

FIGHT FOR PROHIBITION IN VIRGINIA NEXT MONTH

Richmond, Va., Aug. 12.—Will Virginia vote "dry" next month, or will the present local option features of the present local government prevail? This is the question paramount in Virginia and the nearby sister states of North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia and Ohio at the present time. In fact, every state in the union has its eyes upon the Virginia fight and the result of the campaign which will end with the election of September 22 will have a strong bearing on the nation-wide prohibition movement.

Workers for prohibition in Virginia are undaunted by the news from Texas that local option won out over the prohibition ballot. The Virginia Anti-Saloon League is waging a war in the strongholds of the liquor interests.

Because of the interest in the question it is predicted that there will be at least 150,000 votes cast at the coming state election. This will be the largest vote cast in this state in a number of campaigns, the total vote cast in the last state election being 135,000.

The question was "put up" to the voters of the state by an act passed by the general assembly last March, which authorized the governor to call an election on the question of prohibiting the manufacture for sale and the sale of intoxicating liquors in Virginia, upon petition of one-fourth of the number of votes cast at the previous November election, each petitioner to be a qualified voter.

These petitions were delivered to the secretary of state on July 13, and contained the signature of 69,336 voters, while belated petitions brought the total signatures up to 71,597. They were all attested to by the clerks of the counties.

Both sides express confidence that they will win in the coming election. Claims made by the "wets" are immediately the subject of counter claims on the part of the "drys," while the "wets" at once declare that claims made by the "drys" are not based on the facts as they exist. One thing is defined in the fight that shows that the people are taking part—the Republicans are working side by side, according to their inclinations. The "drys" are declaring that the petitions reflect generally the consensus of opinion on the subject and declare that the state will give anywhere from 20,000 to 40,000 against liquor. The liquor men with equal emphasis are certain that the state will vote for the retention of liquor by a safe majority. However, the claims may be, there is no question that the chances for the success of the "drys" are regarded with favor by the sportively inclined, and they are offering two to one that when the returns come in the "drys" will be

shown to have prevailed.

The Prohibitionists are making their hardest fights in the districts containing the cities of Alexandria, Petersburg, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth and Richmond, and in each city, rooms on prominent streets have been rented wherein literature is displayed and every phase of the liquor question. The results of the campaign for signers of petitions and the securing of many more names than was required by law, gives the prohibition workers hope that they will sweep the state.

The opponents of state-wide prohibition are not sleeping, however. The liquor interests are active, while business and professional men not affiliated with the liquor interests, who believe that local option is the best for the state, have formed what is known as the Local Self Government League, which is filling the mails with its literature.

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CONNECTICUT AWAILS COLONEL ROOSEVELT

Hartford, Conn., Aug. 13. Arrangements for the visit of Colonel Roosevelt to Hartford tomorrow have been completed. Colonel Roosevelt is to be the chief speaker at a state-wide conference of the Progressives of Connecticut. Large delegations are expected from the principal cities and towns of the state. In addition to Colonel Roosevelt the speakers will include George W. Perkins of New York and Charles Sumner Bird of Massachusetts. Colonel Roosevelt is to speak at the meeting in Parson's Theatre in the evening.

The state conference will adopt a declaration of principles, which in brief will reaffirm the platform of two years ago. As Connecticut has no direct primary law, the Progressives will have to organize the machinery for casting and recording the vote for the party candidates for nomination. A complete state ticket will be put in the field, together with candidates for United States senator representatives in congress and members of the legislature.

George Stallings surely has three crack gunners in Rudolph, Tyler and James. The Braves' great climb is due chiefly to the air-tight pitching of this trio of slabsters.

SPORT OF ALL KINDS

Larry Lajoie is now commanding the French reservists of the Napland division of the American League.

Steve Evans of Brooklyn and Benny Kauff of Indianapolis are still topping the list of Federal league hit-smiths.

Max Carey, of the Pittsburg outfield, is so fast getting down to first that few players even try to double him up.

Rumor has it that Doc Johnston of the Cleveland Naps is to be traded to the St. Louis Browns within a short time.

Rube Bressler the youngster undogged by Connie Mack, is working like a top-notch pitcher with the Athletics.

Eddie Collins of the Athletics and Fritz Marsol, the Yanks infielder, are distancing all rivals for base running honors in the American League.

After a brilliant record of victories at home, the St. Louis Cardinals ran into a string of defeats in the East came very near putting them out of the race.

The Federal league and the American association seems to have the Class in heavy artillery. The Feds boast of 30 players and the A.A. of 25 performers who are hitting for .300 or better.

The tight race in the Federal league is attracting considerable attention. Chicago looked like a sure winner a few weeks ago, but now the Tinkers have to fight hard to keep in the race.

Despite the fact that the Brooklyn Superbas are headed the wrong way in the National league pennant race the team is giving the Giants a run for the club batting honors in the old league.

Champ Osteen, the well known minor league player who performed in the American league once upon a time, has succeeded Douglas Harbinson as manager of the Columbia South Atlantic league team.

Scouts are giving Jack Knight and Harry Wolter the double O and the chances are that the two former Yanks will again be seen in fast company. Knight, with the Cleveland A.A. team, and Wolter, in the Pacific Coast league, have both played brilliant ball this season.

Outfielder George Burns is proving to be the sensation of the season in New York baseball circles. The Giants' gardener is a .300 hitter, a brilliant outfielder and one of the best runners in the major leagues.

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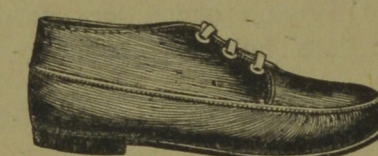
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Then they went away behind a bush to watch what would happen. And presently a clever miller came. He took

out the fibre, the dirt and all of the five skins and threw them away. The rich nutriment of the wheat that remained he milled and called Rainbow Flour.

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