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## NOT VOTES ENOUGH BY OVER 50,000

Referendum Returns Are Still Incomplete.

### LIQUOR ACT FAILED TO CARRY

The Vote in the Rural Constituencies Largely in Favor of the Act—The Latest Figures.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—The returns from the province are still incomplete, F. S. Spence, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, estimates the total vote at 165,000, which is almost 50,000 short of the number required under the act. The slowness in gathering full returns seems to be indicative of the apathy which has characterized the whole campaign in many sections of the province. Enough is known to state that the rural constituencies will give a large majority in favor of the act, but that the total vote, as compared with the general election, has been small.

**TOTAL VOTE SMALL.**  
The vote will scarcely be as large as in 1894, when there were 180,000 votes "yes," but will be larger than in 1888, when the affirmative vote was 152,337. Some of the districts received to date indicate that the vote in some constituencies is fairly heavy, and also indicate how incomplete the returns are as yet.

West Huron, a representative rural

riding, is fairly complete and shows 2,359 voting yes. The vote required of West Huron under the act is 2,415, and this will probably be attained.

Huron County was a strong Scott act county. North Waterloo went overwhelmingly against the act, the vote being almost three to one. Waterloo Town, which is included in the riding, gave 100 votes yes and 625 votes against. Walkerville had only 12 votes for, and 325 against. At the 1898 provincial election only 206 votes were polled altogether in Walkerville.

The districts inhabited by French-Canadians also gave an emphatic denunciation of the act. North Essex, for instance, polled almost four votes against for every one in favor of the act. The French-Canadian population largely explains the vote in Ottawa and vicinity, which is adverse to temperance, and in Prescott. A second adverse vote was recorded from Mattawa Town, in East Nipissing, which is largely French-Canadian, 724 votes being recorded against and 34 for.

Following are the latest returns received:

#### LATEST RETURNS.

Brant, North (complete)—779 for, 423 against; majority for, 356.  
Brockville (complete)—For, 1,757; against, 750; majority for, 1,007.  
Bruce, Center—With ten polls yet to hear from—1,362 for and 448 against.  
Bruce, North—For, 1,895; against, 587; part of peninsula still out.  
Bruce, South (complete)—1,063 for, 1,529 against; majority for, 466.  
Dufferin (complete)—3,143 for and 369 against; majority for, 2,774.  
Dundas—For, 2,035; against, 508.  
Elgin, East—For, 1,702; against, 444; five polls to hear from out of 29.  
Elgin, West (complete)—For, 2,635; against, 1,433; majority for, 1,202.  
Essex, South—With several places to hear from—1,852 for, and 627 against.  
Frontenac—Twenty-four out of 35 polls in Frontenac give 1,450 for, 400 against.  
Glengarry—With eleven polls to hear

from, the vote is: For, 1,034; against, 344.  
Hastings, East—Returns cannot be ascertained.

Hastings, West—For, 1,120; against, 738. Some places yet to report.

Huron, West—2,559 for, and 993 against. Majority so far, 1,566, with two places to come in.

Lambton, East—One-third of polling subdivisions to hear from—1,962 for, and 350 against.

Lanark, North—1,194 for, and 214 against, with thirteen polls to hear from.

Lanark, South—For, 1,279; against, 717; nine polls to hear from.

Leeds—Seventeen polls out of 27 give 1,249 for, 677 against.

Lincoln—With two subdivisions to hear from, 2,330 for; against, 1,300.

Norfolk, South—With 4 polls to hear from out of 27—1,076 for, 436 against.

Norfolk, North—Still incomplete.

Northumberland, East—2,233 for, and 370 against; majority for, 1,863; two polls out.

Northumberland, West—For, 2,100; against, 343; 4 polls to hear from.

Middlesex, North (complete)—For, 4,223; against, 470; majority for, 3,753.

Muskoka—With only 24 polls heard from out of 52, the vote stands: For, 1,469; against, 391.

Ontario, North—For, 1,333; against, 729; with 11 polls to hear from.

Perth, North—With one poll to hear from: For, 2,656; against, 1,901.

Perth, South—Twelve polls to hear from—2,010 for, 1,575 against.

Peterborough, East (partial)—For, 212; against, 105.

Renfrew, North—For, 1,335; against, 861; seven polls to hear from.

Renfrew, South—For, 1,295; against, 722; four polls to hear from.

Russell (partial)—1,172 for, and 862 against.

Toronto, North gives 4,002 for, 2,427 against; majority for, 1,575.

Victoria, East—81 for, and 263 against, with 20 polls to hear from.

