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CITIZENS AND PRIMARIES.

The primary elections of the different political parties are to be held in the near future, and all citizens who consider the general welfare take a deep interest therein. At these primaries are to be elected delegates whose duty it is to place in nomination candidates for offices to be filled at the coming November election. No doubt such delegates will exercise the best judgment at their command in selecting men whom they deem most suitable for official place. At the same time, no man exercises judgment from a position he does not occupy; and if the delegates are not fairly representative of the substantial class of citizens, it is not to be expected that their choice will be other than of a kind with themselves. Hence the necessity for the respectable element of the voting population making its influence felt in politics by appearing at the primaries and uniting in the election of honest, capable men to do the work of delegates.

In a government like ours it is foolish, almost criminal, for the respectable division of the voting population to stay at home and let schemers and ward-heelers manipulate the political machine so that corruption reaches to every part and the country is burdened with wicked administrations. It may be very well sometimes for a citizen to say that when the tickets are up he will vote for the best men; but as a matter of fact, when tickets are formed in the interest of corruptionists there are no best men to choose from. The place to correct the evil is at the outset, not after the wrong is done. The starting-point of political machinery is in the primaries, and there is the place to have it started right. Once going in the proper direction, by the selection, direct from the people, of respectable and responsible delegates, there is less danger of the machinery falling under the influence of corruptionists.

Especially in Utah should the better class of voters come to the front at the present time and maintain the Territory's attitude for square and fair elections, free from the befouling schemes and uncleanness that mark many other places. The Territory is in the important transition period that merges into Statehood, and every citizen should be up and doing to place the commonwealth in the best possible situation officially. To let wire-workers and schemers control and then to grumble at the vileness of politics is unbecoming to citizens who love fair and honorable dealing, and have the power to enforce it. Here in Utah it is a sacred duty to the country for every citizen to do his utmost to insure official integrity and cleanliness. He can do this only by getting in his work at the primaries. Then the delegates selected by such influences will follow it in conventions; and instead of the voter having to hunt among all parties for good men to make up a ticket that will suit him, every ticket will be composed of good, honorable candidates, and the choice of the voter be simplified to a consideration of the particular principles or policy one or the other party may offer for consideration. We hope the reputable elements of citizenship will insist on conducting the primaries and conventions of all parties in Utah, that we may be assured of a continuance and even advance in good government locally.

A FEATURE OF THE DARK PAST.

The *Pioneer Press* is decidedly right in holding that the proceeding established in Chicago of beating a husband for alleged slanderous remarks of his wife should be repudiated. Lawless individuals ought to be made to feel the sting of public disapproval wherever they venture, in Chicago or elsewhere. Woman is no longer supposed to be an irresponsible being, the security of a man who must account for her words and actions is both willing and capable to take her own responsibility like a rational agent, that even if this were not so, persons who take the law in their own hands, elevating their brutality to the seat of the judge, filling the jury box with their unbridled passions and taking vengeance according to the verdict and sentence thus obtained, are as dangerous to the morals of the people and the free institutions of the country as any anarchist that ever escaped legal prosecution.

It is not denied that in ages past, when the law, such as existed, was but imperfectly administered, and when besides the so-called higher classes of the people considered themselves in a certain measure above the law, it was the rule to unsheath the sword on the slightest provocation. Dueling was the sport of the tyrants of the past. It is to be remembered, however, that with all its "classical features" it belongs entirely to one of the most dark periods of the human family. No trace of it is found in the history of the ancient classical nations. It was unknown among the noble Anglo-Saxons until introduced from some barbarous source. It only flourished together with superstition, ignorance and oppression. As soon as the nations were emancipated it was frowned down, and there is not today a civilized nation that puts the seal of legality on that mode of settling disputes. In so far as it still exists, it remains in violation of law, a veritable relic of barbarism.

The question is serious. Those who flippantly preach the doctrine of lawlessness cannot escape responsibility for much of it. As long as the minds of the young people periodically are being filled with the idea that it is quite "correct" to resort to illegal methods, and that, too, for the purpose of avenging on an innocent person a supposed slanderous word, spoken perhaps in a moment of thoughtlessness, so long there will be found among them individuals but too ready to follow that course. And the logic of evil will not stop at that. It will carry some of them to a point where their ambition can be satisfied with nothing less than defiance to all legal authority. They will become outlaws, hunting and hunted, their hands stained in the crimson blood of their fellowmen. Evil consequences always result from false principles.

ILLINOIS "RACE WAR."

The reports from Spring Valley are about as contradictory as were the dispatches sent out from Jackson's Hole concerning the expected outbreak of Bannock Indians. The former place, however, has been the scene of many riots and some bloodshed, and it would therefore surprise nobody if another riot should take place of a more serious nature than any previously put on record in that place.

According to the testimony of the mine owners in the locality the white laborers employed, and particularly the Italians, have for years past been so riotous and turbulent that the operators have been forced to employ negroes as a means of averting strikes and other troubles. The negroes are known to be a quiet, docile and peaceful class, except for an occasional quarrel among themselves. The white miners look upon the negroes as intruders, and these were therefore assaulted, with the result that some blood was spilt. The colored people in other places of Illinois then assembled in mass meetings and declared themselves ready to go to the assistance of their brethren in Spring Valley, unless the proper authorities took prompt steps to protect them in their rights. They are said to be arming themselves, and the situation is undoubtedly critical.

