

TRACY BOASTED OF 20 MURDERS

Was Terror of a District in
Colorado Mountains.

THE OUTLAW LIKED NOTORIETY

Fought Fierce Battles With Officers
in 1897 After Committing
Atrocities.

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 12.—A special to the Enquirer from Steamboat Springs, Col., says: Although the last exploit of Harry Tracy, which ended in his death, was by far his most notorious achievement, he is by no means a new star in the western firmament of crime. He was especially well known in this neighborhood, where, in 1897, he was concerned in the killing of Ranchman Hoy and Deputy Sheriff Bell, and terrorized the law-abiding element until in sheer desperation a man hunt was started, which ended in his capture and the death of his companions.

During the fight, which lasted for days, and which was only ended by the fact that Tracy's ammunition gave out, he displayed the same qualities of desperate courage which he did in his latest tour. When he was last cornered, one of his two remaining companions dead and the other seriously wounded, without a cartridge left for his guns, he advanced on the deputy sheriffs with a clubbed gun, and seemingly paid no attention to the bullets which rained about him.

It was in Routt County, Col., that he conducted his first campaign in the field, and it is certain that on the knowledge gained while on this trip he based his actions during his most recent exploit.

KILLED 20 MEN.
If Tracy's own statements are to be relied on he killed over 20 men in his lifetime, for the killings with which he was charged by the officers of the law by no means exhaust the list.

During Tracy's stay here he became connected with the "Butch" Cassidy gang of outlaws, who made their headquarters in the "Hole in the Wall" country, in Johnson County, Wyo., but who had a private refuge in the Brown's Park country, in the corner of the three states of Utah, Colorado and Wyoming, and about 50 miles from this town.

The Cassidy bunch usually consisted of ten or a dozen outlaws. They were allied with every cattle lifter in the three states, and many a man who is now respected by his neighbors was then in collusion with the gang.

FULL OF VENOM.
Tracy lent venom to the Cassidy gang. Previous to his coming Cassidy's men avoided the officers as much as possible, and as the officers were equally careful to avoid them, no conflict ever occurred. But Tracy did not like this. He wanted to keep in the public eye as much as possible.

To this end, when he heard that a deputy marshal had come to Baggs, Wyo., to capture him, he promptly rode to Baggs and ordered the deputy out of town. He left.

In 1897 the Cassidy gang robbed an express train at Malta, Mont., of \$40,000 and scattered to avoid arrest. It practically broke up the gang. Tracy, with Jack Bennett and another desperado, managed to get to the Hole in the Wall country, and from there worked down to Brown's Park.

W. S. Hoy was a wealthy ranchman, owning several thousand acres of meadow land and as many head of cattle. While not unfriendly terms with the outlaws, he had never favored them particularly. During his absence Tracy and Bennett came to his house and frightened the woman, though he offered them no indignity. Hoy returned, and in a burst of anger, cursed Tracy and threatened to expose him to the officers.

MURDER OF HOY.
Not long after Hoy was shot from ambush. His death was attributed to Tracy, and Deputy Sheriff Farnham secured a posse and started for the outlaw.

Tracy brutally beat a sheep herder over the head with his six-shooter because the herder would not give him ammunition. Tracy thought he had the herder told where they could strike Tracy's trail.

Shortly before sunrise one morning Farnham led his men right on the outlaw camp. An exchange of shots resulted in the killing of one outlaw, who was never identified. That afternoon the outlaws in their flight mounted a cleft in the mountains. It was so

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narrow that for a good part of the distance the pursued and the pursuers were forced to climb between the two walls as in a well. Here Deputy Sheriff Bell was killed.

Farnham's guess as to the course taken by the outlaws was justified by events. Their trail showed that they intended to leave the park by a little known pass. Farnham posted his men on a high cedar-covered hill, completely commanding the pass. Finally they came. They were evidently about tired out and were moving very slowly through the snow.