Waterloo, North—For, 1,082; against, 2,827; one poll still out.

Wellington, South (complete)—2,015 for, and 1,153 against; majority for, 862.

Wellington, West (partial)—For, 2,066; against, 618; majority for, 1,448.

Wentworth, South—441 for, and 305 against, from nine polling places out of 32.

York, North—Six polls to hear from—For, 2,417; against, 674.

## RIOTING AT MERRITTON

In Connection With Putting Up a Railway Bridge.

Fire Brigade Turns Out to Quell the Disturbance.

St. Catharines, Dec. 6.—Rather a serious riot occurred at Merritton on Friday. In Grand Trunk parkway planned to erect a new bridge over its tracks on the main street of the village, and have a new structure almost completely to place in position. Yesterday the company took out a portion of the old bridge to make room for the new frame.

This proceeding was not according to the expectations of the Merritton authorities. The railway men were told to desist until the formal agreement between the company and the village could be signed.

The road employees paid no attention to the request, and the village fire brigade was called out. A stream of water was turned on the men, who in turn objected, and cut the hose. Two other lines were laid. A large crowd gathered and a riot followed.

Finally victory rested with the water and the workmen retreated, leaving the partially wrecked bridge.

In the meantime street traffic is totally blocked. The street railway communication is being continued by a transfer system.

Great excitement prevails and the matter is now in statu quo. The main track of the Grand Trunk is blocked by wreckage, but traffic is being continued over the sidings. No one in authority representing the railway was present, but at 3 p.m. Solicitor Collier, for the village, and Reeve Wilson conferred with the foreman in charge of the work, and agreed to allow the work of clearing the wreckage from the tracks to go on.

### Suicide of a Student.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Edward R. Wile, 23 years old, a law student, committed suicide today in the office where he was employed, by shooting himself in the head.

## PREMIER ROSS ON THE RESULTS

Would Not Say That Ontario Is Ready for Prohibition.

### JUDGING BY RETURNS RECEIVED

Full Vote Necessary Before Conclusions Can Be Drawn—Attitude of Conservatives.

"From the vote as far as known, I would not say that Ontario is ready for prohibition," so said Premier Ross yesterday, who, when seen by a representative of the Globe, was busy studying the referendum returns as revealed by the morning papers. "If we had the full vote it would furnish a more accurate basis for drawing conclusions. One significant incident of the campaign is the attitude made upon the barrooms as the most obnoxious feature of the liquor traffic, and if one were to be guided by that attitude of the campaign it would seem that that phase of the question was the one most to be considered in dealing with the question in the future."

#### ATTITUDE OF CONSERVATIVES.

"Judging by the result of the vote on prohibition in Toronto, and at some other points, as far as we have yet seen the figures, it would almost appear as if the statement made by the liquor dealers yesterday that the Conservative organization in the province had used their influence to carry the measure in order to embarrass the Government was correct. For instance, in the City of Toronto, the majority in favor of prohibition in the last election was 3,439, whereas the majority in favor of prohibition was 1,450. In 1898 also the vote in Toronto was in favor of prohibition, the Government, amounting to 2,327. A curious circumstance in the election last year in North Toronto. In the last election Mr. Ross was defeated by a majority of 232, and prohibition carried by a majority of 1,574. Mr. Ross advocated in the house every amendment to the prohibition measure which was proposed by the prohibition party, and on that account had a special claim upon the support of the prohibitionists. He was defeated when the vote was taken on prohibition in a measure not even quite as favorable to the prohibitionists as the circumstances indicated. How is this? Did the prohibitionists in the last election vote for the party candidate as against Mr. Ross? Or did they vote for the prohibition measure as against the party candidate? It is certainly not an ordinary change of heart since the general election?"

#### OPINIONS CHANGED SINCE MAY.

"Another feature of the campaign quite conspicuous is that so many citizens have no doubt when we get the full returns, many constituencies, also, that supported Mr. Whitney's candidate, rejected entirely Mr. Whitney's policy. Working the matter in Take Toronto and Hamilton as illustrations. The four Toronto votes supported and elected two Conservative candidates. Hamilton rejected also Mr. Whitney's policy. Working the matter in detail in some of the other cities, similar results are apparent. If Stratford had given a majority for the party candidate, the result of the prohibition, the decision in North Perth would have been very much changed. The same may be said of Guelph and other cities. It is certainly not a large number of towns in the province. It is quite evident, therefore, that a great many people in their zeal for the party candidate, have not given up their views on the question of prohibition. Of course, if the same aggregate vote had been polled throughout the province as was polled in the general election a more accurate deduction could be drawn from the situation as it now appears. But with the present returns as they stand, Hamilton, Stratford, Guelph, and some of the large towns the inference I have drawn from a result of the vote seems a reasonable one."

