

MRS. JULIUS KAHN IS CHAMPION FOR LIGHT WINE, BEER

Congresswoman From California Can See Great Evil In Volstead

By MRS. JULIUS KAHN, Congresswoman from California. WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(United News)—I believe in law enforcement, but I am confident that the evils attendant upon the Volstead act as now enforced are far greater than any that could possibly follow its modification to the extent of permitting the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer.

I do not favor the return of the saloon, nor hard liquor, but I am convinced that a liberalization of the drastic prohibition laws we now have on our statute books would bring about a more sane state of affairs.

What have we now under the Volstead act and its enforcement? Look about and see. At nearly every public place where young people are gathered to dine and dance, there is the hip pocket flask, extracted on the sly in cloakrooms and in dark corners.

Daughters Drink. The sons and daughters of the poor, too, are drinking in public dance halls, so it is not only rich young men and women who are violating the law in this hip pocket fashion. Before prohibition, when it could be done openly, there was perhaps one drink and a sandwich and home for those who did drink. Now it is many drinks and young men and women repulsively drunk often.

There is another picture that comes before my mind, or rather words that come back to my ears—the day the house voted on the Tucker amendment. No one could have listened with equanimity to the pleas made by the so-called "drys" to be permitted to use fraud, deceit and extravagant sums of money to obtain evidence to enforce the prohibition laws and not realize they were undermining the whole moral fabric of our nation.

My husband, the late Hon. Julius Kahn, was one of the leaders in the fight against prohibition at the time the Volstead legislation was passed in the house. He always spoke and voted against prohibition, and the evils he predicted that would follow the passage of these drastic laws have materialized. He never had reason to change his original views on the subject and present day conditions only serve to strengthen my belief that a change should be made in the prohibition laws that we are now so pitifully trying to enforce.

DIVORCE PENDING RENO, Nev., Jan. 22.—(United News)—With the Berlin-Mackay romance apparently highly successful, the shadow of trouble seems about to envelop another love affair which had as its principals equally contrasting figures. Mrs. Alicia Glendinning, heiress to the Alfred I. Dupont munitions fortune, has taken up residence in Reno, preparatory to divorce action against Harold Sanford Glendinning, Rhodes scholar, and son of a Norwalk, Conn., postman, according to apparently well founded reports Thursday.

Printer's Sick Stomach and Headaches Almost Cost Job



Mr. K. M. Collins of Woodhaven, N. Y., says, "Instead of plodding through my work wearily on account of sick headaches and sour stomach, I now enjoy good health and ambition, can do more and better work and life is worth living. I have never before given my name to advertise a medicine, but you cannot imagine how different I feel since I discovered Carter's Little Liver Pills."

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association. Hurlbert has been president since its organization 10 years ago. Other officers re-elected were: Levi Christman, Wasco county, vice-president; John Aschm, Tillamook county, secretary.

The sheriffs passed a resolution protesting against the transfer of Tom Word, special agent of the department of justice of Oregon to Alaska.

In another resolution they called upon the public to aid in law enforcement; instead of criticizing unjustly. Speakers today were Jay Upton, president of the state senate; John U. Smith, former warden of the penitentiary; Ed Averill, state game warden; Will Moore, state insurance commissioner and W. K. Newell, federal prohibition director.

HUGE RAIL MERGER IS NOW UNDER WAY

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would be merged into a billion dollar organization, probably the largest of its kind in the country, were further strengthened Friday with the announcement that the St. Louis-San Francisco had acquired a large quantity of Rock Island stock.

The stock was purchased for the Frisco through the banking firms of Speyer and company, and J. W. Seligman and company, fiscal agents for both roads.

The bankers purchased the stock in the open market during the past five or six weeks, during which time the stock of the Rock Island road was the strongest issue in the railroad list of the stock exchange.

The heavy buying of this stock on the exchange almost to the amount of a million shares, forced the price up nearly \$15.

Further confirmation of the deal was seen in the announcement by E. N. Brown, chairman of the Frisco, that a meeting of the board of directors had approved the Rock Island stock purchase.

The exact amount of stock could not be ascertained, but the bankers involved said that it was "considerable."

The Frisco-Rock Island combine has brought into the limelight James M. Kurn, president of the Frisco, who is expected to head the newly combined railroads. Kurn began his career as a messenger boy in 1884. Two years later he became a telegraph operator. Then he subsequently became agent, train dispatcher, train master, and general superintendent.

TREK TO HOLY LAND

HOBOKEN, N. J., Jan. 22.—(United News)—Five-hundred persons, many of whom had sold their farms so that they might tread the soil of the Holy Land, "where Jesus trod 2,000 years ago," sailed Thursday on the United States liner Republic.

This pilgrimage, representing various faiths, had been organized quietly throughout the United States during the past few months by James M. Boring with the cooperation of the Christian Herald.

ATTY. GENL. SAYS RUM BUYERS MAY IMPERIL SOCIETY

Says Purchase of Bootleg Is Bribery for Law Violation

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(United News)—The person who purchases illegal liquor in this country today is paying a reward for law violation, and is endangering the whole structure of society, John Garibaldi Sargent, attorney general of the United States, told members of the New York State Bar association Friday night.

