On the Question of Liquor License Reduction.

Civic Finance Committee Holds That There is Not Enough Hotel Accomodation in Kingston.

Opposition To Reduction.

to be referred to the people? What is

interest in the vote as those in favor

He didn't believe the Social and

with the situation. They don't visit the hotels. According to law the

hotel had to come up to a high stan-

dard before it got a license. As to

The speaker didn't believe there was

pensive class of hotels. There was

more charity in hotelmen, Mr. McPar-

land said, than in many of those who

made great pretensions. He declared

that it was better to have sufficient

A compromise had been suggested

prepared to meet the Social and Mor

length. The local cigar manufacturers

In reply, Mr. Davis said that the

met by the addition of fifteen cents for

each \$1,000 assessment. He wished to

say that he had the highest respect

for hotelmen who carried on business

in a lawful manner, and wished to be

Referendum The Practice.

G. M. Macdonnell, K.C., in closing

the discussion for the Social and Mor

ferendum was the practice on the

large petitions before the finance com-

the people decide, Mr. Macdonnell

ston," continued Mr. Macdonnell.

"that are not keeping hotel and yet

these eight places to be named, I un-

we'll prove it. Men here know it. Newman & Shaw's "special."

had discussed the question.

complimented Mr. McParland upon the

al Reform League, declared that

loss of revenue to the city would

smaller hotels.

icensed places than insufficient.

not refer it to the people.

J. S. McParland spoke on behalf of

The finance committee will recom- the people on this matter? . How mend to the city council on Monday about the other large petition against evening that no action be taken on reduction?" the petitions for a reduction of li- Mr. Davis-"We presented, some time quor licenses, on the ground that the ago, a petition with a very large sighotel accommodation of the city would nature, and it only covered a part of not stand for reduction at the present the city."

deputations from both sides had ad- every thousand population?" vanced their arguments. The Social Mr. Davis-"That's a fair basis for and Moral Reform League asked that a city of this size." a referendum on the question of reduction be submitted to the people. The Licensed Victuallers Association and the cigar manufacturers opposed the Licensen Victuallers' Association. submitting the question to the peo- He declared that it was the duty of ple, on the ground that the council the Social and Moral Reform League was better qualified to deal with such to give reasons for reducing the numa matter, that reduction of licenses ber of hotels. Its speakers had taken would not reduce drinking, that the the ground that the matter should be city would lose financially, and that referred to the electors. Has every Kingston hadn't sufficient hotel ac- question that comes before the council

The finance committee thought that the use of electing a council if it canthe last mentioned reason against re- not do the work it is requested by the duction was a very important one people to do. He, as a taxpayer, and upon it they based their decision didn't want matters referred to him not to refer the question to the peo. for his opinion. He voted for a

It was 8:30 o'clock when the committee convened to hear the petitioners present their respective cases. The Social and Moral Reform League representatives were given twenty minutes to present their side and minutes at the close to answer the other side; the Licensed Victuallers' Association had half an hour and the cigar manufacturers fifteen minutes. Moral Reform League were familiar Every minute of the allotted time was

The Referendum Side.

D. J. Laidlaw, president of the So- convictions, he pointed out that it cial and Moral Reform League, in in- wasn't only hotel men who were controducing the matter, pointed out victed for breaking laws. There were that all it asked was that the ques- others, including men high up in the tion of license reduction be submitted professions. to the people to decide. A large body. Mr. McParland declared that not of people favored reduction, and the half the little hotels in Kingston league, representing that opinion, ask- could exist on their bar trade. When ed for a referendum on the question of there were too many hotels here some reducing the licenses to one for every would close up. Kingston hadn't thousand of population. The league enough hotel accommodation, he said. wasn't asking the council to reduce Until the agitation against hotels the licenses, but to permit the people | ceased, Kingston would not get a to say whether there should be a re- new hotel for men would not invest duction or not. It would be wash of money in them. The hotels have time, he claimed, to discuss the ques- vested interests, for licenses are not tion as to whether reduction of licen- given for a year, but for so long as ses reduced drinking, for he was sure hotels keep the law. that everyone present had his own set | If eight licenses were cut off Mr. Mc view on that matter. Mr. Laidlaw Parland said the loss in revenue to asked that the question be placed the city would be \$2,000, to say nothwhere it belonged. If the people voted ing of loss in taxes. That could pay against reduction, then the Social and the interest on \$50,000 worth of road Moral Reform League would be per- paving. fectly satisfied and abide by the voice

