

THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Tuesday; continued warm; northerly winds.

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POSSE HOT AFTER TRACY

The Outlaw Is Located and He Will Be Hard Pressed.

He Is Endeavoring to Get Into Idaho But His Chances of Escape Look Slim.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
SPOKANE, Aug. 4.—With three posses hot on his trail and a fourth being organized in this city to join the hunt, the outlaw and murderer Harry Tracy, is still at large.
The officers, while they cannot definitely locate their man, believe they have his trail, and know within a few miles of where he is lying in wait for darkness to make another sneak.
Tracy has adopted the method of traveling only at night, lying in hiding during the day. This plan of the fugitive is causing the officers no little trouble.
After being seen at Wenatchee, Tracy worked gradually northeast and all indications pointed to an attempt to enter the Colville Indian reservation at or to reach the international boundary line. But the outlaw fooled his pursuers, and has taken a southern turn, and is now supposed to be in hiding in the rough Lake Creek country somewhere between Odessa on the Great Northern road and Wilbur, on the Central Washington.
The last report which is taken as authentic is that Tracy or a man answering his description, was seen about two and a half miles north of Odessa about 9:30 last evening by Mrs. Craben, a farmer's wife. The man was riding one horse and leading another and carried two rifles. As he had been seen between Wilbur and Harrington, inquiring the way to Har-

ington, it is supposed he got on the wrong road and struck Odessa considerably west of Harrington. His direction when seen last night was north, indicating that he had turned on his tracks and was making for the unsettled country around Lake Creek. Undoubtedly for the purpose of hiding during the day.
Last night an attempt was made to waylay the outlaw. Posses got ahead of him and were stationed along the different roads which it was thought he might travel. Sheriff DeBolt was in ambush on one of the roads between Wilbur and Harrington but the outlaw took a fork leading to the south and missed the trap.
Sheriff Gradner, of Lincoln County, is at Harrington today; Sheriff DeBolt, of Douglas County, is at Reardan, while Sheriff Cuddehe, of King County, is also working in that neck of the woods.
Sheriff Doust, of Spokane, will leave this afternoon with a posse from this place and will work in conjunction with the other officers. The plan of campaign laid out for the searchers now is to wait until darkness and then make another attempt to waylay the outlaw.
By changing his course it now seems evident that Tracy has not any further hope of making his way to the north. His route now takes him across the central part of the state into Idaho. He will have to cross the Palouse country, an open farming country with nothing but lanes and few hiding places.

BEEF WAR

Meat Trust Files Demurrer to Bill.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The attorneys representing the alleged beef trust are today prepared for filing a demurrer to the bill by virtue of which the Federal Court issued an injunction to prevent the packing houses from conspiring to manipulate the market. The insufficiency and unconstitutionality of the anti-trust law and denial of the right of courts to compel packers to produce their books for inspection are alleged, in addition to a general denial of the truth of charges made in its bill. The demurrer will be filed as soon as it can be verified by the different defendants.

INSPECTION COMMITTEE.

Assistant General Freight Agent Fulton, of the Northern Pacific, left Saturday night for San Francisco, where he went to attend the meetings of the Inspection Committee of the Transcontinental Freight Bureau, which convened there today. This committee meets alternately at Portland and San Francisco every six weeks. Assistant General Freight Agent Baird, of the Northern Pacific at St. Paul, will also attend. Others who have gone there are Assistant General Traffic Manager Eden, of the Great Northern at Seattle; F. W. Peters, general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific at Vancouver; R. R. Miller, general freight agent of the O. R. & N. Co.; W. E. Coman, general freight and passenger agent of the Southern Pacific.

TOMMY TRACEY TO FIGHT.

Tom Tracey, the local welterweight, left this afternoon for Seattle to meet Tom Reilly in a 20-round contest on August 16. Although Reilly has the advantage in weight by 12 pounds, the friends of Tracey are confident that he will win in spite of the handicap.

PRESIDENT'S GUESTS

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
OSTER BAY, Aug. 4.—Whitelaw Reid and Mrs. Reid are guests of President Roosevelt today, arriving in Commodore Gerry's yacht *Electra*.
Archbishop Ryan and Commodore Gerry were the only other guests. After luncheon the President and archbishop discussed affairs in the Philippines.

