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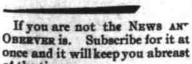
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A PASTORAL LETTER

To the People of Alamance County.

We, the undersigned ministers, do unite in the following appeal to all the good people of Alamance County:

A Glorious A general election will be held on May 26, 1908, Opportunity on the question of the prohibition of the liquor traffic for our whole State. This is the opportunity for which we have been long praying, and one which, if neglected now, may never come again. If we let our cause be lost now, we serve notice on our Legislature that our people are opposed to State prohibition; to win by a small majority will mean the indefinite continuance of the fight; to win overwhelmingly will settle the question once for all.

A Hard Let us not be deceived by the soothing assurance that Fight victory will be easily won. On the contrary we need strenuous efforts of every temperance man and woman, a thorough organization in every township, and every vote that can be cast. The liquor manufacturers and dealers of the whole country are pouring money into our State and flooding it with pernicious literature filled with specious falsehoods. And some of our own newspapers and politicians are using all their influence to prejudice the people against prohibition.

The Proposed This bill was carefully prepared by the Prohibition Law wisest temperance men in the State, and is advocated by hosts of great men of all parties, like Gov. Glenn, ex-Govs. Jarvis and Aycock, Senator Simmons, Judges Pritchard and Shaw, A. M. Scales, H. A. London, Josephus Daniels, G. W. Watts, H. A. Page, F. R. McNinch, J. H. Pou, N. B. Broughton, W. H. Sprunt, E. T. Cansler, Cameron Morrison, F. S. Blair, Settle Dockery, E. F. Aydlett and J. W. Bailey.

What This Law It will abolish every licensed whiskey and WIII Do brandy distillery and every saloon and dispensary in the State; will prevent a few towns from debauching other communities and partially nullifying their prohibition laws; will stop the selling of wine except at the place of manufacture and outside the State and for sacramental purposes; will stop the sale of all intoxicating chemical mixtures except necessary drugs and essences; and will strictly regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in drug stores.

Organize, Work, While we do not presume to dictate to you Pray, Vote. how you shall vote, we as your pastors do appeal to you to vote according to your religious and moral convictions for the cause of good morals and civic righteousness. Let the good men of every township get together, organize for this campaign, appoint a strong executive committee, arrange for massmeetings and secure good speakers, write to the Anti-Saloon League, Raleigh, N. C., for free literature and scatter it broadcast, convass every possible voter, and pray without ceasing for the victory of righteousness and temperance.

Come to our County Mass-Meeting to be held in the Court House, Graham, Monday, April 6th, at 10:00 a. m.

E. C. Murray, P. H. Flemming,

C. A. Upchurch, C. H. Whitaker, S. W. Oldham, J. O. Atkinson,

C. Brown Cox, J. D. Andrew, E. M. Snipes, David Sampson,

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GIFTS FOR AN INVALID.

Christmas Remembrances That Ma Be Made at Home. Many useful Christmas gifts for in

valids may be made at home. A case for the hot water bottle is one that calls for skill with crochet book and knitting needles. Heavy fingering and bone needles

will be required for this, the bag being knitted on two needles. A frill is crocheted, also of wool, and sewn around the three sides and the mouth of the case. When the water bag is inserted the top is drawn together by running a ribbon in and out, tying the bag in place, and it goes without saying that this is much more pleasing and sightly than the usual flannel case. To match this a pretty covering for a hand warmer may be constructed on similar lines, except that both ends are drawn though one is left open to receive the warmer. Little bottles filled with hot salt, then tightly corked, are slipped in the case and the open end drawn to gether. When complete it is not unlike the silk crochet purse of long ago, a the hand warmer, though matching the polors of the hot water bottle case, is

made of heavy silk in crochet. Then, too, the sofa rug, that will keep slipping off, may be made to retain its position by having an under portion-say half the length of the rug -into which the feet are slipped, thus having it up to the knees both over and under the legs. From the knee upward the rug may be drawn up or thrown back, as preferred, because this

part is single. Every one knows how pillows are apt to slip, whether the patient is lying or sitting in bed, and so a holder is quickly and simply made by sewing to a strong pretty ribbon stocking sus-pender clasps, which will grip the pil-low and hold it in place when the invalid wishes to sit up for a few min utes. Leaning back again, she will find it in exactly the same place. A thoughtful gift would be a strip of white linen embroidered, bound and the ends finished with the clasps.

