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WESTERN AFRICAN SLAVERY

Portland Fire Calls Out the Entire Department

AMERICAN FLEET AN HONOR

OUR COUNTRY

AROUND THE HORN AT
CARRIED THIRTEEN
AND MEN AND THEY
LIKE GENTLEMEN
PORT WHERE THEY
SHORE—SIZE AND
OF THE FLEET.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Aliso, Cal., March 18.—
Conolly, the magazine
author, who accompanied
Dress' feet as the personal
representative of President
arrived here today, and
on page five.)

WESTERN AFRICAN SLAVERY

A MORAL ISSUE

CAMPAIGN STARTED THAT WILL
AROUSE THE WORLD AT THE
BARBARISMS THAT ARE SANCTI-
TIONED BY THE RULERS OF
PORTUGAL—BABIES MUR-
DERED AND MOTHERS LASHED
TO DEATH.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, March 18.—General
Francis Joubert Pienner, of Angola,
Africa, a hero of the Boer war, has
challenged the Portuguese minister
here to refute a single charge Pien-
ner has made in describing the
ATROCIOUS BARBARISM PERPETRATED

PORTUGAL WARNED TO PUNISH ASSASSINS OF KING

BE DRIVEN FROM THE COUNCIL BOARD OF NATIONS—
FRENCH TROOPS ARE PUTTING
PRETENDER AND HIS LEADERS
IN MOROCCO TO FLIGHT—
PRISONERS WILL BE TAKEN
TO FRANCE.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Lisbon, March 18.—It is reported
here that England has warned Por-
tugal that the latter country must
punish the assassin of her king, or
else not show her official face in the
councils of the great European pow-
ers.

The threat which King Edward
has hung over the head of the new
boy king, is the withdrawal of the
British diplomatic representatives to
Portugal. It was precipitated by the
report that King Emanuel is consid-
ering granting general political
amnesty to the slayers of his father
and brother, and dropping all in-
vestigations of the assassinations.
England's press has declared that
such action would place Portugal in
the same category with Serbia. The
republican press of Lisbon is openly
sneering at the new king for his
cowardice, and fear to attempt the
punishment of the regicides.

French in Morocco,
Casa Blanca, Morocco, March 18.—
General D'Amade, commanding the
French forces in Morocco, has
replied to the peace overtures from
Mulai Hafid, pretender to the throne
that he is able to promise the latter
good treatment as a prisoner, but
that all bargaining for terms must
be preceded by unconditional sur-
render.

Mulai was practically driven into
a corner a fortnight ago, and Gen-
eral D'Amade has been cutting his
followers to pieces ever since. His
plea for peace is considered as mark-
ing the beginning of the end of hos-
tilities in Morocco. If Mulai sur-
renders he will probably be sent to
France, to guard against fresh out-
breaks under his leadership.

TRAYED IN PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA.

General Pienner has started a cam-
paign against the cruelties practiced
upon the natives of West Africa by
agents of the Lisbon government.
"I have seen barbarisms in that
country which would make the civ-
lized world gasp with horror," said
General Pienner today, in discussing
conditions in Western Africa.
"I have seen little babies torn
from their mothers' breast by native
depraveds in the employ of the
Portuguese government. THROWN
INTO THE AIR AND IMPALED ON
THE POINTS OF SPEARS. I have
seen mothers lashed almost to death
with a cruel whip called the "chip-
poc," when they resisted the traders
who took their children from them."

Mysterious Shooting.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Diego, Cal., March 18.—Elis-
worth Whaley, 17 years old, died to-
day, following a mysterious shoot-
ing last night. The boy was throw-
ing rubber balls at a negro's head
for cigars, when he was struck by a
bullet that the police think glaced
off the target in a shooting gallery
next door.
David Roderick, proprietor of the
gallery, and G. H. Severt, one of the
men shooting at the target, have
been arrested.

Chicago Grain Markets.

Chicago, March 18.—May wheat
opened 95 1/2; highest, 96 1/4; low-
est, 95 1/2; closed, 95 1/2.
May corn opened, 66 1/2; highest,
67 1/4; lowest, 66 1/2; closed, 67 1/4.
May oats opened 54 1/2; highest,
54 1/2; lowest, 54 1/2; closed, 54 1/2.

