

## STORM GROWS OVER SENATE REPEAL BILL

Wets Brand Measure as Worse Than None at All.

BY LEO R. SACK

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—A storm of protest is arising here today against the so-called prohibition "repeal" amendment just reported to the senate by its judiciary committee.

The measure, intended to silence opposition of drys within congress and in the states, was attacked sharply by the leading anti-prohibition organizations as worse than a repeal at all.

The attacks are centering on the "police regulation" which the judiciary committee hopes to write into the Constitution, and also upon the fact that the ratification is referred to legislatures instead of to conventions as promised in the 1932 platforms of both major political parties.

Despite the opposition, the Democratic leadership of the senate is preparing to jam the measure to a vote, and then take a chance on Senator John N. Garner and other champions of the straight-out Democratic repeal plan changing their minds.

### Bitter Fight Is Foreseen

The senate, however, will not accept a bitter fight. Senator John J. Blaine (Rep., Wis.) and Robert F. Wagner (Dem., N. Y.) are preparing to fight the section which gives congress concurrent power to regulate or prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors "to be drunk on the premises," said.

In the opinion of these and other senators this merely prolongs the prohibition agitation and defeats the purpose of repeal.

Jonett Shouse, president of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, described the senate measure as "more modification" which will continue the confusion now prevailing by permitting a further exercise of police powers by the federal government in the attempt to prevent the saloon.

### Demands Outright Repeal

"Unless and until there is offered a clear cut resolution providing for outright repeal of the eighteenth amendment," Shouse said, "and returning unrestricted control over the liquor problem to the different states without an attempt at continued exercise of jurisdiction by the federal government, it were infinitely better that the eighteenth amendment should stand."

The November election result, Shouse said, was a "mandate for a straightforward repeal resolution."

"Failure by congress to comply with this demand, which the people had the right to make, would prove a mockery of political integrity."

The wet organization spokesman suggested that if the amendment is not corrected on the floor of the senate "it should be defeated, and those who favor repeal of the eighteenth amendment would be well advised to vote against any form of suggested resolution which does not provide for unmodified repeal."

The resolution was reported by a 10 to 4 vote. The police regulation was approved 9 to 5 with Senators Blaine, Herbert, King, Bratton, and Black voting against the regulation.

### VANDALS LOOT STORE

Truck Load of Beverages and Malt

Look of Intruders.

After pouring malt extract on desks, the floor and in a cash register in the Edelweiss Distributing Co. offices at 19 East Wilkins street, vandals Monday night loaded a stolen truck with beverages and malt and escaped, according to a report to police.

### Murder Trial Is Delayed

By United Press  
SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Jan. 10.—Trial of Stanley Parker, Indianapolis, on charges of murdering an Indianapolis pawnbroker last August, has been continued indefinitely in Shelby circuit court. It was scheduled to start today. The case was brought here on a change of venue from Marion county.

## If Wife Cheats, Should She Be Put to Death?

\$200 in Cash Is Offered for Best Letters in Times Contest.

Desdemona's innocence is beside the point. The important thing is that Othello strangled her. He would have died for that girl, but the Moor's creed dictated an eye for an eye, and when a false proof of her unfaithfulness was established, he claimed one last kiss from her importuning lips and then broke her swan-like neck.

Othello thought his wife was unfaithful, and he killed her.

In Ronald Colman's new picture, "Cynara," which opens Friday at Loew's Palace with the beautiful Kay Francis opposite him, he plays the role of an unfaithful husband. This is for one brief moment he falters, but once is enough. As the wolf pack crowds a fallen member, society edges in closer for the kill. But his wife—would you do as she does?

Loew's theaters throughout the country are interested in knowing if you would react as Kay Francis does in a similar situation. To learn this, Loew's will pay \$200 in hard cash—\$100 for the best letter written by a husband, and another \$100 for the best letter written by a wife. These letters must answer the question: "Should the wife in 'Cynara' forgive her husband?"

Write a letter of not more than 100 words to the "Cynara" Editor, care of The Indianapolis Times, telling whether you would emulate Kay Francis, and why the wife should or should not forgive the husband.

Now every married man and woman asks this question at one time or another. "What would I do if I caught my wife, or husband cheating?"

But every man and woman doesn't

## Let's Explore Your Mind

BY DR. ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.

