

Speaker For Limberlost Day



Dr. Henry B. Ward

Dr. Henry B. Ward, A.B., M.A., D.Sc., of the University of Illinois and national president of the Izaak Walton League, will deliver the principal address at the dedication of Elephant Rock, on the Adams county court house lawn, Tuesday, Sept. 11, as a memorial to the late Gene Stratton Porter. Dr. Ward is professor of Zoology at the University of Illinois, is a member of the Illinois Board of Museum Advisors; editor in chief of the Illinois Biological Monographs; managing editor of Zoological Laboratory; managing editor of Journal of Parasitology and a member of the executive committee of the American Association for Advancement of Science.

#### DENVER VICE SQUAD LEADER WOULD TAKE CHILDREN FROM BOOTLEGGING PARENTS

—(INS)—  
Denver.—Sergt. E. C. Young, head of the Denver police department's vice squad, believes that parents who engage in illegal traffic in liquor should not have custody of their children.

He has instituted proceeding to take Esther, 10, and Susie, 6, from their mother, Mrs. Beatrice Rael, 38, who is serving a thirty day jail sentence following conviction of a charge of selling a pint of liquor to a police "undercover" man.

Sergeant Young bases his authority for the action on the assumption that parents who traffic in liquor against the law contribute to the delinquency of their children. He pointed out that many times the children are even used for "blinds" for the parents in their illicit traffic.

The two children of Mrs. Rael are being cared for in the Denver Detention home while their mother is serving the jail term. When the mother is released, according to Sergeant Young, an attempt will be made in Denver Juvenile court to legally keep the children from their mother.

The proceedings faced by Mrs. Rael bring to light a new angle in enforcement of the Eighteenth amendment, and, if successful in depriving the woman of her children, police offic-

ials declare, similar action will be taken against all parents found guilty of violating the prohibition laws.

#### Bookkeepers Die Earliest

The average life span of Americans is forty-seven years, Doctor Dodson of the American Medical Association, tells us. By occupations, bookkeepers are the shortest lived, their lifetime averaging 36.5 years. Doctors live to an average of sixty-two, longest of all callings as it ought to be.—Capper's Weekly.

#### Vanity Universal

Vanity is so anchored in the heart of man that a soldier, a camp follower, a cook, a porter, makes his boasts and is for having his admirers; even philosophers wish for them. Those who write against it yet desire the glory of having written well; those who read desire the glory of having read; I who write this have maybe this desire, and perhaps those who will read it.—Pascal.

#### Keeping on Safe Side

You believe your children will care for you when you are old. Don't believe it so much as to neglect to lay up considerable rainy-day money. I'm not a pessimist; only an observer.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.



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Lee, who took out the first planes in the air mail when it started with 436 miles a day and two stops ten years ago has seen the air mail service expand until it outranks that of any other nation and today he is part of a nationwide transportation system which covers 25,000 miles a day, serving 62 million people directly and many millions more indirectly.

Lee has acquired numerous records but thinks his most unusual service was dropping food from an airplane on South Fox Island in Northern Lake, Michigan to save a band of starving, icebound lumberjacks. The fastest time he ever made with the air mail was between Chicago and Omaha, 430 miles which he made in 2 hours and 46 minutes. Train time for that journey is twelve hours.

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