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THE CANADA TEMPERANCE ACT.

The Canada Temperance Act 1878 was the outgrowth of earlier restrictive liquor legislation. So long ago as 1853 the municipal councils of Upper Canada were empowered to pass by-laws to regulate licenses, limit their number, or to prevent the retail sale of liquor entirely. Like powers were conferred upon the municipal councils of Lower Canada in 1855. In 1860 these laws were consolidated and a provision inserted requiring that by-laws prohibiting the sale of liquor must be submitted to popular vote. In the meantime the Canada Temperance Act of 1874 was passed, commonly called the Dunkin Act, from its author the late Hon. Christopher Dunkin.

The main provisions of the Dunkin Act were that either in Upper or Lower Canada any county council or any thirty electors might submit a prohibitory by-law to popular vote, on certain formalities being observed, in any county or township municipality. This act was brought into force in a good many municipalities, and was still in force in a number of them down to the date of the Canada Temperance Act 1878, commonly called the Scott Act, from Hon. R. W. Scott, its author. It was based on the Dunkin Act, as that had been based upon the municipal provisions above referred to.

The Scott Act has had a varied history. Down to a year ago it had been voted upon in nine cities and seventy-three counties. It was then in force in one city and twenty-six counties—twelve in Nova Scotia, nine in Ontario and the city of Fredericton in New Brunswick, three counties in Prince Edward Island, and three counties in Manitoba. In one county it had been voted upon five times and in another four times and in four cases twice and yet maintained. Twenty-one times a first decision of the electors in favour of the Scott Act was maintained as the settled determination of the county adopting it.

On the other hand it met with many defeats. In seventeen counties and cities it was defeated on a first vote and not submitted to the people again. In thirty counties it was carried at the first election and defeated at the second. Most of these cases were in Ontario, and in many cases the majority adopting the act had been narrow. The main reason why the Scott Act is not now in force in any city or county of Ontario or Quebec is that the temperance people prefer to work under their excellent municipal system by the adoption of a by-law to refuse license and then prosecute offenders for selling without license. In many scores of counties of Ontario and Quebec this plan of delegating the traffic is being carried out. Many times more counties in Canada are under local option by-laws forbidding the sale of

liquors, than are under the Scott Act. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia the Scott Act has been retained largely because the municipal system has not been so long established or so fully developed, and the municipalities have not quite the same power nor the same machinery to do what the western municipalities are doing. Also because the penalties for selling liquor without license in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia are lighter than in the west. For these reasons the Scott Act is the best instrument our temperance friends across the straits have to work with, while it is not the best they have in Ontario and Quebec. Here in Prince Edward Island we have the Prohibitory Law which is best of all.

TEMPERANCE VICTORY IN KING'S.

The voting in King's County on the petition to repeal the Scott Act, in order that the Prohibitory Law may take its place proved to be another decisive victory for prohibition. The vote was not a heavy one but it was considerably larger than that of 1879, by which the Scott Act was brought into operation in the county. On that occasion as on the present, the fact that there was no strong organized opposition to the will of the temperance majority was made the excuse for many not going to the polls.

The majority at this writing, with half the polls yet to hear from, is seven or eight to one. The polls at which the liquor interest was strongest have been heard from and the total vote may yet probably show ten to one in favor of prohibition. King's County has thus nobly sustained a noble record of determination to suppress the liquor traffic. Its splendid majorities given in the Scott Act election of 1879, the provincial plebiscite of 1893 and the federal plebiscite of 1895 have been repeated and endorsed. No one can doubt that the people of King's want prohibition, which they will now obtain.



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The American Consul at Dawson City has some good words to say for Canada. Among other things he tells that from being a graveyard of navigators the upper Yukon has been made as safe as a canal by Canada spending \$175,000 in removing obstructions while on the American side nothing has been done. Now the Canadians are blasting the rocks which impede navigation up to Forty Mile River. The Consul says that American miners not going to the Yukon are getting the trade of the mines which he says "is worth far more than all the gold which comes out of the ground."

AGREEMENT.

We the undersigned hereby agree to subscribe and pay for the number of tickets placed opposite our names, the object being to secure the appearance of Madame Albani in Charlottetown. Monday evening, June 4th, together with her fine company of five celebrated European artists.

It is also understood that the subscribers to this agreement will have the privilege of securing their seats one day in advance of the general public which will be Monday, May 28th.

The range of prices will be \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.00.

The above list is now at Jamieson's Drug Store where tickets can be had. All outside residents can send in their names to be added to this list, and by sending the required cash before the plan opens they will have their tickets reserved for the same as though they were in the City. Cash must be sent or tickets cannot be reserved.

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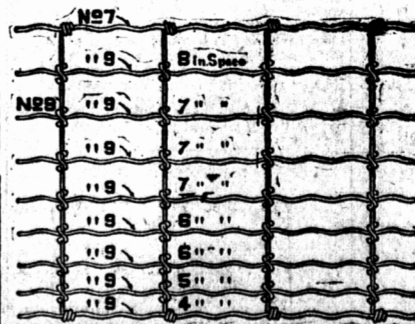
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For particulars send post card addressed to Ch' Town Cond. Milk Co, Ch' Town, May 10th, 1906. dtut.

Change in Brazilian's Route

Brazilian 219

Will leave Bernard Fitzsimmons for Austin McNeill's, Stanley Bridge, on Monday, May 14th at noon thence to Patrick Reid's, Hope River over night.

Tuesday May 15th, to Wm. McNeill's, Cavendish at noon, thence to Dan'l Bulman's, Rustico over night.

Wednesday May 16th, Stephen Coles, Milton, noon, thence to John Stewart's, Hampshire over night.

Thursday May 17th to Wm. Bowman's, North Wilshire, noon, thence to Charles Moushery's, Kelly's Cross over night.

Friday, May 18th, to Newton Dawson's, Tryon, noon, thence to George's stable, Cape Travers until the following Monday at noon. Monday May 21st leaves Cape Travers for John McCardell's, Middleton over night.

Tuesday May 22nd, to Leonard Schurman's Central Bedouin, noon thence to J. D. Schurman's, Preston, over night.

Wednesday May 23rd, to James McDonald's, Emerald, noon thence to Springfield, at or near Thomas Wark's over night.

Thursday May 24th to James Halling's, Graham's Road noon, thence to J. T. Mullins, Kensington over night.

Friday May 25th, to Thos. Fitzsimmons, Margate noon, thence to George Campbell's, Park Corner over night.

Saturday May 26th, to Bernard Fitzsimmons, Long River noon, continuing until the following Monday.

The above route will be repeated fortnightly during the season.

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Thursday, May 31st, 1906
at the hour of 8 p. m.

for the purpose of electing Trustees for the government of the institution, in accordance with the by-laws and for the transaction of such other business as shall be brought before the meeting.

B. BALDERSTON,
Sec'y of Trustees.

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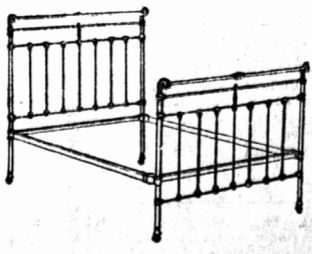
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