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WOMEN AND BEER PARLORS

Speaker Slates Those Who Would Deprive Females of Right to Drink

(Vancouver Morning Star)

"Alcohol is a product of fermentation and putrefaction, and science of today has conclusively proven that the medical man who uses alcohol as a stimulant is ignorant of its true effect," declares Dr. Ernest Hall, of Victoria, addressing a large meeting of prohibitionists at Chown United Church.

"Alcohol is a narcotic. A brain poison that deadens the higher faculties, steals away our brains and temporarily removes our sense of responsibility," continued Dr. Hall.

"When alcohol begins to act on the higher intellectual processes, the lower faculties run riot. Man becomes morally drunk, though he may be intellectually sober."

Alcohol's Effect

Declaring alcohol to be a medium destroying everything which meant evolution, and the absolute opponent of everything that stood for the man's highest and best, Dr. Hall, in a masterly discourse, discussed the effect of alcohol in large and small quantities upon men and upon women.

"Beer, with its alcoholic content," he said, "diminishes our natural caution. It lessens our awareness. It unrolls the processes of evolution and leads men to the lowest levels. The action of alcohol on the human system accomplishes a progressive paralysis and strikes through our conscience and judgment first, dulling our will power and making man the pawn of circumstance.

Warning to Women

"As for women," continued the speaker, "alcohol or beer makes an attractive woman appear much more attractive to men; she becomes flushed with liquor, and her modesty is gone. She throws aside reserve. In fact, she becomes a female animal, often too deadened to be aware of sin," he said.

"Knowing this, shall we stand by and see our children ruined, our money squandered on alcohol?" the speaker concluded.

Characterizing as a "deathbed repentence of the brewers" the action taken Wednesday by the B.C. Hotelmen's Association in barring women from local beer parlors, Rev. R. J. McIntyre asked:

Questions Motive

"Is it on moral grounds that the places have been defiled and their good reputation ruined by the presence of women of good or ill repute?" he asked.

"It has been known all along," continued Mr. McIntyre, "that women of the street have frequented these places, and it is equally true that men of like requte have consorted with them. If the morality qualification is to be the basis of admission, on what grounds are women only to be excluded? If only those whose lives are pure and unsullied are to be admitted, the beer parlors may suffer a serious decline in patrons," he remarked.

Speaker is Caustic

Or is it for sex reasons? Because she is a woman? After a strenuous battle, women became full-fledged citizens on an absolute equality with men. And if the beer parlors are a good thing for the community (quoting from a brewery advertisement) and if beer "cannot intoxicate or lower man's standards, but calls out all that is chivalrous and noble in him," doesn't it seem small business on the part of the brewer to debar the female of the species from this "nourishing and health-giving drink?" Who needs it more than she does?

Personal Liberty

"What about personal liberty?" continued Mr. McIntyre. "Or was that talk of personal liberty the rankest kind of hypocrisy? These people who have been the champions of personal liberty are ready at the flip of a coin to fling it all away! What will business not do to save its life? Personal liberty, alas, perishes from the earth with its last advocate gone."

Declaring the action of the brewers and licencees to be an insult to the intelligence of the better women of the land, a violation of the principle of equal rights, and the setting up of a double standard of life, Mr. McIntyre denounced the move to be a frank admission that the so-called "beer parlor" was a dive, unfit for decent women, and that the beer sold intoxicated and made man, for the time being, unfit to associate with his own wife. An admission that beer lowers a man's power to distinguish between right and wrong, and weakened his resistance to temptation.

"Well, if drink produces such results, is it right that it should be sold anywhere?" demanded Mr. McIntyre.

Admission of Weakness

"That latest attempt on the part of the wets has not strengthened their position, but is an acknowledgment that the things said by the prohibitionists whom they branded as "fanatics and slanderers" are true. They have been beaten in two contests lately," the speaker concluded, "and are hoping through a little juggling to mislead the public. But it is the same old business."

WATER NOTICE

Diversion and Use

TAKE NOTICE that Somerville Cannery Company Limited, whose address is Gore Avenue Wharf, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use 25 gallons per minute of water out of un-named stream, which flows northerly and drains into Ferguson Bay, Masset Inlet, about 4 chains west of N. W. corner Lot 1571, Queen Charlotte Island District. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point 6 chains in a south westerly direction from N. W. corner of Lot 1571, Q. C. Dist., and will be used for Industrial and Domestic purpose upon the land described as Block A, Lot 1571, Queen Charlotte Dist. This notice was posted on the ground on the 14th day of July, 1926. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B. C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is July 20, 1996.

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LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on North Rachael Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Swanson, of Prince Rupert, occupation Mariner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south end of North Rachael Island; thence around the island at high water mark, and containing 50 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON,
Applicant

Dated April 27, 1926

LAND ACT.

