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Water Supply and Other Questions.

Anti-Option Arguments Answered.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: ceived through the mail anti-local op- means a lot of work for this department, the Real Estate Owners' Association. sons why the bylaw to be voted on on Monday should be opposed. Among the reasons given, the principal are these health of my fellow-citizens, and the public to see any further than the end of their nose, and they appear to think that economy of the present supply is going two: 1. Local option is a failure. Evi-lic must accept that reason for my addence increased number of convictions dressing them in my official capacity, beof drunks in Owen Sound since local ing well aware that only under the most option came into force there. 2. In the extraordinary circumstances has an official Scott act years of 1885 to 1889, as much the right to do so liquor was consumed as in previous years, the failure of all such legislation being thus proved.

In regard to the first a Mr. William Legate, of Owen Sound, a reputable To the Editor of The Advertiser: business man there, has replied in writ- The many articles that have aping, in part as follows: "There are two reasons for this being the case. First, we have a strictly temperance counhad room for all of them in the lock- see the unsoundness of.

his income derived therefrom had been time saves nine." greatly reduced "Ald. O'Meara moved that the appli-

The motion was voted down on the be flooded with similar appeals. Yours Westminster Township.

The City Engineer's Plea.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

sewer bylaw. The necessity for the exten- ation day that he had been a life-long labor for the capital invested than the electors, and there is little, if any, London, East London and North London, is such an absolute and dire need for the health and growth of the city that I cannot conceive any property owner voting local option was no good, and that 8. It may increase the local tax about pay fees (they're not doing it now),

week, that this department does not divergent, efforts of both the temper- the land as it comes into force. give up all idea of it and buy some lot show that such reports are absolutely Dorchester, Jan. 4. where a sewer is already in or likely to groundless. The motive behind the e constructed in the very near future. The necessity of a sewer from a point

Ridout street to Grand avenue.

Second: Commencing at the trunk sewer on South street (Ottaway avenue) and Maitland street, thence easterly along should vote on the Christ side, that all moralization of business, increased street, thence south on Adelaide street to who have consciences should vote as consumption of liquor, increased tax-Nelson street, thence easterly on Nelson conscience dictates. street to Rectory street.

tion having sewerage by the construction "Only" two. The word "only" is ter-indulged in very largely a few years ago

the Grand Trunk Railway. on Grosvenor street, near Talbot street, two all that will be affected? If ru-swered today, not by counter predic-

erage by constructing lateral sewers on all the streets throughout this section. There will be a small area at the extreme northeast corner of the city that cannot have sewer connection, as it is too low; also all the lowlands lying west of St. George street to the river are too low, and a narrow strip along the east side of St.

George, between Victoria and Huron. The construction of these extensions

AQUILA O. GRAYDON,

Local Option-A Final Word.

peared in the daily papers lately him now is fined for a first offense, and against local option that can stand be- know that they cannot be expected to The chief of p office is credited with gonot fined for the first offense, and some- There is not a single argument against in civic affairs. times not even for the second. Sec- local option, but what has been alend, on inquiring of the chief of po- ready refuted time after time. There lice, he stated that if they had arrested is not a single argument against local all the drunks they came across under option but what the thinking voter, by To the Editor of The Advertiser: the license system, they would not have a little observation and reflection, can

them being drunk under the license sys- for a new method of reforming the have been raised to local option. tem, but there is no excuse for them drunkard (See editorials in late copies 1. Personal liberty in no civilized now. In fact, he said that there is not of The Advertiser) started by the Chief country is limited. Our liberty ends one drunk now to the one hundred that Inspector under the Inebriates' Act in where other people's rights begin. were under the license system, and that the Imperial Government, who declares 2. It is not the old Scott act, in fact. the quiet of the town at night is won- that the present system of the treat- enforcement, or results, though the As to the second reason, the follow- faulty and altogether ineffectual to- work in many places today. Ing extract from the city of London wards his reformation. The system 3. Local option is being enforced betcouncil proceedings under date of June proposed would involve the nation in ter today than any liquor law that was 29, 1885, is probably a sufficient answer: the expenditure of vast sums of money ever on the statute books of the Prov-"Communication from John Hamilton, to equip and maintain, A wiser, sim- ince of Ontario. appealing against assessment of \$5,200 pler, cheaper and a more efficient so- 4. Why do the liquor party always When an election is on, it is imposon personal property and real estate, lution of the problem would be to speak of "a well-observed license law"? sible for a candidate to see even a situated on the south side of Anu close up the barrooms. Then there will not observe any law wil street and known as the Kent Brewery. would be practically no drunkards and will not observe any law, unless com-He appealed on the ground that the no vast sums of the public money re- pelled to, and they are sore because the Gammage, who is seeking for re-elecpassage of the Scott act in Middlesex quired to reform them. The old adages local option law is bringing them to tion as school trustee, asks all whom and adjacent counties had considerably would be truly verified: "Prevention is time. depreciated the property in value, and better than cure," and "A Stitch in 5. Experience with local option law as his solicitation for their vote. When

