

DELAY MOVE IS DEFEATED IN DELAWARE

Bill For Statewide Vote on Federal Amendment Loses 26 to 7

Dover, Del., March 14.—The first show of hands between the "wet" and "dry" forces of the Delaware Legislature was made yesterday in the House of Representatives at the afternoon session, when Representative Welsh (Democrat) called for a vote on his bill for a statewide referendum on the ratification of the national prohibition amendment at the next general election in this state.

For fully one hour there was heated oratory, the "drys" emerging from the verbal conflict victorious by the overwhelming vote of twenty-six against the bill and seven in favor of it. The bill was supported by the "wets" who hoped if it passed, to side-track the ratification of the prohibition amendment at this session.

NEW YORK SENATE TAKES UP "DRY" MOVE NEXT WEEK Albany, N. Y., March 14.—The fight over the ratification of the prohibition amendment of the Federal Constitution will be resumed in the Senate next Wednesday. This course was determined upon yesterday when it was agreed to present a motion on that date to discharge the Taxation and Retrenchment Committee from further consideration of the Hill-McNab resolution.

It was understood that all pending prohibition legislation might be brought before the Senate next week.

CHICAGO VOTERS KEEN ON PROHIBITION MEASURE Chicago, March 14.—The total registration of voters in Chicago today is 808,942, or 467 more than was registered for the last Presidential election.

Of this total, 126,628 were added at the supplemental registration yesterday.

The heavy registration is attributed to the possibility of the "wet" and "dry" question being placed on the ballot at the aldermanic election April 2. The matter is now before the Election Commissioners, and a decision is expected soon.

Men comprise 504,580 of the total registration, and women 304,362.

A Fine Treatment for Weak Nerves

How would you like to have a set of nerves like steel, able to stand up under any kind of a strain? Wouldn't it be great to be so cheerful of ginge all the time that trouble fell off you like water off a duck's back, so you could go to sleep at night as soon as your head hit the feathers, and bound out again in the morning at the first tap of the bell feeling you were able to get somewhere in your business that day.

Lots of people fuss around all day like a hen on a hot cake but never light any place. They are nervous, flighty, fretful and can't get right down to brass tacks. There is something wrong at one time or another with almost every organ in their bodies and it's all nerves—nerves—nerves; they're keyed up like a fiddle string and like a ship without a compass can't make port.

If you are out of sorts, run down, losing confidence, have nervous dyspepsia, blues, can't concentrate your mind or have that "don't care a hang" feeling so common to nervous people, your nerve cells are starving, and here's a test worth trying on them. Eat a little Margo nerve tablet, wait ten minutes and see yourself pick up. Margo nerve tablets go right to the spot, start the digestive organs working, send the blood coursing through your veins to feed the languishing nerve cells. Then you brighten up, put on a smile and feel as happy as a clam at high tide. Margo nerve tablets are harmless, easy to take, inexpensive and Kennedy's Medicine Store or any other good drug-gist will supply you. Every package carries a printed guarantee of money back if not satisfied.—Advertisement.

BRITISH AIRMEN ACTIVE AGAINST GERMAN FLYERS

Many Raids Have Been Carried Out; Bring Down Hun Planes

By Associated Press British Front in France and Belgium, Tuesday, March 12.—This has been another day of ideal fighting weather, but there has been no change in the situation. The artillery pouned continually and the British airmen have been doing marvelous work. The first ten days of March as a whole, have been among the best recorded for the air service. In addition to a vast amount of reconnoitering and photographing, the aviators have destroyed more than thirty-nine German airplanes and brought down forty others out of control, notwithstanding adverse weather. Only fifteen British machines are reported missing. Virtually all these air battles occurred behind the German lines.

Bombing raids have been almost continuous. One successful expedition was against three enemy aerodromes on March 9, during the day time. A British aerial fleet arrived at an hour when hundreds of German machines about to start were standing in a field near their hangars. The British attacked at a height of four hundred feet and because of their low altitude, were able to shoot with disastrous effect. Several buildings were set on fire and direct hits were made among the German machines.

The British returned flying at a height of a hundred feet, which just enabled them to clear the tree tops. They used their guns on every military object in sight. The first attack was made on a horse transport. Some of the horses were killed and the rest stampeded, upsetting the wagons. Another horse transport was stampeded and then a detachment of marching infantry came under range, several of the soldiers were shot before they could reach cover. Equally effective was the shooting of a motor column. Two officers were being among those toppled from their saddles. The British machines returned safely, not having been attacked by the enemy at all.

