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Asks For Square Deal

It seems to me that we, in this portion of the west ought to be a little more true to our principles and loyal to the flag under which we march. If we are going to build up a great and prosperous community, we must, right here, lay down right foundations, and deal with the elements fairly.

Not long ago a case was tried in your courts, where a white man was accused of stealing a horse from an Indian. The evidence was very clear and conclusive as to the guilt of the prisoner, so that the lawyers on both sides and even the judge acknowledged he was guilty. Yet the jury returned a verdict of innocence. It is said that one of the jurymen said, when he was being examined, that he would not believe the word of an Indian.

Now what is an Indian to do if he can't get justice in our courts; if he can't get a square deal.

It is the policy of the government to cease upholding the Indians upon their reservation, but to allow them, and open the rest of the lands to settlement. To push them out to stand upon their own feet, and to fight their own in the long struggle of life. A great many of us believe that this is the best way, and are most hopeful as to the ultimate outcome. But what can the Indian do if he does not have a fair chance. If the words and acts of an Indian are not to be taken and considered as the words and acts of a man.

Our government is based upon the fact that all men are free and equal. It is our boast, in these western communities, that every one has an equal chance. If he is a man, and has the elements of manhood in him, he can come right here and have a fair show. One does not get much advantage here on account of his position or his pedigree back east. No, it is the feeling of our people, and the spirit of our time, that every one, no matter what his parentage, or his position, or his color may be, is to have a square deal.

And especially must we, right here and right now, put this into practice. If the policy of the government is right, we must meet and aid it. If the Indian is going to be pushed out to stand upon his own feet, give him a fair chance to stand. A square deal is all we want. Let the words and conduct of an Indian be weighed and judged as a man simply. A man's a man for a' that, for a' that.

HIRAM F. WHITE,
Allotting Agent

Noland Answers White

In referring to the letter signed by Hiram F. White, published above, bearing upon the jury's verdict of acquittal of a man accused of stealing a horse from the reservation, George Noland, of the firm of Noland & Smith, who defended the person indicted, said:

"The attorney for the defense never said he was guilty, never acknowledged he was guilty and never thought he was guilty. The evidence all went to show that the man was innocent. I do not think that the judge acknowledged that he was guilty, and I doubt very much whether he said so. The jurymen stand is that inasmuch as he is likely to be ousted any day, it was unnecessary to take up new business which his successor would have to study up and carry on. Therefore, Bristol permits work to pile up and looks after only the winding up of old business.

It has come to such a stage, however, that Bristol believes something must be done, and he proposes doing it and attending to all the work unless the delegation and the President see that his successor is appointed in the near future. There is work for a grand jury and there is need for an Assistant United States Attorney, since James Cole resigned a few hours before the name of the indelible was sent by Roosevelt to Bristol's place. This being the situation, it is highly probable that Bristol will set off some fireworks soon, appoint Evans as assistant and other help. Evans is a Portland attorney who was in contact with Federal Judge Hunt, who presided at the Hall and other land trials.

Naturally, if Bristol makes his appointments and once more actively resumes operations there will be results from Washington. If Bristol's course should be objected to, which is probable, it will enable him to "come back."

Stone Declines

After considering the matter for several weeks C. F. Stone, assistant attorney for this district, has decided not to be a candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney, to succeed Mr. Moore. Great pressure has been brought to bear on Mr. Stone to be a candidate and few, if any, men ever refused a nomination that has been tendered with such unanimity as has that to Mr. Stone. He feels, however, that he would be making too great a sacrifice, for even if he were elected the compensation would fall far short of reimbursing him for the business he would lose.

Mr. Stone is recognized as one of the ablest lawyers in this section of the state and the manner in which he handled the Corpron case demonstrated that he would make an able prosecutor if the voters of the district honored him with election. During his residence here he has surrounded himself with a wide circle of staunch friends and they will regret that he has decided not to be a candidate and deprive them of the opportunity of proving their loyalty in a substantial manner.

Fitting Up Offices

From all appearances the Klamath Oil Co. are getting down to business. They have secured the room formerly occupied by the Water Users Association, in the Baldwin block and are fitting up a neat office.

It has been decided on account of the large number of inquiries for information and for stock, to make headquarters at Heikenpleys jewelry store until their office are ready.

A great many inquiries are coming in relative to the prospective oil fields, from the outside, and the company are making every effort to get to drilling at the earliest possible date.

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Bristol to Investigate

Portland Telegram.
Developments are pending in the matter of the appointment of a new United States District Attorney, to succeed W. C. Bristol and unless something is accomplished along these lines in Washington very soon, Bristol will appoint an Assistant United States District Attorney, remove the present office force, appoint a new force and initiate a lot of new Federal business which requires attention. It is rumored that if Bristol take this step, which will not be entirely satisfactory to the Oregon delegation, the Department of Justice nor the President, Bristol will appoint Walter H. Evans as his assistant.