"When full returns are received, I shall be able to speak with greater confidence as to the situation."

#### A CAUSE OF HEADACHE

One Very Common Cause, Generally Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom, an indication of derangement or disease in some organ of the body. At the head, it is difficult to locate because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom: derangement of the stomach, liver, heart, lungs, kidneys, disease, lung trouble, eye strain or ill fitting glasses all produce headaches, and if we could always locate the organ which is at fault, the cure of obstinate headaches would be a much simpler matter.

However, for that form of headache called frontal headache, pain back of the eyes and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head and throat, when the headache is located in the head and neck, it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver.

At any rate catarrh is the most common cause of such headache, and the cure of the catarrh causes a prompt disappearance of the headaches.

There is at present no treatment for catarrh of the head and throat, except as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new internal remedy in tablet form, composed of antiseptics like red gum, blood root which act upon the blood and cause the elimination of the catarrhal poison from the system through the natural channels.

Miss Cora Ansley, a prominent school teacher in one of our normal schools, speaks of her experience with catarrhal headaches, and eulogizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffered daily from severe frontal headache and pain in and back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to incapacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from catarrh, more or less for years, but never thought it was the cause of my headache until I had been convinced that such was the case because the headaches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack of catarrh."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and pleasant catarrh cure and after using a few 50 cent boxes I became convinced that such was the case because the headaches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack of catarrh."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents per package, under the guarantee of the proprietors that they cure absolutely by procedure (found in so many catarrh cures) no oilium (so common in cheap cough cures) nor any harmful drug. They contain simply the wholesome, antiseptics necessary to destroy and drive from the system the germs of catarrhal disease.

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## 100% ADVANCE BY NEW YEAR'S DAY

Stock That Pays 27 Per Cent in Thirteen Months.

### Brilliant Success of the Eastern Consolidated Oil Co.—Three New Wells in Kern River Producing at the Rate of 25 Barrels of Oil a Month.

In these days of investments on paper it is with a feeling of comfort and satisfaction that one contemplates such an honest and straightforward investment proposition as the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company.

Vouched for by the leading business men of Connecticut, fostered by fiscal agents of national reputation and backed by larger and richer oil properties than are possessed by half a dozen ordinary oil companies, the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company presents to would-be investors an absolutely safe investment, and at the same time an exceedingly profitable one.

#### RESUME OF FACTS.

The Eastern Consolidated Oil Company has over 21,000 acres of rich oil lands. It has more proven oil land than any half-dozen oil companies whose stock is now on the market.

The Eastern Consolidated Oil Company has 109 producing oil wells, more than any three companies that we know of.

The Eastern Consolidated Oil Company sells for cash to the Standard Oil Company thousands of barrels of kerosene, illuminating oil, and motor oil. From its Kern River wells it also produces vast quantities of fuel oil.

This is the company which has paid 20 per cent in dividends to its stockholders on their investments in the past ten months, and this is the company which is distributing this week thousands of dollars more in dividends to its stockholders, completing a cycle of thirteen months of dividend-paying.

The stock sells at 50 cents a share, and those who buy at once will have the absolute certainty of seeing their holdings doubled in value before Jan. 1.

#### AN EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITY.

The statement that \$500 invested in Eastern Consolidated Oil stock now will actually double within a little more than three weeks seems on the surface to be marvellous, but when the circumstances are known it will be seen that this is a logical outcome of the growth of the company and the present situation. Moreover, when it is remembered that during this same length of time the production of oil will be increased by 25,000 barrels a month the increase in price is only natural.

The stock has been selling for 50 cents a share now for several months, and the 50-cent allotment is almost exhausted. The enormous increase in production of oil, the phenomenal demand for oil for fuel, which has sent the price up twice within the last three weeks, all make it inevitable that the price of the stock should go to par. Every dollar put in now will actually double in value.

Untraded, this is not a condition which will last. In a short time it will be impossible to buy any of the stock at this price, and while undervalued the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company will continue to be a rich dividend-paying investment, it is clearly probable that it will ever again offer such an opportunity as this, actually doubling the money of its stockholders within so short a time.

#### ENORMOUS PRODUCTION OF OIL.

From 107 oil wells, located on 13 farms in Wood, Mercer and Van Wert counties, Ohio, this Company is selling regularly for cash thousands of barrels of oil every month. In all the wells put down by the Eastern Consolidated in Ohio, not one has failed.

