

### Internal Revenue Laws Annulled by Prohibition Act

Certain Statutes Covering Illicit Distilling Superseded by 18th Amendment, Supreme Court Holds.

Washington, June 1.—Various internal revenue laws enacted prior to adoption of the 18th amendment and designed to cover illicit distilling have been superseded and annulled by the amendment and the Volstead act, the supreme court held today. The court sustained the United States decision in Oregon in quashing an indictment under the old statutes against Boze, Yuginovich and "Cousin" Boze Yuginovich, on the ground that no offense had been charged under the Volstead act.

On the other hand, Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel for the Anti-Saloon league, held that the decision would serve as further support for the dry forces. The court agreed with the lower tribunal in holding that "congress manifested an intention to tax liquor illegally as well as for violations of the 18th amendment."

Boze and "Cousin" Boze were indicted for violations of sections of the revised statutes. The first count charged "unlawfully engaging in carrying on the business of distillers," the second with having failed to keep "conspicuously" over their place of business, a sign reading "registered distillery," the third with having failed to give the required bond and the fourth with having "unlawfully fermented a certain mash."

The only question before the court, the government conceded, was whether the lower court had erred in deciding that the laws on which the indictments were based had been repealed by the advent of national prohibition. "The Volstead act," the opinion said, "repeals all prior acts to the extent of their inconsistency with the national prohibition act."

### Blair Welcomes Church Meeting

Stores Close in Honor of Lutheran Convention—Cedar Falls Man President.

Blair, Neb., June 1.—All business houses here closed today in accordance with a proclamation issued by Mayor John Aye, that the citizens could all take part in a program welcoming the annual convention of the United Danish Evangelical Lutheran church of America, which convened here yesterday. The sessions are being held in a large women tabernacle erected on the campus of Dana college.

Dr. C. R. Mead, on behalf of Mayor Aye, and Morris Nielsen, president of the Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the delegates to Blair. Rev. G. B. Christiansen, Audubon, Ia., president of the church, and presiding officer of the convention, responded. The large tabernacle, with a seating capacity of 1,500, was packed to hear the addresses and musical program that followed. The Blair band gave several concert numbers and the Blair community chorus, under the leadership of Prof. J. E. Carner of Omaha, sang several selections. Miss Gladys Moore sang a solo and several encores.

Rev. Mr. Christiansen, after serving as president during the entire 25 years since the federation was formed, was given the honor of the leadership of the Rev. M. N. Anderson of Cedar Falls, Ia., was elected president. Otto Hansen of Blair was re-elected treasurer. The secretary and other officers will be chosen tomorrow.

**Senate Reaffirms Action On Increasing Navy's Size**  
Washington, June 1.—By a vote of 38 to 24 the senate today reaffirmed its action on the navy appropriation bill providing 120,000 men instead of 100,000 men, as voted by the house.

**Steal Butter at Beatrice**  
Beatrice, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Thieves broke into the Co-operative Creamery company's plant and stole three tubs of butter valued at \$60. Entrance was gained through a window.

### Omahan Chosen Head of B'nai B'rith Grand Lodge



Henry Monsky.

Henry Monsky, prominent Omaha attorney, was elected president of the B'nai B'rith District Grand Lodge, No. 6, at the annual convention in Des Moines Tuesday. Mr. Monsky was vice president of the district last year. He is popular in Jewish welfare circles, having taken an active part for many years.

### Premier Refuses To Disband Guard

Considerable Dissatisfaction in Germany Results From Refusal.

Berlin, June 1.—Refusal of Premier von Kahr of Bavaria, to disband civilian guards, or einwohnerwehr of that state, which has come up on the eve of Chancellor Wirth's program speech before the Reichstag, has caused great dissatisfaction in government circles here. It is viewed as embarrassing to the new chancellor, who had intended to inform the German Parliament that his cabinet was bending every effort to fulfill the conditions of the latest allied ultimatum. There is an impression here, however, that Premier von Kahr and his coalition cabinet were ready to yield to demands from Berlin but that local pressure was too powerful for them to take such a step. In his reply to the central government Premier von Kahr is held to have placed all responsibility for the disbandment of the einwohnerwehr on Chancellor Wirth and his colleagues.

### Move Made for Cut in Railroad Rates

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commission that he had called because he recognized that the commission was the rate-making agent of the congress and that in as much as he had the official right to communicate with congress, he wanted to communicate directly, although informally, with the agent of congress in railroad affairs.

**Working on Reductions.**  
During the conference the president made special inquiry concerning the progress of the commission in revising numerous rates whereby the last horizontal increase had put a burden on commodities which the traffic would not bear. He was gratified when informed the commission had been working on a reduction of the rates of many commodities by the process of securing a voluntary reduction through a concerted action on the part of the carriers.

One of the specific things which the president had in mind was modification of the fruit carrying rate concerning which there had been so much complaint in the west. He was assured by Chairman Clark that modification of this rate was informally under consideration by the commission at the present time. The president is understood to have been much gratified also to have learned that the many inequalities which resulted from a horizontal increase in rates were generally being eliminated by the commission, although little had been made public concerning the commission's activities in this regard. Before concluding his conference, the president expressed satisfaction over meeting the members of the commission and told them that he wanted to be helpful whenever it is possible and wanted to be in close touch with the exceedingly important work which the commission is doing.

