

LINDE INJUNCTION SUITS BOTH SIDES

Prohibitionists Forsee Drier State Liquor Advocates Sure It Means Resubmission.

Fargo, N. D., April 20.—Attorney General H. J. Linde has done the seemingly impossible. He has pleased both the prohibitionists and the resubmissionists by securing a temporary injunction against the Northern Pacific to prevent liquor shipments into North Dakota.

Judge Charles A. Pollock, signing the injunction which prevents the railway from handling liquor shipments into the state temporarily, fixed May 3 as the date for arguments on continuing the injunction.

The railway is accused of permitting the use of fictitious names by the recipients of liquor, in direct contravention of the state law.

Some Difference in Point of View. Prohibition leaders believe they now have the means of eliminating liquor shipments and sales in North Dakota. They are decidedly optimistic over the action of the attorney general. But no matter what the decision of the state courts may be, the matter will be carried to the United States supreme court for a final decision.

The liquor advocates are just as jubilant as the prohibitionists. They insist that if all railroads are prevented from making liquor shipments it will insure the resubmission of the liquor question.

Less than 15 per cent of those who voted for state-wide prohibition in 1889 are now voting in North Dakota," stated a resubmissionist today. "We have failed each year to have the matter resubmitted. We believe the present generation of voters should be permitted to decide the question for themselves and we feel that if the North Dakota prohibition law should be held airtight by the courts we can secure a sufficient number of votes to have the sale of liquor restored. The prohibitionists have been in control and have refused us a vote."

Cold Water Men Confident. The idea that North Dakota will ever revert to the saloon days, that the people will permit the sale of

liquor after the success of the past quarter of a century with prohibition and in the face of the nation-wide prohibition sentiment, is scouted by the cold water people. They contend there has never been any doubt as to the result of a resubmission vote, but that they opposed it as a needless and ridiculous agitation.

Whether the position of the attorney general will stand the test of the courts is the all absorbing question now being discussed by the people of the state. The North Dakota law, while it is designed to prevent liquor shipments for personal use, unless it is changed individuals will still be able to secure personal shipments regardless of the decision of the highest courts.

HALF-MILE SPEED WAY BUILT TO TEST DODGE BROTHERS' CARS

Solidly Constructed Banked Track Will be Unique Addition to Testing Equipment at Big Detroit Plant; Steel Test Hill Also to be Built.

Decidedly unique in design and construction is the new half-mile speedway and test-hill which is nearing completion on the grounds of Dodge Brothers, the Detroit motor car manufacturers. Built to take care of testing operations on the rapidly increasing daily production of cars, Dodge Brothers' new test track has all the permanence of the speedway built for hippodrome performances.

When finished within the next thirty days, over 215,000 feet of lumber will have gone into the construction of the new track. The speedway is built on a foundation of clay and cinders, banked at the turns to allow high speed tests, and is surfaced with a fine grade of pine planking which has been creosoted to afford a dustless and smooth track. As Dodge Brothers' production is rapidly approaching the 200-car-per-day mark, the new speedway bids fair to have a daily entry list far surpassing that of the Indianapolis Speedway on Memorial Day.

The construction of the test-hill in the center of the speedway enclosure is a striking example of bringing the mountain to Mahomet. As practically all the country in the vicinity of Detroit is a flat plain, the special advantages of hill-testing are denied to motor car makers. Dodge Brothers very sensibly decided to provide an artificial hill, and a steel structure 542 feet long and 30 feet wide is already under way. The steel hill has two approaches with varying grades, allowing testers to try out the climbing ability of the car on gradual and steep ascents.

The speedway test is but one of many given Dodge Brothers' cars before being O.K.'d for shipment. All motors are first worked out under electric power and then taken to the gasoline block-testing room. Each motor must then produce a given amount of power on the dynamometer before it is turned over to the road workout.

STATEMENT MADE BY LIVE STOCK EXCHANGE

Condemns Action of Committee From North Dakota Society of Equity.

St. Paul, April 20, 1915.

