

GORGEOUS FIREWORKS

Final Arrangements Completed for Greatest Display Ever Witnessed in Portland—Scene of Event Will Be Fair Grounds.

All arrangements have been completed by Chairman Blumauer and his fireworks committee for the most gorgeous display of fireworks at the fair grounds on the night of the Fourth that has ever been seen in a western city. Over 50 pieces, some of which will take five minutes to develop, will be sent up from the bridge, midway between the east end of the lake and government buildings.

Elaborate Set Pieces.

Among the finer set pieces will be an emigrant's ox team coming across the plains, passed by a band of Indians with bows and arrows, the first four horse stage that ever came into Portland being held up by a band of road agents with rifles; the steamship Columbia, the first ocean-going steamer that ever entered the Columbia river; the first train of cars with engine that ever came to Portland; an automobile running across the grounds while aflame. There will also be a number of portraits of prominent men of the day.

Skyrockets by Thousands.

Thousands of skyrockets, roman candles and bombs will be set off. The fireworks display will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and will continue until between 11 and 12. A band of 30 pieces will occupy the bandstand, beginning to play at 8 o'clock, and will continue to play until the fireworks display is over.

The Idaho and New York buildings have been rented and will be reserved for the invited guests of the committee.

Chairman Blumauer has set apart a portion of the grounds to be occupied by automobiles and another district for horse vehicles. Twenty policemen will be on hand to keep order and enforce the regulations of the fireworks committee.

Aquatic Events.

The committee on aquatic sports has arranged the following program for Thursday:

9:30 a. m.—Free-for-all handicap yacht race; starts at Madison street bridge, to Ross island and return. Cash prize, \$15 first, \$7 second.

10 a. m.—Two-oared cutter race, by first, second, third and fourth divisions. U. S. S. Charleston; Steel bridge to Morrison street bridge. Cash prize, \$40.

10:25 a. m.—Motor-boat handicap race; Morrison street bridge to Swan island, thence to Ross island and return, finishing at Morrison street bridge. Cash prize, \$40.

10:40 a. m.—Twelve-oared cutter race, first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh divisions. U. S. S. Charleston; Steel bridge to Morrison street bridge. Cash prize, \$30.

11 a. m.—Double canoe race, open to all amateurs; Burnside street bridge to Morrison street bridge. Medal.

11:20 a. m.—Tilting canoe contest; Morrison street bridge to Ross island and return. Medal.

11:25 a. m.—Free-for-all race for any kind of boats, between crews of U. S. S. Charleston and torpedo-boat Paul Jones; Steel bridge to Morrison street bridge. Cash prize, \$40.

11:45 a. m.—Rowing race; Steel bridge to Morrison street bridge. Medal.

Tonight at headquarters in the chamber of commerce the general committee will hold the final meeting. Everything is in readiness.

UNHAPPY LIFE'S TRAGIC ENDING

Mystery of Mrs. Freyman's Disappearance Has Now Been Solved.

SKELTON FOUND ON RIVER DRIFT

Vanished in the Very Early Morning Hours of Last New Year's Day While Deranged and No Trace Had Been Discovered.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Woodburn, Or., July 1.—The body of Mrs. Mark Freyman, who had been missing since early in the morning of January 1 last, was found yesterday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock by an old lander who was fishing in Pudding river, a stream in driftwood between the two wooden bridges crossing the stream east of Woodburn.

Very little was left of the body save the skeleton.

The husband identified the remains by the false teeth and the clothing, which was the same that she had when last seen. She had evidently jumped from the railroad bridge into the river and her body had drifted down to the point where it was found.

