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**BOOSE IS NO MORE**

The Eighteenth Amendment to the Federal Constitution became effective at midnight on last Friday, January, 16th. It prohibits the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes. This amendment and the enforcement legislation enacted by Congress constitute the following provisions of a new basic law to be observed by the American people:

"Declare unlawful the manufacture or sale of any beverage containing one-half of one per cent or more of alcohol.

"Declare places where liquor is sold in violation of law to be common nuisance, abatable as such.

"Search and seizure powers given prohibition enforcement officers, except for the search of private dwellings unless used for the unlawful sale of intoxicants or in part as places of business.

"Liquor seized to be destroyed, vehicles and other property to be sold and proceeds paid into United States Treasury.

"Advertising of liquor by any method prohibited.

"Permit manufacture at home for personal use of non-intoxicating ciders and fruit juices. While "non-intoxicating" is not defined specifically, the term "intoxicating" is not construed by law to mean one-half of one per cent or more of alcohol.

Permit manufacture of alcoholic liquors for sacramental and medicinal use under restrictions.

Permit manufacture of alcohol for industrial and scientific uses.

"Permit possession of liquor in home if purchased before prohibition became effective.

"Physicians prohibited from prescribing alcoholic liquor for patient unless in good faith they believe it will afford relief from ailment. Not more than one pint can be prescribed in any month for one person.

"Complete records of sales, including names of persons obtaining liquors, required of manufacturers and druggists.

"Various penalties for violation fixed, the most severe being \$2,000 fine and two years' imprisonment."

By the adoption of the prohibition amendment the United States of America becomes the first nation of the world to banish the liquor evil from its borders. Congress has defined an intoxicating liquor to be any beverage containing one-half of one per cent, or more, of alcohol and this will go a long way to make the country dry in fact, as well as in name.

**THE LEAGUE IS A REALITY**

The League of Nations is an actuality. Representatives of France, Great Britain, Italy, Greece, Belgium, Spain, Japan, Portugal and Brazil met in Paris on the 16th and perfected the organization by the election of Leon Bourgeois, the French representative, chairman and Sir Eric Drummond, of Great Britain, general secretary. The purpose of the League was declared to be "to promote international co-operation and to achieve international peace and security."

The meeting was convened on the call of Pres. Wilson, but the United

States had no representative in the Council because it had failed to ratify the treaty and accept the covenant, thanks to a republican senate.

On taking the chair the presiding officer spoke as follows touching America's delay in ratifying the treaty:

"The task of presiding at this meeting and inaugurating this great international institution should have fallen to Pres. Wilson. We respect the reasons which still delay final decision by our friends in Washington, but express the hope that their difficulties will soon be overcome and that a representative of the great American republic will occupy the place awaiting him among us. The work of the council will then assume definite character and will have that articular force which should be associated with our work.

"January 16, 1920 will go down in history as the date of the birth of a new world. Decisions to be reached today will be in the name of all nations adhering to the covenant of the league. It will be the first decree of all free nations leaguering themselves together, for the first time in the world to substitute right for might."

Thirty-two nations were to become the original members of the league upon signing the treaty of peace, and the United States of America was expected to head the list. The shame of its inability to take the leading role in this great world movement for a lasting peace rests upon the republican senators at Washington, who have brought discredit upon the Republic in a vain attempt to deprive a democratic president of an honor to which he is justly entitled. But a day of reckoning is at hand.

William Jennings Bryan is again back on the front page of the metropolitan dailies and is probably enjoying the distinction. But this does not mean that he has the presidential situation in hand with a down-hill pull. The American people do not like a quitter and it will be a long time before the action of Mr. Bryan in leaving the cabinet at a time when faithful and efficient service was needed in Pres. Wilson's official family.

There is no dearth of aspirants for the republican nomination for the presidency and the national convention of that party is more than likely to be a lively affair. Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, is feeling his way along and it is pretty certain that he will be an active candidate. General Leonard Wood has been in the running for several weeks and friends of General Fershing are busily engaged sounding the sentiment for their favorite. The hat of Senator Poindexter, of Washington, has been in the ring quite awhile. And then there is Senator Harding, of Ohio, Governor Lowden, of Illinois and Herbert Hoover of the United States. A spirited contest is in prospect and the progress of the fight will be watched with interest. The Wood boosters appear to be making the loudest noise right now.

Wm. Gibbs McAdoo looms large on the political horizon as a presidential possibility on the democratic ticket. He is presidential size and would be a strong candidate. If the democracy desires a Woodrow Wilson democrat as its candidate this year Mr. McAdoo can easily qualify. Of course there are others, but the former secretary of the treasury is about the best guess at the present writing.

World prohibition is the next objective of the Anti-Saloon League and the fight for a saloonless civilization has already started. The countries of the Old World have sent over the "Macedonian cry" and the call will not be in vain. \$250,000,000 is asked for to aid in pushing the work along and the quota for North Carolina has been fixed at \$750,000. It will be a prime investment for both the church and State.

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Roxie Dunn, Administratrix of

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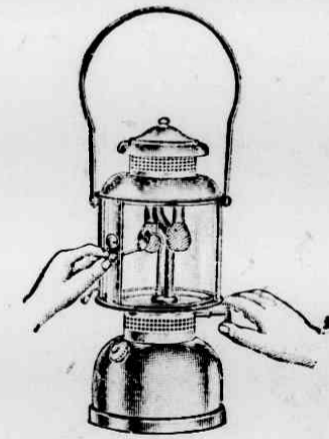
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