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SATURDAY, DEC. 5, 1903.

The Oregonian's attitude on the Moody case would shock almost any leading newspaper man in the United States. To begin with, the grand jury was lambasted and every effort was made to make their work appear in a discreditable light. During the time between the indictment and the trial, the newspaper which by reason of its press association news has a wide circulation in this state filled its columns with invective and inuendo calculated to prejudice the mind of the people and jury against the complainant in the coming trial. No juror who was about to set on that case could escape believing that were he to find Moody guilty his motives would be impugned and his honesty questioned. Such interference with the course of justice and with our courts is wanton and reprehensible. Were the most desperate murderer to be defended by the Oregonian in the manner in which it defended Moody it is doubtful whether justice would be done. Chief Justice Marshall, the greatest jurist that this country has ever had, once said that the greatest evil in this sin-cursed world was corrupt courts. Where then would he place a man who maps out and puts in play a course of action directly tending to influence the course of justice?

There is considerable talk of diverting the \$165,000 appropriated to the portage railroad to buying a route for the government canal. This railroad would help get Central Oregon out of the dominance of the O. R. & N. Co. and might be to our advantage. We believe that the appropriation should stand.

Governor Chamberlain has hitched up the legislature for a trip next month. He had a hard task getting the bits into their mouths but they seem quite tractable. Of course the Portland members kicked but didn't hit anything.

It seems now as though the Panama Canal treaty would be in form before Colombia is able to get her fighting clothes on. With \$10,000,000 and the United States on the ground Colombia would be badly handicapped in a fight with Panama.

The Wall street panic has done our country good. Our exports for October have greatly increased while our imports have diminished, thus leaving us a nice balance. A little fear induces economy and brings speculators back to earth.

The Central Oregonian comments upon the warlike propensities of the people of this place. Well if there was anything worth fighting for in Silver Lake they would fight too. It is the living people who always make the stir.

Senator Mitchell writes to the Oregonian to explain that the appropriation of Congress for the canal to open the Columbia river

was largely his work, whereas the Oregonian credits the work to the late Congressman Tongue and of course to Moody. We hope that Senator Mitchell is not so foolish as to hope to convince the Oregonian. He should remember the quotation from the Hudibras

A man convinced against his will
Is of the same opinion still.

The only real saints in Oregon are Saint Malcolm and Saint Harvey. If there was anything really great ever done for Oregon in Congress of course Saint Malcolm did it. Were Saint Malcolm to be sent back to the house and Saint Harvey to the senate it would be an act of piety and virtue on the part of the electors of this state that would hasten the millennium.

President Roosevelt is probably a little too hasty in his negotiations with Panama. The United States has long acted towards the mercurial Spanish American states in the capacity of a parent and although they are of a different nationality they have grown gradually to give the parent credit for a good deal of bluff honesty and fair, mindedness. The feeling of the South American states toward us is one of respect rather than affection or sympathy and we might forfeit our hard-earned standing by one act of questionable honesty. Blaine by an inconsiderate act of jingoism lost us much of the good will of Chili, the most worthy of any of the South American states. We cannot afford to make enemies of the rest. It must be admitted that the government of Colombia has not dealt with us justly, but for all that there may be in that state a considerable party of honest men who are not to blame for the doing of politicians and whose rights should receive careful consideration at our hands. Had we never opened canal negotiations with Colombia she would not be in the trouble she is today. She is not a country so well organized that her government represents popular opinion and we of all nations should not punish a people for the acts of corrupt governing politicians.

The people of the whole world have been watching for results from the experiments being tried on the Atlantic coast to cure consumption by the "open air" treatment, and at last it is announced in a dispatch from New York City that the treatment is a success. A hospital for the treatment of the disease was established on an island near New York City, and out of 127 patients who entered the institution six months ago 84 have been discharged as cured and only 11 are under treatment now. Eleven have died. The mortality is placed at 25 per cent, which is a low average when it is considered only the worst cases have come to island. Pure air, sunshine, good food and absence of worry have been the principal factors in attaining these results.

There are a variety of chumps in this country. Some are born chumps. Some achieve chumpness and others have chumpness stuck into them. The chump who votes the republican ticket these days solely because he has been made to believe that his prosperity depended upon the success of that party, is the most pitiable of them all.—York Democrat.

