

BONE DRY LAW REPEAL ISSUE

Five Hundred Persons out At Hearing on Upton Senate Measure

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The opposition was led by L. P. Farnham, who declared himself the floor leader of delegations from 12 of Oregon's 36 counties. He stated moves of this kind were "manufactured by liquor men and the wet press." He called upon A. L. Veary, Portland attorney, to defend the Volstead act and compare it to the present Oregon dry law.

Mrs. David T. Honeyman and Mrs. Henry G. Reid, of Portland, representing the National League of Women for the Reform of Prohibition, an organization they stated with a membership of 270,000 members, supported the Upton measure, on the basis that the people of the state had a right to express themselves. Mrs. Elden J. Steele, also representing the organization, charged the opposition were afraid to put the matter to a popular vote. "Our law is not being enforced," she declared. Claims Bill isn't Enforcement Aid

"This is the day of modern living and no time for a step backward," declared A. Bennett, representing organizations of the Portland Methodist churches. Defeat of this measure is an economic necessity, he argued. Earl's Not, Yamhill county judge, declared it was the purpose of the supporters to obtain better enforcement, but the measure was a subterfuge.

The hop growers were represented by Louis Lachmued, Salem, who referred to the decision of Multnomah county on a wet platform as an indication the people demand a right to vote on the issue. He cited the Wickiachee committee report as being unsatisfactory to the dry administration. "It is not half a million dollars in a survey of prohibition. Why do not the opponents preach temperance in drinking, temperance in all things, rather than express fear of the people's vote?" He added there never was a law enforced which did not have popular support.

Says Oregon Dry Law is Superior
Picturing the Oregon dry law as superior to the national prohibition act, R. E. Glose, superintendent of the Oregon League of Oregon, declared that rather than drag the state law down to the national law, why not bring the national law up to a par with Oregon's statute. He entered into an attack upon the author of the bill, saying he never had been for law enforcement. He declared, "We will fight Upton and these women's organizations who are opposing the dry cause."

Representative Herbert Gordon, Mrs. J. R. Oatman, Portland, and Mrs. Adda Jolly, president of the state W. C. T. U., appeared in opposition to the measure. Also Dr. E. C. Farrar, executive secretary of the council of Portland churches. Fred J. Toose declared the measure was for prohibition and proposed to substitute this measure for the dry law. Raymond B. Walker of the Portland ministerial association said there was no demand on the part of the people to vote on the question, and that this was not the time to submit it. Elisha Baker, Portland attorney, and C. W. Winstow, Salem attorney, opposed the bill.

In closing argument for his measure Senator Upton declared he did not expect much from the committee, which he characterized as "dry in theory and dry in practice" but added that "if all the senators who have had a drink with me during the past 12 years vote for this bill, it will pass by a large majority."

EVANS VALLEY ASKS FOR NEW ROAD

EVANS VALLEY, Feb. 9.—A petition asking a county road to link the Evans Valley district with the Silver Creek road has been filed with the county court. The petition was headed by Oscar Loeb and bore the signatures of a number of Evans Valley folk.

The purpose of the road is chiefly to give the school children a "safe" and "easy" way to reach the schoolhouse. At present they have to go across fields, pastures or fences, or go "miles around."

GOVERNOR BUDGET ALLOWED IN FULL

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tions are conducted efficiently and I cannot see any need for snoothing."

Senator Staples defended the state tax industry which was attacked mildly by Senator Burke. Burke declared that there was a deficit in the state tax industry of approximately \$500,000 and that much of the tax industry had been sold in the years 1928 and 1929 had not been sold.

Says Flax Industry Great For Oregon
"The state flax industry has been a grand thing for the state," said Staples, "and I do not intend to be carried away by this recent hysteria."
Senator Burke argued that Governor Feller's investigations would save the state many times twenty thousand dollars in the two-year period.