Sargent appealed to the lawyers of the Empire state to aid law enforcement, through encouragement of law observance. He condemned the purchaser of liquor as responsible for the liquor problem, and in a large measure for the wave of crime.

The prohibition law can be enforced if people will quit buying liquor, Sargent said.

The attorney general likened the purchasing of bootleg products to bribery for law violation.

"If a citizen offers and pays the bribe," Sargent said, "and so induces someone to violate the law and make a forbidden sale of what he desires to drink, can that citizen logically find fault with the man he has bribed, when that man in turn offers and pays part of his bribe to some one to violate another law to get something he wants or to enable him to escape the consequences of the unlawful act the citizen has paid him to do."

Gives Logic.

What but logic is there in the mental processes of a man who has been paid a reward for law breaking, by substantial, wealthy, respected members of the community, in thinking and saying "they pay me to commit crime. I will get more pay for committing crime by robbing them of their money and jewelry. They are willing to pay me for the bribery, perjury, violence, and murder I must commit to get them what they want, why should I hesitate at violence and murder to get from them what I want."

"Is it any wonder that banditry, murder, bribery and corruption flourish?"

In pursuing his plea for law observance, Sargent pointed out that without counting the time and salaries of district attorneys, marshals and other salaried officials, most of whose time and strength is needed for other pursuits, federal government expends nearly \$30,000,000 a year in suppressing liquor traffic.

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state governments as much or more. Sargent defended the liquor law, saying:

"That traffic, which for generations has been recognized, discussed and written about by economists, sociologists and jurists as an evil may be marked for extinction by the lawmaking powers and agencies of the country, is not only settled law, settled beyond the stage of even being longer open to question, but it has been settled and rests on foundations of soundest reasoning."

FAIRVIEW-MT. LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Triplet and son, Leland, made a trip to Medford last Wednesday to visit Mrs. Triplet's sister. They returned home Thursday. They ran into quite a snowstorm on Green Springs mountain on their return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Myers motored to Malin Sunday.

Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Will Cheyne last Wednesday. Those attending were Mesdames John Koonz, Van Myers, Percy Dixon, Dan Kaler, Henry Morrison, Frank Stewart, Alice Cheyne, Ray Cooper, T. N. Case, Charles Snow, Vern McClellan, Sward McClellan, Ben Hamilton, L. A. West, Esther Haley, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Haley, Otto Wabbe, Mrs. Schubert, C. A. Mill, John Dixon, Mrs. Critchfield.

Mrs. Will Kaler and son, Oren, called on Mrs. Morrison Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klahn, Mrs. L. A. West, son Dan and daughter Mary, called on Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Orem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Butler and daughters Wilma, Zoa and Helen Gregory called at the Morrison home Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. L. A. West Wednesday, January 27.

TO GET MORE TRAPPERS

According to an announcement made yesterday by County Agent Henderson five or six government trappers will be actively engaged in predatory animal control in Klamath county.

Three government trappers are now operating here. They are Grant Nelson of Worden, H. H. Gubser of Bonanza, Poe Valley and Langell Valley and Campbell of Sprague River.

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Palace Dairy Has Very High Rating

Notwithstanding reports which have been published in Klamath papers from time to time giving the local dairies a rating according to apparent sanitary conditions, the Palace dairy claims actual figures show they should head the list.

Recently a test of samples of milk from each dairy was taken by state authorities and the returns from this test just received here show the Palace dairy milk to have the lowest bacteria count of any milk producing establishment in the Klamath section. For obvious reasons the list of dairies is not given but Dr. E. D. Lamb, local health officer is sponsor for the figures which give the Palace dairy its high stand for cleanliness.

For amount of solids and for butter fat, the test shows all dairies to be close competitors and the records of all are considered most favorable in this respect.

COLE COMES BACK

William Cole, former prohibition officer in county employ, returned to Klamath Falls Thursday from Portland. Cole is now with the prohibition enforcement in Multnomah county.

Cole is under indictment in Klamath county on two charges of assault with a dangerous weapon. He has been released on bonds pending trial.

AUTOS COLLIDE

Bud J. Hodges was held to blame for an accident which occurred yesterday on the corner of Sixth and Pine streets when the automobile he was driving crashed into that of J. O. Stalling, smashing the running boards and the fenders of both cars.

W. A. Foster, traffic officer, investigated the accident. Hodges agreed to pay for the damage to Stalling's car.

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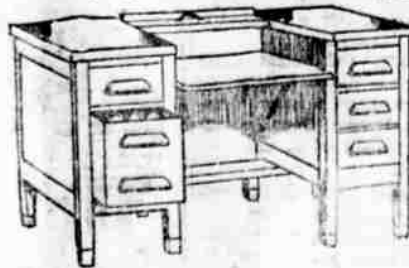
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ACCEPTS LEAGUE

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—(United News)—Germany has accepted the League of Nations to the preliminary disarmament conference next month.

In accepting, the German government indicated a desire for the postponement of the preliminary conference until the dispute regarding the number of allied occupational troops in the Rhineland is settled.

The government is confident of postponement.

BOULETS WARNING

W. A. Foster, state traffic officer, issued warnings Friday to all motorists with whom he came in contact telling them if applications for 1926 licenses had not been made for their motor vehicles they were subject to penalty prescribed by the law.

Foster has a large number of warning tags that he is fastening on the cars bearing 1925 license plates.

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