HABEAS CORPUS IS DENIED MINERS

Prisoners Will Be Taken to the Caldwell Jail From Quarters in Penitentiary.

MOYER LOOKS VERY ILL

Sits Passively With Closed Eyes, but Shows a Flush of Passion When Treatment in Prison Is Under Discussion.

REQUISITION FOR ST. JOHN.

DENVER, March 12.—Governor Mcdonald today issued a requisition upon the Governor of Idaho for the return to Colorado of Vincent St. John, now under arrest at Boise, Idaho, in connection with the Steunenberg assassination.

The application was made by District Attorney Selig, of Telluride County, Colorado, and is an outgrowth of the murder of Benjamin Burnham during the labor troubles there. St. John was then president of the Telluride Miners' Union, affiliated with the Western Federation of Miners. An officer from Telluride left tonight for Boise with the requisition papers.

BY W. G. MACRAE.

BOISE, Idaho, March 12.—(Staff Correspondence.)—Attorneys James H. Hawley and W. E. Borah won the first big legal battle today when the State Supreme Court denied the writs of habeas corpus applied for in behalf of Charles H. Moyer, William Haywood and George Pettibone, the three officials of the Western Federation of Miners.

In this defeat, however, there was a victory for the miners, for no sooner had Chief Justice Stockslager announced the decision of the court than Attorney F. E. Richardson, chief counsel for the defense, rose and once more entered a protest against what he characterized as the inhuman and barbarous treatment of his clients at the penitentiary.

Will Be Taken to Caldwell Jail.

Mr. Richardson's remarks drew from Attorney Hawley a wrathy denial and he stated that it was immaterial to the prosecution whether the defendants were detained at the penitentiary or at Caldwell. The colloquy ended by Attorney Richardson stating that his clients elected to be confined in the County Jail at Caldwell, and they will be taken there tomorrow.

Vincent St. John will have to wait another day before a decision is reached in his case. When Attorney Hawley presented Warden Whitney's answer, counsel for the prisoners announced that he accepted the answer, with the exception of section five, which stated that the defendants had, through counsel, agreed to the continuances agreed upon when arraigned before the Probate Court of Canyon County.

Blizzard Delays the Case.

Owing to the blizzard which has been raging here for two days, Mr. Hawley stated it was impossible to communicate with County Attorney Van Duyn and he was not entirely familiar with the allegations in the section objected to. Judge Stewart gave the attorneys until 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in which to prepare and correct all of the papers in the case.

The heavy snow storm which prevailed here did not keep the curious folk from the Supreme Courtroom this morning. By the time the three men arrived from the penitentiary, every seat in the courtroom was filled, and there were even more women on hand than were present on Saturday.

Moyer in Very Ill Health.

When Moyer appeared in court he looked like a man broken in health and in spirit. His attack of asthma, instead of getting better, has grown alarmingly worse, and his haggard face tells of his physical suffering. He stoops naturally, but between his illness and no doubt the strain under which he is going, he is more bent and feeble.

With Haywood and Pettibone the case is reversed. There is nothing about them that indicates their incarceration is irksome. While Moyer's face is somber and he sits with his eyes closed, Haywood and Pettibone seem to take a keen interest in the curious, gaping glances of the crowd.

That the three men had not expected a decision in their favor was shown by the way they received the decision. Haywood and Pettibone exchanged glances and smiled, while Moyer, whose eyes were closed, remained inert and impassive.

Roused by Hawley's Reply.

Only once did Moyer show any emotion. When Attorney Hawley rose to answer the charges made by Attorney Richardson, that the prisoners had been held in solitary confinement until yesterday, and when the leading counsel for the prosecution, with a show of temper, denied the accusation in toto, Moyer rose to his feet as if to speak. Attorney Miller caught the movement and hurriedly crossed the courtroom. Counsel and client held a short consultation.

Moyer resumed his seat, but it was evident that he was thoroughly roused. It was at this time that the three men made up their minds to take chances with the conditions afforded at the Caldwell jail.

Little Jail Will Be Jammed.

