

# To the Voter

**T**O establish that the 2.51% beer to be voted on—the "Beer of the Ballot"—is not intoxicating, The Ontario Brewers' Association deposited \$5,000 with the Canada Permanent Trust Company on September 16th.

On September 19th, The Ontario Brewers' Association formally challenged the Referendum Committee through the Press to deposit an equal amount with the same Trust Company to support their contention that this beer is intoxicating.

That challenge has never been accepted—clear admittance by the Referendum Committee they do not consider that they have a case. It is too late now to make the tests and render a decision before the day of voting—October 20th—but the failure of the Referendum Committee to answer our challenge will not be overlooked by the man or woman who votes on facts and evidence, and not on sentiment or false statements.

We again assert that 2.51% beer—"The Beer of the Ballot"—is not intoxicating. Tests have only recently been made which prove this conclusively—we will mail a copy of the test to anyone sufficiently interested to write for it.

Moreover, while the "Beer of the Ballot" has an alcoholic strength of but 2.51%, official tests made by the laboratory of the Inland Revenue Department—published in Bulletin 196—showed that the beers on general sale before The Ontario Temperance Act and Prohibition were enacted, had an alcoholic content ranging as high as 7.33% by weight measure—practically three times as strong as the beer to be voted on October 20th. Even such American beers as were sold in Canada and always spoken of as "very light, non-intoxicating beers," were over fifty per cent. stronger than the "Beer of the Ballot."

The "Beer of the Ballot" is a mildly stimulating, healthful and refreshing beverage, brewed from a high grade of malt and hops—containing only sufficient alcohol to make it digestible and nourishing.

Ontario Brewers' Association

## THE MARKET REPORTS

### GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

**Toronto.**  
 Toronto, Oct. 7.—Manitoba wheat—No. Northern, \$2.23 in store Fort William.  
 Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 83c; No. 3 C.W., 80 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 81 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 79 1/2c; No. 2 feed, 74 1/2c, in store Fort William.  
 Manitoba barley—No. 3 C.W., 1.28 1/2c; No. 4 C.W., 1.25 1/2c; rejected, 1.13 1/2c; feed, 1.15 1/2c, in store Fort William.  
 American corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, nominal.  
 Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 86 to 88c, according to freight outside.  
 Ontario wheat—No. 1 Winter per car lot \$2 to \$2.06; No. 2, do., \$1.97 to \$2.03; No. 3 do., \$1.93 to \$1.99, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.  
 Ontario wheat—No. 1 spring, \$2.02 to \$2.08; No. 2 spring, \$1.99 to \$2.05; No. 3 spring, \$1.95 to \$2.05; No. 3 spring, \$1.95 to \$2.01, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.  
 Barley—Malt, \$1.27 to \$1.30 according to freights outside.  
 Buckwheat—Nominal.  
 Rye—Nominal.  
 Manitoba flour—Government standard, \$11.00, Toronto.  
 Ontario flour—Government standard, Montreal and Toronto \$9.40 to \$9.50 in jute bags. Prompt shipment.  
 Millfeed—Car lots—Delivered Montreal freights, bags included—Bran, per ton, \$45; shorts, per ton, \$55; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.50.  
 Hay—No. 1, per ton, \$24 to \$26; mixed, per ton, \$15 to \$20, track Toronto.  
 Straw—Car lots—per ton, \$10 to \$11, track, Toronto.  
**Montreal.**  
 Oats, extra No. 1 feed 95 1/2c. Flour, new standard grade \$11 to \$11.10. Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs., \$4.90 to \$5. Bran, \$45. Shorts, \$55. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$22 to \$23.  
**Minneapolis.**  
 Minneapolis, Oct. 7.—Flour unchanged. Barley, \$1.05. Bran, \$36. Flax, \$3.90 to \$3.93. Rye, No. 2, \$1.39 1/2.  
**Duluth.**  
 Duluth, Minn., Oct. 7.—Linnseed, on track, \$3.90 to \$3.93; do., arrive, \$3.90; Oct., \$3.88; Nov., \$3.86 bid; Dec., \$3.86 sold; May, \$3.85.  
**Chicago.**  
 Chicago, Oct. 7.—Corn—No. 2 mixed, \$1.45 to \$1.47; No. 2 yellow, \$1.48 to \$1.50 1/2; Oats—No. 2 white, 72 1/2 to 73c; No. 4 white 69 to 72c. Rye—No. 2, \$1.42 1/2 to \$1.43 1/2. Barley—\$1.27 to \$1.32. Timothy—\$8.50 to \$11.25. Clover nominal.  
**New York.**  
 New York, Oct. 7.—Flour unsettled; spring patents, \$11.85 to \$12.50; spring clears, \$9 to \$10; winter straights, \$10 to \$10.40; Kansas straights, \$11.25 to \$11.75. Rye flour quiet; fair to good, \$7.25 to \$7.50; choice to fancy, \$7.55 to \$7.75. White corn flour easy, \$3.75 to \$4 per 100 pounds. Hay quiet; No. 1, \$1.55 to \$1.65; No. 2, \$1.35 to \$1.45; shipping, \$1.15 to \$1.25. Hops firm; state, medium to choice, 1919, 75c to 82c; 1918, 60c to 70c; Pacific coast, 1919, 70c to 78c; 1918, 60c to 65c.  
**Winnipeg.**  
 Winnipeg, Oct. 7.—Oats, No. 2 C.W., 82 1/2c; No. 3 C.W., 79c; extra No. 1 feed, 81c; No. 2 feed, 76c; No. 1 feed, 78 1/2c. Barley, No. 3 C.W., \$1.40 1/2; No. 4 C.W., \$1.27 1/2; feed, \$1.17 1/2. Flax, No. 1 N.W.C., \$4.08; No. 2 C.W., \$3.99; No. 3 C.W., \$3.78; condemned, \$3.73.  
**Montreal.**  
 Montreal, Oct. 7.—Oats, extra No. 1 feed, 95c. Flour, new standard grade, \$11 to \$11.10. Rolled oats, bag, 90 lbs., \$4.45 to \$5. Bran, \$45. Shorts, \$55. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$22 to \$23.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

