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NEWS OF NORTHWEST.

Mrs. Frederickson's Body Found In a Dungheap.

ROSE MAKES A CONFESSION.

A Cheney Farmer Accidentally Kills Himself While Hunting.

SALEM VOTES FOR THE BRIDGE.

Funeral of General Milroy at Olympia, Largely Attended—Horrible Murder at Vancouver, B. C.

From the Portland Oregonian.

ASTORIA, April 3.—The verdict of the coroner's jury at Bay Center, Wash., charged George Rose and John Edwards with the murder of Jens F. Fredricksen, who disappeared early in February, and whose body was found last Wednesday in a lonely gulch near the scene. On Saturday George Rose offered to lead the officers to the spot where Mrs. Frederickson's body was concealed.

He took them to the rear of a pig pen on Rose's ranch, where the body was dug out of a pile of human excrement and pig manure and taken to Bay Center. The boy confessed later, but the only thing which has leaked out about this is that he said Jack Edwards and another man, who is now in Eastern Washington did the murder. The prisoners were all removed to the county jail at Oysterville. George D. Jones started for Astoria yesterday, but was arrested at Sealand, returned to Oysterville and lodged in jail. A printer named Lowery was arrested at Sealand this morning, just as he was boarding a train to leave.

Mrs. Frederickson had been shot through the head with a rifle. John B. Rose, the father of George, when taken to see the corpse of Frederickson before the wife was exhumed, burst into tears and said he was glad they had found that body, and hoped they would find the other one soon, as its discovery would clear his skirts all the sooner.

KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

A Prominent Cheney Farmer Accidentally Shoots Himself.

CHENEY, March 3.—[Special Telegram.]—S. J. Tift, a prominent farmer living about three miles south of this city, was fatally injured this afternoon about 4 o'clock by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting, the charge taking effect in the groin. He bled to death before a doctor could be summoned.

The Cheney water works bonds were sold to-day and work on the mains will begin at once.

Hon. S. A. Grubb arrived home last night from Olympia, and was given an ovation.

A STEEL BRIDGE AT SALEM.

The $20,000 Bonds Voted By a Large Majority.

SALEM, April 3.—At a special city election to-day, to elect a city treasurer and vote on $20,000 bonds to assist in rebuilding the bridge, a pretty good vote was cast. The result was: For the bridge, 578 votes; against, 40. For treasurer, E. J. Swafford, 557; W. T. Bell, 59. Swafford was the man who resigned the office to which he was re-elected that the city might hold an election for the purpose of incurring an indebtedness to build the bridge.

This, it may be said, insures the building of a good bridge across the Willamette here. The people do not favor a cheap affair, and a steel bridge will, perhaps, be the result. Bids for the bridge will be opened April 11.

FUNERAL OF GENERAL MILROY.

The Soldier's Coffin Heaped With Flowers—Great Throng of Mourners.

OLYMPIA, April 3.—The funeral services over General R. H. Milroy took place to-day at 1:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. Rev. J. R. Thompson, formerly the general's pastor at this place, officiated. In the pulpit were Governor Ferry, Speaker Feighan and Rev. Buck, of the Episcopal church. Rev. Thompson reviewed the early life and military career of the deceased, and then discoursed on the character and religious views of his latter life.

The casket was beautifully adorned with wreaths of flowers and tokens emblematic of the works and hopes of the departed hero. The ceremonies were simple, but impressive and largely attended. A vast concourse of sorrowing people followed the warrior's remains to their last resting place in the Masonic cemetery.

NAKED AND HIS SKULL MASHED.

Body of an Industrious Mechanic Found Murdered at Vancouver, B. C.

VANCOUVER, April 1.—On Sunday Morning the body of Henry T. Sunbury was found dead near the smelter on the Burrard inlet beach, his naked body covered with planks. His clothes were found bid under a stump near by. The head was mashed in evidently by a blunt instrument. Deceased was a very sober, industrious man, and no cause can be attributed for the foul deed. Sanbury had been in the city about three months, and came from near Sherbrooke, Quebec, where friends live.