That Bristol is suspicious of traps being laid for him was indicated when an illegal fencing matter was called to his attention. A man named Bagby, of Klamath Falls, made an affidavit that there was a violation of the fencing law in his territory and this affidavit was sent Bristol by an attorney named Kuykendall, said to be a brother of former State Senator Kuykendall.

According to a friend of Bristol, the alleged scheme was to send the affidavit, which called for immediate action, and if Bristol refused or neglected to proceed at once, on the theory that his tenure of office is to expire any day, Bristol would be in the same box that John H. Hall was, and likely to be indicted as Hall was, for not acting promptly when the violation of the fencing law by the Butte Creek Land, Livestock & Lumber Company was brought to his attention.

Bristol, however, if such a trap existed, frustrated it, for he started the machinery of the law this morning, and the government will be put to an expense of about \$1000 for investigation and other proceedings. This supposed trap, says the informant, is thought to have been laid by Bourne through friends. It is even possible that Bristol will write Bourne on the subject.

Since Heney came to Oregon in January, Bristol has not visited the rooms set aside for the United States District Attorney. These rooms were promptly pre-empted by Heney and his assistants, and Bristol retired to his private offices in the Fenton block. After Heney departed Bristol still avoided the rooms in the Federal building and has never entered any of the apartments, except the one occupied by the stenographers when he has requested them to file papers.

The office of United States Attorney has been drifting along, running itself, although Bristol has attempted to some routine business which required action. He has studiously avoided initiating new business, however, although there is a large amount of it accumulating. Bristol's stand is that inasmuch as he is likely to be ousted any day, it was unnecessary to take up new business which his successor would have to study up and carry on. Therefore, Bristol permits work to pile up and looks after only the winding up of old business.

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FROM OUR EXCHANGES

(Merrill Record)
Wallace Baldwin was down from Klamath Falls this week.

Mr. J. Hartman and family of Klamath Falls have moved to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Langell and family were Bonanza visitors last week.

John and Jerome Whitney left Tuesday for their sheep camp in Modoc county.

Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Demorest were Klamath Falls visitors Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Robert Hunsaker, Democratic candidate for sheriff, was in the city this week looking after his political fences.

I. D. Applegate, the Modoc Indian veteran, passed through Merrill yesterday on his way to the Tule Lake outlet.

Abel Ady, accompanied by Messrs. Hoffman and son were in the city from the Falls this week looking over the country.

Louis Gerber and G. W. Offield went to Fort Klamath last week for the purpose of buying cattle. They returned empty handed as the people up there wanted more than the gentlemen felt like paying.

C. G. Merrill and A. T. Langell will leave next week for Modoc county with a bunch of cavalry horses for sale to a government buyer in that county.

Messrs. Merrill and Langell have selected the horses carefully and expect to realize a good price. They started in breaking Wednesday.

[Lakeview Examiner]
Mrs. T. A. Caldwell, who lives on the M. Wingfield ranch, near Adel, performed one of the most daring feats Tuesday morning of this week, that it has been our experience to chronicle in this country. Shortly after her husband had left the house for his day's work on that morning, a coyote came to the chicken yard and made a raid on the chickens. Mrs. Caldwell went to chase the coyote away, not believing that coyote would tackle a person. But she was surprised, when the thing took after her. She started to run, tripped and fell prone to the ground. The coyote jumped on top of her and sunk his teeth in her breast. She grabbed the coyote by the throat and with a dead grip, choked it to death. The coyote's teeth were fastened in her clothing and she succeeded in overpowering him, and never loosened her grip until her desperate victim was dead, and dead to stay. The coyote was skinned, and Mrs. Caldwell undoubtedly will keep the hide as a souvenir of the most blood curdling experience of her life.

FARMERS OF MODERATE MEANS OFFERED RARE OPPORTUNITY
An unusual opportunity is offered the farmer of moderate means to secure a home in the Lakeside Tract located on the North shore of Tule Lake. The land now offered for sale consists of 3500 acres of irrigable land lying under the Adams canal, a part of the Klamath Project, and admirably located along the shore of the lake. It is rich sagebrush and grass land, part of it being in cultivation. It will be sold in tracts to suit purchasers and on satisfactory terms.

For particulars call on or address, J. Frank Adams, manager Lakeside Company, Tule Lake, Oregon. 10-17-11

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Letter from Steve Herlihy

ROCHESTER, N. Y. Feb. 14, 1908.