The prisoners were taken back to the penitentiary for the night, but will be taken to Caldwell tomorrow. There are at present 11 prisoners confined at the Caldwell jail, and when this number is augmented by three more, the little bandbox of a jail will be crowded to overflowing.

Sheriff Nichols does not relish having the Federation officials as his guests, and it would not be surprising should he in a few days report that he cannot care for them, and that they will be returned to the penitentiary. Extra guards will be placed in and around the jail, and every precaution to prevent a jail delivery will be taken.

The grand jury, which took a recess until tomorrow morning, will again settle down to business, and it would surprise no one here should they return a verdict against St. John before the case is brought up tomorrow afternoon. At any rate, there is every reason to believe there will be an effort made to hasten an indictment against St. John, if such a thing is possible.

PROMISES A FAIR TRIAL

Governor of Idaho Corrects Some Misconceptions in Case.

BOISE, Idaho, March 12.—Governor Gooding has received numerous communications from labor organizations and other associations throughout the country, in respect to the arrest and prosecution of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners; William D. Haywood, secretary, and George A. Pettibone. One of these is sent by a committee of the Central Labor Union, of Evansville, Ind., of which W. L. Jans is secretary. This committee sent the resolutions on behalf of the union.

The committee states it submitted the resolutions "for the purpose of disabusing your mind that 'unionism' is anarchism." The resolutions are moderate in tone and in some measure reflect the idea so widely disseminated that the prosecution of these men is in pursuance of a conspiracy.

The Governor and Mr. Hawley are asked to weigh the confessions carefully and to use their best efforts to secure a fair and impartial trial for the accused. They ask that the men be given full opportunity to prove that the confessions "are trumped-up evidence, solicited by rich corporations for the sole purpose of disrupting unionism in the Western States, and probably put to death two American citizens that had not done anything but act as officials of the Western Federation of Miners."

In view of misconception of the state that seems to be so widely prevalent among laboring men, the Governor has sent a reply to the Evansville resolutions, in which he has stated the purpose of state very carefully and fully. The Governor sets forth the belief that the members of the Evansville union have been misinformed, for he cannot believe that they would countenance assassination. Proceeding, he states that no mineowners, no association of mineowners, or any corporation of a private nature, wealthy or otherwise, has had anything to do with the work of securing evidence against any of these men. Nobody but the state employed detectives in the case.

The facts of the murder of Frank Steunenberg, ex-Governor, are given briefly and the arrest of Harry Orchard. The fact of the employment of James McParland, the detective manager, is given and the statement made that he is not to receive any reward other than his stipulated fee and expenses. He was employed solely to get at the truth.

As to the confession secured from Orchard, the letter states McParland visited him, informed him who he was and asked him to tell the truth about the matter. No promise of any character was made. Orchard fully expects to pay the penalty for the crime which he has confessed. The letter continues:

He told a story of conspiracy and murder against ex-Governor Steunenberg so revolting in every detail as to be almost unbelievable. He gave descriptions of other crimes in which he had been interested, or of which he had heard, and from these descriptions and from other data furnished by Orchard the state has been enabled to gather a mass of evidence so strong that I was compelled by my oath of office and by my feelings as a man and a citizen to ask for the arrest and extradition of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone.

It is further stated the confession from Adams was secured in the same manner, no hope of immunity being held out to him. These men confess against themselves as well as against others, the Governor points out, and without promises of clemency. They tell what appears to be the blunt truth, indicating that the men accused were implicated in a conspiracy to commit murder. The letter continues:

If these stories are true you and the members of your union will certainly agree with me that no punishment under the law is too severe to be meted out to the guilty men. Their guilt or their innocence cannot be said to have any bearing upon the rights or privileges of union labor.

Labor organizations are vitally interested in this case. If the men now accused are guilty of murder they should be condemned by any labor organization in the world. If they are innocent, the State of Idaho, their accuser, will do its duty in righting the wrong done them.

