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INITIATIVE BILLS PROPOSED BY THE LEGISLATURE

The following bill will be submitted to the people for a vote at a special general election May 21, 1920.

Be it Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Oregon be, and the same is hereby, proposed:

Article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon shall be and is hereby amended as follows:

Section 36 of said article I, which was proposed by the people by initiative petition and approved by a majority of votes cast thereon at the general election held November 3, 1914, and by a proclamation of the governor, dated December 3, 1914, took effect on said date and which section reads as follows:

"The death penalty shall not be inflicted upon any person under the laws of Oregon. The maximum punishment which may be inflicted shall be life imprisonment.

"All provisions of the constitution and laws of Oregon in conflict with this section are hereby abrogated and repealed insofar as they conflict herewith, and this section is self-executing."

be and the same is hereby repealed, provided, however, that the repeal of said section hereby made shall not affect the indictment, prosecution, trial, verdict, judgment or punishment of any crime of murder committed before such repeal, but all laws relating thereto are hereby continued in full force and effect for such purpose."

That there be and is hereby added to said article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon the following section which shall be numbered 37:

Section 37. The penalty for murder in the first degree shall be death, except when the trial jury shall in its verdict recommend life imprisonment, in which case the penalty shall be life imprisonment."

That there be and is hereby added to said article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon, the following section which shall be numbered 38:

"Section 38. All provisions of the laws of Oregon abrogated and repealed as in conflict with section 36, which section is herein repealed, are hereby revived as of full force and effect from and after the adoption of this constitutional amendment, subject to amendment by the legislative assembly." Be it further

Resolved, That the secretary of state be and is hereby authorized and directed to set aside four pages in the official pamphlet containing the initiative and referendum measures to be voted on at the special election on May 21, 1920, in which arguments supporting and against this proposed amendment may be printed; two of said pages to be set aside for the affirmative and two pages for the negative arguments; and be it further

Resolved, That a committee of one senator and two representatives be appointed to prepare and file with the secretary of state affirmative, and a like committee to prepare and file negative arguments with reference to the foregoing amendment.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17 To amend section 18 of article I of the constitution of Oregon by a resolution by the Senate and House of Representatives concurring:

Whereas it is in the best interests of this state to promote the development of its natural resources, of which its timber and mines are among the foremost; and

Whereas roads to market must be provided in order to promote such development; and

Whereas the states of Idaho, Washington, and Colorado and other western states have provided by constitution for the taking of such roads under the right of eminent domain and so have acquired an advantage over this state in the development of such resources; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That section 18 of article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon be, and the same is hereby, amended as follows:

Article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

Section 18. Private property shall not be taken for public use, nor the particular services of any man demanded without just compensation; nor except in the case of the state, without such compensation first assessed and tendered; provided, that the use of all roads and ways necessary to promote the transportation of the raw products of mine or farm or forest is necessary to the development and welfare of the state and is declared a public use; be it further

Resolved, That the proposed question of amending section 18 of article I of the constitution of the state of Oregon be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the next general election or special election; and be it further

Resolved, That the secretary of state be authorized and directed to set aside one page in the official pamphlet containing initiative and referendum measures to be voted upon at such election in which arguments supporting the proposed amendment to said section may be printed; be it further

Resolved, That a committee of one senator and two representatives be appointed to prepare and file with the secretary of state arguments in support of this amendment.

House Joint Resolution No. 11 Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Oregon, the Senate jointly concurring:

That section 7 of article XI of the constitution of the state of Oregon be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

Sec. 7. Credit of State Not to be Loaned; Limitation Upon Power of Contracting Debts.—The legislative assembly shall not lend the credit of the state nor in any manner create any debt or liabilities which shall singly or in the aggregate with previous debts or liabilities exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars, except in case of war or to repel invasion or suppress insurrection or to build and maintain permanent roads; and the legislative assembly shall not lend the credit of the state nor in any manner create any debts or liabilities to build and maintain permanent roads which shall singly or in the aggregate with previous debts or liabilities incurred for that purpose exceed four per cent of the assessed valuation of all the property of the state; and every contract of indebtedness entered into or assumed by or on behalf of the state in violation of the provisions of this section shall be void and of no effect.

Resolved, That the proposed amendment be submitted to the people of the state of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the next special or regular biennial election throughout the state of Oregon.

Resolved, That a committee of three (3) representatives and two (2) senators, be appointed to prepare and file with the secretary of state, arguments in support of the proposed constitutional amendment; and be it further

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The first meeting for organizing the Jackson County Farm Bureau (for 1920 was held at Bellevue last evening. County Agent Cate, Home Demonstration Agent Miss Poole, Roland Flaherty, manager of the bureau co-operation exchange, and George A. Mansfield, president of the farm bureau, were present to assist in the work.

