

MEANS OF ENFORCING THE DRY AMENDMENT

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Washington, Jan. 22.—Means of enforcing prohibition after July 1 are under consideration by officials of the Department of Justice and the Internal Revenue Bureau but steps to create special enforcement agency will not be taken till Congress has had time to act on pending legislation giving this function to the revenue bureau.

Officials say the fact that the prohibition measure is a Federal act which never had referendum of prohibition, as throwing the burden of enforcement on Federal officers. For this reason and because of the expected feeling in some communities, that prohibition is not supported by local popular opinion, government officials believe that some Federal agency must exercise a measure of supervision over the law enforcement.

CHAPIN GETS LONG SENTENCE Pleads Guilty to Wife Murder in the Second Degree. A 20-year to life prison sentence was given Charles E. Chapin, former city editor of the New York Evening World when he pleaded guilty to wife murder in the second degree January 14, before Justice Weeks in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court. Chapin is now 60 years old.

Winston Churchil Heckled by Women. Dunfer, Scotland, Jan. 22.—Winston Churchill, the British Minister of Munitions, was so heckled by the women before whom he spoke in his home town during the recent parliamentary campaign, that he finally retorted: "I am only a man, not an over-optimist." His audience was composed exclusively of women and their heckling excited that of the average audience of men.

To Confer on League of Nations. Paris, Jan. 22.—The associations advocating the formation of a league of nations will get into touch with each other next week. Louis Bourgeois, head of the French organization, Viscount Bryce, of the British, and Oscar Straus, representing America, will confer for this purpose.

BASKET BALL GAME Badin Loses To Concord by a Score of 46 to 20.—Large Crowd Present. The basketball game last evening at the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium was witnessed by a large and enthusiastic crowd of spectators, who saw the local quintet add another victory to their record. The final score of the game was: Concord 46, Badin 20. The game last evening was the second one that has been staged between Concord and Badin, the former game having gone to the local players also. In both games, however, there has been much snap and enthusiasm, and the game was by no means a one-sided affair. The visitors played an aggressive game at all times, and kept the Concord boys on their mettle.

MAN LIVES TO PASS CENTURY MARK, THEN COMMITS SUICIDE Friends All Dead, Aged Recluse Succumbs in Second Attempt to End Life. Philadelphia Record. Because he had outlived all his friends Frederick Layton, 100 years and 3 months old, yesterday morning committed suicide by hanging himself from his bed-post. He lived with his granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Gilbert, No. 1428 North Fifth street. A year ago he attempted to end his life by cutting his throat. He was several weeks in St. Mary's Hospital, hovering between life and death.

NEW FACE FOR BOY Hospital Surgeons Work on Victim of Sleighing Accident. Winnipeg, Jan. 18.—Winnipeg hospital physicians are making a new face for a boy 9 years of age who was run over by a sleigh. The boy's face was reduced to pulp when he was run over by a sleigh. Every bone was broken. The experiment will be a success, according to the physicians. The bones were reset and will mould, they say.

PLANNING GREAT CHRISTIAN MOVIE The Methodist Church Places the Goal at \$115,000,000 in Five Years. Chicago, Jan. 21.—The joint centenary committee of the Methodist church began today the consideration of plans for a great missionary and educational campaign which calls for the raising of \$115,000,000 in the next five years.

Corndales are Killing Cattle. Hundreds of head of cattle have died in Nebraska from cornstalk disease. Although the cornfields are small, cattle have died almost everywhere they have been allowed to pasture on the stalks. A man north of Seneca turned his cattle on his winter range, on which he was a silage field of cornstalks. He was a silage field in a few hours. Another man lost eight head in an hour. The cattle die quickly and there seems to be no relief once they get down with the disease.

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BREMEN IS IN HANDS OF THE WORKINGMEN They Have Occupied the Barracks, the Town Hall, the Telephone Office and the Banks of the City.

HAVE MACHINE GUNS IN THE MARKET PLACE The Soldiers in the Barracks Were Disarmed by Workers.—A General Strike Has Been Proclaimed.

Amsterdam, Jan. 22.—The city of Bremen is virtually in the hands of the workmen according to a dispatch to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger from the German seaport. The workmen, who occupied the barracks, the town hall, the telephone office and the banks, and have posted machine guns in the market place and in public buildings. The soldiers in the barracks were disarmed by the workers.