cation be granted to the same extent some taxes. If the country did not repealed. as was allowed the other two breweries have to spend was sums of money to 6. Unquestionably, business in all to win the votes and confidence of the by the court of revision. Ald. Cowan take care of the results, and to mend other lines except liquor, has improved electors. Five years ago Mr. Gammage ground that if passed the council would would not be because the people throughout the

Let me urge on the electors of the city a prominent Conservative of the town- sidered no good by his creditors. temperance people, and he thought that grades. statement was plainly a political dodge.

of health is so apparent to everyone A Conservative would not wish to discomfort his party with local option. To the Editor of The Advertiser: The following is the route of the pro. Surely he was unwise to present such As might have been expected, within posed extension in South London: Com- a policy. Would not the ordinary re- the last day or two the townships mencing at the trunk sewer on Edward former be likewise moved by the disstreet, at the intersection of Bruce street, comforting motive and vote according- have been flooded with literature in salmon. They were, Wm. J. Hughes, and thence easterly along Brace street to ly? But why should partyism be felt opposition to the bylaw. Ridout street south, thence south on in this great moral struggle? Let it One of the circulars, in a dozen or carry or fall by its own inherent more brief paragraphs, predicts cer- are recovering slowly. right! We would prefer that all should tain dire results that would follow the vote from principle, that all Christians passage of the bylaw. General de-

erty, if advisable) to Victoria street, and desperate effort will no doubt be made Ontario that are without licenses.

men be led down to destruction in five sult that was to follow the passage of

each other in the work of woe. Now, now is the time to head off all this disaster to us and our township. good for all eternity.

EDGAR M. ZAVITZ. Coldstream, Jan. 3, 1907.

The Water Question.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: It amuses me to see the letters on economy of the present supply is going votes polled in order to carry it. to enable the city to provide water

Local Option in Dorchester.

Will you kindly publish the followup, and that there was an excuse for An agitation has been started lately ing answers to certain objections that ment of the drunkard is exceedingly Scott act is in force and doing good

proves it a great and increasing success a man enters the field for municipal Near the close of every year we hear everywhere, there not being five places honors for the first time he has only

the evils caused by drink, the universal wherever the law has come into effect. ran for the school board and was electwould not be heard or felt. Let us facts of the case, that men are not city knew him as a first-rate type of vote out the barroom and its baneful wasting their time, and are spending citizen and a successful business man, work, and the burden of overtaxation their money for the necessities of life. and as one likely to do good public will be lifted from the general tax- It is credibly stated regarding one service on the board. He fulfilled these payer. By acting unwisely as voters, drinker from Owen Sound that in the expectations. His work has been good. we suffer grievously as ratepayers. last six months he has paid off old He has simply carried it out as he Many of the voters of Lobo heard scores amounting to \$400, that was con- would his own affairs-on a sound, of London to poll a solid vote for the ship state from the platform on nomin- 7. The liquor business employs less work on the board to commend him to

become disgusted with the methods of most of the labor it employs it de- Gammage asks every voter who bemore whisky was drunk after it was 50 cents on \$5,000 worth of property, but every voter who believes in his policy There is scarcely a day, certainly never passed than before. The great, but in general will greatly reduce all over of better sanitary conditions in the

have some citizen intending to purchase ance people and their opponents, to 10. The liquor people believe in tem- omical management of the city schools a lot to build on, make inquiry if there is carry, or to block, local option, prove perance, but produce all the intemper- to vote for him on Monday. These a sewer on the street where he proposes the statement to be a mere bluff. Facts ance in the land. Moral: Vote for local are the things he has worked for. to purchase, and if there is not he will where local option has passed go to option. Yours truly, J. HOLMES.

