

# DRINKING BY YOUNG FOLK APPALLING

### Mothers and Fathers Will Revolt Against Dry Law, Declares Member Wickersham Group - Change Held Inevitable.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—(AP)—A revolt of mothers and fathers against prohibition was predicted by Kenneth Mackintosh of Seattle, member of the Wickersham commission, today. He was among the five commissioners who recommended further trial and strict enforcement of prohibition. "Because American fathers and mothers are appalled at seeing their boys and girls return home intoxicated night after night, a change in the present law is inevitable," he said. "The home, whether wet or dry when the law went into effect, now demands something be done to keep the young away from the speakeasies.

**Easy to Make.** "It is too easy to make alcohol. Almost anyone can afford to set up a small still in his cellar. As for the taste of the stuff, there are very few left who can really discern. The new generation, certainly cannot tell the old brands from overnight stuff. I should suppose they would be rather suspicious of the taste of the genuine product."

Enforcement of the law to the degree envisioned by its framers, is impossible, Mackintosh said. He criticized those who attacked the commission's report without first studying it, and denounced the reports that President Hoover "dictated" to the commission.

**Prejudiced Views.** "As was to be expected, passionate partisans, without having had an opportunity to examine thoroughly the long report, were quick to put their prejudiced interpretations on such of it as they were informed of, and voice their opinions and criticisms."

Nevertheless, thinking people of the country will find the report enlightening and helpful in coming to an intelligent conclusion on this all-important subject.

"The president never in any way interfered with the training of the report, nor did he ever hint in the subtlest manner to any member what his wishes were in regard to the commission's findings. The accusations against the president are inspired only by the lowest desire to discredit him and his commission on the part of their originators."

In the report Mackintosh recommended further trial and enforcement of the existing law, and if results are not satisfactory, revision of the 18th amendment to make it more flexible.

## GOLF STARS FALL IN FILM TOURNEY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Horton Smith and Herman Barron, New York, who tied for the lead in the qualifying round of the motion picture open golf tournament, were defeated today in the first round of match play.

Smith fell before Neil Christian, Portland, Ore., and Tony Manero, New York, eliminated Barron. Another first round casualty was MacDonald Smith, New York, who was defeated by Ralph Guldahl, Dallas, Texas.

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which this appeal is made is such that it comes down to a bare proposal in the name of humanity that those who have something shall share it with those who have nothing. Those who have must give, and give without delay.

**Must Back Red Cross.** Mr. Smith said: "The Red Cross can drive the wolf of hunger from the door, but the American people must stand behind the Red Cross. They must provide the means and the Red Cross will provide the ways. Suffering humanity cries out to the Red Cross. The Red Cross in turn is looking to you. Do not disappoint the thousands of suffering families who look to you for help through the Red Cross."

Popular orchestras under the direction of Nathaniel Shilkret, Amos 'n' Andy, the radio entertainers, and Mrs. Frieda Hempel, singer, each in their own way added to the appeals.

## PORTLAND, VANCOUVER SKATE TO DEADLOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 23.—(AP)—Pacific Coast Hockey league standings remained relatively unchanged today although Portland and Vancouver advanced each some point in an overtime game here last night that ended in a scoreless tie.

The tie enabled the Portland Buckaroos to maintain their slender one-point lead over Vancouver.

## Thirteenth Bite Near Fatal For Snake Charmer

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Douglas D. H. March, who has been bitten 13 times, is afraid he is getting old and must give up his speciality as an expert on handling snakes. The thirteenth came when he was demonstrating how to obtain venom for the manufacture of serum. He is recovering but for a time his condition was critical.

## SPOKANE WELTER DEFEATS MEXICAN

TACOMA, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Don Fraser, Spokane Welter, won an easy decision over Tony Porillo, Los Angeles Mexican, in the six-round main event here last night.

Dode Berout, Monroe middleweight, gained a close decision over Neil Kilbane, Tacoma, in six rounds.

Jimmy Beck, Tacoma negro welter, won a decision over Jack Sweeney, Bellingham, in a six-round bout featured by a "short count" knockout in the third, which the fans positively refused to stand for.

## COOS CRAB CATCHER DROWNED IN OCEAN

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Jan. 23.—(AP)—When his open rowboat capsized in the ocean off Empire yesterday, John Ross, 45, Marshfield crab dealer, was drowned. Ross was going out to his crab nets.

