

Mile Rum Limit

Repeal Hits Snag

Repeal of the city's one mile limit liquor ordinance, struck a temporary snag at yesterday's meeting of the city commission when Finance Commissioner Roscoe W. Thomas announced his opposition to the move following the reading for the first time of the ordinance providing for this repeal.

Mayor E. W. Cragin told members of the board that since the co-operation of the sheriff's office was assured in controlling the liquor traffic beyond the city limits, that he believed there was no further need for such a statute and that it should be repealed.

The repealing ordinance was read by City Attorney F. A. Stevens who had drawn it at the request of the mayor, and it was then that Thomas voiced his opposition on the grounds that the city should retain jurisdiction and gain the revenue accruing through fines.

Other members of the board appeared to favor the repeal of the ordinance, and it is expected to receive the approval of three commissioners and the mayor when it comes up for final approval next month.

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