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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

FREDERICK VIII IS PROCLAIMED KING

Is The Eldest Son of The Late Danish Ruler.

HE RECEIVED A WARM GREETING

Declares He Will Rule in Accordance With Example Set by His Father and Trusted Same Accord Between King and Nation Would Continue.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Jan. 31.—Frederick VIII was proclaimed king of Denmark at noon Tuesday in Amalengborg square in front of the palace. The ceremony lasted only a few minutes.

The premier, M. Christensen, appeared on the balcony of the palace and announced to the 50,000 persons assembled below the death of King Christian IX, and the accession of his eldest son. The premier then called for cheers for King Frederick VIII. The new ruler of Denmark joined the premier on the balcony and in a short speech declared that he would rule in accordance with the example set him by his father, and trusted that the same accord between the king and the nation would continue as heretofore. His majesty concluded with calling for cheers for the fatherland.

King Frederick received a warm-hearted greeting from the assembled crowd, whose cheers mingled enthusiastically with the national anthem.

The American minister, Thomas J. O'Brien, has already acted on cabled instructions from the state department as follows:

"Convey through the appropriate channels the sincere condolence of the president and your country on the death of his majesty, King Christian."

King Frederick is a great admirer of America. As crown prince he never lost an opportunity to welcome prominent American visitors to his palace, and always showed the keenest interest in events transpiring in the United States. He is a close reader of American standard books.

Queen Alexandria Will Attend Funeral

London, Jan. 31.—King Edward arrived in London this afternoon and Queen Alexandra proceeded to Sandringham, where she will remain until she goes to Copenhagen to attend the funeral of her father, King Christian.

Conductor Loses His Life.

Mount Sterling, Ky., Jan. 31.—In a freight wreck near Olympia, Captain Pete Miller, a conductor, was caught under the caboose, which took fire, burning him to a crisp in sight of the onlookers who could not save him. Edward Flynn, a brakeman, was horribly burned in trying to save the conductor, but will recover. Miller's home was in Ashland, Ky.

Wreaths for McKinley's Tomb.

Canton, O., Jan. 31.—Among the wreaths sent to the McKinley tomb Monday on the anniversary of the birth of the late president, was a handsome one from Postmaster General Cortelyou. His remembrance of his former chief was a large wreath of pink and white carnations, sweet peas and free sias.

Killing Occurs at Supper.

Americus, Ga., Jan. 31.—Clarence Henderson, charged with murder, has been lodged in jail here. At a mullet supper the guests started the usual gunwork with the result that one negro was killed outright and several others were wounded. Henderson is charged with the killing.

Editor of Puck Robbed.

New York, Jan. 31.—Burglars entered the house of Joseph Keppler, editor and proprietor of Puck in Staten Island, and after carrying off \$1,000 worth of valuables they left a note saying: "We appreciate a good joke but we think the joke is on you this time."

MRS. EVAN HOWELL DEAD.

End Came Without Suggestion of Pain or Suffering.

Atlanta, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Julia Adelaide Howell, widow of the late Captain E. P. Howell, died suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Howell Cramer, Monday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

The death of Mrs. Howell came without the least warning while she was with her daughter, Mrs. Cramer, and Mrs. Clark Howell. Acute indigestion affecting the heart was the cause of death, which was so sudden as to prevent the least possibility of suffering. A couple of days ago Mrs. Howell was seized with an attack of indigestion which was not in any way considered serious.

Monday afternoon Mrs. Clark Howell ran over to see her, and although she was in bed again, she insisted on getting up, which she did without assistance, and talked about matters of personal interest to the members of the family. Mrs. Howell had just made some statement as to some good news in regard to a relative and asked Mrs. Evan Howell if she did not feel the same way about it. She assured her that she was much pleased with the good news, and with this kindly smile of assurance still lighting her face, after finishing the sentence in reply, her head dropped forward and the end came instantly and with never the least suggestion of pain or suffering of any kind.

Mrs. Howell leaves seven children—Clark, Albert, Mrs. Robert L. Foreman, Mrs. Ida Howell, Mrs. B. B. Bower and Evan Howell.

ARMED PATROLS GUARDED JAILS

Floyd Westfield Narrowly Escaped Lynching at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 31.—Armed patrols of county and city officers guarded the streets leading to the county jail Monday, and dispersed crowds as fast as they gathered to prevent any attempt at lynching Floyd Westfield, a negro, who shot down an officer in the southern part of the county a few days since.

A motion for a change of venue in the Westfield case brought to town four or five hundred citizens of the section in which Constable Bains was killed, and if they had gathered in sufficient force there is no doubt that an attempt would have been made to take the negro from the jail, since the people of that section are inflamed by the effort last Thursday night to take the negro rapist from the jail and lynch him.

Westfield's trial is set for Tuesday and Judge McReynolds, of the criminal court, has guaranteed that justice will be speedily and impartially administered in his case. Westfield surrendered to the authorities after being chased by armed posses of citizens for several days, his crime being regarded as a particularly bloody one.

