

whippers-in did their best to gather their forces, and the chair having been taken by Mr. McKinnon, his Honor the late Speaker addressed the meeting in justification of his course as the representative of a large portion of the District in the last House.

His Reverence having concluded his sermon without the customary benediction, Mr. Owen, who spoke very briefly, apparently not caring to encounter the opposition he saw arrayed against him, came forward to solicit the "sweet voices" of the electors, and acting on Shakespeare's maxim, that "brevity is the soul of wit," had the good sense to occupy but little time and expose as few assailable points as possible to his adversaries.

Hon. Mr. Wightman came next, and at considerable length, and with no small effect, "dropped down" on Mr. McAulay; and after strongly recommending the Hon. Attorney General to the support of the people of the District, justified his own conduct as a member of the late House and of the Government. Up again sprang Mr. McAulay, who roundly abused the Government for alleged extravagance, and very consistently charged them with a gross dereliction of duty in not having built a railroad from Georgetown to Charlottetown!

This called up the Hon. Colonial Secretary, who, in one of his usual masterly speeches, very effectively crushed the arguments of Mr. Owen and his reverend conditor, and concluded with a triumphant defiance to his opponents, lay and clerical, to show a single instance of defeat on the part of the present Government during the seven years of their administration. The nomination of candidates then took place. No opposition was made to Mr. Thornton. A difference of opinion existed as to the opinions of the meeting with reference to Messrs. Owen and the Attorney General; the former proposed that these present should go outside and divide according to the respective parties they favored; several were in favor of leaving the decision of the question to the result of the election.

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NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

(From the Halifax Sun, May 17.) GREAT BRITAIN.

On the 30th ult., in the House of Commons, Mr. Disraeli's resolution, in regard to the government of India, came up. An amendment offered by Lord Harry Vane, declaring it inexpedient to transfer the government to the Crown, was lost on a division of 447 to 57. Mr. Disraeli's first resolution, affirming the expediency of the change, was carried without a division, amidst much cheering. The debate was then adjourned until the 31st of May.

Lord Derby's remarks, at a meeting of his followers, leave the inference that he would not resign in case of defeat on the pending Indian resolution. A list of a new and possible Cabinet, in which the names of Lord John Russell, Lord Palmerston, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Bright and Mr. M. Gibson appear, is current in some of the London clubs, and it is said to have its foundation in a "strong rumour."

It is confidently stated that in consequence of Queen Victoria being in an interesting situation, Her Majesty's anticipated tour to Berlin this summer has been abandoned. The Prince Consort and the Prince of Wales will, however, visit the Prussian capital.

The experiments upon the new-paying-out machine for the Atlantic cable demonstrated its perfect success. On the 30th the Agamemnon had 1260 and the Niagara 990 miles of wire on board. The directors had decided to order 100 miles more of cable, so that there will be on board each ship a surplus of over 500 miles.

FRANCE.

The correspondent of the London Globe says it is stated in Paris that Dr. Bernard's trial cost the British Government £32,000.

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land—I directed water to be thrown down the skylight, and stationed a small boy, named Begley, to open and shut the same, while the men, and even the women, nobly exerted themselves to prevent the extension of the fire. At 2 p.m., the reckless conduct of the first mate, who had obtained some liquor from the supply put into the boats, convinced me that he was intoxicated, and, therefore, unfit for duty. I thought he had conducted himself in a proper manner, and proved himself, whilst on board, to be an excellent seaman. I had him put forward, and did not allow him afterwards to do duty. The remainder of the crew and the passengers merit the highest praise for their good behaviour in obeying orders and rendering assistance to delay the dissolution of the ship as long as possible. Too much praise cannot be awarded to the ladies for their devoted kindness, and encouragement of the men whilst engaged at their arduous duty. The names of Miss Warburton and Mrs. Tont have been already mentioned, as evincing great fortitude and presence of mind during the whole period of the disaster; and the other females were not backward in displaying those noble traits which adorn the gentler sex.

Wednesday, 28th, was thick and foggy, and all hands were busily employed throughout the whole day and the night following. On Thursday, at 4 o'clock a.m., the fire had greatly increased. The smoke and flames had begun to burst forth through the stern, which made our situation appear almost hopeless. We were quite exhausted, but did not despair. At this critical juncture the mail steamer Osprey, running between Halifax and Newfoundland, hove in sight; bore down upon us, and received us all on board, where we were treated with the greatest kindness by Captain Sampson.

