

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JANUARY 9, 1883.

The Civic Report.

The report issued by the Corporation reflects credit upon the City Clerk. It is clear and comprehensive. The financial operations of the City during the year were as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Ordinary Revenue, Assessment Real Estate, Less Ordinary Expenditure.

The financial state of the City at the end of the year was:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Real Estate and other property, Arrears Assessment 1878, Arrears Assessment 1879, Arrears Assessment 1880, Arrears Assessment 1881, Arrears Assessment 1882, Miscellaneous Accounts.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Debentures, Due Union Bank P. E. I., Miscellaneous Accounts.

Excess of Revenue over Expenditure 1,821.82. The financial state of the City at the end of the year was: It is gratifying to see that there remains a small surplus on the year's operations, and the City Fathers deserve credit for their savings, though it is just possible that all the savings were not economical.

Bank of P. E. Island.

MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In accordance with the order of Mr. Justice Peters, a meeting of the Creditors of the Bank of P. E. Island, was held at the Bank Building, to-day. About forty gentlemen were present and F. W. Hales, Esq., occupied the chair. A statement of business done by the liquidators, was read amounting to \$191,422 46, of which, \$61,170.70 is cash now on hand.

An irregular talk over the working expenses of the liquidators and of the directors before the Bank went into liquidation, amounted to nothing. Dr. McNeill moved, seconded by R. B. Stewart, Esq., that an enquiry be instituted as to when the Bank first became insolvent, showing how long it had been kept working merely on the money of the creditors and what compromises and arrangements had been arrived at with delinquent debtors. The motion was opposed by Messrs. Sloggett, L. H. Davies, P. Connolly and others, on the ground that it would involve a great expense to no good end. George Bear, Esq., said it would be impossible to tell when the Bank became insolvent, as it was impossible now to say what the value of the assets of the Bank was in years gone by.

H. J. Cuddeh said, that in his opinion, the Bank was insolvent eighteen months, or two years before the suspension; and had been kept floating by the money drawn from other banks. Hon. L. C. Owen said that the liquidators could not find that the directors had been guilty of any misappropriations. C. C. Gardner, Esq., said that except for taking commission in a loan guaranteed by them, he thought there was nothing against the Directors, but their gross negligence and carelessness. The cashier knew them so much better than they knew him, that he did not think it worth his while to falsify the books to conceal his misdoings.

Dr. McNeill said the Directors should have extruded the Cashier.

Hon. L. H. Davies said the Directors had consulted leading lawyers with respect to the extradition of the Cashier, and had been advised that it was impossible under the Extradition Treaty.

Dr. McNeill withdrew his resolution. Mr. Sloggett suggested that some means might be adopted for dividing equitably the remaining assets of the Bank among the creditors. Some of the creditors might be glad to take shares in a ship and other property might be divided.

A very interesting list of debtors to the Bank was then read, and some lively comments were made; but before publishing either the list or the comments, we must consult our legal adviser. As we go to press the discussion is still proceeding.

Supreme Court—Hilary Term.

The Hilary Term of the Supreme Court was commenced in this city to-day. Chief Justice Palmer presiding. Both civil and criminal dockets are very small. The latter consists of three cases, one for arson, the others for larceny. The following gentlemen compose the Grand Jury:

Geo. W. Millner, (Foreman), Wm. Ross, Wm. Beer, Donald McLeod, John Dacon, Patrick Blake, John McEachern, Thomas McLean, Wm. A. Weeks, Wm. Shepherd, Wm. Mitchell, Theo. L. Charpelle, Benj. Wright, Angus McDonald, Angus B. McKenzie, Lemuel Phillips, George C. Hooper, William Lowther, H. McLeod, and Duncan Scott.

