careful not to prises which must be depended upon to let the fact slip. It has also come out that the detective held an audience advance Oregon in general and build up Astoria in particular. During his with General Randall at Vancouver, recent visit here, Mr. Whipple said Thursday morning and obtaining authat substantial and enduring investthority to place the suspects under ment is constantly seeking Oregon in arrest returned that night and did so. preference to Wachington. This is It is not probable that this secrecy and accounted for by the fact that large effort would have been affected had syndicates have invested so largely in the case not been one of great importthe overgreen state and have worked ance. The names of the prisoners have so assidiously in creating fortunes that not been learned. the resources are becoming exhausted

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