Vinegar Making Prohibited By Federal Statute

It is unlawful to make vinegar, according to advices received today by District Attorney Max Gehlhar from the federal prohibition director at Portland, unless permission is first obtained from the government. Under the state law, Mr. Gehlhar said today it is permissible to make vinegar; but under the federal regulations, advices from the federal prohibition director state, bond must first be made assuring the government that the vinegar will not be made and sold for drinking purposes. Permission to make vinegar will be granted by the federal prohibition director whose headquarters are with the internal revenue collector at Portland.

Big Convention To Settle Claims Of G.O.P. Runners

St. Paul, Minn., Mar. 27.—Only the decision of the republican national convention at Chicago in June will definitely settle the conflicting claims of Johnson, Wood and Lowden factions of the party as to the significance of the one hour presidential preference vote in Minnesota Monday, March 15. Tabulation of the vote by the state central committee ceased when the county conventions started March 17, because election of delegates to these conventions was the real object of the primary and control of them by one faction or the other largely determined the complexions of the resulting district and state gatherings. These in turn chose the men to represent the state in the big national assembly of the party.

The presidential preference vote when tabulation ceased early Wednesday morning stood: Wood 12,627; Johnson 8517; Hoover 4486; Lowden 3510.

That day the county conventions met and of the 86 gatherings, 52 sent uninstructed delegations to the district conventions. Of the others 27 were instructed for Wood, 5 for Lowden and two for Johnson.

Wood Gets Delegation

The ten district conventions met March 19. The Wood forces controlled half of them and thus ten delegates instructed for him were sent to the national convention Four districts chose uninstructed delegates to the Chicago gathering and in the other there was a split, part of the delegates selecting two Wood men and the others a pair of uninstructed representatives.

The next day the state convention of the party picked four delegates at large and left them uninstructed. On paper therefore, the Minnesota delegation stood today as follows: Uninstructed 12; Wood 10; contested 2.

Charges are Made

What portion of the preference vote remained uncounted when tabulation closed cannot be determined. Some precincts did not even open the polls, others registered no votes except perhaps those of the election officials on duty. In numerous instances there were charges that no ballots had been provided for one or the other candidates, these claims coming from Wood, Johnson and Lowden camps alike. County chairmen were generally given the duty of providing ballots for the precincts in their territories.

High School Play Is Voted Success

With the members of the cast playing up to the characters given them for portrayal, and the auditorium filled to the doors with interested spectators, the high school play "The Prince of Liars," with Amory Gill in the title role, which was given last evening, was a huge success.

Archie Holt, as the mother-in-law, Kenneth Wilson, as a chorus girl, and Roland Reinhart as the son of the mother-in-law, were the principal laugh evokers of the evening. Other members of the cast were equally good. The play was given by the Julius Caesars, and was directed by Miss Edna Sterling.

Members of Lloyd C. Hill Post of the American Legion, at Morenoi, Ariz., have pledged themselves to wear their army, navy or marine uniforms until prices are lowered.

Night Riders Of Kentucky Burn Tobacco Schute

Mayfield, Ky. Mar. 27.—The first outbreak of night rider troubles in Western Kentucky in thirteen years occurred last night when between 200 and 300 tobacco growers from the northern section of Graves county visited the Mayfield tobacco chute and applied the torch.

The renewal of night riding is said to be the result of the fight of tobacco growers of this section of the state against the dropping prices of tobacco. Growers recently organized and hundreds agreed not to sell their crops on any warehouse floor. Recently twenty McCracken county growers, at the point of shot guns, forced several growers coming to Paducah with their tobacco to turn back.

Determination To Raise Hospital Money Is Strong

Determination to raise the complete $100,000 fund for the Salem General hospital is growing with the campaign managers as reports steadily pour into headquarters announcing gradual reductions in the deficit. Last night, it was said at headquarters today, $21,000 was yet to be saider. This amount was reduced today to $20,000—yet to be raised.

Reports of the commendable activities of the labor unions in the city were reiterated at headquarters today. In almost every labor-organization in the city soliciting committee are known to be at work, and final report of all the labor unions in Salem is expected within a few days.

CANADIAN GOES TO AMERICANS

Toledo, O., Mar. 27.—Jean Dubus, the veteran Canadian pitcher, for a number of years with the Detroit Americans and later with the New York Giants, has accepted terms as a member of the Toledo club of the American association, according to a telegram received from him at Montreal.

Many States Are Swayed By Aliens Bingham Asserts

In light of the fact that alien residents of Marion county have been appearing in increasing numbers for the purpose of completing naturalization, observations made by Judge George G Bingham in the course of this work in his department are of general interest to American citizens.

Aliens residing in this and other counties of the state of Oregon are demonstrating a general tendency to enter into full relationship with their Uncle Sam. County and court officials of Marion were recently congratulated by one of the naturalization officers following the examination of a good sized class of aliens who were completing their citizenship. Aliens in this country receive the greatest encouragement from county officials in the course of their efforts to become voters of this state.

It may not be a surprise to know that in many states of the union it is possible for aliens to participate in our elections and that it is possible for the alien vote in such states to influence, if not determine the election of officers, federal and state, from president down.

Article 1, of Section 4, of the Federal Constitution, provides:

"The time, place and manner of holding elections for senators and representors, shall be prescribed in each state by the legislature thereof; but congress may at any time by law make or alter such regulations except as to the place of choosing senators."

