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KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES ACT
One of the real tests of the prohibition law has come
in the form of the Jones Act, a federal statute increasing in the formo of the Jones Act, a federal statute increasing
the penaltites of the Volstead law to a higher degree or
felonv, or with a maximum punishment of $\$ 10,000$ fine
 One interesting phase of the subject will be the stand the various states will take in regard to adopting the It is improbable that the state constitutions will permit the automatic adoption of these penaltids without re
enactments or special legislation by state legislatures. It enactments or special legislation by state legislatures. It
that is found to be the case the sentiment of the states will be reflected by their legislative action or failure of
action in this regard. If the states adopt the Jones Act penalties, and they are imposed upon what is called the "little fellows," juries may be even more reluctant to con-
vict. This would bring about a deplorable condition of enforcement and be worse than no Jones Act.
No law ever went further than the people wanted it to go, at least for any great length of time. Legislation,
however restrictive, in the end finds itself on a level with public thought and opinion and with the social and moral one hand and of severity on the other swing back and
forth only to the points of temporary excitement and popular interest. Prohibition will be what the people make it, either a success or a failure. If there are no
cnough people to make it a success, or if thru carelessnes or indifference to public administration the majority let
apathy rule where thoughtfulness should goven, no amount of increases in penal clauses will avail on the
side of prohibition. Federalcourts will be handicapped without the adop-
tion of similar provisions by the states. The real test will come when the state courts are given power to im-
pose penalties provided by the lones Act, and enforceGREAT MEN'S BIRTHDAYS It is unfortunate that the people cannot devote themcharacters of history. Perhaps it might of we well to elim-
inate so many special "weeks" and give opportunity more special programs in honor of men and women who a few outstanding characters are thus remembered so
far as is concerned birtay far as is concerned birthday observances. Washingto andierson is remembered often with more than passing
notice. Robert F. Lec. notice. Robert E. Lee's birthday is observed with con
siderablee degree of devotion. But a few more name would tell the story. One has to consult his almanac to

Maybe some of the cities the Mexicans are fighting for In the interest of peace the United States decided send 10,000 rifles and $10,000,000$ rounds of ammunition Mexico. This ought
turers of munitions

Trouble seldom come singly because it generally take two to make it

The biggest boost you can give our town is trading i it, and supporting its institutions for good. Some people spend their ev
pend their week's earnings

A business if. Support is given a business in to the support give start.
HAZELDALE
The Hzeldaate Literary Society
vid a resular meeting last Tuesday

## TUALATIN <br> TUALATIN

$\square$days in the neieghborhood last week,
and pere the Euests of Mr. and MrrDolly and Bint Thain of Poriland
sent Saturday nimht and Sunday
at the J . C. Smitht home.
Mr. Mueler of. Portland spent the
Easter holidys with his daughter,Easter. Muelier of. Portland spent the
Mrs. Robertidys way. wih his daughter,
Mr. Erndt Livermore and M
Wes Baney, who have both bee
more ture at the home of their bro
ther, Mr. Frank Livernore at Huber
Good Friday was observed at Haz$t^{\text {noon }}$
HITEONnight, Marrh 20 Plans were disy
chased for the mansed show to be
A number of the residents of Haz
Daughters of Scotia in Portland
Fridy evening. An enjoyable fea
formerly of Beaverton. of PortianThe Tualatin Heichts Chickeryhatching esess Tuesday one casd the
A. Hanson Poulter)
Ficken of, Pleasant Hill The
Ernest Heimbach, teacher intich school at Shach, teacher in
Easter with wis parents, Mt hom
Mrs. Huwxhurst He Heimbach.
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