SHOT TO KILL.
Farnham waited until they got in range, and then gave the order to fire. No opportunity was given them to surrender. The first fire killed one of the three outlaws, and soon after another, who had thrown up his hands in token of surrender, went down with a flesh wound. Tracy alone battled on, making the best of his way through the snow in an attempt to escape, and steadily returning the fire of his pursuers. They fell down over the hill and advanced on him.

Tracy's ammunition was exhausted, and he no longer fired. Seeing that escape was impossible he clubbed his gun and met the deputies half way to fight it out, his clubbed rifle against their loaded ones. Seeing that he was practically powerless they did not fire on him, but knocked him down and bound him.

"I forgot myself and emptied my gun," said he. "I had intended to keep one ball for myself, and would have killed myself before I would have surrendered. But don't think that I was through with Harry Tracy. I'll live to kill a few men yet."

THE KING IN COUNCIL.
His Majesty Meets His Ministers and Attends to Business.

London, Aug. 11.—King Edward held a privy council today at Buckingham Palace, at which the newly-appointed ministers were sworn in. Later he officiated at an investiture of the Victorian Order.

WHOLE TOWN ARMED.
Two Deaths in Fight for Possession of Battle, Wyo.

Battle, Wyoming, Aug. 12.—A crowd of Mexican sheep herders attempted to take the town of Battle, with the result that two of the members were killed. Several made their escape into the woods, one man being shot in the leg. One citizen was hit in the head and Miss Estelle Sanders was severely cut in the face by a window pane broken by a stray shot.

Every man in town is armed, fearing the Mexicans will swoop down on the town, as there are scores of them in this vicinity. The attack was in retaliation for the slaughter of 5,000 sheep by the townspeople, who had ordered the shepherds to keep away, as this territory is reserved for the cattle-men.

WOMAN HAD 36 PATENTS.
Mrs. Bridget French's Remarkable Career as an Inventor Ends.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Mrs. Bridget French, who held 36 patents on inventions, died here Saturday night, aged 72 years. She was born in Queens County, Ireland, settling in Rochester in 1850.

The most remarkable feature of Mrs. French's inventions is that she spent less than two hours on any of them. Scientists tried for many years to discover the principle involved in her plumbago oil, which consists of heavy powdered plumbago in perfect graduated suspension in linseed oil. Since the oil was first invented by Mrs. French, it has been improved for lubricating oils, securing patents on all of them.

Among other inventions by Mrs. French are a burglar-proof lock, an automatic car coupler, the first perfect steam sterilizer and cooking apparatus with her in her last years. Her last invention was a portable chimney that could be attached at the roof. It was made of a rough, fibrous material and was fireproof.

Deaths Exceed Births in Detroit.
Detroit, Aug. 11.—The report of the health department for the week ending Saturday gives 105 deaths, 47 of which are those of children under 5 years of age. There were 53 births, 32 male and 21 female. Seven persons have died of diphtheria, 22 scarlet fever and 2 smallpox. There were 12 new cases of diphtheria during the week.

Dead Tracy Guarded.
Portland, Ore., Aug. 9.—The body of Harry Tracy, enclosed in a pine box, rests on a baggage car truck at the Union station here this morning. It is guarded by three of the five men who fired the shots which subsequently caused Tracy to take his own life. The body will be shipped to Salem. The guards carry with them the famous 30-30 rifle with which the convict did such deadly execution, and which will be given to Gov. Geer.

Picked Up \$59,900.
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Lance Harwood, an 8-year-old boy from Big Rapids, Mich., has returned to Swift & Co. a package containing \$59,900 of negotiable securities which had been lost at the stock yards by a messenger boy employed by the firm. Young Harwood found the package while sightseeing at the stock yards. He received a reward of \$25.

Philadelphia Papers Consolidate.
Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—The Public Ledger and the Philadelphia Times announce tomorrow that on and after today (Tuesday), Aug. 12, the two newspapers will be consolidated and will thereafter appear under the title of Public Ledger and the Philadelphia Times. The two papers are owned by Adolph S. Ochs. The Philadelphia Times ceased as a separate publication after Monday's issue. The editor-in-chief is L. Clark Davis, of the Public Ledger, with Dr. A. C. Larkin, of the Philadelphia Times, as his associate. George W. Ochs will be general manager of the consolidated properties.

