

Civic Nomination.

The nomination for Councillors for representation at the Civic Board was held to-day. The following gentlemen nominated:

- WARD 1. William Murphy, Thomas Morris, and John Ings, Esqs.
WARD 2. William Koughan, James Byrne, Owen Connelly and M. P. Hogan, Esqs.
WARD 3. S. W. Crabbe, Patrick Blake, C. L. Strickland and Edward Davy, Esqs.
WARD 4. Lemuel Beer, John Hughes, David Lawson and T. L. Chappelle, Esqs.
WARD 5. H. B. Smith, T. A. McLean, John Newson and A. Horne, Esqs.
MAYOR. W. E. Dawson, Esq. | John Murphy, Esq.

The Mails.

NAVIGATION is open, the steamers are running, and the mails will now come by the summer route. During winter the mail management afforded small ground for complaint. The mails were, in the first place, transmitted by the Northern Light. As soon as she began to run irregularly, they were carried by way of the Capes. Then, whenever it was certain that the Northern Light could again make regular trips, they were again transferred to her. There were, during the entire winter, very few bad breaks in our communication by mail. The couriers at the Capes, under the direction of Captains Irving and Muttart, deserve great credit for the enthusiasm and promptitude with which they performed their arduous duties. The Post officials, too, have learned wisdom by experience. There were, this year, no daily and weekly changes from one route to the other. When it appeared that the mails came irregularly by way of Georgetown, they turned to the Capes and the couriers, and stuck to them until it was certain the mails could be forwarded more quickly and regularly the other way. Next year we hope the same policy will be pursued, and that a steamer will be placed at the Capes to assist the couriers.

The National Policy and Reciprocity.

THE Toronto Telegram, an impartial paper, says:— We may all say what we like either for or against the N. P., but it is clear that it is having one good effect at least, for it is wakening the people of the United States up to a realization of the fact that in commerce as well as in other things there are some games that two can play at as well as one. All efforts on the part of the Canadian Government to induce the United States Government to revive the reciprocity treaty had been met with so much coldness that the position taken six years ago by Sir A. T. Galt—that it would be humiliating to this country to take the initiative in any further negotiations to that end—came to be accepted as the proper position for our Government to assume. Since then, our people declared in favor of a policy protecting our own markets, and the N. P. was the result. It has only been in force a year, and yet the effect has been to create a lively anxiety on the other side of the line to renew the old commercial relations with this country. The volume of imports from the United States has sensibly declined since the N. P. was adopted. Our neighbors see this, and are anxious to lay hold of the Canadian market with a strong hand before it is monopolized by our own people. This, at any rate, is due to the N. P.

English Markets.

GRAIN.—Liverpool, April 30.—A leading grain circular says:—The grain trade during the past week has been dull and lifeless, with almost an entire cessation of demand. The improving tendency recorded last week has entirely disappeared. A further decline of 1s per quarter is generally reported at the principal markets on the limited amount of business practicable. Cargoes off coast meet with a fair inquiry for home and continental destination at 1s decline. Future arrivals are quite neglected. On the spot and at the neighboring markets since Tuesday the transactions in wheat have been of the merest retail character at 2d decline. Corn declined proportionately. To-day wheat opened with a more general inquiry, and more business was reported at a decline of 2d from Tuesday's rates, with a steadier feeling at the close. Flour was unchanged and the transactions small. Corn was in fair request at 2d decline from Tuesday's prices.

The "Northern Light."

A return shows that between December 19, 1879, and March 24, 1880, both days inclusive, the steamer "Northern Light," plying between Georgetown, P. E. I., and Pictou, N. S., carried 835 bags of mail matter, 382 passengers, 5776 packages of freight, 150 head of sheep, one carload of fish plates, and while making the 49 trips she earned \$2,417.

Citizens Meeting.

A meeting of the Citizens, called for the purpose of nominating a Mayor and ten Councillors for the City of Charlottetown, was held this day, in Allin's Hall, at which a large number of influential citizens was present.

