

CARTEL

Yerkes Answers Criticisms on Law for Farmers.

SMALL STILLS ALLOWED

Cheapest Denaturants Allowed and Distilleries of Ten Gallons Capacity Possible—Standard Does Not Control Materials.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 17.—Representative Jones of Washington, in order to ascertain just what benefits will accrue to farmers under the denatured alcohol law of last session, laid before Internal Revenue Commissioner Yerkes several criticisms from Washington state newspapers...

Will Pay Farmer to Distill.

The newspaper clipping is an aggregation of error and misstatement. There is no reason in view of the law or the regulations, why the farmer should not build his distillery and engage in the production of alcohol for denaturing purposes.

WILL GIVE NOONDAY TALKS

Rev. George R. Cairns, of Seattle, to Address Business Men.

Rev. George Robert Cairns, of Temple Baptist Church of Seattle, occupied the pulpit of the Second Baptist Church yesterday morning and evening.

No Minimum Capacity.

The article states that the plant must have a capacity of 500 gallons of alcohol per day. This is absolutely untrue.

SETBACK TO SEATTLE FAIR

Piles' Efforts in Senate Meet Opposition From East.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 17.—Senator Piles made another attempt yesterday evening to secure passage of the Seattle exposition bill, but objection was made by Senator Burdett and the bill went over.

Minneapolis Man Ignorant.

I thank you for calling my attention to an interview in the Minneapolis paper you inclose which depicts me as an ignorant and careless legislator.

Must Use Denaturant.

That some denaturing material must be selected is plain from the law. When this office came to consider the question, it naturally, properly and wisely made a study of the systems used abroad for the past half century.

No Change in Regulations.

The new law did not change in any regard the mode of controlling the production of alcohol. A distillery furnishing alcohol for denaturing purposes must be constructed just as the law for 40 years has required it.

Sketches from Life by a New York World Artist on that Eventful Day of the Trial.

I think the gentleman perhaps has been led astray by the use of the expression "free alcohol" in certain Minnesota papers. One of them—a paper of a great metropolis of Minnesota—stated that under the regulations of this office no distillery could produce alcohol for denaturing purposes unless it had a daily average production of 500 gallons.

ITS MEN ALL LOYAL

Pennsylvania Railroad Proud of Its Employees.

COMMITTEE MAKES REPORT

Finds Only 15 Out of 2050 Men Accepted Gifts They Should Not Have Received—Denies Favoritism in Shipments.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A mistaken public opinion, misinformed as to the facts because of the publication of portions, and not the whole, of the testimony of the witnesses before the Interstate Commerce Commission, and therefore basing its conclusions upon insufficient premises, has done grave injustice to the whole service of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Animals That Rarely Drink.

There are some animals which rarely drink; for example, the llamas of Patagonia and certain gazelles of the Far East. A number of snakes, lizards and other reptiles live in places devoid of water.

Death of Mrs. Martha Butler.

Mrs. Martha Butler, an old resident of Montavilla, and the wife of D. W. Butler, died at 123 East Thirtieth street February 11. She was 89 years old.

DEMAND A FAIR TRIAL

Mass Meeting of Labor Unions Held at Stockton.

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Hundreds Filling Mexican Town Awaiting Chance to Cross.

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Investigate Spotted Fever Cases.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Owing to the alarming mortality from spotted fever at Belgrade, and the high death rate, attributable, it is alleged, to unsanitary conditions in many parts of that city, the government has appointed a royal commission to inquire into the situation.

Writing a Popular Song.

According to a celebrated composer, the popular song, though sneered at by the superior, is in reality the ambition of most composers.

MACKAY HOLDS TROPHY

Retains Title Amateur Tennis Champion of Eastern States.

TUXEDO PARK, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Clarence H. Mackay, of the New York Tennis and Racquet Club, by defeating George H. Brooke, formerly amateur champion of the Philadelphia Racquet Club, today in three straight sets on the courts of the Tuxedo Tennis and Racquet Club, retains his title as amateur champion of the Eastern states for the gold racquet.

DEAD OF THE NORTHWEST

Rev. Lester Dudley Wells.

BAKER CITY, Or., Feb. 17.—Lester Dudley Wells, one of the pioneers of the Presbyterian Church, in which he was actively engaged as minister and missionary for 30 years, passed away at the age of 67 years at the home of his son, Herbert A. Wells, in this city.

RAGE AT CAPITAL

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MRS. HARRY K. THAW TELLING HER STORY TO THE JURY



ALONG WITH THE "EIGHTY-NINERS"

WOODS WAS! A Pioneer of the Early Days, and Setting a Pace Today that Brings Competition to Desperation!

About a year ago a certain Portland merchant joined with the front-street meat-chains in a fight against city inspection. Today he is fighting because he has healthy meats and government inspection of same. Who is this man?

MEATS SOLD BY HARRY WOODS ARE GOVERNMENT INSPECTED AND BEAR THE STAMP OF APPROVAL OF THE U. S. GOVERNMENT CLEAN, PURE, HEALTHY, WHOLESOME.

Table listing prices for various meats: Beef (Shoulder, Round, etc.), Veal (Veal Steak, etc.), Mutton (Shoulder, etc.), and Pork (Ham, etc.).

THE HARRY WOOD MARKET COMPANY

The Meatshop on the Corner With Prices on the Square CORNER FIRST AND ALDER STREETS

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Advertisement for St. Louis Medical and Surgical Dispensary. Includes text about 'Blood Poison', 'Nervovital Debility', and 'Who is this man?'. Features a portrait of a man and a list of ailments treated.