

LOCAL OPTION ON TRIAL.

In view of the fact that County Police Magistrate Hunt of Elgin recently charged the citizens and the law officers with "moral cowardice" the License Branch of the Ontario Government has drawn the attention of editors to the statement, relative to getting their views on licensed and unlicensed houses.

Magistrate Hunt openly charged that the former "licensed hotels" were now nothing short of "unlicensed houses kept for immoral purposes." The magistrate also charged that "temperance men" often became excited when a vote on local option is being taken, but that they lack courage when it is necessary to convict offenders for selling liquor illegally.

While we admit that there is a great deal of truth in the last statement we cannot but sympathize with the temperance people who are condemned for not enforcing the law. In many cases they hold back not so much on account of "cowardice," but because when it comes to the test they dislike to expose their neighbors, and possibly send the hotel-keeper to jail. It is not necessary to go to Elgin County to learn that illegal liquor selling is practised, but only those who wish to condemn local option will say that houses of immorality are the result of carrying local option in a municipality.

The whole question is a difficult one, and may be viewed from many standpoints. If temperance people who carry local option would furnish reliable men to take the places of the men who formerly sold intoxicating liquors the question would be solved. But it is too much to expect that men who have their licenses taken away will conduct temperance houses properly, and endeavor to show that they will pay.

The temperance people, however, and all good citizens, should endeavor in every legitimate way to see that the laws of the land are respected. But the duty of the Government is plain. The challenge given by Magistrate Hunt cannot be ignored. The Government and the Attorney General's department must undertake the enforcement of the prohibitory laws.

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND

Mr. T. P. O'Connor, member of the British House of Commons, was given a reception in Massey Hall, Toronto, on Saturday evening. The guest of the evening was greeted by an immense audience as he delivered his message of hope as to Ireland's future. The speaker was earnest and forceful as he expressed his belief that the day is not far distant when Ireland so long ruled by landlordism will have all the rights that have been accorded to Canada and Australia. Mr. O'Connor made it clear that the people of Ireland desired "One Crown and one Empire," but that they would never be satisfied with only one Parliament for England, Ireland and Scotland. The speaker of the evening stated that the Campbell Bannerman Government were in sympathy with the question of Home rule, and expressed a hope that the long standing difficulty would soon reach a happy settlement.

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News Notes.

Daniel Edwards, an old man and very deaf, was killed while crossing the C. P. R. track at Markham last Thursday.

Snow did an immense amount of damage to the orchards in western and southern Ontario. At Strathroy on the 10th of October the fall was sixteen inches.

In Rosedale on Saturday the Tecumseh lacrosse team was defeated by the Capitals of Ottawa by 4-1 in a home-and-home game for the championship and the Minto Cup. The final will be played at Ottawa next Saturday.

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MONDAY, October 22—Auction Sale of household effects, opposite Post Office, Thornhill, the property of Mr. W. R. Holton. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms, cash. Saigeon & McEwen, Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 24—Auction sale of household furniture, etc., at Richmond Hill, the property of Miss M. Coulter. No reserve. Sale at one. Terms, cash. Saigeon & McEwen, auctioneers.


SATURDAY, Oct. 27—Auction sale of valuable farm property in the Township of York, on west half of lot 21, 2nd con. East York, the property of the estate of the late David Harding. For terms apply to T. C. Street, Newton Brook, or Jackes & Jackes, 28 Toronto St., Toronto. Sale at 3 p. m. J. H. Prentice, auctioneer.

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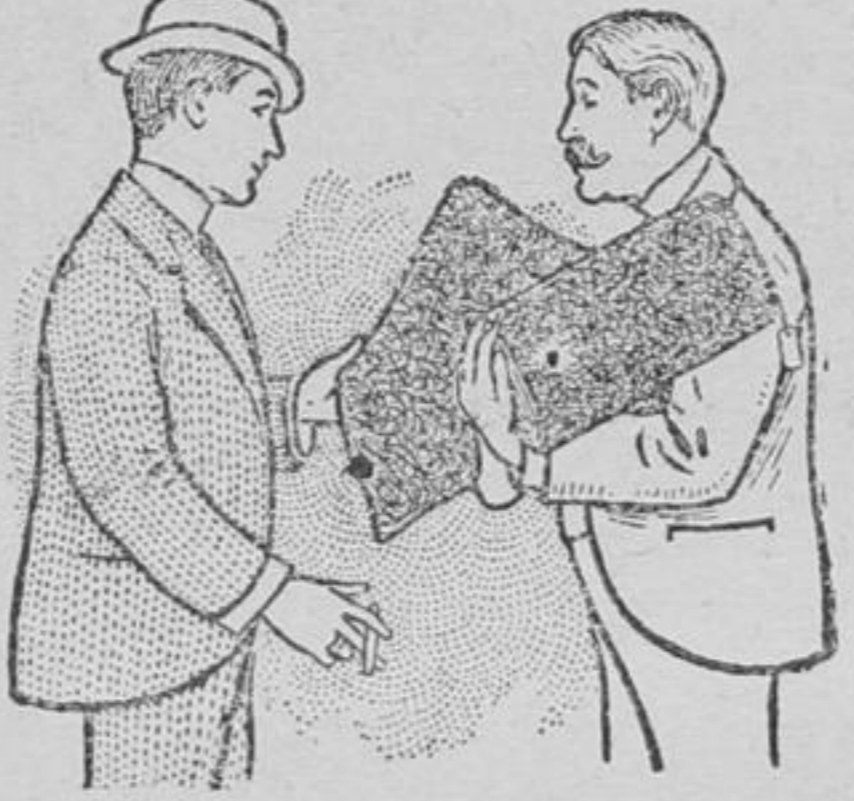
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