WOULD IT BE WISE AS BERNARD SHAW THINKS TO EXHIBIT THE DANGERS AND PENALTIES OF SEX, AS WELL AS ITS ALLUREMENTS ON THE MODERN STAGE?

WRITE YES OR NO HERE



DOES LEARNING LATIN IN SCHOOL IMPROVE ONE'S ABILITY TO THINK?—

WRITE YES OR NO

DOES ENTHUSIASM IF ONLY PRETENDED HELP YOU TO PULL THROUGH A HARD JOB?—

WRITE YES OR NO HERE

AUTHOR'S NOTE—These answers are given from the scientific point of view. Not all moral questions can be answered with absolute scientific accuracy, but decisions to what is right conduct or sound morals is possible without science. Science puts the rights of organized society above the rights of individuals.

1.—Very wise, if done with art and not with moral preachment. The Greeks did it; so did O'Neill's "Strange Interlude," and Ibsen's "Ghosts." It is profoundly effective, but only in the hands of a great artist.

2.—No, not more than about one ten-millionth of one degree. That theory has been knocked sky-high. Somebody sent me a book recently on "How to Teach Latin."

It was the best book I ever saw on how to teach something nobody needs to know, which gets on your nerves.

3.—Yes. Enthusiasm works wonders, whether real or assumed. College students, compelled to work at very disagreeable tasks, after working up artificial enthusiasm by saying vigorously, "My, but this is lots of fun!"

4.—I know this work is going to be of great benefit to me and others," greatly increased their output. Try it when the job gets on your nerves.

5.—Dr. Wiggam will be glad to answer questions dealing with problems of conduct, morals, beliefs, husband and wife, parent and child—any question in the field of human relationships. Questions of general interest will be answered in this department. If personal reply is desired enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope. Address Dr. Wiggam in care of The Indianapolis Times.

LADIES—Dr. Wiggam will send upon request a specially devised set of questions and answers to be used as "conversation stimulators" at your next party. They create a world of fun and discussion. Don't forget, self-addressed return envelope.

## Contract Bridge

BY W. E. MCKENNEY  
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A important feature of slam bidding is to show distribution whenever possible. Distribution plays a more important part in the bidding of slams than do high card tricks.

When holding two strong suits, the longer suit must be bid first. For example, take the following hand:

▲ A-4	♥ 7-5	♦ A-J-9-5-2	♣ K-J-7-4
NORTH	6-5	WEST	9-3
10-2	5	10-2	4-3
♦ K-10-7	4	♦ K-10-7	3
♣ A-10-5	3	Dealer	Q-8-6-2
SOUTH	5-3		6-2

▲ K-Q-J-7-2  
♥ A-K-Q-9-6-3  
♦ Q  
♣ 9

With this in mind, North should make the bid that will make it as easy as possible for partner to show his distribution in case there is a grand slam in the hand.

This best response is three diamonds. It is a positive response and keeps the bidding low.

After three diamonds, South will bid three spades. After opening with an original two bid, you must never jump the bid unless it is into a slam. North should bid four no trump—this bid of four no trump is simply a slam invitation and shows partner control of two suits.

North knows that the hand is not going to be played at no trump, because his partner has shown two suits he undoubtedly will desire to play the hand at one of these suits.

With the information that his partner has control of two suits, it is now immaterial to South which two suits he holds control over.

South further knows that his partner does not hold normal support in either of the majors, as he failed to support either of them.

However, North's bid of four no trump does show that his hand is not void of either suit and undoubtedly does not contain a singleton of either suit.

With this information, the safest suit for South to select at which to play the hand would be hearts. Therefore, his next bid should be six hearts. North should not try for the grand slam, as the bidding clearly indicates that both hands contain a losing club.

It happens that South can make a small slam at either hearts or spades, as the ace of clubs is the only trick that East and West can win.

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5000 Meals to Needy

Since opening its doors a month ago, the South Side relief agency, Maple and Morris streets, has served 3,800 meals to the unemployed of the city, according to a report today announced by A. M. Moses, director of the agency.

These winners will be considered in the national selections for the money prizes. So get your letters in as soon as you see Ronald Colman and Kay Francis in "Cynara," beginning Friday at Loew's Palace.

In response to the two heart bid, North immediately knows that there

get the chance to win \$100 for answering that question. Furthermore, The Times will offer 25 pairs of guest tickets to Loew's, good for the attraction following "Cynara," for the best 25 letters submitted.

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