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THE EXTREME PENALTY.

Paid by Wife Murderer Hammond Yesterday

BRACEBRIDGE, Ont. Sept. 15.—(Special)—William James Hammond, the wife murderer, was hanged this morning.

FOOD ENOUGH

In Dawson to Last all Next Winter.
Dawson, Sept. 15.—(Special)—The Canadian police have completed a thorough investigation and say the food supplies more than sufficient for the winter.

ST JOHN EXHIBITION.

C. F. Boyer of Georgetown Wins Many Prizes.

St. John, Sept. 15.—[Special]—Governor Powers of Maine, and Governor McLellan of New Brunswick are here to attend Maine Day at the exhibition to-morrow.

Fred G. Boyer of Georgetown is the chief winner in the Short Horn cattle. He took first prize for a three year old bull, second for a bull calf, a diploma for bull of any age, third for cow four years old, first and second for two year old heifer and first for a year old heifer.

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WAYS THAT ARE DARK

Twenty Five Votes to be Obtained.

EACH LIQUOR DEALER

Is Given this Task in Addition to the Usual Rum Vote—Their Campaign a Secret one but no Chances are Being Taken.

The Witness, is once more in a position to give a complete expose of the plans and doings of those who for purely mercenary reasons, as hired officials of liquor organizations, are doing every thing that men of desperation can desire or accomplish to prevent the overwhelming desire of the people of Canada for the suppression of their direct foe, the liquor traffic. The exposure needs no comment, and is fully explained in the circulars which have been kept from the public eye for nearly two months, but have come to light in time to arouse the most apathetic temperance man and woman to the importance of the crisis now facing the electorate.

ONTARIO LICENSE HOLDERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

Organized April 4, 1894.

Headquarters, 28 Wellington street, East Toronto.

Henry Maxey, president, Hamilton; E. Dickie, secretary, Toronto; Wm. Armstrong, treasurer, Toronto; A. S. Smith, St. Thomas; James McPharland, Kingston, auditors; John Coffey, first vice-president, Barrie; D. B. Birrell, second vice-president, York Mills; James Harverson, solicitor, Toronto; Toronto, July 5, 1898.

(Confidential.)

My Dear Sir,—I enclose you a typewritten report giving the more important resolutions adopted by the London convention, held on the 21st and 22nd of June. The printed report of the proceedings is now in course of preparation and will be mailed to each member early in August.

I desire particularly to draw your attention to the resolutions adopted re plebiscite campaign. Regarding resolution No. 2, if you have not as yet forwarded me the information asked for will you please let me have such by the 15th instant, or as speedily afterwards as possible.

In connection with the fourth resolution, each association is expected to make a special assessment to pay our portion of the expenses of the campaign. The amount of such assessment is left with each association to decide upon. All under license in your district should be called upon for this extra assessment be they member or non-member. Our portion of the expenses of the campaign was placed at the sum of \$5,000.

In order to carry out resolutions Nos. 4 and 5 you should arrange for a meeting of the trade in your district at once, and at that meeting make your plans. Our success in the fight will depend upon thorough manner in which each individual will carry out the plan in his own immediate vicinity. The convention considered that each license holder should be at least able to poll 25 friends, votes.

Regarding by-elections for the Legislative Assembly, the resolution referring to such will at a later date be brought to the attention of those local associations in whose districts elections may be held during the coming fall or winter.

Please note what is said regarding members and honorary members, and do your utmost to carry out what the convention requests.

I would like to receive a full report

from your district upon all matters referred to above, before Monday, the second day of August. The plebiscite vote will be taken either in September or October, so there is no time to lose. You can be rid of the question of prohibition for all time to come; also further restrictions to the License Act for many years to come, if for the next three months each member of the trade will cut do his part.

Let me know specially at your earliest convenience the amount the Central Committee may expect from your district special assessment, so that they may be placed in a position to go on with the printing. The Brewers' Association, at their annual meeting on Tuesday last endorsed the plan of campaign as set forth in the report and have appointed a committee to act on the joint committee. In conclusion let me impress upon you the importance of keeping your plans, etc., from the public.

Yours respectfully,

E. DICKIE.

Partial report of the proceedings of London Convention setting forth the resolutions dealing with the plebiscite and other matters upon which action should be taken at once by each local association.

Executive committee's recommendation, re-Plebiscite Campaign (as adopted by Convention).

Whereas, the principal argument during the past four years by the temperance party in Ontario, in asking for amendments to the License Act, was that the plebiscite vote submitted to the electorate at the municipal elections held in January, 1894, was carried by the large majority of 65,000, therefore showing that public opinion would be behind the government in any restrictive legislation they might enact, and, therefore, if the trade of the province should take no part in the coming plebiscite campaign, and allow the vote to go by default, we consider that as in 1894 a large majority would be polled in favor of prohibition, and we would once more be brought face to face with the agitation for further amendments to the License Act, the argument used being, that for the second time in five years prohibition had carried by a large majority, therefore, this convention recommends that a campaign be entered upon by the trade, to secure the largest possible vote against prohibition and that our plan of campaign be conducted upon the following lines:

1. A joint central committee representing the different branches of the trade should be appointed, committee to be empowered to provide and prepare such literature as they may deem necessary both for distribution and the use of the press. That sample copies be sent to each local association, that they may advise the provincial secretary which would be most suitable for use in the locality and the probable quantity required. That under extreme circumstances the joint committee shall be empowered to make use of the funds to further the interest of our cause, but it is understood that the principal portion of the moneys received for plebiscite campaign shall be devoted to newspaper and postal distribution of literature.

