

LAUGH AT AND WITH 'JIM' IN ROUT OF DRYS

Watson Repudiates All Alliances, Votes Wet; Tragedy in Scene.

By RAY TUCKER Times Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Tragedy and comedy strode through the senate chamber on the day that august body destroyed a decade of tradition by voting to submit prohibition repeal to the states.

It was impossible not to feel pity for Morris Sheppard of Texas, and it was impossible not to laugh at—and with—Jim Watson of Indiana.

There were those who inveighed against the Texan because, stop-watch in hand, he drolled through a dull, nine-hour speech on the League of Nations in a perfunctory filibuster. His world was crumbling, and he did not seem to realize it.

In a metallic monotone he droned on, the butt of jokes and criticism, refusing offers of candy and water lest they contain more than one-half of 1 per cent of alcohol, and declining to debate the league with such roistering, wet merry-makers as George Moses of New Hampshire.

As a swan singer, he decidedly was off the popular key.

Tears in "Mourners' Bench"

Above him, huddled in the visitors' gallery, sat men and women who have devoted their lives to the prohibition movement. Truly a "mourners' bench" they seemed to be weeping over the death of everything they held dear.

Ministers, bishops and canons sat with their heads in their palms; tears appeared on the faces of feminine fanatics. They seemed too stunned to resent Carter Glass' references to certain white-ribboners as "moral lepers and statutory criminals."

Earlier in the day, Mrs. Henry F. Peabody, the Bostonian Puritan, who moved from Massachusetts to Florida in migratory protest against the Bay State's wetness, had a foretaste of what was to happen.

Jim is "Comic Relief"

Stopping Jim Watson in the senate subway, she sought to interest him in the cause of prohibition. But the Hoosier statesman, who would have listened to her for hours only a few years ago, brushed her aside with the remark: "I am not interested, madam."

Jim provided the comic relief, although he had company. Only a few years ago he was drier than Mrs. Peabody, and the rustling of Klan nightshirts in Indiana used to send him running to cover.

In fact, it was charged at one time that he possessed a gold card of membership in the Klan. This he denied, but there was no denying the fact that he played political ball with the night-riding realm.

Yet the other day he voted for highballs, as if he had always been convinced of the folly of prohibition.

Repudiates Everything

Some thought they heard him sigh as if in gratitude at the thought that his defeat last fall permitted him to vote his convictions. What a perfect end to his public career!

Two months ago this prince of Machiavellians conspired with Huey Long to make trouble for the Democrats.

Now he lines up with the wets to repudiate everything and everybody he has stood by for the last decade.

RADIO CHARGE TALKED

Press Association Considers Ad Rate for Programs.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—A proposal to charge regular advertising rates for newspaper publication of radio programs was considered today by the Inland Press Association.

E. H. Harris, publisher of the Richmond, Ind., Palladium-Item, and chairman of the radio committees of both the Inland Press Association and the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, offered a resolution providing for such charges at the press convention.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to: Ralph Shields, Hotel Williams, Chrysler coach, 641-379, from Senate avenue and Washington street; Verne Percefield, 212 Blue Ridge Road, Chevrolet coupe, 187-886, from Illinois and Vermont streets.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by police belong to: E. C. Gailard, 501 West Twenty-eighth street, Oldsmobile coach, found at 1000 West Michigan street; Mark Bradley, 368 West Twenty-eighth street, Chrysler roadster, found in front of 1341 Park avenue; Hazel Reinhard, 2101 North Meridian street, Buick sedan, found in garage rear of 2507 Columbia avenue; Houston Cab Company, Plymouth sedan, found at rear of 200 Edgemont street.

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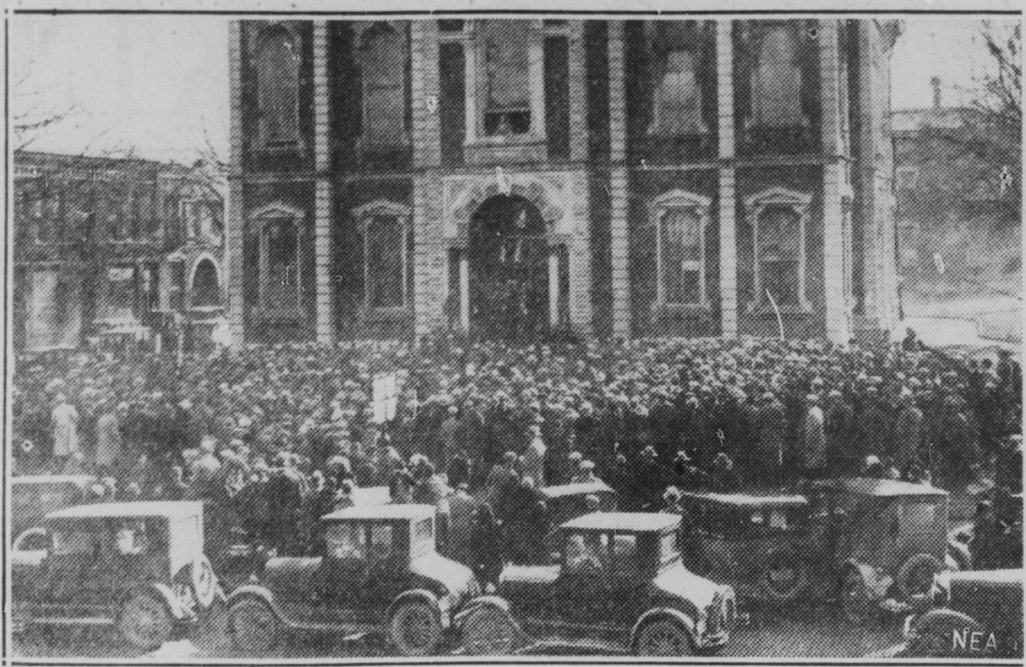
W. F. Burns, 288 Indiana avenue, city efficient watch repair man and jeweler for many years, conscientiously honest above reproach, says: "After using DIUREX Pills, a preparation of merit, I found desirable results and am willing to recommend them."

