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MOODY ATTACKS PACKERS

Ridicules Demands for Immunity and Defies Them to Produce Authorities

Chicago, March 20.—Attorney-General Moody resumed argument in the packers' case this morning. He attacked the decisions of the courts produced by the attorneys for the defendants in support of their contentions. He declared they could not cite a single case in support of their claims. He gave a powerful and lucid discussion of the law of immunity, and said it was impossible for anyone to so construe the congressional law as to make it the means of evading punishment for crime. He said the law is compulsory by virtue of punishment for the offense described, and congress could not pass a law to be used as a means of protecting violators of other laws. He said if the packers committed no crime they should have nothing to fear. He said if the contention of the packers was upheld every distinguished citizen of the country could break the laws with impunity, flock to Washington and claim immunity. He provoked a laugh by saying he could imagine Swift and Armour meeting Rockefeller in Washington and saying, "Good morning, Rockefeller, had your immunity bath yet."

Providence and the Workmen.

It is a curious explanation of the spread of religious unbelief among the workmen that Paul Lafargue gives in a German Socialist journal. He says that it is natural for a capitalist, or the farmers or small shopkeepers, to look to providence for good weather, or as the source of their possessions, while

the workman owns nothing but his hands, and feels that it is his own labor and no gift of heaven that supplies his wants. He sees no Heavenly Father giving him his daily bread, however much he may pray for it. It is the phenomena of nature, says Mr. Lafargue that makes the countryman believe in specters, witches, magic and divine interventions, none of which the workman sees from his factory windows. This is more ingenious than convincing. The one thing in which one sees the intervention of providence, and which calls for prayer, where one is most helpless, is the matter of sickness and health. All this is common to all men. Really, it is difficult to see that farmers or merchants depend less on their own labor or skill than do factory hands. Each have their hard times, which they cannot prevent, and each have the sense of the necessity of labor for success. The reason why the organized workmen have less use than any others for the church, if such is the fact, may be because they are organized, and their Sunday meetings take the place of church meetings, and draw them thus from the church. A still further explanation is in the fact that the churches are supported by the money of rich men, who are regarded as their natural enemies.—The Independent

A Gang of Bandits.

Washington, March 20.—Major Hugh Scott, who has just returned from the Philippines, and who tried for eight months to dislodge the Moros from Mount Dajo without fighting, declares that they are nothing but bandits and outlaws, whose acts have turned against the small inhabitants of the island. He says they are regarded by the Filipinos as we would a Jesse James gang.

France and Germany Agree.

London, March 20.—The Evening News says France and Germany have reached an agreement at Algiers, and all dangers of a disagreement at the Moroccan conference is past.

CLAIM TO HAVE SIMPKINS

Bisbee, Ariz., March 20.—K. S. Simpkins, the fifth man wanted in the Governor Steunenberg assassination trial, was arrested while crossing from Mexico to Naco this morning, and jailed in Tombstone, awaiting extradition. He fled to Mexico from here two weeks ago.

Wants Sea-Level Canal.

Washington, March 20.—John F. Wallace, former chief engineer of the Panama canal, was before the senate committee this morning, and endorsed the majority plan of the consulting engineers favoring a sea-level canal.

John D. Is at Home.

Lakewood, N. J., March 20.—Dr. Irwin Haege, who has been attending Rockefeller for two weeks, spent 15 minutes at his home this morning. To the end of his visit he maintained silence when asked about the ailment.

Must Graft Rocky.

Chicago, March 20.—At the graduation of 45 students, A. W. Sharrer delivered an address at the University of Chicago today, declaring the university was operated at a loss of two and a half million yearly, or a loss of \$1500 for each student.

SUPREME COURT MATTERS

The supreme court handed down the following decisions today, Tuesday: Louis E. Lyon and Milbert P. Price vs. Henry Westermire, respondent; an appeal from the circuit court of Multnomah county. Hon. A. F. Sears, Jr., judge; judgment affirmed. Opinion by Judge Moore.

Benjamin Bull, respondent, vs. Pettie P. Payne and Henry Klapper, executors of the estate of James Lytle, deceased, appellants; appeal from the circuit court of Josephine county. H. K. Hanna, judge; judgment affirmed by Judge Halley.

Philip Stein, respondent, vs. R. E. Phillips and Laura B. Phillips, appellants; appeal from the circuit court of Multnomah county. Alfred F. Sears, Jr., judge. Opinion by Judge Bean; reversed and dismissed.

The Goodnough Mercantile & Stock Company, respondent, vs. G. W. Buck, defendant, and Cecil Galloway, trustee of estate of said G. W. Buck, and the Bank of Elgin, appellants; appeal from the circuit court of Union county. Robert Eakin, judge; Pendleton, November term, 1905; reversed and dismissed January 9, 1906, in opinion by Judge Moore. Petition for rehearing denied by Judge Moore.

C. S. Jackson, appellant, vs. A. W. Stearns and H. J. Wilson, respondents; appeal from Douglas county. J. W. Hamilton, judge. Judgment of lower court affirmed by Judge Moore.

