

SHEPPARD FAVORS MOVE TO REPEAL

18th Amendment Co-Author Will Okeh Submission Conditionally

WASHINGTON, June 30—(AP)—The co-author of the Eighteenth amendment, Senator Sheppard of Texas, announced today he would vote to submit a repeal amendment under certain conditions.

Sheppard's statement followed adoption by his party of a platform favoring repeal of the amendment he sponsored. It came as some opponents of prohibition, encouraged by the democratic stand, were organizing a drive for modification of the Volstead act to permit beer before congress adjourns.

The Texas democrat created a stir by his announcement, which was made in a formal statement handed to newspapermen.

Sheppard said he opposed repeal, recommended by his party, but would vote to submit a repeal amendment unless the democratic primary in Texas next month should decide against it.

Sheppard's statement followed by only one day the suggestion from Senator Norris of Nebraska, one of the leading dries on the republican side, that the Volstead act should be modified.

"I shall vote for the submission of the question of repeal unless the referendum in the democratic party primary in Texas on this subject in July results unfavorably to submission," sheppard said.

"Another qualification, so far as my vote is concerned, is that the pendency of the amendment involving the question of repeal must be limited to a definite number of years as was the case with the 18th amendment.

"If the question of repeal is submitted to the states I shall oppose repeal when my state takes up the matter of determining its attitude. While I shall vote to submit, I am opposed to repeal."

Senator Bingham (Rep., Conn.) led the move for immediate modification of the Volstead act, announcing he would seek a vote on his four per cent beer bill, now on the senate calendar, as soon as the democrats return from Chicago.

Congressional leaders scoffed at the idea of immediate action, however.

Quota For Camp Santaly Nearly Filled, is Word

With new registrations of Salem and Silverton girls, the quota for Camp Santaly, Girl Reserve summer camp of the Santams, is almost full. Camp opening will be July 9, when the grade school girls will attend.

Silverton registration includes Miriam Mulkey, Lillian Gottenberg, Geraldine Gates, Florence Hallett, Edna Krentz, Opal Green, Olive Green, Alice Miles, Virginia Blythe, Ruth Shepard, and Lois Gay.

Additional Salem girls registering are Betty Simmons, Lois Belle Wilson, Virginia Steed, and Elizabeth Steed.

Tariff Barrier Against Irish Talked, Britain

LONDON, June 30—(AP)—Great Britain made ready today to raise a special \$11,000,000 annual tariff barrier against the Irish Free state in retaliation for that dominion's failure to pay land annuities.

This was announced in the house of commons by Secretary J. H. Thomas for dominions who told his hearers that the payment due today had not been remitted.

It was learned in parliamentary circles tonight that the rates of the proposed new duties on Irish goods would be up to 100 percent ad valorem.

FORMER RIVALS: McADOO GREET'S SMITH



Alfred E. Smith, former governor of New York, and William G. McAdoo, who deadlocked the 1924 Democratic convention with their battle for the presidential nomination, shook hands when they met in Chicago. They are shown here at Smith head quarters in Chicago.

GRAND JURY DOES FIRST DAY'S WORK

Working its first day this term, the Marion county grand jury yesterday swung into action, and judging from the number of witnesses lined up outside the jury chamber, it was a big day. The jury will continue its work today and probably part of Saturday.

COMMONS CHANGES WAR LOANS' RATES

LONDON, June 30—(AP)—A huge war loan conversion operation, cutting interest from 5 percent to 3 1/2 and saving the government millions of pounds, was announced in the house of commons tonight by Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer.

It was the second financial sensation of the day. This morning the bank of England lowered the bank rate from 2 1/4 to 2 per cent, placing it at the lowest level since 1897. This was the sixth reduction in the bank rate in a little more than four months.

The conversion scheme is expected to bring about gross savings of £30,000,000 (currently \$108,000,000) during 1933, although this would be reduced by losses in the income tax surtax to about £23,000,000 (currently \$83,000,000).

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JUNIOR COLLEGE CHANGE IS URGED

Educators say Engineering Courses Should be Made Semi-Professional

CORVALLIS, June 30—(AP)—Engineering training in junior colleges should be in the semi-professional field rather than being merely designed to prepare stu-

dents for upper division professional engineering courses. Professor Baldwin M. Woods and Professor Raymond E. Davis, both of the University of California, agreed in their discussions of this phase of engineering schooling before the national convention of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education.