**Toronto.**  
 Toronto, Oct. 7.—Export cattle, choice, \$13 to \$13.75; do, medium, \$12 to \$12.50; do, bulls, \$10 to \$10.50. Butcher cattle, choice, \$11.50 to \$12.50; do, medium, \$10 to \$11; do, common, \$8 to \$9.25; do, cows, choice \$10 to \$11; do, medium, \$9 to \$10; do, canners, \$8 to \$8.50; do, bulls, \$8.50 to \$9.50. Feeding steers, \$10 to \$10.50. Stockers, choice, \$8 to \$9; do, light, \$7 to \$8. Milk cows, choice \$90 to \$145. Springers, choice \$100 to \$160. Sheep, ewes, \$8 to \$8.50; bucks and culls, \$5 to \$8; lambs, \$12.50 to \$13.50. Hogs, fed and watered, \$18 to \$19. Calves \$17 to \$21.  
**Buffalo.**  
 East Buffalo, Oct. 7.—Cattle, Prime steers \$17.50 to \$18; shipping steers \$16.50 to \$17; butchers \$10 to \$16.50; yearlings \$5.50 to \$16.50; heifers \$5 to \$12.50; cows \$4 to \$11.25; bulls, \$6 to \$10.50; fresh cows ad springers steady; \$6.50 to \$17.50. Calves, \$1 lower; \$7 to \$23. Hogs, heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$16.50; light \$16.25 to \$16.50; pigs \$13.50 to \$16.25; roughs, \$13 to \$13.50; stags \$10 to \$11. Lambs, \$4 to \$12.25; yearlings, \$7 to \$11; wethers, \$8.50 to \$9; ewes, \$3 to \$7; mixed sheep, \$3 to \$8.25.  
**Chicago.**  
 Chicago, Oct. 7.—Hogs, heavy, \$15.50 to \$16.90; medium weight, \$15.75 to \$17.20; light, \$16 to \$17.15; light lights, \$15.25 to \$16.75; heavy packing, smooth, \$14.75 to \$15.50; packing, rough, \$14.25 to \$14.75; pigs, \$15 to \$16. Cattle, beef steers, medium and heavy weight, choice and prime, \$16.50 to \$23.25; medium and good, \$11.25 to \$16.50; common, \$8.75 to \$11.25. Light weight, good and choice, \$15 to \$18.15; common and medium, \$8.25 to \$12; cows, \$6.50 to \$13.50. Canners and cutters, \$5.50 to \$6.50. Veal calves, \$13.50 to \$20; feeder steers, \$7.25 to \$12.50. Stockers, steers, \$6.50 to \$10.25; western range steers, \$8 to \$15; sows and heifers, \$6.65 to \$13. Lambs, \$13.50 to \$18; culls and common, \$9 to \$13.25; ewes, medi-

um, good and choice, \$6.75 to \$8; culls and common, \$3 to \$6.25; breeding, \$7 to \$13.25.

