



Salem Welfare League Poster Opposing Prohibition

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A Story Without Words [Cartoon drawing of W.C.T.U. axe breaking down wood door to attack the liquor industry. The liquor industry is represented as cartoon fruit and vegetables with legs and arms running away including: Grapes, Spud, Wheat, Corn, Hops, Peach, Apple, Barley. Barrels of Wine, Whisky, Beer and Brandy are shown]

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