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**The Editor Speaking**

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because he too slew a man, but because he also made criminals out of more than a dozen others, has "placed the state on trial" and has thumbed his nose at law and order. Thousands of needed dollars have been thrown away on him.

Which just goes to show that, to Oregon's law and order, the old adage that "the bigger they come the harder they fall" is a lot of horseshit.

If that isn't making mockery out of law and justice we've never heard of anything that did. The lesser of the two evils gets it in the neck within five minutes after he enters the courtroom. The greater of the two evils hasn't gotten it YET more than four months after his crime, and after weeks of expensive court battling which apparently has not yet ended!

Justice has sadly fallen down on we Americans. It has degenerated to a parasite living upon evil of the land, and seldom justifying its existence in its present form. Bulky, hungry and expensive, it truly grinds out blind, and random, justice.

One man was a nobody, another a political figure. One was practically penniless, as courtroom expenses go, the other kidded someone into thinking he had hundreds of thousands of dollars interested in him. Yet the same judge handled both cases.

Let not your right hand knoweth who your left hand soaketh. But we believe we can no more blame Judge Skipworth, than we could blame a single cog in a machine for its product. He merely is a part of the system which produces such travesties on plain common sense.

The very justice which claims that "all men were created equal" and are equal before the court, has proven to all of us that today all men AREN'T EQUAL before the court. The bigger they are, the harder it is for America to fell them.

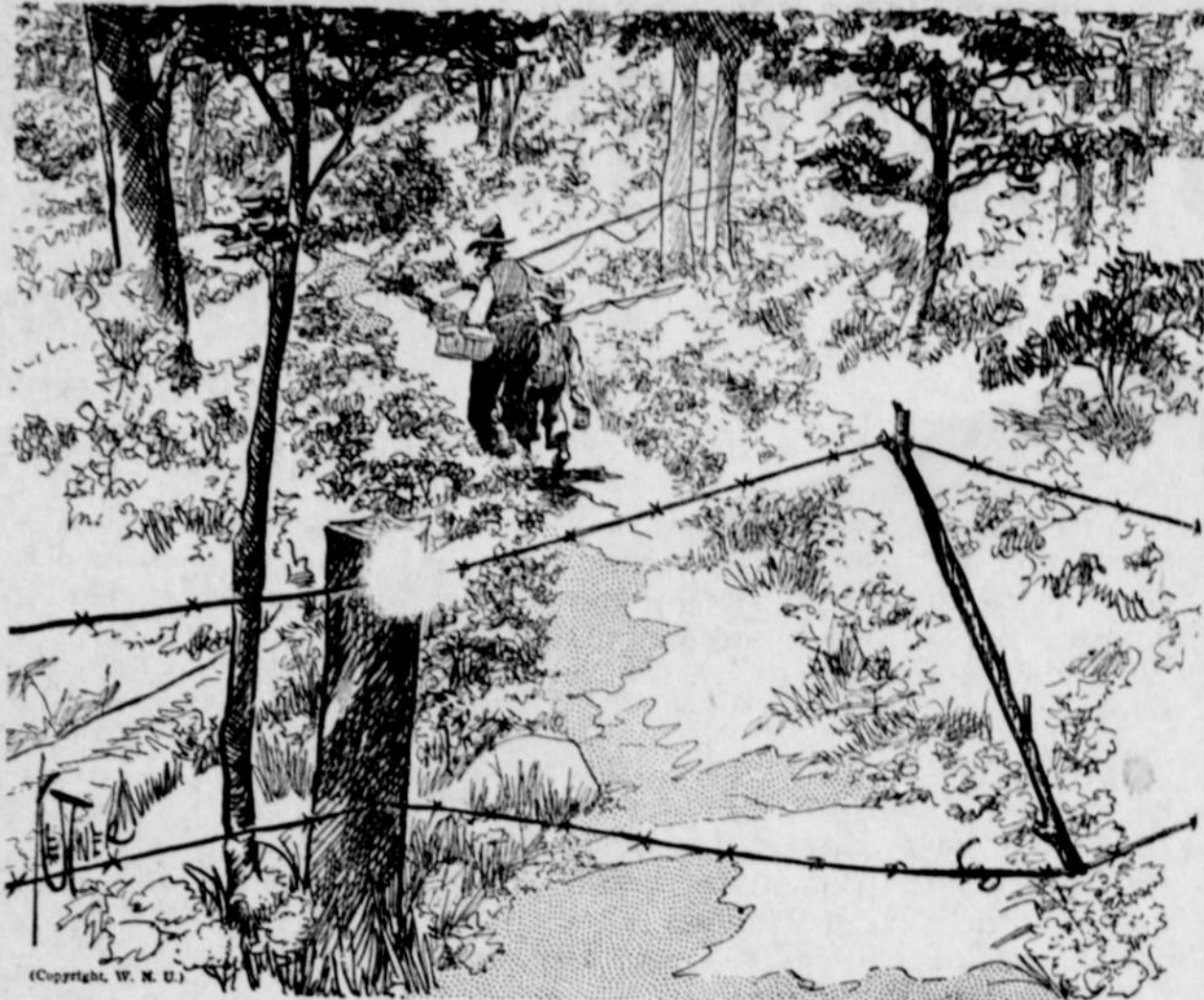
It almost reaches the point of disgust the way any obstinate, hardened criminal or political schemer can make a farce out of the state and its laws.