WINECOFF HIGH SCHOOL NEWS. We were disappointed very much on account of the disagreeable weather Friday night, but in spite of all inconveniences, we had a very enjoyable time. Our crowd, though not as large as usually attends our entertainments, was very jolly, and did justice to the dainties which the girls daintily filled boxes of supper, we brought. Besides the twin babies in the had the prettiest teller; and several boxes were sold for other improvements, the remainder of the room clock, and to buy a school bag, and several of them brought four dollars each. One boy spent \$14 and had the happiest time of his life. If you want to have a good time, come to Winecoff.

DR. CALDWELL RESIGNS As Member of Graded School Board.—Influenza Situation Discussed. The City School Board held its regular session last evening at the office of Mr. L. T. Hartzell. At this meeting the resignation of Dr. D. G. Caldwell as a member of the board was submitted. Dr. Caldwell took this step on account of poor health. He was elected as a member of the board in 1918, and since that time he has served in all more than thirteen years. The board accepted with reluctance the resignation. No successor has yet been elected.

NEW TELEPHONE RATES ARE PUT INTO EFFECT Except in Those States Where Temporary Injunctions Have Been Issued, Indiana and Mississippi. Washington, Jan. 20.—New toll and long distance telephone rates approved by Postmaster General Burleson will become effective at midnight tonight except in those states where temporary restraining orders against the companies have been issued by the courts. This announcement was made tonight by Solicitor Lamar, a member of the federal wire control committee.

Senator Jones Criticizes President Wilson. Washington, Jan. 22.—President Wilson's failure to remove restrictions against the construction in American criticized in the senate today by Senator Jones of Washington, who declared it unjustifiable, and "almost criminal." Such a policy, he said, would only compel shipyards to suspend operations, throwing thousands of men out of employment, but resulted in contracts being awarded to firms in other countries.

WORK OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE TODAY The Statewide Cotton Warehouse System Introduced in General Assembly Today by New Hanover Man.

BILL TO RAISE JUDGES SALARIES House Passes Bill To Increase the Pay of Jurors in Capital to \$2 a Day.—Dog Bill Introduced.

Raleigh, Jan. 22.—Senator Cooper's statewide cotton warehouse system was introduced today in the General Assembly today by the New Hanover man, and was the feature of a short session in which Republican and Democrats began to watch each other without calling names. The Senate had received the bill, and another raising the salaries of superior court judges; it had started the bill through the committee on judiciary, and the House passed the bill to increase the pay of jurors in capital to \$2 a day, and a dog bill introduced.

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LITTLETON COLLEGE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE Well Known Female Institution Was Burned Last Night. Littleton, N. C., Jan. 22.—Littleton College, a school for young women, was completely destroyed by fire here shortly after two o'clock this morning. The blaze which is believed to have started in the dining room of a four-story dormitory, quickly spread, and consumed all buildings of the school. None of the 250 students was injured, although many were forced to jump from windows to escape from burning structure. It is believed the loss will exceed \$50,000, partly covered by insurance.

WOMEN WANT A PLACE In Bodies Created for Putting Into Effect the League of Nations. Paris, Jan. 22.—A claim that women be given a place in whatever body be created for putting into effect the idea of a league of nations, is made in a resolution presented to the peace conference by an organization of French women under presidency of Madame Juliette Adam. This resolution accompanied that passed by the organization in which the demand was made that those responsible for atrocities during the war be punished as criminals so as to prevent recurrence of barbarity.

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RUSSIAN SITUATION IS BEING DISCUSSED Marshal Foch Present at the Meeting of the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference This Morning.

ALL OTHER MEMBERS WERE PRESENT ALSO The Council Continued the Formation of the Concrete Proposal on Russian Situation, It Is Assumed.

Paris, Jan. 22.—When the Supreme Council of the peace conference met this morning there were present, in addition to all the members of the committee, Marshal Foch, allied commander in chief, Gen. Weygand, his chief of staff, and Rear Admiral Hope, Deputy first Sea Lord of the British admiralty board. It was assumed from the presence of these military and naval officers that the Russian situation on the Baltic and in the land front was discussed. The council continued the formation of its concrete proposal on the Russian situation which was announced yesterday, and it was hoped would be completed today.

GIBSON MILL NEWS. Numerous Personal Notes From This Section of the City. Messrs. A. J. Rose, S. Z. Mullis, G. W. Dearman, W. P. Whitley and Jay Hendrix motored to Davidson Sunday and spent the day with Mr. H. Lee Dearman.

