

MR. McVICAR, U.F.O., HAS MAJORITY OF 1572

Prohibition Carried 6 to 1

The complete returns for the voting in East Elgin have just been issued by Mr. H. Huntley, returning officer, and gives the majority of 1572, to Malcolm McVicar, U. F. O. candidate. This far exceeds the majority Nat first believed and is accounted for by the fact of 787 majority given him in Yarmouth alone. At the time of going to press last week the Express was unable to secure the vote in Yarmouth at all, as returns had not come in then. Yarmouth alone gave Mr. McVicar half his total majority over T. Merritt Moore, conservative candidate.

The number of spoiled and rejected ballots were very few, totalling only 87 in the voting for candidates and only 224 on the Referendum ballot. This is considered excellent in view of the fact that 8,615 ballots were cast. The returning officer and poll clerks also carried out their duties well in all cases, despite the complicated character of the voting.

The riding voted about 6 to 1 against the booze. By far the greater number of ballots were marked either four "No's." or four "Yeas" the split ballots being remarkably few.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	77	238
2	54	61
3	95	165
4	66	196
5	61	161
6	97	172
7	86	82
8	113	159
9	114	166
10	10	94
11	26	142

Yarmouth

Majority for McVicar 837.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	113	187
2A	59	116
2B	42	140
3A	86	132
3B	49	76
4	136	149
5	159	163

Malahide

Majority for McVicar 319.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	77	154
2	87	179
3	52	200

S. Dorchester

Majority for McVicar 317.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
A	191	87
B	96	48

Port Stanley

Majority for Moore 152.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1A	72	134
1B	98	100
2	52	124
3	38	87
4	76	119
5	152	96
6	111	117
7	73	44

Bayham

Majority for McVicar 149.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	197	259
2A	90	125
2B	134	118
3	151	162

Aylmer

Majority for Moore 92.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	149	101

Springfield

Majority for McVicar 58.

Div.	Moore	McVicar
1	26	84

Vienna

Majority for McVicar 1,572.

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Yarmouth	799	1636
Malahide	644	963
Bayham	672	821
S. Dorchester	216	533
Aylmer	572	664
Port Stanley	287	135
Springfield	149	101
Vienna	26	84

Recapitulation

Majority for McVicar, 1,572.

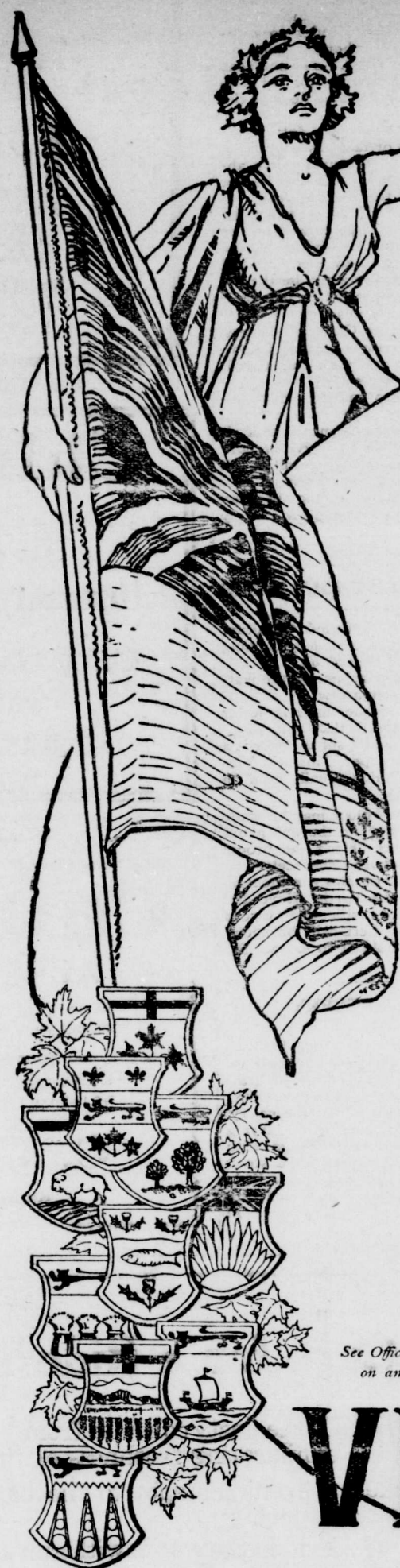
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Referendum Summary

Yarmouth—Question 1, yes, 355; no, 219. Question 2, yes, 429; no, 2059. Question 3, yes, 396; no, 2088. Question 4, yes, 568; no, 1916. Malahide—Question 1, yes 118; no, 1481. Question 2, yes, 136; no, 1458. Question 3, yes, 140; no, 1454. Question 4, yes, 196; no, 1398. Bayham—Question 1, yes, 190; no, 1317. Question 2, yes, 177; no, 1335. Question 3, yes, 197; no, 1317. Question 4, yes, 248; no, 1262.

