...supposed to make the attempt when I came down from the sun roof. It is true that I am allowed the use of the roof several hours a day, due to the fact that I am a consumptive. But it is beyond me to understand how Dullick and I were to make the attempt, when Dullick was locked up in a tier of the jail with a guard sitting about three feet from the door. That door is controlled by levers located outside of the tier. Your article stated there are only two guards there when I come down off the roof. That is a lie, for there are six guards here at the time I come down.

It is true that my cell was searched but nothing was found in it except a few personal belongings and the few necessities that the jail provide each prisoner.

I defy anyone to prove Dullick or I was involved in any wrong-doing. We are waiting for the United States Court of Appeals to review our case in the near future and the publication of such a story will certainly hinder whatever chance we have before that court.

It is absolutely necessary that you publish the truth absolving us of these charges or have a reporter ... learn the truth

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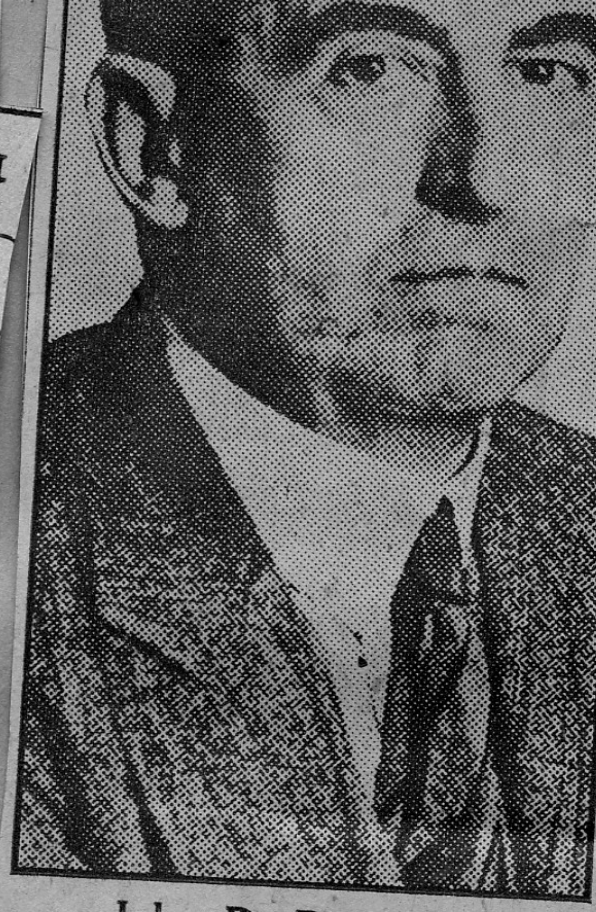

John D. Pennington

Trenton Times 1/22/32

DRY CHIEF HITS DISHONESTY IN PUBLIC OFFICE

Pennington Says 'Trading' and 'Fixing' to Blame for Lawlessness

Dishonest and incapable officials, Federal and State, were flayed today by Commander John D. Pennington, Federal prohibition director of the New Jersey area, in an address before the regional conference of the Women's Christian Temperance Union at the State House.

Lawlessness, whatever the character, can be traced, he said, to derelictions on the part of many officers, too much "trading" and "fixing" by some district attorneys, and failure on the part of some of the judges to impose adequate punishment on those found guilty.

Asked after he had finished his talk if he had any particular city or area in mind, Mr. Pennington said he did not care to enlarge upon his statement.

While the task of enforcement is difficult, confidence was expressed by the director of the ultimate success of prohibition. He ridiculed the idea that the repeal of prohibition would restore prosperity, and pointed out that European countries were harder hit by the depression than America, despite the fact they are without prohibition.

Resistance of efforts to repeal or modify the dry laws was urged by Dr. James K. Shields, superintendent of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon League. The drys should concentrate their fight, he said, against proposed referenda and the repeal of State enforcement laws.

Dr. Shields said that the fight to keep the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act intact should be concentrated against proposed referenda and the repeal of the State enforcement laws.

He warned especially against appeals to sportsmanship and fair play

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DRY CHIEF HITS PUBLIC OFFICIALS

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in attempts to obtain support for a referendum on wet and dry sentiment. The brewers and liquor interests had shown no sportsmanship to temperance advocates in the old days, he asserted, and should not be allowed to capitalize such an argument now.

To repeal State enforcement, as proposed in New Jersey would mean chaos and a flood of crime, continued Dr. Shields. He accused advocates of the plan of cowardice inspired by a desire to make prohibition unworkable and added that Commander John D. Pennington and his force of Federal agents were apparently making it too warm for the wets in New Jersey.

Mrs. Nina G. Frantz, president of the New Jersey Women's Christian Temperance Union, also urged members to oppose actively the State repeal movement.

In a keynote address at a regional conference, called as part of a nationwide educational movement for law enforcement, Mrs. Frantz reminded members a repealer had been approved this week by the Assembly and was in the judiciary committee of the Senate.

There was "an unknown quantity" among the Senators, whose position on the repealer was not manifest, Mrs. Frantz said. This group, she said, might hear from its constituency.

A sharp attack was made on "some of the men now in office in New Jersey" by Mrs. O. Pell Close. Their proper place she said was on the political scrap heap. She mentioned no names.

Plans for a membership drive were outline by Mrs. Ella P. Christner, corresponding secretary. She declared that the strength of the organization could be increased 500 per cent. by

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TWO ARE HELD IN LIQUOR RAID CASE

Trenton Times 1/29/32

Arrested on a farm near Edinburg where a distillery was in operation, Tony Firna, of 245 North Clinton Avenue, and Samuel Greenburg, of 111 Market Street, were held under $2,500 bail each by United States Commissioner Marvin A. Spaulding.