The farm bureau is no longer an experiment and it is only necessary to tell of the splendid work accomplished during the past year to make any farmer see that the movement holds wonderful possibilities for the future.

Manager Flaherty pointed out a few of the ways in which the bureau will be able to enrich Jackson county by many thousands of dollars the

coming year and in years to come. By the co-operative handling of livestock along it is possible to keep in the county close to a quarter of a million dollars that now go to enrich the middle man in Portland or San Francisco.

Miss Poole told of the work for the housewife and children, that can not be counted in dollars and cents. By a few well chosen examples she showed the great value of the work and gave her hearers a glimpse of the wonderful future of the movement.

President Mansfield dwelt on the farm bureau movement in a general way urging all to lend their support to a work that is bound to become a powerful factor in increasing the production of our farms and of giving the farmer a chance to market his produce to the best advantage.

Mr. Mansfield has the work of the bureau at heart and is throwing all of his energy into making the year's work highly successful. Jackson county is indeed fortunate in securing such a man to direct the affairs of the organization.

Albert C. Joy urged his neighbors to support heartily the bureau and assured them that knowing the workers to be of more than ordinary ability for carrying on the movement, they might feel sure that Bellevue would be proud to point to the fact that the people responded and united as a unit in supporting the Jackson County Farm Bureau.

The Barham brothers, who purchased the timber tract on the Siskiyou several weeks ago from E. T. Merrill for the purpose of operating a lumber plant there, have started the construction of a road to their mill site preparatory to building the plant. A large amount of machinery has already arrived and the work of building the mill will start very soon. Messrs. Barhams' mill will be located about two miles back from the railroad, and it is their intention to haul the lumber from the mill by truck to Siskiyou, which will be their shipping point. They expect to rush work at the plant as rapidly as possible and begin operations as soon as the mill is completed.

In a letter recently sent William Howard Taft, in reply to an editorial written by him, interpreting the spirit and purposes of the American Legion, our national commander, Franklin D'Olier, pointed out a three-fold purpose by the great body of ex-servicemen now enrolled in the Legion.

First: He said, mutual helpfulness whereby all our comrades who have been handicapped in mind, body and position, through service to their country may receive that liberal consideration which we have reason to expect from a grateful and patriotic nation.

Second: Protection for our country from foes without, including a truly democratic; a truly American military policy.

Third: Protection for our country from foes within. He concludes: "Although the American Legion represents nearly five million American citizens who have demonstrated their patriotism and loyalty by willingness to make the supreme sacrifice, we also realize that the strength of the Legion and the measure of our influence and service to the nation will be in direct proportion to our ability to co-operate effectively with the one hundred million loyal and patriotic American citizens in the promotion of 100 per cent Americanism."

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ans is expressed in a statement just issued by Franklin D'Olier, National Commander.

"We must always clearly bear in mind that any disposition on the part of individual members of the Legion or of local posts to take law into their own hands, to regulate by force or demonstration of forceful intent what is contrary to our interpretation of one hundred per cent Americanism, or to act as self-constituted vigilance committees in disregard of lawful and properly constituted authority, is not only subversive of the principles and ideals of The American Legion, but will weaken and tend to destroy our influence for good in this country," he declares.

"In our efforts to assist in the maintenance of law and order, the American Legion must, itself, set an example of lawful and orderly action. The American Legion has become so strong that we need fear no force from without—but let us be sure that no overzealous, or thoughtless, or unfair act of our own occurs to weaken our influence for national betterment or alienate the support of true Americans."

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Britton were over from Applegate Thursday visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by their mother, Mrs. Fred Spencer, and the three small children of Mrs. Fletcher Spencer, for whom Mrs. Spencer is caring while their mother is convalescing from an operation she underwent a week ago last Monday.

Mrs. E. R. Jones was visiting at the home of Mrs. Clint Casey in Strington Tuesday.

Mrs. Leo Netherland of Winters, Calif., arrived in Talent Monday morning for an indefinite stay with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Crosby.

There will be a community singing at the Methodist church Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. There will be community singing. Prof. Reimer of the experimental station will give a lecture on his recent trip to China and refreshments will be served. Everything free and everybody welcome.

The Ladies Aid and W. H. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Louis Brown's Thursday afternoon, February 5. A life lunch will be served. Everybody is urged to attend.

Mrs. Charles Chapman was visiting with her mother, Mrs. Rhoades, in Ashland Monday afternoon.

Jim McDonald of Strington was found being unconscious on the Pacific highway Sunday night near the Dundard church, about a quarter of a mile north of Talent. He was struck by a truck which didn't bother to stop, but was picked up later by an unknown autoist and taken to the county hospital where Dr. Malmgren of Phoenix was summoned. He found that the man's condition was not serious, and Mr. McDonald is able to be up and around carrying a few patches on his face.

