

LOCAL OPTION BATTLE RAGES IN THE HOUSE

Continued from Page One. Representative Miles B. Kitts, of Erie, fired the first shot for the liquor interests in the local option battle...

ATTACK ON SUNDAY HIRSED.

The ministers supporting the local option movement, he said, "are cynical, hounding for venal and not seeking better game. Local option was not heard of until it was initiated by one of our best ball players. It is frenzy stirred up by Billy Sunday, who preaches religion for dollars."

WOMEN CHEER SPEAKERS IN BATTLE FOR OPTION

HAIRSBURG, Pa., April 21.—Liquor men and their representatives stormed Capitol Hill today, bringing all possible pressure to bear upon the legislators against the Williams local option bill.

WOMEN IN "DRY" ARMY.

Most of the "dry" workers came from the country sections. Among them were many women and a few small children. The leaders of the local option movement contended that it was useless to make any further demonstration in favor of the bill.

BEYER ATTACKS GOVERNOR.

Frederick Beyer, of Philadelphia, followed Mr. Graham. He spoke against the bill. "The part the ministers have taken in the local option fight, Mr. Beyer said, has entirely discredited the church."

HERMAN SPEAKS FOR BILL.

Representative Frank J. Herman, of Wyoming, took up the cudgels for the bill after Mr. Beyer had concluded. "At the time the Brooks high license law was passed it was the best for the regulation of the sale of liquor," he said.

OPTIONISTS DO LITTLE WORK.

Leaders of the local option army did practically no work among the lawmakers today. They were present to applaud, however. Prominent among these were Dr. E. J. Moore, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League...

SOCIETY GIRL EXPLAINS WHY HER SISTERS SHOULD GET BALLOT

By FRANCES L. SULLIVAN. Miss Sullivan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Francis Sullivan. She is one of the most popular girls in Philadelphia society...

I just hate coming out into "the open" on anything, because it usually involves a good deal of publicity; but I feel that the campaign for "votes" for women in Pennsylvania has reached such a stage that even the humblest worker for the cause should not hold back. The more people get behind the movement, the more voters are likely to be influenced, and, therefore, it seems to me that it behooves every one who stands for suffrage to come out and say so.

Photo by Maroon. MISS FRANCES L. SULLIVAN

PENNYPACKER AT CAPITOL: SAYS HE'S NOT IN FIGHT

HAIRSBURG, Pa., April 21.—Former Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker was one of the earliest arrivals on Capitol Hill this morning, coming before 9 o'clock. He said he was taking no active part in the local option discussion...

LOCATING LOST GAS PIPES IN FOUR CITY SQUARES

U. G. I. Experts Using Electric Finder to Reveal Underground Secret. Two surveyors in the service of the United Gas Improvement Company, with ears to the ground and an expression of pleasure playing about their faces, caused pedestrians hurrying through Independence Square to stop short.

WOMAN'S WIT THWARTS THEIF

Aroused by Fire Engine She Spies Intruder Entering Neighbor's Home. Fire engines and a woman's craftiness frustrated an attempt to rob the house of James Simmons, 250 Collins street, today, and resulted in the capture of Charles Fannier, of 315 Richmond street, who was later held in \$200 bail.

GIRL RISKS LIFE TO SAVE FAMILY FROM FLAMES

Staggering Through Heavy Smoke She Rouses Occupants. Emma Facks, of 122 South 19th street, risked her life last night to save other members of her family, including a 16-month-old baby, when fire swept through the second floor of her home.

THREE BADLY INJURED FIGHTING FOREST FIRES

Cottages, Freight Cars and Live Stock Swept by Flames at Laurel. CARLISLE, Pa., April 21.—James Bowman and Harry Sowers were badly burned while fighting forest fires in the vicinity of Laurel this morning, and George R. Rickabaugh, of Mt. Holly, suffered a broken leg when the automobile in which he was riding overturned while he and Dr. G. G. Lewis, of Mt. Holly, were making their way through the mountains rushing to the aid of the injured men.

