## POINTS OUT FAILURE OF HEARST ADMINISTRATIOI

E. D. O'Flynn Announced His Progressive Platorm at Wednes day Night's Meeting at City Hall-Ald. Ramsden's Criticism of Attorney-General Lucas.






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THE WEEKLY ONTARIO, $\begin{aligned} & \text { popular loan, Fortunately the spirit of } \\ & \text { Dominion was higher than the gloomy }\end{aligned}$


## Subertpton Rates



 w. I. Morton, manager.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1919. Making the government a bartender
While the opinion of the electorate ap
pears to be pretty nearly unanimous agains
the restoration of the old-time bar in ontario
yet, strange to say, there are considerabie
numbers of electors who $d$
tender of the government.
There are many wh have stated to the
ontario that they will vote "on" on the first
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"yes" on the fourth which reads sile this, "Are you in favor of the sale of spirtur
ous and you in favor of the sale of spiritu-
agencies?"
liguors
Sale by goverment shops, or dispensaries,
sounds well but it has never worked out so well
in practice.
Government liguor dispensaries were tried
out for a perion or thrten years in the state of
South Carolina. No tifuor could be drunk on
the premises where it was sold. A pint flask
was the smallest guantity supplied to any cus-
tomer. The ousispensers wwer papidid to their any calaries
the same as clerks in the post office and were
herefore supposed to have no financial inter-
est in sales or the promotion of the drinking
habit among new customers.
Theoretically the law looked good but how
did it work out actavily? At the end of nine
of records of the state had this to say about
the practical results of the dispensary system:
ing at the rate of about $\$ 200,000$ worth per
"Under the present plan the illicit sell-
nd the officile controle the
the dispensarary's best busininess customers.
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ations of the dispensary has hat a disesstrous
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people. The fact that the state itselt was the
dispenser gave a standing and responsiblity
to drinking customs that they had not known
"The dispensary management encour-
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to sell enough liquor to pay the matter. .n the other hand the Liberal plat
their salaries and expenses and return a pro- form calls for a law fixing an eight-hour play
not be made to poy a pronta were closed up."
In 1906 South Carorina
pensary law, later to adoopot total prohibbition as
the only
business.
was undertaken in the province of saskatcte-
can "shortly arter the begining of of the war.
But after a trial of eighteen months the elec-
tors of the province decided by a vote of seven
to one in favor of having the act repealed and
full provincial prohibition adopted.
The Gothenburg system as administered in
sweden and elsewhere has been similariy un-
satisfactory
with by comproise. The "sane, moderate"
measures advocated by the Citizens' Liberty
League, wherever tried, have resulted in all
the evils that were rampant under the reign of
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the licensed bar. Otten the "sane" moderate"
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o leave them all behind. Step lightly here with vision clear The open road of Arcady
Winds on, and on, and on Amid its sunrise hills the ligh
From age to age has she A thousand ways the wanderer stra To endless new delights. And friends awaft at every gate
And from the heights The skies are blue in Arcady, The winds are sweet and soft, With perfumes of a myriad flowers
In dell and wood and and In dell and wood and croft. arm sunshine gold the hills enfold
And fields of rippling grain. The song-birds trill at their wild will In love-inspired refral
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## Suburban Notes