WAS IN DREAD OF INSANITY!

Butchered His Wife and Then
Hanged Himself.

PITIFUL NOTE LEFT FOR SON

One of the Most Terrible Tragedies
in the History of Ithaca,
Michigan.

Ithaca, Mich., Aug. 12.—One of the worst murders and suicides known in this section occurred Saturday night at the home of S. E. Sower in the eastern part of Ithaca. Early Saturday morning, when a neighbor, A. E. Loomis, stepped out of his back door, he found a large board lying against the door and under it a pocketbook containing a little money, a deed and some notes belonging to S. E. Sower. He at once started for Mr. Sower's home, which is just across the road, and in passing by the barn stepped in, and there saw Mr. Sower hanging from a rafter in the roof of the barn. He at once rushed forward to cut him down, but found him cold in death.

A FEARFUL SIGHT.
Prosecuting Attorney Kirby and Sheriff Parrish were at once notified. They went into the house, and as they stepped in the kitchen there lay an axe on the floor covered with blood and hair, while in the bedroom on the bed in her night clothes lay his wife, Jennie Sower, with a gash seven inches long from her ear to the middle of her forehead, where the axe did the work. There was not the least sign of a struggle, and she lay as if she had never recovered from her sleep to know what struck her. On the table was found the following note, left by Mr. Sower:

NOTE TO THE ONLY SON.
"Dear Ellis.—This could not be any other way. I knew weeks ago that it must be insanity or suicide for me, and I decided that insanity would be worse for all of us than suicide. But I could not possibly bring myself to feel that it would be otherwise than cowardly to leave my family in suffering and death that either insanity or suicide would mean to her, so I decided it would be best for all, and especially for her, to take her life with me. What can I say to you that will in any way help you to bear this awful blow? Nothing. Nor am I able to advise you as to your course, excepting to say, consult Mr. Grace and Charlie Webster and Ben. And if possible do not let this crush you. This depression is something very weak and I am utterly powerless to control myself, but am tossed like a babe by the billows of unutterable despondency. I am getting very weak and cannot possibly conceal my condition longer from mamma. In fact, I think she suspects it now. I can't write more. No one is to blame for this. My wife has been an affectionate parent and self-sacrificing woman and my son a most dutiful boy. I could not get plain so I would be understood what has led up to this, but Nannie's death hastened it, and if I should write page after page I would not be understood. Good-bye, my dearest boy, and poor little and sweet baby and brothers and sisters. Good-bye. I have no fear whatever for the future as I have done the very best I could with the light and strength I have had through life. No just God would punish me for what I could not help. I am sorry."

Mr. Sower was 58 years of age and was a member of the Forty-Ninth Ohio Regiment, a member of the G. A. R., and for years ran a store at Newark, where he was prominent in social as well as political circles. He had lately moved to Ithaca. His wife was 53 years of age and they had an only son. Their only daughter, Nannie, was killed a few days ago by the accidental discharge of a gun.

SUDDEN DEATHS IN TORONTO
Woman Falls From a Chair—News-
paper Man Passed Away.

Toronto, Aug. 11.—Four deaths, two due to accident, have occurred in this city since Saturday morning last. A very sudden death was that of Mrs. Eliza Jane Patterson, aged 48 years, who resided with her daughter Alice in rooms over 333 Queen street west. Mrs. Patterson rose about 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and prepared a breakfast, carrying it into her daughter's bedroom. Afterwards she did some of the housework, and finally sat down in another room to read a book, where she was found dead from heart disease. She leaves a daughter and two sons.

Robert Gilmore, a bricklayer, residing at 83 Borden street, was on Saturday morning struck on the head by a falling brick, receiving injuries which resulted in his death. Gilmore was 32 years old and unmarried.

