

SCOTT GIVES OPINION

That Party Lines Shall Be Maintained Under Primary Law

In an editorial Sunday Harvey W. Scott, has this interpretation of the primary law:

"Whether the legislature of Oregon, after the June election, will be Republican or Democratic, nobody knows. But whether Republican or Democratic, Republicans will vote for a Republican for senator, and Democrats will vote for a Democrat. The issue cannot be juggled with. Members of the legislature may be guided, and doubtless will be guided, in voting for their candidate, by the votes of the general election; but Democrats in the legislature will vote for a Democrat; Republicans for a Republican. The popular vote will be a guide, but it is not conclusive. Senators are elected by the legislature. The Oregonian would be glad to see them elected by a direct vote of the people; but they can't be, till the constitution shall be changed. In the business attempted through this cranky and contradictory method in Oregon—or rather in a cranky interpretation of it—there can be nothing superior to a man's conscientious obligations, as he himself interprets them. The legislature elects the senator. No member is going to abdicate his constitutional rights and obligations; though doubtless all members will be guided by the will or wish of their party, expressed through the general ballot."

In reply to Mr. U'Ren's contention that Republicans shall vote for a Democrat receiving the popular vote, Mr. Scott says:

"Mr. Scott supported the primary law in a general way, for he believes in it as a method of making nominations; but it can properly have nothing to do with control of elections. Mr. Scott paid little attention to Mr. U'Ren's voluminous literature on the subject, and is in no way bound by it. The Oregonian supposed that Republicans in the legislature will vote for a Republican senator, their party's candidate, and that Democrats in the legislature will vote for their party's candidate. This view, it believes, will be followed as the true intent of the

law; which, however, as to election of senator, can have no binding force, in the face of the constitution of the United States. Mr. U'Ren may offer and adhere to his own interpretation, but he has no authority to say that everybody, in 1904, interpreted the law as he does, or so interprets it now. He will find the legislature will not."

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W. C. Winslow, of Salem, is one of the recently chosen students at the University of Oregon to take part in the final tryout February 23d, at which time two debating teams will be chosen to meet the University of Washington and the University of Idaho. Francis Galloway, son of Judge William Galloway, is also one of those who will enter the tryout.

STOLE MANY THOUSAND

And Salted It Away in Good Seattle Real Estate

Washington, D. C., Feb. 19.—Director George E. Roberts of the United States Mint is preparing evidence for a most unusual criminal trial. Within a short time George E. Adams, until lately cashier at the Seattle assay office, will be brought to the bar for embezzling \$40,000 or more from the bags of gold dust brought to the office by miners and concerns that deal in the yellow metal in the far northwest.

Adams has confessed to stealing \$40,000 and the government officials believe they have proof that he took at least \$150,000. He "salted away" his ill gotten gains in good Seattle real estate, and the first thing that Director Roberts will attempt to do will be to take this property from Adams and convert it into a fund which shall be set aside for the benefit of the miners who were robbed.

It will be no easy task to recover the value of Adams' embezzlements, for he has retained first class legal talent to resist every move on the part of the government and it may be next to impossible to trace the flow of the stolen dust. Granting that most of the property purchased by Adams can be taken from him, the defrauded miners will then have a hard nut to crack. Before they can get their money they will be expected to prove loss, and it is safe to say that not one of the hundreds who were robbed can tell whether they were "shy" or "big" on any single consignment of gold brought to the assay office.

"If we recover from Adams and have a fund to work with," said Director Roberts, "we will make an estimate of the amounts stolen by the cashier and pay the miners in proportion to the gold they were credited with. The government is, of course, responsible for every cent of loss if it can be proven, whether we recover from Adams or not, and any miner who could produce proof that he was defrauded could get it back. But they can have no proof whatever. Adams took only gold from the vault, so we have one thing to work on the dust that went direct from the office to the melting room was not tampered with, and the owner therefore of such lots were certainly not robbed. In determining the amount of loss that each lot suffered through Adams' stealings, we will have to go over the records and give the owners the benefit of the per centage of difference between the normal losses in melting and the losses which resulted after Adams got busy with his system of substituting black sand for gold."

ITALIAN LABOR IN THE SOUTH

The commercial importance of New Orleans can hardly be overestimated, and predicting what her size will be ten or twenty years hence is hazardous business. In all of her hotels, exchanges and leading cafes are posted signs announcing that all manufacturing enterprises will be exempted from taxation until 1910, and that with a certain amount of "circularizing," seems to have been about the most serious effort made to attract outside capital until the present year. Within the past few months men of wealth have inaugurated a movement to organize and launch certain big industrial enterprises, and in this way it is hoped to demonstrate to outsiders that New Orleans people have faith in the future of their city. Of course, the one great difficulty to be overcome at the present time is the fear of yellow fever. That this plague should again have broken through quarantine and become epidemic has put a serious aspect on what seemed to be a glorious prospect. Italians or other Mediterranean people will probably not be frightened away, but they are not the skilled laborers who are needed to work in the mills. As a matter of fact, the sugar planters, who are mainly responsible for the recent influx of Italians to New Orleans and southern Louisiana, are heartily disgusted with this class of labor. Long before yellow fever was laid at his door, the Italian was found to be unskilled and far inferior to the negro as a hand of case and the mule. Between the later and the col-

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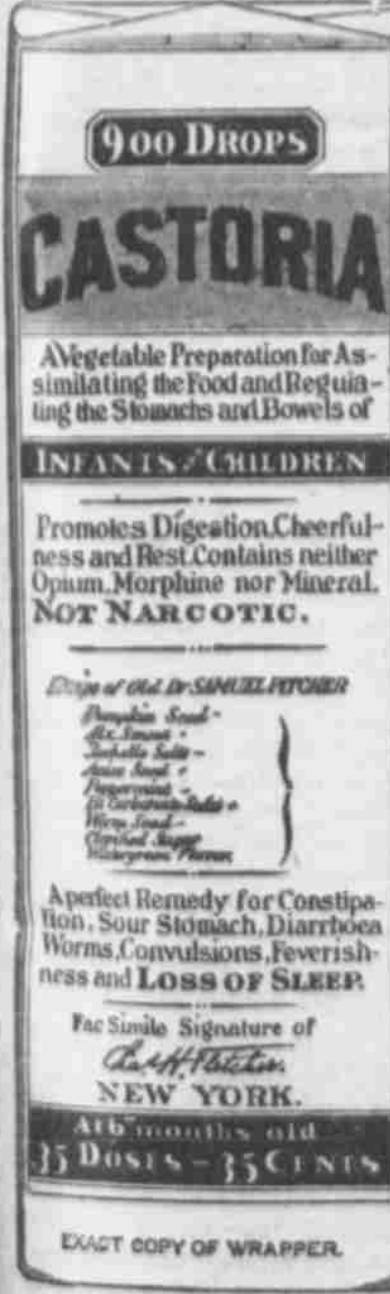
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