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THE LOCAL OPTION VOTING.

The advocates of local option have good reason to be satisfied with the results of the voting, says the Toronto Star. It was not a sweeping victory; there were reverses in some places, and in others the three-fifths clause operated against the friends of local prohibition.

While the three-fifths majority clause seems to operate unfairly against the local optionists, in other respects they have the advantage on their side. They are away working along lines of least resistance. On the day after the polling the friends of local option can scan the results and select their fighting ground for the year.

In the old days the controversy was conducted in a haze of sentiment and illusion. It was popularly supposed that beer was a food as well as a drink, that rum and wine and whiskey were sources of physical strength and mental inspiration.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The North Ontario Liberal convention will be held at Beaverton on Friday, Jan. 17th.

Kingston Whig: If the election act is to be amended at all it should be made so drastic that the pot-boose politician will go out of business as a matter of choice.

The temperance members of the Toronto City Council are taking the initiative in the matter of the reduction of liquor licenses issued in the city, and will move to have sixty-three cut off.

Ottawa Times: The three-fifths section of the liquor license act must be repealed before many towns can carry local option. It is too great a handicap in towns and cities.

Peterborough Examiner: When Hon. Mr. Fielding introduced his first tariff bill, Sir Charles Dupper (then the political oracle of the Conservative party) foretold complete disaster, the ruin of all manufacturing industries, and a general commercial collapse.

Two more Dominion by-elections take place on Wednesday next, Jan. 15th—one in Stanstead, Que., and the other in South Huron. Stanstead has been a Tory riding for years, but the prospects are that it will remain with its new found friends, the Liberals.

“Why Not Sanctify The Liquor Seller?”

“Nemo” Replies to “Stroller’s” Criticisms and Makes Several Telling Hits—Carnegie More Helpful to Society Than John D. Rockefeller.

“Nemo is evidently not in accord with our Maker; Nemo and his Socialist friends think that it can be worked from the outside. We don’t think that is all the difference between us—merely a question of method.” So says Stroller when (writing of present social economic conditions) I would draw Stroller’s attention to the fact that this plan of his is no method at all, but simply a motive, and it matters not how pure the motive or how good the individual, with out a method nothing can be accomplished.

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It that they are consigned to a place where the price of coal will not be a burning question with them. And can there be anything said in favor of our own immediate part of the earth, where similar economic conditions prevail to a greater or less extent? Stroller, although doing his level best to uphold and apologize for, practically condemns the whole system when he says: “Nemo asked why were we not demanding ‘from the party in power the carrying out of the planks we advocate,’ and Stroller exclaims, ‘what in the world have we been doing these ‘many moons’? We know that we ‘have Sir Wilfrid’s ear, but he is only ‘one of two hundred and ten.’”

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COMMUNICATIONS

“STROLLER’S” WISDOM.

(To the Editor of The Post.) Sir,—Inasmuch as “Stroller” hath taken in hand to set forth, in your issue of Dec. 31st, a declaration of objections to Socialism, which most surely are not believed by many amongst us, even as he delivered them unto us which from the beginning were eye-witnesses and ministers of Socialism, it seemeth good to me also, having had some experience in the world, to write, in order, most excellent Post, that thou mightest know the certainty of those things where-in thou hast been instructed.

Our friend starts out with the declaration that there is some pretty hot stuff in the shape of newspapers coming to Canada from the other side, and scattered around Lindsay. Quite true, when people are oppressed they will endeavor to throw off the yoke of the oppressor—that is human nature, and eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. We can dispense with the arguments that he has drawn from the fact that a nation that people getting tired of the continuous mental strain.

Then he goes on to say that he has discovered that the Socialists have strange ideas of bribery the very fact that people offer bribes shows that the system is wrong, and it has become so common that few public men are independent. The briber and the bribed are about as honorable as a thief, and the one that receives the goods knowing them to be stolen when he receives them.

come so common that few public men are independent. The briber and the bribed are about as honorable as a thief, and the one that receives the goods knowing them to be stolen when he receives them. What Socialists object to is that under our system that cheating and bribery should be possible, and it will flourish as long as the profit-making system lasts.

In several of his letters “Stroller” has dwelt on the idea that Socialists are inconsistent when talking of Socialism and Christianity; very frequently he has said, “when it suits them they will quote the sayings of Christ by the yard, but it is questionable if they believe a word of it.” By what process of reasoning has he arrived at such a remarkable conclusion? As usual he leaves his readers in the dark! Socialists point to good men and great teachers in all ages who have striven to elevate mankind and make the world better by their teachings, and are willing to put their teachings into practical use when the aim and object of such teachings are to lift the downtrodden and oppressed and place every person in the enjoyment of their full rights.

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THREE MONTHS OF COLD WEATHER YET.

We are well aware of the fact that although the winter is not half over you expect us to give you a pretty close price on an

OVERCOAT OR SUIT.

If you knew how close a price we are prepared to quote you, you would drop in to-day and pick up what others scream about as “bargains.” We don’t like the word “bargains.” They are generally more fakes than bargains.

Good goods at an extremely low price are the only bargains we have to offer, and another thing it’s nobody’s business how little we charge you for an Overcoat or Suit, that’s a business transaction between you and us.

Even the best clothing we have in stock

20th Century and Progress Brand Garments,

will be sold you at prices that will surprise you. If you buy now, this Suit or Overcoat will be practically new for next year.

M. J. CARTER, - LINDSAY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Benjamin John Daek, late of the Township of Carden, in the County of Victoria, Farmer, Deceased. Notice is hereby given pursuant to S. O. 1897, Chap. 129, Sec. 38, that all creditors and persons having claims against the estate of the said Benjamin John Daek, who died on or about the seventeenth day of February, 1906, are requested on or before the

MISCELLANEOUS.

