

DRYS WILL FIGHT CRAIG'S DECISION

Seek to Prevent Stopping of Local Option in Illinois in the Future.

IN APPEAL TO HIGH COURT

Ruling on Constitutionality of Woman's Vote Expected Latter Part of Next Week.

Springfield, Ill., April 14.—La Salle county's deferred local option election—stopped preemptorily last Tuesday by a writ of supersedeas granted on application of the wets by Justice Charles C. Craig—promises to assume extraordinary importance.

The record of the La Salle case was filed in the supreme court yesterday. Reliable information is that no official notice of his action will be taken by Justice Craig's colleagues, but that it is a safe bet that the latest addition to the bench will grant no more similar writs without at least having consulted the rules of practice of the court of which he is a member.

The anti-saloon leagues are reported to be much excited because of the estoppage of the La Salle election and are said to be prepared to make a fight before the full bench to have the Craig supersedeas writ set aside. The drays admit that the proposed battle is without effect, inasmuch as the La Salle election was knocked out and it is too late to get actual results through a reversal of Justice Craig's order. They do want a disavowal of the precedent which was established and hope to make it impossible for a local option election to be prevented by any similar action in the future.

The La Salle case originally was in the hands of Lee O'Neil Browne, who, as attorney for the La Salle saloon interests, sought to invalidate the dry petition. He failed in this.

The supersedeas writ was sought from Justice Craig at Galesburg. He granted the writ according to a claim made here today, at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the election. In the meantime the town clerk of La Salle

Gorgas Would Rule Liquor From Army



Brigadier General William C. Gorgas.

Brig. Gen. William C. Gorgas is here shown at his desk in the war department at Washington, where he is assuming his new duties as surgeon general of the army. He took charge

of his new office only a few days ago and has expressed himself as in sympathy with the new order of prohibition of liquor in the navy and said he thought such an order would do much good in the army.

was the telegraphed statement from Congressman Henry T. Rainey at Washington in which Mr. Rainey made the definite declaration that he is not a candidate for the democratic nomination for United States senator.

Imaginary Heart Trouble. Do you have pains in the region of the heart? Does your heart thump? Its terrible pounding alarms you? What is wrong? Do you believe these symptoms mean heart trouble? Organic diseases of the heart very seldom occasion much pain. Nearly all of these pains are caused by some derangement of the stomach. Meritol Tonic Digestive is especially recommended for indigestion and dyspepsia, and for restoring the stomach to its normal functions and—no more "heart disease."—H. O. Rolfs, Rock Island, Ill., Exclusive Agents.—(Adv.)

No Light on Suffrage Decision. Under ordinary circumstances the Craig writ would have indicated, in a way, that the supreme court in its forthcoming opinion on the woman suffrage act's constitutionality was prepared to hand down an opinion, holding that women do not possess the right to vote in local option elections, although possessing the right to vote for statutory officers.

This would be in line with the contention of the attorneys who fought the constitutionality of the suffrage act, who argued orally that the main question could be divided.

The opinion now seems to be pretty general that the result will be to hold the act constitutional. Justice Craig's writ, therefore, would not be at all indicative of the feeling of the court and would have operated simply as stopping the particular election in La Salle, which forms a formidable section of the supreme court district from which he was elected at the special election last fall.

The supreme court probably will adjourn for the April term some time after Wednesday of next week, handing down its opinion on the suffrage act Thursday or Friday of next week.

Rainey Not a Candidate. The most important news which was discussed by state capital politicians

ASKS THE NATION TO BUY RAILWAYS

Lewis Wants Purchase Made, After Which Lines Can Be Leased at Profit.

SAME SCHEME FOR SHIPS

Illinois Senator Also Offers Measure to Create Powerful Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, D. C., April 14.—Three measures, proposed as cures for nearly all the ills of the body politic, were introduced in the senate yesterday by Senator Lewis of Illinois.

In one of the bills Mr. Lewis proposes the acquisition of all interstate railroads by the government. He would have the government issue bonds to cover the purchase price, lease the roads to private capital, which would be guaranteed a profit of not less than 5 per cent, and apply the excess earnings to the retirement of the bond issue.

Another measure proposes the creation of a commission of 21 members which would supplant the present interstate commerce commission and the federal reserve board and perform the functions of the trade commission contemplated in pending trust legislation. One division of seven members would regulate transportation, another division banking and finance, and a third interstate merchandising.

The third bill proposes that the government build 100 merchant vessels from the proceeds of a bond issue and lease their operation upon the plan suggested in the case of railroads.

Tells Advantage of Plan. "These bills," Senator Lewis said, "represent the trinity of my labors in the senate, and to their passage I intend to devote my best endeavors. The enactment of such legislation would solve permanently the problems of transportation rates, prices and wages, and the control of business by the federal government and the states, eliminate graft and special privilege, build up a merchant marine, supply battle-ships to the government in time of war, promote peace between capital and labor, give work to the unemployed, and bring about an era of prosperity."

DAY IN DAVENPORT

City to Install Sewer and Water Connections.—The city of Davenport is going to take a whack at "balky" property holders who have refused to install sewer and water connections in advance of paving operations. The board of public works will receive bids for sewer and water service for the coming year, only licensed plumbers being permitted to compete for the work. To the successful bidder will be assigned the task of making necessary connections where property holders have failed to do so within the time limit. Several weeks ago notices were sent out by Clerk Friedholdt informing various citizens that necessary connections must be installed within 20 days, so that paving operations would not be held up.