A 2,000-gallon still was reported to have been in operation. A quantity of finished product as well as a supply of alcohol in readiness for distilling was confiscated. The property is known as the Leon W. Mount farm, being situated in West Windsor Township.

3 U. S. Actions Slated For Rising Sun Brewery

N Y Herald 1/24/32

Way Cleared for Padlock, Libel and Criminal Proceedings

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 23 (AP).—The government's legal machinery was free today to take threefold action against the Rising Sun Brewery, of Elizabeth, under the decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Philadelphia, upholding the validity of the raid on the brewery in September, 1930.

It was learned at the office of Lewis J. Tutt, prohibition administrator, that padlock proceedings will be instituted immediately, a libel will be directed against the equipment and criminal action started.

The case was taken to the Court of Appeals after the owners of the brewery property attacked the validity of the search warrant used in the raid because the agents had no "personal knowledge" of a prohibition violation at the plant.

The Appeals Court held that the warrant was legal even if issued upon a statement of Federal agents that they could detect law violations at breweries by their sense of smell.

During the raid gangsters shot and killed J. Finiello, an agent, who was riddled with bullets in the boiler room of the plant. The gangsters had trailed the agents from Philadelphia.

As the Federal men were rounding up employees the gunmen appeared and disarmed several of the raiders. Calling Finiello by name, they opened fire as he turned to face them.

JURORS SEEK TO BAN OBSCENE PERIODICALS

Trenton Times 1/28/32

ELIZABETH, N. J., Jan. 28 (AP).—The United States District Attorney of New Jersey is asked to take action to suppress sale of obscene periodicals and publications, in a resolution adopted yesterday by the Union County January Grand Jury. Supreme Court Justice Clarence E. Case in his charge at the opening of the January term instructed the Grand Jury to consider this matter.

Reporting that the prosecutor has presented evidence that many such publications, some of which are "shockingly obscene and indecent," are sold in Union County, the resolution states that most, if not all, are printed outside New Jersey.

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DOVER, N. J., Jan. 29 (AP).—Federal agents aided by State Troopers raided the Washington Arms in East Dover and the Hilltop Rest in Rockaway, today, arresting two men on charges of violating the liquor laws.

Lynn Freelan, 40, was arrested as the proprietor of the Washington Arms and Otto Voelker, 25, of Hilltop Rest. Both are to be arraigned today before a U. S. Commissioner in Newark. Agents found a quantity of alleged beer and liquor in both places.

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Judge Who Declare... Amendment Illeg... To Aid Women Drys

Clark at Parley Promises to Urge All 3 U. S. Jurists Sentence Rum Violators

EXPLAINS ENFORCEMENT

Complimented By Mrs. A. H. Lippincott for Issuance of 94 Padlocks

Seven women interested in the enforcement of prohibition yesterday spent more than two hours in conference with a judge who once, in an official decision, declared the 18th amendment illegal. And not once was mention made of the famous decision.

Judge Clark

The women are connected with the Women's National Committee for Law Enforcement. The jurist is Federal Judge William Clark.

Mrs. A. Haines Lippincott, chairman of the New Jersey branch of the national committee, wrote to Judge Clark complimenting him on his issuance of 94 padlock orders against speakeasies on Jan. 2, and requested the conference. The request was granted.

In chambers yesterday, the women learned from the judge, U. S. Attorney Forman and his assistant, John Grimshaw, and Samuel Cohen, prohibition department legal advisor, just what makes the wheels of law enforcement go 'round.

The women said they did not think men in public office should be permitted to act as defense counsel for alleged dry law violators And Judge Clark promised to suggest again a plan of his placing all three Federal judges on the bench for sentencing of convicted violators More consistent sentences would result, he said.

Other women who attended included Mrs. Nina G. Frantz, state president of the W. C. T. U.; Mrs. Lewis S. Thompson, Mrs. William Hamilton Osborne, Mrs. L. H. Robbins, Mrs. William Milwitsky, and Mrs. L. G. Twitchell.

WALKER IS HELD AS IMPERSON...

Harry J. Walker, 35, of P...phia, is being held at Polic... quarters, pending arraignme... charge of impersonating a ... agent. He was arrested by Policeman Hughes at State a... ren Street last night, after ... asked him to arrest Walker ... tempting "to shake me ... Walker also is said to hav... a saloonkeeper here of a con... amount of money.

Trenton Times

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ANOTHER CHARGE AGAINST WALKER

Trenton Times 2/5/32

Accused of Obtaining $100 on Promise to Quash Any Complaints

Charges of obtaining money under false pretenses have been lodged against Harry Walker, 2645 Mutter Street, Philadelphia, arrested here late Thursday on a charge of impersonating a Federal prohibition agent.

According to the complaint, Walker obtained $100 from Thomas Mitchell, of the Belmont House, Lambertville, by declaring that he "worked out of Newark and could quash any complaints which might be made against him." Authorities claim the money was paid to Walker when he met Mitchell in Trenton.

Police also announced that they would endeavor to file two charges of impersonating a Federal agent with the government authorities here. They declare that Walker, posing as an agent, obtained $100 from John DeVinny, of South Clinton Avenue, and $200 from Bert Green, of Princeton.

It is claimed by the police that Walker approached these men, showed the last two named credentials which purported to show that he was a prohibition agent, and told them that he was collecting the money on a "fifty-fifty basis" for a higher-up. The check bearing Green's signature was found in his possession at the time of his arrest.

...BURY ESTATE ...D BY TROOPERS

...Times 2/4/32

...BURY, N. J., Feb. 4 (AP).—...hibition agents, aided by ...rs, arrested two men in a ...0-gallon wood alcohol re...lant in a barn on the ...auer estate today.

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