SOUNDS WARNING AGAINST TRUSTS

Caustic Comment on the Scott Method of Conducting a Newspaper.

SUMPTER Ore., Feb. 2, 1903.

To the Honorable Members of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Oregon:

The people of Oregon are looking to you for their future welfare and prosperity since they have chosen you to shape the state's destiny now in your hands. In the past the people have been shamefully wronged and imposed upon and have been deprived of their privileges as well as the state of its resources. The hour has come to elect a United States Senator who can and will further these robberies or stop them. Whom are you going to elect? A servant of the people, or a traitor.

There is within the dark corridor of the capital a dark man on a dark horse with dark lanterns ready to surprise you. It is H. W. Scott. Will you vote for him? Do you know him? Not one of you who has Oregon's interests at heart can vote for H. W. Scott for United States Senator. I challenge any one of you to show that H. W. Scott has ever helped Oregon in any way whatsoever, and I propose to show you that H. W. Scott has hurt Oregon in every possible way.

1. H. W. Scott is and has been the head and center of the greatest and most obnoxious trust in Oregon for selfish purposes.

2. There is today no man in Oregon in office or out of office who has not been reviled, ridiculed and slandered by H. W. Scott to further his selfish interests.

3. H. W. Scott has always championed the cause of the grasping trusts and corporations to further his selfish interests.

4. H. W. Scott has condemned, ridiculed, blamed, reviled and slandered the laboring classes, of whom he could not expect much to further his selfish interests.

5. There is not a creed within Oregon the believers of which H. W. Scott has not openly and grossly insulted at such times when he wanted the good will of those of an opposition creed to further his selfish interests.

6. H. W. Scott has usurped the political ladder and has walked up and down, has broken or repaired, has disfavored or polished every step from Governor's office down to the slums of Portland to further his selfish interests.

7. There is not a party, political or social, which H. W. Scott has espoused without ending into a repudiation or a divorce to save his selfish interests.

8. H. W. Scott has proven a traitor to every party, and has inflicted himself upon every party to further his selfish interests.

9. H. W. Scott has refused to print the affidavits of honest and oppressed people showing that they had to pay from $15 to $100 money to the school fund commissioners and to their agents before they could borrow school fund money, for fear they might hurt his selfish interests. I was forced to display these affidavits in the Legislature four years ago to stop the evil.

10. H. W. Scott has refused to publish articles showing and proving the wholesale robberies of Oregon's best timber and resources, to help the people.

11. H. W. Scott has helped to protect and whitewash guilty federal officials.

12. Did you ever see H. W. Scott shooting straight to hit a swindler of power or wealth? I did not, nor did you. Whenever he had to shoot to satisfy public opinion, it was high enough not to hurt the Dollar.

13. Millions of dollars' worth of Oregon's timber and other resources went wrongfully to trusts away from the people of Oregon. H. W. Scott has constantly ignored and refused to publish articles exposing these frauds.

14. It is H. W. Scott's refusal to print such articles that has forced me to bring the many frauds direct to the Department of the Interior, and the timber thieves were thus stopped in their nefarious work, as everyone knows.

15. H. W. Scott has refused to print articles exposing the Harriman's trust plans to hold up Oregon and to rob it afterwards. His reasons are self evident.

The above premises or statements are taken from facts and publications of H. W. Scott's own pen, and from test cases which I have confronted Scott himself with.

Your constituents, mostly laborers, honest taxpayers and poor, oppressed and abused people, are watching you and are challenging you not to vote for a man who will sacrifice their and your interests for low, selfish interests or purposes.

Will you, dare you vote for a man like Scott? Will you, dare you sell out your constituents, their privileges, and resources. Will you buy them a master or give them an honest servant? Will you ruin yourself in the eyes of your own constituents by voting for H. W. Scott for United States Senator?

Vote for any man you want, but never for a dark man on a dark horse.

I call the attention of the people of Oregon, your constituents, amongst whom I have spread this article, to carefully watch the outcome of the Legislature in regard to the United States Senator and act accordingly.

Oregon and its resources have been robbed and the people have been held up and have been buncoed to such an extent that the people are determined to stop all such outrages at any price, and you cannot vote for any man who has helped indirectly those highway robberies.

There are thousands of honest and hard working people in Oregon who have no homes, who can get no homes, and who are forced out of their homes and homesteads by merciless trusts who stole and now wrongfully own Oregon's resources with the help of politicians. Will you vote for Scott? Will you help Scott's interests or those of your constituents? Are the interests of soulless trusts and of politicians dearer to you than the homes, the children, the success of your honest and hard working constituents?