The Chinese law breakers in British Columbia are a long suffering lot. Fook Sing, convicted at the late Assizes of house breaking and the larceny of some keys, will abide in the penitentiary two years. Ah Sam, Ah Hong, and Ah Pak, convicted of conspiracy to defraud the Provincial Revenue Tax, will set themselves right with the Province by laboring in the same institution for eighteen months. Ah Foo, who unlawfully took possession of some spoons on the night of a late fire, must endure two years imprisonment, and Ah Sen, for house breaking, three years. Wang Fong was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary.

CANDIED PERU—One cwt. Keller's just received at Bank & Coffey's, wholesale and retail.

CIVIC.

How the Account Stands

A Surplus on the Year's Operations.

The Balance Sheet.

Statements of City Schools, City Fire Department, Police, &c.

READ BEFORE YOU VOTE

Income Account.

Table with 2 columns: REVENUE, Year ending 31 Dec. 1882. Includes Police Court, City Court, Dog Tax, Liquor Licenses, Market Tolls and Rents, Market Hall, City Weigh Bridge, Nomination Fees, Civic Election, Queen's Wharf, Government Grant to Fire Dept., Truckmen's Licenses, Auctioneers' Licenses, Theatre Licenses, Measure Sold, Horse and Carriage Tax, Poll Tax, Miscellaneous.

EXPENSES

Table with 2 columns: Cr., Year ending 31 Dec. 1882. Includes The City Government, The Police Department, The Market House, The Fire Department, Street Lamps and Lights, Maintenance of Streets, Pumps and Wells, Assessing and Collecting Taxes, Maintenance Victoria Park, Interest and Discount, Miscellaneous, School Trustees of Charlottetown, amount paid them for proportion of Real Estate Assessment, Total Expenses, Balance transferred to Capital Account.

Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December, 1882.

Table with 2 columns: Dr., Real Estate, per valuation, viz: Market House and Land, Queen's Wharf Property, Pownall Wharf Property, Fire Engine House and Land, Land, Queen Street, Land, Spring Bank, Plant and movable Property, per valuation, Arrears Assessment, Real Estate 1878, Arrears Assessment, Real Estate 1880, Less amount collected in 1882, Arrears Assessment, Real Estate 1881, Less amount collected in 1882, Arrears Assessment, Real Estate 1882, Fire Department, on Hand, Estate of P. McQuaid due from it, Bank of P. E. Island notes, Less Dividend, Total Assets, Loans, Debentures, (old issue), Interest 6 per cent. payable in Ch'town, Debentures (new issue), Interest 6 per cent. payable in Ch'town, Debentures, (new issue), Interest 6 per cent., payable in Halifax N.S., Debentures, (new issue), Interest 5 per cent., payable in Ch'town, Hospital Fund, Unpresented Checks admt., Union Bank P. E. I., Total Liabilities, Capital Account, being excess of Assets over Liabilities.

CITY SCHOOLS.

The number of pupils enrolled was 1,290, the daily average 875 40, and the percentage of attendance of those on the rolls nearly 73. In the Upper Prince Street School, the number of pupils on the roll at the close of the school year was 489, precisely the same as that reported last year. The highest percentage of attendance, viz., 82, was made in Miss Boswell's Department, under the control of Mr. Melish. This school is reported to have been prosperous and good progress has been made. Cost (exclusive of salaries), \$2,357.80.

In Queen Square School, the number of pupils on the rolls of the five departments of the school was 307, and the percentage of attendance, 70. The highest percentage was made in the Principal's Department,

which reached 83. Cost (exclusive of salaries), \$943.06. In West Kent Street School, the number of pupils on the roll was 434, and the percentage of attendance 71. The highest percentage was attained in Miss McKinnon's department, which reached 83, nearly. Good results have been obtained in all the departments during the year. Mr. J. D. Seaman was, toward the close of the term, appointed Vice-Principal of the school. Cost (exclusive of salaries and interest on cost of building), \$802.99.