A Cave Full of Bones n the Isle of Egg. one of the Hebrily creep on hands and knees. Inside it widens enormously and runs down to the terrific depth of 250 feet. To this day the bottom is strewn thick with nan bones, the relics of the whole ian of Macdounids, over 200 in nam ber, who were miserably suffocated by the Macleods from the Island of Skye This tragedy is surp sed to have oc-

The Fife. It is said by some that we owe the fife-"ear piercing," as Shakespeare calls it—to the Swiss, and Sir James Turner, who busied himself in writing on military matters, names it the "Allemaine whistle." In France it was employed at least as early as 1534, in

which year it was ordered by Francis I. that each band of 1,000 men was to have four drums and two fifes. A few years later in England we find "drommes and flyffes" included in the muster of London citizens. Shake speare refers to the musician, not the astrument, when he speaks in "The Merchant of Venice" of "the vile squealing of the wry necked fife." old writer observes, indeed, that a "fyfe is a wry neckt musician, for he looks away from his instrument." About the reign of James II. the fife lost its popularity for a time, Sir James Turner observing, "With us any captain may keep a fifer in his company and maintain him, too, for no pay is allowed him, perhaps just as uch as he deserveth."-Chambers

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The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That it shall be un- medical purposes only. lawful for any person or persons, firm or corporation to manufacture malt liquors or intoxicating bitters mental purposes. within the State of Nor th Carolina: Provided, this act shall not be conspirituous, vinous, fermented or written prescription of a regular licensed and actively practicing physician or surgeon having the person for whom such prescription is made under his charge, which said preof spirits required: Provided further, ous, vinous, or malt liquors. that wines and ciders may be manufactured or made from grapes, berries or fruits, and wine sold at the place of manufacture only, and only in sealed or crated packages containing not less than two and a half gallons per package, but no wine, when sold, shall be drunk upon the premises where sold, nor shall the package containing thesame be opened on said premises: and, Provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent and effect and in concurence herethe sale of cider, in any quantity, by the manufacturer from fruit tion may be had either under this grown on his lands within the State act or any special or local act relatof North Carolina.

SECTION 2. That all liquors or mixtures thereof, by whatever name called, that will produce intoxication shall be construed and held to be intoxicating liquors within the meaning of this act: Provided, that medicinal preparations manufactured in accordance with formulas prescribed and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors.' by the United States Pharmacopoeia and National Formulary which contains no more alchol than is necessary to extract the medicinal properties of the drugs contained in such preparations, and no more alcohol than is necessary to hold the tains. medicinal agents in solution, and Src. 8. Any person violating any as medicines and not as beverages, shall not be held or construed to be or to come within the meaning or provisions of this act.

Sec. 3 That any physician or surgeon who shall make any prescription (except in case of sickness) for the purpose of aiding or abetting any person or persons who are not bona fide under his charge to purchase any intoxicating liquors contrary to the provisions of this act, and any licensed and registered pharmacist who shall sell or otherwise dispose of, for gain, any spiritnous, vinous, fermented or malt liqnors or intoxicating bitters without the written prescription of a legally qualified physician or surgeon, or who shall duplicate the prescription of a physician or surgeon for intoxicating liquors for any persons not bona fide under such physician's or surgeon's charge without the written direction of the physician or surgeon who gave the same, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined or imprisoned, or both, in the discretion of the court, for each and every offense, and all licensed and registered pharmacists selling intoxicating liquors by prescription as aforesaid shall keep a record thereof, which shall bear the true dates of the sale, the names of all persons to whom sales are made, the name of physicians or surgeons upon whose prescriptions the sales were made, which said record shall be subject at all times to the inspection of the solicitor of the district, the sheriff and other peace officers of the county, the mayor and police officers of the city or town in which said licensed and registered pharmacist's business is located, and all other persons; and any licensed and registered pharmacist failing to keep the records aforesaid, or refusing to permit the examination of such records by the officers named, or other persons, shall be guilty of a misde-

