

BREWERIES WANT SUIT TAKEN TO SUPREME COURT

Evansville Litigants Want Whole State Affected by Decision.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 30.—Preminary sparring and skirmishing in the suits brought by two Evansville breweries and a saloon keeper to overthrow the Indiana prohibition law has about ended and the suits will be pushed with all possible speed.

At last, this is the statement of William E. Stillwell, attorney, who, with W. D. Robinson, former judge of the appellate court, is representing the brewers.

If the breweries lose the suit and Judge Hostetter of the superior court here, decides the law is unconstitutional, as the breweries allege, the suit will certainly be carried to the state supreme court, according to Attorney Stillwell.

Attorney Stillwell is hopeful that the other side will carry the suits to the supreme court for the final decision in the event the "other side" wins the suits.

"There is no particular advantage of being able to manufacture and sell beer in Vanderburgh county and not be able to do the same thing in the other counties in the state," says Attorney Stillwell.

It is understood that the new attorney-general will be made a co-defendant within the next few days by mutual consent of the parties in the suits.

It is said that the attorney-general has consented to become a defendant in the suit.

However, it is believed that the brewing companies, especially the F. W. Cook company, are preparing the "3,000 wets" of Evansville for prohibition.

"Wets" say that the beer now being sold in Evansville contains a much smaller amount of alcohol than it formerly contained. Both breweries also have begun the manufacture of "near-beer."

These "wets" say that the breweries are gradually decreasing the "strength" in beer so that if the prohibition law becomes effective on April 2, the "3,000 wets" will be ready to accept the "nearest to real beer."

BREWERS AGAIN WIN POINT IN LEGAL CLASH

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 30.—Ele Stansbury, attorney general, Tuesday was denied the right of becoming a party defendant in the Evansville Brewing and F. W. Cook brewing company's injunction proceedings against the state prohibition law.

Judge Hostetter, in superior court, made the ruling after Stansbury had made application to be admitted to the suit and the plaintiff had argued against making him a defendant.

Judge Hostetter held that a "defendant" cannot be forced upon a plaintiff.

In all the preliminaries leading up to the trial of the injunction petition, the plaintiff breweries have been victorious.

Prosecutor Osborne will file a demurrer to the complaint tomorrow and argument will be heard Monday.

Should the demurrer be over-ruled it is expected that the case will come to trial within a few days.

HATCH CHICKS IN FEBRUARY, ADVISE

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 30.—Hatching chicks during February, March and April instead of during May and June will help win the war by practically doubling the egg crop in Indiana, according to a statement issued by state and federal poultry experts, members of recently appointed committees of the Indiana council of defense.

The secret of getting pullets to lay during cold weather is to have them matured and laying before October's frosts, the experts say. Investigations have shown that early hatched pullets laid an average of 120 eggs a year, while their sisters, hatched later in the same season, laid only 68 eggs during the same period. If pullets are not laying before the heavy frosts next fall, the cold weather will retard their development to such an extent that it will be practically impossible to get them to lay before spring of 1919. A practical rule, worked out by investigators in the employ of the Purdue experiment station and the United States department of agriculture is to hatch chicks at least 200 days before the time for heavy frosts.

LEWISBURG, O.

Joe Myers, who enlisted in the army last summer and who was stationed at Camp Sheridan, Ala., has returned home. He was given an honorable discharge because of physical disability.

Eva Rice was the guest of Elmer Unger and family the latter of Dayton, Ohio, who visited David Ross and wife of Dayton last week.

Florence Sweeney and Olive O'Connell spent Sunday with Esther and Ruth Leiber. John Longnecker of Dayton visited his family at the Frank Antrim home Saturday and Sunday. E. W. Hendrix is spending several weeks with his sons, Wilbur and family, near Trovood, and Rev. J. F. Hendrix and wife of Lockland, O., Helen Boha of Dayton, O., and guest at the Frantz home. Mrs. W. O. Banker and Mrs. Guy Hartman visited in Middletown with T. J. Hartman and family the latter part of the week. Jesse Foster, who recently sold his new property on Acton street, to C. F. Porman, has purchased the David Rookstool property on South Main street.

