

PROHIBITION MATTERS BEFORE BOTH HOUSES

Indications Are That Understanding of Prohibitory Amendment Varies.

Senate Votes to Memorialize Congress on Granting Liquor Tax Stamps.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 23.—Prohibition matters of greater or less importance, significant in so far as they give inkling of what may be expected in the future, were before the house and senate last night and today.

In both houses they indicate a mixed or confused conception of the meaning of the prohibitory amendment adopted last fall by the voters of the state, and they also indicate that in the last analysis both houses will solve their own difficulties without any considerable amount of outside suggestion, save from Governor Neville.

That is the belief of any number of dry representatives and senators, and a number of those members, too, who previous to the November election were opposed to the amendment.

Last night's development was a public hearing on prohibition. Today's development was the passage by the senate of the Beal resolution calling upon the federal government to do away with the liquor tax certificates, sometimes fallaciously known as "licenses" in those states that are dry.

By a vote of 19 to 13, the senate decided to memorialize congress in the matter of grant of liquor tax certificates.

Charges and insinuation were banded about, but the only thing the thirteen orators agreed upon, who spoke, was that they were in favor of a "dry" law in Nebraska.

Some charged that the vote on the resolution would forecast the vote on the dry amendment. Some took fifteen minutes to tell how the senate was wasting time on trivialities.

In the faction in favor of the resolution, part of the speakers said it was necessary so that the government would not interfere with the enforcement of the "dry" law in the state. Others wanted it so that the government would help the state in law enforcement.

This is how they voted:
 For—
 Beal, Lahners,
 Bushee, McAllister,
 Chappell, Mullen,
 Douthett, Neal,
 Doty, Oberlies,
 Gates, Robertson,
 Haase, Sandall,
 Hager, Sawyer,
 Hammond, Spirk,
 Howell,
 Against—
 Adams, Moriarty,
 Albert, Samuelson,
 Bennett, Soost,
 Euhman, Strehlow,
 Henry, Tanner,
 Kohl, Willis Wilson,
 Mattes,
 Senator Wallace Wilson was not present.

The republicans, ten in number voted solidly, "yes."

Mortality of Douglas declared that the "license" was only a tax, and failure to pay only resulted in a civil action. Mattes of Otoe went a step further and called memorializing "a harmless and pleasant pastime," unless it was carried too far, as the senate was doing. Removing this tax, he pointed out, was removing the best source of information on bootlegging.

Senator McMullen of Gage remarked that most resolutions were a waste of time, but this one was necessary. Senator Albert characterized the resolution as an attempt to compel action on a small collateral question of a big issue. It is presumptuous, he said, for the legislature to petition congress which is itself responsible to its constituents. He pointed to danger in allowing the government to dip its finger in the state's enforcement of the dry law.

"Chappell and Hager, democrats, said if the licenses were denied the government would co-operate with the state in searching for bootleggers. "Why would that be, when there would be no federal tax in dry states?" asked Mattes and Moriarty. Other speakers were McAllister, Lahners, Howells and Sawyer.

If the people of any county in Nebraska want to elect somebody to the office of county judge who is not a regular practicing attorney, then it is their own business, and the lower house of the legislature, composed largely of farmers, is determined that they will have that privilege.

The bill requiring county judges to be members of the bar, except in

His Back Hurt When He Stoopd

"Just the one box of Foley Kidney Pills relieved my backache."—J. W. Etris, Etris, Ga. "Last year I was suffering with a terrible backache," writes J. W. Etris of Etris, Ga. "Every time I'd lean or stoop over or to one side, I'd have a painful catch in my back just over my kidneys. I tried medicines with no good results. I bought a bottle of Foley Kidney Pills, and just the one box entirely relieved my backache. It has been some time since I took them, so I think I am well."

Weakened, overworked, stopped-up kidneys cause stiff joints, sore muscles, rheumatism, sleep disturbing bladder ailments, biliousness and various other ills. Foley Kidney Pills are a scientific medicine, compounded to clear the kidneys and restore them to healthy action by dissolving and driving out of the system the waste products and poisons that cause kidney trouble and bladder ailments. You will like their tonic and restorative action, ready effect and quick good results.

Even an amendment raising the population exemption to 10,000 failed to bring the bill any support. Numerous members told of county judges they knew who have never been admitted to the bar, but are giving efficient service—much better service, they declared, than the people would get from some old attorney in his dotage or a young law student just out of college.

Opposition to the practice of some public officials in putting their own relatives on the public payroll was expressed in the sending of the Howard anti-nepotism bill to third reading. It was first amended so as to specify relatives by blood or marriage to the first, second and third degrees.