U. S. WILL SEIZE DUTCH SHIPS FOR ALLIES' USE

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Following casualties occurred: "Killed, one man, one woman, three children; injured, three men, one woman, five children." Last night's air raid was the second in two days over England by Zeppelins, which previously had not been employed in these attacks for several months. In neither case, however, was an attempt made to reach the London district, where German dirigibles met with disaster on previous expeditions.

Paris, Tuesday, March 12.—A sergeant in the quartermaster's department of the American Expeditionary Force acting as a chauffeur for the department in Paris, was injured slightly in last night's raid.

The official statement on the raid says: "The number of victims of last night's bombardment is now known. In Paris twenty-nine were killed and fifty injured; in the suburbs five were killed and twenty-nine injured. Sixty-six others were crushed to death by a crowd in a panic at the entrance to the Metropolitan subway station, where they were seeking refuge. These last victims of German barbarism are almost all women and children.

Two policemen were killed and three injured. One of the wounded policemen was awarded the military medal.

The Doctor's Advice

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature. Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope or reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drugstore. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

ishing and pleasing results follow and life and hope are renewed.

"Boston" writes: "What should I do to relieve a severe case of kidney and bladder disease? Urine is dark, foul of odor, and passage is irregular, painful, etc. Have depression, fever, chills, pains like rheumatism, and soreness in region of bladder."

Answer: For such symptoms as you describe I prescribe my favorite formula under the name of balmwort tablets. This is an splendid efficacious remedy for such abnormal conditions. Begin their use as per directions on each sealed tube.

Thankful asks: "My scalp itched terribly, is feverish and an great amount of oily dandruff is present. What is good for this?"

Answer: First shampoo the hair and apply plain yellow minyol about once a week as per directions. This relieves the itching, overcomes the dandruff and makes the hair beautifully glossy and vigorous. Obtain in 4-cent tin of druggists.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and has doubtless helped in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual in the world's history. Thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence similar to the following: "The plain Yellow Minyol—it is great. I have used it twice. I have been troubled with itching scalp, falling hair for two years and have tried everything heard of and nothing did any good. I probably paid out \$25.00 in the last two years. But the Minyol stopped the falling hair and the itching is most gone. It is a great relief, and I surely believe that I can have my hair as nice and pretty as it was before. I can recommend it to every one who has falling hair, dandruff, and itching scalp."

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GERMAN PRESS SEES SLAV STATES TEUTON THORN

Zeitung Considers Breaking Up of Russia Bad Policy

Amsterdam, Wednesday, March 13.—Some sections of the German press are uneasy over the developments in the Far East.

The Frankfurter Zeitung considers that the breaking up of Russia into a number of independent states is a bad policy for Germany and urges the greatest tact and prudence be used in dealing with the border states so they will not "in the future sigh for a reunion with Russia and become so many thorns in Germany's side." The newspaper adds:

"Clearly the entente policy is to use the Japanese alliance to shove Germany out of Asiatic markets forever. Germany played their game by breaking up Russia. Germany now has no more hope than ever of being able to conduct a Far Eastern policy except in conjunction with Great Britain and Russia. That is why a weak Russia will not contribute to Germany's ultimate welfare."

Captain von Salsmann, the military critic of the Vossische Zeitung, writes: "Germany too late began to realize that the time might come when the United States and Japan would see that war is not always the most profitable way of settling differences. Germany's Russian policy has played the same brilliantly for Great Britain and the United States. In the same way Germany has increased Holland's debt of gratitude to Great Britain."

"It should have been Germany's game to earn Holland's gratitude by guaranteeing her the safe possession of her East Indian colonies, but instead of this she cemented the Anglo-Japanese alliance and delivered the Dutch colonies from Japanese pressure southward by opening the door to Japanese enterprise in Russia."

"Only the most limited intelligence can have that the breakup of Russia will be to Germany's advantage. The true results of Germany's Russian policy already are patent in the lessening of differences between Japan and the United States, and the cementing of the Anglo-Japanese alliance and the consequent security of the American and Australian colonial possessions, as well as the Dutch and French colonies in South-east Asia."

The consequences are that Germany again finds herself without friends in the world, while Great Britain laughs in the background."