The Governor expresses his belief in unionism, saying he knows the conditions and reward of labor have been wonderfully improved through the instrumentality of labor organizations. Further, he expresses the opinion that labor organizations should be the first to condemn wrong. Closing, he says:

I want to assure your union that the accused men shall have a fair and impartial trial. The fairness of spirit in which you addressed me has induced this lengthy epistle.

Decision Is Given Orally.

BOISE, Idaho, March 12.—The Supreme Court today granted the motion made by the state in the habeas corpus cases of Charles H. Moyer and his associates, from Denver, charged with the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg, striking out all that portion of the answer relating to the extradition and removal of the prisoners from Colorado. As this cut out all ground for the writs of habeas corpus, the attorneys agreed that those might be denied without further argument at the afternoon session of the court, an order was formally made by Chief Justice Stockslager denying the writs.

The decision of the court on the motion to strike out was delivered orally by Chief Justice Stockslager, but it was stated a written opinion going into the matter in detail would be filed later on.

Would Fight for Accused Dynamiters

NEW YORK, March 12.—The Central Federated Union yesterday decided to send two delegates to the Socialist demonstration against the prosecution of the officers of the Western Federation of miners in Idaho, which will be held tomorrow evening. John Chase, ex-Socialist Mayor of Haverhill, Mass., in proposing this action, said:

"If these two men are hanged, and if any man in this body or any other body is not then willing to shoulder a gun and fight for his class, he is a coward."

EXCURSION IS FALLING FLAT

Only Nine Seattle Men So Far Agree to Go to California.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Seattle has fallen down hard on the excursion planned by commercial bodies of this state to California. While Tacoma has enlisted 31 signed applicants and 20 other prospective tourists, but nine Seattle persons have actually reserved space and a dozen others have notified the roads they are thinking over the project. If the excursion is run out of here March 16 it will be because the other towns have made up what Seattle lacks.

Secretary L. W. Pratt, of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce, plans to organize the commercial bodies of the state into an association during the tour to promote the "seeing America" work for which the Oregon Development Society is largely responsible

CROWD OFF RANGE

Umatilla Woolgrowers Complain Against Northerners.

DISCRIMINATION IS SHOWN

Washington Flocks Allowed by Government to Graze on Forest Reserve on This Side of the Boundary Line.

SALEM, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—That Oregon sheepmen have been unfairly discriminated against in favor of Washington sheepmen in the allotment of grazing privileges on the Wenaha forest reserve in Oregon, is the charge that is being made by the Umatilla County Woolgrowers' Association. Governor Chamberlain and United States Senator Fulton have taken the matter up and will see what can be done to protect Oregon ranges from intrusion by sheep owned in Washington and paying taxes only in that state, according to an elaborate statement of facts laid before Governor Chamberlain by a committee which investigated the subject.

Of the reserve situated in Oregon, three-fourths is allotted to Washington sheepmen and only one-fourth to Oregon sheepmen. The reserve is located in part in each state, but no Oregon sheep are allotted to the reserve on the Washington side. In the entire reserve only 25,743 Oregon sheep are admitted, while 174,260 Washington sheep are admitted, with 37,230 of the latter on the Oregon side, so that it appears that on the Oregon side there are 11,490 more Washington sheep than there are of Oregon sheep on the whole reserve.

Owners of 33,726 sheep in Oregon have been denied admission to the reserve, and all these sheep are owned in Umatilla County, and a large portion of the range allotted to Washington sheepmen is in Umatilla County.

This is not the only act of injustice charged by the Umatilla Woolgrowers' Association. The statement placed before the Governor declares that "in the early Spring many thousands of Washington sheep are rushed as far south into Oregon territory as possible and then graze off the Oregon lands, gradually working farther north toward the Washington line, as they eat out the range, and by a solid front keep Oregon sheep from getting north of them. In the event that an Oregon band of sheep attempts to go north toward the Washington line, the Washington sheepmen band together and do all in their power to drive what they think is an intruder back farther south and will 'mix' sheep with the Oregon man and eat the range out around him so that he is forced to seek other range not near or adjacent to these Washington pirates."

The Oregon sheepmen will insist that the department observe its rule that Oregon sheep be allotted to Oregon range, to the exclusion of Washington sheep.