The South St. Paul Live Stock Exchange made an agreement with the North Dakota Society of Equity at a meeting held in Bismarck in February last to send a special committee to South St. Paul for the purpose of making a thorough investigation of the methods employed as well as the record books of all the commission firms constituting the Exchange. This agreement stipulated that the Live Stock Exchange was to appropriate \$350 for the expenses of the Equity committee of seven members, who were to go to South St. Paul without bias and make an impartial investigation of all firms doing business there. The \$350 expense money was forwarded to the Equity committee through J. M. Anderson, a member of the committee, prior to their leaving North Dakota. Notwithstanding the absolute frankness of the Live Stock Exchange in all its efforts this committee arrived in St. Paul on March 10 and went into closed and secret session, at the same time notifying the Live Stock Exchange that they would not be able to meet the Exchange until the 15th. After five days of secret parleying they brought forth a set of resolutions, the principal one of which endorsed one of the commission firms as being worthy of the patronage of the members of the Society of Equity. This endorsement was given without having made an examination of the methods employed by, or the account books of any of the various firms constituting the Exchange. This was done in open violation of the agreement made at Bismarck a month before, which stipulated that no endorsement should be given any firm until a complete examination of all the firms should be made. In proof of the agreement of the Society of Equity to this stipulation we cite the fact that they accepted and used the \$350 forwarded by the Live Stock Exchange. At the conclusion of the deliberations of the committee of the Society of Equity in St. Paul they went to South St. Paul, but did not inform the Exchange of their action in endorsing one of the firms, contrary to their agreement made at Bismarck, and it was only after a copy of a St. Paul paper containing the resolutions and endorsement of one of the firms fell into the hands of an official of the Exchange that they learned of the duplicity of the committee. Upon their arrival at the South St. Paul Live Stock Exchange the Equity committee were asked relative to their reason for endorsing one of the commission firms in violation of the Bismarck agreement and they gave evasive answers but did not attempt to clear up their action. The action of the Equity committee is in strange contrast to the open and honest efforts of a committee from the Tri-State Grain and Stock Growers' Association, which made a most thorough and exacting investigation of the affairs of the various firms composing the exchange with the exception of one concern which refused to permit them to use their record books. It is noteworthy that this firm is the one that the Equity had endorsed.

The South St. Paul Live Stock Exchange courts at all times a thorough and impartial investigation of the various firms composing its membership and feels that any of the commission houses doing business that will not permit an examination of its methods and account books is not worthy of patronage.

It is a strange commentary on the methods of the Society of Equity to know that its officers, agents and committee have continuously secretly dealt with a firm whose methods have been seriously questioned by the authorities of the Exchange.

The rank and file of the Society of Equity is composed of honest farmers, but some of the leaders of that movement are professional agitators and organizers and very many of their methods are exceedingly queer. It is believed here that when once the searchlight of honest investigation is turned on these officers and their efforts to secure patronage for one firm only and thus throttle competition, revelations of a very startling character will be made. The farmers should look carefully after their own interests and see if they are getting a square deal. The South St. Paul Live Stock Exchange has earnestly endeavored to foster the live stock interests of the Northwest by trying to secure another packing plant here, by fighting their battles for lower freight rates on live stock to and from this market (just a few years ago the Exchange paid \$1,500 attorney fees to win one case for you), at large expense have recently sent representatives to other states to secure the removal of the quarantine for foot and mouth disease from Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota, since, although none being in existence in these states, it seriously affected the prices of our cattle. The Exchange has contributed liberally toward all funds used in the better farming movement. It has consistently stood for the Northwest against the world.

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COME TO RESCUE OF BRUIN

Threatened With Extinction, Brother Bear Has Found That He Has Some Friends.

Since the "bear flag" days Bruin has been an accepted symbolic representative of the Golden state. He occupies a place on its great seal, and, indeed, has become a sort of institution. When he is not working at his more dignified job he engages in picking up acorns, acting as scavenger around mountain camps and making an occasional raid upon farms in the hills. He has come to be known, in private life, as a rather amiable and lazy fellow, if undisturbed, and indeed it may be claimed for him that he has a host of friends.

But Bruin, in the wild, has come close to the great divide. For many years he has made sport for the hunter during the summer, and for the trapper at all seasons. Nowadays there are not very many of him. Extinction is imminent. He is about to go the way of many another distinguished brute.

A Siskiyou county legislator has rushed to his relief with a bill prohibiting the killing of bears during the summer and eliminating at all seasons the trapping privilege. A like measure, it is said, is finding its way into numerous western legislatures and is being supported rather than opposed by sportsmen. It is their hope that Bruin will be able to maintain his place in the sun.—Los Angeles Express.

THEN HE WANTED HIM BADLY

Sandy Realized the Need of Insurance When the "Fire Fiend" Got Down to Work.

The following story, the chief actor in which is still alive, would seem to justify the term "canny" sometimes applied to the Scot.

An old retired fireman farmer was from time to time called on and advised to insure his house against fire by an agent who was familiarly known as "Sandy."

The old man, however, met the agent's advances with "Na, na!" following by what he doubtless considered a clinching argument: "My hoose is no likely to gang on fire, mon!"

The unexpected, however, happened, and the neighbors were astonished to see the old man, instead of trying to put out the fire, running up and down the village street, shouting:

"Whaur's that man Sandy noo? Whaur's that insurance chap? It's terrible ye can never get a body when ye're needin' him!"

