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SHIPPED FOR SALEM

Body of Outlaw Tracy on the Way to the Capital.

VERDICT OF CORONER'S JURY

Washington Officers Praised—Public Exhibition of the Remains Not Permitted on Route or at Salem—A Last Daring Act.

The body of Harry Tracy, the convict-murderer who eluded the peace officers of Oregon and Washington, was finally brought down by a shot from the gun of a coast policeman, is now on the way to Salem. The inquest was held at Davenport, Wash., yesterday, and the jury returned a verdict in accordance with the facts. The body, with a clean shaven, was then placed in a sealed coffin and started on the journey to Salem. There was no public exhibition along the route, and there will be none in the Oregon capital, if the petition of some of the state's most influential citizens can prevent it. It will probably be shown to the obituary, and it will be interred in the penitentiary burying grounds.

DAVENPORT, Wash., Aug. 7.—Tracy's body is on its way to Salem, Or. It was taken to Moscow, a station on the Great Northern, 10 miles from here, this afternoon, to be conveyed over that road to Seattle. The inquest was completed this afternoon, and the jury rendered the following verdict:

We, the undersigned, duly sworn by R. P. Moore, Coroner of Lincoln County, as a Coroner's jury to inquire into the cause of the death of the body of a person before us, after inspecting the body and hearing the testimony of witnesses, find as follows: That the body is that of Harry Tracy, the escaped convict from the Oregon penitentiary, that said Harry Tracy came to his death at the ranch of Louis Eddy, in Lincoln County, Washington, on August 3, 1902, by means of a gunshot wound from a pistol, in his possession and held in his own hands, after first having been wounded in the right leg by a party or parties to this jury unknown; that Harry Tracy was an escaped convict from the Oregon penitentiary, and at the time of his death was being pursued by the posse in pursuit, and that no one is blameable for his death, but that all efforts to effect his capture were praiseworthy and fully in accordance with the laws of Washington.

Public Exhibition Refused.
The remains were taken from this place for Salem at 7 o'clock this evening. They were in the possession of C. A. Straub, Dr. E. C. Lester and M. Smith, three of five Creston men who winged the bandit, who was forced to commit suicide to escape being captured alive. The party will go direct to Moscow, Wash., on the Great Northern. They will leave there for the west shortly after 9 o'clock. The party will pass through Seattle, thence to Portland and on to Salem. In less than two hours after it was known here that the party would pass through the Sound and coast cities, the members received telegrams asking that the corpse be exhibited at the different stations, more especially in Seattle, where the party was asked to remain one full day. Dr. Lanier said:

"We will not stop at any of the stations. We are going under the instructions of Coroner Moore, and he has ordered the coffin sealed. His instructions are that we are not to make any stops unless there is absolutely necessary." The corpse, robed in a loose chest wrapper, was placed in a plain wooden box, which was lined with zinc. The box was sealed. Dr. Moore was ordered to use such conditions must be sealed. The party had to pay all expenses in connection with the shipment of the body. The men paid for the coffin and for embalming the body.

It is believed the famous 30-30 rifle will be sent to the Oregon officials, while Tracy's other guns may be distributed among the Creston posse. Sheriff Gardner still holds the horses stolen by the outlaw, while other relics, such as the bandit's cartridges, a bloody handkerchief and the strap with which he bound his wounded leg are already widely scattered over Eastern Washington.

A new story of Tracy's wonderful daring has come to light. Mr. McGregor, the keeper of a livery stable at Wilbur, on viewing Tracy's body, positively identified him as a man who came to his stable in Wilbur last Friday night. He says Tracy had two horses, which he ordered put up for the night. He also left his rifle and a bundle, asking the unsuspecting liveryman to take care of them till morning. Where he spent the night is not known, though it is said he ate at least one meal in a restaurant in the town. About 10 A. M. Saturday he called for his horses, bundle and rifle, paid his bill and rode away.

