

MORE DRY VOTES CAST THAN WET

Yesterday's Elections Show
Further Sweep of Pro-
hibition—Exceptions.

Denver, April 7.—The anti-saloon forces were generally victorious throughout the state at the municipal elections yesterday. In few instances were the issues fought out on Republican and Democratic lines. Colorado Springs went "dry" by 2000 majority. The town has never had a saloon because of the clause inserted in every deed by the founder of the town, but the election will prevent any saloon from being built in the future. Canon City and Castle Rock voted against the saloon, Cripple Creek and Colorado City remain "wet" by less than 100 majority.

Lincoln, Neb., April 7.—The question of saloon license was the dominating influence in elections in Nebraska yesterday. The returns do not indicate a landslide to either side. The gains, especially in the smaller towns, are on the side of the "drys." Kearney, where a substantial license victory was expected, voted out the saloons. Alliance, which for a year has been without saloons, declared for reestablishment. Hastings increased its "dry" vote. Hastings declared for the "wets."

Detroit, Mich., April 7.—More than 400 saloons and 10 breweries will be forced out of business in the 13 counties of the state which voted "dry" yesterday's election. Eight counties voted "wet." Those have 300 saloons within their borders. Washenaw county, with the University of Michigan within its borders, rejected prohibition by 800 majority.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 7.—License is believed to have carried in a majority of the places that voted yesterday. About 30 towns voted "wet," while about 14 voted "dry."

Indianapolis, Ind., April 7.—The local option was suffered a setback in Blackford and Cass counties yesterday, thus breaking the string of victories for the anti-saloon cause.

Little Rock, Ark., April 7.—Prohibition was overwhelmingly defeated in the municipal election yesterday. Mayor Dukey was reelected by a majority of 1541.

Montgomery, Ala., April 7.—The Alabama state prohibition law was declared valid by the state supreme court yesterday, all the judges concurring in the opinion. This is the second time the court has upheld the state wide act of the last legislature.

BRITISH MAMMAS HATE HORRID BRITISH GIRLS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

London, April 7.—Horrid Gibson girls from the United States are spoiling the manners of the young little English maids, according to anonymous communications printed in the local press. Ford mammas have risen in wrath to declare against the naughty example of their American cousins who allow their daughters to wear really shocking "hosiery," and "show 'em, too."

"The simple, modest British maiden of the other days is practically extinct," writes one doting parent, who feels that her finer sensibilities have been outraged by the Yankee invasion. "Our girls are now boys. Some of these young women resemble almost exactly the horrid Gibson girls, so frequently depicted in American papers, with nose tilted in the air and flourishes and ruffles and gaudy stockings unduly exposed. Specimens of the type are overrunning London theatres, ballrooms and public parks."

"Not only is their dress intolerable, but their cold, calm manner and indifference to all beautiful and loving things make them impossible."

The average gasoline engine uses a pint of fuel per horsepower per hour.

GRANTS PASS IS GOING TO BE DRY

Even the Soft Drink Parlors
Must Dispense With the
Screens and Blinds.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Grants Pass, Or., April 6.—Ever since the local option law went into effect in Grants Pass there has been considerable contention over the matter of alleged violations. Officials have been criticised because it appeared that liquor was being sold and they were inactive. But the trouble was the result of lack of a city ordinance confirming the state law. At the last meeting of the council such an ordinance was passed. Mayor Kinney has now signed it, and the officers are fully equipped to put the "lid on good and tight" in Grants Pass. The new ordinance requires that all "soft drink" places, and every resort where drinks of any sort are sold, must remove all screens from the windows and keep "open front doors." No blinds are to be used at the windows, and they who drink in these places must do so in plain sight of passerby.

What is considered the best feature of the new ordinance, so far as law enforcement is concerned, is the provision that gives officers the right of search. In case any "joint" is suspected of selling intoxicating liquors, it can be entered and searched. The presence of such liquors shall be taken as prima facie evidence of actual or intended violation of law, and all "goods" so found will be confiscated. All places found to contain intoxicating liquors will be declared a nuisance and closed up at once.

The new law will not go into effect for 30 days. This is done that the proprietors of all soft drink places may have ample time to remove their swing doors, taken down the blinds, and other things to prepare themselves for the periodical "inspections" of the marshal. There is no question but that Grant's Pass will be dry "for sure" from now on.