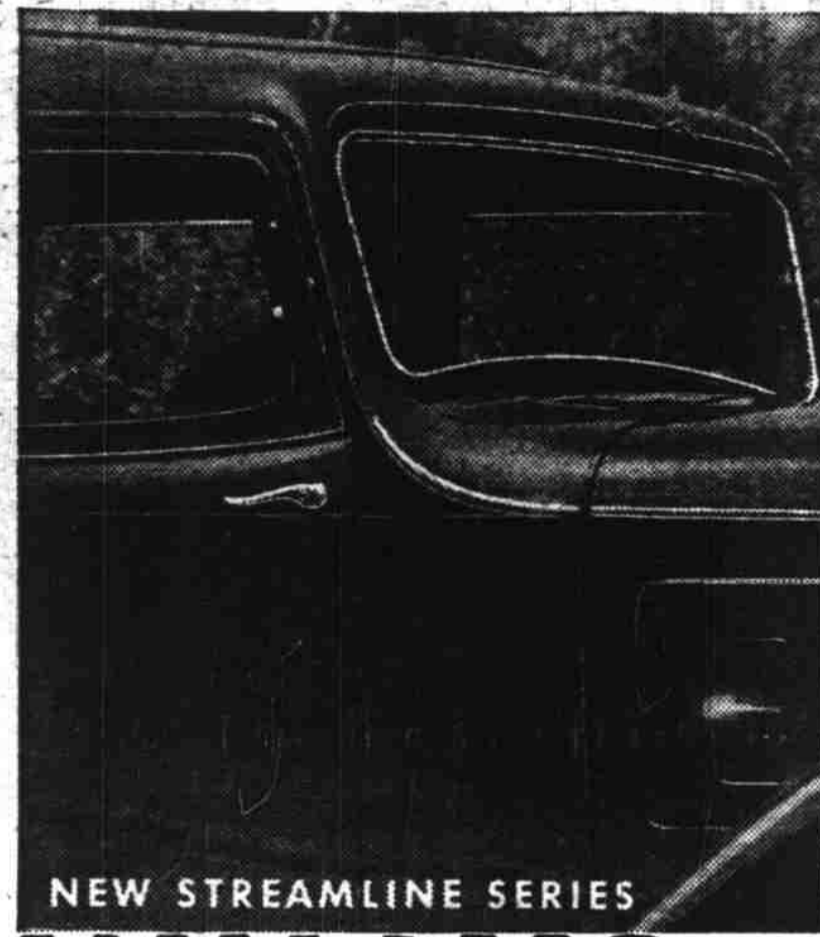
R. A. Seaton, dean of engineering at Kansas State college, was elected president of the association, to succeed H. S. Evans, dean of engineering at the University of Colorado.

college, vice-president; Paul Clark, University of Maine, vice-president; F. L. Bishop, Pittsburgh; reelected secretary; W. O. Wiley, New York city, reelected treasurer; W. N. Cobleigh, Montana State college; H. B. Dirks, Michigan State college; F. E. Johnson, Iowa State college; Morland King, Lafayette university; C. W. Park, Cincinnati university; A. P. Poorman, Purdue university, and H. Rubey, Missouri university, all elected council officers.

The Benjamin Garver Lammé medal for outstanding achievement in engineering education was awarded tonight to Dr. Arthur Newell Talbot, professor emeritus, municipal and sanitary engineering at the University of Illinois, and past president of the society.

Two Pacific coast sections of the national society were tentatively organized today when more than 85 western states delegates met. The northwest coast section will include Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and Utah, and the southwest section, California, Nevada and New Mexico. The convention will close tomorrow with selection of the 1933 convention site.

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Local stores will close as usual on Monday, July 4, according to Charles E. Wilson, manager of the Salem chamber of commerce. The postoffice will be closed except for the general delivery window, open between 9 and 10 a. m. There will be no mail delivery.

COMMUNITY PLANS WOODCUTTING BEE

WALDO HILLS, June 30—"In days of warmth, prepare for cold" is evidently the summer slogan of the Waldo Hills Community club. In keeping with this the newly elected president, Arch Geer, has issued a call for all members and friends of the club to gather at his home early in the morning of July 4.

The men will bring axes and any other tools that will enable them to get out wood. The women will bring well filled baskets. Anyone having an ice cream freezer to loan should call Lillie Madsen. John Kubberness of the Silverton Creamery is donating ice. Frank Bowers is donating the wood and Arch Geer the drag saw.

State Hospital Inmate Suicide

Chester Miller, 48, a patient at the Oregon state hospital, committed suicide early Thursday by hanging himself in the horse barn of the institution.

Miller was received at the hospital on May 29 of this year from Sheridan. His mother lives in Yamhill county.

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