UNRULY SOLDIERS

Arrested by Police After Hot Fight--To Be Courtmartialled.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
AKRON, Ohio, Aug. 4.—Police raided the Eighth Regiment armory at 3 o'clock this morning and arrested a number of the members of the regiment. The soldiers resisted, using furniture as missiles. Bloodshed narrowly was averted. The regiment was preparing to go into camp at Newark, and made the night hideous by their yells, singing and throwing missiles at passersby. All will be court martialled.

STRONG GUARD

Ready for Other Outbreaks Among the Coal Miners.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug. 4.—No renewal of Sunday night's attack on the soldiers' camp by strikers was made last night. Two Italians are under arrest and in the guard house. Troops have been supplied with bayonettes. Funeral of Joseph Beddel, will occur this afternoon, and in anticipation of trouble a strong force will be on hand.

COUNCIL MAY ACT

The Three Cent Car Fare Measure Is Legal.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CLEVELAND, Aug. 4.—The Circuit Court today dissolved an injunction against the City Council, which prevented that body from transacting business because of alleged illegality and the inauguration of a 3-cent car fare.

DIED GAME

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
SING SING, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Aaron Halle was electrocuted at Sing Sing prison at 6 o'clock this morning for the murder of Mary McCarthy in a New York department store in May, 1900. He died calmly exhibiting great unconcern. This was the 22nd electrocution since the law was passed.
Halle's crime was deliberate. He forced his attentions upon a girl and when repulsed, walked into the store and deliberately shot Miss McCarthy as she stood at the counter. He then lit a cigarette and declared he was glad he had killed her.
Two years ago Halle was first sentenced to death. The case was appealed to the higher courts, which confirmed the judgment of the lower court. Another appeal was taken, this time to the United States Supreme Court, but that tribunal also reaffirmed the decision and an appeal to Governor Odell for clemency was likewise futile.

VETERAN DEAD.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Commodore Joseph E. Montgomery, the veteran confederate commander who, during the civil war, almost succeeded in capturing General Grant, died this morning at the home of his son here.

SAMUEL GOMPERS HERE

Mass Meeting of Union Labor and Friends at Cordray's Tonight.

Samuel Gompers, the veteran labor leader, arrived in the city this morning from Salem, accompanied by Max Morris and wife, and several well known local men who attended the meeting at the capital city last night.
W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalga-



SAMUEL GOMPERS, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR.

and more, too, figuratively speaking. Fifty or 60 charters are being issued for new unions every day. We have increased in strength about one-half million during the past six months, of which Oregon has given her full quota. Our growth has been marvelous. We now have a membership of over 2,000,000. I find the cities and towns of Oregon to be well organized, and when their population is taken into consideration will compare favorably with any of the older states.
This afternoon members of the party are being entertained by the Amalgamated Street Railway Employees. They are seeing Portland on the City and Suburban's elegant observation car.
Everything is in readiness for the meeting tonight. Good music has been secured and all who go to Cordray's theater tonight are assured beforehand of being well entertained.

BLOODY REVOLT -- CONVICTS SLAIN

VIENNA, Aug. 4.—A revolt of convicts at Jellisaventopol, Russia, is reported.
In a sanguinary conflict between prisoners and guards, 31 convicts were killed and 73 wounded. Twenty soldiers were killed and 150 wounded.
Immediately after subduing the revolt the ringleader was executed in full view of his fellow prisoners. Fifteen were sent to dark dungeons, and the remainder flogged, some of whom are reported to be dying from the effects of the punishment.

LAW NOT VIOLATED

Secretary Root Compelled to Reinstate Miss Taylor.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The answer to Secretary Root to suit the mandamus filed against him by Rebecca J. Taylor, compelling him to reinstate her, will be filed this afternoon. The Secretary contends the civil service laws are not violated, and that Miss Taylor was discharged for just cause. Miss Taylor was dismissed because she wrote a letter criticizing the President's Philippine policy. The letter was printed in a local paper.

REBELS QUELLED

National Forces Master the Situation--Revolution Over.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Commander McCrea, of the gunboat *Maclure* at Cape Haytien, cabled today that affairs there appear more satisfactory. The national forces are well armed and the rebels have been driven from a critical position. No further danger of serious disturbances are imminent.
CRUSHED TO DEATH.
Near Kelso, on Saturday, Wm. Harrigan, a logger, lost his life while loading logs. A falling log crushed him so severely that he died in ten minutes. The victim was about 40 years of age, and was buried at Kelso under the auspices of the Odd Fellows.
A \$100 FIRE.
At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a small fire occurred at Raster's restaurant on Fourth and Yamhill streets. The blaze was extinguished by the fire department. The building is damaged to such an extent that it will be impossible to repair it as a frame structure under the existing ordinance.

