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LIQUOR LAW IS EFFECTIVE

After January First and Federal Court Will Show Hand.

Another phase in the great campaign against liquor will come to force the first of next month, when the revised penal code of the United States is to become effective. Many of the changes made in the penal laws by the Sixtieth Congress were of minor interest, but the section relating to the shipment of intoxicating liquors into "dry" territory contained new legislation, the result of which will be to make the United States a factor in prosecuting violators of the act. In thickly settled communities the local authorities, as a rule, are able to deal effectively with the offenders, but in certain sections of the south and west where settlement is sparse, the task is not easy, and the members of Congress from those sections insisted that the Federal Government should come to the aid of the local authorities.

Three sections of the new codifications relate to the liquor traffic. The most important provision is that on and after January 1 every shipment of intoxicating liquor shall bear the name of the consignee, the nature of the contents of the receptacle, and the quantity contained therein. It is a notorious fact, so say persons who have had experience in attempting to drive out "blind tigers" that practically all the liquor now shipped into prohibition territory is labeled as some other commodity, or not labeled at all, and frequently addressed to persons other than the consignee.

The Federal authorities already have sent out notice to all manufacturers of intoxicants that their wares must be labeled on the outside of the package on and after the first of the new year, setting forth the nature of the contents and the exact amount in each package. It is believed that if the local authorities co-operate with the Federal Government in the enforcement of the law it will be a comparatively easy matter to suppress the "blind tigers." It is pointed out that from now on they cannot exist without violating the Federal statute, and the assumption of the Department of Justice is that would-be violators would not care to take the chance of falling into the clutches of the Federal courts.

It has been alleged from time to time that in some of the states where the sale of intoxicating liquor has been prohibited in one way and another, the express companies and railroads assisted the violators of the law by acting as buying and selling agents or both. Congress, with the idea of putting a stop to this practice, provided as follows: "Any railroad company, express company, or other common carrier, or any other person, who, in connection with the transportation of any spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented, or other intoxicating liquor of any kind, from one state, territory or district of the United States, into any state, territory or district of the United States, or from any foreign country into any state, territory or district of the United States shall collect the purchase price or any part

thereof, before, on, or after delivery, or shall in any manner act as the agent of the buyer or seller of any such liquor, for the purpose of buying or selling or completing the sale thereof, saving only in the actual transportation and delivery of the same, shall be fined not more than \$500.

LITTLE CHILD WANDERS AWAY AND PERISHES

Eugene, Dec. 18.—The lifeless body of little Gladys Allen, the six or seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Allen, living near Franklin, some twenty miles northwest of Eugene, was found alongside a creek not a great distance from the Allen home yesterday, after the parents and neighbors had searched for the little girl nearly all the night previous.

Gladys wandered away from the house Thursday afternoon. She did not return later in the afternoon, when she was expected to, and immediate search was made for her, but without avail. Her mother who was in Eugene at the time visiting her sons one of whom attends the Bible University, was called home that afternoon on account of the little girl's disappearance. She was accompanied home by her sons, and the search was continued until yesterday. Her little body was found near the creek, and the clothing was wet, indicating that she had fallen into the stream, but succeeded in getting out. Death was evidently due to exposure and cold, the temperature Thursday night being several degrees below the freezing point.

A Leader representative called upon Attorney J. S. Medley in his new suite of rooms in the Woodward brick Monday evening and found him very comfortably located. He occupies the corner rooms facing Main and Third streets on the second floor which have steam heat and all modern conveniences and his library and furnishings are well selected and up-to-date.

Remember the big Second Annual Poultry show Jan. 13, 14 and 15, 1910. It will be held in the big McFarland building on main street, formerly occupied by Wynne Hardware Co.

Go to Parkers Bakery and see the candy heart they will give away Christmas.

GREAT SACRED CANTATA "KING SAUL" AT ARMORY HALL WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

The great sacred cantata, Saul, King of Israel, will be presented in full costume and with appropriate scenery at the armory theater Wednesday and Thursday evenings by the faculty and students of the Royal Intermediate school, for the creation of a furnishings fund for the school, that some much needed new equipment may be secured. The cantata contains five acts everyone of which is interspersed with tuneful choruses and splendid duets and solos. Many of the scenes are thrilling while in act five, "The Witches Retreat," the scene is most weird as is also the peculiar chants or chorus of the witches. The drill of the king's maidens are very graceful and pretty and all in all it is as good if not better, than any cantata ever given in this city, and well worth the price of admission. Every body should attend this cantata and thereby assist a worthy cause.

Personation

- Saul, King of Israel.....A. Earle Owens
- Samuel, and Satan's impersonation of the dead prophet.....F. Paul Wheeler
- David.....J. P. Wheeler
- Jonathan, Saul's son.....Hiram Wheeler
- Michael, Saul's daughter and David's wife.....Mrs. Gertrude Emmerson Wheeler
- Abigail, David's wife.....Mrs. Alice Wheeler Gildersleve
- Witch of Endor.....Ethel Francis Rogers
- King's Guards.....Alva Deardorff, George Gildersleve
- Messenger of Comfort.....Archie Wilson
- Herald.....Lloyd Owens
- Chorus of Damsels and chorus of witches—Ethel Francis Rogers, Olive Parmele, Blanche Johnson, Elyda Moe, Etta Wilson, Nina Randolph.
- David's Attendants.....Roy Wheeler, Paul Barnett
- Chorus of Ladies—Grace Innis, Ethel Cox, Mrs. A. A. Wheeler, Altha Gildersleve, Faye Deardorff, Mrs. D. A. Estes.
- Chorus of Soldiers—Edward Babcock, Paul Barnett, Frank Bradford, Ernest Chitwood, Frank Chitwood, Willis Gildersleve, Kyle Kendall, Lloyd Owens, Archie Wilson, Chas. Wilson, Albert Wheeler, Alfred Wheeler, Frank Wheeler, Roy Wheeler.
- Accompanist.....Josie Shryock
- Director.....G. Edmund Johnson