Vote for any man who is and has been honest, who is a hard worker and who has common horse sense. Such a man will shine in Washington and will be a credit to Oregon. A smooth and fluent talker does shine, but does not keep his luster. Such men that we have now and had for many years in Washington were shining by reflection, they were planets and not fixed stars.

They grew rich in Washington while Oregon, for which they were there to protect, was robbed before their eyes.

We have plenty of genuine stars and genuine diamonds in Oregon, and there is no need of sending to Washington planets, cut-glass or imitation diamonds which need constant polishing to make them shine.

Take care of Oregon and of your constituents and you will never vote for H. W. Scott or for any man like him.

JOSEPH SCHELL.

FAT PLUM MAY GO TO DURBIN

In Line for State Prison Superintendent.

Rivals for Office Said to Have Patched Up Agreement to Make It Certain.

(Journal Special Service.)

SALEM, Feb. 5.—For the past six or seven months there was blood on the moon of the Marion County Democracy, regarding the claims of two of the leading Democrats of this county to the position of superintendent of the penitentiary—ex-Sheriff Frank W. Durbin and County Chairman W. H. Downing—but the cloud, rumor hath it, is disappearing, and a compromise is said to have been effected. This will, if carried into effect, have a wholesome effect on the Democratic party of the county in preventing a split, which has been confidently predicted.

The appointment, it has been generally conceded, would come to Marion County, but this was endangered by the fact that two strong men, both showing big support, were after the plum and this brought out candidates from other portions of the State, who hoped for success because of the contest here.

Looks Like Durbin.

These gentlemen will now be doomed to disappointment, for it is stated, on the best authority, that Messrs. Durbin and Downing have reached an agreement by which the latter withdraws from the contest for the position of superintendent, to which Mr. Durbin, being without opposition from this county and backed by the entire party, is to be appointed by Governor Chamberlain.

On Mr. Durbin's assuming office, it is further stated, he is to appoint, under this agreement, as his warden, W. H. Downing, the retiring applicant for the superintendency. The fact remains, the discussion of the case among the immediate friends of the two gentlemen interested, has ceased and this lends color to the story that a compromise has been effected.

Both the gentlemen, if appointed, will make good officers. They are both men of high standing in the community and in the Democratic party.

Change Coming.

It is stated on the best of authority that a change in the management of the penitentiary will take place on April 1, the beginning of the second quarter for 1903. This early change is the result of the recent discovery of a scandal at the prison, which calls for an investigation by a legislative committee, and has already brought in its train the temporary suspension of two prison officers.

HISTORY SEATTLE SCANDAL

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van by The Journal correspondent.

"The Midway," replied the chief, "is a better and more orderly house than any other similar house in Seattle. My officers have less trouble there than they have anywhere else. It is built so that any one cannot hide from my men, or escape before they can get him. There are but two entrances and exits, whereas in the other places, a man can commit murder, or any other crime, and effect his escape by a score of exits. While my men are coming in one-door, he escapes through another. I favor the Midway; it's better than the other houses, and yet Seattle people think I am a fiend to permit it to run."

This is the very first expression the chief has ever given to the public relative to the Midway.

Speaking about the grand jury, Chief Sullivan said: "I welcome it. Let them probe as deep as they see fit; I'm all right."

SOME FAMOUS PLAYS

No repertoire ever contained such a number of really famous plays as does that of the distinguished actress, Florence Roberts, who appears at the Marquam grand for a week's engagement commencing next Monday evening, when she will appear in a revival of David Belasco's great drama, "Zaza." This was the success of last season when presented here by this same star, and her marvelous portrayal of the varied emotions of the wonderful Belasco creation, "Zaza," will live long in the memories of those who have seen it. Her other plays include "Magda," "The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch," "The Adventure of the Lady Ursula" and "Sapho."

INQUIRING ABOUT OREGON

The Chamber of Commerce is sending 2,000 Harriman booklets to the Judson-Alton Excursion Company of Chicago, in answer to a letter from that concern requesting literature containing information about Oregon. These booklets will be distributed to those who ask for information concerning Oregon. The letter states:

"We daily receive numerous inquiries from prospective colonists requesting information on particular points in different Western states."

FIREMEN'S EXAMINATIONS

Health Commissioner Bierstorf began today the physical examination of the 137 members of the Fire Department, as required by the Civil Service Commission. This will require several days.

SILLY SEASON AT CAPITAL

Smith's Patent Medicine Bill Is Queer.

It Aims to Seriously Injure the Drug Business in This State.

(Journal Special Service.)