The meeting was organized by appointing Archibald Kennedy, Chairman and the undersigned Secretary.

The Chairman having briefly stated the object of the meeting, the nominations for Councillors was proceeded with and resulted as follows:

- Ward 1—William Murphy and John Ings.
Ward 2—Owen Connelly and M. P. Hogan.
Ward 3—Patrick Blake and L. H. Davies.
Ward 4—L. L. Beer, and John Hughes.
Ward 5—John Newson and Alexander Horne.
For Mayor—William E. Dawson, Esq., was unanimously nominated.

Among those present at the meeting, and who agreed to support the above nominations were the following:

- William Welsh, James Peake, Robert May, Archibald Kennedy, H. J. Cundall, George Davies, Joseph Knight, T. Casley, Thos. W. Dadd, Henry Rackem, Benj. Hooper, H. J. Callbeck, Wm. Weeks, Samuel McRae, Geo. Scantlebury, L. H. Goff, F. H. Beer, Angus Martin, P. Trainor, C. Hermans, F. Trainor, John W. Pickard, C. F. Harris, M. Allin.

Several of the gentlemen who were nominated as above, were also present and expressed their willingness to act if elected.

On motion, it was resolved that the Secretary do forward a copy of the minutes to the newspapers for publication. Meeting adjourned.

F. L. HASZARD, Sec'y.

Montreal Markets.

Eggs were higher on the 1st inst., owing to a temporary scarcity, sales being reported at 12c.

Table with 2 columns: Provisions and Price. Includes items like Canada mess pork, Chicago do, Pork, thin mess, Hams, city cured, Lard, in tubs and pails, Lard, in tierces, Bacon, Dressed hogs fresh killed, Beef, mess, Beef, prime mess, Tallow, rendered, Eggs, fresh, per dozen.

A Lima letter of the 14th ult., says: On the 10th the Chilean fleet in Callao Bay sent before daylight a torpedo launch against the Peruvian corvette Union anchored well in shore, but before exploding harmlessly against the floating palisade protecting that vessel, a Chilean torpedo, clumsily managed, ran dangerously near the United States frigate Alaska and the Italian frigate Garibaldi, and escaped a warm reception from the people on board these vessels. The approach of the launch was perceived on the Union before the explosion, and a heavy fire of musketry and from Gatling guns was opened on the stranger, causing her to promptly retire.

The "Sportsman" says that Boyd, the oarsman, has determined to go to America to contend for the Soule prizes, and has requested the editor of the "Sportsman" to receive his entry etc. The "Sportsman" has forwarded the entry to Boston. Boyd is in good condition, and has ordered a new skill for use in America.

PEAS—McLean's Blue Peter, Carters First Crop, Sutton's Ringleader, Daniel O'Rourke, Kentish Invieta, Champion of England, Advancer, Forty-fold, Victoria Marrow, Yorkshire Hero, British Queen, and Sugar, (eatable pod.)—W. R. WATSON. [ap 27 6i]

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE. May 1st—A E Holland, St Eleanor's; Geo Compton, do; Henry Seales, S'side. May 3rd—A Simms, Kensington; James Squarebridge, Stanley Bridge; Caleb Schurman, S'side; T Grady, do. May 4th—E J Crabbe, Fredrickton, Lot 67; Malcolm Matheson, Bradalbane; E J Crabbe, sen Colville; Henry Craswell, St Eleanor's; Mrs Craswell, do; Mr and Mrs Edgar Craswell do; Angus, Gregor, New Glasgow; Capt A Finlayson, S S "Northern Light"; Capt Angus McInnis, Bay Fortune. May 5th—James Barclay, O'Leary, Neil McFarlane, S'side; Mr Matheson, Alberton; D A MacDonald, M P P, Mt Stewart; Capt John McKay, S S "Northern Light"; Hugh Ross, Augusta, Me, U S; Miss Jane Scott, Hector McLean, Montreal. James Bourke, Mill View.