The origin of the fire will always remain a mystery. The miscellaneous and ignitable nature of the cargo, composed as it was of gas-coal, oil, oakum, &c., may have occasioned spontaneous combustion, and thus have been the cause of a calamity which I shall ever sorrowfully deplore. E. NOLAN, Charlottetown, May 7, 1858.

The Dwelling House of Mr. Bernard Shannon, near the Ten Mile House, St. Peter's Road, together with all its contents, was consumed by fire on Friday morning, May 21, about the hour of 2 o'clock. It is not known how the fire originated.—18.

Birth.

At Port Hill Parsonage, on the 14th ultimo, Mrs. Henry D. Swaboy, of a daughter.

Married.

On the 20th April last, at St. James's, Westburne-terrace, Hyde Park, London, by the Rev. Theodore A. Echalaz, Vicar of Lullington, Warwickshire, Uncle to the Bride, Lieut. Hugh B. Knocker, R. N., to Rosa, fourth daughter of Capt. Cass. Hensley, R. N., of Rifle terrace, Baywater, and late of Newlands, Prince Edward Island.

Died.

At Bedouque, on the 14th instant, in the full and certain hope of a joyful resurrection, Eleanor, the beloved wife of Theophilus D. Clark, and second daughter of the late William Clark, Esq., of Darley, aged 39 years. She has left a husband and five children to mourn the loss of a good wife and kind mother.

On Sunday the 9th instant, from the effects of measles, Catharine, second daughter of Mr. Malcolm McLean, Georgetown, Road, 51, aged 8 years.

At Charlottetown, on the 20th instant, Harriet, relict of the late Anthony Dugan, aged 82 years.

On the 14th May, at Downpatrick, Ireland, Mr. Abraham Ivers, aged 80 years, relict of Mrs. Robert Bell, of this City.

On the 22nd instant, of measles, Lucretia Elizabeth, second daughter of Mr. James E. Webber, of this City, aged 4 years and 4 months.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

May 14th—Belle, Sprague, Bay Verte, boards; Bee, Oulton, do.; do. Trial, McKeown, Charlottetown, boards; 12th—Mar, O'Neil, Quebec, boards; Comptess, Kennedy, St. John's, do.; Lilly, Long, Richmond, boards; 19th—Steamer Westmorland, Evans, Pictou, mails and passengers; Sahr, Ploughby, B. Weston, Pictou, mail; Lively Lass, do.; do. Fonn, Malone, Aubrey, do.; 20th—Belle, Sprague, Bay Verte; lumber; Steamer Westmorland, Evans, Shediac; mails and passengers.

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New Advertisements.

New Vessel for Sale.

TO BE SOLD, by Public Auction, on TUESDAY the 1st of June, at 4 o'clock—

THE HULL of a very fine clipper-built Brigantine, just launched, the property of Mr. W. Hickey. Her dimensions are as follows: Keel, 65 feet 6 inches; Beam, 21 feet; Depth of Hold, 9 feet 1 inch; Old Measurement, 151 tons. For workmanship and model she cannot be excelled in this port. Terms at sale. May 24, 1858. Is&Pro. A. H. YATES, Auctioneer.

Sale of Dry Goods, Ship Chandlery, Ironmongery, &c. (The Close of Consignments received in 1857.)

THE subscriber will sell at AUCTION, at his Sale-room, Queen-street, on THURSDAY MORNING, the 10th day of June next, at 11 o'clock, forenoon, without reserve, the following LOTS OF DRY GOODS:—

- 8-12 dozen plain Damask and Rice Bonnets
170 fancy Straw Bonnets, 18 pieces Straw Trimming
1 dozen Children's Bonnet Shapes, 3 1-2 doz. Men's Vests
75 Men's, Women's and Children's coloured and fancy Lisle Gloves, 34 dozen Holland Vests
18 1-12 doz. cotton and silk Parasols, 10 pieces Tweed
40 pieces printed Delaines, 2 pieces shaded Coburgs
50 do. rolled Linings & Silicious, 2 pieces figured Lustré
2 pieces Check, 6 pieces coloured Berage
8 do. printed Muslins, 50 Ladies' Berage Dresses
4 Alma Robes, 185 pieces Ribbons
103 Ladies' muslin printed Dresses, 17 2-12 doz. Shawls
2 1/2 doz. Ladies' cotton and cashmere Shawls
10 pieces black Aprons, 150 doz. Scissors
33 pieces cotton Fouts, 2 pieces table Damask
44 Berage Shawls, 58 Berage Shawls
48 doz. American Back Combs, 222 1/2 doz. English Combs
8 doz. Youths' Caps.