FARM FOR SALE—Being composed of the north half of lots 23 and 24, con. 7, Mariposa, known as the Minthorn home-estate. There is about 100 acres under cultivation, good buildings and orchard. Fall plowing all done, 10 acres Fall Wheat, 8 acres Alsike and 8 acres Red Clover sown. Possession given at once. For full particulars apply on the premises or to G. H. HOPKINS, Lindsay.—wtf

MISCELLANEOUS.

STRAYED onto Lot 15, 2nd Con. of Ops. on or about 20th Decem. bet. one York shire cow. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and remove the animal. JOHN JOHNSTON, West Ops.—w3.

FARM FOR SALE—100 acres, East of Lot 22, Con. 14, Township of Brook, with stables, small orchard, new driving shed, never-failing spring, well, fenced and divided, convenient to school; about two miles from the thriving village of Cannington, where there is a good grain and stock market; soil a clay loam. For further particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agt., Lindsay.—wtf

FARM FOR SALE—100 acres all cleared, 80 acres first-class tillable land, balance pasture. Good House, 2 frame barns with stone stabling; Pig Pen, 36x20, Sheep Pen, 14x36; open shed 24 feet, all on stone foundation; Driving Shed, 24x42, with work shop above. Windmill water in stables with taps. Three miles from the Corporation of Lindsay. Terms easy. Desirable farm, good situation. Apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

100 ACRE FARM FOR SALE—Lot 6, Con. 116, acres, adjoining the Village of Palestine, the property of John Thayer, 80 acres cleared, balance pasture and brush, frame house and frame barn, plenty of water, small orchard, church and school within a few rods of farm. Will be sold cheap and terms easy. For further particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

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FARM FOR SALE—In Mariposa, 100 acres, 75 cleared, 70 tillable, 15 acres pasture, balance second growth mixed wood. Frame and log barn with stabling; good frame house; small orchard; well fenced and watered by two good wells. One mile from school and church, three miles from Little Britain, five from Mariposa Station. Easy terms of payment, with interest at 4 per cent. For further particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

100 ACRE FARM FOR SALE.

100 ACRE FARM FOR SALE—Lot 15, Con. 5, Fenelon, property of Ernest Strickland, 70 acres cleared, balance 5 acres Hardwood and 25 acres Cedar and Tamarack swamp. Clear land all tillable; soil a clay loam. Ten frame barns, one 52 x 72, with stone stabling; log house, well finished inside. Well fenced, good well, bearing orchard. Nine miles from Lindsay. For terms and particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

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FARM FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—100 acres, west of Lot 4, Con. 2, Eldon, all cleared, 90 acres under cultivation, balance pasture land; a large portion under grass, 14 acres barn and stone stabling, with other out-buildings. A never-failing well; 11-2 person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE.

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE—Lot 11, Con. 1, Mariposa, the property of William F. Rogers; 150 acres under cultivation, eight acres hardwood bush, cedar and black ash swamp, balance pasture. For further particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

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Farm for Sale.

North Half of Lot 3, Concession 10, Emily, containing 100 acres principally cleared and in a high state of cultivation with fair buildings. This farm is situated on the leading road about six miles from Lindsay. For further particulars apply to WM. O’NEILL, Lindsay, Ont.—wtf

FARM FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—About 200 acres in the County, being composed of Lot 3, Concession 3, Fenelon, the property of W. W. Routley. A good frame house with stone wall and stabling; other out-buildings and young orchard. On the east 50 acres there is a brick house and stable, one and one-half miles from school and near the thriving village of Cannington, five miles from Lindsay. Want to sell at once. For further particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

Hints for Beauty Seekers.

(Chicago Journal) Nothing is more attractive than polished finger nails. A grindstone may be used for this purpose. For an oily skin consult the Standard Oil Co. Hair on the arms may be removed with a lawn mower. If this does not prove successful try a seythe. Sleep is the great beautifier. To get the best results it should be indulged in between meals.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the North Victoria Agricultural Society will be held in CAVANA’S HALL, Victoria Road, on Wednesday, the Twenty-second Day of January, 1908.

FARM FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—20 acre farm for sale in the Township of Mariposa. A two-story well brick house, metallic shingles and cement cellar. Barn, 60 x 105, with metallic shingles and cement floor, in stable under barn; driving shed, sheep house, hog pen and 155 acres plough land, balance pasture with a never failing spring creek running through it; soil a clay loam, situated five miles from Stouffville and 3 miles from Markham village on G. T. R., and 2 1/2 miles from Louest Hill on the C. P. R.; cemetery at Louest Hill, church, post office and school 1 1/2 miles from farm. Considered one of the best grain and stock farms in the County. For particulars apply to ELIAS BOWES, Real Estate Agent, Lindsay.—wtf

New Large Steamer.

The Northern Navigation Co., which has declared an 8 per cent. dividend on capital stock of \$840,000, has made a new 10-year contract with the Grand Trunk and the Grand Trunk Pacific, to handle the lake business of those lines. For the increased traffic the company will build a 5,000-ton vessel, which will be the largest passenger ship on the upper lakes. The vessel will be built at Collingwood, and the company’s officials state that she will be the fastest, as well as the largest vessel in the north. The possession of the new vessel, with the arrangement which the company has effected with its railroad connections, should insure a steady increase in profits for years.

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Close Quarters.

Smith—Do you like living in a flat? Jones—Not much—sneezed in the bath tub last Sunday and the kitchen fell through the parlor window.

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