STRONG ELUSIVE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
PARIS, Aug. 4.—Actress May Yohs has not yet been able to locate Strong. She will remain in Paris until the end of the week, searching for him.

BIG BOERS MEET.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
THE HAGUE, Aug. 4.—General Lucas Meyer and other Boer leaders conferred with Kruger today.

TRAIN WRECK

One Passenger Killed, Four Injured--Oil Tanks Burned.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 4.—A Santa Fe passenger train returning from Redondo ran into an open switch last night and crashed into an oil train. Fireman Martin is missing and four others severely injured. The oil took fire and burned the cars and the Coombs Refining Company's plant.

MALAYON WARPATH

Several Striking Teamsters Have Had Many Narrow Escapes.

The Banfield-Veyssey Company has a teamster who does not believe in unions, and is very free to announce it. He is a Malay, having come here sometime ago as a sailor on a British ship. When landing here a strike was on, and he saw an opportunity to change his occupation to that of a "land lubber" instead of a sea dog, and he embraced it.
He has been making it interesting for union men ever since. E. Tooley, business agent of the Sand and Fuel Teamsters' Union, addressed him good humoredly the other day, and inquired incidentally how he liked scabbing. The Malay became a shade darker in the face, and armed with a two by four scantling threatened to wipe the entire North End with the official dignity of Mr. Tooley. The latter finally bluffed him out, however, and no blood was shed.
On Saturday the Malay's ire was again excited beyond all reasonable bounds. This time A. Wyman met him near the Garfield hotel and pleasantly addressed him thusly:
"Hello, you Nigger scab!"
Mount Pelic then turned loose in all its fury. The Malay seized a convenient sledge hammer, and started after the fleeing form of Wyman shouting at every step:
"Mr. Banfield told me to kill all you union fellows that got gay, and he would pay the fine. I'll kill you, I'll murder you, break in your skull and burn you to the stake."
But before any of these calamities could happen to Wyman he had found a safe retreat in the Garfield hotel, and the purpose of the gentleman with the sledgehammer from the East was foiled.

MAN LOST

Jumped Overboard When Fearing Collision.

WAS IN FISHING BOAT

Steamer Potter's Crew Rescued John Wilson, But H. Hemy Was Drowned.

H. Hemy was drowned and John Wilson was saved after a narrow escape in the Columbia River last night about half way between Flavel and Astoria.
The men were in a fishing smack at the time of the accident, fishing for one of the salmon firms at Astoria. The night was dark and before the men had time to realize the danger of a collision the steamer T. J. Potter, plying between Ilwaco and Portland, was almost upon them. She was on her regular run up to Portland, and the steamers' lookouts were at their respective positions. Suddenly they observed the fishermen's frail craft when within about 100 feet of it. The boat was on a collision course with the steamer. The attempt proved successful, the smack missing another by a distance of about six feet.
In the meantime, however, the crew of the small boat became panic-stricken. Believing that a collision was unavoidable they jumped overboard, and their dark forms battling with the waves were plainly discernible to the Potter's passengers. Life preservers were thrown to them and the crew shouted for them to keep up courage. At the same time they were losing no time in trying to save them. Several of the crew boarded the fishing craft and went to their rescue. They finally located the half-drowned Wilson and pulled him aboard. Before they could reach Hemy he threw up his hands and sank. They lingered in the vicinity fully 40 minutes, only leaving as yet all hope for his recovery was gone.
During all this time there was an exciting scene on the Potter. She had a big passenger list, and men, women and children ran to and fro making the night all ring with their words of encouragement to the struggling fishermen. The captain and crew acted with promptness and heroism and exhausted every effort to save them. It seems that no one but the men themselves were to blame for the occurrence. Had they not lost their presence of mind and remained in the boat all would have been well.
Wilson and his boat were taken to Astoria. On the trip up he told Captain Turner that he and his companion were busy drawing in their net, and were not aware of their danger until the Potter was almost on them. He told a passenger, however, that they were asleep at the time. The captain says that Wilson is a foreigner, and being excited, it was almost impossible to get an intelligible story from him. Hemy was also a foreigner and both had been in Astoria for sometime which they made their headquarters while fishing.

FIGHTER STONED.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 4.—Cleaver Miller, a middle weight fighter, of this city, was stoned almost to death this morning by Horace Graham and Lee Johnson, both colored. They waylaid him returning from a picnic.

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