

OWEN SOUND STILL DRY.

Last January the town of Owen Sound carried a by-law in favor of local option by a vote of 1,238 to 762. For alleged irregularities in taking the vote the by-law was afterwards quashed by Judge Mabee. Temperance people appealed against the decision, and last week the Divisional Court decided in favor of the appeal. The court in giving judgment said that there was nothing to show or even to suggest any intentional violation of the directions of the act, nor any reason for believing that any disregard of the statutory formalities called for by the act affected the result. There was no evidence to show that a single elector was prevented from recording his vote, or that the return was not made in strict accordance with the voting. All the objections were overruled, and local option remains in force.

AFTER THREE YEARS.

The Leader and Recorder appears to be well satisfied with Local Option in Toronto Junction. In a recent edition discussing the subject that paper editorially said:—"One fact is indisputable. Store property has greatly increased in value and a number of new stores will affect the business of some older merchants but if so it is foolish of them to attribute it to Local Option. It is a good many years since stores have been built in Toronto Junction up to the year 1905. The very fact that a lot of new stores have been built in the past two years is about the best argument in favor of local option so far as it affects business that could be produced. Will anyone get up and tell us how business will be benefited by the opening of five or six saloons taking in five or six hundred dollars a day over the bar, mostly out of the wages of working men? We are glad to note the attitude of our contemporary the Tribune which declares in no uncertain way where it stands on this question. The majority will be bigger than it was before or we are very much mistaken. Local Option has been in force nearly three years and the town is still here. Property is selling on the main street at \$250 a foot and not for a saloon either but for a bank."

BEWARE OF FIREBRANDS.

Probably no man in the Dominion Parliament has been more criticized by The World during the past five years than Mr. Bourassa, the member for Labelle, Quebec. Scores of times The World has referred to him as disloyal and an enemy to British institutions. To day the world holds Mr. Bourassa up as "clean-handed and progressive," and a man to be preferred before Sir Wilfrid Laurier. And why is The World now taking in its arms the member for Labelle? Simply because the latter is not pulling with the Canadian Premier and his Government. The World of Monday says "The Conservatives are in opposition, and it is their business by any honorable means available to oust the Laurier Government."

We admit that as a politician Mr. Bourassa's record has been clean, but this province knows, and The World ought to know, that he is tainted with racial prejudice which needs no encouragement in this country. No doubt Mr. Bourassa is honest in his outspoken expressions, but bigoted French Nationalism in Quebec should be denounced as strongly as bigoted Orangeism in Ontario. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, a Frenchman and a Roman Catholic, has always taken a stand against extreme

sectionalism and prejudice, and probably the present generation will never fully appreciate the good work he has done in drawing more closely together the citizens of Ontario and Quebec. The residents of the two provinces, separated by the Ottawa River, are also divided in religious forms, but if they are wise they will make due allowance for the passions and prejudices of their fellow countrymen, and make every reasonable effort to live side by side in peace and goodwill.

Mr. Tolmie, Liberal, was elected M.P. for North Bruce on Tuesday, by a majority of nearly 450. The by-election was held to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Bland the late Conservative member. Among the speakers during the campaign were Hon. A. B. Aylesworth for the Liberal, and Mr. W. F. Maclean for the Conservative.

"Sir Wilfred Laurier has received some hard knocks from English editors for appearing at T. P. O'Connor's meeting at Ottawa and speaking in favor of Home Rule for Ireland. Most Canadians believe that Ireland should have a provincial legislature, and will not be, and cannot be, happy without it; most of us feel that there would be no danger, but a gradually increasing benefit in giving Ireland home rule in home affairs. Out here we have some experience in these matters. No stir has been made in this country, therefore, by Sir Wilfred Laurier's remark on the Irish question, for he has merely said what he has said before, and what rival political leaders vie with each other in saying on this subject. And yet, it would be as well, perhaps, if the Premier of Canada kept clear of such a question, and can see no reason why the Premier of Canada should butt into it."

The above paragraph appeared on the editorial page of last week's Toronto Saturday Night. Away with such milk-and-water advice to our broad-minded premier. Sir Wilfred would not be true to his own conscience nor to the Canadian people if he would withhold from Ireland what we, ourselves, enjoy. Sir Wilfred is accustomed to so-called "hard knocks," often given below the belt. And no free man should be asked to refrain from expressing an honest opinion even if it should "give offense to that influential section of the British public opposed to Home Rule."

News Notes.

An official of Copp, Clark & Co. testified before the Text Book commission that \$30,000 had been paid by that firm to Thomas Nelson & Sons of Glasgow for the privilege of succeeding that firm as contractors for the Ontario public school readers.

A strike occurred at the Heintzman Piano Works, Toronto Junction, last week. Of 180 men only 60 went to work on Friday. A large number of special constables were sworn in to quell any riot that might take place.

