

U. S. MAY MAKE MORE WHISKY FOR MEDICINE

Dry Chief to Begin Survey to Determine Needs of Nation.

By Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance
WASHINGTON, July 13.—A survey of the nation's medicinal liquor stores to determine whether the government should replenish the supply by reopening specified distilleries will be started by Dr. James M. Doran, prohibition commissioner, within a few days.

Regional reports on the amount of whisky in storage will reach him before the end of the month. Decision to distill or not to distill will be made upon the basis of the total amount of liquor found in government warehouses.

Estimates place the amount at around 15,000,000 gallons, but losses from evaporation, theft, or optimistic figuring on the part of administrators may reduce the total.

Should it approach 10,000,000 gallons, which is quite possible, treasury heads will begin formulation of a program for the first batch of legalized liquor made in this country since 1922.

Must Be Four Years

Yearly consumption now is about 1,500,000 gallons. A 10,000,000 reserve, with further evaporation or theft, might not be sufficient for more than six years. Since the United States pharmacopeia sets up a standard of 4-year-old whisky, the day for opening the distilleries would be far distant, on a basis of only 10,000,000 gallons.

Dr. Doran declines to make any estimate of the supply on hand. But in a report to congress last year he said that "the question of manufacturing new medicinal whisky will become a live one within the next six months or a year."

Authority for reopening distilleries is vested in Secretary Mellon, but the law provides for a report on the subject by the prohibition commissioner before any steps toward manufacture may be taken.

Dry Resist Move

Drys always have resisted demands for replenishing the supply when they have been made by drug interests. Prohibition spokesmen have declared for greater restrictions on physicians' permits, and contended that the present supply could be preserved for a decade if the allowances for prescriptions were cut.

Laterly, however, there has been a constant demand from drug interests for manufacture of a new supply, and it is understood several distilleries have filed applications for the right to reopen.

RACES WILL CONTINUE AT KENNEL CLUB TRACK

Betting Books Will Remain Closed, Promoters Announce.

Despite the fact that betting booths will remain closed, promoters of the Indiana Kennel Club, Ltd., were preparing today to handle a crowd of several thousand persons at the track on the Allisonville road to the right.

John J. Darmody, one of the promoters, said races will be run each night except Sunday, starting at 8:30, but that betting booths will remain closed until the court case is settled.

No police and only two sheriff's deputies were at the track Friday night, when approximately 1,500 persons were on hand.

THREE ARE BANKRUPT

Two List Indebtedness of \$25,000 to Citizens National Bank of Hope.

Listing indebtedness of more than \$25,000 to the Citizens National Bank of Hope, Ind., now in receivership, two Columbus (Ind.) men have filed voluntary bankruptcy petitions in federal court.

William C. Galbraith, farmer, listed \$41,561 in liabilities of which nearly \$14,000 represents notes held by the bank, and assets of \$9,947. Charles F. McCauley, real estate agent, listed \$33,130 in liabilities, including a similar amount owned to the bank, and \$10,407 assets. McCauley was a director in the bank.

Charles G. Irvin, Hamilton county farmer, listed \$17,251 in liabilities and \$14,210 assets in another petition.

World Club Head Speaks

By Times Special
ANDERSON, Ind., July 13.—Nicholas Noland, Dayton, O., international president of Optimist Clubs, and Harlington Woods, Springfield, O., were guests at a joint meeting of Anderson, Muncie, Lafayette and Springfield (O) clubs at Grandview park clubhouse here. Woods gave an address on "Optimism."

New Photo of Mrs. 'We'



SCIENTISTS OF WORLD GATHER IN CAPE TOWN

Sessions Will Continue for Two Weeks in South African Cities.

By Science Service
CAPE TOWN, South Africa, July 13.—Famous scientists, not only from England, but from the United States as well, are beginning to gather here for what probably will be one of the most important of scientific meetings ever held south of the equator.

This will be the South African meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which will open at Cape Town Monday night, July 22. Sessions will continue here until Saturday, July 27, when the members will travel to Johannesburg and Pretoria. There further sessions will be held until Monday, Aug. 5.

South African scientific bodies, especially the South African Association for the Advancement of Science, will hold joint sessions with the British association.

Meetings of the British association are held every year, usually in the British Isles in the late summer, but occasionally meetings are held in the British dominions. The first was in 1884, in Montreal. In 1897 a meeting was held in Toronto, in 1909 one in Winnipeg, and in 1924 another took place in Toronto. In 1905 the first meeting was held in South Africa, with Sir George Darwin as president.

