

BONE DRY BILL PASSED TO THIRD READING IN HOUSE

Amendments Proposed by
Morals Committee Ac-
cepted.

The Wright bone dry bill passed to engrossment today by a voice vote when the House accepted the majority report of the Public Morals Committee with amendments.

The minority committee report, signed by Representatives Kenney and Korf, was recommending indefinite postponement, was lost on voice vote.

Principal amendments eliminate sections providing that of intoxicants about a person driving an automobile shall be prima facie evidence he is intoxicated; making both the first and second offense of possession, manufacturing, etc., carry a jail sentence of from thirty days to six months in addition to from \$100 to \$500 fine; allowing judges to suspend sentences for first and second offense; allowing use of wines and liquors in pharmaceuticals; striking out penalty for contempt; providing for change of venue and striking out of the emergency clause.

Amendment offered by Representative Carlisle, South Bend, relative to search warrants was lost. Carlisle maintained the provision on search warrants made the law unconstitutional. Representative Wright declared the same provision is in force in twenty States.

TRACTION SHOPS BURN

Heavy Loss Suffered by T. H. I. & E. Company at Terre Haute.

By United Press

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 27.—Heavy loss was suffered by the Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Eastern Traction Company in a fire which swept the machine shops and store rooms at the company barns here.

The blaze, discovered in the machine shop, spread rapidly over oil-soaked floors. Practically the entire Terre Haute fire department was called out to fight the flames.

Two firemen, Fred Moeller and Wilber Brotherton, were injured when they fell into a pit while blinded by smoke.

Company officials had not completed an estimate of the damage, but they said it would total many thousands of dollars. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

FEDERAL JURY CALLED

Small Cases to Be Considered in Session Feb. 10.

Federal Grand Jury will meet Feb. 10, for a session of about two weeks. Alexander G. Cavins, United States district attorney, announced today. The jury will be the same as that which met in December.

About 100 minor cases, mostly liquor law violations will be considered, it is said. The plan is to get rid of as many of the small cases as possible, leaving a few cases of greater importance to the succeeding district attorney, it is understood.

DR. SUN SERIOUSLY ILL

South China Dictator Undergoes Operation—Condition Desperate'.

By United Press
OSAKA, Japan, Jan. 27.—Condition of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, south China dictator, operated on for a disease of the kidneys, is described as "desperate" in Pekin dispatches today.

Motorist Escapes

The third motorist has escaped within two weeks, police said today, after killing or injuring a person. Miss Lillian Smith, colored, 21 of St. Harrison, was struck Monday at New York St. and Indiana Ave. She was taken to the city hospital with minor injuries.

Sparkling Eyes Accompany Good Health

By United Press

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Weekly Book Review

Skeleton of Mamma's Past Nearly Wrecks Life of Little French Girl

By WALTER D. HICKMAN
Skeletons placed in the private closet of the life of Mme. Vervier by her own "unconventional" actions in search of "happiness" rattled loudly when her own daughter, Alix, sought real happiness.

That is the situation faced by Mme. Vervier, the mother of Alix, the little French girl, in Anne Douglas Sedgwick's "The Little French Girl."

Madame was a powerful woman. She had great beauty, a brilliant mind and a personality which collected a crowd of "delightful" French people around her.

She had so much intelligence that she needed less soul than other people, adapting a phrase of the author in describing one of the "delightful people" surrounding Madame.

Main St. language would call Madame swift, fast and not moral. She picked the daisies, the roses and the faded leaves in the various ages of her life. She had lived, but the history of her past threatened to wreck the happiness of her daughter when the child sought happiness as the wife of Giles, a corking good English lad who was backed by all the traditions of conventional English life.

Giles, in looking over Madame, reached this verdict: "She is not a bad woman; wrong, but not bad."

Madame, although a mother, amused herself with "lovers."

How Own Inventory

Madame, being a very wise woman, sums up herself as follows: "But do not fear for me too much. I shall know when your youth is over. I shall know when the laurels are out and winter has come to the woods. I shall be able to furl my sails before the night comes on; and if one furls one's sails in time, Monsieur Giles, one is never wrecked. And there will be, I trust, a little harbor for me somewhere. Alix's children to love. And my memories. I shall be in old age a much happier woman than most. Most old women have only to remember how they were loved by nobody at all."

Again the verdict in her own words: "One never turns back at my age. One's path has grown too closely about one. Other paths are all blocked out. And I was perhaps destined for it. For some women may fill their hearts and stifle the personal longings; but for others these compensations are not enough. They must have love. They must have a lover. And in France husbands are seldom lovers. So, if one is a mounting torrent, one leaps over the precipice. Do you see? That is my history."

Story Will Live

It is my opinion that "The Little French Girl" will take its place along side of the few contributions to modern fiction which has a right to be passed over to the next generation.

I admit that I was more interested in the character drawing of Madame Vervier and her companions than that I was in the many chapters devoted to Giles and his strict English home.

Giles, Alix, Madame and many other characters, including Toppie will live as gigantic contributions to life as reflected by a great novelist. He is a novel which has been a best seller for months. And it will continue to be because it is a gigantic masterpiece of characterization and as an accurate medium of comparing English and French life and their viewpoints.

Houghton Mifflin Company published "The Little French Girl." It is undoubtedly the most discussed book of the day. If you want to be up-to-date, then you must read "The Little French Girl."

It is not a cheap attempt at sensationalism, but a marvelously accurate reflection of English and French life. Nothing finer has come to my attention lately.

SENATE HAS 'BUSY TIME'

Adopts Committee Reports, Argues Rules, "Looks Pretty."

The State Senate today had its picture taken, argued long over rules, adopted a few reports and adjourned until 2 p. m.

Minority report of Senator Chambers, Newcastle, Democrat, recommending passage of a bill abolishing state insurance of actuarial funds, was adopted. Senator Neff's report asking indefinite postponement of the amendment changing rules making a bill dead when indefinitely postponed.

By a vote of 47 to 0 the Senate on Monday passed the Penrod bill which prevents removal of the First Baptist and the Second Presbyterian Churches from the War Memorial Plaza. The vote came after bitter debate. The measure goes to the House.

SAFE FOR DOGOCRACY

Vivisectionists Denied Animals From City Pound by Board

H. B. 21 (Devol)—Authorizes Marion County sheriff to employ lawyer at \$1,000 a year. (S. 4 to 1.)

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