\$60,000 Contract Let.—The Miller Hotel company, builders of the new Blackhawk hotel, the seven-story structure being erected at Third and Perry streets, has awarded to the Iowa Furniture & Carpet company, 324-328 Brady street, what is said to be the largest single contract for house furnishings ever let in Davenport. The contract, which aggregates \$60,000, calls for all furniture, carpets and window shades to be used in the new hotel. The furniture is all of solid mahogany, and will be upholstered in plush and tapestry, no leather being used. A particularly noticeable feature in the furniture of the new building is that it includes no rocking chairs, their use being considered by the hotel management as objectionable for hotel purposes. The furniture will be manufactured especially for the hotel at Grand Rapids, Mich.

O'Bannon Fire Incendiary.—That the fire that partially destroyed the pretty new bungalow of Mr. and Mrs. Bayless O'Bannon on the Bettendorf Heights was of incendiary origin, is the conclusion which has followed descriptions of the early stages of the fire. The house was unoccupied and the family was preparing to move into it this week. That it was set on fire from the outside was plain from the nature of the blaze and the resulting damage. The authorities in Bettendorf have strong suspicions as to who the guilty party is. The state fire marshal has been requested by Chief John Ketels of Bettendorf to investigate the matter.

A closer investigation of the damage done by fire to the residence of Mrs. Minnie Meyers, 422 Warren street, Saturday night, resulted in placing the damage above the \$1,000 mark.

A loss of over \$50 was sustained in a roof fire at Sixth and LeClaire streets by a defective chimney. The chimney, according to Chief Denzger, was in bad condition. The fire broke through and started the side of the building.

Fight to Break Otto Klug Will.—Fighting for a fourth interest in the estate of the late Otto Klug, wealthy retired business man and heavy downtown property holder at the time of his death some ten years ago, Mrs. Otto Klug, Jr., is plaintiff in a suit before Judge Donegan. When Otto Klug, Sr., died he left his property to each of

his four children, Mrs. William Haase of Davenport, Otto Klug of Minneapolis, Miss Elsie Klug of Davenport, and Mrs. Robert Wagner of Rock Island, the widow also having a life interest in the estate. The widow died over a year ago and Otto Klug, Jr., died two years ago. The son's widow has set up a claim to the full share of the estate which her husband would have inherited, her claim being fought by the remaining three heirs, Congressman Henry Vollmer represents the three heirs in Davenport and is here from Washington, D. C., to try the case in person. Mrs. Otto Klug, Jr., is represented by Healy & La Du of Minneapolis and Ralph Williamson of Davenport.

By the will of Catherine Suerkrubbe, filed for probate with the clerk of the district court, the property, amounting to \$2,000, is left in equal shares to each of the following sons and daughters: Alwine Jensen, Helen Wulff, A. E. Suerkrubbe, Herman Suerkrubbe, Emma Beckensneider, Emelie Muhs, Richard Suerkrubbe.

Hit by Car; Head Gashed.—While attempting to board a speeding interurban car at Bettendorf Reinhardt Meinke, 35 years old, a laborer, was thrown to the pavement and his head cut open. Meinke failed to gauge the speed at which the car was moving and attempted to catch the hand rail. He was removed to the county jail.

Licensed to Wed.—Otto William Meyer and Ella Catherine Fick, both of Davenport.

Food Inspection in Report.—During the past year Food Inspector Alfred Wright has condemned enough alleged food stuff to poison a small army. Decayed meat, oysters and fish, decrepit cheese, ancient eggs, fermented milk and other products temptingly displayed in various stores were literally thrown into outer darkness and condemned by Inspector Wright, who tells of his department's work in his annual report, just compiled: Just 6,311 pounds of rotten meat were ordered destroyed; 351 gallons of over-ripe oysters were banished; also one barrel of decayed fish; 325 dozen embalmed eggs; 79 pounds of aged poultry; 100 bottles of bad milk, and other things too numerous to mention.

Violation of Mann Act.—Federal authorities are investigating an alleged white slave case involving Mary Carigan, the girl who was arrested Sunday night in a raid on a Second street rooming house. Marshal Kearney of the United States department of justice arrived in Davenport and immediately thereafter Sam Polos was arrested, charged with violation of the Mann act. It is alleged that Polos brought the girl to Davenport from Canton, Ill., and since his arrival in this city has forced the girl to consort with other men. He is now in the city jail and tomorrow will be taken before United States Commissioner Bush, where formal charges will be preferred against him.

Obituary Record.—After an illness of several months' duration, William J. Schmidt died at a local hospital. He was 54 years old. Deceased was born in Davenport Jan. 28, 1860, and has lived in this city all his life. One brother, Joseph Schmidt, survives.

Lasar Pavel, 36 years old, a Roumanian, residing in Bettendorf, died at a local hospital, following a brief illness. Pavel was born April 2, 1878, in Roumania. He came to this country several years ago. No relatives survive so far as is known.

Miss Olga Thomas died at the home

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