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Hickory, N. C.

Gov. Glenn in Hickory.

It is greatly to be regretted that some way could not have been devised by which all who wished to do so could have heard our Governor last Friday night. It was assuredly a thing to regret one's life long to miss that speech. Huffman's Music Hall was packed to suffocation, not a breath of air reached those near the stage and the Governor's first words, as he rose to his feet were "My friends aint it hot?" He carried his audience with him from the beginning to the close of one of the finest temperance talks it has ever been the privilege of Catawba people to hear. Worn out though he was from his long open air speech to two thousand people at Star-town, Gov. Glenn poured out the burning eloquence with which he denounced the curse of strong drink as though fresh from rest. Many things had been said of him, he told his audience, among others that he had been a drinking man. Now though he had never been drunk in his life, he had in former times, taken a little wine for his stomach's sake and his often infirmities, though he was bound to say that, if every man who now boasts of having "taken a drink with Bob Glenn" were telling the truth, he must have been drinking with them in his cradle. Also he answered the sneers of the gentlemen who are so anxious for him to stop in Raleigh, and attend to his business by saying that if ever a Governor of North Carolina were attending to what is, in the strictest sense, the duty of the first magistrate of a commonwealth it is he when leading the fight against that which has been the greatest curse to the State from the time of her settlement.

Turning his attention to the opponents of Prohibition, the Governor with an expression as though he had just swallowed a dose of castor oil, answered the objection that whiskey helps business. If it does, why in the world do railroads, factories, business men everywhere, refuse to employ drinking men? Why, even the whiskey dealers, the saloon keepers, refuse to have men employed who drink. If whiskey helps business, why is it that the money a sober man makes from the sale a bale of cotton goes to the groceryman, the drygoods merchant, the hardware man, the furniture store, while that which the drinking man receives goes only into the drink-ridden stomachs of himself and his fellow sots. The picture drawn of the arrival of the two, each at his own home was pathetic and true to life. The Governor was particularly

good in his reply to the objection so often raised that "Prohibition doesn't prohibit." If this were to hold, what becomes of the Moral Law? It was delivered to Moses at Mt. Sinai, traced by the finger of God himself upon the tables of stone; but, from that day to this, have men obeyed it? Have they not, stolen committed adultery, murdered their brethren? Aye, they, have but is that a reason why we should abrogate the law, should destroy our statute books, should burn our courthouses? Far from it, and yet this is the logical outcome of this fallacy. Much of the success of Prohibition rests with the people themselves, for they can force the officers of the law to do their duty, if they are not doing it. The Governor here related a most amusing incident in regard to his denunciation of a sheriff who was not looking after blind tigers as he should, the warning of his friends as to the drubbing said sheriff would probably give him, his preparations for the attack, the sheriff's visit and ayowal of his remissness, with their full harmony and the telegram later received from the officer—"Caught two." followed next day by a second, "Caught two more" the same being blind tigers.

That Prohibition does prohibit in Maine, notwithstanding assertions to the contrary, the speaker conclusively proved by the experiences of two of the party with him on his visit to that State. He said they were the two very driest men he ever saw by the time they reached Massachusetts. They found everybody so afraid of the officers who enforced the law that neither for money nor begging, begged they never so wisely, could they anywhere in Maine get a drink of liquor, and not only so, but they were reported for trying to do so.

A subject for thought was the per capita difference in the Prohibition State and those still holding out for whiskey, in regard to wealth and particularly as to those owning their own homes. While in Kansas, the per cent of those owning homes is 47 in this State it is only 24. The figures in regard to crime and imprisonment speak for themselves, this it was which, Governor Glenn says, induced him, on taking office to swear that if God would help him he would not only never take another drink of whiskey, either as a beverage or as medicine, but would keep it just as far as he could from others. The old comparison of the whiskey mill, the only mill that does not make something better of the materials which pass through it was brought into the speech, with the awful pictures of the results of that grinding to those who are the victims of its fiery wheels. Also the picture of the terrible serpent, obedient vassal of its master while controlled, his murderer the moment his control of it was gone.

In his peroration the Governor was very fine. Entreating the women of the State to use the great power which is theirs, he told of the prayers put up in home and church that have ruled the ballots of those men for whom wives, mothers, sisters, daughters prayed. With women lies a strength in weakness against which the mightiest assaults of the demon have fallen and shall fall again. Let each man swear that before he casts that ballot on the 26th of next May, he will solemnly appeal to his God to direct his choice and bless him in it. The result is then certain. No man could so mock his Creator as to beg for his blessing upon a vote cast for strong drink.