BRITISH ROYAL FAMILY MOURNS LOSS OF KING'S YOUNGEST SON. London, Jan. 20.—The death of Prince John, youngest son of King George and Queen Mary, will result in the postponement of the marriage of the Princess Patricia and the Prince of Wales. The visit of the Prince of Wales to Paris has been cancelled. The death of the young prince, born July 12, 1905, evokes the deep sympathy of the whole nation. He was the favorite of the entire royal household, and had inherited his father's love of sea life. He died at Sandringham, where the household had gone immediately after President and Mrs. Wilson left for Paris. His illness had given some deep concern.

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APPROVES MEASURES OF RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION Testimony Given Today Before the Interstate Commerce Committee. (By The Associated Press.) Washington, Jan. 22.—The use of water routes to relieve crowded railroad lines, consolidation of ticket offices; unification of terminals, and pooling of repair shops were among war-time reforms instituted by the railroad administration, endorsed as worth of continuation by Julius Kruttschmidt, chairman of the Southern Pacific, in a testimony today before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee. Mr. Kruttschmidt appeared in support of the railroad legislation proposed by the Association of Railway Executives, and was the first of several prominent railroad officials whom the committee plans to hear.

THE COTTON MARKET Showed Renewed Nervousness Today.—Covering Steadied Prices. (By The Associated Press.) New York, Jan. 22.—The cotton market showed renewed nervousness and irregularity during today's early trading, but there was considerable covering with scattered buying which gave prices a steady undertone. The opening was 30 points higher at 5 points lower with January showing maximum advance, and selling at 25.40. There were further notices estimated at 500 bales, however, and the near months soon eased off under scattering liquidation and selling at 25.05, or 5 points net lower. Later months were influenced by relatively firm cables and Liverpool buying with March selling up to 24.00 and May to 22.72 shortly after call, or about 25 points net higher.

INDUSTRIAL UNREST IN GREAT BRITAIN Yorkshire Coal Field Will Be Idle Tomorrow.—150,000 Men Out of Work. (By The Associated Press.) London, Jan. 22.—Industrial unrest throughout the United Kingdom is on the increase. In addition to the threat of a railroad strike, the whole Yorkshire coal field, probably will be idle tomorrow, throwing 150,000 men out of employment, while preparations are being made in Scotland for a general strike for a 40-hour week.

TODAY'S EVENTS. Wednesday, January 22, 1919. Died 22 years ago today William Paterson, the founder of the bank of England. Today is the centennial anniversary of the birth of Morton S. Wilkinson, United States senator from Minnesota during the civil war period. Stockholders of the New York Central Railroad Company will hold their annual meeting today at Albany, N. Y. The annual general conference of the missionary board of the Congregational Church will open today and continue over tomorrow.

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GERMANS REPLY TO NOTE OF THE BRITISH British Requested German Government To Refrain From Further Provocation of the Polish Population.

GERMANS EXPRESS SURPRISE AT REQUEST They Say That "The British Government Is Inadequately Informed as to Events Occurring in the East."

Amsterdam, Jan. 22.—In reply to a British note requesting the German government to refrain from further provocation of the Polish population in east and west Prussia, Posen, and Silesia, the German government, according to a dispatch from Berlin, expresses agreement with Great Britain that the future of the German eastern frontiers depend upon the peace conference. The German note expressed surprise at the request to refrain from provocation and says that the request "can only be attributed to the fact that the British government is inadequately informed of the events in the east."

THIRTIETH IS RELEASED. New Merely Question of Transportation and Demobilization Formalities. Washington, Jan. 21.—General Pershing has released the 30th division, known as the "Old Hickory," consisting of national guardsmen of North Carolina, South Carolina and Texas, and this division will start home at an early date. It is expected that the boys of the 30th division will return via the port of Charleston and will be demobilized at either Fort Oglethorpe, Camp Sevier or Camp Jackson. Efforts to have the North Carolina boys sent to a camp in that state for muster out have so far been unavailing and so have local efforts for parades in Goldsboro, Raleigh and other cities.

Wilson Well Guarded by U. S. Guards Service. Washington, Jan. 20.—While nothing is officially known here of the reported arrest in Lausanne, Switzerland, of Russian and German plotters against President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George, no concern is felt by officials for the President's safety. He is well guarded at all times, and special precautions have been taken for his safety from attack. In addition to the protection given him by the French authorities, the President is accompanied by six of the crack men of the United States Secret Service. They are Joseph Murphy, "Dicky" Jervis, "Jack" Slye and "Jack" Sterling, of the White House staff, and Sullivan and Fitzgerald.

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