

EXTRA EXTRA TRACY'S BREAK FOR LIBERTY

Found He Was Surrounded and Broke Into Brush Before Posse Could Close In.

SEATTLE, July 17-2:30 p. m.—Once again has Convict Tracy proven his courage and resource. Though surrounded with his two companions in a cabin by Sheriff Cudihoe and a band of deputies he has again escaped. While his hunters were lying in the brush waiting anxiously for the appearance of the outlaws, the criminals were planning their escape.

Cudihoe and his men from town Tuesday has been explained. He took up the news from the Garner home that Tracy had been seen, and followed up the trail, with the result that the noted outlaw is again surrounded, and the prospects are better than ever for his killing or capture.

The convict is in a lonely shack at Sawyer Lake, eight miles from Black Diamond, where the bloodhounds lost the trail Friday night.

TRACY WOUNDED. There are known to be two accomplices with Tracy, and there is no doubt that he is badly wounded in the hip from a buckshot fired by J. A. Bunce last week.

Cudihoe employed a man to act as "stool pigeon," who has access to the cabin, through methods yet unexplained, and from information of the man, Tracy is surrounded in the shack and a fight is expected.

that he is at last caught in a trap, he may kill some of the deputies, but there is little opportunity of his getting away.

The Posse's Work.

SEATTLE, July 17-1:15 p. m.—The latest news received from Sawyer Lake, where Tracy has been surrounded by a posse under Sheriff Cudihoe, says that Cudihoe has with him as deputies ex-Sheriff Woolery, McClellan, Nelson, Lovejoy, Allen and Warner, all of whom are picked men, and men who will stop at nothing. Each and every one of them have records of unflinching courage, and at last Tracy is confronted by a posse in which, so far as known, every man is as good with a gun as is the desperado himself.

TRACY'S CONFEDERATES.

The confederates who are with Tracy are Fred Floyd—the mysterious Fred who met Tracy and Anderson on the railway track near Seattle—and an ex-convict named Simmons, who is suspected of being the man who furnished the rifles

with which Tracy and Merrill made their break from the Salem penitentiary.

The stool pigeon who is being used by Sheriff Cudihoe to effect the capture of the outlaws, has reported that when he visited the cabin yesterday Tracy was suffering greatly from the wound in his hip, a large quantity of puss having formed, and the limb being so badly swollen that he experienced great pain in moving.

DESPERADOES UNCONSCIOUS.

When the report was sent in that the posse was surrounding the house it was believed that the convicts had not as yet become aware of their presence. Before losing in it was decided that any man emerging from the cabin was to be shot down without the delay of a moment. No time was to be taken for identification. Sheriff Cudihoe's orders were brief and to the point:

"If any man comes out of that house every man who's right must open fire. Kill them first and identify them afterwards."

the "return, dead or alive" of Tracy and Merrill.

MERRILL BURIED

Superintendent Lee Refuses to Pay the Reward.

SALEM, Or., July 17.—The body of David Merrill was received by Superintendent J. D. Lee, of the penitentiary, this morning from Mrs. Waggoner and Sheriff Edward Deggeler, of Chehalis, and was buried in the prison cemetery. When the 11 a. m. train arrived Superintendent J. D. Lee met it at the station. Mrs. Waggoner and the Sheriff arrived, and Lee asked which of the two had the body in charge. The lady, claiming to be in charge of the remains of the dead convict, was informed that her claim to the reward would be ignored, but that a reasonable settlement would be made with her for returning the body.

Mr. Lee asked the woman: "Do you guarantee the body to be that of Convict Merrill?" "I do," said the woman. Lee then said "I wish you to understand before I receive it that I shall be compelled to ignore your claim to a reward, but I will settle with you liberally for the return of the remains."

The body was then taken to the prison, the box enclosing the casket was opened, and the authorities made an examination of the badly decomposed remains. It was almost impossible to recognize the face of Merrill in the casket. The remains were neatly dressed in a black suit and enclosed in a sealed coffin. Burial was had without ceremony in the prison yard.

PARK CITY IS IN MOURNING

Business Is Suspended Out of Respect to the Mine Victims.

SALT LAKE, July 17.—All business at Park City is suspended until after the funerals of the victims of the Daly-West mine disaster. This morning the work of recovering the bodies of the victims was resumed. The mine officials say 34 have been killed and that 20 bodies have been recovered.

WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Wheat, 78 1/2¢. SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Wheat, 81 1/4¢.

MARKET RISING

Gates-Harris Combine Forcing Corn Prices Up Once More.

CHICAGO, July 17.—July corn began performing again on the Board of Trade today. From 5 1/2¢ last night is soon jumped to 6 1/2¢. The Gates-Harris brokers joined in the bidding. With the advance in price the word was passed around that the big Gates deal was not yet closed, and that a number of heavy shorts had been forced to settle this morning.

WILL FIGHT TO LAST GASP

Senator Spooner Has Determined on a Battle Royal.

MADISON, Wis., July 17.—Governor La Follette was renominated by the Republican State Convention on the first ballot today. He received 790 votes to 28 for Whitehead, 5 for Scofield, and 3 for Froelich. James O. Davidson was named for Lieutenant Governor. The friends of Senator Spooner, whose endorsement in the platform has a string attached to it, say he will carry the fight into the assembly districts and will not rest in his fight against the La Follette faction until the last vote is polled next November.

A LITTLE BLAZE

The dip shop and packing rooms of the ground about 9:30 o'clock last evening. The ground about 5:30 o'clock last evening. The dip shop was located about 30 feet east of the main building and contained all the manufactured matches. The loss including the building, will amount to about \$50. It is not known how the fire originated.

RAVING MANIAC

Makes Desperate Attempt to Commit Suicide.

Otto Schultze, a young man placed in the County Jail pending his commitment to the asylum, made several desperate attempts to commit suicide last night. The patient became so violent last evening that he was removed from the insane quarters to the steel cell for the night. Later he set up a terrific yelling and it kept every one in the jail awake nearly all night. He tore his clothes in shreds and tried to hang himself. Falling in this, he made a noose out of his shoe strings and endeavored to choke himself.

Schultze is a finisher by trade, and recently was quarantined in the residence of his sister, at 409 San Rafael street. He was taken to the asylum this evening.

GOLF TOURNEY NEARS ITS END

The Semi-Finals Will be Played off Tomorrow.

CHICAGO, July 17.—The third match round in the national amateur golf tournament began this morning under most favorable auspices, the grounds being in perfect condition. Only 16 players are now left to participate in the play, which will bring the tournament down to the semi-finals, which are to be played tomorrow.

ROGOWAY SEEN

A private letter from Seattle received here today gives the information that, Phil Rogoway, who absconded from Portland recently, was seen in the Round city. At the time he was seen, Rogoway was in the act of boarding an East-bound train. This effectually dispenses of the story circulated by a local newspaper and renders the hopes of his creditors still more slim.

Great Central's Terminal.

Chief Engineer Kinney, of the Great Central, leaves tonight for Drain, and from there will go on to Marshfield, and will be accompanied by a representative of the Great Central Land Company, which will take up the land options offered by the company at that place.

Mr. Kinney's absence is a most important one. He will be away for about a week. Upon his decision, which must be made between Saturday night and Monday morning, the question of the exact terminal of the Great Central's line will be determined. Wherever Mr. Kinney decides to locate the wharf on Coos Bay that will be terminal.

KING IMPROVING

COWES, England, July 17.—An official bulletin issued from the royal yacht this morning states that His Majesty passed an excellent night and he is benefitting greatly by the change of air.

CARGO SHIP ARRIVES.

The British ship Sierra Estrella, 164 days from Liverpool, arrived in Astoria yesterday, with a cargo of general merchandise for Portland. The Sierra Estrella is the first of the large number of cargo ships scheduled for Portland to arrive in She. She will probably lie at Astoria until Friday. The harvest Queen left down this morning in tow of the lumber schooners Fred J. Wood and Ariel, and will not be ready to start up the river again until tomorrow. The vessel is not chartered for outward loading.

CHECK NOT HONORED.

Frank Hellen today filed suit in the State Circuit Court to recover \$575 on two accounts from Frank Burke. He alleges that on July 9, 1902, Burke drew a check in his favor for \$50, payable at the Astoria National Bank, of this city. The check was not honored by the bank the next day because Burke had given instructions not to pay it. It is further stated that Burke borrowed \$50 from Hellen on the same date, and agreed to repay the sum on demand. The day following demand was made for the money, which was refused.

