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PULLIAM'S FATE IN JURY'S HANDS

State Library. REACHED NO AGREEMENT LAST NIGHT.

District Attorney Holton Made a Telling Speech for the Prosecution Yesterday.

RUMORS THAT JURY MAY NOT REACH VERDICT

REASON TO BELIEVE THAT A CONSIDERABLE MAJORITY, ON RETIRING FOR THE NIGHT, WERE IN FAVOR OF CONVICTION.

The jury in the Pulliam case retired about midnight, without having reached an agreement as to their verdict. At that time there was reason to believe there seemed little probability of their agreeing. There was a rumor last evening that a considerable majority of the jurymen stood firm for conviction.

When the Federal court convened yesterday, Judge Charles A. Moore completed his defense of Lawrence Pulliam and the beginning of the end then came with the argument of the government's representative, Mr. Holton. It was apparent that Mr. Holton's able and comprehensive presentation of the case had great weight with the jury, and there were those who thought it would counteract the powerful plea of the defense.

Mr. Holton contended that Pulliam was unquestionably guilty of the charges preferred against him and for this reason became a fugitive from justice for six years. "We also find false entries on the bank books," said Mr. Holton, who contended that counsel for the defense had studiously avoided throwing more light on the charges preferred against Pulliam than possible. "They wanted to cover these charges up," said Mr. Holton, "and did everything they could to do so."

Mr. Holton read much of the testimony as given on the witness stand to prove that the defendant was not mentally incapacitated. "The first that we hear of the defendant requiring an operation was on the 24th day of December, 1893. Dr. Williams stated in his evidence that the defendant's brain was not diseased. Dr. Jordan testified that as soon as the effects of the medicine taken by the defendant had worn off that defendant's mind regained its normal condition. Dr. Jordan also testified that the defendant could not make the intricate entries he did on the books of the bank if defendant had not been of clear and rational mind.

"What was the condition of defendant's mind when this money was taken from the bank, when these false entries

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were made? Not what the condition of his mind was a day before or a week before this time. Did he know the consequence of his acts? Was he responsible for doing what he did? These are facts for the jury to determine.

"Were not defendant's acts those of a guilty man? Like all criminals from justice, he kept on going. He did not write letters home because he was afraid of being apprehended. Any bank thief would have acted likewise under the circumstances." He spoke of Pulliam's home coming, his rational conduct, since, etc.

He referred to defendant's rational conduct the day before leaving Asheville; his bidding his friends goodbye, etc. He spoke at length of Pulliam's insurance policy, the examination which he underwent at the hands of Dr. Fletcher.

When court convened in the afternoon, it was noted that the gathering had a large social side. There were more ladies present than have attended any previous session. Among the number were Mrs. Pulliam and her daughter, who have been present with the opening of each session. Mrs. William Mahone and Mrs. McGill, of Petersburg, Va., Mrs. C. M. McCloud, Miss Irene McCloud, Mrs. Malloy, Mrs. Thomas J. Woodcock, the Misses Reeves, the Misses Colyer, Mrs. V. S. Lusk, Mrs. C. W. DeVaut and Mrs. E. L. Brown. A number of ladies were also present who are members of the house party at the Battery Park hotel.

Judge Boyd's charge to the jury was brief, and members of the bar were of the opinion that sufficient stress was placed on mental incapacity to give the defendant the full benefit of that plea; in short, that the charge dealt liberally (Continued on eighth page.)

GREENSBORO WOMAN TERRIFIED BY A NEGRO

SAVED HERSELF BY FLIGHT—EFFORTS MADE TO FIND HER ASSAILANT.

Special to the Gazette.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 6.—Mrs. J. P. Johnson, of this city while carrying her husband's dinner today was approached by a negro man in hiding behind a clump of bushes in a ravine near the Greensboro Female college and to the rear of State Solicitor Brooks' residence, upon an improper proposal. Mrs. Johnson screamed when the brute made for her. Dashing dinner pail in his face she fled, screaming, pursued by the man, until she bounded over the solicitor's back fence. Then the pursuer took to cover and later he was seen to mount a wagon driven by another negro and lash the horse into a gallop, jumping out at a dense thicket on a branch near Ashe street just as pursuers caught sight of him. A negro answering his description was arrested at 5 o'clock but was promptly discharged when Mrs. Johnson was able to look at him and declare he was not the man. Every possible clue is being followed by the officers to catch up with the assailant but so far without success. Mrs. Johnson is suffering from the result of fright and excitement. She is a woman of irreproachable character for truth and modesty.