SALEM, Feb. 5.—Senator W. F. Smith's patent medicine bill has been the object of so much hostile criticism that its passage is regarded as extremely doubtful. The bill, if enacted, would be ruinous to a large proportion of the druggists of the state and already they have entered strong protests, setting forth the hardships that would result from such a law.

The bill provides that "if any person, persons or corporation shall have in his possession, or buy, or offer for sale, any drug, herb, pill, tablet, tincture, decoction, solution, patent or proprietary medicine of any kind, designed for the cure or relief of any sickness, disease, bruise, ache or pain, without setting out, in legible type and in the English language, upon each box, package or bottle, the full and exact name and description of the contents and ingredients and of the proportions thereof of said drugs, herbs, pills, tablets, tinctures, decoctions, solutions, patent or proprietary drugs or medicines therein contained, such persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined for each offense in the sum of not less than $50 nor more than $200, or be imprisoned in the county jail not less than 30 days nor more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

An emergency clause follows, making the bill effective from July 1, 1903.

Opponents of the bill argue that its obvious effect would be to exclude from the state most patent medicines, and the detriment to druggists and pharmacists would be incalculable. Many large manufacturers of such remedies would prefer to forego the sale of their goods in this state, rather than to publish the formulae of their composition. Persons who have been in the habit of using such preparations could no longer purchase them in this state and would buy from the manufacturers, sending out of the state the money which now, in great part, goes into local circulation.

Even the possession of medicines not labelled as required by the bill is made a misdemeanor. This provision is declared an absurdity and impossible of enforcement.

The bill will be considered tonight in a joint meeting of the Senate and House committees on medicine.

ARGUMENT AGAINST BILL

SALEM, Feb. 5.—Before the committees on medicine and pharmacy, which will meet jointly tonight, Senator Miller, of Linn County, will be one of the principal speakers against Senate Bill No. 129, to prevent the sale of patent medicines, unless their ingredients are made known on labels of the bottles.

There are many against passage of the bill, who will go before the committee to fight it. They are receiving telegrams, telephone messages and letters from all over the state urging that they take this course. There are several druggists in the Legislature who know what passage of such a law would mean. It would, they say, to begin with, necessitate the throwing away of many thousands of dollars worth of goods now on the shelves of Oregon drug stores, and this loss would be net. There could be no way of avoiding it.

There is another side to the question, too. It would be working a great hardship on the people. There are many common ills that patent medicines will cure, and thus prevent the contracting of large doctors' bills. While these patent medicines are in no sense harmful, and are, on the other hand, vastly beneficial, they may contain ingredients with names which would frighten the public from them.

They say, for example, that the average man knows of iron only as a hard substance used for making tools, nails and such like things. He does not stop to consider that it may also be used as a medicine and if he saw a patent medicine label bearing the words "tincture of iron" he would at once associate that drug with a blacksmith shop or a turning lathe and decide it would be of no use to him. Yet all this time iron might be just what he needed. He would turn from the patent medicine and go to a doctor who would prescribe iron and charge several times the price of the bottle on the shelf that had been passed up.

This is the nature of the argument being advanced by those opposing the bill and the opposition is gaining ground rapidly.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

As the result of the examinations in the several city schools the returns to City Superintendent Rigler show that 225 "passed" and are now entitled to admission to the High School.

In the county schools, 35 took the eighth-grade examinations this week. This exceeds the class of February, 1902, by 10 pupils. The May and June classes last year were between 75 and 100.

SLIGHTLY HURT.

While stepping off a train at Summit, five miles east of here, today D. P. Mahaffey slipped on the frozen ground, spraining his left knee severely. He was brought to the city and treated by Dr. Logan and sent on to St. Vincent's Hospital.

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YOUNG PLACED ON HIS TRIAL

Mrs. Pulitzer's Murderer Carried to Court.

Weak and Trembling From Cowardice---Family Not Yet in Attendance.

(Journal Special Service.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The drawing of a jury to try William Hooper Young, who murdered Mrs. Anna Pulitzer in his apartments a few months ago and shipped her severed head to Buffalo, was continued today. Three more jurors were secured this morning.

Young was half dragged, half carried into the court room by two deputies. He looked slightly better than yesterday, wearing clean linen and having his hair smoothly plastered down over his forehead.

The prisoner made the same craven exhibition of himself as he did yesterday, appearing nervous and trembling continually. Apparently he is suffering from a bad attack of cowardice.

When brought into court yesterday Young pretended to be in a state of utter collapse. He declared he was not crazy but was sick and weak, too sick to be placed on trial.

A number of physicians examined Young during the court recess and reported that the trial would not hurt him physically and that he was in every way fit to be placed in the dock.