J. D. Reeves died at his home, 360 King Street East, Toronto, on Saturday, 27th October, aged 62 years. Interment in the Aurora cemetery on Monday. Deceased was a veteran of 1866.

Benjamin Willmot, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Niemeler, in Toronto Junction, suddenly, Sunday night, in his 81st year. The family formerly owned and lived on the farm now owned and occupied by W. D. Clubine, Elgin Mills.

JEFFERSON

Master John Stock, 10 years of age, who lives with his uncle, Mr. Hugh Campbell, was thrown from a horse and trampled upon last Thursday, and received a compound fracture of his leg below the knee. Dr. Boyd of Richmond Hill reduced the fracture, and although the boy was severely hurt it is hoped that good care will bring him around again.

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The "Dutch Supper" and musical entertainment given last evening in the Temperance Hall in aid of the Willing Workers' Mission Band of the Presbyterian church, was successful and enjoyable. The hall was appropriately decorated for hallowe'en, the pumpkin lanterns giving the place a weird though inviting appearance. Booths along each side containing choice sweetmeats and other delicacies were fantastically and artistically arranged, and the pretty "Dutch Girls," neatly costumed, found a ready sale for their tempting dainties. Later in the evening the following interesting musical programme was rendered, Mr. Arthur Boyle acting as chairman:—

- Solo, Miss Switzer.
- Solo, Miss Lilia Hill.
- Solo, Miss Marsh.
- Piano Solo, Mr. Reaman.
- Solo, Miss Mortson.
- Solo, Mr. Hume.
- Solo, Miss Switzer.
- Piano Solo, Mr. Newton.
- Solo, Miss Mortson.
- Solo, Mr. Hume.

WHAT'S IN McCLURE'S

The November McClure's is a striking number and will be remembered long beyond the usual term of magazine literature. The leading article is a brilliant challenge to the advocates of Spelling Reform, coming from no less an authority than Professor Hugo Munsterberg, Harvard's noted psychologist. In a manner sometimes satirical and again full of impressive gravity, he delivers some of the most crushing blows the Spelling Reform movement has had to meet. Burton Hendrick concludes "The Story of Life-Insurance," summing up in a few concise and significant pages the conditions which he has brought before the attention of the American public. "The Hanging of Mary Dyer," by Basil King, remarkable romance dealing with the Quaker persecution in America, is one of McClure's most original departures in fiction. There are many other able articles on important subjects, and the November number is a particularly strong art number, containing full-page color illustrations by Howard Pyle, Alice Barber Stephens, and Jessie Willcox Smith. The cover design is a striking decorative drawing by N. C. Wyeth.

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For Sale or Rent

House and lot, immediately south of High School, Richmond Hill. For information apply to JAMES NEWTON, 15-t f. Elgin Mills.

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Executors Notice to Creditors

OF EDWARD GALLANOUGH late of the village of Thornhill, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O. 1897 and amending acts, that all creditors having claims against the estate of the said Edward Gallanough who died on or about the 30th day of August 1906, are required to send or deliver to the undersigned at his office 59 Yonge Street, Toronto, on or before the 25th day of November, 1906, their names addresses and descriptions and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them: And further, that after the said 25th day of November, 1906, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice

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Sale Register

THURSDAY, Nov. 1—Auction sale of fresh milk cows, springers, stockers, sheep and horses, at Harper's Hotel, Victoria Square, the property of H. H. Hopper and W. Harper. Sale at 2 o'clock. Terms, three months. Saigeon & McEwen, Auctioneers.

FRIDAY, Nov. 2—Credit sale of cows, at lot 17, con. 4, West York, the property of Arthur Barnard. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms, 11 months. Saigeon & McEwen, Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, Nov. 3—Auction sale of horse, cow, pigs, wagon, harness, implements and household furniture, on lot 43, 1st con. Vaughan, Mill Road, 1 mile south of Richmond Hill, the property of Ed. Birch. No reserve. Sale at 2 o'clock. Terms, cash. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 7—Auction sale of fresh milk cows, etc., at the Palmer House. Also horse, buggies, cattle, harness, implements, etc., belonging to the estate of the late H. F. Hopper. Sale at 2 o'clock. Terms, 3 months. Saigeon & McEwen, Auctioneers.

FRIDAY, Nov. 9—Cash sale of horse, harness, implements, Furniture, etc., on east end of 8th lot, 1st con., (1 1/2 miles east of York Mills), the property of Robert Innes. Sale at 1 o'clock. No reserve. J. H. Prentice, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, Nov. 20—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., at lot 7, con. 4, Vaughan, the property of William H. Winger. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms, 11 months. J. H. Prentice, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 28—Auction sale of farms stock, implements, etc., on lot 31, rear 3rd con., Markham, the property of Arthur Ground. Sale at 11 o'clock. No reserve. Terms, 11 months. J. H. Prentice, auct.

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