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PRODUCE THE GOODS.

The question has been asked whether the local option laws are enforced in Hayti as they should be, and also a hint at "poker playing." As to the first question, we believe Pemiscot county and the towns within her borders have just as good officers as can be found anywhere, and we believe they are enforcing the law to the very best of their ability. We have confidence in the honor and integrity of Judge H. C. Riley, Prosecuting Attorney J. S. Gossom, Sheriff J. A. Franklin and the constables and the justices of the peace throughout the county. The various county and township officers are chosen from the representative citizenship of Pemiscot county, and we believe they are doing their duty as they see it.

If they are not, then let's have less talk and more facts: let those who are continually making insinuations come across with the goods—produce the evidence.

As to the fling made at Hayti, we state that our city officers are selected from our representative citizens and are all good men and we believe they will enforce the law as they see it. We do not believe that such men as Mayor John T. Backley, Police Judge F. M. Gwin and Aldermen Allen, Foley, Dorris and Kohn would permit any violations of the law if they knew it, and it is wrong to insinuate that they would do so. However, if there is any proof against these men, let's have more facts and less talk.

Now as to the "poker games," we are not very well versed in poker, but City Marshal Lefler can scent a game a long ways, and the man who insinuates to Marshal Lefler's face that he is not performing the duties of his office to the best of his ability had better not let the grass grow under his feet, else confine himself to the columns of his paper, and that at long range.

No, we do not believe the law is violated any more in Pemiscot county than elsewhere, but the markets of the world are open to the people who want to use whiskey and beer, and so far it has been impossible to prevent people from getting it, whether they are five miles or five hundred miles from the source of supply.

But what concerns us and the information we want is what the results of local option have been in Pemiscot county. This paper wants facts instead of fancies, theories or arguments. If asking for facts is wrong, then we beg to be excused.

A reliable newspaper is placed in exactly the same position as a judge or jury. It must lay aside all personal feeling and be guided solely by facts as they appear to exist, and must stand on the side of right and justice. A paper the nature and intent of which is to advocate a certain cause, of course may ignore one side of a question, but then it ceases to be a newspaper, and represents only its own particular class. The Hayti Herald belongs to no class or set. It is a newspaper for all the people, seeking only for the truth and to do the greatest good to the greatest number.

We have exhausted every means at our command to have the city cut weeds and clean up, to no avail. The people certainly do not realize how much more healthy and beautiful our city would be if kept nice and clean. We now leave it up to the city authorities and the people to go on record for this year. What are you going to do?

The Scott County Democrat reminds us of the little fice that runs out and barks at every train, and just simply can't keep out of Pemiscot county affairs. Our question as to the result and effect of local option in Pemiscot county comes in for his usual chase, and he seems alarmed lest some one should attempt to give us the information asked for. We fail to see why we should be deprived of the right to ask for information. Are we to "go it blind?"

As frequently stated, no personalities will be indulged in this paper. We know from long experience what a newspaper should be, and that the general public do not relish anything calculated to laud or condemn individuals. For this reason we request every one to settle all such matters out of print, and we will do likewise.

If you have a relative or friend who used to live here, try the experiment of presenting them with a subscription to the Herald. You can't imagine how much they will appreciate it.

Little Mary Willis of Pine Bluff, Ark., has not been told of the death of her father, as a result of the tragedy at Little Rock, when he was killed by her stepfather, Ellis.

Will Brother Caruthers of the Dunklin Democrat please remember that there is no Hayti Argus. The Hayti Herald is the only newspaper in Hayti.

The Hornet at Sikeston is publishing a daily, but somehow, Guy has a way of "forgetting" the Herald.

An alderman of DeSoto has been arrested for breaking into a car and stealing ten bushels of wheat.

The lease of Geo. Wiles on the Kennett Herald expired last week, and the management will change.

The man who could run a newspaper to suit everybody, went to heaven long ago.

Bloomfield voted on a stock law August 31.

Pernicious Industry.
A dentist had been arrested for running down a man with a motor car. Strange that some people cannot confine their brutal propensities to office hours.—New York American.

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