

Sheriff's Sale.

Lemuel Barr Prowse } Plaintiffs.
Benjamin C. Prowse }
and
George Carter } Defendants
Isaac Carter }

By virtue of a Writ of Fi. Fa. Execution to me directed, issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature in Queen's County, in the above suit, I have taken and seized as the Property, Goods and Chattels of the above named Defendants, the following articles, viz:—

All the goods in Defendants' store and warehouses on Queen Street, consisting of their extensive stock of Seeds, Books, including miscellaneous School and College Books, Stationery and Small Wares, Wrapping Paper and Paper Bags, Fancy Goods and Toys, Wall Paper and Window Shades, Fancy China-ware and Glassware, Store and Office Furnitures.

And I do hereby give public notice that I will on Tuesday the 31st day of March inst., A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Defendants' store, Charlottetown, in the said County, set up and sell by Public Auction the said Goods and Chattels, or as much thereof as will satisfy the levy marked on said Writ of Execution, being \$1,705.98 besides Sheriff's fees and all incidental expenses. Stock books will be open for inspection at the Sheriff's office, Law Court Building on and after Thursday 26th inst. during office hours.

EWEN MacDOUGALL, Sheriff.

JAMES J. JOHNSON, Plaintiff's Attorney.
Sheriff's Office,
Charlottetown, P. E. I. 20th March, A. D. 1903.
at 10 o'clock at 10.

POSTPONED.

The above sale is postponed until Tuesday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1903, at the same place and hour. Without reserve.

Dated this 28th day of March, A. D. 1903. EWEN MacDOUGALL, Sheriff.
30th.

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Signed in presence of JOHN A. McMILLAN, W. MORLEY SELLER, GEO. WM. BAGNALL, SIMON BROWN, J. P.
21st day 3w

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MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1903.

A DOUBTFUL PROPOSITION.

We published on Saturday the resolution adopted on the evening previous by the Island Branch of the Dominion Alliance in favor of repealing the Scott Act in the Counties in order that the provincial Prohibitory Act may come into force in its stead. As there is a clause in our Act providing for its extension automatically to any county in the Province on the repeal of the Canada Temperance Act, the way is clearly open for such a movement as is proposed by the Branch Alliance. And the resolution of itself affords good evidence of the high regard in which that body held the provincial law when they thus prefer it to the Scott Act. But there are some other things that may well be considered before the action contemplated by the Alliance is taken.

We do not think there is very much to choose between the two laws as effective instruments for the suppression of the liquor traffic. Both a good laws; both have some defects; in some respects the federal law has the better features, while in other particulars the preference must rest with the local law. But it must not be forgotten that one of the weak points in the Scott Act—its liability to be repealed by a sudden tide of popular distaste—has been greatly strengthened by the enactment of the provincial law. Because repeal of the Scott Act cannot now bring in a license system there is little danger that its opponents will now seek for repeal. This is a powerful buttress to the Act in question. May it not be that the energies of the friends of prohibition had better be devoted to enforcing the laws they have than to making changes such as are now proposed?

We fear it might lead to some confusion if the prohibitionists were now to set about repealing the Scott Act in the counties. It would certainly lead to a considerable amount of work, first to secure the signatures of one fourth of the electors, then to bring on an election and have the result officially certified and proclaimed. After that our friends in the county would find themselves under a new law which they would not understand so well as they now, after twenty years' experience, understand the Scott Act. The same would be true of the Magistrates administering the law. And immediately some perplexing questions would arise, one of which would doubtless be whether all the steps taken to repeal the Scott Act and bring in the Provincial Act had been legally and constitutionally taken, and hence, whether the new law would then be or not be actually in force. In fact, as we have found here in Charlottetown, there would be a number of points to be determined before the new law would be as firmly established and working as smoothly as is assuredly as the old law.

Our plea is not one of opposition so much as for caution. The farce we has a pretty good deal force, in a place where it is necessary for the elector than on a remote spot, it is not to be feared. Should it be so he will perhaps find that the Act may be adopted annually but of the maladjusting goods of

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turkey so well as the older pattern did, and may possibly learn that accidents injurious to valuable farm animals are more likely to occur with the new fence than with the old. The wire fences may be really the better for many purposes, but not for all, and it has some undoubted drawbacks. This homely illustration makes clear our position. We urge deliberation and caution before making a change. We do this partly because we hope to see the Prohibitory Law much improved in the not distant future. When it is so far improved as to be in many or all respects superior to the Scott Act it will be easy for prohibitionists to make up their minds with more unanimity than they are able now to do in favor of a change such as the Alliance has resolved upon.

CONSOLS ARE LOW.

It is remarkable at first sight, that British consols have recently been quoted at the lowest point for many years, lower indeed than during the darkest period of the Boer war. A few days ago the securities were quoted at 93. So long ago as 1867 British consols were worth 93 and between that and the end of the century reached a maximum of 112 in 1897. This was after the rate of interest had been lowered from 3 per cent, at which it stood in 1861 to 2½ per cent in 1887. In fact the lowest quotation of consols between 1867 and 1900 had been 92½. The recent decline is due to several causes among which are the contemplated reduction of the interest rate to 2½ per cent and the approaching issue of the Transvaal guaranteed loan for \$175,000,000.

But British national securities are still much the most valuable in the old world in proportion to the rate of interest. German imperial 3 per cents are quoted at 91½ and French 3 per cents at 90½. Hungarian 4 per cents are quoted at 102, Italian 5 per cents at 101½, Russian 4 per cents at 102½ and Spanish 4 per cents at 91½. Japan, China and South American countries stand lower in the scale of financial credit. But all round the European world as well as in the United States and Canada there has been during the past quarter of a century a steady advance in the value of national securities. During that time the interest rate has steadily declined in the financial world and all countries which have established credit are able to borrow at lower rates than before.



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By order,
HENRY SMITH,
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