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DESPERATE BATTLE AT STATE PENITENTIARY.

Guards Ferrell, Jones and Tiffany Shot and Killed by Convicts.

SALEM, June 9.—At an early working hour this morning Salem was thrown into a tumult of excitement by news of a revolt at the penitentiary. Three guards, Thurston Jones, Frank Ferrell and B. Tiffany, were killed. One life prisoner, Ingram, was wounded, and two prisoners, Harry Tracy, serving 30 years, and David Merrill, serving 13 years, escaped. The remainder of the convicts were securely locked in their cells.

Ferrell Killed Without Warning.

At 7 o'clock the foundry gang of prisoners were marched to their work in the usual manner. Frank Girard, a guard, counted them into the shops and announced the number to be 159 to Frank Ferrell, guard at the first post in the shops. Just as Girard announced the number and received Ferrell's "all right," he heard a rifle shot and also the exclamation "My God" from Ferrell, who tumbled over forward.

Scaled the Wall.

Tracy and Merrill then procured a ladder and scaled the north wall under fire from the guards, and having reached the top of the wall they shot and killed Jones and Tiffany. Merrill having previously wounded a "life" named Ingram, who endeavored to prevent Tracy from shooting at Tiffany.

Rescued \$1000.

Superintendent Lee has posted a reward of \$1000 for the capture of the fugitives. Tracy and Merrill were among the most desperate characters in the prison. Both were convicted in Multnomah County of assault and battery and sent to the penitentiary March, 1899, Tracy for 20 years and Merrill for 13.

Held up a Citizen for His Clothing.

SALEM, June 11.—(Special to The Evening Telegram.)—During the night Tracy and Merrill, the escaped convicts, came through Salem, obtained citizens' clothing, stole a team of horses and rode northward, presumably to Portland.

Death.

M. S. Reynolds, the brother of Mr. C. Reynolds, who arrived here from Wisconsin recently and was declared insane and taken to the state asylum last week, died yesterday morning. His body will be brought to Tillamook for burial.

City Warrants.

Tillamook, Or., June 4th, 1902. All city and road warrants presented before June 1st, are now payable and interest thereon ceases from this date. JOS. H. BROMLEY, City Treasurer.

pursuit of Tracy and Merrill was resumed this afternoon. Until the arrival of the hounds practically nothing was attempted or accomplished toward apprehension of the fugitives since last evening. The man-hunters returned to their homes during the evening, and the chase was abandoned pending arrival of the bloodhounds. Was everybody's business nobody's.

After officers had assigned the posse and the militia boys to watch the roads and bridges between Salem, Turner and Stayton, they returned to town, followed at intervals by the pursuers. The officers made no attempt to act today before the dogs came, and even now are not hurrying. All appear confident of ultimate capture of the desperadoes, but with the convicts so far ahead, the chances of capture are diminishing.

While Tracy and Merrill are known to have been in Salem before midnight, no effort was made to follow the clues until noon. Through lack of prompt action on the part of the authorities Tracy and Merrill have gained a lead that may enable them to elude pursuit. With the streets filled with armed citizens these murderers boldly walked through town, supplied themselves with clothing, chatted amicably with a citizen, stole two horses and cantered into country northward, heading for Portland.

James W. Roberts met the convicts at 10:30, but failed to raise the alarm until 4 o'clock this morning. Southwick saw them riding through the street headed north at 11:30, and notified the night watchman at the Courthouse. The watchman discredited the information, and did not give an alarm.

This morning Southwick's story was believed, but the chase was not begun until midday, after word was received that the men had passed through Brooks. The pursuit has been unsystematic and desultory since yesterday. The members of the posse wandered in during the evening, when the escapes were in town.

After hiding in the timber yesterday the convicts entered South Salem. As J. W. Roberts was entering his yard on Liberty street, having passed the evening discussing plans of capture, he saw two men approaching. He said good evening and received a reply. The strangers were the convicts. They pointed guns at Roberts, marched him to a tree a few feet distance, and stripped him of his clothing.

Tracy had a heart to heart talk with Roberts. The convict related how the plot to escape had been planned three months ago, but other convicts had refused to participate. Tracy acknowledged the killing of the two guards. He didn't know the third was killed.

Roberts was forced to tell where the escapes could find a rowboat, after which Tracy shook Roberts' hand, leaving the latter standing in his underclothing. Roberts entered the house, not leaving until 4 o'clock, because the convicts told him not to.

The convicts next secured an overcoat and overalls in South Salem, and took horses from a barn. Southwick saw them leaving, one man leaning over his horse as if wounded. He notified the watchman, but the latter let the matter drop.