WOMAN FAINTS IN COURT

Mother Overcome When Jury Acquits Daughter of Theft. Worked up over her daughter being accused of the theft of a gold watch belonging to M. P. McCaffery, of 124 E. 12th street, today, Mrs. Vincent, of 124 and Master streets, today became hysterical and fainted after the jury had rendered a verdict of not guilty.

WOMAN KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Struck by Only Bolt Marking Passage of Brief Storm. YORK, Pa., April 21.—While returning to her home from a visit to the residence of her mother in McSherrytown, Mrs. Mary E. Mar was struck by a bolt of lightning, and killed. She was thrown violently on her face, and one of the shoes torn from her feet was precipitated across the street.

ACROSS CONTINENT BY AUTO

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas and Party Start on Eight Months' Tour. MICHIGANTVILLE, N. J., April 21.—With pennants waving from the rear of their machine, Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Nicholas, of Rogers avenue, left here this morning for an eight months' auto tour, which will take them to Mexico, the East, the West and the North.

STOTESBURY HEADS RACQUET CLUB

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Racquet Club, held last night: President, E. T. Stotesbury; first vice president, C. S. W. Packard; secretary, Robert K. Caswell; treasurer, Francis E. Brewster; Board of Governors for three years, George H. Frazier, Bandal Moran, E. T. Stotesbury, and J. Van Rensselaer and C. H. Krumbaar, Jr.

VETERAN TECTOTALER HONORED

Veteran total abstainer were honored by the St. Vincent de Paul Society at the celebration of the 55th anniversary of the organization held last night at the Catholic hall, East Price street. Germanstown, Patrick Bush, 69 years old, was awarded a gold medal for being faithful to his pledge for more than 20 years.

THIRD BOY BURGLAR CAUGHT; HE'S ONLY 15

Tells Police of "The 42," an Organized Gang of Youthful Safe Raiders. A 15-year-old boy made three City Hall detectives hastily hide their revolvers today when they walked safely up to his room at 2423 North 34th street, expecting to confront a desperate character.

NEW "JITNEY" PROJECTED. DARBY TO 60TH STREET

Mill Workers Living in West Philadelphia Say It's Wanted. A direct "jitney" line between the heart of Darby and the 60th Street Terminal is being planned and may be put into operation before next month.

SUFFRAGIST ANSWERS "ANTI"

Mrs. David Amram Replies to Mrs. Horace Brock's Questions. Answer is made by Mrs. David Amram, chairman of the Press Committee of the Woman Suffrage party, in a lengthy article to the question of suffrage put to the committee by Mrs. Horace Brock, of the Pennsylvania Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, a few days ago.

FOR STATE HOUSE HERE

Senator Farley Proposes Building on Parkway for Commonwealth Offices. HARRISBURG, Pa., April 21.—Senator Richard W. Farley, of Philadelphia, today introduced in the Senate a resolution which would make Philadelphia the branch capital of the State.

DR. A. H. SMALL DIES

Prominent Burlington County Physician Victim of Heart Disease. Dr. Alexander H. Small, of Riverside, N. J., stricken with an attack of heart disease while eating dinner with his wife at the Chalfont Hotel, at Atlantic City, last night, said he was dying, and in a few minutes physicians, hastily summoned, pronounced him dead.

CHILDREN TO SEE CIRCUS

Mr. Ellis Gimbel Will Offer Entertainment to Orphans. Every institution for children in the city will be supplied with its inmates on Monday when Ellis Gimbel will take Philadelphia's orphans to the opening performance of the Barnum & Bailey circus.

CHICAGO DRY DISCERN A VICTORY IN ELECTION

Belief Arises From Capture of 11 Cities and Loss of None. CHICAGO, April 21.—A forecast of victory in the fight to wipe out Chicago's 713 saloons was the interpretation placed today by Anti-Saloon League leaders on the capture of 11 cities and the loss of none already "dry" in yesterday's elections.