The family and friends of the prisoner have so far been conspicuous by their absence from the court room. It is said, however, that the young man's father and other friends will arrive today from Utah.

GREAT SCOTT AND THE LITTLE FISHES OF THE LEGISLATURE

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maintenance of state institutions as follows:

Oregon Blind School, $820.62.
State Reform School, $665.09.
State Penitentiary, $3,047.16.
Prosecuting attorneys, $919.64.
Non-resident poor, $2,767.27.
Printing election laws, etc., $121.13.
Payment of rewards, $300.
State warrants and interest on "bounty fund," $7,744.81.

The total appropriation under this bill is therefore $71,364.72. This measure has been read twice and has been chronicled as engrossed.

A Night Session.

(Journal Special Service.)

SALEM, Feb. 5.—The House will hold an evening session tomorrow to consider charter bills and other local measures.

VARIOUS CITY BONDS

City Treasurer Werlein began the payment of salaries this morning on the authority of the Council, which passed the salary list yesterday.

During January the City Treasurer disbursed about $150,000, including the payments made on coupons. Tuesday the City Treasurer received $12,050 in matured bridge coupons, from the Chemical National Bank of New York.

The largest payment on street bonds was made on those maturing February 1, and amounted to $3,714.31. These bonds are drawn to mature the first day of each month. The smallest amount to mature during the year is $822.

The total amount paid out yearly for bonds is, in round numbers, $24,000, or $2,000 per month. In round numbers there are now outstanding in bonds $400,000. Originally these were to run 10 years, but the last session of the Legislature made these call bonds. Under this act some $13,500 in bonds have been called in and retired.

CONGRESS CONSIDERS TRUSTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The House Committee on Judiciary reported the rules for consideration of anti-trust bills. One hour debate is provided to expedate pending suits under the Sherman act, 13 hours' debate is allowed for the Littlefield publicity and discrimination bill, the House to meet daily at 10 o'clock, until the time is exhausted.

STEEL TRUST WINS.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 5.—In the Court of Errors and Appeals today the decision was reversed of Chancellor Emery in the Hodge suit against the United States Steel Corporation. The decision is unanimous. This is the last legal step that can be taken to prevent the conversion of $200,000,000 of the trust's capital stock into bonds.

TRUST FIGHTS INJUNCTION

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—The Swift Packing Company filed a petition for dissolution of the temporary injunction against the beef trust. The petition denies a conspiracy.

ROBBERS RAID SALOON.

RENO, Nev., Feb. 5.—Two masked men robbed the Wirland saloon last night. Fifteen men were held up and the cash register robbed. One of the robbers has been arrested.

FALLS TO DEATH.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—William Paull, a leading singer with the Castle Square Opera Company, today fell from the fourth story of the Southern Hotel and was instantly killed.

SENATOR CANNON ILL.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 5.—Former United States Senator Frank Cannon is critically ill. He was brought here from Ogden last night and underwent an operation for acute appendicitis.

HAD MANY DEBTS.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—In the bankruptcy court this morning Earl Euston presented a petition showing a quarter of a million in liabilities and $500 assets.

SENATOR BROWN IS ARRESTED

Jailed for Failure to Pay His Wife.

Mrs. Brown Twice Had Her Rival Arrested for Winning the Senator's Affections.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 5.—Judge Hall today caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of former United States Senator Brown for contempt of court in having failed to pay his wife temporary alimony according to the order of the court.

Mrs. Brown last week swore to two complaints resulting in the arrest of Mrs. Annie Bradley on charges of adultery.

Brown and the woman boarded a train for Idaho and cannot be located. Their bonds have been declared forfeited.

CRISIS REACHED

Statehood Bill May Be Amended to Suit.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 5.—The legislative assembly has received a dispatch from Marcus Smith, congressional delegate, who asserts that the crisis has been reached on the statehood bill. He advises a compromise to suit the opponents of the omnibus measure. He says that Quay will risk an extra session rather than yield.

He advises the acceptance of the plan to admit Arizona and New Mexico as one state.

TO PAY DEATH PENALTY

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 5.—Miles Johnson, the negro whose trial for criminal assault was recently conducted under the protection of a guard of soldiers, will be hanged in the county jail tomorrow. The condemned man has lost all of the bravado which he exhibited when first arrested, and of late has been seeking religious consolation. The officials are apprehensive of a complete breakdown as the time approaches for him to mount the scaffold.

HARVARD'S SEMITIC MUSEUM

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 5.—The Semitic Museum of Harvard University was formally opened today. There were brief addresses by President Eliot, the chairman of the committee on the Semitic Department, and others, after which refreshments were served and the guests given an opportunity to inspect the collections.