On Thursday evening Miss LeClerc of Yerdonia House entertained the following girls: Misses Eva and Maud Coffman, Florence and Edith Sweeney, Olive O'Connell and Nettie Snyder, in honor of Pearl Ody. Miss Ody left Sunday for Indianapolis. Richard and Gerald Hoerner of Earlham College, Richmond, visited their parents, Charles Hoerner and family, over Saturday. Homer Rookstool and wife are visiting in Arcanum with his brother, Ora, and wife. The third number on the lecture course which was to have taken place on Monday evening, Jan. 21, has been postponed to Tuesday evening, Jan. 29. Charles H. Plattenburg will lecture.

MORE WOMEN'S CLUBS

LONDON, Jan. 14.—(By mail)—A list of clubs in London shows that there are now 26 recognized clubs for women in the city. Nearly half of the men's clubs which were in existence before the war have had to close their doors, but the number of women's clubs has nearly doubled.

John Haynes, of Milton, N. H., owns a large house cat which is a good hunter. The other day he brought a tall, brown mink home which he had killed.

ALIEN ENEMY REGISTRATION

FORM OF REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT AND INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING SAME.

1. The form of registration affidavit will be substantially as follows:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT OF ALIEN ENEMY.

The registration affidavit must be filled in and sworn to in triplicate and accompanied by four unmounted photographs of the registrant, not larger than 3 by 3 in size, on thin paper with light background. All four photographs should be signed by registrant across the face of the photograph so as not to obscure the face, if registrant is able to write. If registrant is unable to write he must make his mark in the signature space and affix his left thumb print in the space indicated for the same opposite the signature space.

The affidavit need not be filled out before, but must be signed and sworn to before a registration officer, who will fill in the description and take the fingerprints of the registrant. All registration officers are authorized to administer the oath hereto to persons registering as alien enemies.

I, hereby register as an alien enemy

(Here insert name of registrant.)

and make the following

(Place where affidavit signed and oath administered.)

statements and answers under oath:

1. Name. All other names at any time used

(Here insert any other names used by registrant.)

2. Present residence

(Street and number, city, town, county, State and, if apartment house or tenement, the number of apartment or tenement.)

3. Length of residence at the foregoing place

(Here state date on which registrant began living at his present residence.)

4. All other places of residence since January 1, 1914

(Here give particulars as to each of such places of residence.)

5. Born in

(Give city or town, province, and country of birth.)

6. Since January 1, 1914, employed by:

Name of place: Date: Occupation: Name of employer:

7. I arrived in the United States

at the port of (State port.) on ship (State name.) and applied for entry under the name of (State name under which entry was made.)

8 (a) Name of father

Residence of father, if living (Living or "No.")

(b) Name of mother

Residence of mother, if living (Living or "No.")

9 State particulars of family as follows:

1. Married? Name of wife.

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

Wife living? (Answer "Yes" or "No.")

2. Names of children between 10 and 14 in the United States.

3. Number of children under 10 years of age.

4. State whether registrant has or has had any male relatives in arms for or against the United States and its allies during the present war.

If "yes" give particulars.

Name. Relationship. For or against.

10. Were you registered for the selective draft?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

Where? (State district of registration.)

11. State all previous military or naval or other governmental service.

(Here state duties, durations, and character of military or naval or other service and nation for which registrant served.)

12. Have you ever applied for naturalization in or taken out first papers of naturalization in the United States?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

where (Give State or Territory, city, town, or other municipality, and name at court.)

13. Have you ever been naturalized, partly or wholly, in any country other than the United States?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

where and in what country

14. Have you ever taken an oath of allegiance to any country, State, or nation other than the United States?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

where and to what country

15. Have you since January 1, 1914, reported to or registered with a consul or representative of any country other than the United States for military or naval or other governmental service?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

when and where and to whom and for what country

16. Have you ever been arrested or detained on any charge?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

If yes, state when, where, and on what charges.

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

17. Have you a permit to enter forbidden areas?

(Answer "Yes" or "No.")

If yes, state number of permit

I solemnly swear that all the above statements and answers by me made are true.

Sworn to before me this

(Registration officer)

Official title (Police or Post Office)

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

(To be filled in by registration officer)

Name of registrant Address

Age years mos. Mouth (wide)

Height feet inches Chin (square, pointed, etc.)

Weight Hair (black, grey, etc.)

Forehead (high, low, etc.) Complexion (dark, fair, etc.)

Eyes (blue, black, etc.) Face (broad, narrow, etc.)

Nose (sharp, flat, etc.)

Distinctive marks (scar on left cheek, etc.)

