

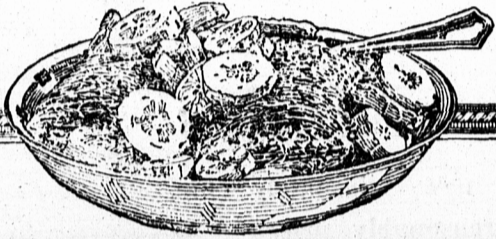
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WEDDING BELLS—On August 24th, the marriage of John P. Kelly of Bear River to Miss Teresa McDonald of St. George's took place. The marriage ceremony was performed at St. George's Church, Rev. Pius A. MacDonald officiating. The groom was attended by John A. MacDonald of Bear River, while the bride was attended by Mrs. MacDonald of Little Pond. Both bride and bridesmaid were becomingly attired in navy blue travelling suits with hats to match. In the evening they appeared in gowns of blue duchess satin. After the marriage ceremony the bridal party went to Little Pond where a dinner was prepared and served by Mrs. John A. MacDonald, sister of the bride. In the evening the happy couple motored to the home of the groom in Bear River, where a large number of friends were present to receive them. A sumptuous supper was served and music both vocal and instrumental was furnished while the guests indulged in dancing and merriment. The pair were the recipients of a large number of beautiful presents which show evident proofs of their popularity. In the early hours of the morning the guests dispersed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kelly many years of wedded happiness.

EASTERN PERSONALS

Mr. Albion McLeod of George town is visiting Port Elgin the guest of his brother, Rev. P. McLeod.

Miss Ann McLellan and Miss Kathleen Fairchild have gone to Charlottetown to attend the Union Commercial College.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wallace McKay of Stanley passed through the city on their way to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mrs. McKay's sister, Mrs. Archie McDonald of Kilmuir.

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Miss Helen Stewart and Miss Genevieve McCormack, Georgetown have gone to Charlottetown to attend P. W. College.

Mrs. I. N. Simmons and daughter Ivy E. Ford returned to their home in Allston, Mass., after spending three weeks visiting her sisters Mrs. D. W. McKay of Stanley Bridge and Mrs. Archie McDonald of Kilmuir. Mrs. M. Martin of Belle River also her brother, Mr. Alex McLean of Lower Montague. Mrs. Simmons was formally Annie McLean of Heatherdale.

Crime In Britain On The Decrease

Less Criminality in 1919 Than in Any Previous Year This Century

LONDON, Sept. 12.—A blue book on crime in the year 1919, just issued, shows that while there was a decrease in most offences, as compared with pre-war days, big gains were made in 1919. In 1919 there were 133,000 offences, an increase of 589 per cent. In the same period divorce petitions increased from 998 to 5,085.

There was less crime in 1919 than in any other year of the present century. The number of persons indicted was 53,541 against 62,272 in 1913. The diminution in 1919 since 1917 is remarkable, although this decrease does not extend to all crimes against the person. Crimes of violence while totalling 1,887 in 1918, rose to 2,411 in 1919. There was no falling-off in offences of burglary and house-breaking group, the total for 1919 being 3,792 and for 1918, 3,852. Cases of burglary in the years from 1913 to 1919 diminished by one-third, more, but this was balanced by an equivalent increase in shopbreaking, the figures being 4,260 in 1913 and 6,742 in 1919.

Non-indictable offences—the minor offences dealt with by courts or summary jurisdiction—dropped to their lowest level in 1919. But although the figures for 1919 were higher, 117,542 or 31 per cent, they were still nearly 200,000, or over 27 per cent less than in 1913. Among the groups of cases which showed decreases compared with 1913 were cruelty to animals (70 per cent), drunkenness and sleeping out (87 per cent).

VERY OLD BELLE FOUND IN EGYPT

In a dusty deal packing case in the Egyptology section of University College, London, reposes the mummy of an Egyptian belle, 8,000 years old. She has been brought from Egypt by Dr. W. M. Flinders Petrie.

Dr. Petrie lifted the lid of the packing case recently for the inspection of a London "Daily Mail" reporter. "There! A very nice mummy," he said. "We have not had time to clean her up yet, but you can see that the skin of the face is wonderfully preserved, and so is her hair, which is black."

So fine and regular were her features in life that even after 8,000 years of the tomb her countenance is not displeasing. One thin, delicate, shapely hand is resting under her chin. "The Egyptians have left definite accounts of their history back for 3,500 B.C., said Dr. Petrie, "and there were two whole civilizations before that, adding 3,000 years. I have found remains very much older than this mummy, but they have been skeletons." She belonged, he said, to the later period or pre-historic age. Very little that we know anything about had happened when this young lady lived by the Nile. She knew Egypt before the pyramids—thousands of years before. The dates in her history book must have been astonishingly few.

Reaction May Follow Prohib.

Wave In States

Prohibition Causing Much Speculation Among Congressmen and Others

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Is the United States about to experience a reaction with respect to prohibition? In some ways, this is the most interesting question confronting Congress and the country today. Signs are by no means lacking that it is facing a reaction, and that the time has arrived when the trend of public sentiment will be in the direction of the less and less stringent enforcement of the prohibition laws.