INDIANS FELLED BY POLICE IN RIOTS



This picture, taken at Karachi, India, shows a scene following the disturbances quelled by police charge. More than 2,000 were reported injured in the rioting. Arrows point to two of the victims of the disturbances lying prostrate in the street with the police standing guard in the background. Spectators are ministering to the injured man at the right.

salaries and wages, \$5396 for general operating expense, \$3500 for capital outlay and \$20,000 for special investigations. The budget for the preceding two years was \$95,162.

The ways and means committee voted to report out favorably a bill carrying an appropriation of \$84,000 with which to refund payments under the 1929 state intangible tax which was declared unconstitutional by the state supreme court. Several members of the committee argued that the refund should be made in event the state was to keep faith with the taxpayers.

It was decided to eliminate the emergency clause from the bill, however, when Fred Paulus, deputy state treasurer, declared that there was a deficit in the general fund of the state on February 1 of \$1,415,000, and that money is not available at the present time to refund the tax. In case the bill is approved, the payments will be delayed 90 days.

An opinion received from the attorney general held that the appropriation necessary for the refund does not come within the six percent limitation amendment. Senators Burke and Woodward served notice on the ways and means committee that they intended to scrutinize carefully each and every item of expense contracted by the legislature. They referred particularly to the expense of legislative clerk hire.

Willard Marks To Speak Today To Kiwanis Club

Willard L. Marks of Albany, president of the state senate, will be the speaker at the regular weekly luncheon of the Salem Kiwanis club today.

May Hold Fair A Week Earlier

To secure greater surety from rain on state fair week, Representative Homer Gouley yesterday introduced a bill in the house providing that the state fair be held the third, rather than the fourth week in September. Records show that the rainfall in the third week of September averages usually 15 per cent less than during the fourth week. Gouley seeks in House Bill No. 277 to give the state fair the advantage of this condition.

Date of Dance To be Saturday

The subscription dance which had been announced for Friday of this week will be held Saturday of this week at Hazel Green if it was announced Monday night following a committee meeting.

Income Taxes to Be Payable Soon

Collection of the state income tax will begin shortly after March 1, according to announcement made at the offices of the state tax commission yesterday. Returns are now being prepared and will be mailed out within the next few days.

CALLED TO PORTLAND
LINDGREN, Feb. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Buckles were called to Portland Monday by the sudden illness of their son, Russell, who collapsed at a drinking fountain and was rushed to a hospital where an operation was immediately performed.

MARRIED AT GRESHAM
SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—Silverton friends and relatives have learned that Winfield Brandt, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brandt, and Gertrude Sharkey of Gresham, Thursday. They will make their home at Eugene where Mr. Brandt is employed in a creamery.

STATION FINISHED
AMITY, Feb. 9.—Walter Dickey is almost ready to pump gas again. He is building a new service station on the corner of Fourth and Trade streets.

The Call Board

- By OLIVE M. DOAK
- HOLLYWOOD
 - Today—"All Quiet on the Western Front."
 - Wednesday—Robert Montgomery in "Love in the Rough."
 - Friday—Bob Steele in "Headin' North."
 - THE GRAND
 - Today—Fannie Brice in "Be Yourself."
 - Wednesday—Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. in "Way of All Men."
 - Friday—Double Bill—Bessie Love in "Conspiracy" and Hoot Gibson in "Spurs."
 - WARNER'S ELISNORE
 - Today—Richard Dix in "Cimarron."
 - Thursday—"The Cohens and Kellys in Africa."
 - WARNER'S CAPITOL
 - Today—Grant Withers in "Sinners' Holiday."

To the long list of the explorers and discoverers of the world there has been added one more name and though he may be a myth yet his spirit is the personification of all those men who have gone before and have dared first one unknown frontier after another, until now the frontiers are those of the air and men like Byrd and Lindberg are making history of these last remaining lands. This man is Yancy Cravat and he is the spirit of adventure and discovery, of fearless action which knows no limits and which wins over the heaviest odds—wins because it is right, and you may see him and the remarkable history that he made in the picture "Cimarron" which is now at the Elsinore.