FINGER PRINTS

(To be taken by registration officer)

Name of registrant Address

1-R. Thumb. 2-R. Fore Finger. 3-R. Middle Finger. 4-R. Ring Finger. 5-R. Little Finger.

6-L. Thumb. 7-L. Fore Finger. 8-L. Middle Finger. 9-L. Ring Finger. 10-L. Little Finger.

Plain impressions of the four fingers taken simultaneously.

LEFT HAND RIGHT HAND

Plain impressions of the four fingers taken simultaneously.

LEFT HAND RIGHT HAND

MISS MARY FEWELL DIES AT HAGERSTOWN

HAGERSTOWN, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Mary Fewell, 63 years old, widow of Elliott Fewell, died at the home of her son, Coyle Fewell, Sunday night, of pneumonia. Her funeral was held Tuesday at the M. E. church on Perry street, at 1 p. m., and burial was made in Sugar Grove cemetery, east of town, by the side of her husband. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Richard Werking and Mr. Fewell. John Hardman died at Connersville and was brought here Tuesday evening for burial in West Lawn cemetery. Short services were held Wednesday at 10 o'clock at the undertaking parlor of H. C. Endsley on Plum street. Mr. Hardman's wife before her marriage was Miss Bessie Hardwick of near here and he is survived by his widow. H. C. Endsley of this place was called to Greensfork Saturday night on account of the death of Mrs. Nicholson, mother of Albert Nicholson. Her funeral will be held today at the Salem Baptist church near here.

FOUNTAIN CITY, IND.

Clinton Nicholson of Chicago and Elden Nicholson of Logansport were called to the death bed of their mother, Mrs. Sallie Nicholson, who died at her home near here Sunday evening. Funeral services were held Wednesday. Lawrence Williamson of Camp Taylor, who has been having a fur-lough, spent the week-end with Mrs. Adie Hiatt and family. The White-water schools are closed for this week and probably longer because of the condition of the roads. Miss Ruth Hiatt, who is one of the teachers there, is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Adie Hiatt. A surprise was given Harold Brinkley at his home Friday night by a number of friends. Those present were Misses Blanche Williams, Lois Reynolds, Bessie and Lyman Hodson, Horace Hatfield, John Rothelmer, Leonard Brown, Raymond Eubanks, Willard Collins, Owen Rich, Laurence, Clarence and Harold Brinkley. All enjoyed a social good time. Miss Nellie Overman of Fountain City, who is attending Indiana university, is home to spend a week with her parents. The school was closed because of shortage of fuel. Misses Olive Harrison, Ruth and Vera Pitts spent the week-end with friends and relatives of Richmond. Marvin Busby, who is stationed at a military training camp, spent his fur-lough with friends and relatives near this place. The local schools are still closed because of shortage of fuel and it is uncertain as to when they will be opened. William Clark and Mrs. Josephine Borror of Winchester spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Harrison. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunt and family are visiting with their son, Verlin Hunt, and family of Richmond. Mrs. Jim Hiatt of Richmond came Monday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edgerton. Several young people of this place took the teacher's examination at Richmond Saturday.

CLOSED FOR MONTH.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—For selling an excessive quantity of sugar to an individual, D. Noochinson, a wholesale grocer of Patterson, N. J., has been ordered by the food administrator to suspend business entirely during the month of February. Noochinson sold 400 pounds of sugar to a theatre manager who offered to give one pound bags to the purchasers of admission tickets.

Premier's Grip Is Said to Slip



Premier Wekerle of Hungary.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Reports reaching here have told of demands being made that Dr. Sanders Wekerle, Hungarian premier, resign his post. The premier has an unenviable position as buffer between the militarists at Vienna, backed by the Berlin authorities, and the populace of Hungary which is clamoring for peace.

The pressure of the peace-seeking labor class and the Socialists may become too great for Premier Wekerle and his resignation would not be a surprise. He recently used the industrial strikes as an argument in trying to get Vienna to hasten peace, according to one report, but was unable to interest any one but Czernin.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

CONTRIBUTED VERSE

ONE CONSOLATION

Thou hast not had much gas
With which to cook and to heat,
And we must be conserving
With bread, sugar and meat.
While the coal situation
Still demands our attention,
Just have in mind this one thing—
For his worthy of mention
That no matter what happens
There is one consolation,
Most anything is better
Than a Kaiser ruled nation.

