

# THE STATE FOR PROHIBITION.

Written for The Courier.

The question of prohibition is not a new one to me, my father gave it a battle as long as he lived. He gave it a fight in any place he found it, in town, country and state. This was 25 years ago when whiskey was a very popular commodity in our State. Very few church members and preachers would attack the question. A great many officers of the church tampered with "booze" and it was good cause to ask removal of the preacher who opposed a "drum." The man who stood square on his feet against whiskey was a back number. The dry man took a back seat and very often showed the white feather. There was very little room in courthouses, opera house or church for prohibition speeches. The Governor was supposed to take punch made of the pure stuff. But things have changed, changed with the preachers, laymen, lawyers, doctors, democrats, republicans, governor and judges. And they are moving things. The State is a net work of a great army, all under one flag and the 26th day of May will find the old North State dry.

Over two hundred men in Richmond county today are on their farms at work, that would be half drunk and doing nothing, but for prohibition. It can be said also, that over fifty thousand dollars is now invested in Richmond county in farms, and cultivation of farms, that would have been invested in the liquor traffic. Over one hundred homes in this county are happier than they have been in ten years. This is part of the results in one small county. Hoffman, the "home of corn liquor" three years ago had a school three months in the year with 18 pupils, and had church once a month, and only three houses were painted. We had five whiskey distilleries and four bar rooms, that handled over a thousand dollars each two days. This town has been dry two years. We have a county high school of 70 pupils, three teachers, church three times a month. Nearly every house in town painted and many new ones.

A two thousand dollar new depot, six stores and everybody at work. This is part of the results in a small town. Who wants whiskey back here? Not even the whiskey men. Who wants to see poor men coming twenty miles with an old ox or mule to get 3 gallons of mean bug juice. Who wishes to see men spend six dollars a week for mean booze, with only six pieces of furniture in their house. The wood was hauled to town and sold for whiskey.

The tar, chickens, eggs and corn were carried here and sold by loads for whiskey. I say who wants it? Now where does the fun come in to men who drink? I have drunk some in my life, I regret to say, and drank fine whiskey. Ask me where the fun came in, and see my chin drop; and see me turn a very pale blue behind the ears. Can I tell you? I can say it was funny that night because I do not remember, and the "next day" well I should not call the next day, for have any of you ever been sick? I say "sick" not ill. Is there any possibility that it will ever slip your memory? Do you one time believe you can ever forget it? No, you won't forget it. There is no law too hard on booze. There is no justice in "booze" no law, no conscience, no soul, no heart, no mercy. Don't let us now fear that we will hurt "licker."

Nor let the South think that it will hurt the Republican party to rid her of "liquor." Don't let any body believe that we Democrats are going to take advantage of them by prohibition. All we want is to annihilate the whole "biz" in our State.

C. G. PEPPER.

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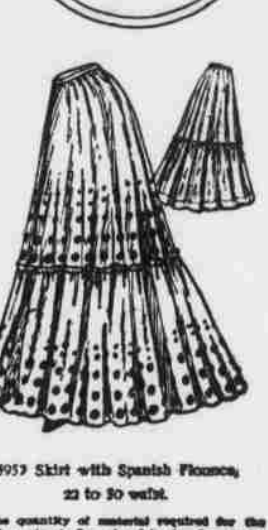
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