An Australian meeting was in session in 1914, when the war broke out, which added to the thrills of returning to England for the members. It was at this meeting that the late H. G. J. Moseley announced his researches on the relation between the X-ray spectra and weights of atoms of elements. He was killed in the war the next year, but his method has led to the discovery of several new elements.

Sir Thomas Holland, famous British geologist and rector of the Imperial College of Science, will preside over the meeting. He succeeds Sir William Bragg, who was president last year at the Glasgow meeting. His address will deal with "The International Relationship of Minerals" and will be given at Johannesburg on Wednesday, July 31.

At the opening session in Cape Town the night of July 22, the Earl of Athlone, governor-general of the South African association, will speak on "Africa and Science."

'Suicide Lake' to Be Fenced

By Times Special
MUNCIE, Ind., July 13.—"Suicide lake" is to be closed to the public. A stone quarry near the city limits has been sold to the Central Indiana Gas Company and will be enclosed with a high fence and swimming forbidden. Several persons have lost their lives there in the last few years, some accidentally and others the result of suicide.

An eight-year college grind, followed by a practice involving long and irregular hours, cuts down vitality and resistance, Morgan said.

Danger of infection from disease is always present and often fatal in spite of precautions.

"Scrutiny of medical journal obituaries reveals heart disease as the thing that gets doctors. Sedentary lives and lack of exercise gets preachers, who live longer than any other profession," Morgan said.

Custom authorities sold them as fuel.

OPERATE POWER PLANT WITH WOOD SHOE NAILS

Used as Fuel When Refused by Merchant in Hungary.

BEKECSBASA, Hungary, July 13.—Steam in the boilers of the electricity plant of this little town for the past few days has been kept up with fuel composed of Russian wooden shoe-nails.

Some time ago a consignment of 700 cases wooden shoe-nails was sent from Russia to Bekecsbasa.

As the shoe-nails were sharp on four sides, according to Russian custom, and as those employed in Hungary are only sharp on two sides, the merchant refused to accept them.

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DEBUTANTE, HURT IN CAR CRASH, IMPROVES

Second Blood Transfusion Unnecessary for Chicago Girl.

By United Press
EVANSTON, Ill., July 13.—Miss Dorothy Wilson, 20-year-old debutante of Pasadena, Cal., and Chicago, seriously injured in a collision between her automobile and one driven by Miss Helen Hertz, daughter of John Hertz, millionaire sportsman and retired taxicab magnate, appeared on the road to recovery today.

Unless unforeseen complications arise, a second blood transfusion will be unnecessary, Dr. Marcus H. Hobart said.

Miss Hertz and her parents called at Evanston hospital again Friday and left flowers.

Veterans to Attend Reunion

By Times Special
MARION, Ind., July 12.—Eighteen members of Company A, One-hundred-sixtieth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, Marion, are planning to attend the annual reunion to be held Aug. 18, at Logansport.

First New Wheat Sold

COLUMBUS, Ind., July 13.—The first new wheat on the local market was brought from the farm of Mrs. Ella Brookman in Cliffton township, where it is charged vandals have been dynamiting streams.

9,000 Fish "Planted"

By Times Special
FRANKFORT, Ind., July 13.—Nine thousand fish—young blue gills, crappies, rock bass, large and small mouth bass—have been placed in streams and gravel pits near Frankfort by the state department of conservation. No fish were placed in Michigan township, where it is charged vandals have been dynamiting streams.

GAS SECRETARY TALKS

Citizens' Official Explains Manufacture; Ignores City Moves.

Without mentioning proceedings of the city to assume ownership of the citizen's gas company, F. G. Rastenborg, secretary of the company, gave an illustrated talk on the manufacture of gas before a meeting of the Exchange Club at the Lincoln Friday.

Officers are: R. J. Dearborn, president; Flora Whaley, vice-president; Charles Hoffman, treasurer, and Walter N. Mann, secretary. The social committee includes Mrs. Edward J. Seitz, Mrs. Homer Kivett and Mrs. Lulu Vehling.

ROOKIES HOLD TRYOUTS

Plans Completed for Military Training Camp Meet.

With final tryouts today, Captain Don P. Branson, camp athletic officer, completed arrangements for the annual track and field meet for the citizen's military training camp candidates at Ft. Benjamin Harrison Monday afternoon. Preliminary tryouts were held earlier this week.

The cadets began their last month of military training Friday with a short hike. An overnight encampment was abandoned because of a wet camp site.