Martin Trio is Released Upon \$1000 Bail Each

Bail of \$1000 each was posted by L. R. Martin, Dean Martin and Weldon Martin when they appeared in justice court on Monday. The trio was apprehended in Portland and brought back to Salem. L. R. Martin and Dean Martin being charged with giving short measure of wood to Salem customers and Weldon charged with giving an n.s.f. check.

Taxpayer-Voter Bill is Passed

The senate yesterday approved a proposed constitutional amendment providing that only taxpayers shall vote at elections called for the purpose of voting bonds and special tax measures. The resolution was introduced by Representative Nichols and Senator Schulmerich.

HEADED TO PORTLAND
JEFFERSON, Feb. 9.—Miss Frances Pierce, fifth and sixth grade teacher in the Jefferson school, was called to Portland Saturday night, on account of the death of her cousin, Ira Pierce.

HEAD COLDS
Make in boiling water and inhale vapors! also sniff up nose.

HOLLYWOOD
Home of 25c Talks
LAST TIMES TODAY
MATINEE 2 P. M.
ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT

PORT BILL IS PAST SENATE

Fight not Over; Struggle in House Looms up on Amendment Voted

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legislature on three occasions. I come here for \$5 per day to serve the people of my district and the state at large.

"We are in a peculiar situation with regard to the port legislation. There is nothing in this amendment except that one member of the commission will be dictated by the governor. I have no fight with Rufus Holman, but I do disagree with the manner in which the senate amendment was put over. Predicts House Will Reject Amendment

"Six members of the senate Multnomah county delegation drafted this amendment and now you want to thrust it down the throats of the entire legislature. It is my opinion that the house will refuse to concur in the amendment and that you will have the port of Portland with you during the entire legislative session."

Senator Moser called attention that Senator Woodward and a number of other members of the upper house represented organizations and groups in their home counties. He said these senators had not been attacked because they had come to the legislature. Moser also intimated that pressure had been brought upon several members of the senate from the executive department. This was denied by Senator Eddy, who scored Moser for his activities in behalf of the port district.

Senator Woodward replied to Moser that while it was true that he was a member of the Portland school board, he had not received any compensation. Senator Hall declared that although he had been a close friend of Senator Moser for many years, he would have voted for the Angell bill because the majority of the Multnomah delegation favored it.

NYSSA BANK GOES IN STATE'S HANDS

The bank at Nyssa, Malheur county, has been placed in the hands of the state superintendent of banks, according to word received this week by A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks.

Deposits of the bank are \$280,111, its capital is \$25,000, its surplus \$35,000 and its undivided profits about \$6000. Officers of the banks are: George P. Ward, president; John Ray, vice president; and J. P. Dunaway, cashier. The directors are Ward Ray, J. J. Sarazen, J. F. Reese and George L. Phillips.

Most of Colors of Rainbow Are On Flower Pot

A unique flower pot was being displayed by Mrs. Albert B. Stewart on Monday. The jar was made by Mrs. Stewart's brother Henry Britt and is a veritable rainbow of color.

The unusual color note is provided by small bits of mineral included in the concrete base of the jar. These minerals are all from Death Valley and the colors are exceptionally brilliant for unpolished rock formations. Among the pieces noted were, mock gold, copper ore, flint, silver ore, agate, iron, demerite and a mineral known as Death Valley fossil.

GRAND Last Times Today

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Tomorrow The Way of All Men With Doug Fairbanks, Jr. Dorothy Revier and Noah Berry

WINS FIGHT AGAINST BLINDNESS



Still wearing dark glasses, Booth Starkington, the celebrated Hoosier author, is shown in an interview with newspaper men in the Wilmer Eye Institute, at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., after surgeons had successfully removed a cataract from his left eye. The operation marked the success of a 14-year fight against blindness by the author, who is 61.

RESIDENCE HERE IS BOUGHT BY GLOVER

A real estate transaction in which property worth around \$15,000 was involved was reported Monday by the Leo M. Childs company, local realtors, when Ronald C. Glover, local attorney, became owner of the former T. A. Livesley home at 618 South Winter.