To the Editor:
As I promised you before leaving for the east that I would drop you a line I thought I would do so now, though I have been intending to do so for some time. We have just returned from Canada. We had a delightful time, though the snow is the deepest they have ever had it, and you know what that means, and the thermometer registering forty degrees below zero. I visited the old place where I was born, and found very little changes in conditions now and then. I surprised the people there and elsewhere in Canada, by the big potatoes I brought with me. I had three that weighed from five to seven pounds each. They were the largest they had ever seen and would not have believed me had I not the evidence to back up my statements. They could hardly believe their eyes and could not understand how they can grow so large. They were sliced up and will be planted in Canada with the hope that they will "deliver the same kind of goods," but I am afraid there is only one section where they will grow to perfection—Klamath County.

The winter in Rochester has been in Canada of this section, so you may imagine better than I can describe how thoroughly Mrs. Herlihy and myself are enjoying our trip. We will probably reach Klamath Falls the first week in March, and you may be sure we will be glad to get back there, for while he may have a good time and enjoyed every minute, we nevertheless feel that there is just one place that is a little better than anything we have seen, and that is Klamath County.

We expect to leave here in a few days for Washington, D. C., and from there we will start for the Falls, stopping at a few places on the way. It is the first time in twenty years that I have been in Canada or this section, so you may imagine better than I can describe how thoroughly Mrs. Herlihy and myself are enjoying our trip. We will probably reach Klamath Falls the first week in March, and you may be sure we will be glad to get back there, for while he may have a good time and enjoyed every minute, we nevertheless feel that there is just one place that is a little better than anything we have seen, and that is Klamath County.

With regards, I am,
Very Truly Yours,
STEVE HERLIHY.

Improving Grazing Lands
In its investigations for the improvement of grazing lands within the national forests during the past year, the Forest Service has found that the ranges on some of the forests cannot be utilized fully because of the lack of a proper water supply. Plans have been made for bettering these conditions as rapidly as possible.

The method to be adopted of cleaning out and protecting springs and other watering places will result in much benefit to stockmen grazing on strips of ranges within the forests.

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We Lead in Cattle

Oregon is the leading cattle state of the Northwest; in fact, all lines combined, it is the leading live stock state of that section. It has less sheep than Idaho; fewer horses and mules than Washington, but is far ahead in its aggregate, as far as values are concerned. This is shown by a table of statistics prepared by the Department of Agriculture.

The total live stock in Oregon on January 1, 1908, was valued at \$57,730,000; in Washington, \$49,188,000, and in Idaho, \$53,107,000.

The organization of the Portland Cattle and Livestock Association has done as much as anything else for the development of this industry. The movement looking to the organization of the association had its inception three years ago, but it was not until the last year that the plan materialized in spite of the fact that prominent business men not only of Portland, but throughout the state had backed the movement from the first.

A movement is now on foot by stockmen of this section, east of the Cascades, towards organizing a Livestock association, covering Klamath, Lake and Crook counties, and no doubt it would result in a great benefit to the stock industry of southern Oregon.

Captain Hansberry has sold out his interest in the steamer Winema to his partner, J. H. Totten.

Guardian Sale of Real Estate
By virtue of an order of sale duly made and entered by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Klamath, on the 17th day of September, 1907, authorizing, licensing and empowering me, as the guardian of the persons and estates of Mary Parkinson, and Frank Dorey Parkinson, minors, to sell at private sale all the right, title and interest of said minors in and to the following described property situate in the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, to-wit: An undivided two-sevenths, being an undivided one-seventh interest each, (subject to an unassigned dower interest therein, in and to the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) of section twenty-eight (28); the north half of the southwest quarter; the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and lots one (1) and two (2) of section twenty-seven (27), all in township thirty-one (31) north, range seven (7) east of the Willamette meridian, containing 62.50 acres, I will from and after the 7th day of March, 1908, proceed to sell and continue until sold, to sell at private sale for cash to the highest bidder, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant and for the care and custody of Juanita Ruth Johnson, a minor child, the issue of said marriage, and the costs and disbursements of this suit, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is served by publication thereof in the Klamath Republican, by order of the Hon. H. L. Benson, one of the Judges of the First Judicial District of the State of Oregon, made, dated and filed in this suit at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 12th day of February, 1908, which said order requires that summons in this suit be published once a week for a period of six successive and consecutive weeks from the 15th day of February, 1908.

H. W. KEESSE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS
DECEMBER 31, 1907.

ASSETS
Loans and Discounts \$ 340,530.80
Bonds and Securities 63,525.84
Real Estate, Buildings and Fixtures 14,746.18
Cash and Sight Exchange 166,247.69
\$585,049.51

LIABILITIES
Capital Stock, fully paid \$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Profits 21,753.11
Due other Banks 32,000.94
DEPOSITS 431,295.46
\$585,049.51

I, Alex Martin, Jr., Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
ALEX MARTIN, Jr., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1908.
[SEAL]
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