

CO. SQUADMEN KIND TO SALOONIST WHO SELLS MINOR BEER

Martin Denny Admits Foamy Beverage Sold to Girl in His Saloon; Pleads for Time; License Not Revoked.

Mary Webber, 17 years old and fresh from the country, went into the so-called "grill" run by Martin Denny, notorious drinkkeeper, and ordered a glass of water. The saloon companions and an elderly female, who were with Mary, ordered beer. So the waiter brought beer for Mary, too. The girl being very thirsty did not wait for water.

Two policemen watched Mary through the window curtains of the "Denny." They took the girl and her companions to the police station. The waiter was fined \$50 by Police Judge Bennett. The same fine was levied against each of the young men who took Mary and the other women into Denny's. Selling liquor to minors was the charge under which the waiter was convicted. His case has been appealed to the circuit court.

Committee Hears Story.
All of the things just related and more besides were presented at a meeting of the liquor license committee of the city council yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Lela G. Baldwin, chief of the police department for the public safety of women. Mary Webber came with Mrs. Baldwin to testify before the committee her testimony in the police court.

The girl told the councilmen, in answer to a question put to her by Councilman Cellars, that her party of four had been served with beer and a sandwich when the drinks were brought. Martin Denny, who also appeared before the committee, admitted that this was merely a bluff to keep within the law, which provides that no liquor may be served in restaurants without a full meal being served with the drinks.

Denny and the witnesses against his water had been summoned to the committee meeting merely in order that the committee might investigate. The liquor purveyor was not wanted to show cause why his license should not be revoked, which indeed he could not.

Wait for Court Decision.
Nevertheless he asked the committee not to take any action toward a revocation of his license until the appeal case in the circuit court had been decided. As there are no prospects that this case will even be set down for hearing within the next six months, Denny's annual license will have expired by the time the committee acts, for at the suggestion of Councilman Wallace, further consideration of the evidence was deferred until the circuit court shall have rendered a decision.

"It takes the heart out of our work in behalf of young women when the council liquor license committee falls repeatedly and persistently to aid us," said Mrs. Baldwin, speaking for herself and the police, after the committee had adjourned.

Mrs. Baldwin found before the session was over that she, and not Denny, was under fire. Councilman Belding was especially angry, he said, because Mrs. Baldwin had failed to bring the woman companion of the country girl before the committee. Mr. Belding said he thought the woman was guiltier than the saloonman.

Dark Corner in Grill.
Mr. Belding said also that he knew of a "high toned" grill down town where you could go and take a girl into a dark corner where no one could see you. Asked by Councilman Cellars for the name of this place, he said it was the Perkins.

"Why don't the police go after the Perkins and the Oregon and the Portland?" yelled Councilman Belding, in mighty wrath at Mrs. Baldwin.

"Now you're talking," or words to the same effect, issued from the lips of Councilman Watkins.

"I have gone by Denny's nearly every day," continued Mr. Watkins, in the ward is Denny's, "and I am able to look through his window and see what is going on."

Denny, with fearful countenance and quivering lip, approached the table to offer an explanation.

"Unfortunate," says Denny.
"Gentlemen, this has been an unfortunate—I may say, yes, a very unfortunate affair, but—well, it could not be helped," he said. "You see, I was in the hospital and could not prevent the happening. But, then, to be frank with you, I don't suppose I would have been able to prevent the sale of liquor to this young girl, even had I been there. I think it was unavoidable."

\$100 FINE FOR LOCAL OPTION LAW FRACTURE

Special Dispatch to The Journal.
Hosburg, Or., May 24.—Harry Strong was found guilty of selling whiskey in violation of the local option law, in the circuit court here yesterday, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and to serve 30 days in jail.

Following the acquittal by a jury of Al North, charged with violating the local option law, Judge Hamilton dismissed the indictments against George Culver, S. J. Reitenstein and Joseph Bartholomew. The state witnesses in these cases were F. T. Plank, Thomas Linn and O. R. Linn, of Eugene, employed by the local branch of the Oregon Anti-Saloon league.

Edward Morton, a professional strong man, who has been showing in vaudeville, was convicted of a statutory offense and was sentenced to three months in the county jail. Mrs. V. E. DeHart Parker entered a plea of guilty to a similar charge and paid a fine of \$50.

Gilbert M. Hitchcock, representative in congress from the Second Nebraska district, is a candidate for the United States senate.

ALBANY CHIEF FINDS PLUNDER

Thieves' Cache Is Located in Cabin and Three Men Are Arrested.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Albany, Or., May 24.—Chief of Police Mumford of this city has captured a band of thieves who had stored their plunder in the cabin of Mr. Ayres, across the river from Albany in Benton county. He obtained his clue from some goods sold to a second hand store, and upon searching the cabin with the aid of the sheriff of Benton county, found a wagon load of plunder, including such articles

as guns, revolvers, books, photographs, tools, etc.
Among the books was found a Bible that had been stolen from a prominent Salem woman. The articles, in so far as identified, show that the gang has carried on its operations in Linn and Benton counties. The three men occupying the cabin were arrested by the sheriff of Benton county and taken to Corvallis for examination.

RACERS IN ITALY POISONED BY RIVALS

(United Press Special Wire.)
Teramo, Italy, May 24.—Six Italian bicycle racers are said to be dying from poison placed in their food by a rival in a race across Italy. The men who were stricken were well in the lead of the field and were bunched. Suspicion has fallen on several of the racers just to the rear of the leaders. The suspected racers have been arrested.

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