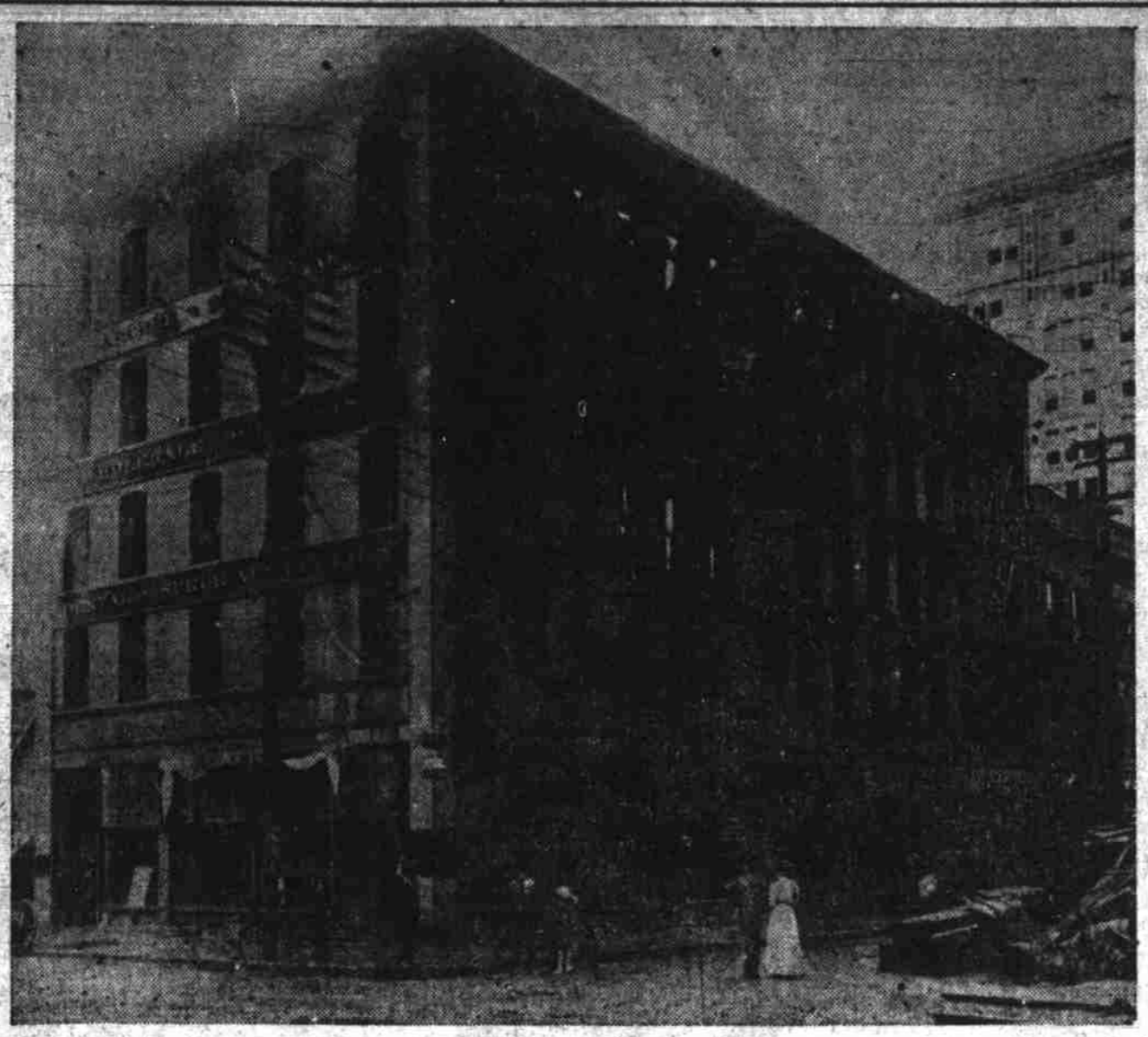
The Disappearance.

Mrs. Freyman on December 31 took her wife to the home of her sister, Mrs. Bert Jordan, of Hubbard, because she expressed a wish to go there and also on account of her making a threat the night before to commit suicide, stating that her heart was with another man. Her request he did not remain with her that night. Early the next morning she slipped away from the house and no signs were ever obtained of her until the body was found, six months afterward.

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McCulm Building, Corner of Fifth and Stark Streets, Taken After the Fire.

STOLE PINKERTON'S LETTERS

By Hugh O'Neill.
(Special Commissioner of the Denver Post and the Oregon Journal.)
Boise, Ida., July 1.—Very quietly, and with a smile, Senator William Borah, that "obscure country attorney of Idaho," called the bluff of the defense on the Haywood case this morning. The stake was not worth playing for in this game for the life of a man, but it was the stake, and the game is being played, according to that cautious and obsolete legal principle, "the doctrine of contentious procedure," and the defense did try a bluff and the "obscure country attorney of Idaho" did call it. And, as a result of Borah's action, Clarence Darrow worked his throat dry reading to the jury the copies of the letters Morris Friedman stole from the Denver office of the Pinkerton agency.

To Be Stared and Laughed At.

And while Clarence Darrow read the reports of the Pinkerton operatives, Morris Friedman, the slight-of-hand stenographer, sat in the witness chair for the jury to look at him. And it is reasonably safe to say that the longer they looked at him the less they liked him. That fact is true of Harry Orchard, too, but whenever Orchard has been on the stand he has been in action, answering questions quickly and with decision, strengthening constantly the memorable and remarkable impression. But Morris Friedman, as the letter thief, had nothing to do but sit up and be stared at, with his face growing paler

Search was made for her for miles around Woodburn and Hubbard.

The woman's married life was an unhappy one, her mind was weak and she became easily excited, especially on religious subjects.

The remains were taken to Hubbard cemetery and buried there.

CORNER ON SLABWOOD

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good commercial slabs into the gulch each and every day. Word was given out that there was a scarcity and results bore out the statement.

At the present time Mr. Banfield says there are less than 15,000 cords of dry slabs in Portland. The mills, with the exception of the Eastern & Western, are running on half time and only 335 cords of slabs are being sawed per day. He predicts that wood will be hard to get and harder yet to pay for, but at the same time his statement is made the Inman-Poulsen mill is filling the gulch day by day with an endless chain of fuel material. Across the river the tracheate lumber company has no gulch, but is pouring its waste into its recently constructed waste burner.