ASHLAND EXTENDS ITS THANKS FOR NORMAL SUPPORT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Ashland, Or., April 7.—At the regular meeting of the Ashland Commercial club Monday evening, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, in the effort to arouse interest in the question as to whether the legislature should make appropriation to maintain the normal schools of this state, about 50 of the prominent business men of Portland were invited and personally solicited to attend a meeting to be held at the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce in Portland on March 15, 1909, and

Whereas, four of those invited gave personal assurance that they would attend such meeting, and

Whereas, of the 44 who promised to attend only 15 put in an appearance at this meeting,

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the sincere thanks of the friends of the normal school be and hereby are tendered to those who by their attendance at that meeting showed their friendly interest and disposition to listen to our arguments in behalf of these schools; and

Resolved, further, that we express our regret that those who promised but failed to attend that meeting should have been so lacking in consideration that their hearing and consideration that we believe the schools had a right to expect.

PENDLETON C. C. WILL
ENLARGE QUARTERS

Pendleton, Or., April 6.—At the regular meeting of the Pendleton Commercial association last night it was voted to expend the sum of \$1500 in remodeling the present quarters of the association, and to provide for the organization

of a young men's auxiliary. While it is expected that the young men's auxiliary will be self sustaining, it will be closely affiliated with the association proper.

The auxiliary will serve the double purpose of providing for a clean place for exercise and pastime, and will also arouse in them an interest in the commercial affairs of the city.

At last night's meeting there was a strong element in favor of moving the headquarters to the city hall. By a vote it was decided to remain in the present quarters.

Half of the remodeling fund is already pledged. The preliminary report of the publicity fund, which started out to raise \$5000, indicated that the entire sum will soon be raised. Delegates from the west end of the county, including Hornistown and Echo, reported that their share of the apportionment was all but secured.

Half of the amount has been pledged by Pendleton, provided the remainder of the county supplies the other \$2500.

Ceylon exported over 172,000,000 pounds of tea last year, of which more than 13,000,000 pounds came to the United States.

Closing Out Sale of Two Large Stocks of Clothing

We have purchased the entire stock of the CHICAGO CLOTHING COMPANY and the OUTLET CLOTHING COMPANY, both of this city, at material reductions from cost, and will CLOSE THEM OUT at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES at the former stand of the OUTLET CLOTHING COMPANY, First and Morrison streets. We wish to state that the methods heretofore pursued by the OUTLET COMPANY will not be tolerated by us. Every price and quality advertised will be the TRUE ONE. No misrepresentation will be permitted. MONEY WILL BE CHEERFULLY REFUNDED WHEN DESIRED.

Here Are Some of the Reductions:

Men's Suits	Men's Pants	Men's Shirts
OUTLET PRICE \$15.00— SALE PRICE\$7.50	OUTLET PRICE \$2.00— SALE PRICE95¢	\$2.00 GOLF SHIRTS.....\$1.49
OUTLET PRICE \$20.00— SALE PRICE\$10.00	OUTLET PRICE \$2.50— SALE PRICE\$1.15	\$1.50 GOLF SHIRTS.....98¢
OUTLET PRICE \$25.00— SALE PRICE\$12.50	OUTLET PRICE \$3.00— SALE PRICE\$1.85	\$1.00 GOLF SHIRTS.....78¢
		75c GOLF SHIRTS.....39¢

EVERY ARTICLE IN THE STORE except collars GREATLY REDUCED—Note the Location

MOYER

FIRST AND
MORRISON
STREETS

CIGARETTES CAUSE LAD TO SIDESTEP A \$1200 OPPORTUNITY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Or., April 7.—L. A. Raup, the 20-year-old Milton lad who planned a fake kidnapping scheme to extort \$1200 from his uncle, Sam A. Miller, and who is now in the county jail in Pendleton awaiting the action of the grand jury, says he planned the whole scheme simply because he needed the money. He talks freely, and seems thoroughly repentant. He denies having emulated any other kidnapers, but admits that he did all of the planning and executing.

That the scheme was well planned and that he would have secured the \$1200 from his uncle, who is a former mayor of Milton and president of a Milton nursery company, had he kept his nerve at the critical time. But for this lapse of grit the details of the scheme would have worked out nicely.

