FIRST TILT ON PROHIBITION WON BY DRYs

House Body Votes Down Wet Bills.

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"Prohibition cause cities...They are seated with the assurance of 75000 years. If they were used. Some of the states in the United States are vast areas..." and it will be difficult to prevent the use of..."
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BATTLE OF 1923
IN HOUSE BODY

Anti-Saloon League Measure Also Defeated.

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ative Springer (Rep., Winnetka) appropriating $25,000 for an agricultural experiment station in Cook county.

The house judiciary committee recommended passage of the Schnakenberg bill to curb "puppy love" marriages. The bill requires persons contemplating marriage to apply for a license ten days in advance. It also requires the license bureau to notify parents.

What is the American language? H. L. Mencken may have to the rescue of Illinois courts and officials if the Ryan bill "Americanizing" the official language of Illinois, which passed the senate today, is finally made a law.

Senator James J. Barbour (Rep., Chicago), one of the three who voted against the bill, said he did not know what was meant by the "American" language. Senator Frank Ryan (Dem., Chicago) argued that the American nation should have a language of its own and have it so designated.

The senate passed the $10,000,000 University of Illinois appropriation bill, which is ready for the governor's signature. The vote was 43 to 0. In his budget Gov. Small has cut $1,295,000 out of this sum, "but his action was not heeded by either house.

Senator Roos (Rep., Cook) introduced a bill at the request of the zoological society of which John T. McCutcheon is president, authorizing the forest preserve commissioners to maintain a zoo and also authorizing a general tax levy of one-third of a mill on each dollar.

It is provided that 50 cents admis-