The accounts of the Board show that the expenditure for the school year ended 30th June, 1882, was \$9,245.46. The allowance made to the several Teachers (apart from the salaries paid by the Local Government,) are:—

Table with 2 columns: TEACHERS, Amount. Includes Lemuel Miller, Principal, Joseph D. Seaman, Elizabeth E. McKinnon, John M. Duncan, Ada A. Wadman, Isabel Miller, Eliza Lawson, Isabel Longworth, Annie Lawson, (six mos.), Regional E. Gaul, Principal, Michael W. Smith, Francis Curran, (ix mos.), Martin B. McInnis, (six mos.), Alice Fennessy, Mary F. Cox, J. T. Melish, M.A., Principal, Christina C. Snaddon, Emma Barr, Vice-Principal, Bessie Mitchell, Anna B. Mutch, Carrie A. Wade, Emily O. Roswell, Isabel McNeill, Mary McLeod, Annie L. Smith, (six mos.), Secretary of School Board, Isaac Oxenham.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The expenses of this important department for the year were:— Salaries of Engineer, Clerk, Firemen, &c., \$1,420.00, Maintenance of Engines, 150.00, Repairs to Engine Houses, 34.44, Gas, 34.05, Fuel, 90.56, Labor at Fires, 161.43, Horses and other Items, 80.75, Allowance to Companies, 73.63, Office expenses, 700.60, New Hoses and Tubes for Engines, 293.79, Other Items, 10.00, Total, \$3,060.76.

The fire alarms during the year numbered seven.—McDongall & Seaman's Carriage Factory, entirely destroyed; Cooper's workshop, on Lord's Wharf, extinguished without the Fire Brigade; Thomas Taylor's house, completely burned; Dr. Murray's stable consumed, and George Webster's workshop partially burned; Patrick Loughran's dwelling, destroyed, and James Landrigan's dwelling, destroyed.

There are in connection with the Department, eight cisterns, each of which is estimated to contain about 15,000 gallons. The Steam Fire Engines have both been thoroughly repaired, and are reported in "good working condition." Tremont Company has been disbanded, and Capt. F. H. Beer has been commissioned to enrol a new company to consist of twenty members.

The lease of the plot of the Depot on Grafton Street, being about to terminate, the Chief Engineer advises the purchase, if possible, of the property owned and occupied by the widow of the late W. B. Allan.

POLICE.

The receipts of the Police Department for the year are as follows:— Ordinary fees and fines, \$806.89, Fines under the Scott Act, 965.42, Total, \$1,772.31. The criminal statistics of the year are,—

Table with 3 columns: OFFENCE, Convicted, Sent to Supreme Court. Includes Arson, Assault, Burglary, By Laws, Breach of Canada Temperance Act, Cruelty to Animals, Concealment of Birth, Drunkenness, Firearms on the Person, Highway Robbery, Larceny, Obtaining Property by False Pretences, Malicious injuries to Property, Merchant Shipping Act, Interference with Police, Receiving Stolen Property, Trespass, Vagrancy.

CITY COURT.

Mr. Tomlins reports that the cases brought in this Court for the year ending 31st December, 1882, were:— Ordinary Actions, 202, Suits for Horse and Carriage Tax, 51. The total nett receipts of this Court were \$188.92. There have also been tried and adjudicated on for the year 109 appeals from the assessment valuation of the City Assessors, under the appellate jurisdiction given to the Stipendiary Magistrate by 39 Victoria, Cap. 20, making a total number of cases for the year, brought before the Court, as follows:— Small Debt Jurisdiction, 202, Appeals from Assessments, 106, Total, 311.

To the Electors of Ward 2.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Electors to offer myself as a candidate for the representation of Ward 2, at the City Council, I beg to inform you that I have acceded to their request. If you do me the honor to elect me, I shall use my best efforts to keep down taxation and the expenditure. I am, Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, J. B. MACDONALD, Jan. 9, 1883.