HERRICK HALL TO BE REBUILT

President Ferrin Making Arrangements to House Young Women.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove, Or., March 12.—President Ferrin addressed the students at chapel today with reference to the severe loss by fire sustained yesterday in the total destruction of Herrick Hall, the young women's dormitory. He expressed the great appreciation felt for the generous manner in which the town people had thrown open their homes for those rendered homeless by the fire. It was also confidently stated that a new dormitory would soon be built upon the spot occupied by Herrick Hall.

The $10,000 insurance money will furnish the nucleus about which funds will be gathered sufficient to erect a fully-equipped young woman's dormitory, modern in every respect. Whether it will be frame or of brick is not yet decided.

For the present President Ferrin is actively engaged making arrangements to house the young women for the remainder of the school year. Negotiations are pending for the lease of a large new store building and a new seven-room house, within one block of the center of town.

Mrs. Ferrin is meeting with generous response to her subscription list and a sufficient sum is in sight fully to reimburse the losses of the three young women who occupied rooms directly under where the fire started and could save nothing.

All the recitations were not heard today because numbers of students were yet helping in the identification of the numerous piles of house furnishings scattered all over the campus.

ROWLAND JURY IS OUT.

Disagreement Expected Over Scandal at Eugene.

EUGENE, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—The case of the state against Virgil Rowland, for adultery, has occupied the time of the Circuit Court all day and went to the jury at 4 o'clock. Up to a late hour the jury had not returned a verdict, and there seems to be a general belief that it will fail to agree.

The case has attracted more attention than all other work of the term, and the room has been filled with spectators during the trial. Ruby Miller, the principal witness in the case against Rowland, is now under arrest on a charge of lewd cohabitation.

Indictments have also been returned against four of the Farlow boys—Homer, Howard, Loren and Lawrence—for giving liquor to Erma Miller, a minor.

FIRE AT INSANE ASYLUM.

Patients Are Kept Calm While Conflagration Is Subdued.

TACOMA, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Prompt work on the part of the asylum fire department prevented a dangerous fire at the Western Washington Hospital for the Insane last night. The old workshop, where 60 patients are housed caught fire on the roof from a chimney blaze. An alarm was turned in and after hard work, in spite of the high wind, the fire was put out, without any of the patients becoming excited.

The attendants in the buildings had their patients lined up ready for instant desertion of the building should there have been any occasion.

FILES ON NACHES RIVER WATER

North Yakima May Have New Power and Lighting Plant.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Ira P. Englehart today made a filing on 3000 cubic inches of water per second of time from the Naches River, to be used for power and manufacturing purposes. The place of diversion is about 20 miles from this city. While no definite statement is made as to what this is for, it is believed to be preliminary to the building of a new power and lighting plant for the city.

Congressman Jones has written a letter to Chairman Fraser, of the Commercial Club, saying that it is the desire of Secretary Hitchcock to have the water question settled by April 1, when the option of the Washington Irrigation Company canal will be taken up by the Government. He asks that all difficulties be removed by March 20.

The only obstacle in the way is E. F. Benson, of Prosser, who owns the water and lighting plant of that place. Word was received from there this afternoon that Benson had finally agreed to the Government's terms of settlement.

VALUE OF SCHOOL FIRE DRILL

Medford Pupils Marched From Burning Building in Perfect Order.

MEDFORD, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Fire broke out in the public school building about 10 o'clock this morning, but was fortunately discovered before much damage was done. The fire caught in the floor from the furnace, and the smoke filled the seventh room.

The fire alarm used by the school was given, and the pupils marched out of the building in good order, the rooms being emptied in less than two minutes. They retained their position in line, and, the danger being soon over, they were marched back to their rooms, some of them not knowing that there was a fire, and thought it was nothing but a regular fire drill. The damage to the building was slight.

SLOT MACHINES FORBIDDEN

Medford Council Gives Order at Request of the W. C. T. U.