ORERATORS OBDURATE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 5.—The operators still refuse to grant the wage scale demanded by the coal miners.

They have offered to pay 10 per cent more than the present scale, but it is doubtful if the miners will accept.

BIG DAMAGE BY FLOODS.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 5.—Allegany River is now two feet above the danger line. Scores of homes are inundated and the residents are moving household effects. The two railroads are flooded.

CONGRESSMAN DEAD.

ASHVILLE, N. C., Feb. 5.—Congressman Moody died at 1:30 this afternoon at his home in Waynesville.

FATAL WRECK.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 5—Alleghany River Great Northern this morning resulted in the death of Engineer Thomas Morris.

BIRTHS.

To Clarence R. and Corinne L. Powell, 131½ Union avenue, a girl.

To John L. and Letitia Hembree, 494 East Pine street, a girl.

To George Albert and Mamie Vogt, 181 Twenty-fourth street, a girl.

To J. and Paulina Singletary, 262 Clay street, a girl.

To Frank P. and Mary Elizabeth Andrews, 375 Stark street, a girl.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

Miss Bruce, Tacoma; smallpox.

Albert Linn, 650 Third street; scarlet fever.

Lillian Linn, 650 Third street; scarlet fever.

DEATHS.

Patrick Prunty, St. Vincent's Hospital; sarcoma. Aged 51 years. Interred at Salem, Or.

Leontine M. Lambert, 488 Columbia street; cancer. Interred at Lone Fir.

William Rabenaw, 184 Market street; pneumonia. Aged 64 years, 9 months, 9 days.

Berta Van Vlack, 1153 East Alder street; paralysis. Aged 66 years, 1 month, 23 days. Interred at Lone Fir.

Margaret Hale, Patton Home; old age. Aged 91 years, 8 months, 1 day. Interred at Riverview.

Rosabell M. Spencer, 60½ Grand avenue; convulsions. Aged 3 months, 15 days.

John Dennis Kelly, County Hospital; morphine and cocaine habits. Aged 36 years, 7 months, 20 days. Interred at Mt. Calvary.

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BOWEN'S PLAN IS SUBMITTED

Agrees to a Pay Big Lump Sum.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—It was learned today that Minister Bowen, in addition to granting an extension of the time for the preferential treatment of the allies claims against Venezuela, had offered a big lump sum, to be paid immediately on the raising of the blockade. This offer was made as an earnest of good faith. The sum named is said to be $25,000.

This is the final reply of Bowen to the allies. If it is not accepted, Bowen says, the case must go to The Hague.

INDUSTRIAL PIONEER DEAD

(Journal Special Service.)

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 5.—John Crawford, an industrial pioneer, is dead, aged 90 years. He was well known in San Francisco and other Western cities. Crawford was the first man to lay asphalt pavements and he made a fortune in contracting for this work. His estate is valued at $1,500,000.

KING IS BETTER.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—King Edward has nearly recovered from the attack of influenza which caused him to cancel all engagements recently. A bulletin issued this morning says that His Majesty's health is now close to the normal. It is believed that the King will appear in public before the week closes.

BATTLE MAY BE IN PROGRESS

PARIS, Feb. 5.—La Matin today prints a dispatch from Caracas saying that troops have left that city to meet the rebel forces which are approaching rapidly. The dispatch adds that a battle may be in progress now.

PENDLETON PLAY HOUSE

PENDLETON, Feb. 5.—Pendleton is to have a new opera house. The building is to be complete in every detail, with stage room for any scenery that is carried by the best attractions on the road. The latest designs of theatre buildings are being thoroughly studied by the promoters of the plan, in order to enable them to equip the Pendleton theatre with the most up-to-date conveniences. The seating capacity of the present building will be increased by fully one-third, and the accommodations will be superb in every particular.

MARINE NOTES.

The French bark Desaix and steam schooner Mary Wingleman arrived down at 8:30 this morning.

The steamer Homer of the California and Oregon Coast Steamship Company, arrived from San Francisco last night with a cargo of general merchandise.

The German ship Emilie has completed her grain cargo for the United Kingdom and is now in the stream. It consists of 34,225 sacks of barley, valued at $45,702, and 31,088 bushels of wheat, worth $23,316. Kerr, Gifford & Co. are the shippers.

The steam schooner has completed loading lumber at Portland and will leave down for Astoria today to finish the cargo.

The Columbia arrived last night from San Francisco with the usual cargo of general merchandise.

The French ship Ville de St. Nazaire cleared this morning for the United Kingdom with 121,859 bushels of wheat, valued at $91,394. It was shipped by Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

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