WEST SHORE NEWS

Social and Personal Items of Towns Along West Shore

Mr. Charles Weatherly and son, of Wilmington, Delaware, are guests of Joseph Weatherly's family at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. D. B. Wentz has returned to her home at Plainfield after spending several days with her daughter, at Shiremanstown.

Miss Ruth Keller, Steelton, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her grandmother, Mrs. Abram Mowry, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. J. S. Brinton, Mrs. Scott Brinton, son Charles and Mrs. Edward W. Miller, of Shiremanstown, spent Wednesday with the former's daughter, Mrs. W. W. Wonderly, at High-springs.

Mrs. Harvey McCoy has returned to her home at Barnitz, after visiting her sister, Mrs. G. Echeleman, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Abram Mowry, of Shiremanstown, is visiting friends at Steelton.

Miss Irene Stone, of Shiremanstown, visited Miss Viola Kutz, at her country residence at Trindle Springs on Tuesday.

Mrs. William Wagner, of Washington, Mrs. W. Franklin, of Altoona, and Mrs. Louise Shaw, of West Fairview, were entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Samuel Bates and Miss Susan Mater, at their residence at Shiremanstown.

Miss Thelma Drawbaugh, of Shiremanstown, is home from a visit with friends at Harford.

Mrs. Sweeney, of Enola, spent a day at the home of Mrs. Joseph Rudy West Fairview.

Mrs. Alex Gamble and daughter, Mrs. Paul Miller, of West Fairview, spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller at Chambersburg.

Mrs. J. H. Books, of West Fairview, visited at Harrisburg on Tuesday.

Mrs. Enoch Curry, of West Fairview, spent a day with her sister, at Enola.

Mrs. Ira Shaul, of West Fairview, spent Tuesday at Harrisburg.

Mrs. Milton Corns, of Mechanicsburg, visited her father, John Blair, at West Fairview.

John Ponesmith, of West Fairview, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ponesmith, at Mechanicsburg.

MR. BRUMBAUGH HITS AT SPROUL

Governor Objects to Adding Additional Mileage to State Road System

Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh today continued his fire upon Senator William C. Sproul, a statement written here yesterday and left when the Governor went to Philadelphia being issued from his office at the Capitol. In this statement the Governor attacked the Senator from a new angle. Yesterday he made statements apparently calculated to involve the Senator in a controversy on the prohibition amendment. To-day he goes after the Senator's course in regard to the highway law, declaring that he did not attempt to reduce the mileage added to the state highway law. Commissioner J. Denny O'Neil has several times criticized the mileage added to the state system. The Governor amplifies his remarks.

The Governor's statement is as follows: "Mr. Sproul is quoted as saying in his Chester county speech that he favors adding additional miles to the present highway system, giving as his reason that in this way the expense of road construction and maintenance would be a less burdensome matter for the people."

"For three years I have declared it my judgment that the mileage is now too great because roads cannot be built without money, which Sproul and his legislative associates would not provide and refused to lay the necessary taxes on corporations for any purpose, and the Assembly under such control would not give the Highway Department the funds essential for proper maintenance and to add to the mileage is to add to the cost upon the state. Sproul's record here shows he has been the leading factor in preventing legislation that would produce revenue for road purposes. He served special privileges and not the people."

"His pretence to lessen the cost upon the people by increasing the mileage for the state is scarcely worthy even a desperate man's change of front. Only a few months ago he favored a tax of a mill upon all real estate for road purposes, but, having in mind the effect he said he would not dare openly advocate such a tax, although he personally declared it to be the way to raise money to give the state highways the funds essential to their development. But he as definitely opposed any tax upon corporations for this purpose."

"Moreover, when I personally urged him to favor a reduction of mileage of state highways to the end that the state's fund should be adequate to the people's expectations, he was not so foolish as to try to maintain more miles than the funds made possible, he declared that I was right, that when the so-called Sproul bill was up there was a most unfair political scramble to add all sorts of roads to the state's mileage and he could not prevent it. He also declared that the present mileage is too great and that he would like to see it reduced, but that the little fellows in the counties would not dare go along on a plan to cut out unnecessary sections and he would, he said, commit political suicide if he openly advocated it."

"So we have a man bidding publicly for office on an issue that he himself repudiated, and his insincerity in this is but one of several reasons why he should not be nominated by the Republican party. This is no time to attempt to deceive. People understand, and they are ready to act."