Peterson said some provision of this kind would be necessary, else an officer might unwittingly violate the law by hiring someone whose ancestry, "if traced back to the Mayflower," would show a distant relationship to himself.

Different Kinds of Coughs.

Colds lead to different kinds of coughs—"dry cough," "winter cough," la grippe cough, bronchial cough, asthmatic cough, and racking, painful cough to raise choking phlegm. Enos Halbert, Paoli, Ind., writes: "I coughed continually, could hardly sleep. Foley's Honey and Tar relieved me, curing my cough entirely." Sold everywhere.

BIG TIME.

The event which a great many of the dancing public of Plattsouth have been waiting for. Prof. Maceo Pinkard of Omaha with his Saxophone and singing orchestra will play in Plattsouth, Saturday at Coates' hall, January 27th, 1917. Admission \$1.00. Spectators, 25c.

Worth Attention of Women.

When you feel too tired to work, wake up weary, have backache or pains in sides, when you suffer rheumatic twinges, you may be sure the kidneys are disordered. Fay Shelburn, All, Mo., writes: "I had kidney trouble two years. Nothing did me any good until I got Foley Kidney Pills. Two 50c bottles cured me." Sold everywhere.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express to the friends our deepest appreciation of their sympathy shown us at the death of our mother, Mrs. Wm. Wynn, and for the kindness bestowed upon us during the time of the funeral. We also wish to thank the different organizations for their beautiful floral tributes. Sons and Daughters of Mrs. Wm. Wynn.

WILL GO TO FLORIDA.

John R. Pierson and wife of Table Rock, both former residents of Cass county, are preparing to depart for Florida where they will spend the remainder of the winter months in the enjoyment of the southern climate. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Pierson throughout the county will be interested to learn of their pleasant trip and trust they may enjoy it to the utmost.

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We oil your harness for \$1.00 per set, and now is the best time to have it done. Also first-class repairing of all kinds at reasonable prices. Ten per cent discount on horse blankets and robes. John F. Gordey, Plattsouth, Neb.

When you see Mr. Johnson, Saturday, concerning your eyesight, you will talk to a man of high integrity and ability, who comes here regularly. Usually not as good results can be had in the large cities. Phone 36 for appointment.

CLAIM FOR \$1,000 FOR BOARD ALLOWED BY JUDGE BEESON

County Judge A. J. Beeson, who has had the matter of the claim of Mrs. Mollie Berger against the estate of Robert Kirkpatrick, deceased, under advisement for some time, has handed down a decision in the matter, allowing the plaintiff the sum of \$1,000 for board for the deceased from November 1912 to February 1916. The original claim was for the sum of \$1,576.50 for board as well as services in nursing and caring for the deceased. The court finds in its ruling that the claimant, Mrs. Berger, is entitled to the sum of \$6 per week for board for the deceased for the period of time set forth and which totals \$1,000. Mr. Kirkpatrick at the time of his death was the owner of an eighty-acre farm near Nehawka, and had for a number of years resided at the Berger home up to the time of his last sickness, when he was taken to a hospital in Omaha, where he died. The case has been one that attracted much attention in the vicinity of Nehawka, and at the trial held in the county court a large number of witnesses were summoned on both sides of the case.

SETTLES UP CLAIM PROMPTLY.

Mrs. J. H. Kuhns of this city has received from the supreme council of the Royal Arcanum a check for \$3,000, being the amount due on the policy carried in that order by her late husband. The local council of this order is well pleased with the prompt manner in which this claim was handled as they were delayed somewhat in getting the proofs to the head council, but it was handled very promptly there and the draft sent to the local officers for payment to the beneficiary.

AN EXAMPLE OF INDUSTRY AT THE AGE OF EIGHTY-TWO YEARS

George W. Worley, who is now 82 years of age, is a good example of industry. He planted his piece of ground to corn last season, doing most of the work himself, and raised some of the finest corn in this section. He was not satisfied to sell the corn, but fed it into hogs and chickens, and surely has a fine bunch. Aside from this he is busy keeping his place in fine trim. Mr. Worley is always busy and we were greatly pleased when he called upon us the first of the week, when he related his fine success at his little place this year, for we know he gets the best out of life.—Elmwood Echo.

SUFFERING FROM GRIPPE.

Hillard Grassman is on the sick list today, suffering from an attack of the grippe, with which he has been threatened for the last few days. His condition is not thought to be serious but the attack has been such as to make it necessary for him to take an enforced layoff.

DOESN'T SOUND CRAZY.