Dry Prospects. One hundred years of continuous rainfall records have recently been completed in New Bedford, Mass., and serve to disprove thoroughly the common belief that the climate is not so good as it used to be. Only half as many dry periods occurred in the last fifty years as in the first fifty years; so that the records really are a warning for that section at least, to expect more dry periods in the next generation. The recent decades have been fortunate above the average, and consequently the next few decades are quite likely to pay the bill.

The records were started in 1814 by Samuel Rodman, and continued by him until his death, in 1876. His son then kept them until his death, in 1905. For more than ninety-one years the rainfall was carefully recorded for exactly the same spot in the same yard. The chief engineer of the state health department has now completed the hundred years of figures by obtaining the late records from another observer in New Bedford, taken a few miles from the Rodman place.

The average annual rainfall was 46.45 inches; but in the first fifty years there were four very marked dry periods of two or three years each. In the last fifty years there were only two such dry periods.—Saturday Evening Post.

Wisdom of Experience. Mrs. Enpeck—I just learned today that Sam Smith and Kate Jones were secretly married last spring. Just think of it! Married nearly a year and nobody the wiser.

Enpeck—Oh, I don't know. I'll bet poor Smith was a whole lot wiser before he had been married a month.

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FARM SCHOOL GRADUATION

Thirty-Three Will Receive Their Diplomas; Program Is Announced.

Fargo, N. D., April 20.—The official program for the twenty-first annual commencement at the North Dakota Agricultural college has been announced. There will be a class of about 33 seniors to graduate this year and they will open their commencement season with the senior class play, "Bridging the Chasm." This will be staged in the college armory at 8:00 o'clock on Saturday evening, June 5.

President J. H. Worst of the Agricultural college, will deliver the baccalaureate address Sunday, June 6, at 5:00 p. m. in the college armory. Because of the fact that this is the twentieth year of President Worst's administration at the college, the seniors have planned their commencement with that idea in mind, and will hold a reception for him in the college armory on Monday evening, June 7. On Tuesday morning at the commencement exercises, he will deliver the commencement address. The program in detail is as follows:

Saturday, June 5
8:00 p. m.—College Armory—Presentation senior class play, "Bridging the Chasm."

Sunday, June 6
3:00 p. m.—College Armory—Sacred concert and baccalaureate service. Address by John H. Worst, president North Dakota Agricultural college, Fargo, N. D.

Monday, June 7
8:00 p. m.—The Little Country Theater—Senior class day exercises.
6:30 to 11:30 p. m.—Campus Night—All the buildings on the college campus will be open for the inspection of the public.
7:30 to 9:00 p. m.—College Armory—President's reception.
9:00 to 11:30 p. m.—Senior swing out. Midnight—Pipe of peace ceremony.

Tuesday, June 8
9:30 a. m.—Commencement procession.
10:00 a. m.—College Armory—Commencement exercises.
1:00 p. m.—Ceres Hall—Commencement luncheon.
8:00 p. m.—College Armory—Alumni ball.

SIR KNIGHTS IN POSSESSION OF THE CITY

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aneous business was transacted. At 4:30 p. m. the Commandery had finished its business for the day and was at ease, this morning's session to commence at 9:30 o'clock.

The visiting Sir Knights were then the guests of local Masons in an auto-moblie ride to the principal points of interest in the vicinity of Bismarck.

First Masonic Meeting. The first place visited, and perhaps the most interesting to the Masons, was the place where Sibley's fight with the Indians took place on July 31, 1863. An English officer, Lieut. Beaver, on the staff of General Sibley, was killed in this fight, and as he was known to be a Mason, and there being in Sibley's command a number of well known Minnesota Masons, the Deputy Grand Master among them, an emergency communication of the Masonic Lodge was called and the officer was buried with Masonic honors. This was the first Masonic meeting in the present state of North Dakota.

Election of Officers. The first order this morning will be the address of the Grand Commander. At 10:00 o'clock the election of officers will come up as a special order. At 11:00 o'clock the Very Eminent Sir Norris will deliver an address, which will be followed by committee reports, selection of the place of next meeting, and installation of officers.

The new commandery at Mandan will probably receive its charter today.

Pike in Line. Geo. M. Pike of New Rockford, the present deputy Grand Commander, will in all probability be elected this morning to the position of Grand Commander.

Frank White of Valley City, former governor of this state, is one of the distinguished officers of the Grand

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Commandery present at the concave and will probably be elected Deputy Grand Commander today.

Last night the visiting Sir Knights and many of the local Masons enjoyed a dancing party at the Masonic Temple.

More than seventy-five Knights Templar are in the city today and this is very nearly the full representation expected at the convocation, the complete representation from each Commandery being three. The fourteen Commanderies in the state boasted a membership of 1,614 at the beginning of the present year.

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