Mrs. Adams and little daughter Mary of Ashland were Talent visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuninger were Medford visitors Monday. Mr. Schuninger is the barber here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer of Wagner creek were Ashland visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kline of Medford were motoring around Talent in their new car Tuesday.

Mr. Andy Weidner has sold his beautiful home place located near the school building, to Mr. Barrett, an Ashland man and a butcher at the East Side market. Mr. Weidner received \$25,000 for his home.

Mr. Alfred has sold one of his Talent homes to Mr. Edgar Adams, the little brown house situated between

the Conway shoe shop and Mr. Adanson's property. The amount received was \$600. Another sale was made this week, Mr. Pace selling the little house he just vacated to Mr. Umehoff for \$600.

Mr. William Carey, who has been in very poor health for several years, accompanied his daughter home Monday evening to her home in Astoria, where she can care for him until his health is improved.

Mr. Lester Weiss of Medford, who recently returned from Portland after a couple of years' stay there, was in Talent Tuesday visiting friends.

Richard, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foster has not been getting along so well as wished for, although his condition is not serious.

FOR SALE—Fine registered Holstein bull, 4 years old. Splendid pedigree. Will sell cheap or trade for Durham or Hereford bull. D. M. Dieter, Siskiyou, Ore. 119-27

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Howard McCall and Martin McCall, Minors.

Pursuant to license granted by order of the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, made and entered January 31st, 1920, in the matter of the guardianship of Howard McCall and Martin McCall, minors, the undersigned, will at his office, from and after March 6th, 1920, proceed to sell, at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash in hand or such terms as said court may approve, and subject to the confirmation or said court, the following described real property situated in Jackson County, Oregon, belonging to the estate of said minors, to-wit:

An undivided two-sixteenths (2/16) of 1/16 to each ward, interest in and to a tract of land containing ten acres more or less described as follows: Beginning at a point 134 rods west and 17.26 rods north of the southeast corner of D. L. C. No. 42 in Township 39, south Range 2 east of Willamette Meridian, Oregon; thence east 83 rods to corner; thence North 19.28 rods to corner; thence West 83 rods to place of beginning; together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, including water rights; situate in Jackson County, Oregon, subject to the rights of Zenna Howard, surviving husband of Fanny Howard.

Persons interested may inquire of G. F. Billings, Ashland, Oregon.

Dated and first published February 4th, 1920.

G. F. BILLINGS, Guardian of Howard McCall and Martin McCall, Minors.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, County of Jackson.

In the Matter of the Estate of David Ivy, Deceased.

To Thomas Ivy, Robert L. Ivy, Emma Dean, James P. Ivy, John L. Ivy, Lucy P. Muse, Emma Lee Fisher, O. M. Lyon, G. W. Lyon, Miss E. M. Lyon, L. T. Lyon, D. H. Lyon, Lucy Baker, Julia Baker, Pallie Patterson, Bessie Mann, W. Lyon, Carrie Elgert, William A. Chandler and John C. McCallie, the heirs at law of said David Ivy, deceased, and to all unknown heirs of said deceased;

In the Name of the State of Oregon.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of January, 1920, L. D. Hays, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator of said Estate, filed in said Court a petition, duly verified, praying said Court for an Order of Sale of the whole of the real property of said Estate on the grounds and for the purposes therein set forth, which said real property is described as follows:

Lots numbered One (1) and Two (2) in Block numbered One (1) of the Edwards Place Addition to the City of Medford, Jackson County, Oregon;

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Six (6) in Edmonston's First Addition to Marshfield, County of Coos, State of Oregon; and

An undivided one-half interest in and to the East one-half of Lot Three, in Block Three, of D. G. McFarland's Fourth Addition to Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the order of said Court duly made and entered upon the filing of said petition, you and each of you are hereby notified that if you are required to appear before said Court on Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room of said Court, in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, to show cause, if any exist, why an order of sale of the whole of said real property should not be made as prayed for in said petition.

Service of this Citation by publication is made on the non-resident heirs and the unknown heirs of said deceased by order of the said County Court, which said order is dated January 24th, 1920.

WITNESS the Hon. G. A. Gardner, Judge of said Court, with the seal of said Court affixed this 31st day of January, 1920.

CHAUNCEY FLOREY, County Clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, and ex-officio Clerk of said Court.

By MILDRED M. NEELY, Deputy.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sara Anderson Burrell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the above entitled estate, has filed in the above entitled Court her final account of the administration of said estate, and that the Judge of said Court has fixed Saturday the 6th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Court room of said Court, at the Court House in Jacksonville, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections thereto and the settlement thereof.

