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## DEFEAT THIS "CONSPIRACY OF SILENCE"

A vociferous, finatical minority, organized, hysterical and threatening,
writes Prof. Stephen Leacock, forced Federal Prohibition on the United States.
"Bull "Bull Prof. Stephen Leacock, forced Federal Prohibition on the United States.
dry. The politician heard the voices the that clamere of the people made the Nation people of placitician heardority, the voices that clamored and overlooked the fact that cion, but so far have kept silent.

In New Brunswick the people have an opportunity to speak out. The plebiscite takes the temperance question out of pulitics. Every voter may say
fearlessly with his ballot if he wants the present regime of scandal and lawbreaking and fortuune-making by boot-legresent to cime of scandal and lawpetites of our work srs are to be supplied through the licensing of wine and
beer shops. New
"An Appalling Disaster" |"Sheer Hypocrisy"

To The Editor of the Times,
Sir:-I should be very glad to
have an opportunity to discuses have an opportunity to discuss ing disaster which has overtaken
the United States of America and eight of the nine provinces of
Canada in the form of prohibition. anada in the form of prohibition.
use the words "appalling disaster" without exaggeration. What has happened is appalling, and it the detriment which it is occasioning already to
and social life.

Let it be noted that the people
of the United States and Canada have never ratified prohibition by fered an opportunity to been of The prohibitionists took care of
bat. The policy was adopted in the United States by a vote of the 48 State Legislatures. This means a total of only a few thousand perons. Under the theory of repre-
entative government these people spoke for the nation. Under the they did nothing of the sort. us, fanatical ed, hysterical and threatening These are the voices that the "po-
litician" hears. To others he is ceaf. Where the people were silent
the politicians would not speak No one wanted to be conspicuous in opposing a movement which
professed to be a campaign of religion and patriotism. Each left
to his neighbor the defence of And the cause went undefended.

The same thing will happen in England unless people of place,
authority, influence, and brains will speak out-fearlessly and em-hatically-their opinions. does not do to say that in Engposed to prohibition. So they
vere in the United States. There no doubt that the vast majority of the decent people, all the gen-
tlemen, if one may dare whisper he word nowadays, were whisp against the movement.. But their opposition now leaves only a vain regret for what they might have one and a new understanding
of the workings of democracy.

Not the least feature of the new regime is the host of police, de
lectives, spies and informers turn ed loose against society.
Observe that in the United States and ogy hes epring a ne terminology has sprung up. The "ale" and "porter," and "whislose his case. He speaks ever who ever wanted any iquor But let him state plainly that in . 0 , that if any man tries crime; that if any man ifies to
make it, or buy it, or sell it, he goes to the penitentiary-an
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 for an amendment to the Federeal
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hibition on the whole country
hardly upholde hardly upholds this contention.
We hold no brief for the liquo
dealers of the United Ste have undoubtedly played into the hands of their opponents by every
kind of chicanery and folly; but
to to asume that a great proportion of the United States are convinc
ed prohibitionists, or that the av erage man who takes a drink o
liquer is not so good a citizen a For the most part, the peoople of the minority Statese which are
have prohibition forced on them, heve a better reputation for the
maintenance of law and orde
than those of the prohibite Stantes.
It is generally admitted that the
Federal Amendment, if it become law, will chiefiy owe its existence
to the decision of the Southern
States States. Now, it is a fact, know
to everyone familiar with Arnert can conditions, that the Southerr
white man who is the enactment of prohibititory laws ine enactment of prohibitory laws,
inot.and never intends so be,
prohibitionist so far as is concerned. What he means by
prohibition, is prohibition for the negro. He himself intends to
keep on drinking liquor just as he keep on drinking liquor just as he
has in the past.
States, where prohibition houthern States, where prohibition has ex
isted for some years, there hay
been been no serious attempt to en
force the law except as it applie to the blacks. In many sections of
the South the people are also op posed to license laws because they
make their own whiskey; and in make their own whiskey; and in
tend to continue doing so until the end of time. $\sim$ In a a lesser der deree
this latter condition is true of those Northerr Statess which have main-
tained prohibition on the statute mooks in years past.
Moreover, in the endeavor to force votes through the various
Legislatures in behalf of a Federal
Amendment the Ant Amendment, the Anti-Saloon Lea
gee has not hesitated to avail it-
eelf of every technicality of the law ever devised to circumvent the
will of the people; and to levy po-
litical blackmail wherever possible. This was the result of de-
finite policy. Some years ago the
supporters of prohibition were urged to go about their work in
the same way as do corporate interests when they want to put
hrough a arafty measure. They
profited by the advice, and the profited by the advice. and the
doctrine that the end justifies the
means has played a strong part in recent decisions. The votrong part in
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of the United States has undoubtedly won a great tactical victory.
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## The Problem of BEER and the Problem of PROHIBITION

Why should the sale of Beer be permitted in this Province? BECAUSE more than 75 per cent. of the adult population wantit. BECAUSE it promotes true temperance.
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Temperance is moderation. Webster defines it as "habitual moderation of the appetites and psssions." As to this we all are agreed.
Total Prohibition, remember, has not been adopted by a vote of the people in New Brunswick, but the actual plebiscite allows the people of this province to decide the BEER and WINE temperance question for themselves.
It is up to you and your friends to say whether or not you want the government to permit the manufacture and sale of clean, wholesome BEER and lighter WINFS in the Province of New Brunswick.

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