SEC. 4 The place where delivery of any intexicating liquors is made and Sale of Intexicating Liquors," in the State of North Carolina shall The ballots shall be of white paper tion or other place within said State counted, compared, returned, canto which any person shall ship or vassed, certified and reported under Witt's. Sold by Graham Drug Co. Graham Drug Co.

discretion of the court.

convey any intoxicating liquors for the purpose of delivering or carry-To Prohibit the Manufacture and ing the same to a purchaser shall be Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in construed to be the place of sale: Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the delivery of any intoxicating liquors to any licensed and registered pharmacist in sufficient quantities for

SEC. 5. Nothing in this act shall be construed as making it unlawful or in any manner make, or sell, or to sell to any minister of religion otherwise dispose of, for gain, any or other officer of a church wine spirituous, vinous, fermented or to be used for religious or sacra-

SEC. 6. That nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the strued to forbid the sale of such county commissioners or governing body of any city or town from promalt liquors or intoxicating bitters hibiting the sale of spirituous, vinby a legalized medical depository, ous, fermented or malt liquors or or by any licensed and registered intoxicating bitters by any licensed pharmacist, for sickness, upon the and registered pharmacist in their respective counties, cities or towns: Provided further, that said county commissioners or governing body of any city or town may levy a special privilege tax upon any licensed scription shall specify the amount pharmacist licensed to sell spiritu-

Sec. 7. That all laws or parts and the same are hereby, to the extent of such conflict, repealed: Provided, however, that nothing in this act shall operate to repeal any of the local or special acts of the General Assembly of North Carolina prohibiting the manufacture or sale or other disposition of any of the liq uors mentioned in this act; but all such acts shall continue in full force with; and indictment or presecuing to the same subject: Provided, that if the provisions of sections one to nine (inclusive) of this act shall fail to go into effect on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, because of the fail ure of a majority of the votes cast in the election hereinafter provided for to be "Against the Manufacture then this act shall not be construed as a repeal of any laws under which prohibition or a dispensary has been established; nor shall it have the effect of restoring license where prohibition or a dispensary now ob-

guilty of misdemeanor.

SEC. 9. That the foregoing pro visions of this act shall go into effect on the first of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, if a majority of the votes cast, a the election hereinafter provided for shall be "Against the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors."

Sec. 10. That on the last Tuesof elections shall .nake publi day in May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight, an election shall be held in the several election precincts in each county of the State of North Carolins to determine whether the provisions of sections one to nine (inclusive) of this act shall become effective. Said election shall be held and conducted under the same rules and regulations and in the same manner as elections for State officers; and unless otherwise provided in this act, the general laws regulating elections, as set forth in chapter ninety of the Revisal of one thousand nine hundred and five of North Carolina, and the amendments thereto, shall be applicable to said election. At said election every person qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly shall have the right to vote. At each election precinct there shall be a ballot box provided for the purpose of said election, which shall be labeled in plain Roman letters, "For or Against the Manufacture and regulating State elections, as set Sale of Intoxicating Liquors." In all other respects said ballot box shall be in confromity with the general laws regulating elections, as set forth in chapter ninety of the Revisal of one thousand nine hundred and five of North Carolina and the amendments thereto. At said election every qualified voter shall have the right to vote a written or printed ballot, or bellot act, the person so offending shall be partly written and partly printed, guilty of a misdemeanor. bearing the words "For the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating meanor, and upon conviction to be Liquers", or a written or printed

fined or imprisoned, or both in the ballot, or a ballot partly written and partly printed, bearing the day of January, 1908. words "Against the Manufacture

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> tion and serve notice upon them as by provided that the State Board of Elections, in matters affecting the entire State, and the several county poards of elections, in matters affecting their respective counties, shall respectively have full power and authority, and they are hereby diall such acts and things as shall be est of the wage-earning classes. necessary to complete the details for Carolina had the negative. the holding of said election, and to conform the same as nearly as possible to the general laws of the State forth in chapter ninety of the Revisal & Co. Chicago Ill. -Gentlemenof one thousand nine hundred and In 1897 I had a disease of the stomadopted; and if any officer shall willfully neglect or fail to perform any duty, act, matter or thing re not buy, I still use a little occasionper and form in which such duty, act, matter or thing is required to C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, be performed by the terms of this

Sec. 11. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification, In the Gneeral Assembly read of its books. three times, and ratified this the 31

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