### GENERAL TRADE

**Toronto.**  
 Toronto, Oct. 7.—Butter, choice, dairy, 65 to 68c; do, creamery, 60 to 68c; margarine, lb., 37 to 40c; eggs, new laid, doz, 60 to 65c; cheese, lb., 35 to 40c; fowl, lb., 30 to 35c; chickens, roasting 35 to 40c; ducks, lb., 35 to 40c; apples, bkt., 50 to 75c; cantaloupes, bkt., 80 to \$1; crab apples, \$1 to \$1.25; citrons, each, 10 to 15c; grapes, bkt., 40 to 60c; pears, bkt., 75 to \$1; peaches, bkt., 96 to \$1.75; plums, bkt., \$1 to \$2; beans, bkt., 60 to 75c; beets, bkt., 40 to 50c; carrots, bkt., 40 to 50c; cabbage, each 10 to 15c; cauliflower, each, 19 to 30c; cucumbers, bkt., 40 to 50c; gherkins, bkt., 75 to \$1.50; celery, head, 5 to 10; corn, doz., 20 to 30c; dill, bunch, 10 to 15; lettuce, bunch, 5 to 10c; onions, bkt., 90 to \$1; do,

pickling, bkt., \$1 to \$2.25; peppers, doz., 20 to 30c; parsley, bunch, 10c; potatoes, bag \$3 to \$2.25; do., peck, 40c; pumpkins, each, 15 to 25c; rhubarb, bunch, 5c; radishes, 2 bunches, 10c; sage, bunch, 5 to 10c; squash, each, 15 to 25c; savory, bunch, 5 to 10c; tomatoes, bkt., 25 to 40c; vegetable marrows, each 5 to 15c.

**Montreal.**  
 Montreal, Oct. 7.—Cheese—Finest eastern, 25c. Butter—Choice creamery, 56 to 56 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh, 68c; selected, 61c; No. 1 stock 56 to 57c; No. 2 stock, 52 to 54c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, \$1.40. Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, \$26.50 to \$26. Lard—Pure, wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 30 to 30 1/2c.