In Kern River, California, the company owns outright a tract in the very heart of the oil district. Three new wells have come in here within a short time and are producing at the rate of over 25,000 barrels of oil a month. The company is also drilling, with room for a number more. The tract alone is undoubtedly capable of producing 100,000 barrels of oil monthly, and with the two new wells in Kern River, now in the course of construction, at a cost of \$6,000,000, and with the Standard Oil Company's big refineries, there will be a demand for every barrel.

#### CONSERVATIVE BUSINESS MANAGEMENT.

The success of the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company is due to its careful, conservative business management. It has men at its head who have the record and splendid success in handling large business enterprises, of undoubted integrity and business ability.

Hon. Ernest Cady, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Connecticut, is the president. Mr. Cady is one of the successful business men of the Nutmeg State. He is well known in politics and has been his party's candidate for Governor of the state and also for mayor of the City of Hartford. His name alone is a guarantee of the company's reliability.

Hon. Chas. J. Noyes, or as he is better known in Boston, Judge Noyes, is the vice-president. Judge Noyes has been returned three times as senator and eight times as representative to the Massachusetts Legislature. He has served five terms as speaker of the House of Representatives and is a brilliant member of the Massachusetts bar.

Mr. George W. Bennett, of Bridgeport, who was private secretary for the Hon. D. N. Morgan when Mr. Morgan was United States Treasurer, the secretary and treasurer of the company. Mr. Bennett is a successful and very conservative business man.

President Cady and Secretary Bennett devote their entire time to the management of the company. They have made frequent trips to both California and Ohio holdings and have spent months on the Company's properties. They know every detail of the work in progress on every field.

27 PER CENT ON THE INVESTMENT.

With the dividends sent out this week the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company will have paid 27 per cent on the investment to its stockholders in thirteen months. This is a record that no company in the United States whose stock is on the market can equal.

When it is stated that an investment of only \$500, placed thirteen months ago, has paid out actual cash dividends \$125, it is seen what this means. This splendid money-earning, dividend-paying company will present to its stockholders on Jan. 1, a clean balance sheet. On that date it is expected that every dollar of indebtedness will have been wiped out.

With a company whose holdings

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY  
176 and 178 Dundas St., London,  
Saturday, Dec. 6, 1902.

## Newest Stationery

All the latest novelties in beautiful Stationery arrived this week. The styles are exceptionally handsome and entirely new. This newest Stationery is called "The Colonial." One of these Papereries makes a nice Christmas gift. Prices from, each.....35c to \$2.25

A 35c One. A 50c One. A strong, neat box, containing one envelope of fine cream paper, and one package of envelopes, to match, ribbon tied, each.....35c. Swell two-fold Stationery, latest long style, one quire of paper and one package of envelopes, in a nice fancy box, each.....50c.

A Handsome One at \$2.25. First of all, a beautiful box, 13x16 inches, picture on cover, full size of box; subjects, The Haymakers and The Kewers; inside the box, 4 different kinds of finest stationery, in blue, mauve, light gray and cream, all ribbon tied; price, complete.....\$2.25

At 75c. At \$1.25. In lovely fancy green and mauve boxes, containing 2 packages of envelopes, any of the most popular paper, in blue and cream, ribbon tied, each.....75c. In dainty white box, containing 2 quires of paper and 2 packages of envelopes (paper de Toilette), in pale mauve, 2 different sizes, each.....\$1.25

### Monday Will Be a Good Day.

To select a fancy Parlor Lamp. We have 200 new ones, different styles. Prices up from.....\$1.50

Sale of Mirrors. Woodenware Specials. 5 dozen Mirrors, perfect glass, with neat frame, 8x11 inch size, Monday, each.....15c. Wash Boards, each.....15c. 3 dozen 10x12 inch size, each 25c. 5-arm Towel Racks, regular 25c, Monday, for each.....15c. Rolling Pins, each.....5c.

### Other Monday Specials.

Good strong Coal Hods, japanned, only, each.....25c. Very special lines of Horsewhips, each.....15c and 25c. 20 dozen White Oyster Bowls, Monday, each.....5c. 25 dozen sets—Porcelain Cup, Saucer and Plate—special, Monday, set.....10c. 30 dozen Porridge Sets, blue pattern, regular 25c, for, set.....15c.