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## Subscrituon Rates




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REPUTAJION, FOUR-SQUARE AND oNE HUNDRED PER CENT. SOUND
$\qquad$ ation of one of the bravest and most devoted,
soldiers that ever left our shores to bare his breast to the enemies of his country, is almost
pitiable in its shamelessness. The attacks are not by direct assertion but by innuendo, in-
sinuation and whispering, the usual weapons of the coward. Lt.Col. O'Flynn's military service in the war He did not wait even for the formal declaration war to offer to go to the defence of his counlossal war was in table ter minister of milltia that he was willing to the he Empire assigned.
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 Oshawa and Lindsay, as well as the city Peterborough, having nearly twice the popu-
lation of the City of the Bay. Then came the
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than to quote the following article from la
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part of the campaign of misrepresentation
e past masters.
The law in
ction law in this regard is perfectly clear.
g of liquor, has this proviso in it:
ent any minister of the gospel from having in
his possession wine for sacramental purposes,"
Furthermore, full provision is made for
he obtaining of wine for sacramental purposes
which reads as follows:
"Nothing in this Act shall prevent a drug
gist from selling wine for sacramental
es to a minister of the gospel upon his written
equest, which may be in the form of Schedul
"E" The Ontario Temperance Act provides for
sacramental, mechanical, industrial and medi-
inal purposes, safeguarding this permitting
ale so as to prevent liquor so ob
eing used for beverage purposes
Where do the candidates stand?
The supreme iss
he question of the prohibition of the liquor
It is highly important that, every elector
Both Col. O'Flynn and Mr. Ireland, the



 where his sympathies lie and whether he will providing for the care of children, through mo-
|cast his ballot on Monday, October 20th, to thers' pensions, with that of states where the ter reputaton $\qquad$ herrware

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$\qquad$formed them that he would vote "No" all down miothers pensions spent ony care of five times as many children. To be
ess back to Ontario in any shape or form. of a charitable institution, as against only $\$ 120$regard to his own opinions. So far as we are where the scheme of mothers pensions hadreg"Fruit-atives" Restored Her To Perfect Healith Hexime $\pm=5$
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servative platform. There is no prohibition and restored them to their mothers, where they | plank on the Conservative platform. The Con- $\begin{array}{l}\text { and restored them to their mothers, where they } \\ \text { prop under the normal, wholesome }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | servatives as a party have never declared that environment of home. The effect of this

they favored even the continuance of the On- humanizing policy was obvious in the care and rio Temperance Act. The Liberals have adopted as one of the, But it was the financial gain of the system that lanks of their platform, the fullest measure of made a deep impression. It was found that it rohibition that it is within the powers of cost 75 per cent., to administer charity in the
俍 he province to obtain. Mr. Hartley Dewart, at larger cities of the state, while the administra-
icton on Friday night, stated that he stood tion of mothers' pensions costs only five per whole-heartedly upon that platform.

## W. C. A. NOTES


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## PENSIONS FOR MOTHERS

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## THE BIG ISSUE

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The government views this movement with diessay averne consternation. Govermment
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severly critical of the U . . . o meventent and
seem to seem to regard it as a pitece of gros
tion as well as of base ingratudude.
The government is represented by Hon,
George Henry and others of tis pokesmen as
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ture, with nothing left tor the U. F. or anybody
 do not see why the happy rurailist should not be highly pleased with conditions as they are
and with the paternal measures taken by the government. But the agriculturist is not sitasied even
though he can move about more rapily than before with his move luxurious Ford word agricultural policy, has falled absolutely to reach the heart of the trouble. During
fourtee years the eoteriment has boen
power the farme of ontario have lost nearí ail the alleged prosperity and profteering of
the farmers there is io mad rush fromin the cities to take the e lice of that rush fromo peopole
who have made their ple and ebandoned the happy and prosperous surroundings of the
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There are others. however, who think that
somethin further can be done. Among these latter is wr. Nelson Parliament. He bellieve
there are lots of things that reaite beero are the vers ory tuingse that requite to be don
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rural depopula tion are made right He it of the opition that
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great, prosperous, contented agricultural state
might proftably be applied here. At the provincial Liberal con at Toronto the latter parto of convenention hrela
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framed the hirman of the committee that Pramed the agricultural policy that was after
wards unanimously adopted by the delegates.
This policy is This policy is mertly the embodiment of of the
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A system of rural credits to be establish
to provide long term money at a low rate
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a low rate of interest on the esecurity of lands
and improvements to assist sett ers.
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serving even to the millionaire? Does the enforces identically the same regulations up
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caine or other habit-forming drugs,
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## OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS



## Wedding Bells



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