NO PUBLIC EXHIBITION.

Citizens of Salem Protest Against the Viewing of the Remains.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—The body of Tracy will not be publicly exhibited in this city. The announcement made by a local morning paper that the body, upon its arrival in Salem, would be placed on public exhibition at the morgue, was received with disgust and earnest remonstrances by the prominent citizens of the city were at once forwarded to the Governor.

Many citizens telegraphed protests to Governor Gear, at Medford, against the public exhibition of the body. The following is a sample of a number of telegrams on the subject:

"We respectfully but earnestly protest against any public exhibition of Tracy's body in this city as subversive of public morals and decency.—N. J. Judah, P. E."

DEATH IN A MINE

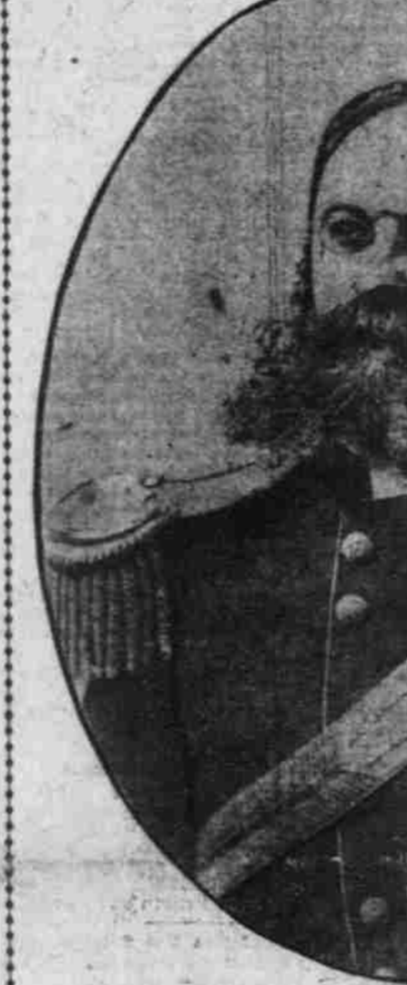
Half a Ton of Powder Explodes Under Ground.

THIRTEEN OR MORE MEN KILLED

Entire Coal Mine Supposed to Be Ruined and Months Will Be Required to Restore It—Caused by Fire Damp.

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 7.—A special to the Chief from Trinidad says: A most disastrous explosion occurred this evening at 4:20 o'clock at No. 1 mine at Bowen, a small camp about 10 miles

CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER VISITS PORTLAND.



GENERAL A. W. GREELEY, THE FAMOUS ARCTIC EXPLORER.

General A. W. Greeley, Chief of the Signal Corps, U. S. A., spent a few hours in the city yesterday. General Greeley will be remembered the famous Arctic explorer, and his present position is one of great importance. The Signal Service is an important function of the Army just at present, its high standing having been attained after many years of experiment and investigation, during which time General Greeley's tireless efforts have played no small part in the general scheme of organization. General Greeley has just returned from an extended trip through Alaska, and is now looking over the Pacific Northwest. His visit is entirely of an official nature, and he expects to reach his headquarters at Washington, D. C., by August 15. The past four years the Signal Service has established some 8000 miles of telegraph lines in the Philippine Islands, and many lines are now under construction in Alaska and other territories. When questioned as to the probable removal of the department headquarters from Vancouver to Seattle, General Greeley replied: "There is absolutely nothing in the rumor, at least there is no cause for immediate alarm. General Randall is now in the interior of Alaska, and Secretary Root is in Europe, so I hardly see how any changes can be made at present."