There may be one answer, however. It seems to us that the Judge of the circuit court in which such cases are tried MIGHT acquaint himself with true conditions so that he can aid and assist justice in its feeble search for expression. Possibly if circuit judges were not so jealously guarding their record of no reversals in the supreme court and would assume some responsibility themselves they could facilitate matters. But then, we are not jurists or even punk lawyers, so maybe we're wrong.

But we do know this much: SOMETHING is wrong when a murderer can make a fool out of half the state, and then lay around for months before being sentenced to the state penitentiary. We don't mean SOMEBODY — We mean SOMETHING is haywire.

We don't want to give anyone the impression we blame the entire mess on any one person. Heaven knows no one man could ever get "justice" into the hopeless muddle it now is. It has been a gradual process of "construction" which in practice has resulted in decay. We think our system of laws in Oregon should be greatly simplified and the state's chances of convicting the guilty strengthened. Why we should treat a murderer and crook as a gentleman until we can outwit

**The Trail of Missing Men**



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him a dozen more times is beyond us.

This not only is a funny world, but it also is darned near a nutty one. Or, again, maybe it's us.

By the way, we noted with great interest that a Medford theater is playing a shyster lawyer picture coming Sunday. "The Nuisance," is the title of a story that tells of the inside on ambulance-chasing lawyers and barristers who fight court battles with perjured testimony. Possibly Jacksonville county has a player that Hollywood needs in case this type of film becomes popular.

Anyway, we believe there will be many who will comment, "too true, brother, too true," when they see the picture. There's no telling just how close to home some of these pictures might get yet if producers keep this up.

And we recommend that all jury panels be given front row seats for their own information and safety.

**Newspapers Play Part in Wheat Adjustment**

Local newspapers throughout the wheat belt in Oregon and elsewhere are being looked to to play an important part in the application and administration of the wheat adjustment plan, according to word received by the Oregon Extension Service. Use of the press for publication of past production records of growers and the later allotment figures is expected to simplify greatly the arrival at fair production quotas for each individual.

Growers are being asked by those in charge of putting the wheat plan into effect to prepare two important items of information to have ready in advance of their application to join the wheat benefit plan. The information wanted is first, the number of bushels of wheat grown each year from 1929 to 1932, and second, the number of acres planted in each of these years.

By using elevator, freight, threshing or bank deposit records, administration officials believe that accurate estimates can be made. These figures turned in by each farmer are to be published in the local press. This is intended to encourage any carelessly inclined to be more accurate, as any boosting of production reports so as to get a higher allotment tends to damage the neighbors rather than the government, as the county allotment is fixed in advance.

