Russell, J.] THE KING *v.* HARDWICK. [February 24.

EX PARTE EDWARDS.

Intoxicating liquors—Canada Temperance Act—Proclamation bringing into force—Judicial notice.

On application for an order for a writ of certiorari to remove into the Supreme Court a record of conviction made by the stipendiary magistrate of Annapolis Royal for a violation of the Canada Temperance Act, on the ground, among others, that the magistrate had no jurisdiction because there was no evidence before him that the Act was in force.

Held, refusing the application, that in such cases the magistrate is compelled to take judicial notice of the proclamation in the *Canada Gazette* bringing the Act into force, and that his power to take such notice is not restricted to cases where the matter is brought to his attention by the prosecutor.

Milner, in support of application. *J. J. Ritchie,* K.C., contra.

Laurence, J.] [March 11.

RE MARKLAND PAPER CO., IN LIQUIDATION.

THE ST. CROIX PAPER CO., CREDITOR.

Landlord and tenant—Company in liquidation—Claims for repairs and rent.

The St. Croix Paper Co. leased certain premises described, including their mills, etc., to S., as trustee for the Markland Paper Co., then in process of formation, for the period of five years, commencing the 1st day of February, 1909.

The Markland Co. went into liquidation on the 5th January, 1910.

Held, that St. Croix Company was entitled to recover against the company, in liquidation, for repairs which the latter company was required under the terms of the lease to make, and also for rent to accrue due under the lease, the latter being a provable claim under the Winding-up Act, R.S. 1900, c. 129.

Allison, for the creditor. *Murphy,* for the liquidator.

Laurence, J.] RE PISTONI AND DEPENTI. [March 17.

Intoxicating liquors—Applications for licenses—Power of council to consider individually or en bloc.

A number of applications for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors, under the provisions of the Liquor License Act, R.S.