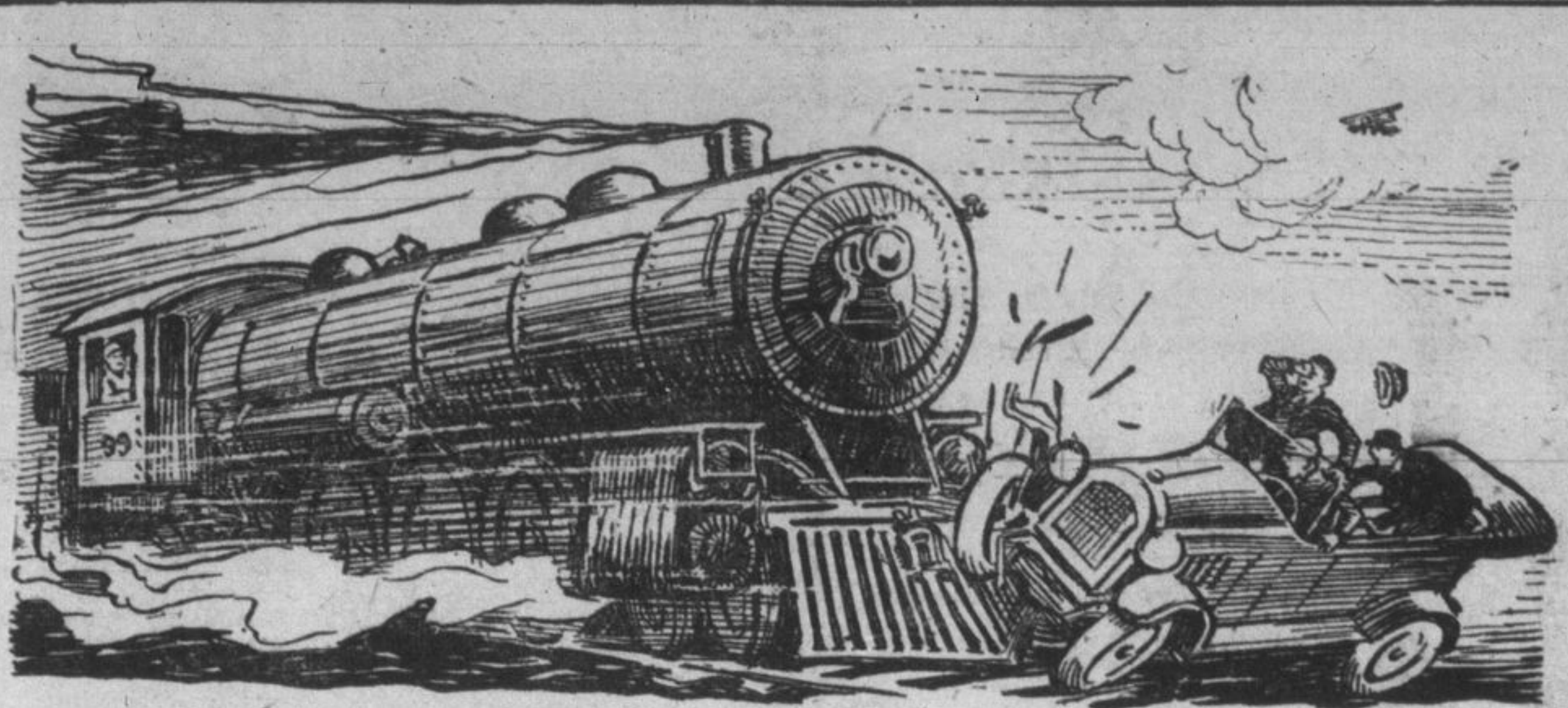
Miss Edith M. Hale, Pembroke, died at Guelph on Friday last and was buried at her old home. She was the second daughter of the late Thomas Hale and Mrs. Hale, Pembroke.

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As never before the need of modern traffic is for a clear head and steady hands. The man at the throttle, the steering wheel or the switch board must know what he is doing, must be ready on the instant for emergency, and must make no mistakes. Beer befuddles and unnerves.

In this new world of machinery and power the "boozer" has no place. In the railway business the confirmed "boozer" can't be trusted with the lives of his fellows. The Railway Brotherhoods don't want him. Beer makes him unsteady.

On the streets and highroads the "joy rider with booze on board" is a menace to traffic, to his own life and to the lives of others. Beer makes motoring dangerous.

Flying-men learned the disastrous results of alcohol taken preparatory to encountering the en-

emy in mid-air. Alcohol was proved by casualties to shake the nerves and destroy control. Beer impairs judgment.

In business and industrial organizations, the drinking man is the "last man hired and first man fired." Beer makes men slow, stupid, and unreliable.

Beer and all other intoxicating beverages have no place in a world run by machinery. The safety of too many others is involved when an unsteady hand and a drink-befuddled brain is left in control of the steering wheel or the engine throttle.

Remember that the Beer of the ballot is intoxicating beer. Mark Your Ballot with an X after each question under the word "No." If you don't mark an X after each question your ballot is spoiled.

## "No!"—Four Times—"No!"

	YES	NO
1 Are you in favour of the repeal of the Ontario Temperance Act?		X
2 Are you in favour of the sale of light beer containing not more than two and fifty-one one-hundredths per cent. alcohol weight measure through Government agencies and amendments to The Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?	YES	X
3 Are you in favour of the sale of light beer containing not more than two and fifty-one one-hundredths per cent. alcohol weight measure in standard hotels in local municipalities that by a majority vote favour such sale and amendments to The Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?	YES	X
4 Are you in favour of the sale of spirituous and malt liquors through Government agencies and amendments to The Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?	YES	X

## Ontario Referendum Committee

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### AFTER FORTY YEARS THERE.

Mrs. John Freeman succumbed to Attack of Heart Trouble. Athens, Oct. 7.—The funeral of Mrs. John Freeman was held in the Methodist church on Saturday. Deceased came from England to Can-

ada when a girl and for about forty years with her husband had been a resident of Athens. She passed away during Thursday night after an illness of several weeks from heart trouble. Besides her husband she leaves no other relatives in this country.