

OUR COMMITTEE STANCH FOR DRY ACT

All Five of House Body Are in Favor of Stringent Prohibition Bill.

HOTELMEN'S PLAN FOUGHT

Four Members Champion Anti-Wet Measure as It Stands—Early Report on It Likely—Little Field Is Leader.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A committee on alcoholic liquor that has been unequivocally committed to the support of the pending prohibition bill prepared by the committee of one hundred has been appointed by Speaker Selling, of the House. The prohibition bill already has been referred to the committee, and it proposes to submit it to the House for early consideration.

It is probable that the prohibition measure will be reported out with few if any changes. At least four members of the committee favor the bill substantially in its present form. Four members voted "dry" at the recent election. E. V. Littlefield, of Portland, chairman, has been a performance advocate nearly all his life.

"I voted dry in November," said Judge Littlefield, "and I believe the people of the state meant the state to go dry when they returned a majority of 36,000 in favor of prohibition. They didn't want any half-way measure. I am absolutely in favor of the Committee of One Hundred's bill. There may be a few minor changes, but they will be unimportant. So far as the measure is concerned, I am in favor of it."

"And what's more, I am absolutely opposed to any plan that would offer for the continuation of the liquor business. I have reference to the reported scheme of the hotelkeepers to offer the regular saloons as a part of business. The people voted not only to kill the open saloon, but to eliminate the commercial traffic in liquor."

"Special Election Opposed." "I am unequivocally opposed to the proposal that the Legislature authorize a special election costing about \$100,000 of the taxpayers' money for submitting to the voters an amendment that will give a monopoly on the liquor business."

"And I expect to fight, as chairman of this committee and as a member of the Legislature, as long as I live, against all amendments to the pending bill. I want to keep faith with the people who voted dry at the recent election. Inducements were held out to them that the law would not be so strict that it would be impossible of enforcement, and I shall insist that we regard those promises sacredly. At the same time I don't believe in stopping one inch short of making the dry measure effective in every part of the state."

"Property Classes Bill." W. F. Lafferty, Corvallis, is another "dry" member of the committee, although he thinks the provision in the present measure that makes the owner of property in which liquor is sold liable to the offense is a little too severe.

"I always have been regarded as a prohibition man, although I did not vote dry at the recent election," said Mr. Lafferty. "However, I voted dry and shall support the bill both in committee and on the floor of the House."

present board of horticulture and place a commissioner to be appointed and Governor in charge. His salary is fixed at \$1000 a year.

15 BILLS PUT BEFORE HOUSE

Freeing Assignors From Excessive Liabilities Is Among Them.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The following bills were introduced in the House this morning: H. B. 45, by Bowman—Freeing assignors from excessive liabilities—Repealing laws by which assignors are liable for the debts of their assignees; H. B. 46, by Allen—To regulate teachers' salaries.

Appropriation of \$500 for Soda Springs Is Asked.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The following bills were introduced in the Senate today: S. B. 27, by Olson—To amend section 74, of the constitution to amend section 74, of the constitution to appropriate \$500 for the improvement of Soda Springs and grounds at Soda Lake.

KEILHAHER WOULD TRACE CASH

Senator Asks Investigation of How State Money Is Spent.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Senator Keilhaher, of Effie, today, he says will result in "fireworks." It was in the form of a resolution providing that the Senate and House appoint a committee to investigate the conduct and affairs of "a state officer, department, board or commission."

OLSON HAS FEE BILLS

CHANGES IN DISTRICT COURT PROCEDURE ARE SUGGESTED.

KEILHAHER'S PLAN FOR RECESS USES

Senate May Adjourn From Day to Day After Fortnight if Work Has Progressed.

20-DAY GAP VOTED SO

Senator Butler, One in Favor of Method Cast Out, Proposes Putting Divided Session System to Vote of People.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—After a sharp verbal battle the Senate today put a question on the Keilhaher resolution providing for a divided session, and adopted a substitute to be made of special order of business on the 14th day, which provides that adjournments be taken from day to day as desired if the work has been progressed satisfactorily.

Limit on Bills Wanted.

Ballot Decision Proposed.

Marion Delegation Wants Licenses to Be Issued by County Clerks.

NEW MOTOR LAW IS URGED

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—That license for motor vehicles be issued by county clerks instead of the Secretary of State as at present, is the principal proposal today by the Marion County delegation.

STALE AIMED AT STATE TAX BODY.

Senate Flow of Bills Less Rapid.

dred's bill prohibiting the use of liquor lockers in clubs. This objection is raised ostensibly in behalf of the man who lives at a club, on the theory that he should not be deprived of serving liquor to his guests if the man who maintains a home has that privilege.

Removal Against Constitution.

Change in State Year Wanted.

Law Broken for Stamps.

Schuebel Has Cure.

BITTER FIGHT PREDICTED

TRUCKS MAY HAVE TO PAY

NAVAL MILITIA LIKELY TO GO

COMMITTEE AND SENATE SAID TO FAVOR DIMICK BILL.

GERSONI IS CHIEF CLERK

Double Stamps All Day Tomorrow and Saturday

Don't Forget the Coupon

All Our Cut Glass Selling at Half-Price—See Display on First Floor

FRESH CANDY

Reductions in Stationery Dept.

Rubber Goods

DRUGS, PATENTS AND TOILET GOODS

WOODARD, CLARKE & CO.

USE THIS COUPON

Bring this coupon and get 20 extra...

Umbrellas

In Our Photo Department

Bristle Goods

Visit Our Art Dept.

Imperial Granum

DRUGS, PATENTS AND TOILET GOODS

Woodard, Clarke & Co. Alder Street at West Park

GAME FIED WAR ON

Plan to Have State Treasurer Handle Coin Draws Ire.

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PAY WANTED FOR DEPENDENTS

Bill Provides Fee of \$15 Monthly if Relatives Can Afford It.

PREIGHT TRUCKS MAY SUFFER

Bill Proposes to Confine Travel to Paved Roads During Winter.

TO DARKE HAIR

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Thickness.

HAVE YOU HAD THE GRIP?

The debility and depression following an attack of the grip is not a fancied disorder.

GRANDMOTHER KNEW

There Was Nothing So Good for Congestion and Colds as Mustard.

MUSTEROLE

Today 9:30 A. M.