Cassiar Land District. Land Recording District of Prince Rupert and situated on Taku Arm, about 2 miles southwest of mouth of Atlinto River.

TAKE NOTICE that Francis Richard Dunlop of Atlin, B.C., occupation mill manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Taku Arm about 2 miles southwest from the mouth of Atlinto River and running thence 20 chains west; thence 20 chains south; thence 20 chains east; and thence 20 chains north to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

FRANCIS RICHARD DUNLOP,
Applicant.

Date, Atlin, May 20, 1926.

LAND ACT.

Cassiar Land District. Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on Atlin Lake about 35 miles southwest of Atlin Townsite.

TAKE NOTICE that Edwin Jules Eggert, of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, occupation operating tourist launch, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Glacier Bay, in Atlin Lake, situated as above; thence following the shore line west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains, to point of commencement.

EDWIN JULES EGGERT,
Applicant.

Dated May 10, 1926.

Three Cornered Fights and Their Effect on Election Results Throughout Dominion

Both sides in the political contest are today trying to eliminate three cornered fights whenever these are likely to injure the prospects of their own particular party candidate. Liberals say they stand to gain by the elimination of Progressive candidates and are trying to arrange to have no Progressive opposition to a Liberal and no Liberal opposition to a Progressive.

Similarly, party leaders declare that most labor men are Liberals when there is no labor candidate in the field.

Conservatives sometimes benefit from the elimination of a third candidate, but not to the same extent as do Liberals. In order that electors may judge for themselves, the following results from three cornered contests are published:

Ontario

Constituency—	Lib.	Con.	Prog.	Ind.
Bruce North	3,839	3,646	2,351	
Bruce South	3,965	3,362	2,128	
Glengarry	2,785	2,628	2,519	
Huron South	4,947	4,694	1,686	
Kenora-Rainy River	3,898	3,707	762	
Kent	7,833	8,396	4,461	
Lambton East	1,061	5,611	5,522	
Middlesex East	3,155	5,220	2,518	
Middlesex West	4,926	2,816	3,548	
Port Arthur-Thunder Bay	2,413	3,277		2,424 Ind.
				1,363 Lab.
Prescott	2,519	2,387		4,198 Ind.-Lib.
Timiskaming North	3,255	6,053		5,560 Ind.
Timiskaming South	4,558	5,362		1,882 Lab.

Manitoba

Constituency—	Lib.	Con.	Prog.
Marquette	1,665	4,219	4,084
Neepawa	1,809	3,461	3,332
Selkirk	2,524	3,831	3,319
Souris	1,563	3,258	3,509
Springfield	1,724	2,259	1,665

Saskatchewan

Constituency—	Lib.	Con.	Prog.
Assiniboia	4,356	2,303	3,124
Battleford North	4,204	1,830	2,697
Battleford South	4,364	2,646	3,252
Humboldt	3,212	967	2,536
Kindersley	2,614	1,218	3,631
Last Mountain	3,269	1,596	3,359
Maple Creek	4,019	3,253	2,570
Melfort	3,688	2,646	2,178
Melville	5,305	1,692	2,302
Rosetown	2,450	1,926	2,974
Weyburn	4,807	1,957	2,162
Willow Bunch	5,506	1,790	3,861
Yorkton	3,702	1,212	2,579

Alberta

Constituency—	Lib.	Con.	Prog.
Acadia	1,552	1,484	5,362
Athabasca	5,078	643	3,648
Battle River	1,690	1,634	5,067
Bow River	2,917	2,075	3,773
Camrose	1,885	1,409	4,202
MacLeod	1,941	4,239	4,943
Medicine Hat	4,383	2,397	2,039
Peace River	3,944	3,969	3,986
Red Deer	2,462	2,029	3,851
Wetaskiwin	3,429	2,121	3,201

GERMAN WOMAN IS ELECTED AS DEPUTY

Frau Klara Philipp an Active Politician Goes to Reichstag From Karlsruhe

KARLSRUHE, Germany, Aug. 3—To Frau Klara Philipp, wife of the Badenese chief forester, has fallen the distinction of succeeding the late Konstantin Fehrenbach, fourth chancellor of the German Republic, as Center Party deputy in the Reichstag.

Frau Philipp is chiefly known in Germany in circles having to do with social welfare, besides being a leader in the Catholic Centre Party. She first attracted attention as a publicist. With the war, Frau Philipp settled with her husband in Pforzheim, where she devoted her energies to the problem of food rationing, nursing and wayward children.

After the war she entered actively into politics, accepted election to the national executive committee of her party, became a member of the national film censorship board, and lectured at the women's high school in Heidelberg.