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S. Dorchester—Question 1, yes, 74; no, 676; Question 2, yes 89; no, 662; Question 3, yes, 86; no, 664; Question 4, yes, 128; no, 632.

Aylmer—Question 1, yes, 156; no, 1108; Question 2, yes, 165; no, 1096; Question 3, yes, 166; no, 1095; Question 4, yes, 271; no, 1031.

Port Stanley—Question 1, yes, 107; no, 321; Question 2, yes, 112; no, 316; Question 3, yes, 116; no, 312; Question 4, yes, 154; no, 274.

Springfield—Question 1, yes, 47; no, 206; Question 2, yes, 54; no, 198; Question 3, yes, 54; no, 198; Question 4, yes, 65; no, 187.

Vienna—Question 1, yes, 11; no, 107; Question 2, yes, 17; no, 101; Question 3, yes, 10; no, 108; Question 4, yes, 29; no, 89.

Totals—Question 1, yes, 1058; no, 7344. Question 2, yes, 1179; no, 7235. Question 3, yes, 1165; no, 7236. Question 4, yes, 1658; no, 6789.

Question	For	Against
1	1058	7344
2	1179	7235
3	1165	7236
4	1658	6789

Majority against, 28,534.

"THE NET"

By Rex Beach

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known and had learned to love in a big, impersonal way. He attributed the change to his own failure in responding to her timid advances, and this made him quite unhappy.

Nor did he see much of Vittoria, although Oliveta came daily to inquire about his progress.

He was up and about in time for the Mafia trial; but his duties in connection with it left him little leisure for society, which he was indeed glad to escape. New Orleans, he found was on tiptoe for the climax of the tragedy which had so long been in

source of ferment. The public was roused to a new and even keener suspense than at any time—not so much, perhaps, by the re-opening of the case as by rumors of bribery and corruption which were gaining ground. A startling array of legal talent had appeared for the defence; the trial was expected to prove the greatest legal battle in the history of the commonwealth. Maruffi, with genius for control, had assumed an iron-bound leadership and laughed openly at the possibility of conviction. He had struck the note of persecution, making a patriotic appeal to the Italian populace; and the foreign section of the city seethed in consequence.

On the opening day, the court room was packed, the halls and corridors of the Criminal Court building were filled to suffocation, the neighboring streets were jammed with people clamoring for admittance and hungry for news within.

Then began the long tedious task of selecting a jury. Public opinion had run so high that this was no easy undertaking. As day after day went by in the monotonous examination and challenge of talesmen, as panel after panel was exhausted with no result not only did the ridiculous shortcomings of the jury system become apparent, but also the fact that the Mafia had, as usual, made full use of its sinister powers of intimidation.

In view of the atrocious character of the crime and the immense publicity given it, those citizens who were qualified by intelligence to act as jurors had of necessity read and heard sufficient to form an opinion, and was therefore automatically debarrd from service. It became necessary to place the final adjudication of the matter in the hands of men who were either utterly indifferent to the public weal or lacked intelligence to read and weigh and think.

A remarkable wave of humanity seemed to overwhelm the city. Four out of every five men examined professed a disbelief in capital punishment which, although it merely covered a fear of the Mafia's antagonism, nevertheless excused them for cause. Day after day this mockery went on.

As the list of talesmen grew into the hundreds and the same extraordinary antipathy to hanging continued to manifest itself, it occasioned remark, then ridicule. It would have been laughable had it not been so significant. The papers took it up, urging, exhorting, demanding that there be a stiffening of backbone; but to no effect. More than this, the Mafia had reigned so long and so autocratically, it had so shamefully abused the courts in the past, that a large proportion of honest men declared themselves unwilling to believe Sicilian testimony unless corroborated, and this prevented them from serving.

A week went by, and then another, and still twelve men who could try the issue fairly had not been found. Some few had been accepted, to be sure, but they were not representative of the city, and the list of talesmen who had been examined and excused on one pretext or another numbered fully a thousand.

Meanwhile, Maruffi smiled and shrugged and maintained his innocence. (to be continued next week)

ers. Thousands of animals were entered at this international exhibition, but the Oxford cows were in the front rank. One fine cow, Homestead Susie Colantha, sold to John A. Bell, Jr., of Coraopolis, Penn., for \$7,500, and Judge Moscrip, an American authority on cows and cattle, stated that this cow was one of the most perfect specimens of the Holstein breed he had ever seen. Her record for production has been equalled by only a few other animals on the continent. As a junior 2-year-old she gave 15,389 pounds of milk, or the equivalent of 627.5 pounds of butter in a year. The cow won easy firsts at the big Toronto and London exhibitions this year. The above cow was bred and raised by Laidlaw Bros., of Aylmer, Ont. She has been exhibited at Aylmer and East Elgin Fairs ever since a calf and has never missed taking first prizes. She was an Elgin County cow not an Oxford cow as Oxford people would have us believe. A year ago Mr. Lloyd Laidlaw sold her to Haley & Lee, of Springfield.

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