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TO INVESTIGATE BACKUS.
Raines Committee Will Probably Look into the Excise Violations in Brooklyn.
The committee appointed by the last Legislature to investigate the workings of the Raines law, will hold its first meeting today, at No. 132 State street, Albany. Senators John Raines, the father of the bill, of Canandaigua; Frank W. Higgins, of Cattaraugus; John Ford, of New York; Myer Nussbaum, of Albany; and Samuel J. Foley, of New York, compose the committee, who are Republicans, with the exception of Senator Foley, Senator Higgins, who sailed for Europe yesterday, will not attend any of the sessions of the committee.
It is said on good authority that the committee will decide today to hold its first session in Brooklyn, and that District Attorney Backus's office will be the first to come under the Senatorial microscope. According to reports the committee has a serious faction over the alleged inactivity of Brooklyn's District Attorney, in not pushing some of the numerous excise violations before him to an issue. Over 2,500 complaints have been handed in by the police force to District Attorney Backus, but not a single conviction has been obtained.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR UNION.
Societies of the East End of Long Island Organize at Mattituck.
Mattituck, L. I., June 30.—The Christian Endeavor societies of Southold and Shelter Island towns met at this place yesterday afternoon and evening and formed a union. The meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church, and the following topics were discussed: "Our Endeavor Pledge," with a paper by Miss Pebe Smith, of Shelter Island; "How to Develop the Talent in the Societies," with paper by Mr. John Fanning, of the Rev. New London, president of Brooklyn Christian Endeavor Union, and Good Citizenship," with paper by Miss Mattie Wells.
Delegations from Orient, East Marion, Shelter Island, Greenport, Cutogue and Mattituck were present. The newly-elected officers of the union are: President, Ed. Waterhouse, of Greenport; vice-president, Miss Mattie Wells, of Southold; secretary, Wilfred Tutbill, of East Marion; treasurer, John Fanning, of Cutogue. The Rev. New London, president of Brooklyn Christian Endeavor Union, addressed the meeting in the evening upon the subject, "The Worth and Work of the Union." The next meeting will be held at Greenport in November.

SWOONED AWAY IN COURT.
Eva Snydam Tells Why She Wanted to Die.
Mrs. Eva Snydam, the young woman who swallowed a quantity of laudanum at her sister's home, No. 254 St. Felix street, Brooklyn, was arraigned yesterday in the Myrtle Avenue Court yesterday for attempted suicide.
Mrs. Snydam is both attractive and refined in appearance. She said it was true that she had taken poison, but she was almost insane from pain at the time, and did not know what she was about. Some time ago she contracted blood poisoning while cleaning a pair of gloves.
After telling her troubles she swooned and was removed to Justice Teale's private room. Regaining consciousness, Mrs. Snydam requested Justice Teale to send her to her home in San Francisco, Ambulance Surgeon, Sanderson, however, removed the woman back to the hospital, as it was not deemed safe to release her.
Mrs. Snydam has a sister with her sister, Mrs. Lockwood, at the above address.

COULDN'T ESCAPE HIS WIFE.
Mrs. Boniface Traced Her Husband and Caused His Arrest for Abandonment.
Justice Goetzling, in the Lee Avenue Police Court, Williamsburg, yesterday held Charles Boniface, employed at No. 1470 Broadway, New York, for trial on charges of abandonment, preferred by his wife, Minnie, of No. 124 South Fourth street, Williamsburg. Boniface could not furnish the \$1,500 bail and went to jail.
The couple were married ten years ago. Three years afterward Boniface left on a visit to Maine and did not return. Since then his wife did not see him again two weeks ago, when she met him in Brooklyn, New York, and traced him to his place of business. He promised to support her, but failing to do so she secured the warrant for his arrest. She afterward learned that he had married again, and in court yesterday secured a warrant for bigamy. He once admitted that he had deserted his wife, but denied he was again married.

Preacher Wants License Revoked.
Rev. Edwin Potter, of Grace Lutheran Church, on Rodney street, petitioned Justice Smith in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, yesterday to revoke the license of John O'Brien, No. 297 South Third street, Brooklyn, E. D. The reason advanced was that the saloon is within 200 feet of Mr. Potter's church. The case was a test one to determine if the sealing of a door within the limit and the opening of one beyond the 200-foot line is compliance with the law. Formerly O'Brien's main entrance was on Rodney street, or 100 feet from the church. He had the door closed and another opened around the Scotia Third street side. The case was postponed to July 7.

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After Years of Intense Suffering Mrs. King Finds Relief.
In Agony from Rheumatic Pains, Sleep Was a Stranger to Her, Comfort Something Unknown, Pleasure She Had None, and Life Was a Burden Until She Was Cured by Munyon's Remedies. Now She Is Well and Happy. Her Grateful Story.
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THROWN OUT AND KILLED BY RUNNING IN A LAMPPOST.
A man was killed by running into a lamp post on the Seventh Avenue line, at the corner of Sixth and Seventh streets, Brooklyn, yesterday morning. The man, who was named George, was running across the street to get his daily supply of newspapers. He was running so fast that he did not see the lamp post, and he ran into it, falling head first. He was killed instantly. The police are investigating the case.

THREE BOLD BOY BURGLARS.
Broke into a Saloon and Stole \$4, and Also Robbed a Store.
Edward Roe, thirteen years, and George Stein, sixteen years old, of No. 37 Hopkins street, and Frederick Sompf, thirteen years old, of No. 578 Flushing avenue, in the Lee Avenue Police Court, Williamsburg, yesterday admitted that they were burglars and were turned over to the care of Officer Folk, of the Children's Society.
On Wednesday morning they broke into a saloon at No. 138 Eddy street and stole \$4, and last Sunday they burglarized the store of G. A. Gardner, at No. 684 Flushing avenue, and secured \$20. They have been frequently arrested before.

ARRESTED AS A SMUGGLER.
Passenger Tries to Run Away and His Valises Are Filled with Cigarettes.
Elizabeth, N. J., June 30.—Francisco Cerescola, a Cuban, is held for the United States authorities on a charge of smuggling. He arrived in this city last night on the steamer Fort William from Porto Rico. The boat was put into dry dock and Cerescola left at once with two valises.
The Customs officers wanted to examine the baggage, but the Cuban refused, on being told he must submit, tried to run away. The valises were found to be filled with the choicest of cigarettes. He is being held for his own use.

HEIRS.
Elizabeth's Excise War.
Elizabeth, N. J., June 30.—Private detectives followed the police on Sunday during the raids on the saloons that kept open on that day, and learned that while a sixty-eight saloons were found open and doing business, only thirty-one were reported as violating the law. The names of all the violators have been secured by the police, and these will be prosecuted if they refuse to do so.

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