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10 to 12 | Sugar, 10 to 12
10 to 12 | Coffee, 17 to 20

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS."

Section 1. That any person who shall manufacture, buy or sell, either directly or indirectly, any spirituous or malt liquors, except wines and cider, or any still, stillerage or device, spirituous liquor, or any liquor of which spirituous liquor is a material or constituent part, in any quantity, in this State otherwise than by this act provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof in any court of record having jurisdiction thereof shall be fined not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars, and may, in the discretion of the court, be imprisoned.

Section 2. That spirituous liquors or liquors of which spirituous liquors are a material and constituent part, may be kept and sold as by this act provided and in no other way or manner, only for medicinal, chemical and mechanical purposes, and for these purposes only, by a druggist, apothecary or physician, who shall have obtained a license in pursuance of provisions of this act, allowing him to sell the same for such purposes; apothecaries or physicians in each county shall have such license; and any druggist, apothecary or physician who shall have obtained such license shall not keep at any time a greater quantity of such spirituous liquors than thirty gallons, and shall not sell to any person a greater quantity, at any one time, than one gallon.

Section 3. The county commissioners of the several counties in the State may, upon application made to them, only in this section provided, by a druggist, apothecary or physician, grant a license to last for one year and no longer, to sell such spirituous liquors as are mentioned in this act only for medicinal, chemical and mechanical purposes, and in the way and manner in this act directed, and no other; but before granting any such license they ascertain and find by the oath and examination of two or more sober and respectable citizens of their county that such applicant is a sober, reliable and trustworthy person; and they shall record the names of the citizens so found by them upon the minutes of their proceedings in connection with the or ders as aforesaid granting such license; and any druggist, apothecary or physician desiring to obtain such license shall apply for the same by petition setting forth that he is a druggist, apothecary or physician in the county where such application is made—the place where health drugs and medicines or regularly practice medicine; that he desires to keep and sell such spirituous liquors only for medicinal, chemical and mechanical purposes; that he will not knowingly keep or sell such liquors otherwise, nor in greater quantities than as by this act allowed; and that he will work, truly and faithfully keep and observe the provisions of this act so far as the same are applicable to him; such petitioner shall subscribe and swear to this petition, and the same shall be filed and preserved among the papers and records of the county commissioners before it shall be presented. But no druggist, apothecary or physician shall be licensed to sell any of the spirituous or malt liquors herein mentioned until he has executed and given to the board of county commissioners of the county wherein the liquors are proposed to be sold, a bond with good and sufficient security, to be duly justified in a sum

of not less than \$500 and not more than \$5,000, conditioned that he will faithfully comply with and perform all the requirements and conditions of this act. The said bond shall be recorded and filed as in cases of official bonds, and whenever the said commissioners shall have reason to believe that the party so licensed has violated any of said conditions or provisions, they may put the same in suit and prosecute to judgment, and in addition thereto they may for good cause revoke said license, giving to the holder thereof at least two days' notice of the time when a notice to revoke will be made.

Section 4. A druggist, apothecary or physician having a license to keep and sell such spirituous liquors as by this act provided, shall not sell the same to any one person, at one time, in a greater quantity than one gallon, nor in any quantity, unless the person applying to purchase the same shall present and deliver the certificate of a sober and respectable practicing physician, not a licensed dealer under this act, given upon his honor, to the effect that such spirituous liquor so required are in fact required for medicinal purposes; or a like certificate of a sober, respectable chemist or druggist, that such spirituous liquors are required in fact for chemical purposes; or a like certificate of a sober, respectable mechanic that such spirituous liquors so required are in fact required for mechanical purposes, and if any physician, chemist, druggist or mechanic shall make any such certificate falsely stating or suggesting the purpose for which such spirituous liquors are required by him or required, every such physician, chemist, druggist or mechanic making such false certificate shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction in any court of record having jurisdiction thereof shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars, and may, in the discretion of the court, be imprisoned.

Section 5. Every druggist, apothecary or physician who shall have a license to sell such spirituous liquors as provided for in this act, and shall violate the provisions of the same in any respect, directly or indirectly, or by any still or stillerage, shall, for every such violation thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction in any court of record having jurisdiction thereof shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars, and may, in the discretion of the court, be imprisoned.

Section 6. That this act shall have no force or effect until the 1st day of October, A. D. 1881; and on and after that day it shall have full force and effect.