Yes, it is inconvenient
This conserving of the lights,
We cannot have them burning
As they did, all through the nights.
Now honest, would it matter
Very much, I'd like to know,
If we should be for sometime
Deprived of the picture show?
However just remember
There is one consolation,
Things would be much worse, if this
Was a Kaiser ruled nation.

These war times may remind us
Of those other war time days,
Of our grandparent's hardships:
How different were their ways
From ours, that are so modern—
But perhaps we should recall
That somehow, they did manage
To live through it after all.
Tho these times may seem severe,
There is one consolation.
We never will consent to
Be a Kaiser ruled nation.

If this war should continue
To last for quite a while,
We will have to sacrifice
But we'll do it with a smile.
We might even be compelled
To wear homespun clothing too.
And do many other things
Our grandparents used to do.
Well, supposing that we may—
This is one consolation,
We are helping rid the world
Of a Kaiser ruled nation.
—MRS. RUSSELL WILEY.

MILTON, IND.

Mrs. George Wagner spent the week-end with Mrs. William Wessel at Richmond, while Messrs. Wagner and Wessel went to Toledo to drive home machines. On account of the snow they could not bring the machines but a part of the distance. Miss Anna Ulrich of Indianapolis visited friends and relatives Saturday. Mrs. Alice Green entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale and Miss Nellie Jones. Mrs. Ed Stanley of Greenfield was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Doty. Their mother, Mrs. Angeline Warren accompanied Mrs. Stanley to Greenfield and will spend the remainder of the winter there. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jones were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Doty Saturday evening. Miss Mary Sells, Cora E. Kellum and Ruth McCormick and Truman McCormick were in Richmond Saturday to take the teachers' examination. Dr. Denny attended the memorial service at Indianapolis Sunday for Miss Denny, the nurse who died in France. Margaret Thurman spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doty. Mr. Oliver Wallace has received official notice that his brother, Challen Grigsby, had arrived safely in France. The Priscilla club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. P. Jones when the following program will be given: The Leather-wood God, Mrs. W. L. Parkins; The Art of Being Comfortable to Live With, Mrs. Rufus Lindsay; Music, Mrs. Charles Kniesse. Miss Luella Lantz is spending the week with Mrs. Walter Jerge at Cannelton. The Missionary society of the Christian church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Gresh. The Jolly 24 will meet Friday evening with Miss Lillian DuGranat at the home of Mrs. Gussie Miller. Mr. and Mrs. William Hussey and family of Hagerstown spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Parkins. Mrs. Phoebe Michael let a window fall on her right hand and badly mashed one finger. While R. F. Calloway was cleaning out the eave trough on the back of his house the ladder slipped and Mr. Calloway suffered a bad fall.

FRENCH PROFESSOR AT OXFORD TO DO WAR WORK

OXFORD, O., Jan. 30.—Dr. Ruth Lansing, professor of French at Oxford college for Women, has resigned having been called by the government for duty in the translation department at the War College in Washington. In addition to being an expert in French, Dr. Lansing is a master of the German, Italian and Spanish languages. The vacancy in the college faculty has not yet been filled.

Strive To Have Healthy Skin

Next time you are in a gathering of women note the different conditions apparent in complexion. You will see some with a clear, smooth, some dry and rough, some smooth and rosy, some streaked with heavy metallic powders and once in a while you will see one that is a demonstration of intelligence from every point of view. The color is rosy, the skin is clear and smooth, the pores are small and open, the powder does not show on the firm vigorous skin. Every woman can have a good complexion if she will only use a little discretion. If you would acquire real beauty, the beauty of perfect health, you must replenish your worn-out nerves with lecithin. Nature's own nerve restorer, and put into your blood the invigorating iron which Nature intended it to have for health. In most of the modern foods these and other vitalizing elements have been largely eliminated. Yet to be healthy and beautiful the system must have them. They are found in Bio-fereen, not only in proper proportions to restore weakened vitality but in such form as the system can best assimilate them. A treatment of lecithin and iron, as combined in Bio-fereen, increases the appetite, invigorates and invigorates the patient. And Bio-fereen in its tablet form is easy and palatable to take—no liquid.

