

HOW TO MARK YOUR BALLOTS.

It seems we were in error in stating that the Ballot papers would be marked: For and Against the Petition. An amendment to the Scott Act of last year shows that the ballots will read as follows:—

FOR THE ACT. X
AGAINST THE ACT.

Mark your X as above.

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 coming into our city were assaulted at night with the evident intent at robbery. Herds of street ruffians thronged the street corners and women were not safe from open 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—That in those counties in Ontario which repealed the Scott Act ten gallons of liquor are now sold under license to one under the Scott Act.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 fizzled, 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 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 man, is now like the curse of God—against the liquor business.

—That if offences must come, and we are 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 Examiner, 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 us.

—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 my native city.

Announcement.

We have much pleasure in announcing that we have made arrangements, commencing with the New year, with a gentleman whose name stands high in the literature of Canada, to conduct a Literary Department in the columns of THE GUARDIAN to be devoted especially to the literature of Canada. This department will be published once each month, and the gentleman to whom it has been entrusted, and who, by the way, prefers to remain anonymous in order to favor independence of opinion, intends making it as thorough and interesting as possible. The department will contain an original article, reviews of current literature and other notes on literary topics. We feel sure our readers will appreciate this new enterprise—the first of the kind ever attempted by a Maritime Provincial journal. That the people of this Province are by no means deficient in literary taste we firmly believe, and are expecting this announcement to be followed by a large increase of subscriptions.

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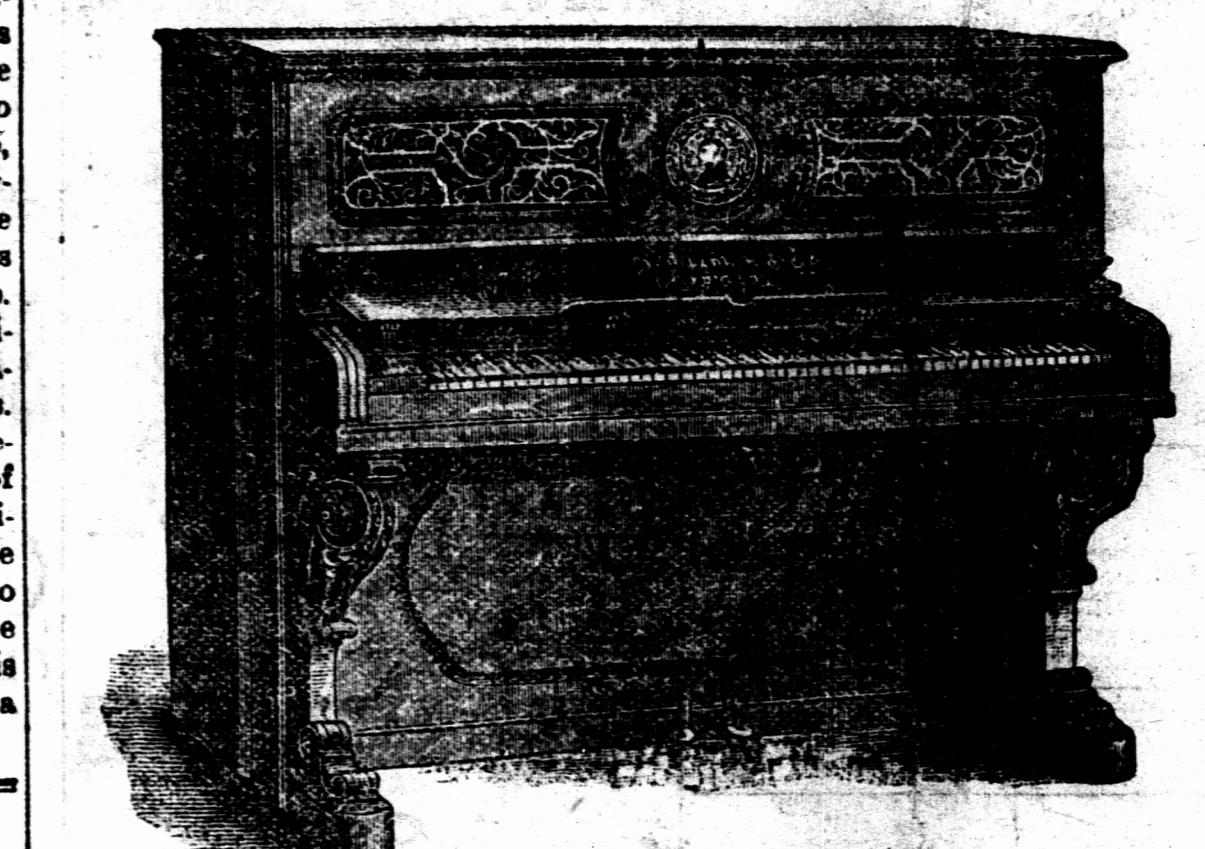
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