\$1200 Ransom for Nephew.
It was early on Monday morning that Sam A. Miller received a letter stating that a party of kidnapers had stolen his nephew, and that he must pay a ransom of \$1200. The letter was not signed, but the mysterious "We" stated that if the money were not deposited at the ex-Milton mayor's house by 11 o'clock Monday night, the nephew would be killed, also the captured nephew, incriminated. The letter provided full details for depositing of the money. It was to be carried down the railroad track east from Milton at 11 o'clock Monday night, to a point where Miller would see a dim light burning.

The money was to be left at this point and the light to be turned around as a signal. This done the mysterious "We" promised to return the nephew unharmed and not to molest the daughter of the ex-Milton mayor. The ransom was not to be reported until the kidnaped nephew had been returned.

As soon as the uncle of the would-be blackmailer received the letter, he at once secured a man to take it in an automobile to Sheriff Taylor at Pendleton. The 30 mile trip was made in record time and the sheriff and Deputy Bert Wilson at once left for the supposed scene of the kidnapping, arriving at about 5 Monday evening.

Youth Returns to Uncle.
Meantime Mr. Miller was preparing to follow the directions of the blackmailer. He had drawn \$1200 in cash from the bank and was prepared to deposit it as directed.

It was just at this time that the unexpected occurred. The supposedly kidnaped nephew returned to the home of his uncle, saying that he had escaped from the two kidnapers while they were playing cards and drinking behind a certain haystack where with their captive they were in waiting for the ransom money. At the home of the uncle he told how he had been seized by the two kidnapers while on the way to town Sunday night to buy some tobacco. He would tell little about them excepting that they were men from the neighboring county of Fremont.

With this unexpected turn of affairs the sheriff decided that young Raup must at least have had some hand in the attempted blackmail, and he was arrested and brought to Pendleton and placed in jail. Confronted by incriminating evidence young Raup confessed that he himself, besides being the supposed victim, was also the whole gang of kidnapers, and that he was responsible for the whole plot and the threatening letters. His plan had been simple. He had merely written the threatening letter, then gone in hiding on Sunday night and awaited developments.

One thing, however, he did not count on falling—and that perhaps the most

important thing—his nerve. Traits and circumstances showed their force here. Young Raup is an inveterate cigarette smoker, and the fact that the worst wind storm in three years or more in Umatilla county was howling about him during the day that he was in hiding as a supposed kidnaper may have had its effect.

Needed Money to Start Anew.
In an interview in the county jail he denied that he was a disciple of the Whittier or Pat Crowe school, but maintained that his financial circumstances were so straitened that he had resorted to the bold method of kidnapping himself and blackmailing his mother's brother in the attempt to "make a raise."

It was his plan, he says to leave the country whether he received the money or not, and to make a new start.

He claims that on becoming repentant he intended to have made a full confession of the matter had he met the uncle. On being confronted by the aunt and daughter, however, he attempted to carry out the bluff, saying that he had just escaped from the kidnapers.

With the exception of two years spent in the mines of northern Idaho, young Raup has lived his entire 20 years in Milton. He is of a respected family. His father is dead and his mother is in California. It is likely that he will be retained in the county jail until the meeting of the grand jury here next Monday.

DIARY BACKS UP DIVORCE PETITION

When This Is Pulled On
Hubby He Puts Himself
in Lawyers' Hands.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

St. Louis, Mo., April 7.—After keeping a careful record of her husband's every action, from the date of their marriage to the time she began divorce proceedings against him, Mrs. Frances Posey, wife of Oliver W. Posey, son of the California capitalist, is armed with information, which promises to create a sensation when the case comes to trial.

Discovery that Mrs. Posey had kept a diary in which everything he did was set down was made by Posey when he attempted to deny certain allegations made in her divorce complaint.

Confronted with a positive record of his past life, Posey could only gasp and tell his lawyers, "Do your best."

The Poseys were married in New York, November 15, 1906.

Irrigation District Elects.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Whita Salmon, Wash., April 7.—The annual election of directors for the White Salmon Irrigation district was held today. John G. Wiers, R. Later-

bach and J. B. Humphrey, were reelected by a practically unanimous vote to serve for the next year.

Free Premiums.
"Monopoly" extract, vanilla or lemon flavor, with each cash classified ad. in next Sunday's Journal. See announcement on classified pages today.

