

# BOOZE PROBLEM IS PERMANENT THING CONGRESS LEARNS

### NOTWITHSTANDING THAT NATION IS SUPPOSED TO BE DRY THE OLD RUM QUESTION CONTINUES TO BOB UP AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Questions bearing on prohibition figured in the tariff hearing before the senate finance committee today. Proposed increases in duty on distilled spirits and champagne were opposed on the ground of an undue burden upon the sick. Opposition to an increased duty on hops expressed on behalf of manufacturers of near beer. Importers of Italian lemons opposed increased duties on the ground that congress owes it to the public to provide cheap lemonade as a substitute for beer and wine.

The only witness appearing in connection with the liquor schedule of the tariff bill, on which hearings were announced today, was Levi Cooke, opposed the increase in the Fordney tariff bill from \$2.60 to \$5 per proof gallon on brandy and other distilled spirits and from \$3 to \$5 per gallon on champagne.

Mr. Cooke said that the rate should be left at such a point that liquor which is brought in for medicinal purposes, will not be so high priced as to be an undue burden upon those who are ill. When one of the senators questioned the value of champagne for medicinal purposes, Mr. Cooke said that it had high medicinal value and that a well known public official who died recently in a Washington hospital had been kept alive a week on nothing but champagne.

Mr. Cooke on behalf of Anheuser-Busch of St. Louis, objected to the increase in the ordney bill from 16 cents to 24 cents a pound on hops. Mr. Cooke said that the Anheuser-Busch company in manufacturing beer real beverages is obliged to use one half imported hops, and one half domestic hops, in order to get the proper flavor.

He said that the manufacturers of cereal beverages are having a difficult time and that to impose this additional duty would be intolerable. He said that the domestic growers of hops on the Pacific coast do not need the additional protection.

The proposed increase in duties on lemons sought by California growers were objected to by L. J. Scaramelli, president of the Italian chamber of commerce of New York.

"Congress has taken away our beer and wine," said Mr. Scaramelli, "and therefore should give us cheap lemonade."

## CONDUCT SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR HEALTH OFFICERS

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 13.—The state department of public health is holding the school of instruction for health officers at Springfield this week. All of the newly appointed district health superintendents in the employ of the state have gathered at the capitol in response to a request from Dr. I. D. Pawlings, director of public health, for the institute, which will cover a period of seven days, Dec. 12-18.

The school has been arranged for the primary purpose of giving to the health officers clear and definite information relative to the scope and character of the various activities of the state along public health lines and to give them first hand instruction as to their duties and responsibilities. It is believed that in this way the men will be equipped to perform their work in the best possible way and that the people of Illinois will consequently receive the most efficient public health administration possible under the existing laws.

The program for the institute has been divided into two sections, one dealing with theoretical matters and one with the practical operation of these theories. The theoretical

# Society

One hundred members of the Florence Rebekah lodge attended the annual meeting and election of officers of the organization which was held last night in Odd Fellows hall. Mrs. Emma Hunt of Morris, the district president of the organization was present, and delivered a short address. The following officers were chosen to serve during the coming year:

Noble Grand—Mrs. Anna Stewart.  
Vice Grand—Mrs. Irene Griffith.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Elizabeth Todd.  
Financial Secretary—Mrs. Pearl White.

Treasurer—Mrs. Addie Faupel.  
Pianist—Mrs. Edith Hettrick.  
Lodge Deputy—Mrs. Bertha Christmann.  
Staff Captain—Mrs. Myrtle Gaefke.

Trustees—Mrs. George Bowermaster, Mrs. Otto Schillofski, Mrs. Engle Logner, Mrs. Carrie Parsons and Miss Elsie Fisher.

At the close of the business meeting a social hour was held, and refreshments were served.

A large number of students assembled at the American Legion hall this afternoon to attend the party given in connection with the pre-Christmas sale and bazaar which the girls of St. Xavier's Academy are giving. The hall is a very attractive place, prettily decorated with Christmas greens, and the three booths are decorated in keeping with the same color scheme. The sale will come to a close tonight.

Yesterday afternoon a large number of ladies attended the card party held as the opening feature of the sale. The girls cleared a large sum of money from the sale of cooked foods. Last night the hall was filled for the dancing party. The sale was conducted early in the evening, after which orchestra music was furnished for dancing.

The Ottawa Box club, which has been extensively reorganized, will be opened to the members with a big ball on the night of Jan. 23. This ball will be in the nature of an opening for the new club and the Christmas ball. It is expected that the ball will be one of the largest and most delightful social functions ever held by the club. The organization was recently reorganized.

The annual children's party of the Ottawa Boat club will be held on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 31, from 4 to 7 o'clock at the club house. The party will be informal and will be conducted along the same lines of entertainment that have been used at the children's Christmas party for many years. The children of all members of the club will be invited to attend.

The regular meeting of Illini Camp No. 461, Royal Neighbors of America, will be held this evening in Macabean hall. There will be an election of officers. All members of the camp are requested to be present.

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All classes and demonstrations throughout the course will be conducted by men of special training and broad experience in their particular line. Nothing will be left undone in the efforts of the state department of public health to prepare the district health superintendents for the fullest discharge of their duties to the end that the public may receive a service that will minimize the danger of epidemics and promote health.

One hundred ladies gathered at the Knights of Columbus home last night to attend the annual business meeting and election of officers of the Catholic Daughters of America. Miss Katherine Sinnott, who has served as regent of the organization for three terms, retired, and Miss Angela Downey was chosen to take her place. The complete list of officers chosen to serve during the coming year were as follows:

Grand Regent—Miss Angela Downey.  
Vice Grand Regent—Mrs. John Phelan.  
Prophetess—Mrs. Margaret Feehan.  
Historian—Miss Mary Brown.  
Financial Secretary—Miss Margery McGrath.

Treasurer—Miss Lillie Geary.  
Monitor—Miss Agnes Mullen.  
Sentinel—Miss Margaret G. O'Donnell.  
Organist—Mrs. M. J. Sheehan.  
Trustees—Miss Nora O'Donnell and Mrs. Joseph Jaeger.

Mrs. W. H. Hull, a prominent resident of this city celebrated her eighty-sixth birthday yesterday at her home on Columbus street. The day was spent informally and only a dinner in the evening for the members of the immediate family of Mrs. Hull marked the occasion. Mrs. Hull came to Ottawa as a bride in 1854.

The philanthropic department of the Ottawa Woman's club held an all-day meeting today at the home of Mrs. Otto Hetzner on State street. A large number of ladies were in attendance. The day was spent working on articles for various charitable purposes, and at noon a picnic luncheon was served.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 798 will hold a card party and dance on Friday evening, Dec. 16, at Schaefer's hall. Cards will be played from 8 to 10 o'clock, and a five-piece orchestra will furnish music for dancing from 10 o'clock until midnight.

St. Francis' Dramatic club will be entertained at a Christmas dancing party tonight in Commercial hall. Orchestra music will be furnished for dancing from 10 o'clock until midnight. All members of the club have been invited to attend.

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### Light Lost by Dirt.

The value of clean lamps and lamp fixtures is not generally appreciated, and so the dust and soil is often allowed to rest upon them undisturbed for a long time. Attention to this matter was recently shown by test to result in an increase of one-third in the amount of illumination in a factory. After the demonstration it was decided by the owners to employ a man to give his attention to cleaning the lamps and renewing them when they get to the inefficient stage.

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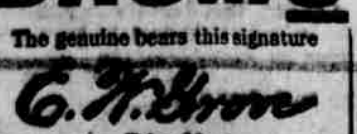
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