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ATHENS, SEPTEMBER 17, 1902.

REFERENDUM CAMPAIGN

To-day the temperance workers of the counties of Leeds and Grenville are meeting in convention at Brockville to plan for the referendum campaign.

The new law absolutely prohibits all sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor by any person in the Province of Ontario to any person in the Province of Ontario except under the following conditions:

The keeping of liquor for sale is also prohibited in the most precise and effective terms. No person is allowed to have liquor in an office, store, or any other place other than the private dwelling in which he resides, unless he is a professional man requiring liquor for use in his business or profession, or is a licensed druggist duly authorized to sell for medicinal purposes.

The provisions for carrying out of this prohibition are of the most complete and effective character, including requirements of certificates and prescriptions from qualified professional men and sworn official returns of all sales made.

Any person who sells, or keeps for sale, or gives away liquor unlawfully, or any licensed druggist who sells in an unlawful place in an unlawful quantity, or allows liquor lawfully sold to be drunk on his premises, any one who supplies liquor to an illicit seller, and any one who supplies liquor to an illicit seller, or any one who sells or gives liquor in any club, is liable for a first offence to a fine of not less than \$200 and not more than \$1,000, and in default of immediate payment to imprisonment for from three to six months, and for a second offence imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than twelve months.

At Seaford a sea serpent is reported in an oat field. It has two heads, four eyes, two mouths, and two tongues. The heads are joined at right angles.

Cronje's family circle has contributed the greatest of all treasure to the patriotism of the Boers. About twenty have been sacrificed on the altar of their country.

Cleveland Leader: Canada has gone to Wales for coal which it cannot buy in Pennsylvania. Thus another customer walks off and may never come back again.

The attorney-general of Manitoba, in behalf of the province has entered an action for \$110,825 on capital account, and \$133,406 arrears of interest, on school lands due the province from the Dominion government.

to imprisonment for from four to eight months, with similar provisions about forfeiture of license and disqualification of license.

As a measure of prohibitory legislation this law is far ahead of anything ever before drafted in this country. It is an honest attempt to devise the most effective kind of prohibitory law.

DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

If many successful business men were asked that question they would enjoy a good hearty laugh; they owe their present prosperity to judicious advertising, and are not backward in saying so.

There are others, however, who never do any advertising, and are not backward in saying it does not pay. To the careful observer there can be little doubt. It pays to advertise if you know how to advertise.

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According to the Montreal Weather Bureau last month was with two exceptions the coolest August in twenty years. The mean temperature during the month was 65.72. The only other Augusts in the last two decades that were cooler were 1885, when the mean temperature was 64 degrees, and 1894, when it was 64.09 degrees.

It seems that clergymen cannot do as they like about visiting their parishioners, at least that is what a Quebec farmer thinks. He has entered an action against his parish priest for \$400 damages because in making his pastoral calls he studiously eyed his home. His neighbors jeered at him because the priest would not call at his house and made it so unpleasant for him that he has brought suit against the priest.

The fall has come! We have had almost no summer this year. The chilly nights and worn appearance of vegetation, indicates its speedv decay. This season has broken the roof for sour, wet weather, but nevertheless it has been one of great fruitfulness in crops, with the exception of corn on low, wet ground, have never been larger in this country than this year.

DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES are raging near Victoria, B. C. The Allan Line S. S. Numidian is aground near Three Rivers. Daniel Matthews, a farmer near Waterford, committed suicide by taking arsenic.

The Archbishop of Quebec has appointed Rev. Father Alexis spiritual director of trades unions. Twenty seven horses were suffocated in a fire in the stables of the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company.

Ethel B. Dingle, a Canadian nurse in the Riverside Hospital at Buffalo, was found dead in a hotel at Rochester. Arthur Brunet, convicted of fraud in connection with the St. James' division of Montreal elections, has been released from jail.

John Roberts, employed by the Lechinc Rapids Hydraulic Company, was found drowned in the canal. He leaves a widow in Toronto. The British team, after an exciting match, but the Americans for the Palma Trophy by 12 points. The scores were:—British, 1,450; American, 1,447; Canadian, 1,372.

Appropriate Treatment. The Thoughtful Man—What would you recommend as treatment for a man who is always going around with a poor mouth? The Funny Fellow—Send him to a dentist.—Yonkers Herald.

Grades of Youngness. Visitor (kindly)—How old are you, dear? Little Girl (with great dignity)—I'm not old at all. Granny's old, but both of us young, and daddy's young, and I'm very young.—Punch.

DR. JACKSON. SURGEON. Diseases of women and of children, office and residence, King St. West, corner of Kincardine St. (one block west of the Strathcona and Grand Central hotels) Brockville, Ont.

By the Kingston Business College, Limited. A number of young men and women to prepare for good positions. Forty-three graduates have been placed in Toronto alone within a few months. Write for full information. H. M. METCALFE, Principal

THE DOUKHOBORS

Mr. White Speaks with Strongly Emphasis upon their Worthlessness. Mr. Wm. White, the assistant to the President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says a Winnipeg despatch, speaks with strong emphasis upon the worthlessness of the Doukhobors, who are reported to be in danger of starvation or freezing owing to a peculiar religious mania.

It is stated that Mr. J. R. Elerman has sold the Antwerp-Montreal Line of steamers to the Morgan syndicate.

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W. A. LEWIS. BARRISTER, Solicitor, Notary, etc. Office over Bank of Toronto, Court House Ave., Brockville. At Athens office, over Kincaid Block, every Tuesday afternoon 5 p.m. and all day Friday in each week. Money to loan on real estate.

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THE GAMBLE HOUSE. ATHENS. THIS fine new brick hotel has been elegantly fitted and furnished throughout in the latest styles. Every attention to the wants of guests. Good yards and stables. FRED PIERCE, Prop.

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The People's Column.

Wood Wanted. Ten cords of dry maple stove wood wanted. Apply to E. S. CLOW, Merchants' Bank, Athens.

For Sale. A good Cleveland bicycle little used and never abused, a No. 12 bore 7. Parker gun double barrel and in splendid condition, also a Bristol steel fishing rod only used a very few times. Apply to D. R. WHITE, Merchants' Bank.

Found. About 2 weeks ago on the road between Barre's Corner and Alex Mackie's, a lap rug. Owner can have same by calling at Alex Mackie's, proving property and paying for this adv. F. S. Jd.

To Rent. The Saunders cottage at Charleston Lake Every convenience. Boat house. Apply to F. PIERCE, Athens.

Binder For Sale. A Noxon binder, as good as new, belonging to the estate of the late Melissa Darling, is offered for sale. For terms apply to STEPHEN NIBLOCK, Executor, or MRS. JULIA SIMES, Executrix.

Wanted. Boy to learn Blacksmithing or with one or two years experience. Apply at once to W. H. JACOBS, Victoria Street, Athens.

For Sale. A very fine organ, also thoroughbred Jersey calf 2 1/2 months old. Apply to MRS. F. J. GIFFIN, Main St., Brockville.

Wanted. Reliable lady agents to take orders for the best custom made skirts in Canada. Write quickly. DOMINION GARMENT CO., Box 209, GUELPH, Ontario.

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Mrs. Albert Acheson and her daughter were struck by a train on a crossing at Woodstock.