

City Council.

A special meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Present, the Mayor, Councillors Murphy, Lawson, Horne, Davy, Hooper, Crabbe, Koughan, Byrne, Morris, Beer.

The appointment of Mr. John W. Pickard to the office of Engineer of the Fire Department was confirmed.

Letters were read from Messrs. J. D. Irving, Lemuel Phillips, William Murray, and A. L. Brown, stating that they wished to be relieved of the office of Fire Warden.

These resignations were accepted, and Messrs. Augustus Hermans, Charles Robertson, Peter Halloran, John Lewis and Samuel Lowe, were appointed Fire Wardens.

Councillor Beer introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee of five, of which the Mayor and Recorder shall be two, be appointed to prepare a Bill to revise and consolidate the City Act of Incorporation and introduce such amendments as may be required for the purpose of imposing additional taxes upon such citizens and persons doing business in the city, but residing outside the city limits, who contribute little or nothing towards the city revenue, and also the mode of collecting all taxes, and report the same to the Council, and submit such Bill to a meeting of citizens to be called for that purpose with the view of laying it before the Legislature at their next meeting, with the request that they pass the same in the early part of the session.

The resolution was carried on the following division: For—Councillors Beer, Lawson, Davy, Hooper, Horne, Morris. Against—Councillors Murphy, Crabbe, Koughan, Byrne.

Read a letter from certain residents of Great George Street, asking for a survey of the side lines of the street. Referred to Street Committee.

A letter from the City Surveyor about surveying the street was referred to the Street Committee.

Professor Hind's Find.

The St. John News says: "Professor Hind appears to be in great affliction over a discovery made by him that the figures used in the British case before the Halifax Commission respecting the quantity of fish taken in Canadian waters differ some in one way, some in the other, from the figures relating to the same matter embodied in departmental reports. But although the net result shows that the so-called crooked figures represents the mackerel catch in Canadian waters as smaller than it really was, the Professor contends that the effect was to cheat the United States by securing a larger award against them than the true figures warranted."

"The Toronto Globe brands the Professor's find as 'a mare's nest,' and his leading charge as utter rubbish. It closes by saying that 'the best proof that Mr. Hind's errors are of no value as showing that the United States has been wronged is that, though they were brought under Mr. Ewart's notice long ago, they have never been made use of. If Brother Jonathan had been as much hurt as Mr. Hind wants to make out, he would soon have squealed.'"

When the R. M. S. Sarnatian was leaving, one of the ordinary passengers, a military gentleman, en route to Halifax, requested the saloon steward to reserve a couple of seats at the Royal table for himself and lady. Whether the steward was impressed with the belief that the bold warrior had a legitimate right to make such a request, or whether a "tip" did work the oracle, deponent saith not, but the additional chairs, &c., were duly forthcoming. When the bell announced the first meal, the Colonel of the Queen's household, having charge of the Royal party, noticing the state of affairs, requested the steward to inform him for whom the additional seats were intended. After hearing the man's reasons for providing the extra plates, etc., the Colonel significantly remarked that he had no wish to increase the royal party, and the promising pair had to rest content with seats "below the salt" at the table of ordinary travelling mortals. Thus were the mighty put down from their seats and possibly rendered humble and meek.—H. Evening Mail.

Special Notices.

JUST RECEIVED a large and well assorted lot Valentines, from 1 cent up to \$1.00, at the Agricultural Store.—R. MAY. f 3. 6i

CLARK'S DIAMOND DUST POLISH.—Unrivalled for cleaning Gold, Silver and Nickel ware. Enquire for it.

FAT HERRING, Cheap for Cash by J. B. HARTY. j5 tf

CHOICE FRUIT and Pound Cakes at BEER & GOFF'S.

A BONE SPAIN ON A VALUABLE HORSE.—Blistered, fired, rowelled, and did everything without any benefit. A neighbor advised me to try Giles' Liniment. I bought a quart bottle. To my intense satisfaction, the bony deposit disappeared, also the lameness. H. B. Edwards, Park Hotel, Oceanport N. J. Send to Dr. Giles, 120 West Broadway, N. Y., for pamphlet containing full information. Giles' Pills cure rheumatism. Trial bottles 25 cents.

Astonishing Success.