It appears from all accounts that the trouble is not only one of race, but of labor. Whenever employers call in non-union men to take the vacated places of strikers, the latter consider themselves treated with injustice, and when the substitutes belong to the colored race, they deem it a perfect outrage. This seems to be the origin of the trouble.

The authorities should hasten to prevent any rash act on the part of the party evidently subjected to unjust treatment, by taking prompt and efficient steps for the protection of the rights of all. The state of Illinois has in the past had scenes of carnage within her boundaries that might have been averted, had principles of honor and justice prevailed. This time citizens, it seems, pray for protection against aliens. Their petition should not be spurned until too late to prevent further outbreaks.

FROM ANOTHER POINT OF VIEW.

The jury system in this country has been freely discussed of late, and the advocacy of its abolition is growing vigorous. The chief objection to it is in the miscarriage of justice which comes before the people so often, particularly where criminals fail to receive the just reward of their crimes. The frequent weakness and illogical verdicts rendered have arrayed a strong opposition to the system and created a demand for changes that will result more in line with justice and equity.

Entering upon the discussion of this subject, Dr. T. D. Crothers, in the *Popular Science Monthly*, takes a new view of an unpleasant phase of the jury system, by considering it from a purely scientific standpoint, which assumes to furnish reasons why a jury, such as the law now contemplates, is mentally [illegible] to deal with the issues ordinarily presented in a long and closely contested trial. The [illegible] makes the statement that while the average twelve men are usually [illegible] [illegible].

Dealing [illegible] with the matter [illegible], Dr. Crothers says it is evident to any general observation that the average jury is unable to pass [illegible] in an adequate way, many of the questions submitted to it—such as motive and capacity of the mind and the power of control, the analysis of conduct, and the conditions and influences which have been dominant in certain acts; the application of the law, and the distinctions of responsibility and accountability; the distinctions of science as to the meaning of certain facts, or the recognition and discrimination of facts from the mass of statements. To this incapacity are added the passionate appeals of opposing counsel, who draw the most opposite conclusions from the same set of acts. Then the judge charges the jurors that if they find such and such conditions to be true, they shall bring in such and such a verdict, and if such and such conditions are not true, another verdict must be given. This brings them into a state of the most bewildering confusion, from which only the trained judge could extricate himself, and the wonder is that they are able to reach any verdict that even approximates the levels of human justice.

These are the facts, discussed from many different attitudes, that Dr. Crothers deals with from the plane of medical science. He says that a chief cause of trouble lies in the further fact that practically and literally the twelve men of uncertain intelligence, and doubtful capacity and training essential to determine the disputed questions, are placed in the most adverse hygienic conditions for healthy brain and functional activity. Supposing these men to have fair average intelligence with honesty of purpose, they are placed always in a close, badly ventilated courtroom, and are obliged to sit in one place for five or six hours a day; in cases of capital crime they are housed at some hotel at night, and have changed diet, changed sleeping rooms, impaired exercise, continuous mental strain, and this may be continued for a week, ten days, or even longer. Intelligent and sound brain reasoning, says the doctor, are impossible under these conditions.

In these respects Dr. Crothers makes out a very strong case, citing illustrations of ill effects, mental and physical, upon jurors, untrained in that particular class of work, who have been called to perform the duty. His view of the question is one that is entitled to consideration, and the reformers of the jury system at least should insist upon and find general support for those methods which will place jurors in a situation where they can at least be able to act normally.

A PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED.

The people of Twiggs county, Georgia, are in a state of excitement on account of a death sentence passed on a woman convicted of having murdered her husband. Petitions were started in the larger cities of the state to the governor, asking him to commute the sentence, and letters are now coming in from all parts of the country with the same request and protesting against the execution of a murderess, because of her sex.

This question, painfully unpleasant though it be, is one that must be faced and answered one way or the other, at no distant time. Students of criminology maintain that women, criminally inclined, "are especially clever in instigating others to the commission of crime, using them as catspaws or agents, evading direct responsibility themselves, and being strenuously persistent in denial, in obstinate refusal to confess." Under the new conditions apparently now confronting the world, this trait will undoubtedly almost disappear, and the "new" criminal woman will come on the stage in all the independence of her male brother, wielding her own knife or pistol or poison, as the case may be. She will no longer feel the need of acting through the medium of another. As a consequence, the administrators of the law will be called upon in the future to deal with more cases of female offenders than formerly. For this reason, the question of how far justice must be carried out irrespective of sex is one that necessarily arises out of the changed condition, and it will demand an adjustment as soon as the transformation period shall have been passed and stability on the new foundations obtained.

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The city is hereby divided into two sprinkling districts. All that portion of the city lying east and north of the following boundaries is hereby made and declared to be the upper sprinkling district, to-wit: Commencing at the intersection of First West and Seventh North streets, and running thence south along said First West street to Second North street, thence east along said Second North Street to Apple street, thence southeasterly along Apple street to First North street, thence east along First North street to East Temple street, thence south along East Temple street to North Temple street, thence east along North Temple street to First East street, thence south along First East street to South Temple street, thence east along South Temple street to Sixth East street, thence south along Sixth East street to Liberty Park. And all persons taking water from the mains on South Temple street, east of First East street, and those taking from the main on Sixth East street, shall be deemed to belong to said upper district.

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