He worked in a sawmill not far from where found, and was last seen on Friday night near the spot with a man unknown. An inquest will be held to-morrow. The city has offered $200 reward for apprehension of the murderer.

Republicans Oppose Prohibition.

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 4.—The republican city convention endorsed the democratic nominees and adopted a resolution in favor of repealing the present prohibition laws and adoption of a judicious license law.

RELIGION AND THE STATE.

Zealots Endeavoring to Undermine the Corner Stone of the Republic.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The reform conference, an organization formed for the purpose of bringing religion into the settlement of political and state affairs, to-day adopted a platform declaring in favor of employing the teachings of the Bible in the settlement of public affairs, and the insertion of the name of the Supreme being in the constitution. The platform also approves the Blair Sunday rest bill and all measures against gambling, pool-selling and the liquor traffic.

Threatened By The Flood.

VICKSBURG, April 6.—Nineteen negroes, survivors of a large party of refugees who attempted to escape from the overflow down the bayou Eulia on a raft, arrived on a steamer to-day. They report that twelve women and children were drowned. The situation is growing more serious in the Steeple bayou country. Earl Miller, a prominent planter, arrived from there to-day by the steamer Evergreen, with his family and stock. Miller's plantation, though very high, has gone under. The Evergreen reports the water along the bayous rising. Cattle and hogs are offered for sale by the people at a mere song. Much more stock must be brought out or allowed to drown.

The steamer Osceola reports the overflow beginning to empty into the Mississippi through the lake, and predicts a great increase of pressure all along the Louisiana front, from that point southward, for the next two weeks. There is most unmistakable distress along Steeple bayou, and it would be cruelty to deny it. Three steamers leave here to-morrow and will endeavor to bring out all the people in danger.

ARKANSAS CITY, April 6.—The water is rising slowly here, caused by a crevasse in the Bogue bayou. Government engineers have left for that point and will endeavor to close it.

NEW ANTI TRUST BILL REPORTED.

Stringent Provisions to Protect The People From Trusts.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—(*Oregonian* office.) The anti-trust bill as reported to-day from the senate committee on judiciary in substance declares every contract or combination, in the form of a trust or otherwise, or conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce among the several states or territories, or with foreign nations, or in any territory or state, illegal. Every person who shall make such contract or engage in such combination or conspiracy, or who shall monopolize, or combine or conspire with any other person or persons to monopolize any part of the trade or commerce among the several states and territories, or with foreign nations, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding $5000 or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both. Any property owned under any contract or by a combination pursuant to any conspiracy and being in course of transportation shall be forfeited and condemned by like proceedings as those regarding property imported contrary to law. Any person who shall be injured in business or property by any other person or corporation by reason of anything forbidden by this act may sue in any circuit court of the United States and recover threefold the damage sustained, besides the costs of the suit and attorney's fees. The act includes corporations and associations existing under or authorized by the laws of the United States and territories or any foreign country.

AN EFFICIENT OFFICER.

Pension Commissioner Raum Makes a Brilliant Record.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—In a report to Secretary Noble, Pension Commissioner Raum says he will be able by the last of May to cause the examination of every claim pending in his office on the first day of January last. He will have every claim allowed that is completed and the calls for evidence made on those not completed. This result has been secured largely by means of orders issued in the latter part of December, requiring the examination of claims pending, and all appearing completed placed upon the completed file. The adjudicating divisions were directed to spend five days of each week in examining claims on these files, and one day, exclusively, in making calls for additional evidence in pending claims. As a result of this examination, 50,857 claims were put on the completed files. A subsequent order, directing that claims be placed on file on application, accompanied by a statement of the facts showing that the claims are completed, has, up to date, added 28,350 cases to those already on the completed files. During the past three months 52,220 of these cases have been acted upon leaving only 3978 cases remaining on the files. Applications at the rate of 450 a day are being received, and hereafter every claim placed upon these files will be taken up and acted upon within a week. The record last month shows 16,374 pension certificates issued, 8583 of which were original certificates, and being the largest number ever issued in one month by the pension bureau.

THE MISSISSIPPI UP AGAIN.