A well-known figure in the news-paper world, Mr. Andrew Kirkpatrick, a member of the World staff, passed away unexpectedly at his residence, 148 Davenport road, on Saturday afternoon. Deceased, who had been engaged in newspaper work in Toronto for a number of years, was at the time of his death chief proofreader on the World. He was born in Weston, and was 37 years of age.

Young Goldens, McFarren, the 12-year-old lad who fell over the parapet of the Bathurst street bridge across the railway tracks on Friday evening, died at the Emergency Hospital on Saturday. The little fellow never regained consciousness after the accident.

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Bridewell Doctor Makes Interesting
Discoveries Regarding Liquor.

Cincinnati, Aug. 10.—The unprecedented number of 41 cases of delirium tremens are being cared for at the Bridewell, and the officials went out to investigate. The result was astonishing, even to those who knew something about bad whiskey.

Dr. Charles Scielet visited "a levee resort and bought a bottle of something that was sold him as 'bourbon.' Taking it back to the Bridewell he poured a quantity of it on a cut of raw beef, and a minute later the meat had turned black. Then some of the liquor was applied to the top of a desk, and soon the varnish became softened.

"No wonder we have so many cases of the tremens," said Dr. Scielet. "That stuff is rank poison, and the only amazement is that men who drink it do not die outright."

More persons entered the Bridewell yesterday than on any day since the institution was opened, 1,408 being registered as the total attendance. Of these, 92 were men, 81 women, and 38 boys in the John Worthing school.

One patient, William Harris, sent from the Harrison street police station to work out a \$25 fine, died from the tremens. Another death was that of John Bowham, who was serving a year's sentence.

"Idle men and laborers coming here have broken our record for attendance," Superintendent Sloan said. "Most of the men we get have no occupations or are laborers. They are men of some kind. We have 219 persons in the hospital, who with the liquor patients, take up all the time of the physicians."

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"Particularly noticeable is the fact that young men make up the great bulk of the prisoners here range from 18 to 25 years of age. Vacation loosens the reins over boys, and so in the John Worthing school, where generally 275 is a large number."

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A New Potato Pest.
Middleton, N. Y., Aug. 11.—A new potato pest has made its appearance in this section of Orange county in the form of a small worm, which eats its way upwards in the side of the stalk, causing the plant to wither and die. Farmers fear it may prove more destructive than the potato bug. No remedy for the pest is as yet known.

ONTARIO'S APPLE CROP

Will Be a Large One—Hurricane Did
More Good Than Harm.

Toronto, Aug. 11.—Ontario has a large crop, and a private report dated Aug. 4, says: "The recent hurricane in some of the western sections have done more good than harm, as they have relieved a number of orchards of surplus fruit, which was badly needed in order to allow the residue to attain their normal growth."

Regarding the Nova Scotia crop there are diverse opinions, both as regards quality and quantity, one dealer stating that he is more optimistic than some of his well-posted confreres, as he predicts a good average crop, whilst others say it to be 75 per cent of an average.

The apple crop of the United States will unquestionably be a good one, both as regards quality and quantity; the former being assured; but the degree of abundance appears to be somewhat in doubt.

Montreal advices under Thursday's date say: A million barrels of apples is the order which one Belleville dealer has received from an English house, and he has started buyers out to get the goods. The significance of this can be seen when it is remembered that a million barrels of apples would in most seasons in the past equal nearly the whole of Canada's export. This order is, therefore, far and away in excess of any order ever received before by a Canadian dealer. It indicates the high value placed upon Canadian apples and the possibilities for increasing the trade in this fruit. G. C. Creelman, superintendent of farmers' institutes, who has been traveling through the province lately, reports that there will be a good crop of apples in all sections."

The steamer Fortuna, bought from the Detroit, Belle Isle and Windsor Ferry Company by F. H. Cleague, of Saint Ste. Marie, will be used as a passenger ferry between the American and Canadian shores, just below the locks.

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It is estimated that the cotton crop in Texas has been damaged to the amount of more than \$1,500,000 from the excessive rains and overflows.