TRY FOR YOURSELF DIUREX PILLS set while you sleep, being used in Indianapolis by hundreds of people, and is sold under a guarantee.

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SEALED BID FOILS FARMERS' EFFORT TO HALT SALE



More than 200 northern Ohio farmers who gathered before the courthouse at Defiance to prevent the sale of the 120-acre farm of Edward Partee were thwarted by Sheriff Fred E. Warfield (left). When no bids were made, because of presence of the crowd, Warfield pulled from his pocket a sealed bid from the Defiance Security Building and Loan Company and sold the property. A similar expedient foiled 400 farmers of Portage county when they tried to stop a sale at Ravenna, while Lorain county farmers were organizing at Huntington to employ the same tactics to prevent foreclosures.

Wets Turn Artillery on Medicinal Liquor Clause

By Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Cheered by the house repeal vote, wets hope this week to gain another significant victory by repealing immediately that section of the Volstead law which restricts the quantity of medicinal liquor which physicians may prescribe.

The change, recommended by the American Medical Society and the treasury, has been reported favorably to the house in the Celler bill, and the rules committee has given it legislative right of way. Its passage is predicted.

As soon as the house acts, Senator Royal S. Copeland (Dem., N. Y.), who is a physician, will seek immediate action in the senate on a companion bill introduced by him and tacitly approved heretofore by the senate judiciary committee.

Elimination of the restrictions on physicians will remove what the Wickersham commission described as a "cause of irritation and resentment," while Circuit Judge William S. Kenyon, a member of the commission, in a supplemental report declared: "Physicians should be permitted, under reasonable regulations, to prescribe whatever liquor in their judgment is necessary for a patient. If a physician can be trusted to prescribe dangerous drugs, he can be trusted to prescribe liquors as medicines."

The existing law restricts physicians to one pint of liquor per patient every ten days and it also limits physicians to one book of 100 prescriptions every three months.

COP'S GUN GOES OFF: RIPS ROOF OF AUTO

"Well, I'm Glad It's Not Raining," Says Officer Ducting Himself Off.

The plea that "I didn't know it was loaded" could not be heard by radio patrolman John Keeley in explaining the accidental discharge of a shot gun in a squad car early today.

Keeley pumped the shell into the gun himself.

He and his partner, Theodore McNeil, were cruising in search of two reported holdup men. Keeley loaded the gun and was holding it when it was discharged, blowing a hole in the roof of the car.

Ducting the wadding from his uniform, McNeil remarked: "Well, I'm glad it's not raining."

PROGRAM TO BE HELD

Washington Services to Be Given By Y. M. C. A. Group.

Special George Washington program will be presented at 7:30 to-night by the Y. M. C. A. Socialite in the auditorium of the central building. A group of players from the Marshall school of expression will present "A Southern Cinderella."

Musical numbers will be presented by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra, the Deatur high school quartet, Miss Mary Elizabeth Miller, Miss Lucille Gardner, the Whitland school orchestra and the Whitland violin trio.

THOUSANDS MISTAKE 'WASHBOARD THROAT' FOR DEADLY 'FLU'!

The feeling of being all in—dead on your feet—fools many people in the grip of deadly "flu." As a matter of fact, their trouble is often due to the poisonous effects of throat infection, sore throat, or "washboard throat," a truly dangerous ailment.

The thing to do is take a swallow of Thoxine. Soreness, hoarseness, rasping goes quickly. Cough, tired feeling yields. Coughs disappear in a jiffy. A few doses usually see you through.

Thoxine is an entirely different medicine. It counteracts the toxins and poisons that cause sore throats, colds, and coughs—something that gargles, salves, lozenges, and syrups do not do. It's real prescription medicine—safe even for children—35c at all drug stores.—Advertisement.

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U. S. STAND TO MAKE OR BREAK WORLD LEAGUE

Disciplining of Japan to Hinge on Co-Operation of Russia, America.

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS Scripps-Howard Foreign Editor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The next and most vital step yet taken in the squabble between the League of Nations and defiant Japan—a step expected to make or break the league as an effective world peace agency—has been squarely up to the United States and Russia.

