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THE DEATH PENALTY AS CURB FOR CRIME

The Illinois Legislature Expects Question Will Animate Winter Session.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Is the death penalty a deterrent to murder and a protection to society?

Much argument over this is likely to enliven the legislature at Springfield this coming winter. The question becomes acute as a result of the judge's decision in the Loeb-Leopold case.

In the last 10 years, five states abolished the death penalty and then restored it. The general reason was that crime had increased.

Arizona abolished the gallows as maximum penalty for murder in 1916, and restored it in 1918. Missouri abolished the death penalty in 1917 and restored it in 1919. The homicide rate had increased from 91 for each million population to 103.

Oregon abolished capital punishment in 1914, restored it in 1921.

Washington took the death penalty off in 1913 and put it back in 1919, largely due to deeds of violence by the "wobblies."

Tennessee abandoned capital punishment in 1915, and established it in 1917.

War Blamed for Crime.

Sentimentalists, humanitarians and others, who oppose the death penalty argue that the increase in crime, which impelled these states to put the gibbet back into the list of penalties was due to the war and that it was country-wide. It does not alter the fact that after the try-out, sentiment in these five states changed and the death penalty was regarded as a protection of the social interests.

At least three other states abolished and restored capital punishment three years before the war, and the crime wave that trailed it.

Iowa in 1872 got rid of the death penalty. But six years later that state restored it by allowing juries to fix punishment for murder, which is either death or imprisonment for life.

A MAN LIGHTS HIS OWN FUNERAL PYRE
In a Cemetery — Mourners Rescue Him After a Desperate Battle.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Mourners attending two funerals at Montrose cemetery yesterday, witnessed an attempt of a man to burn himself to death. He was seized after a desperate battle and taken to a hospital, where, it is said, his burns would prove fatal.

The man, identified as Joseph Kopusa, aged forty-five, was first noticed, standing at the head of a grave, breaking twigs and sticks into small pieces and dropping them around his feet. He had piled them almost to his knees and then tore up a newspaper and poked it into and underneath the brush. Then, leaning over, so as to avoid upsetting his funeral pyre, he took from a small satchel a quart bottle of kerosene, which he emptied over his head. Before the nearest spectators could reach him, he had struck a match and set fire to the oil soaked pyre.

FAILURES DUE LARGELY TO BAD MANAGEMENT

U. S. Government Experts Trace Cause in Effort to Help the Merchants.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Poor management is indicated as the chief cause of retail business failures in a department of commerce review of the "mortgage of business failures" made public yesterday. The study was made under the domestic commerce division, the statement said, in order to help "the American retailer overcome some of his more difficult business problems."

Bad management in some form appeared to be the cause of most failures, the government experts found.

"Only in the past three or four years" it was added, "has the merchant realized that his business is a science."

Suggestions for application of modern methods to retail establishments are contained in the pamphlet reporting the results of the study.

TO SELL BOOTLEG BOAT.
As Owner Makes No Reply to Charge Against Him.

Syracuse, N.Y., Sept. 16.—The Greyhound, alleged rum running boat, owned by Charles S. O'Brien, Alexandria Bay, charged with smuggling liquor from Canada into the United States, will be sold by the United States custom officials, within the next few days, and the money turned into the U. S. treasury.

Because O'Brien made no answer to a statement issued him by the customs officials, charging him with using the boat for illegal purpose, the vessel will be confiscated immediately.

O'Brien, who was arrested on June 22nd, when the Greyhound was seized on the St. Lawrence river with a hold full of Canadian ale, was given five days in which to file a statement with the customs officials as to what use he had made of the boat. His failure to do so made it legal for the officials to confiscate the boat. The Greyhound is valued at \$4,000 or \$5,000.

The decision to put the Greyhound on sale was made by Judge Cooper.

PROBS:—Fair, not much change in temperature.

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Heavy blue denim with white hairline stripe, sizes 44 and 46 only. Reg. \$1.50 ea.

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8 balls for \$1.00

2,000 balls 2 and 4 ply knitting wool, all shades. Reg. 15c ball.

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\$1.00 ea.

In all wool brown heather knitted coat sweaters—sizes 26 to 32. Reg. \$1.50.

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Canadian Merchants Are Disposed To Discount It.

St. Catharines, Sept. 16.—There is a disposition among the merchants of this city to refuse to take United States money at par, owing to the tremendous flood of it in the last few weeks. It is felt that if a discount is placed upon the United States currency, matching the action of United States merchants not so long ago, it will have the effect of

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