KENTUCKY WHITE CAPS FLOG THREE WHITE MEN

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 6.—A telegram to the Times from Harrodsburg, Ky., says:

Thirty masked mounted men on swift horses and heavily armed caused a reign of terror in the neighborhood of Perryville ten miles from this city, last night, and severely flogged William Goodnight, George Russell and Wallace Bottom, residents of that section.

The men rode into Perryville from the direction of a large cave north of town, which was a rendezvous of the toll gate raiders who terrorized the community several years ago. They dashed through Perryville at a terrific speed and proceeded to the house of Goodnight, on the Mackville pike. Quickly but quietly surrounding the house, they called for him to come out or be cremated, as they intended to burn the place if he refused. When Goodnight appeared in response to their summons he was securely bound after which several members of the party placed the lash unmercifully. He was then ordered to go to work, leave the country at once or "get a rope" the next trip.

Leaving Goodnight, the white-caps went to the home of George Russell, in the same neighborhood, and gave him a severe beating. They called on Wallace Bottom, whom they served in a like manner. Goodnight says he recognized several of the party, and some arrests may follow.

Sometime ago notes, purporting to be from white-caps, were left at the doors of several good citizens, but they were treated as a joke.

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BANDIT TRACY DIES BY SUICIDE

HAD BEEN BROUGHT TO BAY BY A POSSE IN AN OPEN WHEAT FIELD.

Crowds Were Gathering to Take Part in the Capture of the Famous Outlaw.

KILLED HIMSELF AFTER A STUBBORN FIGHT

WAS FIRST SURROUNDED IN A SWAMP AND EXCHANGED MANY SHOTS WITH HIS PURSUERS—WAS BADLY WOUNDED—STORY OF THE LONG PURSUIT OF THE BANDIT.

Spokane, Wash., August 6.—Harry Tracy the outlaw, killed himself in a wheat field near Fellows at 4:30 o'clock this morning. He was surrounded by a posse.

A body of the sheriff's men had been gradually closing in on Tracy. For several days they had been close on his tracks. He was brought to bay late last night.

In the fight that followed Tracy was wounded in the right leg between the knee and thigh and 20 minutes later, knowing his capture was certain, killed himself with his revolver. His body was found this morning where he had fallen.

Tracy was first surrounded in a swamp near the Eddy farm, eleven miles southeast of Creston, Washington, yesterday. For four hours before the special messenger left for reinforcements a long range rifle duel between Tracy and the posse of eight men headed by Sheriff Gardener had been in progress.

The news was brought to Creston by Jack McGinnis a liveryman of Harrington, who is a member of Sheriff Gardener's posse. McGinnis proceeded at once to Davenport for reinforcements. A telephone message received from Davenport early this morning stated that twenty-five armed men had left in wagons for the scene of the battle. Sheriff Doust of Spokane county also went to the scene.

Harry Tracy escaped from the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem on June 9, in company with David Merrill, after killing four men, Frank W. Ferrill, G. R. Jones and B. F. Tiffany, guards, and Frank Ingram, a convict, who tried to prevent his flight. On June 28 Tracy killed Merrill near Napavine, Washington, shooting him from behind and leaving the body in the forest, where it was found on July 15. On July 3, near Seattle, in a fight with a posse, Tracy shot and killed Chas. Raymond, a deputy sheriff, E. E. Bresse, a policeman, and mortally wounded Neil Rawley, who died on the following day, and wounded Carl Anderson and Louca Seffert, newspaper reporters. Tracy committed many feats of daring in his flight, in the course of which he eluded various posses, when apparently surrounded, and held up numerous farmers whom he forced to furnish food and clothing and by threats of murdering their families, compelled them to cover up his tracks. Perhaps his greatest show of daring was displayed on July 2, at South Bay, near Olympia, when he held up six men and forced four, including Captain Clark, of a large gasoline launch, to embark with him on Puget Sound and pilot him up stream for ten hours. In 1897 Tracy murdered Valentine Hoge a Colorado cattleman, and Wm. Strong, a boy.