CANNOT SEE BELDING.

Sheriff W. A. Storey has made an order for Jailer D. D. Jackson not to allow any person to visit A. L. Belding, held in the county jail waiting trial for the murder of his wife and other members of the McCroskey family in this city.

MINERS' CONVENTION

Views a General Strike With Disfavor—Will Act Tomorrow.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 17.—The national convention of mine workers, who are meeting to consider the advisability of ordering a general strike of the bituminous men to aid the anthracite men in their strike, was called to order here this morning. It is not expected that any action will be taken before tomorrow. The present indications point to the gathering of LARGE RELIEF FUNDS instead of a general strike. Those delegates who are opposed to a strike say that Pennsylvania might be saved by radical action, but that other states would be lost. They don't want to break their contracts with the operators if ANY OTHER REMEDY can be found. Caucuses will be held by various districts tonight which will clean the atmosphere. Estimates as to assessment show that should it be levied it will range from 10 to 27 per cent. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 17.—In his address to the delegates this afternoon, President Mitchell declared against a general sympathetic strike.

PRESIDENT OF PACIFIC MAIL

NEW YORK, July 17.—Chas. Tweed has resigned the presidency of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. E. H. Harclman has been elected to succeed him. It is understood Tweed asked to be relieved of the duties of the office because of his numerous other interests.

BRAGG HAD TOO MUCH BRAG

Roosevelt May Kick Him Out of Consular Service.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The State Department announced this afternoon that its attention had been especially called to the recent statement of Consul General Bragg, of Havana, contained in a letter to his wife, to the effect that the United States could not hope for anything good from the Cubans. All the papers in the case, including Bragg's explanation, have been forwarded to President Roosevelt, who will decide whether or not Bragg is to remain in the consular service.

A BIG MEET OF WARSHIPS

British May Receive Orders to Assemble in August.

LONDON, July 17.—The admiralty has ordered the British fleet to assemble at Portsmouth early in August in connection with the coronation ceremonies.

FIEND LYNCHED.

OWENSBORO, Ky., July 17.—Josh Anderson, a wife murderer, was taken from the jail by a mob this morning and hanged.

BURIED WITH GREAT POMP

Elaborate Services Over the Remains of Catholic Prelate.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Impressive funeral services over the remains of Archbishop Feehan were held this morning in Holy Name Cathedral. Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishops Ireland, Kahn, Ryan, and about 20 bishops, with scores of priests and hundreds of laymen from all parts of the country attended. Bishop Spalding celebrated the solemn pontifical requiem mass and Archbishop Ryan preached the sermon. The funeral procession was made up of police, the Seventh Illinois Uniformed Catholic societies, and hundreds of citizens. The remains were placed temporarily in a vault in Calvary cemetery and later will be finally interred in Mt. Carmel cemetery.

WHARF CAVED IN

The Nottingham wharf at the foot of Washington street, used as a storehouse for flour and cement, came very near collapsing some time last night. A large quantity of flour stored in sacks caused one of the rotten uprights to give way. The flour dropped down several feet, and it is a wonder that the accident did not result more seriously. A new brace was placed under the cross beam and the wharf was cleared of the flour in order that necessary repairs may be made.

HIBERNIANS

DENVER, July 17.—The reports of the officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, were presented this morning at the executive session of the annual convention. The reading of them consumed the greater portion of the day.

MACKAY BETTER

LONDON, July 17.—John E. Mackay, who suffered a heat stroke on Tuesday, is much better today.

Woodard, Clarke & Co. DRUGGISTS. Robertine reduced to 25 cents. Mennen's Powder, 9 cents. "TANGLEFOOT" FLY PAPER. 3 Double Sheets, 5 cents. 25 Double Sheets, 35 cents. AKIN'S FOOT COMFORT. "Rest the feet and you rest the body." ABSORBENT, ANTISEPTIC AND DEODORIZER. HILTON'S STERILIZED EXTRACT OF MALT. Prescribed by Physicians for Invalids, Overworked, Aged, Etc. 20c Bottle \$2.25 Doz. RAZORS. GEM SAFETY OUTFIT with Strop and Stripping Machine. \$3.33. Allcock's Porous Plaster, 7c. Woodard, Clarke & Co.

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