HARRY ORCHARD SENTENCED TO HANG MAY 15

COURT MAKES PLEA THAT HE
BE SPARED FOR HAVING TOLD
THE WHOLE TRUTH—WAS THE
VICTIM OF THE SYSTEM, FOR
WHICH HE W'AS ONLY THE
HIDDEN AGENT TO COMMIT
CRIMES.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Caldwell, Idaho, March 18.—Judge
Wood today sentenced Harry Or-
chard to be hanged May 15, but ac-
companied the sentence with a recom-
mendation to the state board of
pardon for a commutation of sen-
tence without intimating the degree
of commutation, and directed Or-
chard's attorney, appointed by the
court to defend him, to prepare and
present the petition for pardon or
commutation.

He based his recommendation upon
a long legal decision, quoting au-
thorities holding that an equitable
right exists on the part of a con-
fessing accomplice telling the whole
truth, to be spared the death sen-
tence. He declared he believed Orchard
told the full and exact truth and
proposed that yet, the men he im-
plicated would receive punishment.
He said the acquittal of Haywood
and Pettibone by two juries was not
inconsistent with his declaration, as
their verdicts did not signify that
Haywood and Pettibone are innu-
erably the change, which is for the
present enough legal evidence aside
from the confession to warrant their
conviction. As he spoke Orchard
broke down and wept for the first
time in his court experience. Or-
chard asked permission to make a
statement. He said that he had ex-
pected to make a full statement, but
the court's review of the case had
been what he wanted to say, only he
wanted to add that he had made his
confession telling the whole truth,
not sparing himself, without hope of
earthly reward or with promise of
immunity from anyone whatever.
Judge Wood declared his belief that
Orchard had been the victim of the
system he represented, and that he
committed his crimes because of the
teaching and advice of the leaders
of that system, and expressed his be-
lief that proper legal corroboration
would yet be secured to punish them.
Orchard was then recommitted to
the penitentiary.

BRIEF LEASED WIRE TELEGRAMS TODAY.

Chicago live stock market is
higher today.
Union Iron Works, at San Fran-
cisco, cleaned up \$500,000 profits
the past year, which will be put into
betterments.
Labor conditions all over Cal'ornia
are reported improving.
Representative French, of Idaho,
is the only father of a living incubator
baby in congress.
Prosecution of the Southern Pacific
and Santa Fe in California for
discrimination in rates will be con-
tinued in April.
Governor Gull, of Massachusetts,
is fighting a merger of the principal
railroads in that state.
The state of Washington will
prosecute diggers and saloon men
all over that state for failure to com-
ply with the state license laws.
The Republican state central com-
mittee in session at Seattle today
formally endorsed Taft as being the
choice of the Republicans all over
that state for President.
She Married Another.
Seattle, Wash., March 18.—Martin
Suh has filed a complaint in the su-
perior court asking a judgment
against Gertrude Binson for \$625
for money loaned her under the
promise of marriage, which he says
she failed to carry out.
In August, 1904, contrary to his
expectations, she married a man
named James.

SILVER LAKE, OR., MURDER

BODY NOW FOUND

LAKE COUNTY CRIME HAS BEEN
LAID BARE—BODY IS NOW
FOUND JUST WHERE MURDER-
ERS SAID IT WAS—ROBBERY
WAS MOTIVE—MAN WHO CAR-
RIED A GREAT DEAL OF MON-
EY ON HIS PERSON.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Silver Lake, Or., March 18.—An
anonymous letter from Portland, Or.,
thumb-stained and torn, told the
story that led to the discovery of one
of the most atrocious murders that
ever shocked isolated Lake county,
and sent a thrill of horror through
all of the 600 inhabitants of Silver
Lake City.

Last December Jalls Wallende
disappeared from his home, and it
was believed that he was murdered.
The fact that the men or man who
did the deed remained in Portland
for weeks after the crime had been
committed, and then audaciously
sent a letter to the Lake county au-
thorities telling them where the body
could be found, only came to light
today when it was announced that
Wallende's body had been located in
exactly the spot named in the badly
written and dirt-soiled note.