Near 9th Birthday

MARION, Ind., July 13.—Children of Mrs. Mary Watson, Grant county's oldest resident, are making preparations to observe her ninety-seventh birthday anniversary at her home here, July 21. Mrs. Watson was born in 1832 and has lived in Grant county since 1837.

Pastor Writes Book

GREENCASTLE, Ind., July 13.—The Rev. B. H. Bruner, pastor of the Christian church here, is the author of a book to be published in September, entitled "The Meaning of Church Membership."

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FARM HAND IS KILLED BY AUTO, SEVEN ARE HURT

Sessions Will Continue for Two Weeks in South African Cities.

Struck by Car Racing With Train; City Pedestrian Believed Dying.

One pedestrian is dead and another in a critical condition in city hospital after traffic mishaps from which two automobile drivers fled Friday night.

Walking along State Road 31 one mile south of Southport, William Miller, 69, Rural Route 1, Box 379, was struck by an auto racing with a traction car. He was killed instantly.

Witnesses of the accident said the body was hurled more than thirty feet. Miller was an employee at the farm of Mrs. Mary Weller, near the scene of the accident.

Frank Good, address unknown, was struck by a motor truck while crossing New York street at West street. City hospital attendants say he suffered a skull fracture and had not regained consciousness Saturday morning.

Falling asleep while driving with his family on State Road 52, Stanley Piper, 33, Versailles, Ky., lost control of his car and it crashed into an abutment of a stone bridge one mile north of Traders Point early today.

Piper's right leg was fractured twice, and he was cut and bruised. His wife and twin 4-year-old sons were uninjured.

F. A. Pohl, 136 North Seventeenth Street, Beech Grove, was under arrest today on charges of drunkenness after his automobile Friday night crashed into a car driven by Lloyd Pierman, 24, of 1202 St. Louis avenue, at Sherman drive and Raymond streets seriously injuring Mrs. Emma Wolff, 32, of 1730 Wade street, a passenger in Pohl's machine.

Pohl now is under grand jury indictment on manslaughter charges for the death of John Windhorst and his 12-year-old son after Pohl's car crashed into a crowd in Beech Grove in March.

Pierman, Miss Thelma Micks, 20; Miss Edith Micks, 18, both of 329 South State street, and Earl Harmon, 20, of 347 South State street, were bruised and cut.

Though the proposed legislation applies only to the national capital, barring all commercial activity, it is understood its sponsors hope it will serve as a model for the nation. Should congress enact the Lankford bill, it is predicted that a drive for similar laws will be launched in cities and states which have no Sunday prohibitory measures.

The predicament saddled on Hoover flows from the fact that some of his strongest campaign supporters, including many prohibition leaders, want to win him to their side. Among those who conferred with him on the subject this week were Bishop James Cannon Jr., of Virginia, Canon Chase of Brooklyn, the Rev. David G. Wylie and H. L. Bowby of the Lord's Day Alliance.

The Lankford bill would prohibit theaters, motion pictures and baseball, and its backers refer to it as a "Sunday rest law."

The President never has stated his view on the subject, but it is believed that he would not be disposed favorably to such legislation. He frequently has gone fishing on Sunday.

Excessive building in the newly annexed territories and the expansion of the city by annexation has made the redistricting necessary. Hurd said.

Seven building inspectors, an increase of two, was asked by Hurd in his 1930 budget.

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They jumped into a boat and took the rudderless boat in tow and returned safely to shore.

ROYAL COUPLE SAVE TWO FROM DROWNING

Crown Prince Olaf of Norway and Princess Martha Hailed as Heroes.

By United Press

LONDON, July 13.—Norway's athletic young crown prince, Olaf, and his Swedish wife, Crown Princess Martha were hailed as hero and heroine today for saving two persons from drowning, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen said.

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'COMEDY' FIRE TOLL 15

Deaths Mount, Another Fireman Is Latest Victim of Tragedy.

By United Press

GILLINGHAM, Kent, England, July 13.—The death toll from the fire which turned a comic presentation of "The Fireman's Wedding" into a tragedy here Thursday night was raised to fifteen today, when another fireman died from his injuries.

RAILROADS FACE SUIT

Indianapolis Company Asks Damage for Freight Overcharge.

Suit against six railroad companies asking enforcement of an Interstate commerce commission order for \$198 damages, representing alleged freight overcharge on stone shipped to Los Angeles, has been filed in federal court by G. Ittenbach Company, Indianapolis.

Defendant railroads are Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis; Chicago, Indianapolis & Eastern; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific; Los Angeles & Salt Lake and the Union Pacific.

Excursion via Big Four Route Sunday, July 21

Via