Flood Refugees Seek the Gin Houses, as Usual. More Bad Breaks.

VICKSBURG, Miss., April 3.—A telephone message from Mayersville, Miss., just received, announces that the entire town and surrounding country has been overflowed by a sudden rise in Steel's bayou. People are moving out of their residences, and taking refuge in the gin houses. The water is over three feet deep on the higher levels of the town, and is rising fast.

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—Dispatches received here report that within the past two days unusually heavy rains have fallen throughout the lower Mississippi, Tensas, Ouachita and Red river valleys, accompanied by severe winds.

BASTROP, La., April 3.—The Bonny Dee levee, twelve miles east of this place, which protects the richest part of this parish from overflow, has broken. It is feared the lower country will be inundated in a short while.

WASHINGTON BENDERS.

Graphic Story of the Butchery of the Fredericksons.

THE ASSASSIN'S SON CONFESSES.

Husband and Wife decoyed Singly to the Places of Slaughter.

GRAVES DUG WHERE THEY FELL.

These Murders Not the First by the Thugs—Further Confessions May Clear the Mists From Other Mysteries.

ASTORIA, April 4.—[From the Portland *Oregonian*.]—The preliminary examination of George F. Rose, John Edwards, John B. Rose, Edward Gibbons and George D. Jones, charged with the murder of Jens F. Frederickson and wife, near South Bend, Pacific county, the last week in January, took place at Bay Center yesterday. After the hearing of testimony regarding the finding of of the bodies, the autopsy and other matters, the confession of George F. Rose, son of J. B. Rose, and one of the four who composed the killing party, was introduced. It was made March 30, and is in substance as follows:

"My father wanted this 160 acres of land that Jens Frederickson took. He wanted Edwards or Gibbons to take it, pay up, and then deed it to my father. This Gibbons is one of the meanest men who ever came into the country. Edwards and my father made it up as to how they would kill Frederickson and wife. After Edwards made up his mind to take the place for father, he cut down some trees on the place, but father found out after Frederickson had built a shake shanty on the claim that he had commenced a contest to get the land. On Wednesday or Thursday of the last week in January, father, Gibbons and I took a boat and crossed the bay to father's ranch, where we found John Edwards.

We had it all made up as to how we were to do the killing. Father and Edwards went up to Frederickson's house to get him to come down to help hunt cattle. After he came, father, Gibbons, Edwards, Frederickson and I went down to the woods west of the house. Edwards went first, father next, then I, then Frederickson and Gibbons in the rear.

About half a mile west of the house Gibbons said: "Look here, Frederickson," and Frederickson turned, and as he stood, about four feet away, Gibbons fired a shotgun, striking Frederickson in the face.

We buried Frederickson just where he fell. The money Frederickson had in his pocket and divided it between the three of them. After we buried the body we went to father's house. This was in the forenoon between nine and ten o'clock. Father and Edwards went to Frederickson's house and made some excuse to bring Mrs Frederickson down to father's house.

When we got there Edwards, who had father's rifle, raised it and shot her through the head. I helped dig the grave for her. We all worked together, and put her in face up and filled the grave up. We scattered loose dirt and agreed that the rain would fix everything. After killing her we all made up that we should tell the story that we saw Fredrickson and his wife starting in a boat for Bruceport and got lost. Edwards was to take Fredrickson's boat and swamp it.

After detailing the subsequent movements of the assassins, the confession concludes:

I also wish to say that I voluntarily offered to go with the sheriff and show him and the party searching for the body just where Mrs. Fredrickson was buried. I could not hang off any longer. I wanted her buried beside her husband. I could not stand it. The above is the truth, and all the facts concerning the murder of Jens and Seni Frederickson. So help me God. GEORGE F. ROSE.

At conclusion of the hearing John B. Rose, George F. Rose, Edward Gibbons and John Edwards were remanded to the custody of the sheriff, to await the action of the grand jury, at the July term of the district court. There is little danger of lynching, and other confessions are expected which may clear up some former mysteries in that section in which murder seems to have been done at the instigation of or by John B. Rose.