The convicts had ten hours start before the news came from Brooks, and 12 hours before a move was made to pursue them. Superintendent Lee has telegraphed to officers in the towns north to look out. Until Tracy and Merrill are seen again the chase is at a standstill, as the two bloodhounds cannot follow until they get a scent. When word is received the hounds will be hurried to the scene by train or carriage and placed on the fresh trail. J. L. Skipton, a lively stable proprietor, and Guard Girard are going north in a buggy to try tracking the criminals from Brooks, where they were seen about midnight. These are the only pursuers in the field who are experienced men.

Superintendent Lee has given Sheriff Durbin full charge of the pursuit. Durbin has sent messages to all Sheriffs and arresting officers, with instructions to notify the Penitentiary as soon as any suspicious characters are seen.

Tillamook Public School.

The report of Tillamook Public School for month ending June 6th, 1902:

	Attendance.	Absence.	Tardy.	Neither absent nor tardy.	No. enrolled.
Mrs. Hays.....	709	14	3	30	42
Miss Newell....	743	14	3	28	44
Miss Cooper....	673	6	2	31	39
Mrs. Severance..	536	4	2	22	30
B. O. Snuffer....	632	3	0	34	36
	3293	41	11	145	191

Average, 183. B. O. SNUFFER, Teacher.

Here is report showing condition of principal's room in Tillamook Public School for past four years. It is submitted for the careful consideration of those interested in the future welfare of our school. The former principals were competent and worked energetically for the schools, but this report indicates a lack of interest or co-operation on part of the parents. Remember your teachers may work ever so faithfully without the co-operation of the parents results will not be what we should reasonably expect.

This has been a trying year, chickenpox followed by mumps and vaccination, yet the average percent of attendance for the nine months is about 93. Taking the work as a whole I am very proud to say the people in general and parents especially have manifested a strong interest in the school the past two years.

This report shows much action on part of the parents. Don't lose interest or expect your teachers next year to carry all the load alone. Do your duty as you are now doing and we will all be the happier. We have kept constantly in mind that it is much more important what a boy or girl is than what he knows. On behalf of the present faculty I sincerely thank you one and all for your liberal support in the past and wish you peace, happiness and prosperity in the future.

B. O. SNUFFER, Principal.

	Attendance.	Absence.	Tardy.	No. enrolled.	Avr. daily attendance.	Per cent. of attendance.
1st Month.						
McGhee	638	48	5	38	32	84
Mrs. Allen	453	16	7	28	23	81
B. O. Snuffer	636	27	0	36	32	88
B. O. Snuffer	630	10	1	34	32	92
2nd Month.						
McGhee	516	57	1	40	29	64
Mrs. Allen	451	67	5	32	22	71
B. O. Snuffer	717	35	4	42	38	91
B. O. Snuffer	741	10	0	38	37	97
3rd Month.						
McGhee	550	169	14	43	31	64
Mrs. Allen	564	45	13	37	28	76
B. O. Snuffer	747	29	2	42	37	93
B. O. Snuffer	642	17	0	37	34	90
4th Month.						
McGhee	587	100	6	48	29	61
Mrs. Allen	520	84	27	37	27	73
B. O. Snuffer	732	20	4	42	40	96
B. O. Snuffer	672	38	1	38	34	90
5th Month.						
McGhee	566	56	10	48	30	62
Mrs. Allen	553	35	16	39	28	71
B. O. Snuffer	837	32	7	44	42	95
B. O. Snuffer	664	57	3	38	33	88
6th Month.						
McGhee	501	61	4	48	25	52
Mrs. Allen	468	46	38	39	25	62
B. O. Snuffer	816	10	4	44	41	92
B. O. Snuffer	625	54	0	37	32	85
7th Month.						
McGhee	433	43	5	48	22	45
Mrs. Allen	445	57	28	39	22	57
B. O. Snuffer	853	3	2	43	43	100
B. O. Snuffer	709	15	1	38	35	93
8th Month.						
McGhee	386	36	1	48	19	40
Mrs. Allen	357	82	12	39	18	45
B. O. Snuffer	802	6	2	43	40	93
B. O. Snuffer	680	18	0	37	34	92
9th Month.						
McGhee	263	36	1	48	13	28
Mrs. Allen	295	45	6	39	14	38
B. O. Snuffer	772	3	4	39	38	99
B. O. Snuffer	632	3	0	36	35	99

The Rise of the Mule.

