"FOUR MONTHS OF PROHIBI TION IN ATLANTA."

ing and important Statements in Regard to the Effects of Prohibition and Enforcement of Law.

The feature of last evening's Showing a decrease during session of the State Sociological Society was a paper read by Recorder Nash Broyles on "Four Months of Prohibition in Atlanta."

This is the first official utterance about the effects of prohibition in the city since the new law went into effect.

The society devoted last evening to the prohibition question, and the matter was thoroughly discussed.

Rev. John E. White, Dr. L. G. Hardman and Hon. A. F. Roddenberry also spoke.

Recoder Broyles' paper, which was listened to with marked attention, was as follows:

Mr. President and Members of the Georgia State Sociological Society, Ladies and Gentlemen: I have been requested by your honored president to address you briefly this evening on the subject, "Four hold of their humble homes. Months of Prohibition in Atlanta," I accepted with pleasure the henor of speaking to such a body of thinking men, and, in the beginning, I promise all here that if "brevity is the soul of wit" my paper tonight shall be exceedingly her at home, there is new light in witty. As you know, the state prohibition law went into effect in her devoted heart, and what on January 1 last and up to May song could it be but that grand Nancy Eller for the second time 1 Atlanta has had exactly four old hymn, "Praise God from whom All Blessings Flow?"—Atmembers of the jury voted to suspolice court is undoubtedly the best place in our city to judge of the results of such a law, and whether or not it is being enforced.

Atlanta has always been noted

for her obedience to law and order. Her arresting officers have often been criticised, and in my humble opinion, unjustly so, for making so many arrests of drunken people upon her streets and highways. These critics say that in many other cities a man can become intoxicated and reel and stagger along the streets, among women and children, without any fear of arrest unless he becomes obstreperous and violent, and, that so it should be in the metropolis and the Gate City of the South. What a spectacle for our women and our children! What an example for our rising generation! Thank God, we have a higher standard in Atlanta! No poor, public official or private citizen, can so disgrace himself and tarnish the fair name of our city without being haled to the justice seat and paying the penalty-and this, not harshly to punish the drunkard himself-for we have only sympathy for his weaknessgreater crimes as he is liable to follows: do in his intoxicated condition, safe and sightly for our women and children.

This has been the policy of our police department when the open saloon was with us, and it has since the saloon left us.

prohibition is enforced as absolutely as any other law on our statues. Some "blind tigers" there are, but they are not running openly, and definitely. Instead they are hidden trembingly will be taken at 75c per year. No premium. in their darkest lairs and creep-

that is the failure to state the ex particular. Come in and see them. state the amount of alcohol al- allowed them.

dren from this evil?

Atlanta? I refer you to the docket of the police court for the first four months of 1907, when the

four months in 1908, when the saloons were absent. I simply give the figures. As Daniel Webster Recorder Nash R. Broyles Makes interest- said of Massachusetts, "There she stands, she speaks for herself," Number of cases tried for the first four months of 1907 6.056

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first four months of 1908 Showing a decrease during cases of drunkenness in four

And yet there are many people who know nothing of the facts, running up and down the state and yelling at the top of their voices that "prohibition does not prohibit."

Yes, these dry, inanimate figures speak to those who listen a wondrous story. They tell of hundreds, yes, of thousands, of to bloom again. They tell of hundreds, yes, of thousands, of little children who no longer pale fathers' footsteps upon the thres gists. They tell of hundreds, yes, of thousands, of long suffering and devoted mothers who no longer sit late into the night waiting and praying for their wandering boy, but now with her boy safe with her patient eyes, and a new song lanta Constitution, May 6.

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drunkenness and other crimes in | SENSIBLE MEN ARE PROHIBITIONISTS.

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wns and rents such propert;, saloons were with us and the first generally? What crowd does the property belong to? I can give a solution to this great problem: just help us vote out this corrupt traffic and these women will seek other quarters; for they can not live where there is not plenty of sin and shame. Let every man that loves his country, his first four months of 1908 3,139 churches, his schools and homes, carry this matter to God in earnest prayer, saying, "Lord how will you have me to vote?" On the 26th day of May, 1908, get up 471 by dayl ght, read James 4-17, "He that knowth to do good and doeth prohibition of - - - - 1,484 it not, to him it is sin," and confidently expect the dawing of the 27th to bring us a great victory over the greatest evil in our be-

JOHN A. SUMMEY, Rockwell, N. C. April 20, 1008.

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Jury in Ellar Case Could Not Agree and It Goes to August Court.

Civil court adjourned Saturday afternoon. There were but two cases tried. The suit to break the will of the late Mrs. members of the jury voted to sus. Our 16.75 quality will be to have it broken. This case will be tried the third time at the Our 22.75 quality will be August term of court.

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2nd. Coupons, bearing date of issue and the number of votes to which the subscriber, or agent, is entilted, will be been even more strictly enforced issued when payment is made. All coupons must be placed on file in this office within fifteen days after being issued, or Our 7½c quality our Voile and Pana-I cannot speak for other cities in key and the standing of all candidates will be published of Apron Ging ma Skirts, of which One-Fourth off on Georgia, but I say emphatically each week during the contest. At the close of the contest, and deliberately that in Atlanta which will take place at 6:00 P. M., Saturday, June 20th, the coupons may be counted and examined by any interested fered at party, or by a committee appointed by the contestants and the editor of the WATCHMAN.

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(c) Supscriptions paid in advance, with voting coupon ing about in abject fear of the and a good 50c pocket knife as a premium, will be taken at

(d) Those who are in arrears, in order to take advantage of all the officials of the criminal of the reduced price, or premium, must first pay up such arcourts of Atlanta, one serions defect in the prohibition law, and particular. Come in and see them

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