SHIP CHANDLERY. 2 coils 64 in. Shroud Rope, 20 coils Cordage
2 Palls and Rims, 1 piece Hawse Pipe
2 bags clinch Rings, 1 bag Zinc Nails, 1 bag Shingle Nails
1 bag Drifts, 2 dozen Metal Shavers
1 dozen Anchor Shackles, 2 Lead Snappers
5 barrels Pitch, 1 barrel Varnish
A lot of Sheathing Paper.

IRONMONGERY. 25 Pan Covers, 5 Bake Pans, 5 boxes Pipes
35 Cart Boxes, 2 11-12 dozen Reaping Hooks
4 Whip Saws, 4 kegs Cut Nails, 4 Plough Moulds
4 boxes 10 x 12 Glass, 2 Tea Kettles
6 pair Horse Traces, and sundry other articles.
May 24, 1858. BENDY DAVIES, Auctioneer.

NEW GOODS—SPRING 1858. London House, Established 1820.

THE subscribers have received, per ship "ISABEL," from Liverpool—

120 Packages British and Foreign Merchandize, 10 Tons Iron,

which, with Stock on hand, will be sold at their usual low prices for prompt payment. Present importation consists of—

- 20 chests prime Congou TEA
9 trunks Ladies' Boots & Shoes
2 cases Ready-made Clothing, 4 cases Towen's Hats & Caps
2 do Millinery, 2 do Straw and Silk Bonnets
3 do containing Parasols, Muslin dresses, Shawls & Mantles
1 do Ribbons, 1 case Gloves, 1 do Hosiery
1 do summer Clothes, Gambroons, Drills, &c
1 do Floor Cloth, 1 case Flannels and Woollens
50 boxes "London" Soap, 1 case Starch, 1 chest Indigo
15 bundles Spring Steel, 10 tons Bar Iron.
Ch. Town, May 24, 1858. D. G. & S. DAVIES.

New Advertisements.

To the Electors of the Second District of King's County.

GENTLEMEN.—As my name has been put in nomination at several public meetings recently held in the District, and there having been large majorities in my favour at nearly every one of them, I cannot refuse to comply with what appears to be so generally the wish of my late constituents, and I shall therefore present myself as a candidate for your suffrages. My long tried attachment to sound liberal principles, and the consistency and zeal with which I have endeavoured to advocate them during the last four years, constitute my strongest claim to your favourable consideration; and I feel that I am indebted for the honorable mention of my name on the late occasions to your warm approval of my public conduct during the period I have served you. Should I be returned to the new House of Assembly, I will endeavour to pursue the same straightforward and independent course which I did in the last one, and believing that further pledge or promise is not required, I remain, gentlemen, your obedient servant. Little River, May 22, 1858. JOSEPH DINGWELL.

To the Electors of the Second District of King's County.

GENTLEMEN.—I beg you to accept my thanks for the ready and flattering reception you gave me at the several public meetings called by the Hon. Edward Whelan. Having been nominated at the above public meetings as one fit to solicit your suffrages at the approaching election, I desire to convey my thanks for the honor thus intended, and to state, that I shall use my utmost exertions to merit the confidence thereby reposed in me. I remain gentlemen, your obed't serv't. Morell House, May 22, 1858. JOHN B. COX.

Public Meetings.

A public meeting will be held at Mr. Jas. McDonald's, Savage Harbor Settlement, on Thursday 10th June, at 2 o'clock, afternoon.

A public meeting will be held at Mr. William Hooper's, on Friday the 11th June, at 2 o'clock, afternoon.

And at Mr. John Sutherland's, Head of St. Peter's Bay, on Saturday the 12th, at 2 o'clock, afternoon.

Morell House, May 22, 1858. J. B. COX.

From Boston.

THE fast-sailing Brigantine "AFION," Turnbull, master, will leave Boston for this port on the 28th instant. For freight or passage apply to JOHN A. FOWLE & Co. May 24, 1858. No. 11 Foster's Wharf, Boston, Mass.

Flour, Molasses, Leather & Confectionary.

JUST received per "Albion" and "Laurel." 600 barrels extra and superfine Flour, 100 half barrels do. do. 10 puncheons Molasses, 50 sides best Sial Leather, 63 boxes assorted Confectionary, 20 boxes English dairy Cheese, for sale for cash only by SAMUEL A. FOWLE & Co. Charlottetown, May 24, 1858. 41 Penke's Buildings.