MEDFORD, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—At the last session of the City Council that body was petitioned by the Ministerial Association and the W. C. T. U. to close saloons Sundays and stop the operation of the slot machines, and the petition was granted. The order has not yet been put into effect and there is much speculation in the matter.

Every saloon and cigar store has one or more slot machines, and the city has been receiving from each nickel machine $2.50 and each quarter machine $5 per month revenue.

Fiancee Arrives Too Late.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—When Augustus Brewer was dying at a hospital, Thursday, he requested that a telegram be sent to his fiancee, Miss Florence Achey, and her answer was that she would start immediately. Friday young Brewer died and Miss Achey, hastening home, did not know of the sad tidings until she was met at the train Sunday afternoon and then was conveyed in a carriage to the funeral, which had been held awaiting her arrival.

The young woman, overcome by so lamentable an experience, is grief-stricken at the home of her mother. Mr. Brewer was 26 years of age and had no relatives, excepting a brother in Illinois. Miss Achey has been attending Leland Stanford University.

Mead Will Go on Excursion.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Governor E. A. Mead will leave here Saturday with the special excursion of business men from Puget Sound for California. The excursion will extend as far south as San Diego, where the party will break up March 24. The Governor will remain in California a few days after that date, visiting some of the state institutions. The following telegram was received by Governor Mead:

"Sacramento, March 12.—Hon. Albert E. Mead, Governor of Washington, Olympia: I am happy to learn that you are soon to visit California with a large party of friends. On behalf of all the people of California I assure you of a hearty welcome.

"GEORGE C. PARDEE, Governor.

Settlers From South Dakota.

MEDFORD, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Ed Andrews, the opera man who gained fame as Koko, but who is now touring the East in the interests of Medford and the Rogue River Valley, writes from Mitchell, S. D., that he is being well received, and will start for Medford in about two weeks with a coachload of prospective settlers. He carries with him a fine exhibit of the resources of the Rogue River Valley.

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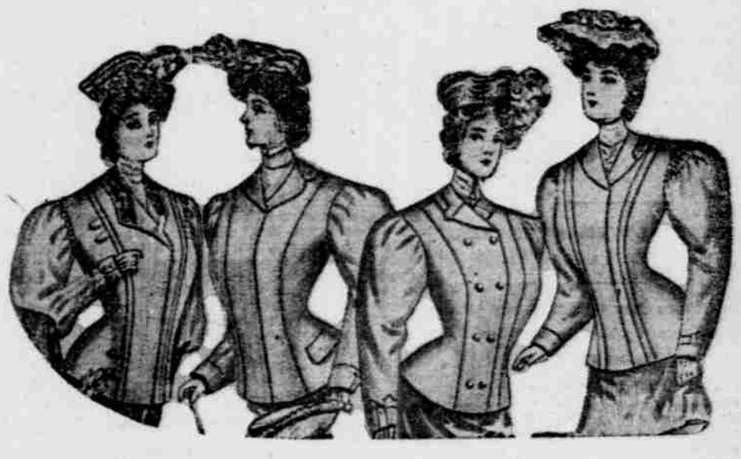

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LOCAL OPTION IS UPHELD

JUDGE BURNETT DECIDES IN CASE FROM LEBANON.

Voters of Any Precinct Have to Say Whether Liquor Shall Be Sold There, or Not.

ALBANY, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—When the March term of Department No. 1 of the Circuit Court was convened this morning, Judge George H. Burnett disposed of a number of criminal matters, among them being one of considerable importance. This was the case of the State of Oregon vs. G. B. Hansard, charged with selling liquor in violation of the local option liquor law in the "dry" precinct of Lebanon.

At the last term of court the facts in this case were stipulated, it being agreed that the defendant did sell whisky, as alleged, but the defense contended that no law was violated, alleging the local-option law did not apply to incorporated towns the charters of which give the municipality control of the liquor business. A number of other facts were contended by the defense, but the one above stated is the only one that raises a question of general importance as affecting the entire operation of the local-option law.