A total reward of \$5,000 was offered for his arrest. Governor McBride, of Washington, offered \$2,500 for his capture, dead or alive. The state of Oregon offered \$3,000 and a brother of one of the guard killed at the penitentiary offered \$100.

The reward for Merrill's capture amounted to \$1,500, which has been claimed by Mrs. Waggoner, the berry-picker and her son, who found the body near their home.

Spokane, Wash., August 6.—The sheriff's office at Davenport today received a message from Preston stating that Outlaw Tracy spent all day Monday at the home of L. B. Eddy, a rancher on Lake Creek, three and a half miles south of Fellows. The outlaw made his appearance there Sunday evening and took possession of the place. He is reported to have been there last night, leaving about 7:30.

Pinned to the wall on a farm house about a mile north of Odessa where Tracy apparently had watered his horses, the following note was found today:

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alone, or I'll fix him plenty. I will be on my way to Wyoming. If your horses were any good would swap with you. Thanks for a cool drink.
"HARRY TRACY."

GOVERNOR AYCOCK COMING WEST FOR TWO WEEKS

Will Make Educational Addresses in Several Towns.

Special to the Gazette.
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 6.—Governor Aycock will spend two weeks in western North Carolina, leaving here the middle of next week, and will deliver several educational addresses. After speaking in Hickory he will go to Waynesville and remain there a week with Attorney General R. D. Gilmer. He will visit Murphy, Webster and other towns.

The governor will close his summer educational campaign at Rutherfordton, August 30, and will then return to Raleigh. It is not expected that he will make any further engagements of this character.

In a letter to a friend here Dr. Murphy, superintendent of the western hospital for the insane, states that there are six hundred insane in jails, county home and private houses who ought to be admitted to the institution there.

Democratic State Chairman Simmons today announced an advisory committee, in pursuance of authority given by the state committee as follows: S. A. Ashe Josephus Daniels, James H. Poul and Robert M. Furman of Raleigh, and John E. Ward of Wilson.

SLIGHT RAY OF HOPE FOR JUDGE BYNUM

Special to the Gazette.

Greensboro, Aug. 5.—At 8 o'clock Judge Bynum rallied from his stupor and responded to nourishment and stimulants. Governor Aycock called, and when told that he was there to see him, Judge Bynum repeated the word "governor" twice.

He seems to be semi-conscious at 10 o'clock, and is suffering great pain. The physicians say there is a slight ray of hope, since he had been supposed to be dying since 6 o'clock this morning.

WOMAN AND CHILDREN WERE BURNED TO DEATH

Stockton, Cal., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Eugene Wilder and her three children were burned to death in their home this morning from sickness caused her to fire the house. It is thought despondency was the cause. The husband of the unfortunate woman has been arrested.

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A HURRICANE IN THIS STATE

ONE CHURCH WRECKED AT DURHAM AND ANOTHER LOSES A STEEPLE.

The Merrygoround at Charlotte Struck by Lightning and Its Engineer Killed.

Factories Damaged at Winston and High Point

THE PLANT OF THE SNOW LUMBER COMPANY FORCED TO SHUT DOWN BY THE LOSS OF ITS HIGH SMOKESTACK.

Raleigh, Aug. 6.—Durham, High Point and Winston-Salem suffered severely from a hurricane this afternoon. At Durham one church was wrecked and the steeple was blown off of another. A dwelling house collapsed and many windows were blown out of a cotton mill. A furniture and lumber factory in High Point was damaged. The plant of the Snow Lumber company had to shut down on account of the smokestack blowing down. At Winston a furniture factory was unroofed.

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 6.—This afternoon lightning struck the merrygoround in this city, killed Engineer McMillan and fatally injured another employe. The merrygoround was brought here from New York a week ago, and its owners created a sensation and a lawsuit by running the machine last Sunday.

MRS. SQUIRES INSULTED BY A HAVANA POLICEMAN

Havana, Aug. 6.—Mr. Squires, American minister, has complained to Senator Tamayo, secretary of the government, that Mr. Squires was insulted by a police officer while out driving.

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