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CONCERNING DUBLIN.

A communication signed by "D. P. Demree chairman of the executive com." coming from the western part of the county was received at this office yesterday. It is as follows:

Resolutions passed by the County Local Option Organization of Dublin, Ind.:

Whereas, The business men and newspapers of Richmond, Ind., were so energetic in persuading the voters of the city of Richmond in the late campaign to vote wet for the selfish purpose we believe of bettering the financial condition of the city at the cost and expense to a great extent, to the balance of the county and without regard to the moral issue involved in the campaign.

And whereas The outside townships east over 1,100 majority dry votes and by so doing met the issue fair and square upon its merits and without thought of collusion of any kind for self gain.

Now therefore be it resolved, That we the dry voters and all others who desire to be fair and meet this greatest of all evils squarely upon its merits, and who will not be a party to or in any way aid and abet the city of Richmond in her greed, do hereby declare that we will withhold our patronage from the saloon and its sympathizers trade with business firms in our county or elsewhere, who are opposed to this great evil.

D. P. DEMREE,

Chairman Executive Com.

The Palladium is in doubt whether to take this seriously or as a striving after notoriety by a few men. The policy of this paper is against free advertising even when it makes the advertiser out as a smaller man than he would like to be thought. The reader will notice that the document is signed by only one name. Query? Does this mean that the Dublin citizens are ashamed to put their names to such a paper? It is to be hoped.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

To the Palladium:

In looking through the columns of one of our local papers a few evenings ago I came upon an article with the following headlines: "Remonstrance in Cambridge; Drys Encouraged by Fact That Jackson Was Not Wet," etc. After reading a few paragraphs of the article I came to the following. "The saloons of Cambridge City have been put into bad repute recently by the fact that New Castle went dry. The suit case brigades from the county seat of Henry county have descended on Cambridge City and have made life miserable for the liquor interests and the town in general. The New Castle aggregation has no respect for law or order and disgraced the town with its rowdy tactics. The one man police force of Cambridge City is not able to enforce the law and an effort will be made to employ additional officers to curb the sporting proclivities of the New Castle visitors."

When I finished reading the above quoted paragraph I confess I was greatly puzzled for during our recent option campaign we were informed through newspaper editorials and otherwise that Henry county was about the wettest place on the map; that they had a blind tiger in every fence corner and a regular river of booze running down every street in New Castle. Now I may exaggerate a little, but really not a great deal. What puzzled me was this. If the conditions prevailed in Henry county that we were asked to believe during the campaign, why was it necessary for such a stampede of the thirsty Henry countyites to go to Cambridge City for their booze? It seems to me that if they were at all patriotic they would have stayed a home and patronized home industries, especially when these industries were so flourishing.

Now another thing that puzzles me is this. We were told in this campaign that it would be a grand thing from a business point of view to retain our saloons so we would attract the patronage of the thirsty ones, who would otherwise go to other bars with their patronage. And now in less than a week after election we find the citizens of Cambridge making a heroic effort to drive away this very patronage. Now the question naturally arises. Are the people of Cambridge foolish in trying to get rid of it, or were we Richmondites bunched when we tried to get it?

In this same paragraph from which I quoted we were told that "the one man police force of Cambridge City is not able to enforce the law, but that additional officers will have to be employed to curb the New Castle sports."

Now, we were told by the newspaper

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LINCOLN DAY AT
HIS BIRTHPLACE
A GLORIOUS ONE

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would require an additional police force to enforce the laws in Richmond.

Now, how does this old thing work anyhow? Increased police force in Cambridge because she stayed wet. Increased police force in Richmond if she voted dry. New Castle swimming in whisky because she did go dry, yet her thirsty citizens chasing to Cambridge after booze, because Cambridge stays wet. As the small boy would say, "I'm all balled up," and will have to let the wise ones answer.

Now one thing more and I'll close. Why is it that the counties that have driven practically all the saloons from their borders by the Moore remonstrance law and therefore have had experience as dry territory for some time were the ones to roll up such tremendous majorities in the option elections. Take Randolph county for instance. Randolph has been dry for over two years excepting a spot in Union City, and Randolph rolled up a majority of nearly 2,500 for the drys. We were told that Winchester was something fierce, that drunkenness was a common thing and that whisky bottles like dead soldiers in the alleys of the city. If the conditions there were so deplorable is it reasonable that the citizens would have voted so overwhelmingly to continue these conditions when they could so easily have ushered in such a "Heavenly era" as we are experiencing in Wayne county by simply voting wet? If the conditions there are really so bad as represented I can account for their folly only in one way, and that is that none of their citizens have ever been in Richmond and observed the angelic conditions here with our 51 law-abiding, well-regulated saloons.

CITIZEN.

Scotland long ago lost its forests. In the time of James the VI it was lamented that the country was almost naked and "many years ago spoiled of all the timber within the same." Within the last hundred years, however, great tracts, notably in Perthshire and Forfarshire that once were bare, have been reclothed with "timber."

Congress has lost its last member that wore boots. He was Representative Charles N. Brum, of Pennsylvania. He resigned his seat on January 4, 1909, because he had been elected judge of the Schuylkill County Court in Pennsylvania.

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The Love in Lincoln's Nature

By President-Elect Taft in Cosmopolitan Magazine

It seems to me as I study the life of Lincoln, that in his development and the position to which he attained there is more inspiration for heroism and usefulness to the country than in the life of any man in history. He had his weaknesses, like others. His education was faulty. But by a certain sort of intellectual discipline, by self education, he clarified his methods of thought and expression so that he was able to meet every problem presented by a solution as simple as it was effective. The responsibility which he had to assume when he came to the presidency was awful to contemplate, and the proverbial sadness of his features it is easy to understand. The criticism and abuse to which he was subjected in the crises of the civil war one is ashamed to review as a matter of history. And yet it is of the utmost value in the encouragement of others that they may not be borne down by the weight of hostile and persistent criticism. Mr. Lincoln's biographer and partner, Judge Herndon, raises a question as to whether love made up a part of Lincoln's nature. He suggests that his consideration and charity resulted rather from his sense of justice. I don't know that such discussion is profitable. Certain it is that we never had in public life a man whose sense of duty was stronger, whose bearing toward those with whom he came in contact whether his friends or political opponents, was characterized by a common sense, of high sense of duty, of power of inexorable logic, and never had in public life a man who of confidence in the goodness of God took upon himself uncomplainingly in working out a righteous result as the woes of the nation and suffered in his soul from the weight of them as our country.

he did, nor in all our history a man who had such a mixture of far sightedness, of understanding of the people, on the back are the opium regulations. The licenses are not allowed to cover their boards when going to buy opium, but must wear them conspicuously so that all may see them. Next year these wooden licenses are to be of an inch thick. On the front of these boards are charters giving the

smoker's name and address, and the quantity allowed him per day, and on the back are the opium regulations. The licenses are not allowed to cover their boards when going to buy opium, but must wear them conspicuously so that all may see them. Next year these wooden licenses are to be of an inch thick. On the front of these boards are charters giving the

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