When a Second Lieutenant, in pursuance of the recommendation of the Hamburg International Geographical Congress of 1879, he was placed in command of the United States expedition of 1881 to establish one of a chain of 13 circum-polar stations. His party of 33 reached farther north (83 deg. 24 min.) than any previous record, and discovered new land north of Greenland, and crossed Grinnell Land to the Pole Sea. Two relief expeditions failed to reach the party, which retreated south to Cape Sabine, where, relief still failing, the party largely perished of starvation, only seven survivors being found by the third expedition under Captain Winfield S. Schley. Lieutenant Greeley was promoted to a Captaincy in 1890, and to his present rank and duty on the death of General Hosen, being the first volunteer private soldier to reach the grade of Brigadier-General in the regular Army.

The Senate committee on the Philippines, it was decided by the United States authorities to take the soldier to Pittsburg for a post-mortem before United States Commissioner Wood.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Aug. 7.—A brief hearing was given Corporal O'Brien before United States Commissioner Wood this afternoon, the charge being perjury. After consultation of counsel, the case was postponed until tomorrow to await some definite settlement as to bail. After the postponement the defendant was taken to the House of Correction here, where he will remain until tomorrow's hearing.

Reforms by Mayor Low.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Mayor Low today, in his weekly statement to the public, discussed political matters. He announced that he was going to appoint a commission, consisting of Police Commissioner Partridge, E. A. Phillips, formerly District Attorney, and General A. D. Andrews, formerly a Police Commissioner, to draw up and submit to him suggestions tending to the better administration of the police force. These suggestions will, if possible, be made laws governing the force. On the subject of the police and the excise law, the Mayor specified the requirements of the Rainey law, and said that the police will be expected to enforce them.

An Oyster Combine.
MOBILE, Ala., Aug. 7.—The various oyster-planting and packing companies in Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana, 30 in number, will, it is said, combine under one head, with a capital of \$2,000,000.

REPUBLICANS TO CONFER

New York State Leaders to Hold a Meeting in Heart of Adirondacks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—On Monday next Senator Platt is to be the guest of his son at Raquette Lake, and Governor Odell is to stay with Lieutenant-Governor Woodruff at the latter's camp in the Adirondacks. Chairman Dunne, of the state committee, and others, have been invited to participate in the conference which will take place in the Northern woods, and final arrangements are expected to be made for the coming Republican State Convention.

URGENT MANY CHANGES.

Wyoming Democrats Adopt a Platform and Make Nominations.
RAWLINS, Wyo., Aug. 7.—The Democratic State Convention adjourned sine die, shortly after 5 o'clock this evening, after having nominated the following ticket:

Governor, George T. Beck, Big Horn County; State Treasurer, Colin Hunter, Laramie County; Secretary of State, D. N. Stickney, Albany County; State Auditor, W. D. Hays, Big Horn County; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mrs. DeLario, Albany County; Congress, Charles P. Chammons, Carbon County.

The platform adopted declares allegiance to the National platforms of the past. It demands the election of the United States Senators by the direct vote of the people, the compulsory arbitration of labor disputes; the divorcement of state institutions from partisan control, municipal ownership of public utilities and a return to the original Australian ballot. The platform takes a stand against the trusts and demands the creation of a railroad commission and the abolition of passes and free transportation to public officials; favors a tax reform and fragns the present State Land Board for favoritism; favors the enactment of the employers' liability bill; favors the preservation of the forests, but denounces the present State Land Board for favoritism; urges the opening of the Shoshone Indian reservation, and advocates the establishment of the initiative and referendum.

Voting in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 7.—Returns received by the American from over the state show the election by large majorities of the Democratic candidates for Supreme Judges and of the Court. The former are W. K. McNeill, M. McNeill, John K. Shields and W. D. Beard, and the latter are R. M. Harrison, John W. Taylor and S. H. Wilbourn.

Democratic Congressional nominations, according to information received by the state committee, are:

Fourth District—Morgan C. Fitzpatrick over C. E. Snodgrass.
Sixth District—John W. Gaines over M. H. Meek.
Seventh District—L. P. Padgett over W. J. Withers.
Eighth District—T. W. Sims over J. H. Trace and J. M. Trout.
Ninth District—R. Pearce over D. O. Thomas.