A Defense of Local Option.

ation, and many other imaginable evils. It has been stated that only two It is a very easy matter to predict This will permit of all that entire sec- licenses would be affected in Lobo, results. Anybody can do it. It was sewers on all the streets ribly out of place in this connection when the act was first introduced, and throughout that area, as far north as "Two" barrooms, in the eyes of tem- the same old predictions that were perance people, are a vast multitude, made then are repeated today. They The north end extension will commence and a great superabundance. But are were answered then, but they are anmor can be believed there may be a tions, but by the evidence of the best George street, thence north on St. George return to the five formerly running. A recople in the 240 municipalities in east on Victoria street to Adelaide to obtain licenses in all the hotels in What do they say? That men who street. By the construction of this main the township, and all the barrooms may were once drunken, have become sober, sewer, all the properties lying between be running again and whisky flow as that every branch of business has imvenor street and Huron street, the freely as ever, and drunkards be as proved, that there has been no innorthern boundary of the city, and be frequently seen as of old, and young crease in taxes; in fact, every evil re-

men be led down to destruction in five sult that was to follow the particle of the particle of

The best men in every township are unanimous in declaring the law a success, that it is better observed than Ships Put Out From Colon Harbor to Letters on Local Option, the tween Adelaide street and St. George Vote for local option, and sweep out any other law on the statute book, the evil for all time, and usher in the and that under it conditions are improved in every respect. Further evidence of this is shown by the fact, the water question by the members of temperance people, encouraged by the and the Advance and fourteen other mouth shut. tion literature, unsigned, giving reasons why the bylaw to be voted on on some with the bylaw to be voted on on some with the bylaw to be voted on on the bylaw to be vote Much has been made of the fact that freight sailed for New York. enough for any quantity of increase in the police court returns for Owen

population. If they would go just a Sound show an increase of drunks over little deeper into the matter they would corresponding periods of former years. Friend. learn that even with a meter on every This is easily accounted for. Under service there would be no surplus of license there was an excuse for men water in the coming summer, and we being drunk, and they were not arwould still be up against a necessity rested unless they created a disturbof going further than Springbank for ance. Then, it was not customary to the G. T. R. fireman who was scalded an ample supply; but they are not fine them for a first offense, and some- last Monday. The remains were taken looking out for the future of the city times not for a second. Now, every to Goderich for interment. Dean was at all; they are not prepared to do man found under the influence of liquor married and had lived in York lately. anything except just what will enable is arrested and fined, and thus it is He was 28 years of age. favor of local option have remained us to scrape through the present. They made to appear that there is more cil, which instructed the police to ar- unanswered. That fact is sufficient evi- are going to receive a surprise on poll- drunkennes than formerly. On the evirest every person they caught drunk dence that the views and statements ing day when the Komoka scheme will dence of over 40 businessmen, there is or disorderly, and the magistrate made in them are true and unrefut- be carried by a big majority. The not one drunk in Owen Sound today claims that every man brought before able. There is not a single argument citizens are onto the R. E. O. A., and for every twenty-five under license. before, under the license system, was fore the light of truth and of reason. back up anything that is progressive in civic affairs.

La Grippe that the proportion is not more than

one for every hundred before. Another item in the Owen Sound police court returns is very significant. Whereas under license the average number of vagrants arrested in a stated period was 18, under local option this was reduced to 5. Looks as if the town was rather prosperous, doesn't it? Local option does all that was claimed for it by the temperance people, and more. Don't be misled by roorbachs. Yours respectfully.

D. A. McDERMID.

tation as a business man to rely upon business-like basis. He now has his temperance worker, but that he had any other industry in the land, and doubt of the result on Monday. Mr. lives that non-resident pupils should public schools, and in efficient econ-Every elector who believes these are good points, and who wants live, straightforward business men on the school board, are asked to vote for William Gammage for school trustee.

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