Without any doubt, the majority sentiment of the people of the United States for the last five years, and perhaps longer has been "dry." It has favored the abolition of the saloon. For a while prior to the adoption of the dry amendment to the Constitution—the Eighteenth Amendment—the majority of the people were dry. The wets failed to realize the truth until now, when the country went dry and consequently wasted a lot of money in one way and another in the belief public opinion was on their side and wanted the saloon retained. Congress most of the legislators, and the courts, have been favorable to prohibition.

Now, however, there are some remarkable symptoms of a change. It cannot be said there is any likelihood of the United States going wet again in the near future and it is certainly true that there is no prospect of the restoration of the saloon for years to come, if at all. But there are indications of a sentiment for what might be called the reasonable enforcement of the liquor laws and in opposition to the drastic steps which many of the dry leaders want to make taken.

This has come to the front in Congress of late in connection with the efforts to force through the so-called beer bill. This bill is intended to prevent beer from being prescribed as a medicine, to shut out imports of spirits and wine, and to limit more strictly the amount of spirits and wine which may be prescribed. The bill has passed the House, but it is tied up in the Senate because of opposition to adoption of the conference committee of the two houses. The House adopted an amendment which prohibits any search of a home without a warrant, but permits searches of other premises including automobiles, on reasonable suspicion. The Senate is opposed to permitting search at all except on the strength of a search warrant. Many dry senators oppose search of any kind without a warrant. Moreover, a number of the dry senators dislike the pending bill greatly and have told leaders of the Anti-Saloon League and other leaders that they are going as far and are inviting a reaction against prohibition which will soon bring the country to loose enforcement. They say the Supreme Court is likely to knock out the new beer measure when it is put on the statute books and that if this happens, the turning of the tide against the extremes of some of the prohibition leaders will have arrived. Further, they take the view there is already plenty of law against li-

Weak, Thin Folks Need Bitro - Phosphate Says Editor of N. Y. "Physicians Who's Who." Local Druggist Guarantees It.

Dr. Frederick S. Kollie, the New York author of medical text books, whose opinions are greatly valued, writes:

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quor and that if existing law is enforced, there will be no need for new and, perhaps, irritating legislation. The fight to force the beer bill through the Senate will be renewed after the recess of Congress, which ends Sept. 21. It will ultimately be passed. Then will come a test in the courts.

The situation is almost as important for Canada as it is on this side of the border. Already, the business of smuggling liquor across the border of the two countries has become one of large proportions. If the enforcement of the dry laws on this side shows a trend toward more laxity, it is easy to see how the floodgates will be opened. One hears the remark commonly made here today that the sentiment of the public is such as to include it to wink at the handling of liquors without regard to law and there is much evidence to sustain this view.

A DRASTIC SENTENCE

ST. CATHARINES, ONT., Sept. 9.—Robert Powers, who used to run a hotel here, was fined \$1,500 and costs. I could have made the fine \$2,000 and three months in jail.

THE SEA OTTER.

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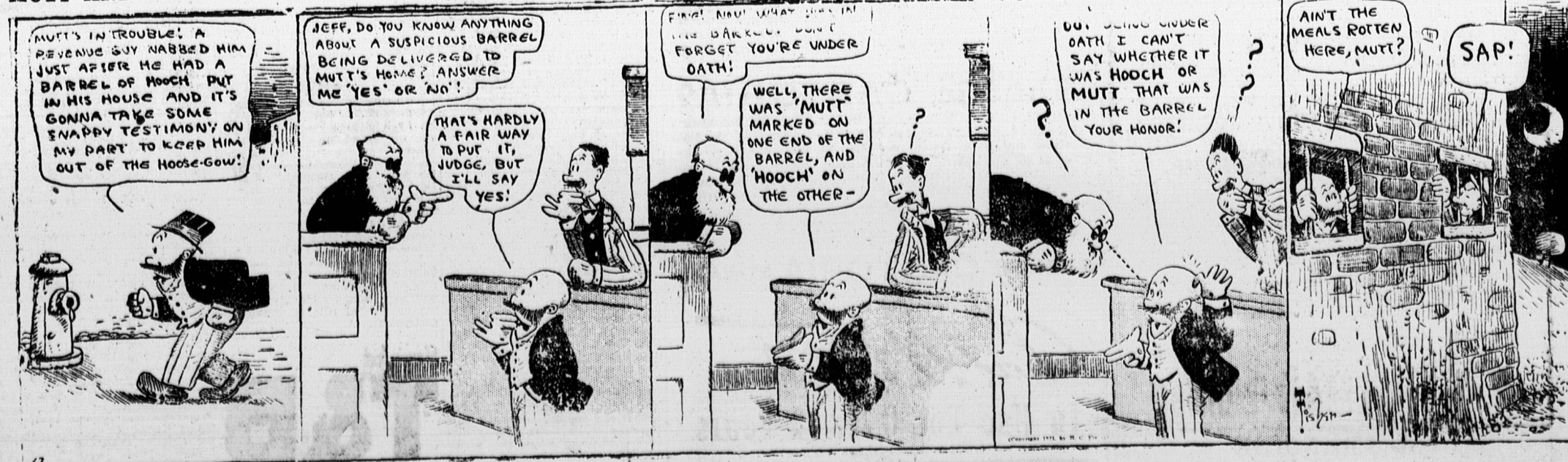
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