The home has been owned the past few years by A. C. Nelson and E. E. Ling, and is one of the finest in the city. Glover plans to put it in good repair and handle the property as an investment. In the deal, Nelson and Ling, take the property at \$45 S. 15th owned by Glover as part payment. The large residence property which Glover secures in the deal was occupied until the first of the year by John H. Carlin, tax commissioner, and family. Carlin has leased the property at 1098 E street.

Spring is Here For Sure; Ball Players Appear

BRUSH CREEK, Feb. 9.—There is no longer any doubt in the minds of the Brush Creek croakers that spring has arrived. Sunday afternoon saw a large number of the younger "fans" out on the school grounds with baseballs, gloves and bats. This is a sure sign in this district. The Brush Creek school children have been playing baseball during the school days but yesterday was said to be the first Sunday of the baseball season this year.

4-H Cooking Club Activities Many

MISSION BOTTOM, Feb. 9.—The 4-H cooking club members held their regular meeting Friday afternoon at the home of



Doctor's 3 RULES Big Help to Bowels

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor:
1. Drink a tumblerful of water before breakfast, and several times a day.
2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing yourself.
3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.
Everyone's bowels need help at times, but the thing to use is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. You'll get a thorough cleansing out, and it won't leave your insides weak and watery. This family doctor's prescription is just fresh, laxative herbs, pure pepsin and other helpful ingredients that couldn't hurt a child. But how it wakes up those lazy bowels! How good you feel with your system rid of all that poisonous waste matter. Clean up that coated tongue, sweeten that bad breath, and get rid of those bilious headaches. A little Syrup Pepsin will soothe the bowels from all that waste matter that makes the whole system sluggish. You'll eat better, sleep better and feel better. You'll like the way Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin tastes. The way it works will delight you. Big bottles—all drugstores.

Dr. W. B. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN A Doctor's Family Laxative

TAX REDUCTION IS DIFFICULT, SHOWN

There are only two ways to effect tax relief, Representative Homer D. Angell, chairman of the house ways and means committee, told the chamber of commerce here Monday noon.

The first is to cut down expenses. The second is to reapportion the tax burden.
"With the legislature controlling little more than \$5,000,000 of the \$62,000,000 expended by the state every biennium, it is obvious that any great reduction cannot be made by us," said the speaker. He went on to say that the operation expenses of certain state institutions, now overcrowded and unequipped, was almost as low as possible, but he indicated that the present ways and means committee would do everything reasonable to keep the requested appropriations as low as possible.

Mr. Angell declared he was decidedly in favor of an income tax as a basis of raising revenue, despite its unpopularity in Multnomah county.
He indicated that there was some likelihood that a tax on tobacco would be introduced at the present session and might be carried. A tobacco tax which would raise \$1,000,000 annually, would wipe out the deficit in four years he said.

"After all we get in your country just what we vote," said the speaker. "If we are not satisfied with the kind of government we receive we can change our administrators and repeal our laws. The people shall decide. Surely with this the case we cannot complain but rather work to make corrections when we find existing conditions intolerable."

TODAY - TOMORROW
TERRIFIC AS ALL CREATION
EDNA FERBER'S COLOSSAL
CIMARRON
STARTS THURSDAY
The COHENS and KELLYS IN AFRICA
WARNER BROS. **ELSINORE**

A DRAMA THAT WILL THRILL AND Startle All Salem
A SHOT... A SCREAM... A FIGURE IN THE DARK... Her Brother or her Sweetheart
Both Accused One Guilty Which Did She Save?
See... HOW FUTURE STARS ARE DISCOVERED HOW DRAMATIC STARS ARE MADE Here's the GIRL... and the PRODUCTION
EVALYN KNAPP
JOAN BLONDELL
GRANT WITHERS
SALEM'S BIGGEST SHOW VALUE!
WARNER BROS. CAPITOL