It is the duty of every person who has used Boschee's German Syrup to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all Druggists to recommend it to the poor dying consumptive, at least to try one bottle, as 40,000 dozen bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the German Syrup cannot be too widely known. Ask your Druggist about it. Sample Bottles to try sold at 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. For sale by all Druggists.

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Trade Returns.

We are indebted to Mr. McKenna, of the Customs, for the subjoined comparative statement of exports from this Province. These returns include the exports to all ports, except ports in the Dominion. Of the latter no account is taken.

Of the exports of last year, \$1,249,833 dollars' worth were from the port of Charlottetown and \$252,579 from the port of Summerside.

The returns show that the export trade is undergoing a complete change. Of lumber and other produce of the forest exported, there has been since 1876 a decrease to the amount of \$54,160, and of ships exported there has been a decrease since 1876 of \$293,730, while of animals there is an increase of \$25,887, and of eggs an increase of 59,155 dozens. The difference between our exports of potatoes in 1876 and 1879 is a decrease of 275,438 bushels. On the other hand oats exhibit an increase of 434,778 bushels.

Comparative Statement, Showing the Value of Goods Exported from Prince Edward Island, during the years ending 31st December, 1876, 1877, 1878, and 1879.

Year	1876	1877	1878	1879
Produce of the Mine	\$ 176,465	\$ 364,162	\$ 215,924	\$ 209,048
Forests	72,300	60,359	50,795	18,250
Animals and their Produce	86,645	102,737	112,532	112,532
Agricultural Products	1,037,821	1,090,539	1,251,084	964,511
Manufactures	11,083	11,521	9,364	4,394
Ships Sold to other Countries	469,030	306,860	362,686	175,300
Miscellaneous	832	9,759	6,837	1,179
Goods, not Produce of Dominion	10,028	9,759	6,837	1,179
Total	\$1,884,894	\$1,945,977	\$1,971,307	\$1,502,403

Comparative Statement of Oats, Potatoes and Eggs exported in 1876, 1877, 1878, and 1879

Year	1876	1877	1878	1879
Oats, Bushels	1,980,122	\$947,363	1,863,685	\$705,597
Potatoes, do.	739,308	191,375	1,307,121	463,870
Eggs, do.	384,852	38,482	453,103	44,007
Total	3,104,282	1,177,220	3,623,909	1,213,474

EXCITING CHASE ON THE RAIL

Nearly a Bad Accident.

A SECTIONMAN'S PRESENCE OF MIND. From Wiltshire to Hunter River the railway is on the down grade. Yesterday morning, shortly after the train left Wiltshire, the snow-plough, weighing some tons, became detached from the train, and darted off at the rate of about thirty miles an hour. At Hunter River the trains cross, and if the snow-plough passed that station a collision, with perhaps fatal consequences, was inevitable. Conductor Thompson, who had charge of the train, chased the runaway snow-plough at the rate of about twenty-five miles an hour, keeping the whistle blowing the danger signal all the while. The sectionmen and others at Hunter River station heard the rattle and the noises; but were unable to make out the cause until, a short distance from the station, the snow plough shot out of the wood and came rushing toward them. Instantly one of the section men ran to the switch and had barely changed the rails—had not even time to make them fast—when the plough dashed on to the siding, ran into a heavy snow-drift, and stopped just after it passed the points. The promptitude of the sectionman—whose name we have not learned—saved the Summerside train from destruction, and, it may be, some of those on it from death.

LECTURE.

PROFESSOR CAVEN will deliver the second of a Course of Lectures in connection with the St. PATRICK'S T. A. & B. SOCIETY, on

ST. PATRICK'S HALL,

Tuesday Ev'g Next, 17th Feb.

Subject—**Cardinal Wiseman.**

Doors open at 7 o'clock; Chair to be taken at 8. Admission 10 cents.

RICHARD WALSH, Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the St. Lawrence Marine Insurance Company will be held at their Office,

EXCHANGE BUILDING,

Wednesday, March 10, 1880,

AT THE HOUR OF TWELVE O'CLOCK, in compliance with the Act of Incorporation. FRED. W. HYNDMAN, Sec'y.

LECTURE

BY REV. GEO. W. HODGSON,

In aid of the funds of the Women's Benevolent Society,

MARKET HALL,

Tuesday, 17th inst,

AT EIGHT, P. M.

Subject—**MOSES, the Great Hebrew Statesman, Legislator and Poet.**

Admission 15 cents. ANNIE MONTGOMERY, Secretary.