### Do Your Holiday Shopping Early.

## WOODS' FAIR

amount to near the million-dollar mark, which has expended upward of \$150,000 in development, and whose stock goes to par (\$1 a share), on Jan. 1, 1903, and whose revenue from actual sales of oil promises to be enormous and is already very large, the future success of this company seems assured.

#### THE FISCAL AGENTS.

The stock of the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company is for sale only by its accredited fiscal agents, C. E. Heyron & Co., rooms 401-402, Manning Chambers, Building, 76 Queen street west, Toronto, Canada.

In their opinion, the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company is the most substantial, as well as one of the richest investment propositions ever offered to the public at popular subscription prices. Many of the old stockholders are ordering small blocks of this stock for Christmas gifts. Think of a present which will actually double in value between Christmas and New Year!

See advertisement in another column of today's issue of desirable business property on Talbot street for sale.

## RESULT IN N. MIDDLESEX

Electoral District Polls 2,463

Votes for Liquor Act.

Result Made Known by Returning Officer Brown.

The official count of the votes polled in North Middlesex for and against the liquor act, prepared by Donald A. Brown, returning officer, shows the following result:

	For	Against
Lobo	318	57
Adelaide	318	57
West Williams	191	27
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McGillivray	467	66
Hildburgh	175	31
Luben	105	12
Alisa Craig	105	12
Parkhill	124	66
Totals	1,990	478
Total vote polled in 1898.....	4,294	
Total vote polled on Thursday.....	2,463	
Majority for act.....	1,617	

### AN ALL-ROUND TRAITOR.

London, Dec. 6.—A dispatch from Brussels says that M. Nagels, the procureur du roi, dispensed the notion of a concerted plot, the attempt recently to assassinate King Leopold. He says the anarchist, Rubino, formerly was employed by the Italian consulate in London to report the doings of anarchists. He betrayed both anarchists and his employers and wished to regain the confidence of his colleagues by a single-handed exploit.

### 20 WORKMEN KILLED.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Daily Express says that in the riots which occurred recently at Rostoff the troops fired on the workmen, killing 20 of them.

### KAISER AS A BANDMASTER.

Emperor William led the band of the Cuirassier Regiment at Neudorf, near Breslau, Tuesday night handing the baton with quite a professional air. The incident took place after a great banquet at which the band played. The next day Emperor William visited the band while it was at practice, reined for an hour and again conducted various numbers.

### SPAIN WANTS A CABINET.

Madrid, Dec. 6.—King Alfonso today charged Senor Silveira to form a Conservative cabinet to succeed the Sagasta ministry, which resigned on Wednesday. The Cortes will be dissolved, the king having consented to issue a decree to that effect before Christmas. Senor Silveira is busily conferring with his supporters.

### SEVERE WEATHER.

Telegrams from all parts of Europe record severe weather and snow, the temperature being several degrees below freezing point. The Dutch canals are frozen over and the harbor at Copenhagen is icebound. Heavy falls of snow are being experienced in the Alps, and some Swiss villages are isolated. The Bora (the dry wind which sweeps across the Adriatic from the Julian Alps) is blowing with great violence.

A Berliner takes on the average 123 street car rides a year.

## If You Pity A Sick Friend, Tell Me His Name. Let Me Help Him.

Just write a postal card—only the cost of a penny. All I ask is the name of a friend who needs help. Tell me the book to send.

Then I will do this:—I will mail the sick one an order—good at any drug store—for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. He may take it a month at my risk. If he succeeds, the cost is \$5.50. If it fails, I will pay the druggist myself. And the sick one's mere word shall decide it.

Don't think that too fair to be possible, for I do just as I say. I do it to convince those who don't know me, and so that everyone who needs help will accept it. I have learned that the cured ones are fair. I have furnished my Restorative to hundreds of thousands on just those terms, and 35 out of each 40 have paid gladly, because they were cured. I have willingly paid for the rest. And I spent a lifetime in perfecting the remedy before I ever offered it to anyone. At thousands of bedside, in hospitals and homes, I have watched it cure the most difficult cases that physicians ever meet. I learned that it does not fail, save where some cause—like cancer—makes a cure impossible.

My success comes from strengthening the inside nerves. My Restorative builds back that nerve power which alone operates every vital organ of the body. Common treatments merely doctor the organs, and the results at best are but temporary. My remedy restores the nerve power that makes these organs act. No other treatment does that, and there is positively no other way to make weak vital organs well.

My book will explain this. It tells about the only remedy so sure that any man dare offer it on such a plan as mine. Won't you tell me a friend who needs it?

Simply state which book is wanted, and address Dr. Shoop, Box 41, Racine, Wis.

Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is sold by all druggists.