

DECLARATION.

The following are the official returns of each of the three Counties:—

Table with columns for County (Queen's, Prince, King's), Name, and Value.

The Local Governments.

The Toronto Mail remarks:— Only a very little while ago, and there was not a Provincial Government in the Dominion which was not working openly or secretly for the McKenzie Cabinet.

Our New Governor General.

An extra edition of the Canada Gazette contains the following despatch in reference to our new Governor General, the Marquis of Lorne:—

My Lord,—You have already learnt from my telegram of the 29th of July that the Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate the Marquis of Lorne to succeed your Lordship as Governor General of the Dominion of Canada.

The Marquis of Lorne wishes to reach Canada in the beginning of November, and although I cannot expect that you will be able to remain in Canada so late in the year, I trust that you will be able to continue to administer the Government to within as short a period of his arrival as may be consistent with your own convenience.

I am glad to learn that in any case your Lordship will be able to remain until after the approaching Parliamentary Elections.

I have, &c., M. E. HICKS-BEACH, Governor General, the Right Honourable, the Earl of DUFFERIN, K. P., G. C. M. G., K. C. B.

Mr. Gladstone Drawn Out.

In answer to a challenge to state his Eastern policy in opposition to that of the Government, Mr. Gladstone has written the following letter, which is published in London:—"I hold that at the least on three separate occasions I have come up to, and even perhaps gone largely beyond, what my position justified in indicating an alternative policy on the Eastern question:—

The St. John "News" publishes a list of the exhibits sent from the Provinces to the Paris Exhibition. From the "News" it would appear that nothing from this Province has been awarded, even a "honorable mention."

I have much pleasure in informing you that you have been awarded an honorable mention for your exhibit. Accept my congratulations, and believe me, Your obedt servant, J. PERRAULT.

City Council.

A MEETING of the City Council was held last evening; present His Worship the Mayor. His Honor the Recorder, Councillors Peake, Beer, Heartz, Davy, Koughan, Morris, Horne, Hooper, Byrne, Stumbles.

The City Clerk's report from 1st January, 1878, to 31st August was presented and read, as follows:—

A Statement of the Expenditure from 1st January '78, to 31st August, 1878.

Table of Extraordinary Expenditure: Victoria Park, Pownal Wharf, Spring Park Tank, Plank Sidewalks, Macadamizing Streets, Watering Cart.

Table of Debentures and Bonds redeemed, Cash to credit of City Clerk and Fire Department, Ordinary Expenditure per Classification, Accounts due 31st Dec., 1877, since paid.

A Statement of the Ordinary Expenditure and Revenue from 1st January, 1878, to 31st August, 1878.

Table of Ordinary Expenditure and Revenue: Amt. paid, Amt. Rec'd. Includes Police Court, City Court, Liquor Licenses, etc.

THE CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN. DR. Balance 31st August, 1878.

Table of City of Charlottetown Revenue: To Real Estate, Plant and Moveable Property, City Clerk Deposit, etc.

CR. Balance 31st August, 1878.

Table of City of Charlottetown Expenditure: By Capital, Loans, Bonds, Debentures, Hospital Fund, Merchants Bank.

WM. B. MORRISON, City Clerk. Charlottetown, 6th Sept., 1878.

On motion it was ordered that the City Auditors be required to audit the accounts once a month. A number of accounts were ordered to be paid.

The sale, for \$600, of the Fire Engine "Prince Edward" to the Fire Wardens of Alberton was confirmed.

A letter from Thomas Caseley, Esq., suggesting the boring of tubular wells at the East End of the city was read and referred to the Pumps and Wells Committee.

Councillor Byrne moved that Henry Curtis be discharged from the office of Park Keeper. Motion carried, Councillors Morris and Stumbles voting against it.

A report of the Special Committee respecting the pumping of water at Spring Park was read on the table.

Council adjourned.

THE town of Salem last Wednesday celebrated the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing at Salem of Governor John Endicott. There was an oration by Judge Endicott, a direct descendant of the bluff old English Governor; William W. Story, the sculptor, sent a poem all the way from Rome, which was read by Prof. Churchill, of Andover, and there were speeches, music, lurching, and a good time generally, some of the most eminent men in New England having attended.

The widow of Bloomfield H. Moore, of Philadelphia, has tendered to the Franklin Institute \$10,000 in trust, to be called the Bloomfield H. Moore memorial fund, the income to be applied to the purchase of books.

A Diary of the Czar.

Under the title of the "Diary of the Czar's Residence on the Danube in 1877," Count Sollowhob has just published at St. Petersburg the first important contribution to the literature of the late war. Although the journal is not the actual work of the Emperor Alexander himself, it faithfully records his feelings during the most eventful period of the Turkish campaign, and is written by one whose constant personal attendance upon His Majesty enabled him to obtain inspiration for many of its pages.

THE Lancet says:—"The awful catastrophe on the Thames, by which, in a few minutes, 500 or 600 persons were drowned within sight of all the appliances by which life is usually saved, impresses us more than ever with the importance of introducing swimming into the ordinary education of children of both sexes. The growing love of excursions and adventures by land and sea—in themselves so healthy and commendable—suggests the wisdom of this course.

THE Chief Justice of Newfoundland took his departure lately for England, nominally on leave of absence, but the understanding is that he is to retire on a pension, and that his successor will be Sir Frederick Carter, our late Premier. Sir Hugh Hoyles has rendered great service to the colony by his zealous and able discharge of the duties of his high office, and he retires carrying with him universal respect and esteem.

GENERAL NEWS.

Adolphe Hoffman was arraigned on Thursday in New York, for marrying six women. He married in order to swindle them of their money.

Tennyson is an incessant smoker. He uses a clay pipe of the old fashion, with a stem a yard long, and smokes common Virginia tobacco. He never uses a pipe the second time.