WARN AGAINST USE OF FLAME TO THAW OUT FROZEN PIPES

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 30.—A warning against thawing frozen water pipes with a blow torch or flame, has been issued by State Fire Marshal Friedley since the arrival of the long spell of zero weather. There is great danger in that method he says and other means should be used. His warning says:

"Most people have no conception of the danger that attends the more common methods of thawing frozen water pipes. The use of gasoline torches and other direct flame in thawing pipes is an extremely risky undertaking, and should give way to a method less hazardous."

"Probably the safest remedy, although somewhat slower than the common practice, is the application to the frozen sections of burlap clothes soaked in hot water. Any other method which does not require an open flame is recommended."

Coal "They Left Behind" Will Be Missing When New Paris Folks Return

NEW PARIS, O., Jan. 30.—When New Paris families, who have been enjoying sunny Florida, return to their homes here they will find the well-filled coal bins they left behind them, empty.

The coal has disappeared and no trace of the cold-coal-thieves has been found. Residents, whose homes were cold, are believed to have emptied the bins under cover of the night.

A coal order bureau has been established here as the result of the fuel situation. Harry D. Collins, postmaster, has been appointed fuel administrator and is in charge of the bureau. Residents must get permits before they are able to purchase coal.

All of the dealers here have exhausted their supply and the Reinheimer Quarries Company has been dividing its supply. The quarries company, it is said, has 250 tons and will supply coal for domestic use until dealers are able to obtain more.

Wood is also being received and it is believed that the situation will soon be relieved.

WILLIAMSBURG

There was Sunday school at both churches Sunday morning. Next Sunday the M. E. church will have a rec immediately after Sunday school. Rev. L. F. Ulmer, Mr. Armstrong, and Enos Veal were in Richmond Saturday. Richmond shoppers Saturday from this place were Mrs. Manoe Hough, Miss Anna Piehe, Miss Sadie Kelly and Mrs. Clarence Farmer. Mrs. Grace Study was in town Friday and Saturday. Mrs. George Armstrong and sons, James, and Robert, spent Monday with Mrs. Charles Boyd north of town. Miss Anna Piehe called on Mrs. Lora Mercer and Winifred Compton at the Sanitarium Saturday.

Loyalty in little things is the foundation of the national strength. Loyalty in little things gives aid to the enemy. Keep the pledge.

To Prevent The Grip Colds cause Grip—LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache, no yawning, snuffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes and heals the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.—Adv.



Iron discoloration of the teeth? no unpleasant result. There is no secret or mystery about Bio-fereen. Doctors prescribe it regularly because they know exactly what it contains as well as what it will do and they know they could not formulate a better up-building tonic. The action of Bio-fereen on the system is so beneficial, we are so sure of its giving you positive health and vigor, providing, of course, there is no serious chronic ailment such as cancer, tuberculosis, etc., that we only sell it on the condition that you agree to return the empty package and accept a refund of your money unless you are entirely satisfied. There is no use waiting for health and beauty. It is better to do things today than tomorrow. Go to your physician for a check-up. He will advise Bio-fereen. Then start taking it at once as he advises or as directions on the package call for. The interesting booklet you may see for the asking. Large package \$1.00 at your druggist or direct if your druggist cannot supply you. The Bantel Remedies Co., Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio.

German Aliens Must Register

Between 600 and 700 German alien enemies in Richmond will be compelled to register their names, and facts concerning them, at police station, beginning February 4.

All citizens or subjects of the German empire, being males of the age of 14 and upward and not naturalized as American citizens are compelled to register, or be penalized by the United States government.

Chief of Police Gorman will be in charge in the city building. Aliens will be allowed to register between the hours of 6 o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock at night.

All of these persons must be registered not later than February 9, or they will be taken into custody by police authorities.

Any alien, who has declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States by taking out his first naturalization papers, but who has not obtained his second papers, making him an American citizen, must register.

Registration shall be made by affidavits, accompanied by four unmounted photographs of himself. These photographs must be on thin paper, with a light background. The photographs must be brought to police station when he registers.

Persons required to register should understand that in so doing they are giving proof of their peaceful dispositions and of their intention to conform to the laws of the United States.

Every registrant should read carefully the form of registration affidavit handed to him and ask the registration officer for explanation on all points not clear to him before attempting to fill out the blanks. Registration officers are instructed to give registrants all possible aid in the way of explanation and advice.

Each registrant is required to furnish four unmounted photographs of himself, not larger than 3 by 3 inches in size, on thin paper, with light background. All four photographs should be signed by the registrant across the face of the photographs, so as not to obscure the features, if the applicant is able to write.