George G. Sprague, et al., respondents, against Sophronia Jessup, appellant; appeal from the circuit court of Marion county. William Galloway, judge. Affirmed November 27, 1905; affirmed by an opinion of Judge Moore. Motion for rehearing is denied in an opinion by Judge Halley.

Mark Skiff Files Notice.

Mark S. Skiff filed today his notice of candidacy for Republican representative from Marion county. He says: "I believe that a Republican candidate for United States senator should be nominated and elected in the same manner as any other office is filled, I stand against graft of every form; for strict economy in our state government; for a business administration; to abolish all but one normal school; for national and state aid for good roads." He wishes these words placed on the ballot: "United States senator should be nominated and elected by the people."

Marriage Licenses.

A marriage license was granted today to George G. Beckner and Lulu Blanche McParlane, both of Marion county.

IVINS IS ON TRIAL

Chicago, March 20.—Richard Ivins, who is being tried for the murder of Mrs. Hollister, was cross-examined today by the prosecution. The state's attorney asked him concerning his former employment to show in what way he was considered mentally responsible.

Standard Oil on the Carpet.

St. Louis, March 20.—Attorney-General Hadley said this morning: "If the Standard, by admitting that the Standard absorbed the Republic, expected to affect the litigation it would be disappointed. The move is expected to prove abortive."

Hadley will leave for New York to open the oil hearing March 28th. He expects Rogers will voluntarily appear and answer all questions.

Tiresome Old Rate Bill.

Washington, March 20.—An amendment to the Hepburn bill was offered in the house today that would provide a prohibition of the courts to issue an injunction until both interested parties were notified five days. The senate considered the fortifications appropriation bill.

SALEM MILITARY BALL

The Salem Military band will give a grand ball at the Armory Wednesday, March 28th. Following are the patronesses secured for the occasion: Mrs. T. T. Geer, Mrs. J. R. Whitney, Mrs. B. O. Schorking, Mrs. H. E. Albert, Mrs. Zedoc Riggs, Mrs. Henry Ottenheimer, Mrs. C. A. Gray.

Dances this winter have been few, but very pleasant, and nothing is to be spared to make this one a grand success in every way. The above named ladies who are championing the cause are a positive guarantee that everything will be first-class.

The money is to go to the band for the purchase of much-needed instruments. The floor is to be in good condition for dancing, and arrangements will be made to heat the hall. No large amount of money is to be spent on decorating, as every dollar is needed for the band. Nevertheless efforts will be made to make the ball appear as nice as possible.

The main idea is to give the patrons an enjoyable evening, and at the same time make money.

This might be considered one form of charity, and that is why the patronesses have taken hold of it so decidedly. A large orchestra of 15 pieces, composed of the best talent in the city, is to furnish the music, which is a guarantee that the music is to be first-class.

Information will be cheerfully given by anyone connected with the dance. Tickets are one dollar per couple.

Overlooked the Seven Cents.

(Four O'Clock Edition.) San Francisco, March 20.—Reports forwarded by the American consul at Guatemala states that Allan Howard, the San Francisco broker, who decamped with \$60,000 belonging to his clients, and leaving his wife, died in that country of yellow fever. When he died he had seven cents in his possession.

For Tenny's Death.

(Four O'Clock Edition.) San Francisco, March 20.—The preliminary examination of Frankie Neil, "Spider" Kelly, Tom McGrath and John Frayne, for manslaughter, the result of the death of Harry Tenny, following his contest with Neil, began today. The autopsy surgeon, who repeated the testimony given at the inquest, to the effect that Tenny died from hemorrhage of the brain, was the only witness examined, and the case was then continued until Thursday, when Mark Haughness, Thos. Burke and Billy Roche will be tried at the same time as the other four.

For Committoeman.

Alfred P. Aufrance filed today for Republican committoeman for East Salem precinct.

STANDS BY SETTLERS.

State Land Board Refuses to Adopt Irrigation Company's Rules.

The Columbia Southern Irrigating Company, successors to the Three Sisters Irrigation Company and the Columbia Southern Irrigation Company, appeared before the state land board Monday, through its attorney, Seneca Smith. This corporation is interested in the territory on the west side of the Deschutes river, near Bend and covers with its ditches nearly 27,000 acres. Some time since the land board and the representatives of the Columbia Southern Irrigation Company had practically agreed on rules of procedure that should govern the company in its dealings with the settlers. The company came yesterday with a new set of rules which the board did not believe reasonable or complying with the terms and meaning of the Carey act. A heated discussion followed between the governor and other state officials and the company's attorney. The board refused to approve the rules until they were harmonized with those previously agreed upon. The board desires that the reclamation laws be faithfully carried out.

Killed by Snowslide.

Silverton, Colo., March 20.—Superintendent Ryer of the Shennandoah mine, on the east slope of King Solomon mountain, four miles from this town, telephoned that a snow slide occurred there at 11:30, killing twelve men. Their bodies have been recovered.

MULKEY HAS FILED FOR SHORT TERM

Hon. Frederick W. Mulkey, of Portland has today filed his petition as a candidate for the Republican nomination at the direct primary election, April 20th, for the short term senatorship, to be filled by the direct vote of the people of Oregon June 4th, next. In regard to Stephen A. Lowell's proposition to carry on a joint canvass Mr. Mulkey says he is not averse to it, but would simply be a kind of referee, as there is no one else seeking the honor of the short term. He thinks the county candidates are in better shape to make a campaign than the state candidates would be.