Sojourner Truth, the lecturer, who was manumitted from slavery so long ago as 1817, is believed to be over a hundred years old. She still lives, and promises to be a sojourner a while longer.

Johannes Marchi, a prosperous peanut vendor at Providence, who came from Italy five years ago, has retained so much patriotism and love for fatherland that when he learned recently that he had been drafted into the Italian army, he sold out his business and prepared to return home immediately.

Bismarck is suffering from nettle rash, and will be confined to his apartments for several days.

At Cherrington, Lennox County, Ross McCabe, aged 110 years, registered his vote on Tuesday last.

The members of the Montreal press will present their esteemed confere, Mr. Thomas White, after his return, with a warm congratulatory address on his election to Parliament.

The Ottawa Herald says that Mr. Hinworth, Clerk of the Privy Council, will be superannuated, and that Mr. Buckingham will be appointed to the vacancy. The story is not generally credited, however.

Enjoy Life. What a truly beautiful world we live in. Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, plains and oceans, and thousands of means for enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worried out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green's August Flower will make them as free from disease as when born.

THE most eligible Corner Lot, adjoining the Brick Stores of A. McKenzie and W. R. Watson, is now offered for sale at a bargain. Apply to McEACHERN & CO., Italian Warehouse. Sept. 21, 1878—1w cod

GRAIN BAGS! GRAIN BAGS!

BY BALE OR DOZEN, CHEAP FOR CASH, AT THE LONDON HOUSE! Ch'town, Sept. 23—pat 4i cod

Kerosene, LANDING TO-DAY, MONDAY, 100 BBLs.—120 test. CARVELL BROS. Sept. 23—li

CARGOES AND FREIGHTS. INSURANCE EFFECTED AT CURRENT RATES IN BOSTON MARINE INSURANCE CO. No POLICY FEE. CARVELL BROS., Agents. Sept. 23—pat 2i

The Provincial Exhibition OF AGRICULTURE & LOCAL INDUSTRY WILL BE HELD AT SUMMERSIDE, PRINCE COUNTY, On Wednesday and Thursday, October 2nd and 3rd, 1878. Amount of Premiums \$1,372.25. COMPETITION OPEN TO THE WHOLE PROVINCE.

IN addition to the Cash Prize offered for the "Best Cow and Calf," a Statuette, in bronze, of a Cow and Calf, the gift of Robert Wilkes, Esq., of Montreal, will be awarded. Prize lists may be had on application to Mr. George Lewis, Market Clerk, Ch'town; J. R. McLean, Esq., M. P. P., Souris; Hon. D. Gordon, Georgetown; Benj. Rogers, Esq., Alberton.

The Drill Shed will be open on Monday, Sept. 30, and Tuesday, Oct. 1st, for the reception of goods, with a man in charge to take care of all articles delivered there.

The Cattle Show and Exhibition will be held on Wednesday, 2nd, October. The plowing match and testing of farming implements on Thursday, 3rd, October.

All articles for the Exhibition must be entered and delivered at the Drill Shed, Summerside, on or before Tuesday, October 1st, or up to 9 o'clock the morning of the Exhibition, at which hour, sharp, the doors will be closed for the Judges to commence inspection.

The live stock must be entered and on the cattle grounds at 10 o'clock, a. m., on Wednesday, October 2nd, at which hour the Judges will commence business.

No prize will be awarded for farming implements until tested. All implements must be entered and on the trial grounds before 10 o'clock, a. m., on Thursday, October 3rd.

All entries for ploughing match must be made and teams on the ground before 10 o'clock, a. m., Thursday, October 3rd.

Exhibitors are particularly requested to take notice that it is absolutely necessary, and positively required, that all entries be made on or before the time above specified, in order to afford the Judges sufficient time for the discharge of their duties.

Arrangements will be made with the Railway authorities for the usual reduction in fares.

JOHN GAFFNEY, Sec'y of Commissioners. Sept. 23, 1878—

To be Let, THE SHOP and DWELLING on Sydney Street, adjoining the Store of H. J. Callbeck. Possession given immediately. Apply to FRANCIS P. McCARRON. Ch'town, Sept. 23, 1878—

Don't You Believe It, WHEN they tell you that the Steam Pump at the Gas House is pumping all the wells dry. They cannot lower the Tubular Wells put in by JONES for Thomas Caseley, Wm. Murphy, Paul Lee, E. J. Hodgson, Archibald Holmes, John Morris, &c., &c., &c., or any other man, when a living vein of spring water is pierced, as has been done at the Gas House and at Quirk's pump.

C. C. JONES. Ch'town, Sept. 21—tf

BOYS WANTED. TWO BOYS, of 15 to 17 years of age, willing to do general work, may obtain situations for the coming winter. Apply at "THE CONFECTIONERY." Ch'town, Sept. 21—2i

LUNATIC ASYLUM. WANTED—at the above Institution—a COOK and a HOUSEMAID. Application for the situations to be made at the Institution. Ch'town, Sept. 21, 1878—

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PERKINS & STERNS. Ch'town, Sept. 20—10i cod

DO DROP IN, AND SEE SEE JONES; look at his many different kinds of PUMPS—Wood and Iron—Suction and Force. They are selling like hot cakes.

Have him bore you a WELL this dry time that cannot be pumped dry. Don't throw away any more money by giving it to my CHEAP opposition, as in the past, as they cannot tell where to find living water; neither can they steal his business.

Give him a call and he will tell you all about it. C. C. JONES, Opposite Dr. Jenkins'. Ch'town, Sept. 21—tf

Wanted, Immediately, 1,000 BUSHELS sound, well-picked Early Rose POTATOES. L. C. HALL. Ch'town, Sept. 21—3i

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