Having failed signally after almost a year and a half to check Japanese aggression in China, the league has now reached the place where it either must stop in its tracks, or risk all and try to enforce Article 16, which definitely calls for some sort of sanctions.

This decision, the gravest in the history of the league, depends upon America and the Soviet Union, two non-members.

Article 16 provides for the punishment of a covenant-breaking state—severance of trade and other relations, boycotts and even armed force.

Yet it is admitted that not even the mildest of these sanctions could be made effective without the co-operation of all the major powers.

Crisis Almost Here

The crisis which league members have dreaded for more than a decade, therefore, now is almost at hand.

Two colossal powers, Russia and the United States, stand squarely in the road to further league action against Japan. Either the peace machine must come to a halt or the co-operation of these powers must be secured.

Already, it is understood, both countries have been sounded out. Within the next few days, it is said, formal statements of their position will be asked. Much depends upon their answers.

Great Britain, first to sense the inevitability of such a situation, particularly is anxious. A decade ago, she foresaw the time when her fleet might be called to defend the league covenant against the fleet of the United States, and she never has relished the prospect.

No U. S. Commitments

To head off such danger, Britain has tried for years to obtain from the United States a definite commitment to observe, or respect, a league blockade, or other forms of sanction, against an aggressor nation. But no such commitment has been forthcoming.

Washington's attitude has been that each situation would have to be judged on its merits and as it arose. It held that to define an "aggressor nation" in advance would be difficult and even perilous.

The league now has condemned Japan for her invasion of Manchuria. Japan is asked to give Manchuria back to China. She refuses to do. Instead, Jehol, another North China province, is on the point of being added to the three already seized.

HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Machine Turns Over and Burns After Collision; Driver Injured.

Edward Logan, 53, of 4034 Madison avenue, is in a critical condition at his home today of injuries received Tuesday when his automobile overturned and was burned, following collision with a truck at Capitol avenue and Ray street.

John La Rosa, 20, of 903 South New Jersey street, driver of the truck, which also turned over, suffered an injury to his left leg.

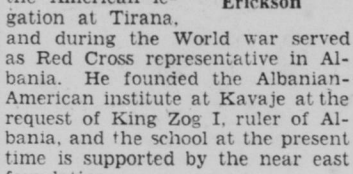
CHURCH DIVISION TO HOLD MID-YEAR RALLY

Universalist Young People's Institute to Be Given Here.

Mid-year rally of the Universalist Young People's Mid-West Conference will be held Saturday at the Central Universalist church. A banquet and dance are included on the program for Saturday night.

Dr. C. Telford Erickson, national representative of the near east foundation, will speak at Sunday services, which will be in charge of the young people.

In 1922 and 1923, Dr. Erickson was attached to the American legation at Tirana, and during the World war served as Red Cross representative in Albania. He founded the Albanian-American institute at Kavaje at the request of King Zog I, ruler of Albania, and the school at the present time is supported by the near east foundation.



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SEEKS TO PROLONG STOCK MARKET QUIZ

Costigan Moves to Press Probe in Next Congress.

By Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Continuation of the stock market inquiry will be sought in the next congress by Senator Edward P. Costigan (Dem., Colo.) if the senate banking committee does not ask for authority to prolong its investigation.

Senator Costigan already has prepared a resolution to extend the present powers of the committee to investigate stock market transactions and tax evasions.

The latter phase has not yet been made the subject of public hearings by Chairman Peter Norbeck, although authority to pursue evidence of tax evasion, where it was related to stock transactions, was conferred upon the committee last session.

The fact that David A. Olson, who was employed by the committee to make evidence of alleged tax-dodging, recently resigned as an agent of the committee, together with the complaint recently laid before Vice-President Charles Curtis by a New York group charging a "whitewash" of the stock exchange by the committee, may induce Senator Costigan to recommend that a special committee be named to take up the investigation next session.

Costigan is a member of the committee.

ABORTING a Cold

(with lemon juice)

It's just a waste of time taking a cold remedy that can only relieve. To end your cold, abort it. The lemon juice treatment will do it. Squeeze two full-size lemons in a large glass of very hot water and drink without sugar. First, take three tablets of Pape's cold compound an hour apart. This clears the head, dries the nasal passages, reduces any fever. The lemon juice then drives all cold symptoms right out of the system. Bedtime is best. This treatment will abort the worst cold overnight. One cold compound tablet will check a cold at any time, for several hours; then when night comes you can get rid of it by abortion. Any druggist has Pape's cold compound. It's perfectly safe. Try it, and you'll never go back to half-way remedies.—Advertisement.

HOLIDAY QUIET; SCHOOLS CLOSED

City Observes Washington's Birthday; Most Stores Remain Open.

Quiet observance of the anniversary of George Washington's birthday was held in Indianapolis today, with most downtown business houses displaying flags, but remaining open for business.

Public schools and banks were closed. A number of offices in the federal building and courthouse were closed all day, as were most of the city hall offices. The stock exchange also closed for the day.

Postal employees enjoyed a partial holiday, only one delivery of mail being made in the residential section and two in the business district, only such employees as were necessary to maintain service being kept on duty.

Special memorial services were to be held by the legislature in joint session.

Legislators Will Speak

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