TO THE TRADE.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of the WHOLESALE TRADE to his

Large Stock of Groceries, etc.,

WHICH CONSISTS IN PART:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Quantity. Includes 5,000 Brls. Sup. Extra FLOUR, 135 Puns. MOLASSES, 30 Hhds. Porto Rico SUGAR, 50 Brls. SUGAR (Brown Extra), 15 do. White Wine VINEGAR, 15 do. Cider VINEGAR, 500 Half-Chests TEA, 50 Bags RICE, 50 Boxes Layers RAISINS, 50 do. Valencia do., 12 tons Manila ROPE (assorted), 50 Caddies TOBACCO, 100 Brls. KEROSENE OIL, 250 Kegs NAILS, 10,000 "IGARS", 80 Brls. No. 1 Labrador HERRING, 50 Boxes STARCH, 50 do. Sperm CANDLES, 50 do. Tallow do., 100 do. PIPES (assorted), 150 do. BISCUITS (assorted), 50 Doz. BROOMS, 20 do. PAIRS, 500 Reams WRAPPING PAPER, 70 Cases MATCHES, 100 Kegs BAKING SODA, 200 Boxes TOILET SOAP (assorted), 400 do. SOAP (assorted), 10 Brls. SALTPEPER, 10 do. MIXED PICKLES, 10 do. WASHING SODA, 40 do. No. 1 PILOT BREAD, 50 Boxes CHEESE.

—ALSO—

Tubs, Paints, Paint Oils, Window Glass, Whips, Coffee, Pepper, Cream of Tartar, Ground Ginger, Cinnamon, Allspice, Indigo, Nutmegs, Sago, Cudbear, shoe Blacking, Mixed Spice, Nixey's Black Lead, Red Wood, Yellow Wood, Licorice, Senna.

OWEN CONNOLLY.

Ch'town, Jan. 9, 1883.—cod wkly 1m

WEST INDIA WAREHOUSE!

WINTER 1883 STOCK

50 Brls. GRANULATED SUGAR, 50 do. CONFECTIONER'S A SUGAR, 25 do. VACUUM PAN do., 150 do. YELLOW SUGARS (Assorted), 10 Hhds. WEST INDIA SUGAR, 2 do. VACUUM PAN do., 50 Puns. CHOICE MOLASSES, 10 Tierces GOLDEN SYRUP, 100 Brls. PASTRY FLOUR (Hexel), 300 do. PATENT PROCESS FLOUR, 1000 do. SUP. EXTRA MARITIME ROSE, 100 Half Chests CONGOU TEAS, 30 do. INDIA TEA, 50 Caddies TOBACCO, AT LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES. HORACE HASZARD.

100 Quintals LARGE CODFISH, 50 do. No. 2 do., 100 do. No. 1 HAKE, 20 do. No. 1 HADDOCK, 50 Brls. No. 1 HERRING, 50 do. No. 2 do., 25 Half-Barrels No. 2 HERRING, 10 Cases PRESERVED SALMON, FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD.

TIN PLATES INGOT TIN, etc., 750 Cases TIN PLATES, 14 x 20, 250 do. do. 10 x 14, 80 Ingots REFINED TIN, 50 Pigs SOFT LEAD, 5 Bars SQUARE COPPER, 1 1/2 and 1 1/4 in., 1000 Cases TALL (1 lb.) CANS, FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD.

2 Tons WHEAT SHORTS, 2 do. do. BRAN, 1 do. CHOPPED FEED, FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD.

WHITE COTTONS, GREY COTTONS, PRINT COTTONS, PLAIN WINCEYS, GREY BLANKETS, WOOL UNDERCLOTHING, AT LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES.

HORACE HASZARD, Lower Water Street, Charlottetown, Jan. 4, 1883.—1m

L. E. PROWSE

Will, for the next Two Weeks, give

SPECIAL BARGAINS,

Men's Overcoats, Reefers & Ulsters, MEN'S FUR CAPS, Tweeds, Winceys, Wool Squares, Scarfs, Sacques, &c

Everyone should call and see those Goods, as Great Bargains will be given.