Klamath Lake Railroad.

The Klamath Lake Railroad Company, of Pockema, Ore., a corporation organized under the laws of the state of California, has filed in the secretary of state's office a declaration of purpose to engage in business in this state. The company proposes building and operating a railroad of standard gauge from Thrall, Cal., to Klamath Lake, Or. The line will follow the course of Klamath river, until it comes to the falls of Fall creek, thence to a point where it will intersect the logging railroad of the Pockema Sugar Pine Lumber Company, and from there to Klamath Lake. The length of the line is about 65 miles.

Shot Over Gambling Debt.

Manhattan, Nev., March 20.—Dave Alpin, proprietor of a gambling resort, was shot and mortally wounded by Charles Fritz, a restaurant keeper, as the result of a dispute over a gambling debt. Fritz escaped to the hills.

PORTLAND SLATE NAMED

Ticket Published in Remote Counties

Is This An Effort of the Old Multnomah Machine to Dictate

The North Bend, Coos Bay, Harbor of Saturday, March 17th, has the following ticket printed with heading and headline, as given below, apparently as an advertisement, as that paper does not endorse the slate: (From Coos Bay Harbor, March 17th.)

- REPUBLICAN TICKET. The voters of Coos county are asked to support the following candidates on the Republican ticket for state and district officers at the primary on April 20th. This ticket has been recommended to the people by many prominent Republicans of Coos county as their choice for the several offices named: For Congress R. B. HURSTON Of Washington For Circuit Judge L. H. HARRIS Of Lane For Governor C. A. JOHNS Of Baker For Secretary of State CLAUD GATCH Of Marion For State Treasurer GEORGE A. STEELE Of Clatskanie For Attorney-General A. M. CRAWFORD Of Douglas For State Printer WILLIS DUNIWAY Of Multnomah For United States Senator E. B. WATSON Of Multnomah For Superintendent of Public Instruction J. H. ACKERMAN Of Marion

Hurst for congress could very well be called the Multnomah candidate, as he there announced his candidacy, and has made his campaign from there. Geo. A. Steele is virtually a Portland candidate, having his whole campaign made from there on the favorite Portland blotting pad program.

Of the new men for state offices the only man not belonging strictly to Portland are Claud Gatch, of Marion, and C. A. Johns, of Baker county. What is this but a plan to hog all the offices in Multnomah county on the plan that under the direct primary that county can make the ticket?

The gentlemen named on the above slate are expecting the support of the people who do not believe in rings, slates and machines, will do well to disown all connection with such methods of forestalling the free and untrammelled choice of the people in making up a ticket to suit themselves. Ring rule should be set down on under the direct primary system.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, March 20.—Wheat 75 3/4 @ 79 1/4; corn, 44; oats, 30 3/4 @ 30 1/2.

CHICAGO STORE PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

Millinery

LADIES' COATS, SHIRT WAISTS, AND NEW SPRING SUITS. NOW ON SPECIAL SALE and will be sold at prices that will quickly advertise this department as the best place in Salem to buy your ready to wear goods. We are not looking for big profits. It is a big volume of business we are after. We want to make six sales for our competitors' one. That is the reason why we do the business and sell our goods at such little prices.

MILLINERY.

Every hat trimmed or untrimmed in this department is this season's latest production, bought from the best millinery houses in New York and Chicago. Here are a few of the styles: The Gage Hats, the Napoleon, the Dauntless, the Hyde Park, the Favorite, the Evangeline, the French Sailor, the New York Beauty, the Paris Novelty, and dozens of others, sold at prices that will make quick sales. Trimmed hats, \$1.49, \$1.95, \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50, \$4.50 and up to \$8.50; all worth double the price we ask during the sale. We want to let the ladies know what is going in the millinery department of the Chicago Store.

Don't forget that we are Salem's Silk Sellers.

Every department throughout the entire store is stocked to the brim with up to date new goods.

LADIES' SUITS AND COATS

Every one of them sparkles with newness; they are direct from the best manufacturers in America. To make this department still more popular we will sell pretty coats and suits during this sale at prices that will convince the closest buyers that the Chicago Store is the correct place to buy your ready to wear things. Suits of varied materials of the latest weaves, from \$8.50 to \$35 \$18 San Gray Panama Suits, beautifully trimmed and made; price \$10.90 \$5.90 New Covert Jacket \$3.45 \$10 New Covert Jackets \$5.90 The New Long Box Coats, just in, sale price, \$8.90 and \$10.50, quick sellers.

SHIRT WAISTS.

Every lady that looks through our new shirt waists is surprised at the grand assortment, their beauty and new styles. We can show you waists from 20 doz. 85c White Lawn Shirt Waists, handsomely trimmed, sale price \$1.49 15 doz. \$1.50 White India Linen Waists, beautifully trimmed, sale price \$1.95 Special prices right through.

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Dr. B. E. Wright, The Painless Dentist

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