THE OLD SOUTH STILL LINGERS.

Chauncey Depuy Sees the New South and the Horrible Convict Camps.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Chauncey Depuy, who has just returned from the South, was asked by a local reporter this evening if he had seen much of the new South. He replied:

Some of the new and a good deal of the old stock. They sincerely think their property will be wiped out, their homes broken up and society destroyed if the colored men's votes are counted, and they look upon a Northern republican as a species of anarchist who will cheerfully co-operate in such destruction.

One thing more than any other which has debauched public sentiment in the South is the convict labor system in certain states. Unless Kennan's stories of Siberian horrors are absolutely true, there can be no scenes in a civilized country so terrible as in the Southern convict camps. Sometimes the contract calls for a certain number of convicts, and the state furnishes them. If they cannot fill the quota, then the most trivial offenses are made an excuse for long terms of imprisonment. I have no doubt many innocent men are serving sentences in Southern convict camps that a quota might be filled.

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TUMULT AND TERROR.

The Revolutionists in Russia Becoming Bolder and Active.

SIGNS OF A COMING STORM.

Explosives About the Palace—The Czar Frightened—The Universities Closed—The Students Show Their Indignation—A decoy Train Wrecked—The Czar Pained at His Treatment.

LONDON, April 4.—[Pacific Postal Special to Portland *Oregonian*.]—The absolute secrecy observed by the authorities of St. Petersburg in regard to the condition of the czar has left the way clear for a flood of rumors of the most diversified and, in many cases, the most improbable character. Not only is secrecy maintained in the matter of prohibiting reports to get abroad, but the same degree of popular ignorance concerning his majesty prevails in St. Petersburg, where people are even forbidden to indulge in public speculation on the subject.

It is permitted to be known, however, that intense excitement exists in the Russian capitol, and that it is upon the increase. The closing of the universities has swelled popular discontent by the realization that such action has practically ruined the future careers of thousands of young men who, by deprivation of the ensuing years course in the institution from which they are debarred, will be compelled to devote themselves to other pursuits, if, indeed, their enforced leisure does not lead content on this account has spread among hundreds of thousands who would otherwise be content to let things drift in the old way.

As if to divert popular opinion from state affairs at home, the Novoe Vremya urges that more attention be paid by the government to affairs in Afghanistan and India, and warns the government to beware of British intrigues in the former territory, which it believes are already in progress.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 4.—The police at Gatschina have discovered explosives on the grounds of the imperial palace. The imperial family has in consequence renounced the idea of going there to spend Lent. The czar has for two days suffered from a relapse of influenza which compelled him to postpone audiences. His condition is not serious.

LONDON, April 4.—Advices from St. Petersburg reaffirm the reports of the serious condition of affairs in Russia. The czar is suffering from nervous fever.

The scheme for the Russification of Finland is received with extreme disfavor in that country. Trouble is certain to follow.

All the universities in Russia are closed by the government. Students of the St. Petersburg university attacked General Grosser, chief of the St. Petersburg police. He was thrown to the floor and kicked by his assailants. The students declare that the agitation is solely on account of educational matters. In proof of this they assembled and sang "God Preserve the Czar." The czar is greatly incensed because of the disturbance, and has signified his intention of closing all higher educational establishments for the year. It is feared, however, that a year's idleness will hasten the growth of dissatisfaction.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 4.—The czar has abandoned the proposed hunting trip in Poland on account of a plot to throw the imperial train off the track. A decoy train, supposed to contain the czar and suite, was wrecked by rocks placed on the rails.

The peasants of the government of Kiazan, incensed by the continued flogging to which they have been indiscriminately subjected by District Chief Nordvinoff, have retaliated by attacking that official and administering a severe whipping with his own instrument of torture. The police essayed to rescue Nordvinoff and were stoned for their pains and driven from the scene. The czar was deeply pained when he received news of the summary treatment of his representative.

Among the students arrested on a charge of political revolt are Prince Viomsky and a son of M. Nabokoff, formerly minister of Justice.

DEATH OF T. W. SLUSHER.

Receiver of The Dalles Land Office—A Soldier at Thirteen.