The accident was seen by the lookout at the radio compass station and the body was recovered within a few minutes.

## SENATE CANNOT HALT POWER APPOINTMENTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Attorney-General Mitchell today made public an opinion that he would revoke the appointments of the three members of the power commission whose names President Hoover refused to return to the senate for reconsideration.

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adoption of home rule for cities in dealing with utilities and the repeal of the certificate of necessity and public convenience act.

**Creates New Commission.** The latter provision would allow utilities to enter into competitive fields without certificates of necessity.

The second measure, which follows the lines outlined by Governor Meier in his pre-inaugural statement, creates a new hydro-electric commission to consist of the state engineer and two persons appointed by the governor.

This commission has virtually full power over water power projects within the state, and the act provides for control of private enterprises from preliminary survey until taken over, if at all, by state or municipality.

The commission is given judicial powers to the extent that it can

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hold hearings, summon witnesses, and accounts and books of private enterprises concerned, and to regulate such private enterprises in conformity with the new act.

**Regulatory Powers.** Provision is made for a preliminary permit for survey, and later for a license, not to exceed 50 years, to the concern which is given permission of the commission to proceed with its project.

At all times the commission is expected to be in touch with costs of development, and is given the right to regulate bonds issued by the company, which bonds, it is specified, must be based on cash or property.

Provision also is made for regulating the finances of the private concerns for the creation of an amortization reserve, and for a depreciation account.

A provision is included which gives the right to the state or any municipality to take over private plants erected under the act at actual cost, plus damages.

**Present Grange Bill.** The Grange bill, an enabling act that provides the machinery to make effective the water and power utility district amendment adopted by the people last November, was presented by Senator J. O. Bailey and a number of other senators and representatives. It enacted into law, its operation will be in direct connection with the hydro-electric commission provided for in one of the power bills.

The bill provides for the creation of utility districts for the purpose of public operation of utilities. The creation of the districts is placed in the hands of the hydro-electric commission, provided in the administration bill instead of in the hands of the county courts.

**Provides Investigation.** To avoid the necessity of holding an election in the face of an adverse report by the hydro-electric commission, provision is made for a preliminary petition, asking the commission for an investigation into the feasibility of forming the district. This is followed by a report from the commission. After that, if the sponsors of the district wish to proceed, they file a final petition with the commission, asking for the election. The commission is required to grant the petition.

Districts have power, under the bill, to borrow money and assume indebtedness, but no indebtedness may be incurred or assumed, except for the development or purchase of utilities as defined in the act.

**Utility Defined.** A utility is defined to mean the plans, work or other property used for the development or transmission of water for domestic or municipal purposes, for water power and generation of electric energy. In this connection it is provided that the transmission of water shall not include water for irrigation or reclamation purposes, except as secondary to hydro-electric usage or in connection with it.

There is nothing in the act, the sponsors state, to modify in any way the charter provisions of any city or town. All property owned or controlled by a district created under the act would be assessed and taxed in the same way that privately-owned utility property is taxed. No bonds could be issued except by the vote of the qualified voters of the district. In the incurrence of debts the district board of directors would be restricted to the annual income of the district, unless otherwise authorized by vote of the people of the district.

**Draw Debt Line.** In event of annexation of other territory or consolidation with other districts no debts could be assumed except those having to do with utility districts or public utility operation. This is a precaution against the assumption of irrigation district debts.

While these measures were being introduced, the matter of selection of Port of Portland commissioners attracted the interest of the Multnomah delegation.

A public hearing on the old age pension bill previously introduced was announced for next Tuesday evening at the state house.



## Dresses Half Price

This is the last week of our annual January sale of winter dresses. Don't delay if you want one of these good-looking frocks for half price. The balance of the stock won't last long. \$39.50 dresses for \$19.75, \$35.00 for \$17.50, \$29.50 for \$14.75, \$24.75 for \$12.38 and \$19.75 for \$9.88.

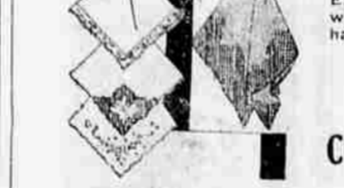


## Women's Slips 79c

A timely sale of women's and misses' costume slips for Saturday. These consist of white, flesh, and peach slips of fine quality rayon and cotton. Regular values up to \$1.25. Your choice

## Hand Made Nainsook Gowns \$1.00

A splendid showing and sale of women's and misses' nainsook gowns. These are all hand made and hand embroidered and on some are dainty bits of French applique in colorful designs. These gowns come in peach, white, and flesh shades and are a wonderful value at this low price.