Ladies of the Cantata

- Ethel Cox
- Elsie Deardorff
- Faye Deardorff
- Varien Dresser
- Mrs. D. A. Estes
- Altha Gildersleve
- Grace Innis
- Hazel Gear
- Fanny Haney
- Mrs. Alice Wheeler Gildersleve
- Blanche Johnson
- Mrs. John Moe
- Elyda Moe
- Ethel Parmele
- Olive Parmele
- Nina Randolph
- Ethel Rogers
- Ruth Warner
- Mrs. A. A. Wheeler
- Etta Wilson
- Mrs. Gertrude Emmerson Wheeler
- Clara Warner

Men of the Cantata

- Edward Babcock
- Paul Barnett
- Frank Bradford
- Ernest Chitwood
- Frank Chitwood
- Orville Clifton
- Alva Deardorff
- Paul Estes
- George Gildersleve
- Willis Gildersleve
- Kyle Kendall
- Almon Owens
- Lloyd Owens
- Jesse Rogers
- Archie Wilson
- Chas. Wilson
- Albert Wheeler
- Alfred Wheeler
- Frank Wheeler
- Hiram Wheeler
- Roy Wheeler
- Prescott Wheeler

O. & S. E. WILL RUN TWO TRAINS FRIDAY

For the accommodation of the Row river valley people who desire to do their final Christmas shopping on Friday, Manager A. B. Wood of the O. & S. E. Railroad Co., has kindly consented to run two trains, or one train in the forenoon and one in the afternoon on that day, instead of two trains on Saturday as usual. Saturday being Christmas there will be but one train run on that day, instead of two as usual.

See those new incandescent coal-oil lamps at DesLarzes Bro. They are just simply grand. You can't afford to do without one. 27-31*

WILL LEAVE SATURDAY FOR THEIR OLD HOME

N. E. Compton, wife and children, who have resided at this place for a number of years where Mr. Compton has been engaged in the mercantile business, will take their departure for their old home at Earlham, Iowa, next Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Compton have been prominent in both business and society circles here and will be greatly missed by their large number of friends here. However, there is little doubt but what after spending another cold bleak winter in old Iowa, they will return to balmy old Oregon by the time the springtime comes again. The Leader joins in wishing them a safe and pleasant journey to the old home.

BUTTE MOONEY HONORS ALBANY WITH VISIT

Albany had the honor this morning of having a brief visit from Butte Mooney of Cottage Grove, one of the champion rifle shots of the United States National Guards. Mooney was one of the members of the Oregon team at Camp Perry, Ohio, last August. Mr. Mooney is a member of the Cottage Grove militia and was in town with a friend, Mr. Wicks, who had to stop in town for a short time on business with Senator F. J. Miller of the Albany Iron Works. Mr. Wicks is a sawmill man and is having some machinery repaired by the local shop. The two gentlemen went to Newport this noon on a two or three days' business trip.—Albany Herald.

J. J. WALTON DIES SUDDENLY

Was An Honored Lane County Pioneer Citizen--Ex-Judge

Eugene, Dec. 21.—The city was shocked Monday morning when the news that Judge J. J. Walton had been found dead in his bed. He had been about town all last week, spoke before the city council on Friday night in the interest of a client and attended to business all day Saturday. He attended church both morning and evening Sunday and while feeling a trifle indisposed did not say much about it as he was not given to complaining. He retired Sunday evening feeling as well as usual and on going down stairs to make the fire Mrs. Walton heard him coughing. A short time after his daughter, Miss Pauline, called to him to breakfast and getting no response went to his bed and found him lifeless but still warm. Physicians were at once summoned and the usual restoration applied including electricity, but the spark of life had gone. It was evidently heart disease.

The Hon. J. J. Walton was born in Rushville, Indiana, April 6, 1838, and crossed the plains with his parents when a boy of 11 years of age. The family crossed the plains with ox teams in 1849, going to California by way of the Platte river and Salt Lake, thence down the Humboldt, across to Truckee and on to Fremont, California, where they arrived in October, 1849. In 1851 they moved to Yreka and in the spring of 1852, to the Rogue River valley, and in the following year to Green valley, Oregon, where father and son packed and freighted between Oregon and California.

The family came to Eugene in 1853, where they finally settled, father and son making excursions to the mines in Salmon river country and to the Oyhce mines. While at home, in the intervals of mining J. J. Walton, Jr., studied law under Judge Stratton, and was finally admitted to the Oregon bar in 1863. He began the practice of his profession in Eugene and in 1868 was elected county judge and served four years. In 1875 was appointed to the office by Governor Grover and in 1876 was elected to the office for a term of four years. Judge Walton also served as deputy district attorney four years and was United States commissioner for many years. Judge Walton has been twice married, his first wife being Miss Elizabeth of Galesburg, Indiana, who died in 1873, leaving three children, Ada, Osie, Clara D. (since dead), and Hattie E. His second wife was Miss Emma Fisher, a native of Richmond, Indiana, and by her has one daughter, Pauline E. Fraternally he was connected with the I. O. O. F. and A. O. U. W.

Mrs. Louise A. DeSpain of Cottage Grove, delivered an illustrated talk for women at the Christian church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.—Junction Times.

And now a fellow has invented an augur which will bore a square hole.

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