Mrs. Conroy came out in the Portland Journal this week over her own signature and accused M. A. Moody all over again and

after he was acquitted of the charge once of "taking liberties with her mail." It is up to Mr. Moody now to bring a libel suit against the persistent widow. But he won't do it!—Review.

C. A. Dano, was down from his farm near Rosland after supplies.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Oregon, October 23, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Patrick Rowan, of Prineville, county of Crook, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 264, for the purchase of the sw qr sw qr sec 3, n hf ne qr sec 2, n hf ne qr sec 7, in township No. 22 s, range No. 16 e, w m, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Thursday, the 4th day of February, 1904.

He names as witnesses: William St. Thomas, Theodore St. Thomas, Charles H Erickson, of Prineville, Oregon; George Schlecht, of Bend, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of February, 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Oregon, September 30, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Eddie J. Brock, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 265, for the purchase of the n w qr of section No. 1 in township No. 22 s, range No. 16 e, w m, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1903.

He names as witnesses: Charles L. Brock, Charles J. Cotter, William B. Brock, Ballard Gilie, Merle Brock, all of Bend, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of December, 1903.

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Charles Seeley, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 266, for the purchase of the n hf sw qr, n w qr sw qr, sw qr sw qr of sec 28, tp 22 s, r 16 e, w m, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1904.

He names as witnesses: Robert Patterson, F M Christian, Andrew Nelson, B Cady, all of Silver Lake, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 13th day of January, 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Oregon, October 16, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Charles Seeley, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 267, for the purchase of the n hf sw qr, n w qr sw qr, sw qr sw qr of sec 28, tp 22 s, r 16 e, w m, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1904.

He names as witnesses: Henry A. Foster, Charles H Erickson, Ralph Jordan, Benjamin Morris, all of Prineville, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 13th day of January, 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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Lakeview, Oregon, September 30, 1903.

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George E. Marvin, of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1965, for the purchase of the sw qr ne qr, n hf ne qr, n w qr sw qr sec 27, tp 21 s, r 14 e, w m.

Julia E. Marvin, of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1964, for the purchase of the ne qr sec 27, tp 21 s, r 14 e, w m.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 28th day of December, 1903.

They name as witnesses: Paul Nelson, Ole Erickson, Charles Carlson, Julia Margia, George Marvin, of Shaniko.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of December, 1903.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U S Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,
October 17, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled, "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Fred Anderson, of Phillips, county of Price, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2280, for the purchase of the n w qr sec 10, n hf sw qr, sw qr sw qr sec 10, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w m.

Emil Anderson, of Phillips, county of Price, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2281 for the purchase of the w hf se qr, sec 18, n w qr ne qr, ne qr nw qr sec 19, tp 22 s, r 15 e, w m.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish their claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Thursday the 14th day of January 1904.

The name as witnesses: Fred Anderson, Emil Anderson, of Phillips, Wisconsin; Louis Nelson, Ole Erickson, of Bend, Oregon; Ernie Solberg, of Bemidji, Minnesota.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of January 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U S Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,
October 2, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled, "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Jonas A Ostrom, of Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois; sworn statement No. 2094, for the purchase of the n hf se qr and e hf sw qr sec 11, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w m.

Charles Carlson, of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No. 2095, for the purchase of the n w qr ne qr, n hf nw qr and sw qr nw qr sec 14, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w m.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1904.

They name as witnesses: Louis Nelson, Ole Erickson, of Bend, Or; Charles Carlson, of Shaniko, Or; Annie Solberg, of Bemidji, Minn; Jonas A Ostrom, of Chicago, Ill.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 5th day of January, 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U S Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,
October 16, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Edward S. Arnold, of Cripple Creek, county of El Paso, state of Colorado, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2289, for the purchase of lots 13, 14, 23, 24, sec 31, tp 22 s, r 15 e, w m, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before G B Wardwell, U S Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1904.

He names as witnesses: Henry A. Foster, Charles H Erickson, Ralph Jordan, Benjamin Morris, all of Prineville, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 13th day of January, 1904.

E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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