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Nobody ever heard of "stock food" curing the ills, making hens lay in winter, increasing the yield of milk five pounds per cow a day, or restoring run-down animals to plumpness and vigor.

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Royal Purple

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W. C. T. U. COLUMN

LOCAL OPTION FOR MARKDALE.

The Following Testimony from Towns that Have Tried Local Option Speaks For Itself.

Mayor's Office, Midland, Oct. 15.

Dear Sir:—As to the value of our Local Option By-Law in Midland. The measure was adopted by us some three years ago on the best of recommendations, and after being closely interwoven with every phase of Midland's best interests ever since, we are satisfied that these references have been fully sustained in every particular; its benefits are simply inestimable to all classes; public sentiment is stronger here to-day in favor of Local Option than when we carried it by sixty-seven per cent. Notwithstanding the fact that this is the third year that liquor license fees have not formed a part of our revenue, and that we are paying annual instalments to amount of about \$5,000 on a park, new school and cement sidewalks, costing in the aggregate some \$70,000 on which we paid nothing during last license year, our rate of taxation is no higher to-day than it was then.

The question may be asked from what source do we get revenue to pay for these additional advantages? Simply by our enormous increase in assessment largely due to a heavy advance in building operations; our citizens now invest more money in this way.

I have no hesitation in assuring you that should your town or any other municipality desire to be guided by Midland's experience, no mistake would be made in adopting the measure; on the other hand you will be so gratified with it that you will not, under any consideration, return to license system with its consequent evils.

The unsuccessful result of efforts by liquor interests in other communities to repeal Local Option by-laws during the past two years is, in my opinion, amply sufficient to justify this statement.

In the best interests of your citizens, I sincerely wish you success.

Yours truly, E. Letherby, Mayor.

Orillia, Oct. 28, 1909.

Dear Sir—In reply to your inquiry, I may say for the police force of the town of Orillia, that we think the passing of the Local Option by-law was one of the best things that ever happened in the place. Only a policeman who is on the street almost continually, can really appreciate the difference in the town since the hotel licenses were abolished. Under license we were compelled to be on the alert all the time; the day man would be called out of bed almost every week to help quell some drunken disturbance, and the night man would be treated the same while trying to get some sleep during the day. Now we seldom have a call, each man being able to take his turn on the street without calling out the reserves. Occasionally we do have to turn out when some overloaded drunk strays in from Atherley, but even they are beginning to learn than \$10 and costs is no joke, and keep pretty well to their own side of the lake. Were it not for this Atherley license (three miles away) we would have a thoroughly sober town.

As it is, the work of the police is now not half as strenuous as it was under license, and we have a town where a lady can walk on the street any hour of the day, and be sure that she will not be jostled or insulted by a drunken man.

Yours truly,
J. R. Reid, Chief of Police.

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HER COUNTRY.

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HER DEATH WAS HOURLY EXPECTED

Enterprise, Ont., Oct. 1st, 1908.

"For seven years I suffered with what physicians called a 'Water Tumor.' I could neither sit, stand, nor lie down. Hypodermics of morphia had to be given me to ease the pain.



MRS. JAMES FENWICK

My cure seemed hopeless, and my friends hourly expected my death. I was so bad that I wanted to die, and it was during one of these very bad spells that a family friend brought a box of "Fruit-a-tives" to the house. After much persuasion I commenced to take them, but I was so bad that it was only when I had taken nearly two boxes that I commenced to experience relief. I kept up the treatment, however, and after taking five boxes I was cured, and when I appeared on the street my friends said, "The dead has come to life," and this seemed literally true, because I certainly was at death's door."

(Signed) MRS. JAMES FENWICK.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box—6 for \$2.50, or trial box, 25c, or sent post-paid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

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The Minto (Man.) Packet, (W. Guy Pickell, editor) says: To those who have no idea of the amount of business done in a rural newspaper office, the statement that in one day last week we handled something like ten thousand dollars and thirty cents, may come as a surprise. It's only fair to say, however, that we don't handle that much every day. Far be it from so. The wad of ten thousand dollars is a part of the boodle that the Union Bank is distributing among the farmers, and just at this season of the year there is such a number of new notes issued that the signing of them is partly shifted to the local managers. They come in strips of four, and a much easier and truer way of cutting them into single bills is to have them under the blade of our paper cutter. That's how we come to handle such small change. The balance of thirty cents—well, we took that in on subscriptions.

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Markdale Roller Mills.

Chopping will be done at the Flour Mill until further notice, as Mr. Baird is using the power at Victor Mill, cutting out his stock of shingles.

J. W. FORD.

'Cream of the West' Flour

Old Bill Stumps, who used to run the bake-shop in our town told me that

was the strongest doggone Manitoba flour he ever baked. It was Bill that first called me the Flour Wizard, and even up to the time of his death he was kind of suspicious that I put something in the flour to make it so powerful strong.

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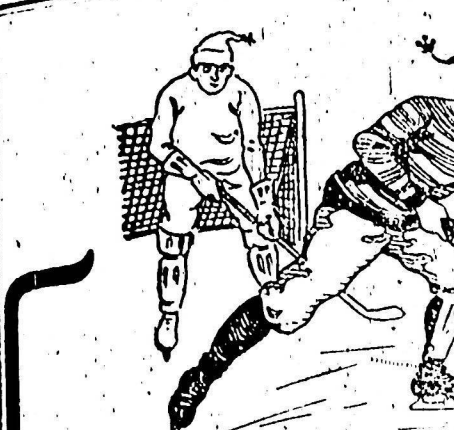
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