Somehow the mule has been singularly prominent in the South Africa war from first to last. When Sir George White fell back upon Ladysmith he sent one column off to attack the enemy. None of the detachment returned except the mules carrying a mountain battery. The men taken prisoners were illigical enough to claim that their disaster was caused by the stampede of the mules, but it is practically certain that two hoers, with their deadly rifles, would have quickly put the guns out of action if they had been available. As the conflict went on the demand for more mules was even more urgent than the requisition for more men. When Lord Methuen's army was recently scattered or captured the blame was laid again upon the stampeding mules in the baggage train. But as the pending peace negotiations seem to be the direct result of the Methuen episode the stampede of the mule tipped the scales in favor of ending the war, if the charge against them is true.

The London spectator gives the mule another lift by declaring that "the horse in war is expensive, fragile and a fool; he is greedy and his food is as bulky as himself; he requires an expert to keep him efficient under hard work, and a miracle to keep him alive under fire." The mule is the reverse of fragile; he may be undemonstrative, but he is no fool; he can live on whatever food happens to be handy, and to find one dead is proverbially a surprise. His tendency to stampede semi-occasionally is due to some intuitive mental process never yet explained. The physical force with which he moves on such occasions suggests a volcanic eruption rather than nervousness. He could hardly be called scared when his momentary stampede knocks a herd of elephants, or a dozen lions for that matter, right and left, when he stampedes he simply decides to go, and that settles it. The closing point of the war is marked by general excitement over alleged British mule camps in Missouri and Louisiana. Mules have become the pivot of military science and of nice international questions. This remarkable animal, which is indifferent to pride of ancestry, and perfectly secure in its vicarious hope of immortality, evidently has qualities that specially fit him for the twentieth century, and to which the historian and zoologist have not yet done justice.

Our naval operations in the Philippines have cost nearly \$30,000,000. No American warship would exchange Dewey's victory alone for the cost.

It is said the British authorities are planning to buy Texas cattle to restock the devastated farms of the Boers. No objection is likely to be raised to such British bull pens on Ueue Sam's soil.

If a trust has acquired control of tobacco production in Cuba why should the United States cut the duty on the article 20 per cent? Yet it is claimed that unless the new monopoly is thus formed Cuba will be ruined.

Exports from this country exceed imports by more than a million dollars per day, and the imports are increasingly made up of raw manufacturing materials. The industrial activities of the United States lead the world and were never in better shape.

A contemporary is satirical on the subject of good crops under a republican administration. The country had good crops under the last Democratic administration, but somehow the souphouse tariff and the rest of the machinery of general incompetency beat the bounties of nature.

Farming is a paving industry in Lancaster county, Pa. where the farm buildings are valued at \$23,000,000 and the annual product at \$12,000,000. The county contains only 965 square miles, but the farmer there understand their business in all its diversity and make good use of the intensive system.

On the very day that Senator Carmack was accusing the army of concealing brutality and lying about it the Secretary of War was transmitting to the Senate Committee on the Philippines a report made by the Governor of the province of Sorsogon on the execution of two native prisoners and the torture of another by soldiers. The Governor's report does not agree with the evidence, but it is apparent that Secretary Root intends to add another court martial to the many he already has ordered. It is clear, too, that the President is in earnest when he says that "no provocation, however great," will be held to excuse barbarity by American soldiers in warfare.

The expected advance in the price of raw fish occurred on Sunday at Astoria when J. Lindemeyer, the cold storage packer, posted notices stating that he would pay 7 cents per pound for salmon weighing 25 pounds or over. This is an advance of 1 cent per pound, and with it a lunch of bread, sausages and beer is given to each fisherman making deliveries at the receiving stations. The price for small fish at the canneries remain 5 cents, as before. The other cold-storage packers will not meet the advance at present, but will wait to see if it makes any change in the delivery of fish before taking action.

SOUTH PRAIRIE.

Mr. Gray is receiving about 9,000 lbs. of milk a day at the McIntosh's cheese factory at South Prairie.

Elam Butts has purchased the 40 acre tract of prairie land which belonged to Charles Wells and will build. Edwin Moran returned last Saturday from a visit to his sister at Seaside and reports a pleasant trip.

Charles Wells and son Isaac are learning to make cheese at the Red Clover factory, under the management of James Polin.

Mrs. Green returned from a trip to Portland last week. A horse belonging to the Johnson boys broke its leg and had to be killed.

Isaac Wells got a bicycle for a birthday present on the 7th inst, it being the 14th anniversary. In the evening Mr. Green played the graphophone for him, and neighbors and others listened at the telephone.

Mr. Powell's two year old colts got cut quite badly on barbed wire fence. Charles Wells, Fess and Harry Quick, and others, went up to Mr. Quick's last week and succeeded in shooting two bears.

Mr. E. T. Coulson made a trip to Tillamook last week. Mr. A. Kinnaman and wife passed through the burg en route to Blaine.