Prof. Emil Reichfelt of Chicago, author of "The Pessimist's Catechism," which started all the trouble, entered suit for divorce from his wife, Mrs. Johanna Tyre Reichfelt and custody of their two children. "Here are some of the questions and answers from the book, which caused his wife to declare he was of "unsound mind."

What is creation? An accident.
 What is life? A bore.
 What is man? A fraud.
 What is woman? Both a fraud and a bore.
 What is love? A fever that ends with a chill.
 What is marriage? A temporary embarrassment.
 What is a wife? An expensive luxury.
 What is a mother-in-law? A punishment for our sins.
 What is virtue, A myth.

What to Do For Bad Colds.

If you want a cough medicine that gives quick and sure action in healing colds, coughs or croup, get Foley's Honey and Tar. It heals inflamed membranes in throat, chest or bronchial tubes; breaks up tight coughs, loosens phlegm, makes breathing easier, stops tickling in throat. Contains no opiates. Sold everywhere.

Shur-On eye-glasses shown Saturday. You will like them. See me at the Crescent drug store. Many Plattsouth recommendations. One of the best optometrists in the country at your service. Phone 36 for appointment.

OBITUARY.

Johanna Tague was born June 1, 1839, near Fayetteville, Ark., where she lived until she was thirteen years of age, then moving to Mills county, Iowa, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Creech. She was married to William H. Tague in 1860. Nine children were born to this union, the husband and two children having preceded her in death. She leaves to mourn her loss Mrs. Nancy Buckingham of Glenwood, Ia.; J. P. Tague, Bronson, Ia.; Mrs. Ollie Temple, Caldwell, Ia.; Mrs. Ada Batman, Plattsouth, Neb.; Mrs. Al Johnson, Bloomfield, Neb.; Joe Tague, Plattsouth, Neb.; Mrs. Ellen Daniels, Malvern, Ia. On account of sickness Mrs. Temple could not attend the funeral.

Deceased joined the Methodist church about twenty-four years ago and had held to that faith until her death.

Funeral services were held at the home Friday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. William Stevenson and later in the day church services were held at the Waubonie church, in charge of Mr. Lafe Wolfe and Mr. Robert Kesterson.

Thus another old resident has passed to her reward in heaven after a life of love and usefulness, and soon the lives of those who blazed the frontier trail will be but cherished memory.—Glenwood Opinion.

PRUSSIAN LEADER SAYS FATEFUL HOUR APPROACHES

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The president of the Prussian upper house, in a speech at the opening of the session, expressed the hope that the present year, "despite its disappointing beginning," might bring peace, according to a Berlin dispatch to Reuters by way of Amsterdam. After commenting on the rejection of Germany's peace proposal by the entente the president said:

"The fateful hour of the German empire is approaching. For the second time war has been declared on us and today, we, a more serious and matured people accustomed to victory, are standing behind the emperor. Our iron will shall turn to deeds and the sharp steel of a clean sword in our hand shall hew the way to a more prosperous future."

FROM PERU NORMAL

Prof. Sweeney of the University of Nebraska, lectured on Tuesday evening before the Science association. This association has been instrumental in bringing to Peru some of the best informed men in the state, who have presented various scientific subjects.

Prof. Hendricks of the physical science department, lectured Monday evening before the Farmers' and Teachers' institute at Brock.

President Hayes has received an invitation to present a paper before the National Rural Life conference to be held in Lincoln February 22.

Dean E. L. Rouse will speak at a city institute in Neligh on Friday of this week.

Jean L. Schaeffer of the De Vilmar Schaeffer studios in Lincoln, is going to give private instruction in violin at Peru, beginning the second semester.

An exhibit of work done in the Teachers' College, Columbia, and in the Pennsylvania School of Industrial Art has been here for several days. The purpose of the exhibit is to show how art may be made more practical and applied to common place things, and to show that a more extensive appreciation of art is possible.

From the thirty-two students who competed in the preliminary debates last week, the following were chosen to represent the Normal in two inter-collegiate debates to be held in the near future: Jack Allsman, Geneva; Stephen Durish, Plymouth; Vern Chatelaine, Peru; Bryan Emmert, Jordan, S. D.; Talbot Hunt, Syracuse; Glenn Kelley, Lexington; Fred Kuhlman, Pawnee City; Richard Meissner, Blair. The following were given honorable mention: Mrs. Florence Fuller, Pawnee City; Myrtle Harris, Auburn; Mildred Moma, Superior; Mrs. Nellie Smith, Riverton, Ia.

The Reynolds sisters, who appeared last Saturday night in a duet recital, proved to be very delightful entertainers. They were particularly charming in the group of French songs in which they appeared in French costume. The duets from some of our best operas proved a great treat. The Lecture Course numbers this year have been unusually fine.