See Miller's clothing advertisement on page 2.

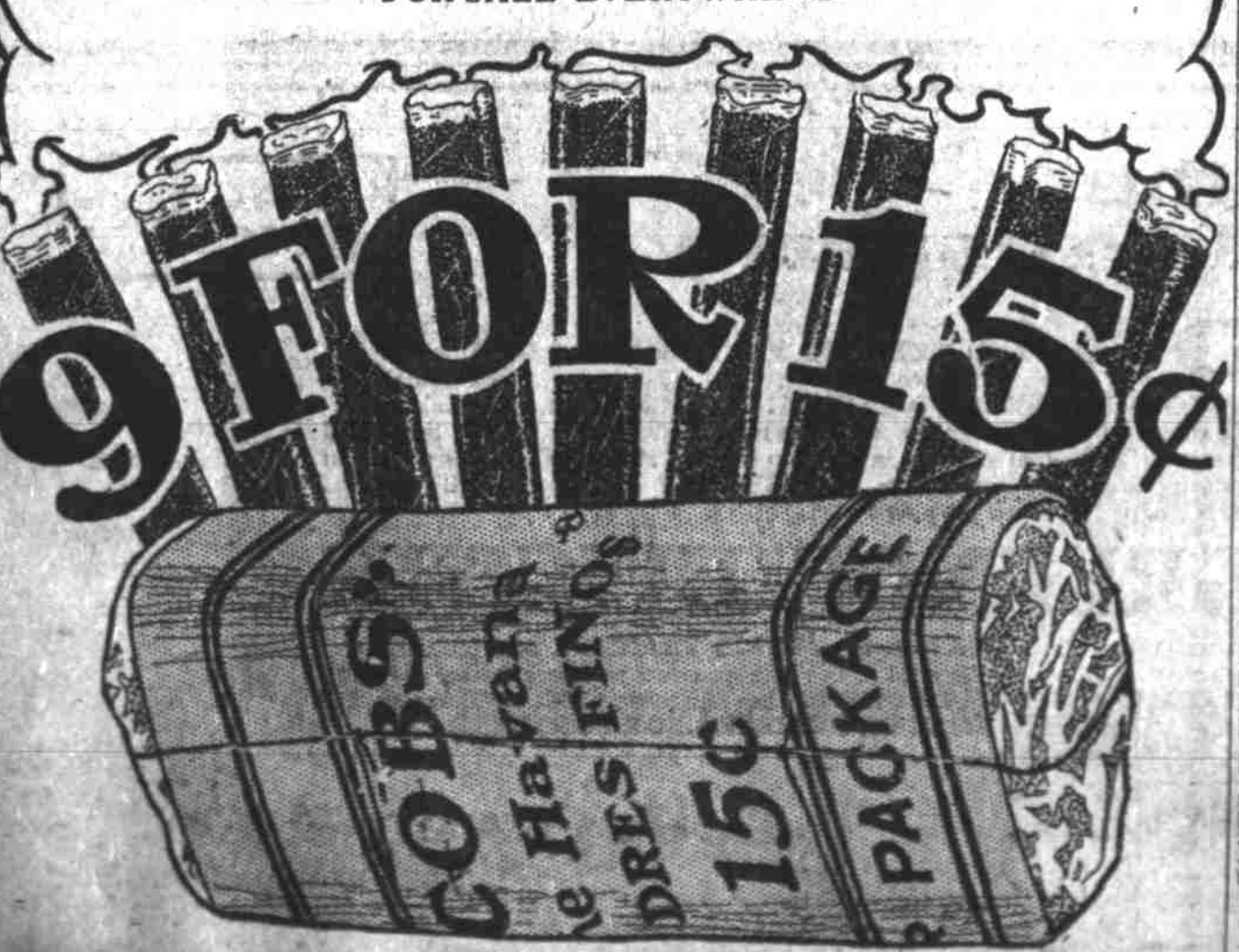
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New Process Ranges

Cooking by gas is far ahead of any other method, and the Gas Range is the greatest modern kitchen convenience. The "New Process" Gas Ranges are built right—in sizes and styles to meet every demand. Construction of burners is one of the superior features—scientifically correct—by which proper mechanical mixture of gas and air is secured—cooking is done at less expense than is possible with any other stove. These ranges priced from \$14.50 up, including connections.