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Dec. 29, 1890.

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IN A NUTSHELL.

Keep Before the People.

—That the drunks arrested under three years of license here nearly equalled those of ten years under the Scott Act.

—That in two cities in Massachusetts which adopted high license the number of drunks increased 4,000 in one year.

—That as the Examiner says when a man got very drunk under license he was pitched into the street.

—That as Sam Small says the biggest fraud in God's world to-day is high license.

—That the Examiner said in 1886 that "high license in New York and the Scott Act here were both being violated and there is no reason why we should reject the latter and accept the former."

—That under license when our population was nearly 50 per cent less than now, we required sixteen policemen, and now we need only six.

—That license sweeps away the ground of moral appeal.

—That under license here, the Stipendiary says, the number of drunks was appalling; citizens crying into our city were assaulted at night with the evident intent at robbery. Hordes of street ruffians thronged the street corners and women were not safe from insult.

—That free rum against the law is better than a legalized curse.

—That we could not get license if we tried because the Legislative Council say they will never vote for it; we have therefore had fair warning; and the issue is Scott Act or free rum.

—That in those counties in Ontario which repealed the Scott Act ten gallons of liquor are now sold under license to one under the Scott Act.

—That as the Legislative Councilors say, the Scott Act is the best law we have ever had.

—That it is in better working order to-day than ever before.

—That the hop beer nuisance having failed, the law can be no more openly defied.

—That the women of the W. C. T. U. are now prepared to enforce the Scott Act if the men will only have public spirit enough to vote for it.

—That this year the drunks only numbered 225, last year 306; and the Prosecutor was only at work six or seven months.

—That all the Examiner—the only paper that opposes the Scott Act—ever does to help it, is to sneer and insinuate, to create contempt for the law and sympathy for its violators.

—That the Scott Act is the natural step from high license to prohibition.

—That to repeal it is to abdicate a position which cost weary years to gain.

—That the liquor dealers can not now make an appeal on behalf of vested interests.

—That the liquor traffic ought to be made so odious that nobody but an infernal scoundrel will sell it, and nobody but an outcast will drink it.

—That the liquor traffic has been driven into the slums and outlawed from society.

—That liquor drinking is now done by stealth and without our consent.

—That the Scott Act has largely broken up the treating system, one of the worst features of drinking customs.

—That the law of men, is now like the curse of God—against the liquor business.

—That if offences must come, and woe is pronounced upon those through whom the offence cometh, the electors who decline to become partners in the liquor traffic, will escape the threatened punishment of God.

—That the whole Province has been blessed by the Scott Act and Charlottetown has no right to make itself a curse to the country.

—That the quantity of liquor consumed per head of our population is now two-thirds of a gallon and it was one and three-fourth gallons under license, more than double.

—That under the Scott Act in the country the grass is growing green before many a tavern door.

—That in many settlements there are now no taverns at all.

—That as the Examiner says, no sympathy is due to the promoters of the Anti-Scott Act petition.

—That the city taxpayers have been relieved of the burden of supporting 1000 people annually in jail, and paying salaries of 16 policemen.

—That as the Examiner said, before it joined the rum party, "the roads are not now unsafe as they used to be by reckless driving of drunken men; and that the Scott Act has dealt the liquor traffic in this Province a staggering blow."

—That Cardinal Taschereau, the highest Roman Catholic dignitary in Canada, the Presbyterian Synod, the Methodist Conference and the Baptist Association all endorse the Scott Act.

—That only the organized liquor fraternity, their customers, and a few others, are opposing it.

—That the hundreds of citizens who give time and money to retain it, would not be so earnest if the Scott Act were a failure.

—That if the Act is sustained, Coun. Byrne says most of the liquor dealers will give up the business of importing.

—That this is the liquor dealers' last kick.

—That even now, says the Exam-

iner, there are signs of the solidarity of the liquor party being broken up.

—That the man who votes to repeal the Scott Act dishonours the church and prefers to follow the teaching of the liquor dealers.

—That the man who neglects to vote will be regarded with suspicion.

—That the Scott Act must be given a large majority because heretofore the liquor dealers have been trading on the silence of the professing Christian temperance men who refused to vote.

—That if you roll up a big majority it will be easier to enforce the Scott Act.

—That the eyes of the temperance people of Canada, and above all the eye of God, are upon the Scott Act.

—That as Mayor Haviland says, on the battle to be fought on the 8th of January, depends the future prosperity, both moral and social of this native city.

UPHOLD THE ACT.

For Friend and Neighbor and Country.

The editor of the Summerside Pioneer, Mr. J. H. Bell, M. A., P. P., writes as follows on the issue now before our people:—

Before another issue of the Pioneer appears the Scott Act election in Charlottetown will have been fought out. With what result is difficult to predict. There are several circumstances and considerations however, which induce us to believe that the Scott Act will be sustained this time by a considerable majority.

1st. Its advocates are better organized and more fully aroused to the importance of the contest than on any prior occasion. This is largely due to the effective efforts of the Temperance Exhibition.

2nd. In the event of the Scott Act being lost the citizens of Charlottetown have before their eyes the terrors of temporary or perhaps permanent free rum, and this will doubtless induce many of the wavering voters to cast their ballots in favor of the Act. If the Act be defeated free rum would certainly prevail until the Session of the House of Assembly. At that Session a license act would be introduced and the Government majority of one in the Assembly might carry it. The bill might pass the Assembly. But it would doubtless be buried in the Legislative Council. In fact from the expression of opinion already given by the majority of voters to cast their ballots in favor of the Act, it is not probable that majority would set their faces against license of any kind. The advantages of license are thus met by difficulties on which they may surmount, but the other way appears to be insurmountable. They may defeat the Scott Act but they cannot take the Legislative Council by the throat and compel the body to pass a license act.

3rd. The citizens of Charlottetown have before their eyes the evidence of the beneficial operation of the Canada Temperance Act. They can look back to the days of license when street brawls and drunken men were common, and when it was not safe to travel on any of the thoroughfares leading into the city after nightfall. They can and will contrast that condition of affairs with what they witness, for instance, during the four days of the Provincial Exhibition last autumn. On the Exhibition grounds and in a vast concourse of eight thousand people there was not a drunken man to be seen. Even in the streets if the city the sobriety and orderly conduct of the people were strongly marked. The Exhibition was a great object lesson to the electors of Charlottetown, that they cannot and ought not soon to forget. Surely they will not be so blind to their best interests as to stultify themselves by the license system—to the disgraceful street fights and drunken exhibitions of former days. Surely they will recognize and appreciate the giant strides in temperance sentiment and the great change in the drinking habits of the people and give some of the credit to the Scott Act. Surely they will not now take a stone and in base ingratitude cast it at the best friend of the moral and material interests of this country. These considerations and others will doubtless influence the thinking people of Charlottetown to uphold the Scott Act in the impending contest.

In this election the interests of town and country are inseparably bound together. License in Charlottetown would ultimately mean license in Queen's County. With license for Queen's you can not well uphold the Scott Act in Prince or King's. License in the Capital would sooner or later infect and corrupt the whole Province. If the good people of Charlottetown cannot be persuaded by what they see around them in the city to influence their vote in favor of the Scott Act, we entreat them to cast their eyes and let their consideration reach beyond the city limits. Let them reflect upon the consequences to the people of the whole province should they be tempted to take the fatal step of defeating the Scott Act at the capital, and let that reflection nerve the wavering voter to cast his ballot not for selfish appetite, or for sordid gain, but for the broad sake of friend and neighbor and country.

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