WOMAN ELECTED MAYOR FOR FIRST TIME IN ILLINOIS CITY

"Grandma" Canfield, 74 Years Old, Defeats Male Opponent in Warren. WARREN, Ill., April 21.—Warren is the first city in Illinois to have a woman mayor. She is Mrs. A. B. Canfield, 74 years old, elected yesterday by the small margin of four votes. Warren has a population of 1500.

SPEEDS TO SICK CHILD AND ARREST

NEW YORK, April 21.—Lured from Oakland, Cal., by the illness of his only daughter, Catherine, 16 years old, Anton Hehn, formerly a provision merchant at 1053 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, was arrested in that city yesterday and lodged in Eastmont street jail under an order of arrest issued by Supreme Court Justice Kelly.

DEATH STRIKES TWO GENERATIONS

NEW YORK, April 21.—In the double funeral today at Summit, N. J., of Mrs. Agnes White and her daughter, Mrs. Phyllis H. Holt, there is revealed a tragic situation which began two weeks ago, when three generations of the same family were stricken with pneumonia, two of them in widely separated parts of the country. The third victim, Phyllis Holt, 8 years old, is hovering between life and death at her home in Summit.

LOTS OF HARD SCRUBBING AND CLEANING TO DO IN YOUR HOUSE EVERY WEEK?

Let FELS-NAPHTHA soap do it quickly, easily and thoroughly for you. With Fels-Naphtha there's no need to use lots of strength over a scrubbing brush, and it works best in cool or lukewarm water.

FACTS VERSUS FALLACIES

THE "dry" State of Kansas is usually pointed to with pride as an example of what Prohibition can do for a community, and attention is frequently called to the fact that in many counties of Kansas the jails are empty.

THE FALLACY of this statement is apparent when it is known that so sparsely settled is Kansas that in some counties of that State there are but two residents to the square mile—and it is comparatively easy to keep the jails empty under those circumstances.

ANOTHER FALLACY. In 1910 the entire State of Kansas had a population of 1,690,949. Yet the State in its last report, conceded 892 prisoners in the Kansas penitentiary, and 4883 in the jails!

BUT, as throwing even a greater light on the situation, consider this: The Chief of Police of Topeka, Capital of Kansas, reports 2200 arrests in that city of 45,000 population during 1914—and 661 of these arrests—over 30 per cent—were jailed for drunkenness! Yet Kansas is a Prohibition State!

THE FALLACY of Prohibition is seldom easier proved than by the FACTS furnished by the prohibitionists!

Philadelphia Lager Beer Brewers' Association (The next article will appear Saturday, April 24th)

GINCO CIGARS NOW BANDED FOR IDENTIFICATION

Cigar Manufacturers Adopt This Method to Protect Consumer. Smokers of Gincos Cigars are assured of getting the genuine article when they now ask for this popular smoke. Heretofore there has been no assurance that a cigar was a Gincos simply because it was sold out of a Gincos box.

FOR THE PROTECTION of the consumer, the manufacturers of the Gincos, Otto Elenlohr & Bros., have adopted a form of identification by putting on each cigar a band which guarantees to the smoker that he is getting a genuine Gincos cigar.

THE CINCOS CIGAR holds first place among the nationally advertised brands with a production of nearly 200,000,000 annually. About 5000 hands are employed in their factories. These factories are acknowledged to be models of their kind in this country, not only from the standpoint of manufacturing, but also for their sanitary conditions and appointments for the comfort of their employees.

THE FACT that all tobaccos used by this firm in the manufacture of their cigars are purchased direct from the growers in this country, Cuba and Holland in immense quantities enables them to maintain a superior quality in their goods, which otherwise could not be accomplished.

While machinery has been largely introduced by various manufacturers in the making of cigars, Elenlohr & Bros. have always adhered strictly to handwork, the superior quality of which is readily apparent to smokers of this brand.

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