With the exception of Fitzpatrick all are renominations.

Big Heart Elected Chief.

PAWNER, Okla., Aug. 7.—James Big Heart, nominee on the full-blood ticket, has been elected principal chief of the Osage Indians for a two-year term, over Bacon Bird, candidate on the progressive ticket. The principal issue was the proposed allotment of the Indian lands. Big Heart's election means that the lands will not be allotted during his term.

Nomination in North Carolina.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 7.—The Democrats of the Tenth North Carolina District today nominated J. M. Gudor, Jr., for Congress.

Convention Set for Denver.

DENVER, Aug. 7.—The Republican state central committee today decided to call the state convention to meet in Denver September 4.

Colorado Democrats.

DENVER, Aug. 7.—The Democratic state convention has been called to meet in Denver, Wednesday, September 2.

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MAY OPEN GATEWAY

More Wheat May Come Here via Wallula.

IS IT NORTHERN PACIFIC PLAN?

Similar Arrangements Likely With O. R. & N. as With Great Northern at Adrian—Effect of Grain Rate Cut.

The farmers of Oregon, Washington and Idaho have profited quite materially by the harmony policy of the big railroads, and it is not improbable that Portland will be a gainer by the amalgamation of interests which has resulted in a reduction aggregating about \$800,000 per year. Mr. Mellen, to whom was delegated the pleasant task of announcing the intentions of the railroads to make a cut in rates, in his speech at Davenport gave as a reason for so doing that his road expected to effect a material saving by building a short line down to Adrian on the Great Northern. "This would obviate the necessity of hauling wheat east over 100 miles to Spokane, thence back west the same distance before it was on even terms with wheat grown in the same section on the line of the Great Northern. Following out the same line of reasoning, it is apparent that there is a large amount of wheat along the Northern Pacific and its feeders which could to similar and perhaps greater advantage be turned over to the O. R. & N. Co. at Wallula, one portion of the short route to Portland. In other words, if the Northern Pacific can see an advantage in turning wheat over to the O. R. & N. Co. at another point.

The reopening of the Wallula gateway would mean more for Portland now than ever before, for the harmony policy which has resulted in the building of the Snake River line, reduction of rates, and general disposition to handle the business of the Northwest to the best possible advantage, would give Portland a larger proportion of the wheat than was secured before the gateway was closed. At that time harmony was lacking among the roads involved, and considerable of the wheat which by business-like methods would have come through the gateway was diverted to Puget Sound. All of the railroad representatives interested in the Wallula gateway decline to discuss the matter at present, but intimate that if general consideration from other sources also it is learned that not only is the opening up of this short route from Northern Pacific territory to Portland in contemplation, but it is almost certainly that favorable action will be taken early enough to admit of at least a portion of the 1903 crop having the benefit of it. Portland would be a heavy gainer this move, as this movement would mean wheat yield in the Columbia River country would ship more wheat than ever before.

Wheat Traffic Between Interior Points and Tidewater is at a Standstill as a Result of the Recent Freight Conference Between the Big Men of the Railroad World and the Farmers and until the new rates go into effect, August 15, there will be no wheat moving, although it is rolling into the interior warehouses at a lively rate. A few buyers in this city are reported to have advanced a check for the reduction several days before it was made, and bought wheat accordingly, but as the foreign and Eastern market sagged materially since that time, there is no better off financially than the men who held off until the rate question was settled. The reduction made to Pacific Coast points, however, is almost certainly that favorable action will be taken early enough to admit of at least a portion of the 1903 crop having the benefit of it. Portland would be a heavy gainer this move, as this movement would mean wheat yield in the Columbia River country would ship more wheat than ever before.

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St. Michael Retaken.

CAFE HADEN, Aug. 7.—The army under General Nord, Minister of War of the provisional government, has retaken St. Michael and Marmalade.