

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

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I ASSENT,

[L.S.]

A. W. SEYMOUR,

Acting Governor.

31st May, 1938.

1st September, 1938.

AN ORDINANCE to require that certain carts be
provided with props.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago
with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council
thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Carts Ordinance, Short title.
1938.

2.—(1) Every cart used for the haulage of sugar-canes, Props to be
attached to
shafts of
certain carts.
coconuts or charcoal shall be provided with a prop attached to
each shaft by means of a hinge or other similar device
in such manner that when the cart is in motion each prop
may be fastened longitudinally to the shaft to which it is
attached, but when the cart is at a standstill, with an
animal harnessed thereto, the props may be made to rest
on the ground and support so much of the weight of the cart
and its load as would otherwise be borne by the animal.

(2) If the owner of such cart fails to provide and Failure to
provide and
maintain
props.
maintain the props as required by this section he shall
be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding
ten dollars and the Court shall suspend the licence
(if any) issued in respect of such cart for such period as it
thinks fit in order to enable the owner to provide such props.

Failure to use
props.

(3) If any person in charge of such cart fails to use the props required to be provided by this section, so as to relieve the animal harnessed to the cart, whilst at a standstill, from bearing so much of the weight of the cart and its load, as would otherwise be borne by the animal, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding Twenty-four dollars.

Commence
ment.

3. This Ordinance shall come into force on the 1st day of September, 1938.

Passed in Council this twenty-seventh day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

W. E. GOCKING,

Clerk of the Council