demanded an expression of the people. That was the safest and wisest course for all concerned, and everybody could abide by the result. The league asked that a concrete question be submitted and not one of mere reduction as was done three years ago. That would he said. The licensed victuallers were only be duplicating an action already carried out, for the people had voted at Reform League half way, by buying on that and expressed themselves out the hotels suggested to be cut off

strongly in favor of reduction. Elmer Davis, when he arose to other half. We'll put up dollar for dolspeak, was asked by Alds. Chown and lar with you." It's not Christian to Givens to present some reasons for rethrow men out of business without duction. He claimed that it would be compensation. useless to advance arguments for re- On behalf of the cigar manufacturers duction as they wouldn't convince W. Peters held that it was unfair to anybody present. The league believed select liquor license reduction for parthat it represented the opinion of a ticular attention in this manner. The large section of the people, and that city council, he held, should deal with the people should control the situation the matter as it knew the situation tion. It believed, also, that if a con- better than the people generally. There crete proportion was placed before the is not enough accommodation for the electors there would be less chance of farmers who come to the city, Mr. a political football being made of the Peters claimed, and if hotels were cutmatter. Mr. Davis said that if he off it would be farmers' hotels that was an alderman he would welcome would get the axe. The question of such a chance to have a question like loss of revenue was dealt with at this placed before the people. Ald. Givens-" How, do you know would be affected by hotel reduction. that you represent the majority of for they did much business with the

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Mr. McParland-"Name one." | Mr. Macdonnell-"No, I'll not do

tel. They have accommodation when farms in Oxford county, has come to the inspector goes around.

the House of Refuge, where he pro-"The question of liquor license re- poses to spend the winter as an induction," he said, "has gone to the mate. people throughout the province, and The man owns an hundred and fifty-Can we not trust the people with a reckoned as one of the most valuable question of this kind? It's most ex- in the district. He has been living traordinary to give you few gentlemen with his second wife and a family of of the finance committee the reasons grown-up sons. He is seventy-three why you should submit to the people years of age, and a member of one of a question vitally affecting the social the best known families in the district. and moral condition of the city. The Becoming discontented at home, he apbest reason is that it's a question plied to the reeve of the township for Washington, Nov. 20 .- Announce-corporation was warned by agents of community. Do you undertake as a ager Murray, on Tuesday, and was social and moral matters. The fin- as the other inmates. ance committee has the moral and social questions to deal with. There shouldn't be any doubt as to what a member of the committee should do Sentenced to Three Months in Senor Felipe Rodriguez, charge d'af- erating against the Zelayan adminiswhen it received two petitions, with ,400 names on one and 1,400 on another. What are you going to do? H. Warren, of Malden, was sentenced tion of the execution of the two Am- of this government, this case the people should govern. In a charge of bribery, involving only insurgent army.

Ald. Elliott pointed out that the with giving short weights, mayor and aldermen to do the city Ontario government left the question business, and he claimed they should of liquor licenses entirely in the hands | 1111 settle the question now at issue and of the common councils. The only questions the council here submitted Mr. McParland declared that if the to the people were questions they were question of reduction was submitted compelled to submit. The question at

to the people the liquor men would issue now was not one of these. not get a fair show, as those opposed | Mr. Davis acknowledged that, but to reduction would not take the same pointed out that both the dominion



HAMILTON FERNS, MONTREAL, be evacuated by Portugal. ommercial Traveller's Benefit Society.

of the people.

Rev. C. A. Sykes claimed that the matter was of such importance that it is matter w tion. It was regarded as good policy

Ald. Givens said that if Mr. . Macdonnell could convince him that the community would be benefited by quor license reduction, he would vote for reduction. He asked if the reduction of dry-goods stores had reduced turkeys on Wolfe Island and shipping | Miss Gussie Dempster, King street ting in his chair. Deceased was in his the demand for dry-goods.

weren't there to convince the members be constructed in Cape Vincent, N.Y., Frederick Campbell. Miss Muriel Brit- Furniture company. He leaves, be "You pay one-half and we'll pay the of the finance committee as to the during the coming winter.