New Mill Begins Operations.

Pittsburg, Jan. 31.—One of the new steel mills of the \$10,000,000 recently authorized by the United States Steel Corporation, began operations at McKeesport, Pa., Tuesday in the presence of many officials of the company and visitors. The mill is said to be the largest and finest in the world. The other mills comprising the group are rapidly being completed and will soon be put in permanent operation.

Will Not Mention Wage Scale.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 31.—The biennial convention of the Lithographers' International Protective and Beneficial association, was continued Tuesday. Fourth Vice President Tighe, of Chicago, said: "The matter of a new wage scale will not be mentioned in this convention. We may ask for a decrease in working hours, but aside from that I think the agreement will not be changed."

Cashier Commits Suicide.

Shelbyville, Ind., Jan. 31.—B. T. Bolcourt, bookkeeper and cashier in the Indianapolis and Cincinnati Traction Company's office here, committed suicide while the company's auditor was checking up his accounts. Traction company officials decline to say whether Bolcourt is short in his accounts or not.

THREE KILLED IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

Two Firemen And Express Messenger Dead

PASSENGERS WERE UNINJURED

With the Exception of Express Cars and Engines of Each Train, No Serious Damage Was Done to the Trains.

St. Paul, Jan. 31.—Great Northern Oriental Limited No. 1, westbound, and passenger Train No. 2, eastbound, collided head-on on a straight track one mile west of Columbia Falls, Mont., late Monday night.

Two firemen and one express messenger were killed.

None of the passengers were injured and with the exception of the express cars and engines of each train, no serious damage was done to the trains.

The express cars were so badly demolished that they were taken from the trains.

General Superintendent I. T. Shade said he had received no information as to what caused the collision.

MEXICAN PRISONERS ESCAPE.

Struck Down Sheriff as He Was Serving Supper.

Las Animas, Colo., Jan. 31.—Two Mexicans held prisoners in the county jail, one of them, Garcia Gonzales, charged with stealing a sum of money from a package torn open in a wreck in New Mexico recently, fought their way out of jail Monday night and are being pursued by a posse. Gonzales, who is of powerful physique, struck down Sheriff John D. Brown as he and his daughter, a girl 18 years of age, were serving supper to the prisoners. Sheriff Brown fought off the prisoners, but could not overpower them. While this was going on the girl was struggling with the other Mexican, striking him several times with a dish tray. She was compelled to give up, when both prisoners dived into the jail yard and disappeared.

FATHER SHOT BY DAUGHTER.

Girl Then Tried to Turn the Weapon on Herself.

Long Branch, N. J., Jan. 31.—Dr. Harry H. Pendleton, one of the best known physicians along the New Jersey coast, was shot by his daughter, Charlena. The bullet passed through the back of his head. The injury is said not to be serious, but the doctor is suffering greatly from shock.

Dr. Pendleton and his wife are divorced. They live here within about two blocks of each other. There is no clear account of the occurrence, but it is said that the shooting was accidental. The girl then tried to turn the weapon upon herself, but was prevented from doing so by her father. After being disarmed, the girl ran to the home of her mother, where she now is.

Charleston Boy Courtmartialled.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 31.—The court-martial at the naval academy opened Tuesday's session at 9:30 a. m. The case on trial was that of Richard I. DeSausure, of Charleston, S. C., and against whom there is a charge of hazing supported by seven specifications. The hazing was alleged to have been done during September last, which DeSausure, with others, was compelled to lose a part of his leave on account of deficiency in studies.

Railroad Combination Probed.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The house has adopted a resolution asking for information regarding an alleged railroad combination between the Pennsylvania Railroad company, the Pennsylvania company, the Norfolk and Western company, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad company, the Northern Central Railroad company and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad company.

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Warranty deed and mortgage blanks for sale at this office, the form used in Alachua county which saves money in recording. \$2 per hundred or 50c per dozen by mail. Cash must accompany order. dawtf

Prof. A. J. Fokett, who has been managing the matter of the concert for the Odd Fellows' Home, which was to have been given Friday evening, requests The Sun to state that the same has been indefinitely postponed. Proper and due notice of the concert will be given later.

We are in a position to furnish first-class bean, euke and lettuce hampers, also cabbage and cantaloupe crates, promptly at reasonable prices and guarantee prompt shipment on all contracts. Ship either A. C. L. or S. A. L. railroads. Williston Manufacturing Co., Williston, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Graham and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Graham of Piedmont, W. Va., spent Tuesday delightfully with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Chamberlain at Tacoma. The groves are in fine condition now, and the guests from West Virginia enjoyed the sight of budding trees.

Chas. W. Wells and W. J. Hodge of Alachua favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday. Mr. Hodge reports the existence of two cases of smallpox in that town, but does not believe that the disease will spread if prompt and proper precautions are taken. The disease exists among white people.