GUARD BENGEN MADE ASSISTANT WARDEN

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, July 1.—John Bengen of Portland, who for the past four years has been one of the guards at the Oregon state penitentiary, assumed today the duties of assistant warden, having been promoted to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of J. S. Smith, who gives up his work at the prison to engage in farming on the Yanke place, near this city. Bengen has been an efficient guard and his promotion comes for faithful performance of duty.

SERVE SUBPOENAS ON OIL KING TODAY

(Journal Special Service.)
Chicago, July 1.—Marshal Henkel this morning sent word to District Attorney Sims that he expects to serve John D. Rockefeller and also William Rockefeller and C. M. Pratt with subpoenas today.

All efforts to locate Rockefeller failed up today. Marshal Henkel armed with subpoenas started all night in the vicinity of Prenticeville.

ASYLUM ATTENDANT DROWNS HIMSELF

Allen R. Howell, III and Despondent, Casts Himself Into Water Tank—Home in New York.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, July 1.—Harassed by sickness and despondent, Allen R. Howell, an attendant at the asylum farm, six miles

Darrow Reads to Jury Missives Purloined by Morris Friedman, Former Secretary, From Chief of Detectives—Little Bearing.

And the tips of his nostrils growing redder, while Clarence Darrow grinned and sometimes laughed outright as he read the "operatives' reports" published by Morris Friedman in his little book "The Pinkerton Labor Spy."

The Rejection That Never Came.

Those letters have nothing essential to do with this case. They would not have been admitted as authentic documents if the prosecution had objected. And the scheme of the defense was that they should be rejected. Then the defense would say that they had been prepared to prove the conspiracy of the Colorado miners' association against the Western Federation, only the prosecution and the court had prevented them from doing that on a "mere legal technicality."

AUTO ROAD ADVOCATED

S. G. Reed, president of the Portland chamber of commerce, would like to see a 50-mile automobile road between Portland and Tillamook City and has taken the question up with the board of trustees of the organization and prominent business men and officials of the coast town.

President Reed of Chamber of Commerce Favors Connection of Rose City and Tillamook by Such Means—Citizens Enthusiastic.

Acting under the instructions of Mr. Reed, E. C. Giltner, secretary of the chamber of commerce, has written to the business men and officials of Tillamook City, asking them to collect and forward data regarding the construction of the proposed road. When this material has been collected the matter will be taken up by the board of trustees for consideration.

Mr. Reed was led to the advocacy of the plan by the lack of transportation facilities existing between Portland and the Tillamook country and proposed to the board of trustees of the chamber of commerce that a plan be set on foot to have the business interests of Portland dealing with the Tillamook country join hands with those of Tillamook in the construction of the road. It was proposed to select a level and easy route for the road and construct the thoroughfare in such manner that automobiles could make the trip easily from one town to the other.

Mr. Giltner wrote to the business men of Tillamook outlining the plan to them. He has received a reply stating that the project was enthusiastically welcomed there and that all available data concerning the length of the road, its cost of construction and the amount of money that could be contributed by the business interests of Tillamook would be gathered at once and forwarded to Portland. As soon as that is done the matter will be taken up by the board of trustees and some definite action decided upon.

very satisfactory as a transparency. Sometimes Morris but his face on one side and elevated the point of his chin and wore a "sainted-mother" expression that was very aggravating. You wanted to convey to him Thomas Carlyle's message to a notable personage: "You cumber the earth—get out."

And Morris, the reformer-informer, who has turned from stenography to letter-stealing and authorship, would have been glad enough to "get out" too. Sitting up to be looked at in a very high chair in a very hot room crowded with staring men and women would be uncomfortable for an honest man, but it was very uncomfortable for a person who had admitted that he was a letter thief.

Darrow Despises His Witness.

And he cannot plead that he reluctantly sacrificed his own dearly- prized honor for the sake of any Great Cause. The evidence against him is too strong for that. He is "out" for Friedman. The prosecution knows it, and the defense knows it. There was nothing but contempt in Clarence Darrow's voice whenever he spoke to Friedman. Occasionally he had to ask him to identify letters, and when he did that he talked to him like a whipped dog. And then Clarence Darrow would turn and smile at the jury with a smile that plainly said: "You see, we have our reformer-informer, too. And they're a pretty pair, aren't they?"

Clarence Darrow has a pleasant reading voice and he stood up against a table reading the copies of the stolen letters. And all the morning Morris Friedman sat in his high chair, trying to look saintly, and falling.

WITH PROFOUND APOLOGIES TO HARRY MURPHY:
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MEETING OF FISH AND GAME WARDENS

Helena, Mont., July 1.—W. F. Scott, state fish and game warden, today issued the call for the fifth annual meeting of the National Association of Fish and Game Wardens, to be held in Yellowstone park, August 9 and 10 next. General Young, in charge of the park, had written to Warden Scott, offering the use of the government buildings for the purpose. After telegraphic correspondence with members, which include representatives from every state in the union, the tender was accepted and a call issued. Accordingly, the place is particularly appropriate, being the largest game preserve in the world.

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