

TRAGEDY IN SALOON

Seattle Man Wields Revolver
With Deadly Effect.

WORK OF CAPTAIN EMMONS

He Kills C. W. Turner, Shoots Andy
Russell and Then Blows Out
His Own Brains—Russell
May Recover.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 7.—C. W. Turner was shot and almost instantly killed by Captain E. E. Emons, cigar stand proprietor, and Andy Russell, proprietor of Russell's saloon, after a fight in the saloon. The men were talking when Emons whipped out a revolver and shot Turner, and as Russell sought safety in flight, he was shot in the back. Emons then turned on himself and blew his brains out.

Emons was proprietor of a cigar stand in front of Russell's bar and had been ordered to vacate. It was for the purpose of discussing the lease that Russell called on C. W. Turner, a lawyer, and the two were sitting at a table when Emons pulled a revolver and fired two shots at Turner. He and Russell ran for the door, but Turner dropped before reaching there.

Russell got out but was shot in the back and ran to a nearby hotel. Emons walked up to the quickly deserted bar and bartender thought that he intended shooting him. Without saying a word, the murderer placed the barrel of his revolver to his temple and blew out his brains. He died 10 minutes later.

Turner was dead when picked up. Russell is now under an opiate and the doctors expect that he will recover.

Deputy Coroner Austin found a letter in the clothes of Emons, which had apparently been written tonight, the last postscript being dated at 8:40, just two hours before the shooting. The letter Emons sets forth his whole trouble with Russell, and told of his intention to "give him a cocktail of lead and powder" at the first opportunity.

When Emons was taken to the morgue a breath of life was found in the body and he was hurried to the hospital, but is again sinking rapidly.

TACOMA PEOPLE SHIVERING

Mercury Drops in Exposed Places to
16 Above Zero.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Today has been the coldest day of the winter. The thermometer at the Weather Bureau office this morning registered 24 degrees. In more exposed places of the city a temperature as low as 16 degrees was recorded.

Coldest in Seven Years.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Last night was the coldest in Yakima in seven years. Local Weather Observer Scudder, who keeps the records for the Government in the Moxee Valley near here, reported this afternoon that the thermometer fell to 20 below zero last night.

Slashing at Hood River.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Today was the coldest so far this winter, the thermometer keeping below the freezing point. More snow fell last night and today and sleighs have been brought into general use for the first time in several years.

Bitter Cold at Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Today was the coldest of the season, this far, and this morning the thermometer registered 24 below zero. The weather is clear with a strong east wind blowing and the indications are that the mercury will be even lower tomorrow morning.

MAYOR WANTS SOME CHANGES

Salem's Chief Executive Makes Recommendations in Message.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—In his inaugural message to the City Council tonight, Mayor George F. Rodgers made a number of recommendations for changes in the city government. He advises that the charter be amended so that the next Mayor shall have the appointment of the Chief of Police, thus concentrating power and responsibility. He recommended that an ordinance be passed putting in force the initiative and referendum and the recall, and that steps be taken to draft a new charter to be submitted to a vote of the people. He said that one-half the city taxes now go to pay interest on the bonded debt and the other half to pay the principal of the debt. This, he characterized as poor business policy and urged the establishment of a sinking fund. He also strongly advocated street paving.

OBJECT TO BRIDGE OVER BAY

Marshfield Asks War Department to Refuse Right to Railroad.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—At a mass meeting of the people of Coos Bay, the sentiment was unanimous in opposition to the proposed bridging of the bay at North Bend by the Southern Pacific Railway. Resolutions were prepared condemning the project on the ground that it would be a hindrance to navigation on the bay.

Jumps Head First Into Sea.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 7.—Peter McKee, marine fireman, jumped overboard from the steamship Dolphin on the night of January 4, when that vessel was on its way from Skagway to Seattle. He had brooded over his ill-luck until he was insane.

Plan to Divide Third District.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—A scheme is being quietly developed with a view to inducing the Legislature to divide the third judicial district and add Benton county to one of the divisions. Not many of the details of the plan have yet become public, but from what can be learned it seems that the plan is to put Marion and

GIVE BORAH SOLID VOTE

IDAHO REPUBLICANS NOMI-
NATE HIM IN PARTY CAUCUS.

Action of Pocatello Convention Ratified by Members of Legislature

ature at Boise.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 7.—The Republican members of the Legislature met in joint caucus this evening and adopted the following resolution on the United States Senatorship:

"Resolved, that Hon. W. E. Borah be declared the nominee of this caucus for United States Senator and that he be given the unanimous vote of the Republican members of the Legislature for that office, at a time specified by law for said vote to be taken."

There were no speeches. Mr. Borah was nominated by the Republican State Convention for the position and this caucus formally ratifies that action.

NO COMBINE, SAYS BORAH.