LAURA V. STEELE, Administratrix.

SUITE IN EQUITY—SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court in and for the County of Jackson, State of Oregon.

Otis O. Helman, Plaintiff,

vs.

Desideria Weren, widow of Eric Weren, Deceased, Clarence Lane and Minnie Lane, Administrators of the estate of Eric Weren, Deceased;

and Ingrid Bergstrom and C. L. Bergstrom, husband and wife; Elvera Wallsten and B. O. Wallsten, husband and wife; Eric H. Weren and his wife, Minta Weren; Annie Lassell and wife; Carl E. Weren, A. Bianchi and Freda Bianchi, husband and wife, heirs of the said Eric Weren, Deceased, Defendants.

To Desideria Weren, Clarence Lane, Minnie Lane, Ingrid Bergstrom, C. L. Bergstrom, Elvera Wallsten, B. O. Wallsten, Eric H. Weren, Minta Weren, Annie Lassell, George Lassell, Carl E. Weren, A. Bianchi and Freda Bianchi, the above named defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the Complaint of the plaintiff on file in the office of the County Clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, Oregon, within TEN days from the date of the service of this Summons on you, if served within Jackson county, Oregon, and if served on you in any other county in the state of Oregon, then within TWENTY days from the date of its service upon you, and if served on you by the publication of thereof, then within SIX WEEKS from the date of the first publication thereof, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint within the time as above specified the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said Complaint, to-wit:

That the plaintiff have judgment against the defendant, Desideria Weren for the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from September 23rd, 1917, together with one hundred sixty dollars attorney fees and the costs and disbursements of this suit. That the defendant, Desideria Weren, husband and wife on June 23rd, 1913, unto Clarence Lane and Minnie Lane conveying twenty acres of land in South half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section Five in Township thirty-nine south of Range one east of W. M. in Jackson County, Oregon, and section or parcel recorded in Vol. 98, Page 168 of the Deed Records of Jackson county, Oregon, and which deed was in legal effect a Mortgage given to secure said indebtedness, be foreclosed as a mortgage and said real property sold in manner provided by law, and if each of said defendants and heirs thereof, on any right, title, claim or interest therein, and for such further relief as to the court may seem proper.

By Order of the Hon. P. M. Calkins, judge of said court, made and dated on the 17th day of January, 1920, this Summons is served on the defendants, Annie Lassell, George Lassell, Carl E. Weren, A. Bianchi and Freda Bianchi, and is returned thereof for six successive weeks in the Weekly Tidings, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published at Ashland, in said county, and you are hereby required to appear and answer in said cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication thereof.

Date of first publication January 21st, 1920.

BRIGGS AND BRIGGS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Ashland, Oregon. 79-61 W.

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court of Jackson County, Oregon.

Jackson County Bank, an Oregon Corporation, Plaintiff,

vs.

David H. Palmer, alias D. H. Palmer, and if he be deceased, the unknown heirs of D. H. Palmer; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, interest, lien or estate in the real estate described in the Complaint herein.

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 cause, on or before six weeks from the day of the first publication of this Summons, the first publication thereof being the 7th day of January, 1920, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear or answer said complaint for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: That the plaintiff recover judgment in the sum of \$383.26, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, payable quarterly from December 18, 1919, until paid, together with \$50.00, attorney's fees, and costs and disbursements herein and for a decree of court foreclosing the certain real estate mortgage securing the debt and promissory note described in plaintiff's complaint, and that said mortgage and deed be foreclosed on said premises in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit: Lot No. 7 in Block No. 4 in the Nichell Addition to Medford, Oregon; that said premises described be ordered sold in the manner prescribed by law, and the proceeds thereof be applied:

I. In the payment of costs and expenses of sale;

II. In the payment of costs and disbursements of suit, and attorney's fees allowed by the court;

III. The amount due the plaintiff on said note, and the balance, if any there be after said amounts have been fully paid, satisfied, and discharged, be paid over unto the above named defendants, or such thereof as the interest may appear, and thereby all and any title, estate, lien and interest of the defendants and heirs thereof, including the unknown heirs of David H. Palmer, alias D. H. Palmer, if he be deceased, and all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, interest, lien or estate in the real estate described, be foreclosed and forever barred, except as to the right of redemption as provided by law, and for such further and different relief as to the court may seem proper and equitable in the premises.

This Summons is published in the Ashland Tidings under and by virtue duly made, rendered and entered on the 30th day of December, 1919. In this said court and cause by F. M. Calkins, Circuit Court Judge. The date of the first publication thereof is the 7th day of January, 1920, and the next publication is the 18th day of February, 1920.

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