### Striking Paper Mill Employees Control Factory

Strike Breaking Workmen, Employed Since March, Forced to Quit Plant—Help of Militia Asked.

Green Bay, Wis., June 1.—Following a day of excitement which threatened at any moment to break into open rioting the Northern Paper mills were dark last night and strikers apparently were absolutely in control of the situation. With the withdrawal of the last of the employees from the threatened plant and the shutting off of machines pending the arrival of state troops asked by the sheriff, danger of an immediate outbreak is believed to have passed. The temporary victory of the strikers was manifested when Judson C. Rosebush, general manager of the properties, met a committee of former workers and escorted them through the mills to convince them that work would not be continued by strike breakers.

Departure of the crew which has been operating the plant since the strikers quit in March was a dramatic spectacle. Under police and sheriff protection, scores of the men were slipped into boats and brought down the river to a landing close to the dock where they were hustled into covered patrol wagons and under heavy guard driven to the court house. Crowds witnessed the transfer from boats to patrol wagons. From the court house the men after being paid off, left for their homes or for other cities. This action was considered necessary to insure the safety of the men, the mill being surrounded by a crowd estimated at 1,000 men and women. A company official declared today the mill would reopen as soon as adequate protection was given by the state or local authorities.

**Wife Says Hubby Sentenced to Pen; Asks Separate Support**  
Separate maintenance and the custody of her 16-month-old baby is asked by Margaret O. Babbington in a petition against her husband, William B. Babbington, filed yesterday in district court. The Babbingtons were married May 9, 1918, in Council Bluffs. Mrs. Babbington charges her husband with nonsupport and abandonment. She says he was convicted of the felony and sentenced to the penitentiary in November, 1919, for one year. He was charged with attempting to steal an automobile, she says. He is now an employee of the city, according to the petition.

**Coroner's Jury Exonerates Motorist in Death of Girl**  
A coroner's jury in Council Bluffs yesterday morning exonerated Geo. Lausman, 809 First avenue, Council Bluffs, from blame for the death of Flora Cue, 9, who was struck by Lausman's automobile on the Douglas street bridge May 19. The jury held that the street railway company was to blame for not putting the child off at the last stop before the westbound car, on which she was a passenger, reached the bridge. She had rung the bell, but the car failed to stop. Testimony was that Edward Isadore, motorist of the car, had been in the service only a few weeks.

**Rains Near North Platte Big Benefit to Small Grain**  
North Platte, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—This section has had several rains during the past week, which has greatly revived small grain that had begun to show the effects of dry weather. Wheat, though short in stalk, promises nearly the average yield.

**Hebron Youth Admitted To U. S. Naval Academy**  
Hebron, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Bernard Cruise, son of M. J. Cruise, has been notified that he has been admitted to Annapolis. His brother, Edgar, a student at the academy, starts June 4, on a cruise, and will finish his course next year.

**Geneva School Closes**  
Geneva, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—St. Josephs parochial school held closing exercises at the parish hall. The program of drills, songs and a musical fairy play was well attended.

**Seven Graduate**  
Hayes Center, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—The graduation exercises of the Hayes county high school were held for a class of seven.

### 85 Killed in Race Riot; Many Burn in Homes

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It was filled, as was also the police station. The remainder of those gathered up are being taken to the base ball park, all under armed guard. The trouble is reported to have started as the result of the arrest of Dick Rowland, a negro, alleged to have assaulted an orphaned white girl. Rowland was spirited out of town at 2 a. m. by sheriff's deputies and they refused to divulge his whereabouts.

First attempts to fire the negro quarter occurred at 1:30 a. m. Firemen, who attempted to lay hose on two burning houses used as a garri- son by about 50 negroes, were turned back by the whites. About 6:40 a. m. fires in negro shacks along Archer street were started. As the flames spread negroes with upraised hands and crying "Don't shoot," fled from the blazing houses. They were rounded up and placed in the prison camps. Adjutant General Barrett took up his headquarters in the city hall and announced that Col. B. H. Markham of Oklahoma City would be in command of field operations of the guardsmen.

**Show Signs of Terror.**  
The negroes, assembled as refugees and prisoners, were being cared for by civic organizations and private citizens who volunteered for the work. Ice water and sandwiches were being served and the wounded or sick were receiving medical attention. Throughout the morning long lines of negroes teamed westward along the streets leading to Convention hall. Many wore their night clothes and ran to safety in their bare feet. Their sunken eyes told of a sleepless night and their ash faces bespoke gripping fear. Men, women and children carried bundles of clothing on their heads and backs. One old woman clung to

### Fires Rage All Morning

But all those who came to Convention hall were not non-combatants. Repeatedly, grim faced men, heavily armed, whirled up to the big hall directly from the scene of fighting. With them closely guarded, were negro prisoners, captured with guns during the fray. After Rowland, the negro, had been lodged in jail last night, a crowd of about 200 negroes assembled outside the building. Armed white men soon began gathering. The first shot, so far as known, was fired soon after dark when a policeman killed a negro who, he said, resisted efforts to disarm him. The body was left in the street more than three hours. A white man was killed shortly afterwards near the court house.

