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BONE-DRY MEASURE PASSED BY HOUSE

Richey Bill Wins Out, 61 to 49, and Is Sent for Action by the Senate.

Columbia, Feb. 8.—The "bone-dry, air-tight, iron-clad, absolute" prohibition bill passed the house of representatives this morning by a vote of 61 to 49 and was sent to the senate. The bill retained its stringent features, the house refusing the recommendations made by the police regulations committee yesterday to strike from the bill certain amendments adopted on second reading last week. The Richey measure as finally passed allows importation of wine and alcohol for medicinal or sacramental purposes, but makes it a crime to have whiskey or intoxicating beverages in one's possession.

The filibuster against the bill, which delayed the vote last night, was not renewed this morning and the house sent the bill to the senate before any other matters were considered.

The old factional lines disappeared in the vote on the bill, the majority and the so-called Blease minority voting for and against the bill.

The vote for the final passage of the bill follows (yeas for the bill, nays against the bill):

Yeas—Anderson, Atkinson, Bagnet, Booth, Bonzer, Boyd, Boykin, Brakefield, [illegible], Clark, Coker, Dial, [illegible], Dukes, Dukes, Dunkarley, J. J. Eddy, E. C. Eddy, Edens, Ellis, Finley, Ford, Foster, Fulmer, Gresham, Gresham, A. Hall, Jr., R. H. Hall, Hainer, Harrison, Hines, W. W. Johnson, King, Lane, Lachicotte, Sullivan, D. E. McCutchen, McLurin, Mellett, Middleton, Mitchell, Moffett, Moore, Nunn, Owens, Pearce, Parsons, Rawlinson, Rector, Richards, Richey, Riley, Roberts, Rogers, Scott, Shull, S. D. Smith, Stifford, Strom, Summers, Toole, Wasson, Williams, Wingard, Wright—64.

Nays—Speaker Hoyt, Bailey, Berry, Carter, Clyburn, Coffran, Crews, Crum, G. B. Davis, E. J. Dennis, Dominick, Duncan, H. H. Evans, N. G. Evans, Fripp, Fromberg, Gaston, Hammond, Hemphill, Horton, Hughes, Keenan, H. Kelly, J. O. Kelly, Lanford, Lesesne, Long, Lowman, Martin, Mason, McCants, W. L. McCutchen, McMillan, Moise, Moore, Norton, Passailaigue, Pickens, Redmon, Riddle, Rivers, Sanders, Seabrook, Scarson, Senseney, H. L. Smith, Jr., Walker, Whaley, Young—49.

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TEXT OF MESSAGE SENT TO GERMANY

Conforms Closely in Substance to Wilson's Address to Congress. Handed to Bernstorff.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The note handed to Count von Bernstorff with his passports, conveying a formal notification that the United States had severed diplomatic relations, conforms closely in substance to President Wilson's address to congress.

Signed by Secretary Lansing and addressed to the ambassador, the communication reviews tersely the diplomatic correspondence between the two governments since the sinking of the Sussex, using the same quotations that were embodied by the president in his address. It then announces bluntly that "all diplomatic relations between the United States and the German empire are severed;" that Ambassador Gerard will come home and that Count von Bernstorff's passports have been made ready.

The note begins as follows:

"The Secretary of State to the German ambassador.

"Feb. 3, 1917.

"Excellency:

"In acknowledging the note with accompanying memoranda which you delivered into my hands on the afternoon of Jan. 31, and which announced the purpose of your government as to the future conduct of submarine warfare, I would direct your attention to the following statements appearing in the correspondence which has passed between the government of the United States and the imperial German govrnment in regard to submarine warfare."

Then follow the quotations used by the president in addressing congress, concluding with the one from a memorandum accompanying the German note of Jan. 31, giving notice of unrestricted naval warfare.

"In view of this declaration," concludes the note handed the ambassador, "which withdraws suddenly and without prior intimation the solemn assurance given in the imperial government's note of May 4, 1916, this government has no alternative consistent with the dignity and honor of the United States, but to take the course which it explicitly announced in its note of April 18, 1916, it would take in the event that the imperial government did not declare and effect an abandonment of the methods of submarine warfare then employed and to which the imperial government now purposes again to resort.

"The president has, therefore, directed me to announce to your excellency that all diplomatic relations between the United States and the German empire are severed, and that the American ambassador at Berlin will be immediately withdrawn and in accordance with such announcement to deliver to your Excellency your passports.

"I have the honor to be,

"Your Excellency's Obedient Servant,

"ROBERT LANSING."

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TIME WILL TELL, BRITISH DECLARE

Admiralty Statement Denies Alarm at Ravages.

London, Feb. 7.—"We are not alarmed at the sharpened submarine war. We knew it was coming and prepared for it. Time will tell how our confidence is justified."

This statement was made to the Associated Press today at the admiralty and it was added:

"It must be remembered that one submarine may cruise whole days without getting a victim. For instance, on one day since February 1 torpedoes were fired on sight at eleven of our merchantment without getting a single hit. We have taken measures which we have every reason to believe will frustrate the u-boat warfare. Of course, it is obvious that we can not reveal them—the daily reports of the decrease in sinkings will be the best evidence of our success."

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INAUGURATION DAY AT THE CAPITAL

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BIG PYROTECHNICAL DISPLAY

President Wilson Is the First Democrat to Succeed Himself Since the Days of Andrew Jackson—Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Marshall to Accompany Husbands In Inaugural Parade.