The corpse was found under a
bridge which crossed Silver creek.
It was badly mutilated, the trunk and
lower limbs in the water. The skull
was crushed, and the rifled clothes
showed that robbery had been the
motive of the crime. Wallende was
known to carry considerable money
on his person. The dead man was
well known here. He was sane,
well educated, and a person who de-
clared that he came from a promi-
nent family in Ohio, of more than
average wealth.

Accused by the atrocity of the
crime and the boldness of its perpe-
trators, the county officials have de-
clared that a reward of \$250 will be
given for the arrest and conviction
of the murderer. Governor Cham-
berlain has been appealed to to raise
this amount.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC GRABBING

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, March 18.—What
is considered one of the biggest at-
tempts at land grabbing ever called
to the attention of the secretary of
the Interior has been unearched and
stopped by the Susanville land office,
which has prevented one man from
claiming 265,000 acres along the
Feather river, valued at \$500,000.
H. H. Yard, formerly right of way
man for the Southern Pacific rail-
road, is the man whose hands have
been tied by the land office, pending
a decision from Washington.
Yard has been annexing large
tracts of California land belonging
to the government, and has also been
especially active in Butte and Plu-
mas counties in taking up large sec-
tions of public domain in the form
of mineral claims. The Susanville
land office has deprived him of these
claims on the ground that the land
is not mineral in character.
The section thus retained by the
government is worth \$500,000. It
is charged that Yard has used dummy
locators, and has not done the
assessment work required by law.
There is a municipal scandal at
San Jose, Cal., involving the chief
of police and a prominent lawyer, who
are charged with selling protection
to the women of the red light dis-
trict.

PORTLAND SUFFERS BAD FIRE

PACIFIC RUBBER CO.

ONE CONCERN HAS A LOSS OF
\$150,000 AND TWENTY-FIVE
EMPLOYEES WERE IN DANGER
FOR A TIME, BUT ALL WERE
RESCUED BY THE VALLIANT
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Portland, Or., March 18.—The
Pacific Coast Rubber Company, the
Bay City lodging house and the
Charles Beebe Adamant Company
are on fire, and the Boston market is
threatened in a big blaze in the
wholesale district this morning,
which the fire department have not
yet brought under control. A gen-
eral alarm has been turned in, and
practically the entire fire depart-
ment of Portland is massed at the
threatened point. The fire originated
in the Pacific Rubber Company's
building.

The four-story building and \$150-
000 stock of the Pacific Rubber Com-
pany was completely gutted, and for
a short time the lives of the 25 em-
ployees of the concern were believed
to be in great danger. The men
were penned in on the second floor,
but all except one escaped without
assistance.

George Fehler, a clerk, was shut
off by the flames, and was unable to
reach the stairway. The fireman ef-
fected his escape from the outside by
raising an extension ladder. He was
uninjured.

Seventy-five per cent of the stock
was hopelessly damaged, and the
building is a wreck. The company is
owned by the Hoisting estate of
San Francisco. Besides the Pacific
Rubber Company, the Boston Meat
Company, the Charles Beebe Ada-
mant Company and the Bay City
lodging house were damaged by the
fire. The blaze is supposed to have
originated on the second floor, in
the bicycle department of the rub-
ber company, but what caused the
fire is not yet known. A general
alarm was turned in, and for over
an hour the fire burned fiercely
despite the best efforts of the depart-
ment, and the situation looked very
grave. At one time it was thought
the safety of the entire wholesale
district was threatened.

BAGGAGE MASTER ROBERTS

Proves Himself a Number One Hero
in Saving Life of a Little Girl.
(United Press Leased Wire.)

Antioch, Cal., March 18.—Enthu-
siastic citizens of this place are to-
day talking of recommending Bag-
gage Master Roberts, who was on
duty on train No. 5 last evening, for
the Carnegie hero medal.
As the train was crossing the San
Joaquin river here, the trainmen
saw 13-year-old Agnes Gollon over-
taken on the bridge, and forced to
drop into the river to avoid being
run down. Without an instant's hesi-
tation, Roberts leaped from the
baggage car door into the river and
caught the child as she was sinking
for the last time.
The two were picked by a boat
which put out from the shore.
A very competent officer, Merritt
H. Pomeroy, is the Republican can-
didate for re-election for sheriff of
Clatsop county.
The stock of the Illinois Central
is to be increased 50 per cent in
May.

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