Recorder Lentz Will Visit Army Camps

County Recorder James Lentz and Mrs. Lentz, of Elizabethtown, accompanied by Mrs. F. T. Romberger, left today for the South. Their first stop will be Atlanta, Ga., to visit Dr. F. T. Romberger, who is a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps. After that they will visit some of the other southern camps. Mr. Lentz will pay particular attention to the Y. M. C. C. and Red Cross work in the encampments, he having been prominently identified with both campaigns in Dauphin county.

GOVERNOR MIXED SAYS MR. SPROUL

Delaware Senator Declares Executive Is Mistaken; Firm For Prohibition

Senator William C. Sproul, of Delaware county, who was assailed by Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh yesterday on the ground that his declaration for the prohibition amendment was not satisfactory, declared last night in Philadelphia that the Governor was mistaken in his reference to an alleged conversation on the subject of local option. The Senator in his newspaper, the Chester Times, came out yesterday with a strong editorial declaring for prohibition and favoring the amendment, the statements made being very positive.

When asked for a comment on the Governor's statement the Senator said:

"My relations with Governor Brumbaugh have never been such that we would like to be exchanging confidences. I never had any conversation with him on this subject. I fear he is mistaken in the time, the place and conversation. The best answer to his statement is my action in taking up the fight for members of the Legislature here at home who will vote for the ratification of the prohibitory amendment."

Senator Sproul added, laughingly, that "it seems strange that the Governor and his friend, 'Denny,' were endeavoring to keep him off the prohibition band wagon and to keep it for their own express benefit."

Before the Governor's statement burned the wires from Harrisburg the Chester Times, Senator Sproul's paper, declared unequivocally for the dry amendment and pledged its support to a Delaware county delegation to the State Legislature who would declare unreservedly for the amendment.

The editorial in the Times was as follows: "The question of national prohibition has received a great impetus through the national patriotic uplift occasioned by the participation of this country in the great world war. From a local issue it has become a moral issue and from a moral issue it has grown to be a great economic and patriotic issue."

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"It looks as though the vote of the states upon the question would be almost unanimous. Thirty-six states, or three-quarters of the whole number, are required for the ratification of the amendment and there seems to be virtually no doubt that not only this number of approving votes will be secured, but that there will be few, if any, rejections of the proposition."

"Whether Pennsylvania ratifies the amendment or not, it will, without question, become the law of the land and there is no reason why Pennsylvania should not ratify it. We believe that the overwhelming sentiment of the people of the state is in favor of its ratification. The question will be settled by the next Legislature, each house voting separately upon it. A majority vote in the House and Senate are required to pass the amendment. In most, if not all of the countries, there is every active effort being made to secure the election of members of the Legislature who will vote favorably upon this question. Even in the big cities, the movement is gaining great force and in Philadelphia probably a majority of the members of the House and Senate will be found upon

the prohibition side. "We believe that the sentiment of the people of Delaware county is in accord with the rest of the state upon this question and the local political organizations of both parties will undoubtedly select men pledged to this program. There can be no question that the representatives from this district outside of the city of Chester will go to Harrisburg with prohibition as one of the pledges upon which they were elected and the question in the city even at the present time will be a close one. The Times believes the entire delegation from Delaware county should vote for the ratification of the amendment and will give such assistance as it can to accomplish this end."

SEEK MECHANICS HERE FOR TANK REGIMENT

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partment has decided that the tanks shall play a big part in the winning of the war. Lieutenant Leshner will make a special effort to enlist steam engineers, railway locomotive engineers and others who have mechanical training.

With the closing of the aviation field for recruiting activities of the local party is closed. Since last November, more than 5,000 recruits, it is estimated, have been sent into the service alone by members of the Harrisburg district. During the last two months the recruiting party has

been conducting a special drive to enlist men not in the draft for this special service. During the month of February alone, more than 500 men were enlisted in aviation units. The men already enlisted and accepted into units for service in the aviation section may be sent to Columbus barracks. Fifteen or more are expected to arrive to-day from substations. After that voluntary enlistment into the aviation section is stopped. The aviation section has been filled by voluntary enlistments entirely. All men with trades will be sent to the engineering regiments hereafter. More than forty-seven trades were eligible for service in the aviation section, and these trades will find suitable occupation in the hundred or more various branches of the engineers.

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