Believing that farmers will be anxious to avail themselves of the benefits under the new wheat plan, unauthorized promoters are already appearing and trying to "chisel in" on the farmers' expected returns, the government officials report. In one state at least, and perhaps

in others, farmers are being approached with the offer of help in making application to receive cash benefits under the wheat plan—for 10 per cent of the proceeds! No grower need spend a cent for any such purpose, as the county agent and other extension representatives will give any such assistance needed free of charge and will help set up local organizations through which the growers will largely handle their own affairs, officials state.

**State Police Ordered to Check Licenses**

Formal notice to state police and city enforcement authorities concerning the failure of some 4000 chauffeurs to obtain their new badges, will be made this week, according to word just received from Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state. Of the 13,628 registered chauffeurs in Oregon on July 30, only 3133 have applied for licenses for the current period as compared with 7313 issued at this same time a year ago, it was said.

To avoid action from enforcement officials, all persons driving motor vehicles for compensation should attend to the renewing of chauffeur's registration at once, Hoss suggested.

Application blanks for commercial operators can be secured from state examiners or by writing directly to Hal E. Hoss at Salem.

A similar drive against delinquent private operators will be instituted by police after September 1, at which time all operators cards issued before July 1, 1931, will become void.

**DESTROY PEA VINES IS ADVICE TO GARDENERS**

Every patch of garden peas left to ripen and shatter its seed after the peas are no longer suitable for table use will become a veritable hatchery for next year's supply of pea weevils, warns A. O. Larsen, federal entomologist at Oregon State college experiment station.

As nearly every gardener knows, the weevils have been exceptionally abundant in gardens this year, possibly because there were fewer field peas for them to infest. The result has been that late season peas have been so badly infested as to affect their market value.

In many patches practically every pea has been infested, which means even a short row left to ripen may liberate a thousand or more adult weevils later. Pulling the vines and feeding them at once, or plowing them under or even burning them will destroy all the larvae. One can save enough for seed if this seed is fumigated as soon as harvested—otherwise it will be worthless anyway.

So far science has found no way to combat this pest except by getting rid of the adults by preventing their development. Community cooperation on cleanup of pea vines is the only method yet found worthy of recommendation.

**CLEAR CRATER SNOW TO OPEN SCENIC DRIVE SOON**

Clearing of last winter's snow drifts from the rim road around Crater lake is well underway to assure the opening of the scenic drive in a short time. This activity starting from the east side, enabled the opening of the Lost creek entrance to the park from The Dalles-California highway several days ago, providing a shorter route for motorists arriving from central Oregon.

With the completion of the opening of the rim road, "The Watchman" observation station and museum on the summit of "The Watchman," first high point of the west rim, will again be ready to receive visitors. From this point a rare panoramic view of the lake and surrounding forest country is possible. A walk of less than 15 minutes is necessary to reach the station, in the charge of a ranger-naturalist who explains different points of interest visible from this elevation.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County  
De C. A. Putney and Harriett L. Putney, Plaintiffs,

vs.  
Joe Northey; the unknown heirs of Joe Northey; J. H. Cogan and Daisy L. Cogan, husband and wife; William H. Lacy; the unknown heirs of William H. Lacy; Southern Oregon Credit Bureau, a corporation; C. T. Huggins; the unknown heirs of C. T. Huggins; Alpha B. McCallister; the unknown heirs of Alpha B. McCallister, the unknown stockholders of Huggins & Robinson, Inc., a dissolved corporation; W. R. Patterson, the unknown heirs of W. R. Patterson; Robert Clugston; the unknown heirs of Robert Clugston; State Industrial Accident Commission of Oregon; also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Also commencing at a point situated 2 chains and 60 links north of the southeast corner and on the east line of Lot Nine (9) of the subdivision of the Enoch Walker place, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Volume 1 of the Records of Plats of said Jackson county, at page 93 thereof; and from said corner running thence south 29 degrees east 82 links; thence east 6 chains and 12 links; thence north 81 links to the north line of lot Twenty-three (23); thence west on said north line to the place of commencing.

