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CAN THE STATE DO NO WRONG?

The Supreme Court of Idaho has decided, in effect, that the state can do no wrong. It holds that a sovereign state cannot be held to have committed an error in the arrest and detention of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone on suspicion of being the murderers of ex-Governor Steunenberg. The officials who arrested these men and carried them from Colorado to Idaho might have done wrong, and if so, they are amenable to the law, but the state of Idaho has done no wrong and can hold the men first suspected and now indicted until they are either convicted or acquitted. If convicted she can do with them as the law provides.

The United States circuit court of Idaho has refused writs of habeas corpus to Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and an appeal is now before the Supreme Court of the United States. It is to be hoped that the highest court will soon settle the question of whether or not the state of Idaho has the right to hold men alleged to have been illegally deported from Colorado. The American people have confidence that the decision of the United States Supreme Court will be right and just, and the Western Federation of Miners should await that decision with patience and accept it as loyal American citizens.

If the farmers of Oregon do not have their fair share of men in the various elective offices from now on they will have no valid grounds of complaint. The primary election system gives the farmers the fullest opportunity to make their influence felt. There are also a goodly number of candidates, including several of those who are farmers or are engaged in some branch of agriculture. There are more voters who are farmers than there are of any other occupation and several of the ablest and most prominent candidates are farmers, fruit growers, etc. It remains to be seen whether farmers really wish to see farmers in office or are saying something they do not really mean when they complain about farmers not getting their share of offices. In other words it is now up to the farmers to vote as they talk or shut up.

As primary day approaches the interest naturally increases and everything now points toward a large primary vote. This is as it should be, while all changes at first are criticised, the benefits of this new system of making nominations are so great over the old method, that it is here to stay. The Australian ballot system was condemned by not a few during the first few years, but now the man who would suggest its abolishment would be looked upon as a freak. Thus it will be with the primary law. The people must do their own investigating and must take a great deal of interest in the primaries and they will, as soon as the system becomes thoroughly established.

Statement No. 1, another year will mean an obligation binding upon the legislative nominees of the respective parties, to support for the United States senate the men of their party who receive the largest number of votes. It was never intended to mean anything else. No one should expect a Republican legislature to elect a Democratic United States senator or vice versa. The primary law was not intended to disrupt political parties but to curb the powers of dictators and bosses, and to provide a

method whereby a man with a sack cannot corrupt a legislature as has been done time and time again in this state.

CHURCH WORKERS IN SESSION

The second annual meeting of the Women's Presbyterian Missionary Society of the Grande Ronde Presbytery opened its session at Egin this morning. A number of La Grande ladies are on the program and tonight the session will be held jointly with the Presbytery now in session there. This afternoon papers will be read on the Missionary question. Thursday will be devoted to business of the organization, a round table talk, and election of officers. Those attending the session from here are: Mesdames Wm. Grant, M. J. Hicks, C. P. Thompson, R. M. Aiken. Mesdames Kingsley and C. J. Wright of Baker City also went over there this morning. Mrs. E. B. Hayes was to have read a paper this afternoon but was unable to attend because of illness.

FOR STATE TREASURER

Vote No. 35 (X) Thomas F. Ryan, of Clackamas County.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court, of Union County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Rhoda S. Cameron, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned at Alicel, Oregon, or to J. F. Baker, his attorney at La Grande, Oregon, within six months from this date.

WILLIAM P. PANBORN,
administrator of the estate of Rhoda S. Cameron, deceased.
La Grande Oregon, February 16, 1906
J. F. Baker,
Attorney for Administrator.

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SUMMONS

(First publication April 13 1906)
In the Justices Court for South La Grande District Union County Oregon

Fred Lawson and Victor Lawson co-partners doing business under the firm name and style of Lawson Brothers

vs.
C. E. Hammock, Defendant
To C. E. Hammock
Said Defendant

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint in the above entitled Cause and Court on or before May 19, 1906 or in default thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$81.61 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum after January 16th 1906 to gether with his costs and disbursements and Order for sale of attached property—this Summons is served upon you by publication in the La Grande Weekly Observer published at La Grande Oregon for six consecutive weeks by order of the Hon. John E. Hough Justice of the Peace of the above entitled Court Dated April 7th 1906.
W. B. SARGENT, Atty. for Plaintiff.

50,000 BOOKLETS

Rinaldo M. Hall, advertising agent of Harriman lines in Oregon, came to Pendleton yesterday to be present at the meeting of the development league.

Mr. Hall gave his views to the league as to the best method of advertising Umatilla county and it was upon his advice that the league members voted to start the work of distributing 50,000 booklets over the country to prospective homeseekers.—Tribune.

PUBLISHED SUMMONS

First Publication March 26th, 1906
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

J. E. Bateman, Plaintiff

vs.

Allen Clark, Defendant

To Allen Clark—defendant above named:—

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit on or before May 8th, 1906. And if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take the judgment of said court against you for the sum of \$55.76 together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum after October 30th, 1905, together with attorney fee of \$20 and the costs and disbursements of this action, upon your certain promissory note—and also, order for sale of attached property viz—NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 & SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 18 in Twp. 5 S. R. 35 E. W. M. to pay such judgment.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Robert Eakin, Judge of the above entitled Court made March 26th, 1906—fixing six consecutive weeks therefor—and in the La Grande Evening Observer—the first publication hereof being March 26th, 1906.
C. H. FINN,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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