Congress by Section 2004, Federal Statute Anaotated, provides that:

"All citizens of the United States who are otherwise qualified by law to vote at any election by the people in the state, territory, district, county city, township, school district, municipality or other territorial subdivision, shall be entitled and allowed to vote at all such elections, without distinction of race, color or previous conditions of servitude, any constitution, law, custom or regulation of any state or territory, to the contrary notwithstanding."

Congress has not attempted to change the laws of the several states prescribing qualifications of voters.

In Indiana among those who are allowed to vote are: those who have been residents of the state for 6 months, township 60 days and ward or precinct 30 days, immediately preceeding the election and shall have declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States. Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota and Texas have similar provisions in their constitutions or election laws. Massachusetts is satisfied with the person male citizen of and a taxpayer of the state. There are probably other states equally lax in not requiring aliens to be citizens of the United States.

In the above named states it is possible for a man to come to the United States, declare his intention to become a citizen, and without renouncing his allegiance to a foreign sovereign, or obligating himself to our government, in from sixty days to six months cast a ballot for the election of presidential electors and members of congress, as well, also, for state and county officials. During this time the alien will owe allegiance to a foreign ruler. Not only this but in some of the same states they are eligible to hold office.

The right to vote is not a privilege of citizenship in the United States, but is left at present, to be determined by the states, as witness the famous "Grandfather" clause in the constitution of North Carolina, which disfranchised the bulk of the negro vote in that state.

It is not fair to loyal Americans that some states permit aliens to have the same voice in the administration of our affairs, but domestic and foreign as they.

It wuold appear that it was the duty of the Federal government to take action, if the offending states do not, speedily amend their constitutions and law so as to limit the right of suffrage to citizens of the United States.

It is within the range of possibilities that some of the members of congress who have opposed necessary war measures owe their position to votes of this objectionable class. Notice the states from which some of the obstructionists come and draw your own conclusions.

Loganberry Extract Is Latest Product For Flavoring Use

To prove the attention that has been given the loganberry by manufacturers and distributing specialists, The Phez company has filed a letter from the nationally known Blanke-Baer Chemical company.

This company is specializing in a new true fruit flavor marketed as "True fruit Loganberry Extract." Perhaps the letter which the Blanke Baer company is sending to the trade, distributors, confectioners and bakers, gives a better conception of the place which the great Salem berry has won for itself than anything else can do.

The circular is addressed from the St. Louis office of the chemical company. The statement that "in advance of public opinion, Blanke-Baer has for years extracted all the real flavor of the loganberry—" is worthy of comment, humorous or otherwise. The letter is dated March 13, and follows:

Gentlemen:

A New Flavor Hit

A snug half million dollars is what Loganberry growers are spending in leading magazines — The Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal, etc., to advertise the new wonder fruit (loganberry.)

The call for loganberry has swept the country and up-to the minute candy and confection people, are now adopting it as the Flavor.

That dark, deep, red berry with a snappy sparkling zesty flavor, is worth all the attention it is getting. Drinks, candy confections, icecream, anything that needs flavor is now wanted in loganberry—they all want it—everybody wants it.

The Demand is Due to the Taste

In advance of public opinion, the House of Blanke Baer has for years, extracted into a concentrated form all of the real fruity flavor of the loganberry, retaining the natural color, aroma and snappy taste—100 per cent pure and with a freshness of flavor equal to a bowlful of ripe loganberries.

As originators of true fruit extracts, we offer today the opportunity to secure at exceptional attractive prices our True Fruit Loganberry Extact, recognized as the finest true fruit extract on the market today, especially adapted for fine candy and confections.

Incorporations.

The capital stock of the Lumbermen's Clearing House company has been increased from $100,000 to $250,000 according to a certificate filed with the state corporation department here Friday.

Articles of incorperation were filed Friday as follows:

Cooper-Carey Motor Co., The Dalles; $5000; J. A. Cooper, F. C. Carsy and J. L. Childers.

Hamilton Auto Company, Portland, $25,000; C. E. Hamilton, M. R. Calderwood and Homer D. Angell.

Elite Garage, Portinad, $10,000; Wm. C. Bellows, C. C. Brown and John P. Hanaan

The Centrel Corporation, Portland $25,000; Fred G. Meyer, E. Olson and L. E. Schmidt.

J. L. Caldwell, Inc., Portland; $10,000, J. L. Caldwell, R. G. MacFarlane and Allen Joy.

Oakridge Lumber Company, Oakridge, Lake County; $15,000; C. S. Williams E. I. E. Smith and Levi Rodlum

Rush, Parkinson Company, Portland, $25,000; Winnifred K. Bush, Earl Parkinson and Eugene S. Bush.

Declaration of intention to operate in Oregon was filed by the Wells Brothers Construction compnay, a Maine corporation capitalized at $500,000. P. A. Wells, Yeon building, Portland, is named as attorney-in-fact for Oregon.

The name of the Hewitt Commission company, Inc., Portland, is changed to T. R. Hewitt & Co., and the capital increased from $1000 to $5000 according to supplementary articles filed.

Resolutions of dissolution were filed b ythe Darowish-Allen company and the Twin States Motor Car company both of Portland.