## Chinese Linen Handkerchiefs Special 5 for \$1.00

Extra special for Saturday. Dozens of dainty Chinese linen handkerchiefs, snow white with colorful hand-embroidered designs on them. These are our regular 25c handkerchief but Saturday during the January White sale you can buy them

## Stamped and Stenciled Lunch Cloths Special \$1.00

A group of stamped and stenciled lunch cloths of pastel and white voile, linen, and Indian head. These cloths are of good size and are of exceptional quality. Your choice Saturday in the art department

## Boys' All Wool Knickers \$1.95

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# New Korrek Dresses For the Springtime \$19.75

Catching their cue from balmy spring days to come, these enchanting frocks from the house of KORREK DRESSES are not only lighter in color, lighter in weight, but definitely lighter in spirit. They're as gay and charming as the most rollicking of spring breezes and have such interesting details as the newer empire line, fullness confined to the hemline, a predominance of prints in the silks and solid colors in the light woolsens. These Korrek dresses come in the popular half sizes.

## New Spring Dresses \$12.50

Smart youthful frocks of unusual charm and at an unusual price are found in this group of spring dresses at \$12.50. New checks, plaids, prints and dots, clever tunic and blouse effects, solid color skirts and chic two-piece ensemble ideas from printed border material. Just the dress for immediate wear.

## Sweaters \$6.95

A smart group of inexpensive spring frocks of printed silks and solid color crepes, just the dress to finish the season with and ideal for early spring wear. The style notes consist of flares, pleats, lace yokes, and adorable collar and cuff ideas. Really a marvelous dress for such a low price. See them Saturday and note the new colors shown in this group. They are special at

## January White Sale Bath Towels 29c

Our regular stock of 22x44-inch medium heavy weight snow white bath towels at 29c each. These good towels are regular 39c each. Extra special during the January white sale

## Bedspreads \$5.95

Beautiful silk finish rayon bed spreads in the standard full bed size 80x105. This is our regular \$7.95 spread and comes in assorted shades. Your choice during the January white sale

## Seamless Sheets \$2.95

The popular perfection brand colored sheet sets consisting of one colored border hemstitched 81x90-inch sheet and two colored border hemstitched 42x36-inch pillow cases. The complete set

## Part Wool Blankets \$3.49

A blanket special for the January white sale. Our regular 72x80 full bed double part wool blankets in assorted plaid patterns of rich pastel shades. A mighty fine blanket, warm and soft. Choice

## Sheet Sets 89c

The popular Housekeeper brand of bed sheets in the large 81x99-inch size for only 89c. This is a seamless sheet free from filler and other dressing. Buy now as this low price is for the white sale only.

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## Crepe de Chine Fronts and Vest Sets, \$2.75 val., special \$1.95

A white sale special from our popular art department. Regular \$1.50 42-inch stamped pillow cases. The very finest of snow white tubing and the newest in designs. They are yours for only

## Hosiery Values \$1.49 pr.

**Pure Silk** Women's and misses Rollins pure silk hose, full fashioned and in service chiffon weight. This stocking is all silk to the top and has the famous Rollins Red Line run-stop. All sizes and all shades. Your choice Saturday

## Chiffon Lisle \$1.65 pr.

Women's and misses' finest quality chiffon lisle hose with a dainty open clock on leg. This number comes in a rich beige shade only. All sizes. Your choice Saturday at Mann's

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## Sweaters \$2.95

A January clearance of women's and misses' all wool slip on and coat style sweaters. In this group are assorted colors and weaves and various styles of neck lines to choose from. The regular values are up to \$5.95. Your choice Saturday

## Silk Crepe 98c yd.

A marvelous collection of light and dark shades of heavy weight all silk crepe. These fine dress materials come full 40 inches wide and is ideal for that early spring frock. Your choice of colors for only

## Children's Sleepers 89c

Children's part wool sleepers in the popular drop-seat style. These sleepers all have rubber buttons and come with feet attached to garment. Regular values up to \$1.25 each. Your choice in assorted sizes. Saturday in the infants' section

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