By Commissioner Rundle

A proposal to revise
ARTICLE VIII, s. 5, Fla. Const.; providing for
the electors of a county to regulate the
possession, purchase, and sale of firearms;
providing that a county may not prohibit the
possession, purchase, or sale of firearms and
ammunition.

It is proposed by the Florida Constitution Revision Commission
that:

Section 1. Section 5 of Article VIII of the Florida
Constitution is revised by amending that section to read:

ARTICLE VIII
LOCAL GOVERNMENT

SECTION 5. Local option.--
(a) Local option on the legality or prohibition of the
sale of intoxicating liquors, wines or beers shall be
preserved to each county. The status of a county with respect
thereto shall be changed only by vote of the electors in a
special election called upon the petition of twenty-five per
cent of the electors of the county, and not sooner than two
years after an earlier election on the same question. Where
legal, the sale of intoxicating liquors, wines and beers shall
be regulated by law.

(b) Local option to regulate the possession, purchase,
and sale of firearms and ammunition shall be preserved to each
county, but a county may not absolutely prohibit the
possession, purchase, or sale of firearms and ammunition.

CODING: Words struck are deletions; words underlined are additions.