To the Voter

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.

I 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.

Q 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 sufficently 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 196showed 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



These experts were Professors of Chemistry, Toxicology, Therapeutics, Nerre Specialists, Physical Training Instructors, Medical Doctors and specialists in charge of city departments were alcoholics were cared for. Experiments were conducted upon twenty-four men chosen from various walks of life-medical students, laborers, mechanics, business executives, clerks in banks and brokers' offices, srtists, writers and professional men.

The experiments proved conclusively that beer of 2.75% elechnic content strength could not possibly be intoxicating—not the slightest signs of intoxication were shown by any of the subjects.

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In view of the sworn statements of these ex-perts, based upon the results of their experi-ments, that beer containing 2.75% alcohol by weight is non-intoxicating, it must follow that 2.51% beer, the Beer of the Ballot, is non-intoxicating.

intoxicating. It is the strong conviction of the Citizens' Liberty League that—as no harmful results can possibly come from drinking 2.51% beer —then there is no fair or just reason, why the general sale of beer of this quality should not be permitted. Unite with the Citizens' Liberty League in its earnest, sincere endeavor to obtain mod-erate Temperance Legislation.

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Vote "YES" to all Four Questions

than the "Beer of the Ballot." **9** 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