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Local News

From Tuesday's Daily.

Miss Eda Marquardt, county superintendent, was a passenger this morning for Omaha, where she will spend the day.

H. A. Dubois of Lenora, Kan., arrived today to enjoy a visit with his son, E. A. Dubois and family, for a short time.

J. D. Shrader came down this afternoon from Omaha to spend a few hours looking after some matters of business in that city.

B. V. Livingston was a passenger this morning for Omaha to enjoy a few hours' visit attending to some matters on the live stock market.

Mrs. Aileen Franzen returned home last evening from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where she has been for a short time visiting with friends in that city.

Mrs. John D. McBride arrived last night from her home in Omaha, called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Johnson, who passed away last night.

Glenn Perry, one of the substantial farmers of the county, was in the city yesterday afternoon for a few hours looking after some trading with the merchants.

Mrs. Herman Bestor, who has been at Cozad, Neb., at the home of her son, Guy Bestor and family over the holidays, has returned to her home in this city.

Fred Rice was among those going to Omaha this morning, where he spent a few hours with his wife at the Immanuel hospital, where she is taking treatment.

John Meisinger, jr., and wife were in the city Friday for a few hours looking after some trading with the merchants, and while here called at the Journal office and renewed his subscription to the Old Reliable.

Henry Knabe, one of the leading and prosperous farmers of near Nehawka, was in the city Friday, accompanied by his son, and while here called at the Journal office to renew his subscription to the semi-weekly and to enjoy a social visit.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Glenn Perry and wife were among those going to Omaha this morning to attend to some business matters a short time.

George Oldham was among those going to Omaha this morning to enjoy a visit in that city for a few hours with friends.

John Lynn of Union came up this morning to spend a few hours in this city looking after some matters of business in the county seat.

Oscar Larson and wife of Scranton, Kan., arrived this morning from their home, called here by the death of Mrs. Larson's sister, Mrs. C. S. Johnson.

Mrs. Floyd McCert and brother, Frank Koubek, were among those going to Omaha this afternoon to visit for a few hours with relatives and friends.

County Commissioner Julius A. Fitz departed yesterday morning for Lincoln, where he will look on at the sessions of the Nebraska law makers for a few days.

Mrs. W. L. Austin arrived last evening from her home at Geneva, Neb., to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. S. Johnson, which was held this afternoon from the Methodist church.

Dorr, Paul and John McBride arrived today from Omaha to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Charles S. Johnson, which was held this afternoon from the First Methodist church.

T. F. Jameson, one of the promi-

ent residents of Weeping Water, was in the city for a short time today, being enroute from his home to Omaha, where he was called on some business matters for a short time.

T. C. Setz of Tahmire, who has been here visiting his brother, Eugene Setz and family, for a few days, departed this morning for his home. Mr. Setz had expected to leave yesterday but remained over to attend the meeting of the I. O. O. F.

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Paul Heil came down this afternoon from Omaha for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heil, at their farm home.

Dr. L. B. Bacon of Pacific Junction was in the city this afternoon for a few hours looking after some professional matters and calling on his friends.

Mrs. Louis Mittlemeyer of Omaha, who has been visiting here with friends for a few days, returned this afternoon to her home in the metropolis.

Nat. Huston, the LaPlatte sheep man, was in the city for a few hours today looking after some trading with the merchants.

Fred Beuchler, one of the enterprising young farmers of the precinct was in the city yesterday looking after some trading with the merchants and while here called on the Journal and had his name enrolled as a reader of the Evening Journal which he will receive at his farm home.

Peter Meisinger and daughter, Miss Maggie, residing near Cedar Creek, drove to this city this morning to attend to some business matters and visit with friends for a short time. Mr. Meisinger was a pleasant caller at this office. He said this is the first time he has been in this city since before the Christmas holidays, and that it is a little bit too far to come for a man that is past 70.

W. T. Richardson, the Mynard merchant was in the city this morning for a short time attending to some matters of business.

J. D. Shrader returned to Omaha this morning after a short visit in this city and vicinity with friends.

Prof. Pinkard with his original Saxophone Orchestra of Omaha will play for the dance next Saturday night at Coates' hall. The admission is \$1.00, and a good time for all is assured.

WILL SERVE LUNCHES.

W. S. Scott of Murray has arranged to furnish lunches at all sales throughout the county where it may be desired, and will see that the needs of the hungry are looked after properly. Anyone who is desirous of having lunch served at any public sale should call on or address W. S. Scott, Murray, Neb.

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