By FRANK B. LORD.

Washington is rapidly completing its preparations for the second inauguration of Woodrow Wilson as president of the United States. The occasion will present the first instance of a Democratic president succeeding himself in the White House since the days of Andrew Jackson. This is one of the reasons why exceptional efforts are being put forth to make the ceremonies befitting and impressive and at the same time characterized by genuine old fashioned Jeffersonian democracy.

President Wilson has notified the inaugural committee that he does not favor the customary inaugural ball, and accordingly that feature will be eliminated. Instead on the evening following his induction into office there will be presented on the famous White Lot, directly south of the executive mansion, a beautiful pyrotechnical display designed in itself to teach a lesson in patriotism.

Inaugural Takes Place March 5.

Owing to the fact that March 4 falls upon Sunday the ceremonial inauguration of President Wilson will take place on the following day. In order that there may be no lapse of time during which the country will be without an executive head the official oath of office will be administered to President Wilson and vice president at the White House at noon Sunday, March 4, by Chief Justice White of the supreme court of the United States. These dates before 1821 were on Sunday—in 1821, at the beginning of Monroe's second term, in 1849 at Taylor's inaugural, and again in 1877, when Hayes became president. The formal ceremonies will occur on Monday.

Starting from the White House at 11 o'clock, escorted in carriages by a congressional committee, of which Senator Overman of North Carolina is chairman, the president will proceed to the capitol. For the first time in the history of any inauguration the wife of the president elect will accompany him on the trip. Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, wife of the vice president elect, will also ride in the carriage with her husband. The president will take the oath of office and deliver his inaugural address on the huge platform erected on the plaza at the east front of the capitol.

Pageant to Be Spectacular.

At the conclusion of the president's address the great spectacular pageant, which the people of Washington have devoted nearly three months in preparing, will start from the capitol and proceed westward on Pennsylvania avenue to Fifteenth street and thence through the grand Court of Honor erected in front of the White House. From the presidential stand in the center of the court Mr. Wilson and Mr. Marshall, together with their wives and members of the cabinet and their wives, the diplomatic corps and prominent officials, will view the parade.

Under the direction of Colonel Robert N. Harper, chairman of the citizens' committee of Washington, the people of the national capital have put forth every effort to make the Wilson inaugural procession not only a grand march of triumph, but a pageant which shall be educational and illustrative of the progress and development of the country. Major General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the army, will be grand marshal. Thousands of Uncle Sam's bluejackets and marines and as many soldiers as can be spared from the border will be in line, as well as the middy boys from Annapolis and the cadets from West Point.

"Uncle Sam at Work."

Washingtonians are so adept in making preparations for presidential inaugurations that nothing has been overlooked in providing for the accommodation, comfort and entertainment of thousands of visitors. In addition to the inaugural ceremonies, with the interesting pageant, arrangements have been made for the exhibit during inaugural week of "Uncle Sam at Work." This exhibit will show the activities of the various departments and bureaus of the government. The treasury department will show how paper money and postage stamps are manufactured at the bureau of engraving and printing and gold and silver coins are made at the mints. There will be an interesting display of counterfeits and counterfeiters by the secret service, and the rescue of life and property will be shown by the coast guard, which now includes the life saving service.

The museum of the dead letter bureau, with its freaks of the mails, will be a feature of the display of the post-office department; the war department will present an intensely interesting exhibit, including methods of national defense, and the navy department will show models of our peerless dreadnaughts, battleships and submarines.

RABUN NEWS.

Rabun, Feb. 5.—The coldest weather that has been in this country was Friday, Friday night and Saturday. Milk, water, and all other liquids were frozen from top to bottom of their containers. Country people used more grozen eggs in two days than they ever will again.

There's a good deal of sickness in our community.

Little T. H. Babb is very sick at this writing.

Miss Cotton of Charleston is visiting Mrs. Dr. Welborne for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolff and Miss Martha Wolff of Shiloh section visited Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Mahon Tuesday.

Mr. Jack Gilliand of Fountain Inn visited Dr. Welborne Tuesday night.

Mrs. Bill Mahon spent Tuesday with Mrs. Dora Babb of Eden section.

Miss Allie Babb was the guest of Mrs. Lizzie Cheek Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Calvin Cheek of Piedmont is spending a few days with his mother Mrs. Lizzie Cheek.

Mrs. Sloan Mahon and Miss Marie Mahon visited Mrs. Lawrence Mahon Wednesday evening.

Mr. Douglas West of Fountain Inn is at home with his mother, Mrs. Anna West for a few days.

Mr. Palmer Roper of McCormick is visiting his parents for a few days.

Miss Maude Pearson of Clinton is visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Beason.

Mr. and Mrs. Langdon Brooks, of Gray Court spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Babb.

Misses Allene Baldwin and Cora Leagne were visitors of Miss Hezel Holt Sunday.

Mrs. Anna West, while going up some steps Friday evening, made a wrong step and fell on the frozen ground, and received several broken joints.

A Friendship School.

The ladies of the school improvement association will give an entertainment at the school house on St. Valentine night, the fourteenth of February. There will be a post office with a letter of importance for every one present. Candy, peanuts, lunches, chocolate, etc. will be served. The public is cordially invited to come.

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