APPLES. APPLES.

50 BARRES NO. 1 APPLES, in prime order, at A. McNEILL'S Auction Room. Ch'town, Feb. 10, 1880.

Take Notice!

CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. 10, 1880.

EXECUTIONS will be issued against those persons who have been sued for City Taxes for the year 1878, if not paid forthwith.

Also, City Taxes owing and unpaid for the year 1879, will be sued for if not paid immediately.

By order, W. SHEPHERD, City Collector.

NOTICE!

Merchants Marine Ins. Co'y OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held in the

Y. M. C. A. HALL,

Wednesday, 10th March Next,

AT 3 O'CLOCK,

for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of other business. FENTON T. NEWBERY, Feb. 9, 1880—2aw

Sabbath School

CONCERT.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL in connection with the SECOND METHODIST CHURCH will give a

Concert and Literary Entertainment,

UPPER PRINCE STREET CHURCH,

Friday, 13th Feb.,

Assisted by the Choir and several Musical Instruments. We intend this to be a first-class entertainment.

General admission, 15 cents; children, 10 cents. Concert to commence at 8 o'clock.

Feb. 9, 1880—mth M. N. WRIGHT, Sec'y Com.

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Very Choice.

8 CTS. PER POUND,

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NEW GOODS

New Black Silk Velvets, New Colored Silk Velvets, New Colored Satins, New Black Satins, New Black Velveteens

Frillings, Edgings and Laces.

NEW LACE CURTAINS.

Berlin Wool and Yarns,

Wool Damasks, Fringes and Curtain Holders.

SPECIAL.

The remainder of our

Fur Goods,

Ladies' Cloth Jackets,

Ladies' Ulsters,

Knitted Wool Goods,

and Blankets,

—WILL BE SOLD AT A—

BIG DISCOUNT,

In order to clear them out before the season is over.

Cash customers in want of any of the above Goods will save money by giving us a call.

Perkins & Sterns.

January 8 1880.

CODFISH.

THE Subscriber has on hand 300 qtls Prime Codfish, which he will sell cheap for Cash. Apply to

CAPTAIN JOHN HUGHES, Water Street.

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Herring. Codfish.

CHEAP FOR CASH,—

50 bbls. Herring, 100 qtls Codfish, 200 bags Salt.

D. SMALL, Head Queen's Wharf, opposite I. C. Hall's.

To Fisheries and Factories.

ONE TON AMERICAN MANILLA MARLIN (Tanned and White), Cotton Lines, Twines, Leads, Hooks, Bait Mills, Fishing Anchors, Cotton Ducks (light and heavy), 100 coils Manila Rope, Hemp Rope, Wire Rope, Paints, Oils, Tar, Oakum, Ships Chandlery, Sail Making, Light Ducks for Boats' Sails.

Jan. 21, 1880—tf

POLL TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Are to be Paid at the Store of D. R. M. HOOVER, Euston Street.

Immediate Payment Requested. Charlottetown, Jan. 9, 1880.

COOKED CORNED BEEF

Most Economical for Family Use, being More than Twice its Weight of Uncooked Meat.

Sold by the lb. and in Tins,

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Jan. 13, 1880.

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CHOICE Groceries,

Provisions and Confectionery,

68 GREAT GEORGE STREET, Next Millner's Tin Shop.

Jan. 29, 1880—lm oaw th

S. S. "NORTHERN LIGHT,"

WILL MAKE DAILY TRIPS between Georgetown and Pictou, until further notice, (Sundays excepted) leaving Georgetown at 6 a. m., and Pictou at 1.40 p. m., weather permitting.

WM. MITCHELL, Agent & Dep't. Ch'town, Dec. 19, 1879.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THAT FARM lately owned by John and Peter Meikle, situate on Lot 23, in Queen's County.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Hodson & McLeod, Charlottetown.

Jan. 9, 1880—eod

FOR THE HOLIDAYS

—OR— ANY OTHER TIME.

W. R. BOREHAM

Has on hand, and coming, per steamer Northern Light, large stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Over-shoes and Slippers, all styles and prices to suit all ages and pockets. Come along to W. R. BOREHAM, South Side Queen Square.

Dec. 23, 1879.—3mostaw

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JOHN H. CATHRAE, Ch'town, 2nd Feb., 1880—1w

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