THE DALLES, April 3.—(*Oregonian* special.)—Hon. T. W. Slusher, receiver of the land office, died at noon to-day, after a lingering illness, at the age of 43. He was born in Pennsylvania and enlisted in the Union army at the age of 13. He came to Oregon in 1870 and has been a resident of Wasco county for eighteen years, engaged in farming and stock-raising until appointed receiver of the land office in 1886. He leaves a wife and several children.

WOOLGROWERS LIKE THE TARIFF BILL.

It Grows in Favor—Approved by the Republicans—Opposed by the Democrats.

WASHINGTON, April 3. [Branch of Portland Oregonian Office.]—The president and secretary of the Nationa Wool Growers' Association have issued a circular addressed to the wool growers of the United States upon the McKinley tariff bill. After quoting the wool schedules adopted by the majority they assert that the time has arrived when they should call assistance from every wool grower in the country and all those interested in protection. In the circular they say:

The wisdom, justice and patience displayed by the republican members of the committee in discharging their delicate and difficult duties challenge the approbation of the American people. The bill establishes a comprehensive economic system, embracing all our industries, and especially those belonging to agriculture and the farm. If passed it will revive business, give employment to laborers and restore prosperity, and thus silence the cry for free trade and free raw material, except as it may come from foreigners and their coadjutors, who desire to control our markets and thus prosper by the misfortunes of our people.

They ask that immediate and energetic efforts be made by all to secure the passage of the bill, and suggest the members of congress be requested by telegrams, letters and petitions to urge the passage of the McKinley bill.

BLAINE'S RECIPROCITY TARIFF.

To Open the Central and South American Ports to Our Exports.

There is a great deal of rumor in connection with the tariff schedule and Secretary Blaine's endeavor to establish reciprocity with South and Central American countries. The secretary submitted to the majority members of the ways and means committee a proposition relative to South American imports, which is as follows:

"The president shall by proclamation declare all parts of the United States free to all products of any independent nation on the American hemisphere upon which export duties are now levied, so long as such nations admit free of all duties, breadstuffs, provisions, preserved meats, fish, vegetables, fruits, and in fact all articles of food, lumber, refined petroleum, and such other products peculiar to the United States as may be agreed upon, provided, however, that this concession shall apply only to merchandise transported in vessels of the United States, or of the other countries entering into this agreement."

This may not be the exact language of the proposition, but it contains all the material facts, and the ways and means committee are now considering it. It means free carpet wool, free sugars and free hides from the countries on the American continent. Some facts of South American commerce are submitted with the proposition. The South American countries export say $40,000,000 in sugar and import $500,000,000 in goods, only about 10 per cent. of which is purchased in this country. There is no produce or breadstuffs raised in those countries. Wheat bread being a luxury, a barrel of flour worth $5 in New York is, by reason of transportation and a duty of $5 worth $15 in Rio Janeiro. Hams and bacon are 50 cents per pound. Cod fish and other American fish are a luxury owing to the duty. Petrolium is worth 25 cents a gallon in Philadelphia and is 30 cents a quart in South America. In Chili gas cannot be profitably made, hence there would be a market for United States oil. As to lumber, common pine, hemlock and spruce is worth 10 cents a foot, and is more expensive than corrugated iron for building purposes.

The concession which the United States would have to make would be the admittance free of duty from these countries of wool, hides and sugar. The sugar industry in these countries is carried on by free labor and has not been able to compete with the slave labor of Cuba. The wool raised is entirely of the coarser grades, suitable only for carpets, and the proposition is that it can only be taken out of the custom houses by carpet manufacturers. The hides are mostly of the coarser grades suitable for shoes. It is claimed that the products of South America are of such a character that they will not interfere with the products of the United States, and even in sugar cannot more than compete with dutiable sugar from slave countries.

Disastrous Gladstonian Defeat.

LONDON, April 2.—The parliamentary election in Windsor to-day resulted in a conservative victory by an unexpectedly large majority. Mr. Barry, conservative received 1522 votes to 972 cast for Mr. Grenfell, Gladstonian.