The committee then held a private commodore, now has a membership of St. Peter's rectory,

session and came to the conclusion over eighty. power by statute to deal directly with extended something over a year and from a short visit with her mother in vicinity. She expects to remain for the license reduction question with the best medical assistance has done Napanee. The Canoe and Motor Boat the winter. Walter B. Vanalstine re out submitting a referendum to the little so far to better his condition: association held a well-attended dance turned this week from a three months' people, and in this particular case it At the Western hospital, Montreal, in their assembly hal, on Thursday stay in the North-West. C. H. Finkle. better than the general public and Carleton Place, and daughter of Mr. | Frank Starke, of the staff of the Mrs. (Dr.) Sills entertained a few of that it was its duty to take the re and Mrs. Johnston B. Elliott, passed Merchants' Bank, operated on in her lady friends on Thursday after

Another alderman stated that the ty-nine years of age. committee sat last evening as a jury, and that it simply decided on the side that advanced the stronger argument. Springfield, Ill., Nov. 20.-Governor The Moral and Social Reform argu- Bineen, to-day, declared the office of Says She Murdered Toronto Acroments had failed to convince the com- sheriff of Alexander county vacant, mittee that any reduction was requir- because Sheriff Davis allowed Wil-

tion of the reduction of licenses to of a law that provides that whenever grand jury. one for every 1,000 of population, to a sheriff surrenders a prisoner to a The shooting was incirectly caused is the largest in the metropolis and the electors, in January, the commit- mob his office Immediately becomes by a quarrel over a dish of apple was filled in every part, four times the tee is of the opinion that the hotel vacant. accommodation would not warrant a fore, recommend no action. On the mittee, one on either side, the proper and should be dealt with by it." way to settle the question was to let

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have licenses. If the city council will Blouses on sale to-night at Waldappoint a commission to investigate ron's.

meals or beds to boarders or lodgers rica. uine taverns. We'll take eight and rush. Weese & Co. - DRIVEN TO REFUGE.

Unable to Agree With Family, Goes to County House. that now, I have made a straight Woodstock, Ont., Nov. 20 .- Because he had a row with his wife and decid-Continuing, Mr. Macdonnell declared ed that he could not live peaceably at that it was perfectly well-known King- home, a well-known and respectable President ton had places that do not keep ho- farmer, owner of one of the bes

ONE BRIBER CAUGHT.

House of Correction.

furn down the petition for a referen- to serve three months in the House cricans, Leonard Grace and Leroy The secretary of state has asked the interested, and which was charged tions of the Zelayan government, and ment.

CONTROVERSY CONTINUES

China Refuses to Recognize Portugal's Claims to Macao-Great Britain Supports Portugal.

Libon, Nov. 20.-The Seculo says that the Chinese delegates to the Hong Kong conference having refused to recognize l'ortugal's claims to Macao or to submit the question to Laymen's Missionary Movement Coleman McCoy Passed Away at arbitration, Portugal, with the supmaintenance of the status quo.

land of the same name, at the mouth at the residence of Rev. Wil'iam Mc-1300 to a complimentary supper in his lof the Canton river, forms, with the | Connell, Cushendall, on Wednesday | new wareroom on Dundas street, two small adjacent islands of Taipa evening, 17th inst. Her mother died which has just been completed. The and Coloane, a province, the city be- very suddenly in a Gananoque store supper was laid on the first floor of ing divided into two wards, one in last week while making preparations the third storey building, and comhabited by Chinese and the other by for the wedding. non-Chinese, each having its own ad- The cosy home of George Taylor, After the good things had been done ministrator. China holds that all the M.P., Sydenham street, was thrown justice to, speeches and toasts, interdependencies of the city of Macao have open to the public last evening when spersed with music and vocal solos, been occupied illegally by Portugal for a musicale was held. A large and ap- made one of the most enjoyable evensome years and that the only conces- preciative crowd were in attendance. ings that has been spent in Napanee sion of territory ever made to Portu- Arrangements are being made here in a long time. Trinity church or gal was the town of Macao, and she to push forward the Laymen's Mischestra furnished the music. Before insists that the territory and islands sionary Movement. Mayor Donevan dispersing the company sang "For

NEWS OF THE DISTRICT. Interesting Events Occurring in the

Oliver Hawkins is cleaning up all the into force to-morrow, 21st. them to New York. Mr. Macdonnell replied that they A number of fine motor boats will Guelph, the guest of her sister, Mrs. time an employee of the Gibbard

Ald. Carson stated that the com- Cape Vincent, N.Y., very much regret Haines, King street. Mrs. Albert Mc- Mrs. Jane A. Fralick, Seattle, i mittee considered that it was given his continued illness. His sickness has Lean, Oak street, has returned home revisiting her many friends in this considered that it knew the conditions Florence Elliott, wife of R. Godden, evening sponsibility and settle the matter it away after a few days' illness with Brockville general hospital for ap noon, in honor of her friend, Miss typhoid fever. The deceased was twen- pendicitis, a few weeks ago, has re- Cross. Alexander Henry, Toronto,