Denies Report He and Brady Will Attempt to Replace Heyburn.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—A statement having been published in the northern part of the state, which has been construed as intimating that a combination exists between W. E. Borah and J. H. Brady looking to the election of the latter to succeed Senator Heyburn, Mr. Borah desires it to be known there is no foundation whatever for the story. He said this evening:

"The fact that Mr. Brady is here looking after my interests is not because of any understanding as to the Senatorship two years hence. Such a thing would be ridiculous. Ever since the Pocatello convention, one of the most valuable properties to me as the candidate of the party for the Senatorship, and he is here because he is generous enough to attend to the carrying out of the pledges of the party. There is nothing whatever in the rumor. As chairman of the state committee, Mr. Brady feels that his work is not finished until the senator chosen in the convention is elected."

SAYS IT IS A CONSPIRACY

Name of Judge Crawford Included in Request for Receiver.

RAKER CITY, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—A charge that Judge T. H. Crawford, who was recently appointed to the Supreme bench by Governor Chamberlain, was concerned in a conspiracy to obtain control of the Highland gold mines, one of the most valuable properties in this vicinity, was the basis of a complaint upon which Otto Herlocker, of Sumpter, was appointed receiver for the property today.

The petition was filed by J. H. Schuler, attorney at law, who is the plaintiff in a suit against the company to recover attorney fees and money alleged to have been advanced by E. Diehl, who is the first step in a series in which the officers, of which Diehl is one, had planned to confess to a judgment in that suit, following the project, the property was sold at Sheriff's sale and Crawford and Diehl would buy it in.

Schuler alleges that the company owned by Crawford, Diehl and Herlocker, who assigned his claim to the Judge, but \$1500. The claim is that the rest is added through a conspiracy to raise the price.

SALEMAN ISSUE UP AGAIN.

Old Issue Basis of Fight in Forest Grove City Election.

FOREST GROVE, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The city council today held one week from today and the old "wet" and "dry" issue is to be fought out again. The Supreme Court having sustained Judge McBride's decision in the case of the present charter, the city could not license saloons, an attempt will be made to amend the charter so as to permit the Council to license saloons.

SEATTLE'S CONTRACTS STAND

Managers Will Be Notified to Keep Hands Off the Players.

Manager McCredie yesterday received a letter from Danny Long, secretary of the Pacific Coast League, stating that he had notified the Seattle club to inform all of the clubs in the National Association to keep their hands off of Seattle players. When Manager McCredie learned that Russ Hall had jumped to Butte, he at once notified Secretary Long of the fact, and the latter immediately notified the league that Jim Morley perpetrated when he released his players, requested that Secretary Long notify the baseball managers, through Secretary Farrell, to keep their hands off of Seattle players.

Whether Hall has attempted to dispose of any of the players that the club held contracts on is not known, but if he has, none of the deals will stand. Hall, being a manager, has a right to play ball wherever he wanted to, but his leaving Seattle did not dissolve the Seattle club. No one stands higher in the councils of the league than the Seattle club, and Danny Long, the new secretary of the Pacific Coast League, and that Secretary Farrell will issue the "hands off" order to the managers goes without saying. Not only this, but it is a safe bet that should it come to a show-down between the Pacific Coast League and the Northwest, the National commission would be found lined up with the coasters.

LIVES TO WIN ANOTHER RACE

Miller Hidden Over by Several Horses, but Escapes Unscathed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—At Emeryville today the track was a sea of mud and W. Miller, a jockey, came dangerously near being killed immediately after the start of the fifth race. He was thrown from Dora. Several horses passed over the rider as he lay on the ground, but he miraculously escaped and walked to the jockey room. The race was won by Governor Davis, Miller and won two races previous to his fall, and came back in the sixth race with a third winner in Nealon.

SEEK TO RESTRAIN ED RAND

Sam White Declares Sheriff is Exceeding His Authority.

BAKER CITY, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Charges are made that Sheriff Ed Rand, in his anxiety to protect the integrity of the county and state, exceeded his authority, and a complaint, asking that Judge Smith, of the Circuit Court, issue orders restraining Sheriff Rand, who is charged with having been filed by Judge Sam White, attorney for Alex Widowson, who declares that although his client is in the hands of the sheriff, charged with murdering Willard Moody, he has been denied an opportunity to confer with him as to his defense.

Also, it is complained that the Sheriff has had all the mail addressed to Widowson, cut off his attorney, delivered to his box, instead of Judge White's, and has proceeded to inspect it all before delivering it.

The complaint recites that especially since the evidence against his client is purely circumstantial, such a condition of affairs is intolerable, and relief is demanded.

DEAD OF THE NORTHWEST

Mrs. Charles Rogers.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Charles Rogers, wife of Charles Rogers, drug store owner, died this morning of a paralytic stroke. She was one of the most prominent citizens of the city and prominent in charitable work. Her body will be taken to Portland tomorrow for cremation.

Charles E. Hill.

ELMA, Wash., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Early yesterday occurred the death from tonsillitis of Charles E. Hill, at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. J. Wakefield. Hill was born in 1864 in Missouri. His parents removed to California when he was a child. He came here with his father, Dr. H. G. Hill, 15 years ago.

Criminal Indictments Found.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 7.—The District Attorney this afternoon returned information charging E. L. Remington, of Wood

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