Rev. Blalock and wife, who have been in Washington for the past few months, have returned to their home at this place. Mr. E. O. Mills and M. D. Swabb left for Salem on Thursday.

NEHALEM.

Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Vosburg were passengers out on the tug Friday. Cad Daughney went out over the trail to Astoria, Saturday.

Dan Cronen has moved the drive on to the Wheeler Lumber Co.'s saw and is driving a few piles for Albert Crawford. Mr. Mitchell and wife, manager of the Nehalem Coal co., went out on the tug Friday.

Prof. Maertz, Lutheran minister preached at the church Sunday. N. P. Alley will represent Nehalem camp W. of W. at the district convention, June 18.

The M. E. Church has been painted inside, the pulpit and aisle carpeted, which greatly improves its appearance. A new 30 inch bell has been ordered.

WILSON RIVER.

School in district No. 10 is in a prosperous condition. We have been favored with very good teachers the last two or three years. Miss Myers is our teacher at present.

Wilson river cheese factory is receiving daily about 10,000 lbs. of milk from dairymen living within a radius of about one mile.

Mr. Frank Freeman is enjoying a vacation and is visiting the old folks at home. We understand he will resume his studies at Philomath College sometime in the fall.

Mr. John Svenson appears to be the largest dairymen on the river. He delivers daily over 1000 lbs. of milk to Mr. McIntosh's factory.

BOULDER CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bays and Mrs. Jessie Bays, visited Tillamook City last week and took in the commencement exercises while there.

Mr. Bays was so elated over the result of the election that his new enameled bedstead arrived at home without any rails, they were left behind in the furniture store.

Rev. T. E. Armstrong preached to quite a good sized audience, Sunday afternoon, at Mr. Gladwell's unoccupied house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jensen and daughter Mary and Master Carl Jensen came up from Hebo Sunday to visit the family of H. L. Jensen.

Misses Lena and Bessie Bays and their cousin Mr. John Mason were over in this neighborhood Sunday.

H. L. Jensen raised his new barn Monday with the help of a few friends and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladwell are enjoying a visit from some of their relatives at the present writing.

John Barba visited the Hub last week. Have you heard that the men who are working the roads have powder to burn?

BLAINE.

Jas. Woods and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lucas, attended church at Blaine last Sunday.

Some of the school children gathered at Mr. and Mrs. P. Coulson's last Friday evening and spent an agreeable evening.

Mrs. Switzer, son and daughter, came in from the valley to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Moon, for a few days after which they will work for J. D. Jones.

John Slater has arrived from Washington and is visiting relatives at this place. Mr. Creevy went to Tillamook last week.

Mr. Buell and Robbie Jones was in this vicinity on Sunday. Several of the young people attended church at Brown on Sunday evening.

John Moon is improving these good days by slashing brush and peeling bark. Bob Richards gathered up a sociable crowd to celebrate Mrs. Roxy Coulson's birthday. Those present were Dee Cady, Earl Cady, Miss Rena Moon, Miss Inez Moon, Roy Moon, Ray Moon, Maggie Creevy, Edward Creevy, Belle Carl, O. Carl, A. Carl, Miss E. Patterson and R. C. Patterson, Leora Hollet, Hershell Hollet, Miss Roxy Woods, Miss Nellie Smith, Dee and Sidney Moon, of Sheridan. They all had a good time closing at 12 o'clock.

M. Cady had quite an accident last week, which might have proven serious. He started over the trail to Willamina, and when well in the mountains he got off the trail and wandered around two days, and when he found his bearings he was only one mile from home.

Mr. James Creevy went out to the metropolis this week. James Patterson is busy hauling rock for the foundation of his new barn. The defeated candidates were seen enroute for Salt Creek. They blamed it on the Ocean Wave, which they sent word to go way back and sit down, for instead of it being a democratic newspaper it was the organ of the "graffers" in the republican party and the disgruntled anti-anarchists.

Washington, June 9.—When the House met today the pending question was on the motion of De Armond (Mo.) to recommit the anti anarchy bill with instructions to strike out section three, which made the killing of foreign Ambassadors and Ministers punishable with death, and section 13, which creates the legal presumption in all prosecutions under the act that the officer to be protected by its provisions are engaged in the performance of their official duties at the time offense is committed. The roll was called. The motion was lost, 70 to 121.

The vote was then taken upon the passage of the bill, Lanham (Tex.) demanding the ayes and noes. The bill was passed, 175 to 38. Hitt, from the committee on foreign affairs presented a resolution which after reciting the fact that peace has been established in South Africa, calls upon the Secretary of State for a complete list of American citizens now detained as prisoners of war in South Africa, and for information as to what action is being taken to secure their release. The resolution was adopted without division.

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