> Sheriff Loses Office. liam James, a negro murderer, and Eyck, who shot and instantly killed London, Nov. 20 .- London has nev

reduction of that number, and, there- Fall And Winter Importations. | according to Mrs. Van Eyck's story to tude of the gathering, however, wa question of the reduction of licenses all his tweeds, cheviots and vicunas of her arrest, entered the home while The Archbishop of Canterbury, who liquor question. As there were two we are of opinion that this is a mat- for suitings; also a great variety of she was asleep and devoured the con- presided, had at his right hand Dr His \$18 suits and overcoats made to husband and other boarders. order surpass anything he ever had Mrs. Van Eyck remountrated with ligious bodies co-operated for the oc

Buckley Hats.

during this year they haven't given post of governor-general of South Af- on Monday afternoon, at four o'clock, preciated by citizens. All interested are invited to attend. | Nyal's Stone Root Compound, bet- ed storms of applause. A resolution to such an extent as would satisfy any Wanted-Customers to get photos Money comes too hard to place it ter than pills for the kidneys, in 50c. was carried, by acclamation, demand-

Taft Demands That Nicaragua Explain.

why not in Kingston? Are we a per acre farm, well stocked and with good culiar people in this Limestone City? buildings on it, and the property is Shooting of Grace and Cannon Makes Situation a Delicate One in Central America.

that vitally affects our city, our boys the necessary order of admittance, and girls, our family life, our whole and, with this order, applied to Manfinance committee to determine that admitted, no other course being open tions of the small Central American promptly called on the state departthis question shall not be submitted to the refuge authorities. He left his republics was contained in a despatch ment to announce the protection this to the people? To call it a financial wife and sons in charge of the farm. sent to the Bluefields Steamship com- government would give in such a case. question is to name it by but one He appears to be contented with his pany, which sought the protection of The state department promptly This decision was arrived at after in reducing the licenses to one for fragment of what it is. A question of surroundings. He is given exactly the the state department against interfer- plied. The answer was the result of a this kind should go to a committee on same privileges and accommodation ence by the insurgents now operating conference between the president and

CHINO-PORTUGAL clearly shown, when the state depart- miles from the Nicaraguan coast, and nent telegraphed to the Blueflelds will be able to reach Corinto at about

about to sail for Bluefields, Nicaragua, lieved to have taken place at or new with a miscellaneous cargo, including El Costillo, which is in the immediate C \$3.25.

seizure, and the steamship management

An hour later a peremptory note, weight. It gave the steamship concern couched in diplomatic language, but no encouragement and practically renone the less direct, was delivered to cognized the revolutionary forces opfaires of the Nicaraguan legation, de tration, a proceeding for which there Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 20.-George manding a full and complete explana- is probably no parallel in the records

lum? Our government is a govern of Correction, and to pay a fine of Cannon, who were executed by order secretary of the navy to order the ment by the people, and we think in five dollars, after pleading guilty to of Zelaya when they were found in the Vicksburg to proceed in all haste to Corinto for the purpose of protecting most matters they govern through the five dollars. Warren admitted that Pending a satisfactory explanation American interests. The Des Moines city council, but when the council he gave William E. Dunn, sealer of of the occurrence, President Taft has was also ordered to proceed to Port meets a matter which in their judg- weights and measures, of Malden, five refused to recognize Isidoro Hazera, Limon for the same purpose. These ment is of sufficient importance to war- dollars to refrain from prosecuting a the new Nicaraguan minister. Mr. vessels will be in constant communicarant it, they submit it to the peo- coal company in which Warren was Taft is thoroughly aroused by the ac- tion by wireless with the state depart-

> lives of American citizens much safer about 150 miles from Port Limon, If and considerably more respected in which she can reach within twenty-four Central America than they have been hours steaming under forced draught. The Vicksburg is on the Pacific coast The attitude of the government was at San Jose de Guatamala, nearly 200 Steamship company, the headquarters the same time the Des Moines arrives | S All-Wool Blankets at Port Limon.

The company's regular steamer was | The execution of the Americans is be rifles and other munitions of war. The evicinity of Greytown.