Judge Burnett has had the matter under advisement for several weeks, and today rendered in writing a long and well-considered opinion, upholding the contention of the state that wherever the people of a precinct in due form voted in favor of prohibition under the local-option law, then the local-option law becomes operative in that precinct in place of the general law giving control of liquor traffic to municipalities. A special verdict was rendered, and the judgment of the court was that the defendant is guilty.

A fine of $50 and costs of the action was assessed, with the warning that further violations will be met with severer penalty. This case will probably be appealed to the Supreme Court.

A similar indictment against Luke Jennings, which depended upon the court's action in the Hansard case, was taken up. The defendant pleaded guilty, and the court imposed a fine of $50 and costs.

The case against John Nixon, of Lebanon, charged with pointing a gun at a man, was disposed of by the defendant pleading guilty. A fine of $10 and costs was imposed. This is the case in which Nixon caused some men in a gallon-house to dance by firing a revolver in the direction of their feet.

YAKIMA PROJECT INCEPTION

Tieton Water-Users' Convention Files Articles of Incorporation.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State today of the Tieton Water-Users' Association, of North Yakima, with a capital stock of $30,000. This is the beginning of the Yakima irrigation scheme, which has been before the State Land Commissioners and the Department of the Interior for several months past, and indicates that the legal obstacles to the Government project are being cleared up.

The incorporators are A. J. Splawn, P. Gildea, Theodore Welsberger, H. M. Gilbert and A. E. Larson, all of North Yakima. The articles of incorporation give the company all necessary powers to acquire land for irrigation, distribute water, develop water or other power, operate irrigation works, telephone systems and electric or other power plants.

DEAD OF THE NORTHWEST

Louis Earl Salisbury.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Louis Earl Salisbury, aged [illegible] years, died of consumption last night at his home at Gladstone. Although Mr. Salisbury had been ill for some time, death ensued last night very suddenly. Besides a widow, the deceased is survived by two children, Henry Salisbury, of this city, and Mrs. E. N. Rasmussen, of Portland.

Candidates in Clackamas.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—H. G. Starkweather, a prosperous farmer residing near Milwaukie, has announced that he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge. Two years ago he was an unsuccessful candidate for County Superintendent of Schools.

I. D. Taylor, of this city, has entered the race for nomination for County Clerk on the Republican ticket.

Mrs. Margaret Coffman.

CHEHALIS, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret Coffman died at the home of A. L. Coffman in Chehalis. She was 84 years of age. Mrs. Coffman was the mother of N. B. Coffman, J. T. Coffman, H. B. Coffman and A. L. Coffman, all of whom are well-known business men of Chehalis.

Louis R. Nelson.

EUGENE, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Louis R. Nelson, aged 25, died this morning of typhoid fever, after a long illness. A short funeral sermon was held this evening, and the body will be taken on the early morning train to McMinnville for burial.

Varsity Men as Ranchers.

SALEM, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—A. B. Van der Wielen, treasurer of the association of settlers on the Columbia Southern Irrigation Company's tract in the Deschutes country, was before the State Land Board today in behalf of the interests of the settlers. The board telegraphed the representatives of the company to appear tomorrow.

Mr. Van der Wielen is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, and is trying ranching in Oregon. He expresses great faith in the future of the Deschutes irrigation region. Among the officers of the settlers' association are a graduate of Harvard and a graduate of the University of Chicago.

Married Aboard a Schooner.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 12.—(Special.)—William A. B. Knox and Miss Lillian Smith, of Cowlitz County, were married by Justice E. P. Fox, on board the schooner Edward West Sunday afternoon. Mr. Knox is a stepson of Captain Collar, of the Edward West, and brought his bride here, that his parents might be present at the ceremony.

High Price for Fishtrap.

ASTORIA, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—A deal was closed today whereby Leander Lebeck, of Chinook, sells to C. Otto Nelson, of the same place, a fishtrap located on the north shore of the Columbia River and about one mile above McGowan for a consideration of $6000. This is the largest price ever paid for a single fishtrap in the Columbia River.

The trap is 450 feet in length, extending from the shore line to the channel, and was purchased by Mr. Lebeck five years ago for $700.

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