For Sale.

A QUANTITY of large well-made BIRCH TIMBER, with three-inch DEALS, Lathwood and Spars, as annexed:— 3 to 400 tons new Birch Timber 40 to 50 thousand three-inch Deals 10 to 12 cords Lathwood 1 to 200 Spars 2 to 300 tons small sized Hardwood, to suit the St. John's market, will be shipped on shutes, or at a low freight. Enquire of Messrs. Longworth & Hyndman, Ch. Town; Edward Albro & Co., Halifax; or Mr. Thomas Amner, Montague River. Orwell, May 24, 1858. STEPHENS & CLARKE.

"Coachman's Glory."

THIS Superior HORSE, sired by "Mountaineer," out of Mr. Robert McNutt's Blood Mare "Fashion," is 3 years old, stands 16 hands high, of a dark Bay color, and is acknowledged to be the finest Horse in the Island. Will stand for the season as follows:— On Thursday, the 26th May, at Cranby's Inn, 7 miles from Town. On Friday will proceed to Westley River through New Glasgow Road, where he will remain at Mrs. Hickey's until the following morning; thence to James Laird's Mill, where he will stand until Monday, the 24th; at noon; thence to Mr. Alexander Laird's, Cavendish, until Wednesday, the 26th; thence to Robert Simpson's, Hope River, where he will remain until evening, and proceed on to Dunham McIntyre's. On Thursday 27th, at Mrs. Barrett's Cross, until Friday at 10 a.m., when he will proceed on to Princestown and Darley, returning through Irish Town on Saturday, and to Charlottetown by way of Baginall's on Monday and Tuesday. This route will be followed once a fortnight during the season. Terms 15s. Cash, or 20s. payable in October, by Note of Hand. PHILIP SELLICK, St. Charlottetown, May 24, 1858.

Notice of all whom it may concern.

IN consequence of the present state of the money market, and the difficulty of obtaining discounts at the Bank, necessity compels me to reduce my present STOCK, in order to raise the wind. On MONDAY, the 24th instant, at five in the morning, will be opened and ready for inspection, and summary disposal, my entire importation of

New Furniture.

of the most fashionable kind, consisting of everything usually kept in a first class Furniture Store. All persons purchasing to the amount of Twenty Pounds, will have a splendid PICTURE with gilt frame, given gratis. Ladies and Gentlemen please call and purchase at once before times get better. GEORGE DOUGLAS, Furniture Warehouse, Kent Street, May 24. St.

R. R. R.

HEALTH will, in all cases follow the use of Radway's R. R. Remedy. There are none so sick or diseased, so weak, so debilitated, or crippled with pain or infirmities, but that Radway's R. R. Relief, renovating Resolvent, or Regulators, as the nature of the disease or weakness may require, will quickly and rapidly cure. These remedies consist of Radway's Ready Relief; Radway's Renovating Resolvent; Radway's Regulators. Each of these remedies possesses special curative powers over certain diseases. Yet there are other diseases, where their combined medicinal properties are required; and when thus used, if there is sufficient life and strength within the diseased or dying body to sustain their action, the patient will live and be restored to health.

Pain, R. R. Relief. Acute Diseases, R. R. Relief. Inflamatory Diseases, Relief and Regulators. Malarious Diseases, Relief and Regulators. Congestive Diseases, Relief and Regulators. Scrophulous Diseases, Renovating Resolvent. Chronic Diseases, Renovating Resolvent. Syphilitic Diseases, Resolvent and Regulators. Constitutional Diseases, Resolvent and Regulators. Skin Diseases, Renovating Resolvent. Nervous Diseases, Resolvent, Relief and Regulators. Infectious Diseases, Ready Relief and Regulators.

CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES. Many diseases that afflict humanity are inherited as heir-looms from the diseased bodies of sickly sires—Scrophula, Consumption, Syphilis and Pals, are among the most common of constitutional diseases. Now, we care not if many generations the seeds of these diseases may have been established in the system, comprising the blood—Radway's Renovating Resolvent will eradicate from the bodies of the affected every particle of diseased deposit, and infuse the veins with new, pure and healthy blood.

CHILDREN'S DISEASES. Radway's Renovating Resolvent should be hailed as a blessing by every mother throughout the land, whose infants are afflicted with sores, Humors, &c. These breakings out (if thus early) are evidences of disease transmitted from the parent stock. A few doses of the Renovating Resolvent will eradicate every vestige of the disease and insure the child a sound and healthy body.

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