TOWN OF GANANOQUE.

port of Great Britain, has opened Gananoque, Nov. 20.-Miss Lydia Napanee, Nov. 20.-On Wednesday pourparlers direct with China for the Jane Galway, daughter of George evening W. T. Gibbard entertained his Ladies' Over-Stockings, Sizes Galway, Pittsburg township, and Ro- employees and their wives and numer-Macao, in China, situated on an is- bert G. Gates, were quietly married ous friends to the number of about S

Elected president of the Dominion Some time ago the Portuguese gov- has the matter in hand, and it is Lang Syne. ernment sent Gen. Joaquin Jose Ma- proposed holding a big banquet in chado to China in the hope of reach- Grace church on Dec. 3rd, when Rev. home that came to Coleman McCoy, a dive or a gambling place in the city. and the provincial governments had ing an amicable settlement of the dis- T. C. L. Bates, missionary from Ja-

eign fields and its needs. A new time table for the G.T.R. is expected to hand to-day which will complained of not feeling well, but eliminate the International Limited talked cheerfully and commented on from the number of trains stopping at Thousand Island Junction. It goes speakers at the banquet. In a few

west, is spending a few weeks in eighty-second year and was at one ton, King street, spent the past week sides his wife, two sons, Wilkie, in value of license reduction, but their The Cape Vincent, N.Y., Motor Boat in Brockville, the guest of her sister, Cobalt, and Samuel at home. The Club, of which R. J. J. Newman is Mrs. (Rev.) H. H. Bedford Jones, at funeral takes place on Sunday after-

Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Kingston, are ern Methodist church, thence to The many friends of E. C. Kelsey, guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Riverside cemetery

turned home to recuperate.

WOMAN IS INDICTED.

'Chicago, Nov. 20.-Mrs. Annie Van

sauce, and roast pork. Hardy, who number would have entered had

Poor Relief association will be held down town crossings, yesterday after- whose fiery denunciations contrasted Lead's drug store, corner King and dertake to make the statement that Herbert Gladstone has accepted the in the city buildings, committee room, noon, and their work was greatly ap- strangely with the Archbishop of Can Brock streets, (Wade's old stand), and

> ston realty; sound as the govern- ner Princess and Clergy. ment. McCann can interest you, | Newman & Shaw's "Monday."

apparently is determined to make the The Des Moines is now at Colon,

VERY SUDDEN DEATH.

fortably seated the entire company. is the convenor of a committee which He's A Jolly Good Fellow" and "Auld

o'clock. When he reached home he the fine speech made by one of the moments he was gone. He died sit-

spent a few days in Napanee this

DEMAND REFORM

In the Administration of

The resolution passed by the finance Henry Salzner, a white man, to be Philip Hardy, an acrobat of Toronto, er seen a more remarkable assembly committee was as follows: "That on taken from his care and lynched at Ont. in her home in West Twenty- than that which gathered, last night, the petition of the Moral and Social Cairo, Ill., on November 11th. The fourth street, a month ago, was in in Albert hall, to protest against the Annual Meeting Poor Relief Assn., City cleared of the imputation that he held Reform League, to submit the queswas a boarder at the Van Eyck home, been physically possible. The magni-Prevost, Brock street, has received the Harrison street police at the time less noteworthy than its character. ter that will affect the council of 1910 overcoating for his order department, tents, which she had prepared for her Clifford, the most prominent leader of the Baptists, while more than fifty re-Hardy, who, it is alleged, struck he casion in a manner rare indeed in While lying on the floor, she alleges, England. The Archbishop of Canter Hardy drew a revolver and threatened bury's inaugural address was worded results when they get hold of the work. Best teachers. Further infor- The hats that style lovers are to shoot her. She claims she sprang with statesmanlike restraint, but it right remedy. That remedy is Day's There are eight places in King- mation at rooms, 196 Johnson street, buying. Sold in Kingston only at to seize the weapon from his hand, was none the less emphatic in condem. Dyspepsia Cure. It always gives the Campbell Bros., the leaders in men's when it was accidentally discharged, nation of the Congo evils. The arch stomach the help and the strength pethe bullet entering Hardy's heart. - bishop was followed by Dr. Clifford quired to properly digest food. Each and other members of the free bottle contains sixteen days' treat-The annual meeting of the City Corporation men got busy on the churches of various sects, some of ment. For sale only at J. B. Me-

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Not At All Possible. London, Nov. 20 .- Replying to a question by a correspondent, at Janchester, the Right Hon. A. J. Salfour, former prime minister and unionist leader, stated that a tax on raw cotton could never be contemplated as even remotely possible. Such a tax, he said, in his letter, would vinlate the fundamental principles of

fiscal reform. A Dyspepsia Revelation. Those who have dyspepia, even

chronic form, will be surprised at the terbury's calmer words, but who rous | corner Princess and Montreal streets.

A few youngsters enjoyed their first fair-minded jury that they were gen now to avoid our usual Christmas in any risky proposition. Buy King- bottles, at Prouse's Drug Store, cor- ing a complete reform in the administrate of the season yesterday. tration of the Congo Independent Hand sleighs were noticed on the