

COMBINE TO FIGHT ENFORCEMENT BILL

Oppose Provision Giving Mayor and Police Search and Seizure Authority

MEASURE MAY PASS HOUSE

Harrisburg, Pa., April 4.—Philadelphia legislators allied with the bill combine, to it be known today that the bill do not like that provision to the administration, modification, enforcement of which would give the power of search and seizure to Mayor Moore and his police department.

Liquor lobbyists have eagerly seized upon this combination, as they want to try to defeat the measure, as they defeated the Anti-Saloon League's proposal. Informal discussions of the House show that the administration will pass the bill. It is now in the hands of the committee on law and order, which is expected to take action in a meeting tomorrow.

The section in the bill to which combination members are objecting is the following:

"Any premises for which a license is granted under this act shall be subject at all times to inspection by authority of any judge of the court which has granted such license, or of the district attorney of such county, or of the mayor of any city or town in which premises are licensed, for the purpose of ascertaining whether any intoxicating liquor is kept on said premises, and any such liquor found thereon may be seized and used as evidence of the violation of this act."

Combination leaders say they fear that this bill, if enacted into law, could be used as a whip over their heads. Liquor lobbyists are now pointing out that this section would apply to any locality in the state and, of course, would especially apply where the others named in the act were of different political affiliations than those friendly to the liquor dealers.

If course the answer to this, it was pointed out, is that if the licensee is adding by the law he has nothing to fear from any such investigation, unless of course, there be any attempt at "tampering" with a saloonkeeper.

MAY RECALL BRIDGE BILL

Measure Adding to Commission Said to Contain "Snake"

Harrisburg, Pa., April 4.—It was reported here today that a joint resolution directing recall from the Governor of a bill intended to increase the State's representation on the Delaware River Bridge Commission is to be introduced in the Legislature tonight. It is said

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Miller's Bills Cover "Some" Big Subjects

Representative Miller, of the Thirty-eighth Ward, has a wide variety of bills pending in the Legislature.

One, of course, is the bill regulating the transit underlying restaurants. Another is a bill regulating restaurants.

A third looks after the interests of "flappers." Tonight he has a bill on final passage which would allow girls or boys under sixteen to attend public dances after 9 P. M. if the young person is accompanied by a parent or guardian or a "legal" chaperon.

That a "snake" has been discovered in the bill and for that reason it will not be asked.

The bill was introduced with the backing of Governor Sprunt, and was designed to remedy a condition that resulted in several meetings of the commission being postponed because of a lack of quorum. It was felt by the sponsors that the addition of two members would insure a quorum being present at every meeting.

At the time the bill made its appearance reports were current of friction between Governor Sprunt and Mayor Moore. Politicians of the moving kind were predicting that the Governor would name President Weidman, of Council, to one of the places as a means of taking a slap at the Mayor, who is a member of the commission.

The nature of the errors or "snakes" found in the bill could not be ascertained yesterday. Neither was there information available on the identity of the lawmaker who will offer the resolution.

The Mayor and the City Solicitor are said to have taken up the question with the Governor, and he has agreed to the recall. Amendments will then be offered and the bill again rushed through.

Man Injured by Motor

An unidentified man was struck and rendered unconscious by a motorcar at Eleventh and Market streets at 8:45 o'clock this morning. He was taken to Jefferson Hospital. He is about sixty years old.

SCHOOL BOARD BILL BACK IN COMMITTEE

Hough Measure More Drastic Than Sterling Plan Which Was Defeated

MAY COME OUT THIS WEEK

By a Staff Correspondent

Harrisburg, April 4.—Another Philadelphia school board fiasco may get before the Legislature this week.

The Hough bill, introduced by Representative Hough, of Allegheny county, which shattered quietly in committee while the row was on over the Sterling bill, slipped quietly out of committee last week.

Some one slipped it quietly back to committee again, after it had been read twice for a hearing Tuesday.

Opposition of United States Senator Pomeroy to the Sterling bill may have prompted some of its lieutenants in the House to rush the Hough bill back to committee again, as they naturally would be anxious to please the senior senator, who appears to be opposed to any legislation which would give the taxpayers some say in naming the members of the board which levies the taxes for schools in Philadelphia.

The Hough bill, which provides for a board of education in school districts of the first class, which includes Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, of fifteen elective members. The first-class districts are to be divided into fifteen school divisions as nearly equal in population as possible.

One member of the board of education is to be elected from each district. The members are to be nominated by districts, but are to be elected at large.

The bill provides at the November election five directors are to be elected for terms of two years each, five for four years each and five for six years each. Beginning with the expiration of the terms of the five elected for two years five are to be elected at every municipal election for terms of six years each.

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Alfonso to Return Albert's Visit

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Afternoon Dresses, \$20.00 to \$30.00

Tulle, crepe de chine and crepe Georgette, ruffled, plaited, with tucks of all kinds, with girdles and sashes and pretty touches of embroidery. Some as straight and slender as a reed, some with corded tucks and plaited flounces. White, black, brown, navy, gray and French blue.

Crepe de Chine Dresses in navy, black and brown, made in straight-line plaited and plaited-tuck styles, \$18.75.

Tailored Dresses, from \$15.00 to \$65.00

Straight-line, tunic and panel models, embroidered, braided or plain-tailored; long or three-quarter-length sleeves; some with smart little details; some with tailored cloth collars, others with narrow white lace collars. Of serge, tricotine and Poiret twill. Navy, pewter and black in the collection.

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In blue, gray and tan effects. Box-plaited models with tailored belts, and unbelted Suits with semi-fitting backs and box fronts. Well-tailored notched collars, inset or patch pockets.

Suits, from \$30.00 to \$50.00

Tweeds, homespun, serges, wool poplin and tricotine. Bold models with various plaits and tucks, beltless models in plain-tailored lines, also braided-trimmed Suits, and some combination models with skirts of a contrasting material, and new combinations of tailored skirt and long circular cape.

Suits in Extra Sizes

Many of these show the long unbelted lines, or the deep slashed seams, or the slight little flare from the waist-line that makes the footline seem so trim and narrow—all new spring styles, but the kind the large woman would have chosen had she gone to a custom tailor.

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