Section 7. That an election shall be held by the qualified electors in the State on the first Monday in August next, to take the sense of the electors on this State upon the question of prohibition. Those desiring prohibition shall vote a printed or written ticket with the words "For Prohibition" on it. Those opposed to prohibition shall vote a written or printed ticket with the words "Against Prohibition" on it. The election herein provided for in this section shall be held under the same rules and regulations, and the returns to be made as are now provided by law for the election of judges of the Superior Court, and the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State shall, in the manner thereof in prescribed, appoint registrars and judges of said election; Provided, That at the said election a majority of the votes so cast be "Against Prohibition," then, and in that case, no person shall be prosecuted or punished for any violation of this act; and is further provided, That upon the counting of the ballots as aforesaid, the Governor of the State shall issue his proclamation and declare the result.

CHAINED HIMSELF.
HOW A TEXAS FARMER ARRANGED FOR HIS DEATH FROM HYDROPHOBIA.
A Dallas, Texas, letter says: A tragic death has just occurred in our neighboring county of Hill worth relating and worthy of Virginia or any other Roman father. One year ago George Arnold came to Dallas on private business, and while walking the streets was bitten by a worthless cur which was frolicking at the mouth and showing other signs of hydrophobia. Mr. Arnold became alarmed and very much excited when convinced in his own mind that the dog was mad. He went to a physician and had the wound severely cauterized. Then, going home, he was still very uneasy,

and dreaded hydrophobia so much that he hunted up a stable and had it applied for several weeks, off and on. He took every other precaution which was suggested, resting all the time in a room in his system and would sooner or later kill him.

He had a wife and several small children living on a rather isolated farm, and the thought that he might suddenly lose his reason and harm his little babies hurried him. The other day he began to experience strange symptoms, and at once concluded his time had come.

He then procured a twelve foot trace chain and strong lock, and went to the woods. After writing his wife a letter in which he told her what was about to happen, giving directions as to his wishes after death, and pouring out a volume of love for her and the children, he ran the chain around a tree, drew it through the large ring at the end, and then wound the other end around his ankle so tight that it could not slip the foot, locked it with the lock and threw the key far beyond his reach.

The body was found two days later still chained to the tree. There was all the evidence necessary to show the horrible death from hydrophobia. The ground was torn up to the full length of the chain, the nails of the fingers wrenched off and all his front teeth out in gnawing and biting the tree, and every thread of clothing off his body. The body was dreadfully lacerated with these, the only weapons the madman could use.

He had judged rightly what would have been the consequence had he remained at home, and knowing that there was no human skill that could have cured him, preferred death, and in that way to do him harm to those so near and dear to him as a wife and children.

Arnold was originally from Tallahassee, Ala; where he married, and where his widow has many friends and relatives.

"Be composed" as the type setter said to the compositor.
Putty the poor ducks who have to go around barefooted all winter.

Why are birds melancholy in the morning? Because their little bills are all over dew.

I've just got out of a horrible scrape! as the man said when he came out of a five cent barber shop.

If we were a girl, we would select a lover from among tailors; for they all know how to press a suit.

There is no dying the fact that there is a great future for everybody who can live long enough to see it.

An Old Farmer had painted and posted up in his poultry house a large sign bearing the inscription: "Beware fifty cents a dozen." He also keeps light burning all night to prevent the hens from going to roost.

The cheerful giver—He who gives three cheers.
The barber's apprentice is certainly a strapping fellow.

The dog with the longest tail is the biggest wag of the pack.
Shipwrecked sailors never need stove while there is a light of hope left.

She certainly had a pretty foot, but after all, it didn't make half so much impression on him as the old man's.

A Michigan boy ate a bar of soap on a wager, and then drank a lot of soda to take the taste out of his mouth, and the way he spat out soda and soap bubbles for the next half hour baffled the skill of fourteen doctors, who sadly performed about him, not having informed of a lad's suffering. They are all at loggerheads now about what to do.

"What is the size of this place?" enquired a New Yorker of the conductor just after the brakeman had sung out "Up-se-lie," at a southern station, where out a house was visible among the pines except an extinguisher. "It's about as big as New York," was the answer, "but it won't buck up so."

"Don't you wish you was a big man?" said one little wretch to another. "Ker-ty-do. I'm just dyin' to be big enuff to git shaved, an' have one of 'em barbers jugs at me, was the reply.
A young man who inherited the day before a large fortune from his uncle gave a dinner to a few friends. His wife sat at the restaurant if they had no old cheese. "Yes," replied the waiter. "Is it so?" "So long enough to bring the dead to life." "I don't gran it," replied the host.

Add a little wood ash to the flower pots of favorites, and see how quickly it will flourish and improve the growth.
A little boy was just to take a pill, his mother placed it in a glass of water. "I'll give it to you," said the boy. "In a few minutes," said the mother, "I'll have you eat the pill." "Yes, mother, all but the pill."

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