Gov. Glenn warned the

voters most stngly against thinking that the battle could be won without every effort of theirs being put forth to win. Our adversaries are under no mistake. They know just what they have to do and they are doing it. Furthermore, if they win this battle, they will not stop there. They will look to it that the local option laws now prevailing will be set aside or made of no avail wherever it is possible. Let us watch for our enemies know neither sleep nor rest.

To those who had the privilege of hearing Gov. Glenn, it will ever be a cherished memory. If there was one person in the house who is not the better and the stronger for listening to that flood of eloquence, that person is stragely constituted.

The three National songs sung by a selected choir was greatly enjoyed by all the people.

Letter to J. F. Abernethy. Hickory, N. C.

Dear Sir: A bank messenger lost a small coin. He set his bag down and looked for it. Found it but somebody else had run off with his bag.

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Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.
P. S.—F. B. Ingold sells our paint.

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Gov. Johnson believes he can run faster than Mr. Bryan, but in the preliminary heat, the finish line of which will be at Denver, the Nebraska entry is showing the advantages of twelve years of training.

DEATH WAS ON HIS HEELS

Jesse P. Morris of Skippers, Va., had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was only my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me immediately, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again, I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and lung diseases in all the world." Sold under guarantee at
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Tribute to Hon. Ashley Horne

"Where are the snows on Innisfallen?" Was the query of one heart-sick exile. Such, one day will be the the question asked of many of us. Not many years ere we will look in vain for one of those valiant hearts and true, who bore through shot and shell, through years of starvation, nakedness, heartbreak, "The bonny blue flag, that bore a single star." A little while, and those who loved them shall say:

"The knights are dust
And their good swords are dust
Their souls are with the Lord,
we trust."

It will be a bitter thought, then friends if we must reflect: We might have honored them, we might have helped them bear their burdens of undying regret for the lost youth, the joyous days they gave to that un-forgotten cause in which they always gloried "the cause, though lost, yet just." We might have done this—yet we did not, God forgive us.

It is such a little while they shall be with us, can we not do what we may? And, when one rises up from among them, and asks for the votes of the old North State to put him in her chief magistrate's chair, shall he ask in vain? Look upon him friends. Is he not the type of the Southern soldier? Does his lined face, with its white mustache, its look of quiet waiting, not bear the stamp which was branded upon the face of every man who ever fought for the Land we love? Tis a look as of one who has seen things unspeakable—things before which the souls of cowards, of men of common clay would have shrunk appalled. Who does not know it? And what have we ever done for him or any of our heroes. Upon their breast the hands of their Daughters have pinned a little cross—symbol of valor unparalleled in human history. To the poorest we give a very, very few dollars in pensions, to the physically disabled, a resting-place in our soldier's Home, such as it is, until death relieves their suffering. We can do but little, for we are poor. But at least, you men of Carolina have your ballots, and they will show where your hearts are the day you cast them for Ashley Horne, the old Confederate, the man has won a competence by his own hard labor of hand and brain, who never gambled in futures, nor made a bet in his

life. With him in the executive chair, North Carolina will have the hand of an honest man and a Southern gentleman upon the reins of government.

Brothers of the Camps, sons of veterans, I speak to you. A true Daughter of the Confederacy.

NOTICE!

On Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1908, at the residence of Mrs. Lucy M. Beard in Hickory, N. C., I will sell at public auction the personal property of the late Rev. Major James A. Weston, consisting principally of a large library of theology, law, science, literature, and fiction. Also some personal effects of Rev. Weston. Sale to commence at ten o'clock. This the 4th day of April, 1908.

J. A. ARTHUR,
Administrator.

Knight Templars Easter Service.

Twice a year, Christmas and Easter, the Knights Templars attend in full uniform as a body Divine services. This year the Hickory Knights will worship at the Reformed church on Easter Sunday at three o'clock. The entire public is invited and a large attendance is expected. The subject of the sermon will be, "the Resurrected Body." Special music will be rendered.

A Card.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CATAWBA COUNTY:

At the urgent solicitation of his many friends, Mr. J. U. Long has consented to become a candidate for the office of county treasurer of Catawba county, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention. Mr. Long is an old soldier, a life-long Democrat and a man of highest character and in every way a most available man for this office. Respectfully
J. H. YOUNT.

An Iowa man has been fined \$1 for violating a certain anti-trust law, and the fine was promptly paid. Perhaps we might collect a certain Standard Oil fine by trying Mr. Rockefeller 29,240,000 times and fining him \$1 at every separate trial.

"If the Republican party of the United States is as game as it is in the Southern States, there will be two Republican national convention," says the Knoxville Sentinel. We rather think one jim-crow convention would be more likely.

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