GIRLS ARE URGED TO SHOW INDIVIDUALITY

LONDON, Aug. 3.—'Try to be someone who counts and not one of a crowd," is the advice Catherine Countess of Westmorland gives to young girls.

The Countess says thoughtful persons cannot but regret the suggestion of "mass production' there is in a crowd of modern girls, all having hats and frocks which are almost identical and utterly lacking individuality. Even their talk is standardized.

"So few girls dare to be themselves," said the Countess. "They smoke and drink and dance to all hours because they want to be in the swim."

FLYING WOMAN IS A POLICE OFFICER

Thinks Nothing of Going by Plane to Paris or Berlin From London

LONDON, Aug. 3. — Commandant Mary Allen, co-founder of the women's police service in London, has become known as Europe's "flying cop" since she is one of the most travelled police officials in the world. When possible she makes her trips by aeroplane.

Commandant Allen, who is credited with knowing more women crooks of all countries than any other woman in the police business, visited the United States two years ago, and has been pretty much on the go ever since.

She thinks nothing of flying to Paris, Berlin or other points in one day, or some important case in which a woman is involved, and back to London the next. The setting up of a women's international police commission was due primarily to efforts of Commandant Allen.

MERGER OF CANADA WITH UNITED STATES URGED BY NEWSPAPER

(Edmonton Journal)

From the office of the Boston Post there are still arriving, addressed to "The Editor of The Journal, Edmonton, British Columbia," copies of that newspaper that continue, boldly displayed, the argument in favor of the merger of Canada and the United States. Further stress is laid on the desirability of cancelling the European war debts in exchange for the incorporation of this country with its great natural wealth, in the American union. "The world," we are informed, "could then go forward harmoniously and be freed from the growing friction between the nations, which forebodes so much danger in the years ahead." The value that is placed on the wealth of our territory is not too high but we are hardly likely to consent to its being handed over as a means of settling accounts between the United States and the European nations. The suggestion has been received with the same astonishment and resentment in Britain as in Canada.

WOMAN IS PEER, NOT PEERESS, SHE SAYS

LONDON, Aug. 3—Lady Zouche of Haryngworth regards herself as a peer, and would prefer not to be called a peeress.

"Why use the word peeress when there is no male to represent the line?" she asked. "We twenty odd women who happen to hold peerages in our own right are not peers by accident, any more than men are who happen to inherit a peerage. Why should I not receive the writ from the King, as my ancestors did before me, and be allowed to exercise the duties and privileges of my position?"

DOUKHOBORS AS SETTLERS

Question of Their Desirability is Being Discussed By Province of Alberta.

EDMONTON, Aug. 3.—Whether or not Alberta wants more Doukhobor settlers is a question now being considered by the provincial government. The matter has come up through the recent request of the Doukhobor Colonization society for information as to the possibilities for settlement in the Peace River country and the likely attitude of the Alberta government towards such a project. As announced at the time, there are said to be 5,000 of these people in Russia who are migrating to western Canada, and the Peace River district is the place that has been provisionally picked out for them.

Premier Brownlee, when asked what action is being taken in the case ,said that inquiries are to be made as to the local feeling in the north in regard to such colonization and also as to the experience that the Saskatchewan authorities have been having of late with the Doukhobor colonists in that province. More settlers for the north country will be wanted, the premier says, but careful investigation will be necessary before letting in so large a number of a class of people who have in the other provinces been the cause of more or less trouble in the past.

It is understood that if the migration from Russia materializes there will be an additional movement of Doukhobor settlers from Saskatchewan, who will join their fellow countrymen in the Peace River settlement. In that case their numbers will be so large that they will likely be located in a colony of their own, and it is the question as to whether or not this would be desirable that the government is now investigating. No decision has yet been reached, and the matter will be carefully looked into, says Mr. Brownlee, before an answer is given.

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LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at Massett, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that Eugene H. Simpson of Massett, occupation canner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Block 10, Massett Townsite; thence easterly 150 feet; thence southerly 1,000 feet; thence westerly 150 feet; thence northerly 1,000 feet to point of commencement, and containing 3 acres, more or less.

EUGENE H. SIMPSON,
Applicant.

Dated June 5, 1926.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"

Notice of Application for Consent to Transfer Beer License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 28th day of August next the undersigned intend to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence numbered 470 and issued in respect of premises, being part of a building known as Port Clements Hotel, Port Clements, B. C., upon the lands described as Lot 7, Block 47, in Subdivision of Lot 746, Queen Charlotte Islands, Prince Rupert Land Registry District, in the Province of British Columbia, from Frank Hicks to Herbert Hampton, Theodore Musconi and J. Ciccone of the Town of Port Clements, in the County of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, the transferees.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 31st day of July, 1926.

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