

WHY ANDREW TRACY ASSASSINATED HIS COUSIN MARY REILLY.

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ANXIETY TO SAVE TRACY.

To these letters followed five petitions, one of which, signed by Judge W. S. Brownell, James F. N. Buchanan and W. S. Brownell, obtained the signature of every man of property or influence in McKean and the neighboring counties.

TRACY AND HIS PEOPLE.

Smethport is a small town, but a very respectable one. It is the capital of McKean county, in this State, and the legal business of the thriving oil city is centered here.

THE TRACY FAMILY.

The Tracy family (for our narrative principally concerns them) consisted of four brothers and a sister. The father was a well-to-do farmer and a man of high standing in the community.

that on one occasion Tracy was induced to form one of a "baseball team," and that he had to be taken up and carried to his home.

Mr. Gillespie, who is a Burgess of the town of Greenville, writes a letter regarding this period of Tracy's life, in which he says that Tracy was a very bright and promising young man.

With this indelible stamp upon his character young Tracy was married to a young woman named Mary Reilly, a native of Ireland.

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I have taken much trouble to ascertain the history of this portrait, and the brother of the condemned man, the Rev. Michael Tracy, supplies it.

Suddenly it was noticed that Andrew Tracy had taken to drinking. Either he drank deeply, or his nervous organization showed the effects of even a moderate use of the stimulant.

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audience knew the girl. Not another speech was made, not another name was explained, not another fact was stated.

THE SUPREME COURT NOT YET DECIDING AS TO THE DISPOSITION OF TRACY'S CASE. [BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.] PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 26, 1879.

MURDER FOR MONEY. A FARM HAND SURPRISES HIS MASTER AND MISTRESS AT NIGHT—FATAL WOUNDS INFLECTED—THE VILLAIN ESCAPES. [BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.] PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 26, 1879.

THE MOTIVE OF THE CRIME. Talford thought that Mrs. Johnson had just received a large sum of money from his father's estate.

DECAPITATED BY A DERRICK. HORRIBLE ACCIDENT ON THE "L" ROAD IN ALLEN STREET—A FALLING DERRICK CUTS OFF ONE MAN'S HEAD AND BADLY INJURES ANOTHER.

THE MYSTERIOUS MARKS. A curious effect entered the room with a frame attached to the back of the chair.

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Singular Result of the "Check Print" Investigation.

GHASTLY OBJECTS IN COURT. A Diagram of the Clergyman's Brogan. PECULIAR TACTICS.

New Haven, Nov. 26, 1879. The Hayden trial to-day presented features of unusual interest. The principal subject of investigation was the indentations found on Mary Stannard's check, and which the State claims correspond with the heel of Hayden's working brogan.

Dr. Watrous described the diagram and said: "The marks with red coloring in them are spots which had been taken from certain fixed points, and those with blue coloring are marks which had been taken from the other points."

At this point Mr. Watrous said the jurors had been told that the check had certain marks, and that the doctor had been called upon to point out the object the marks saw.

Chief Justice Park—We will dispose of this question at two o'clock. The Court ruled that the defense could demand that the check be brought in, as it was transportable.

Mr. Jones—We have it right here, signed by Mr. Hubbard, one of my associates. Mr. Hubbard—Yes, your Honor, it is the check of the Peace for this county.

BASEBALL. There will be games of baseball on the Union Ground this afternoon between two strong nine men teams.

IN HARMONIOUS CREDITORS. The committee of the creditors of Stannard Brothers & Co., the dry goods firm of Chester, which recently failed, have been successful in their efforts to reach a settlement.

ALDERMAN CARROLL'S BARTENDER. Alderman Thomas Carroll is proprietor of a saloon at the corner of Third and Fifty-fourth streets, over the bar of which a German named Albert Kercher presides.

Yes, sir, and by handling some of the marks could have been effected intentionally or unintentionally. From the 18th to the 19th I found differences at various times, owing to the degree it had been handled and stretched.

Q. Were there any traces of ochreousness there? A. Yes, there had been a bruise; the blood had not ceased circulating, or but very recently. There were frequent traces of this over the surface covered by the heel.

Q. Do the marks on the check bear the same relations to each other as the marks on the diagram? A. Yes, with a single exception.

Q. Why would the outline of the nail marks remain as long as the others? A. The tissues of the flesh would not be so closely impressed and the heel would be apt to wear away more on the outside.

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GOVERNOR ROBINSON AT THE FAIR. It was National Guard day at the Seventh Regiment Fair. The throng of bright military uniforms was a sight to behold.

VETERAN HIGHLANDERS. The annual banquet of the Veteran Association of the Seventy-ninth Highlanders was held at the Anthony House last night.

PHYSICIANS' WIDOWS AND ORPHANS. The annual meeting of the New York Society for the Relief of Widows and Orphans of Medical Men was held last evening at the rooms of the Academy of Medicine, No. 12 West Thirty-first street.

GENEROUS DONATION. At the tenth anniversary meeting of the Board of Directors of the Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital held on Tuesday, the 11th inst., the secretary reported that ex-Governor E. D. Morgan had given the hospital \$25,000, which cleared all debt on its site at the corner of Park avenue and Forty-first street.

NEWARK CATHOLIC FUNDS. In regard to the statement recently published about funds in the hands of Bishop Corrigan Very Rev. G. H. Doane, V. G., states that in connection with the publication of the notice that from January 1st interest would cease on funds held by the Bishop it was set forth in the cathedral last Monday that the deposit fund was started by the late Archbishop Bayley, who went to Newark as its bishop with the intention of building a cathedral.

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