2. The attitude the press of each license district propose to adopt on the question of prohibition, should be ascertained at once by the officers of each local association, and such information sent to the central office, not later than the 15th of July.

3. No part to be taken by the trade in public meetings, this phase of the

campaign to be left entirely with the temperance party; this committee considers that public discussion would only assist the temperance party in keeping up the enthusiasm and would bring no practical results to the trade.

4. That in order to meet our share of the necessary expenses of the campaign this convention here assembled instructs the provincial secretary to notify the various secretaries of the local associations the amount required to be raised for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the coming plebiscite campaign, and that our proportion be the sum of \$5,000. That each association in addition to collecting the annual membership fee for 1898-99 shall also collect a special assessment for plebiscite purposes.

5. That such arrangements be made by each local association as will ensure the seeing of each license holder in their district in order that he may be impressed with the importance of polling every friendly vote in his immediate vicinity.

6. Re by-elections for Local Legislature. This convention endorses the action taken by the Executive regarding the late provincial elections, but in all by-elections which may be held, the secretary is instructed to forward to each candidate the four questions adopted by the Hamilton convention, and upon receipt of the answers copies of the same will be forwarded to the local association for their consideration and action.

7. Membership. We regret to say that in some of the License Districts no Association have yet been formed, and that in a great many the membership is very small. After four years' experience it has been demonstrated that the associations which have been successful and secured a large membership and thereby were able to secure favors for themselves municipally and otherwise were those in which they either had a paid secretary who was not a member of the trade and who took charge of their work from purely business motives, or else they had a secretary or presiding officer within themselves who was able to give his time to make a personal visitation, his expenses for such being paid out of the local funds. We think that in fairness to those who are members in this province, and who prove such by having a certificate in their possession, that as you are travelling through this province you should in every instance give the preference to the member as against the non-member. The question of non-members is one which this convention desires to impress upon the members strongly and urges them to use every possible effort to increase our membership during the present year.

8. Honorary Members. We desire to call your attention to the question of honorary members. Whilst a large number of the manufacturers in this province, and also the Provinces of Quebec, took out honorary membership certificates during the past year, still there is a large number doing business with the trade who have not affiliated themselves with us.

Each honorary member has sent to him as many certificates as he has representatives on the road. They are similar in size to the ordinary commercial travellers' certificates, and if each member will for the present year ask each traveller who waits upon him to produce his certificate showing that the firm he represents is a member, and only purchase from such who hold such certificates, you will not only assist very materially in strengthening the hands of the Association, but at the same time be doing right by those manufacturers who stand by the Association as against the manufacturer who takes your money, but allows you to fight his battle as well as your own.

9. That in the opinion of this convention all draught liquors in wood should be sold by weight, and that the secretary be instructed to communicate such to the Distillers' and Brewers' Association.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, September 15.—[Special]—The following are the closing rates: Sept. wheat, 66½; corn, 29½; oats, 20½; pork 8.37. Dec. wheat, 68½; corn, 29½; oats, 20½; pork, 8.47. May wheat, 64½; corn, 31½; oats, 22½; pork, —.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—(Special)—Showers, warmer, light northeast winds.

NOTABLE REFORMS

Brought By China's Emperor.

A CRISIS IN FRANCE

President Opposed to New Trial for Dreyfus—Zola Will Issue an Address—More Arrests for Empress' Murder.

LAUZANNE, Sept. 15.—(Special)—Two more arrests have been made in connection with the Empress' assassination. Both are believed to be implicated.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—(Special)—France is on the brink of a grave crisis. Nearly all the cabinet are for revision of Dreyfus' sentence, but the minister of war is opposed and the President threatens to resign if revision is ordered.

This is believed to be a bold bluff to get rid of the Brisson cabinet and revision at the same time. Zola will return in October and is preparing an address to the French people.

PEKIN, Sept. 15.—(Special)—The Emperor is issuing edicts introducing many reforms and great changes apparently are in store.

The emperor by imperial decree, has sanctioned the opening of a national university at Peking in connection with which schools and educational institutions called the third class are to be opened in the department and districts cities.

The emperor has taken a long stride in advance by encouraging the newspapers of his empire to publish a truthful and full account of the daily events and to be both bold and fearless in the discussion of current affairs. He has by public proclamation made the Chinese Daily Press an official organ and has declared that articles which appear in Chinese newspapers, though apparently displeasing to him, shall not on that account be suppressed. He has directed that important articles on current events in the leading papers shall

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