Judge A. J. Cone, for many years a resident of Gainesville but now located at Raleigh, where he is engaged in the sawmill business with his son, T. J. Cone, was trading in the city yesterday. He reports that the demand for lumber is good, and that the mill is employing a large force of hands on full time.

E. L. Stephens of Connecticut and Mrs. M. B. Saunders spent the day taking views on Lake Newman at Windsor Tuesday, and incidentally had the pleasure of attending a picnic on the romantic and beautiful shore of that lake. They secured some fine pictures, which were highly appreciated, and altogether the day was delightfully spent.

The house consumed by fire Tuesday evening near the crossing of the Gainesville and Gulf and Atlantic Coast Line railroads, North Gainesville, and which caused the painful injury of S. H. Hall by collision with a fire wagon, was occupied by Millard Parrish, a colored man. The neighbors of Parrish responded to his distress, with the result that nearly all the furniture in the house was saved.

Chief of Police and Sheriff Engaged in Difficulty.

Valdosta, Ga., Jan. 31.—Intense excitement was created on the streets here by an altercation between Sheriff J. F. Passmore and Chief of Police C. Dampier.

The trouble occurred on Central avenue in front of the county court house at an hour when many people were on the streets. Witnesses state that Chief Dampier, in company with J. H. Henderson, drove up to the curbstone in front of the court house, where he was accosted a few moments later by Sheriff Passmore. The sheriff, it is said, called the chief to ask as to some misrepresentations which he alleged Officer Dampier had made about him and the latter is reported to have jumped out of his buggy and advanced on the sheriff.

The sheriff drew his pistol, but Officer Dampier was in a step or two of him and caught hold of the sheriff's arm that held the weapon. The pistol was used in the scuffle, but friends reached them and separated them before another shot was fired.

Cooper Kills Hunter.

Hattiesburg, Miss., Jan. 31.—James Hunter, well known man in this city, was shot and instantly killed by Ben Cooper, who alleges that the man was trying to break into his house. Cooper says he opened the door and fired three shots, each of which took effect. Cooper immediately gave himself up.

WOULD ESTABLISH JEWISH FATHERLAND

Is The Only Solution of The Problem.

PROPOSE TO SETTLE EGYPT

Dr. Kohan Advises All Emigration of Jews to the United States or Great Britain Be Stopped in Consequence of Laws Against Aliens.

Brussels, Jan. 31.—The general Jewish conference called to consider the state of the Jews in Russia formally opened its session here Tuesday under the presidency of David Wolfsohn, chairman of the International Zionist committee. In his opening address President Wolfsohn urged the establishment of an international committee either in Berlin or London to watch the interests of the Russian Jews. A motion to that effect went over until a later session. M. Mandelstam, of Kieff, presented a report on the conditions in Russia, from which it was gathered that the Jews had no hopes of an improvement in their status resulting from a revolution of government reforms. The only solution of the problem, according to the report, would be the foundation of a Jewish fatherland.

M. Kohan, of Kishineff, said he thought the eventual emigration of all the Jews from Russia was inevitable. He proposed Egypt or Asia Minor as suitable for a Jewish settlement, and advised that all emigration of the Jews to the United States or Great Britain be stopped in consequence of the laws against aliens which are in force in those countries.

Delegates from Germany, Austria-Hungary, Great Britain, Russia, Italy, France, Denmark and Argentina are present, but the American delegates have not arrived.

CONFERENCE ON REFORMS.

Session is Trying to Solve Problems of Sultan's Finances.

Algiers, Jan. 31.—The conference having entered the jungles of financial reforms for Morocco, is likely to remain there for some days, the session especially being devoted to tax projects.

Although it is most difficult to see how the French and German positions can be reconciled, both the French and German delegates are confident that a way out can be found on the police question, yet they do not present any details by which this is attainable.

Mr. Gummere, the American minister to Morocco, has returned here from Tangier on the French cruiser LaLonde. He says the trouble between Raisuli and Teogera tribesmen has quieted down.

Clung to Back of Horse.

Washington, Jan. 31.—After clinging to the back of a runaway horse for three miles, the daughter of Rear Admiral Converse was thrown and seriously injured late this afternoon. Miss Converse was riding along the cabin John Bridge road, when the horse took fright and her efforts to manage the animal caused the curb chain to break. The horse dashed forward toward the city at a mad pace, and ran for three miles until he collided with a truck team, and all the horses went down in a mass. Miss Converse was thrown over one of the horses, and in falling was pinned under one of them. She was unconscious when removed to a nearby house, but revived when taken to her home.

Mother Claims Deserted Child.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 31.—Mrs. Mellicie Cook, the young mother who is said to have deserted her baby in the Columbus passenger station a week ago, wrote Chief of Police Wiley Williams from Jackson, Ala., where she is now ill at the home of a friend, directing him to give away the child to some one who would give it a good home. Later in the day she canceled this request by telegraph and said that her representative would arrive during the day and get the child.