L. E. PROWSE, Ch'town, Dec. 19, 1882. 74 Queen Street.

TO LET,

The Business Premises Known as

"83 Queen Street,"

Lately in the Occupation of R. W. Tremaine.

The Stock on hand is now selling at COST and GHARGES, will be cleared off at AUCTION about the middle of January, of which due notice will be given.

JAS. DESBRISAY.

Charlottetown, Dec. 26, 1882.—1f

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, 17th INST.

THE Subscriber has received instructions from JAMES DESBRISAY, ESQ., to dispose of the Stock in Trade on hand, at

83 QUEEN STREET,

lately in the occupation of R. W. Tremaine.

The Goods comprise Dress Stuffs of various kinds, Cloths, Tweeds, Flannels, White and Colored, Ticks, Towellings, Winceys, Damasks, Linens, Linings, Holland, Velvets, Velvetens, Silks, Satins, Muslins, Millinery, Mantles, Shawls, Hats, Caps, Blankets, Hosiery and Gloves, Corsets, Carriage Trimmings, Poling Cloth, Threads, Trimmings, Knitting and Crochet Cottons; Trimmings and Buttons, Ribbons, Carpetings, Felt and Druggut, with an endless variety of small wares, such as are found in Dry Goods Houses.

Also all the SHOP FURNITURE, consisting of Mirrors, Show Cases, Stoves, etc. Also 50 half-chests superior Congou Tea.

TERMS OF SALE:

All sums under \$50, cash; from \$50 to \$100, three months; \$100 to \$200, four months; over \$200, six months. Approved joint notes in all cases will be required. The sale will commence at eleven o'clock on Wednesday, 17th instant.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Jan. 8, '83.

To the Electors of Ward 3;

GENTLEMEN—At the request of numerous Electors of your Ward, I have consented to nominate as a candidate for City Councillor, at the coming Civic Election, I am,

Most respectfully yours,

AUBREY FOWLE.

Charlottetown, January 8, 1883.

P. E. Island Railway.

THE Special Passenger Train running in connection with the "Northern Light," is discontinued from this date.

L. B. ARCHIBALD, Supt.

Railway Office, Ch'town, Jan. 8, '83.

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NOTICE.

If a sufficient number of young men apply immediately, I will open a school of instruction in TELEGRAPHY, for three months. Terms, etc., on application to

CHAS. PRE COTT,

A. A. Tel. Co.'s Office, Ch'town, Jan. 8, 1883.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOLS

WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, JANUARY 8th, at 10 a. m. Applications for admission to be made to

GEORGE W. HODGSON,

St. Peter's Clergy House, Ch'town, Jan. 6, 1883.—4m

FOR SALE.

Lea's Sash and Door Factory, SAWING & PLANING MILL,

Is now offered for sale.

THE above property will be sold to suit purchasers, as it now stands, or buildings and land will be sold separate from machinery. Also, that COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE, situated on Cumberland Street, near Grafton.

For further particulars apply to the owner on the premises,

PAUL LEA.

Ch'town, Jan. 5, 1883.

NOTICE.

BEING about to make a change in my business, it is necessary that all amounts due me be paid on or before the twentieth January, 1883. All amounts not paid will be sued for then, without further notice.

PAUL LEA.

Sash and Door Factory, Ch'town, Jan. 5, '83.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

TO LET—A Dwelling House pleasantly situated on Prince Street. Apply to Peake Bros. & Co. no 18

TO LET—Immediate possession given of a desirable residence, situated on Upper Hillborough Street. Rent low to a good tenant. Apply at the Merchants Bank of P. E. I. to Mr. F. S. Moore. no 17

TO LET—The Brick House on Pownall Street, at present occupied by James D. Irving, Esquire. Possession, April 1st. Apply to Thomas W. Dodd. Jan 5 2aw

TO LET, and immediate possession given of a comfortable Cottage, with Stable, a Large Yard and Garden, situated on Richmond Street West. Apply to J. D. Mason. no 19

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