**SUMMONS**

To Each, Every and All of the Above Named Defendants:  
In the name of the state of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in their complaint, succinctly stated as follows, to-wit: That a decree be entered adjudicating any and all right, title, estate, lien or claim which you or any of you have or claim to have in, to, or upon the real property situated in Jackson county, Oregon, described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of section 14, in township 34 south of range 4 west of the Willamette meridian.

And declaring any and all such claims to be null and void; and decreeing that the said plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of said premises, and of the whole thereof, free and clear of any and all right, title, estate, lien, or interest of said defendants, or any of them, and that each and all of the defendants herein, and each and all persons claiming, or to claim by, through or under them, or any of them, be forever enjoined, restrained and barred from asserting, attempting to establish, or claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to said property or any portion thereof, and that plaintiffs' title to said premises be forever quieted and set at rest.

The date of the order for publication of this summons is July 11th, 1933. The time prescribed for publication of this summons is once each week for four consecutive weeks. The date of the first publication of this summons is July 14th, 1933.

HARRY C. SKYRMAN  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Postoffice address: Medford, Oregon.  
(July 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4, 1933)

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for Jackson County

In the Matter of the Estate of Bert Anderson, Sometimes Known as Joseph H. Anderson, Deceased.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order made and entered in the above entitled court in the matter of said estate, the undersigned administrator of the partnership property of the above named estate, A. W. Pipes, will upon the 14th day of August at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. upon said day, at the property known as the Hilton ranch upon the old Pacific highway north of the city of Medford, upon said premises described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto, for

a full and correct description, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash all of the right, title, and interest of said estate of said deceased in and to said property, same being an undivided one-half interest subject to the mortgages upon the same.

Dated this 14th day of July, 1933.  
A. W. PIPES,  
Administrator of the Partnership Property of the Estate of Bert Anderson, Deceased.

**EXHIBIT "A"**

Commencing at the southwest corner of Lot Ten (10) of the Subdivision of the Enoch Walker place, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Volume 1 of the Records of Plats of said Jackson county at page 93 thereof; and from said point running thence north 17 chains and 3 links to the southwest corner of Lot Seven (7) of said subdivision; thence east 5 chains and 97 links; thence north 16 chains and 43 links; thence east 20 chains and 97 links; thence south 28 chains and 22 links to the southwest corner of tract of land sold to Hugh F. Barron by Prudence Walker and husband; thence east 6 chains and 75 links; thence south 5 chains and 24 links to the south line of Lot Twelve (12) of said subdivision; thence west on said south line and the south line of Lots Eleven (11) and Ten (10) of said subdivision, 33 chains and 73 links to the place of beginning, containing 83.884 acres, more or less, excepting therefrom a little triangular piece of land in the northwest corner of the extreme north portion thereof heretofore conveyed by Prudence Walker to William H. Merriman. Also, commencing at the northwest corner of lot Twenty-three (23) of the subdivision of the Enoch Walker place, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1 of the Records of Plats of said Jackson county, at page 93 thereof; and from said corner running thence south 29 degrees east 82 links; thence east 6 chains and 12 links; thence north 81 links to the north line of lot Twenty-three (23); thence west on said north line to the place of commencing.

Also commencing at a point situated 2 chains and 60 links north of the southeast corner and on the east line of Lot Nine (9) of the subdivision of the Enoch Walker place, according to the plat thereof,

of, recorded in Volume 1 of the Records of Plats of said Jackson county, at page 93 thereof, and from said point running thence north on said east line 3 chains and 6 links; thence west to the east line of County Wagon road, crossing said lot; thence south 29 degrees east on the said east line to the point situated west of the place of commencing, and thence east to the place of commencing. Excepting that part thereof used as a county road.

Beginning at a point from which the southeast corner of D. L. C. No. 58 in Township 37 south of Range 2 west of the W. M. bears north 8 degrees 40 minutes east 621.5 feet; and running thence south 51 degrees 11 minutes east 601.8 feet along center of Bear creek; thence south 30 degrees 43 minutes east 1018.0 feet along center of Bear creek; thence west 984.80 feet; thence north 0 degrees 11 minutes west 1252.4 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing 16 acres, more or less, all in Jackson county, Oregon. (July 14, 21, 28, Aug 4)

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