The crowds meantime were augmented and the authorities then communicated with Governor Robertson and asked for troops. Fires continued to rage all morning in the negro section, but at 11:30 a. m. it was believed that the white residence districts which were imperiled would escape. "It would mean a fireman's life to turn a stream of water on one of those negro buildings," Fire Chief Alder asserted earlier. All persons not deputized as special officers are ordered to disarm in a proclamation issued shortly before noon by Mayor T. D. Evans. Persons carrying guns will be arrested under the mayor's orders.

**Rioting Starts Early.**  
Steady gunfire broke out shortly after daylight near the negro quarters of Tulsa, the scene of all-night race disturbances in which hundreds of armed white men and negroes took part and which resulted in the death and injury of an unknown number of persons and the calling out of Oklahoma national guard units to put down the disorders. The firing came from a spot where, throughout the early morning hours, 500 white men and 1,000

### Wood Returns to Manila Following Extended Probe

General and W. Cameron Forbes Complete 18-Day Investigation of Conditions in Philippines.

By The Associated Press. Manila, P. I., June 1.—The mission composed of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood and W. Cameron Forbes, former governor-general of the Philippines, which was sent to the islands by President Harding to investigate conditions, returned to Manila Tuesday, after traveling 18 days by train, automobile, launch, horseback and steamer, through the northern section of Luzon Island. The mission held scores of public meetings and private conferences throughout its travels, listening to the views of natives regarding independence for the Philippines, examining local financial affairs, sanitation, schools, public works, the administration of justice and agricultural conditions. After visiting the central provinces of Luzon Island, the mission separated. General Wood traveled through the northern Pacific provinces while Mr. Forbes traveled through the mountainous provinces among the non-Christian tribes. The parties united again on the west coast of Luzon.

**Other Crimes Charged to Alleged Postoffice Robber**  
Alliance, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Ernest Conrad, 55, who was arrested here May 20 and now is in jail in Denver awaiting trial on a charge of robbing the postoffice at Brush, Colo., May 10, is wanted at Louisiana, Mo., in connection with the robbery of a mail car on the Chicago & Alton railroad near there several weeks ago.

### Breweries Seized By Government Order

Chicago, June 1.—Samples of beer taken from three breweries have resulted in the issuance of orders ordering the breweries seized. The orders were received from the bureau of internal revenue in Washington. This action, the most drastic of the revenue bureau's weapons against law breaking breweries, was the first of the sort attempted in this district. The plants which will pass into the possession of the government are those of the John Beifeld Brewing company of Thornton, Ill.; the Hammond Brewing company, West Hammond, Ill., and the North American Brewing company of Chicago.

### House Committee Votes to Report Out Volstead Bill

Washington, June 1.—The house judiciary committee agreed today to report out the Volstead bill, which would prohibit sale of beer on physicians' prescription for use by sick.

### Judge Colfer Speaks

Hayes Center, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Memorial day was observed here under the auspices of the Loyal Legion, the G. A. R. and the Odd Fellows. Judge Frank Colfer of McCook was the speaker.

# June Sales at Thompson-Belden's Offer Important Savings in Every Department

- Silk Hosiery for \$1.75 a pair**  
Pure thread silk with tops and soles of lisle. A splendid hose for service. To be had in black, cordovan, polo gray and white, in the June sale for \$1.75 a pair.  
North Aisle—Main Floor
- A Clearance of NECKWEAR**  
Organdy, net and lace collars will be placed on sale for greatly reduced prices.  
Second Floor
- Lisle Vests 39c**  
Women's lisle vests with band or bodice tops in white or flesh color are a June sale value at 39c ea.
- Seamless Sheets Thursday \$1.49**  
"Cast Iron" bleached, seamless sheets (81x90-inch), of an excellent material, without dressing. A very good special for \$1.49 each.
- Cocoa Castile Soap for 7 1/2c**  
Hardwater cocoa castile soap is an economy at Thursday's price, 7 1/2c a cake.  
Center Aisle—Main Floor
- Sunfast Draperies for \$1.25 a yard**  
Rose, brown, blue and gold, 50 inches wide.  
Second Floor



## Even Better Values Than Usual in Thursday's Sale of Dresses

- All Taffeta Dresses Are \$39.50**  
A choice of every taffeta dress in stock, including our most exclusive models. The sizes which remain are 16, 18, 36 and 38.
- Georgette and Foulard Frocks \$59.50**  
Combinations of Georgette and foulard and all Georgette, very attractive dresses in sizes 16 to 40.
- Light Crepe de Chine Dresses \$69.50**  
A few unusual models in light colors, a bit soiled and therefore priced remarkably low.
- Hand Made Organdies in Four Groups \$43.30, \$46, \$50, \$56.75**  
These are the beautiful designs and colorings which have been so admired this spring. There is only one frock of a kind.
- Other Cotton Frocks Have June Sale Prices, \$15, \$18.75, \$25, \$26.75, \$33**  
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