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NEW YORK, July 25.—(Special.)—Federal authorities today found themselves little nearer a solution of the liquor smuggling problem along the Atlantic coast, uncovered by the seizure of the swifter fishing schooner, the *Johnnie T.*, in New Haven Saturday with 300 cases of liquor aboard.

The 18 men captured aboard the *Johnnie T.* were arraigned in New Haven before Judge Hoyt. Their cases were continued until Friday. They were arraigned later before United States Commissioner Lynch, on charges of violation of the Volstead act. All furnished bail except Captain Joseph Miller of the boat, and Carl Miller, whose real identity is a mystery.

Federal authorities have decided to charge all the smugglers with conspiracy to violate the laws of the United States or with smuggling, as the penalties for these are far greater than for violation of the Volstead act.

Reports from Washington showed that no request had been received by the navy department for the use of submarine chasers to guard the coast line within the three-mile limit against smugglers. The navy, it was pointed out, can do nothing outside the three-mile limit.

In case of ships carrying cargoes at sea to smaller boats, it has been explained, the mother ship could not return to port without being seized for violation of the laws of the United States.

This means that any smuggler between the Bahama islands and this country or any other port would be caught on a boat after having once transferred its cargo at sea.

The *Pocomoke*, which put into Atlantic City without any clearance, though she was said to have left Nassau, Bahama islands, with 1000 cases of booze aboard, has been surrounded by guards from leaving without the proper papers.

Her captain, J. A. Roy, went to Philadelphia today and defiantly asserted that he would take the boat out, papers or no papers. A revenue cutter anchored at the mouth of the basin today. The *Pocomoke* would be forced to pass within a few feet of her guns if she tried to slip out.

BLINDNESS CURE CLAIMED

Doctor Says Serum Has Remedied
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NEW YORK, July 25.—A serum which Dr. Erasmus Arlington Pond, Brooklyn, eyes, has claimed to cure nine cases of blindness caused by atrophy, will soon be demonstrated before the American Medical Association, it was reported today.

Dr. Pond, who discovered the serum, said the method of cure was to inject the fluid which nourished the optic nerve. Blindness caused by atrophy, he said, could not be cured by the serum, nor would it be successful unless there was a slight vision left to the patient. The physician said as soon as he had demonstrated his discovery before the medical profession he would make public the formula that it might be used generally.

SLANDER SUIT \$15,000

J. Al Pattison Accuses S. P. Pesza
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The suit alleged that some time between June 1 and July 10, the exact date not being known to the plaintiff, Pesza made remarks reflecting upon the integrity of the plaintiff and also referred to the plaintiff's company as a "bad outfit." The remarks cited in the complaint were made over a lumber deal, in which it is said that Pesza had stated that the plaintiff attempted to defraud him.

WRONG BANK MENTIONED

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The telegram said that the report should have read that the First Security Bank of Carpio closed its doors and not the First National bank.

In making out his report, which was printed in *The Oregonian*, Mr. Bramwell said he relied upon the statement from the federal reserve bank.

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Washington Believes Japan
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NOTE NOW IS AWAITED

Discussion of All Phases of Far
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WASHINGTON, D. C., July 25.—If expectations of official circles here are realized the next day or two will see Japan's attitude toward the scope of the disarmament conference defined and the way cleared for the more formal diplomatic exchanges that are to take place at the conference actually in being.

Although conclusions of the Japanese advisory council have not been officially communicated to the state department, the belief is that a comprehensive communication of the subjects at issue will be received from Tokyo shortly in response to the latest American representations.

Department officials still are confident that the reply will give consent to the broad discussion of far-eastern problems proposed by this government as a part of the disarmament negotiations. It is understood, however, that once the unserved participation of Japan and the other invited powers in the conference is assured, the American government will make no objection to an interchange of views as to what questions should be considered properly within the scope of the negotiations. For the present, the point emphasized in the American attitude is that this exchange could better take place after formal invitations have been extended and accepted even though it preceded the actual assembling of the delegates.

While preliminaries are shaping themselves, officials of the state department are at work preparing data for use of American representatives.

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Pythian Sisters' Chief Here.

Julia Bilyou, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters for the grand jurisdiction of Oregon, is making her official visits to the Pythian-Sister lodges in the vicinity of Portland. Thursday evening, July 21, she was the guest of Rose Temple, No. 43, of St. Johns; Saturday evening she visited Philana Temple, No. 17, at East Sixth and Alder streets, and next Thursday evening she will be entertained by Orpha Temple, No. 18, at Pythian temple, West Park and Yamhill streets. Grand Chief Bilyou, during her term of office, will have visited all the temples in the Oregon jurisdiction. She reports a good growth in the Pythian Sister temples.

Boy Accidentally Shoots Self.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 25.—(Special.)—Roland Swartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz of this city, was shot in the side last night while unloading a small caliber revolver. The family was camped at Wolf creek, 25 miles east of Roseburg, and the boy had been using the revolver for target practice. "Breaking" the gun he accidentally struck the hammer and discharged a cartridge, the bullet entering his side near the waist line and ranging downward to the hip, where it struck the hip bone and emerged from the body. He was removed to a hospital here. The bullet struck no vital organ, the doctors said.

Truck Plunges Over Bank.

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he was driving left a county road some distance north of Salem and plunged down an abutting embankment 50 feet. The truck turned over several times during the descent and was badly wrecked. Mr. Wood was unhurt.

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