ROCKLIN HOUSE. May 4—Walter Simson, Bay View; Arthur Simpson, do; Joseph Cochran, Lelave, N S; Miss McKinnon, Georgetown; J Sharp, S'side; J R Callhoun, do; Hector McLeod M P R; Albert Gay, Pownal; Miss Clark, do; Thomas Taylor, Mt Stewart; Wm Bunton, Rustico; D Patterson, do; D Farquharson, Lot 48; D R Clarke, Orwell; John Thornton, George Howatt.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. May 6—Ship Midas, McInnis, Lucan G. B., ballast; sch. Lady Speedwell, Mahone Bay, boards; Flora, Bridgewater, lumber to M. P. Hogan; Maggie, Tatanagouche, boards and hoops to M. P. Hogan; Mary Kate, Sheet Harbor, ballast. CLEARED. May 5—Kate, Pentz, Halifax, 2,500 bush. potatoes; Gazelle, Pictou, ballast. OUTPORTS. Murray Harbor, May 1st—Old. sch. Grand Master, Sydney, C. B., 2,056 bush. potatoes.

MARRIAGES.

On the 5th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Kenneth MacLennan, Mr. Samuel Lowe, builder, to Mary Ellen, eldest daughter of Mr. Nathaniel P. Stramberg.

At Norrows Creek, on the 25th ult., by the Rev. F. J. McDonald, P. P., Mr. Andrew McDonald to Miss Mary Steele, both of Grand River.

DIED.

At Charlottetown, on Tuesday morning, the 4th inst., of consumption, Mr. John Rossiter, formerly of Morell, aged 38 years.

At his residence, Straight Shore, Portland, on the 30th ult., John McKenna, aged 75 years.

At Auckland, New Zealand, on the 31st January, Mr. Henry Smith, formerly a resident of this city, aged 85 years. Mr. Smith was a well known and highly respected citizen of this town for many years, and emigrated with his family to New Zealand, in the "Prince Edward," in the year 1855. "The memory of the just is blessed."

At her residence, Head of Hillsborough, on the 3rd inst., after a short illness, Mary, relict of the late Mr. Alexander Cameron, aged 76 years, leaving a family of six children and a large circle of friends to mourn her loss. Deceased had been a widow for about 30 years. She was a woman of genuine piety, and her end was peace.

MARKET HALL.

ON account of extra preparations for "Pinafore," there will be NO PERFORMANCE THIS EVENING.

To-morrow Evening,

"H. M. S. Pinafore,"

WITH SPECIAL ACCESSORIES.

Plan now open at Drug Stores. May 6, 1880.

Children's Carriages.

THE Handsomest and Cheapest in the City, at ARTHUR & TOOMBS, North Side Queen Square, May 6, '80—3in

CARD.

To the Electors of Ward 3.

AT the solicitation of a number of respectable rate-payers of your Ward (No. 3), I have consented to become a Candidate for your suffrages at the approaching Civic Election. Feeling that the strictest economy in all Civic matters should be the chief aim of the City authorities, and that many reforms are needed towards the good government of Charlottetown, I will, if elected, do all in my power to lessen the Civic expenditure in all respects. It will be my duty to see the provisions of the late Local Statute, passed in reference to the City of Charlottetown, carried out with the strictest integrity.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Yours, &c., C. L. STRICKLAND. May 6, 1880—pat ne li

Lacrosse. Lacrosse.

A MEETING of the members of the Charlottetown Lacrosse Club will be held in the office of Dr. Conroy, Great George Street, on FRIDAY evening next, at 8 o'clock. Members and parties wishing to join the Club are requested to attend. E. R. BROW, Sec'y. Ch'town, May 6, '80—2i

The Hull Fire Disaster.

VOLUNTARY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

SEVERAL THOUSAND PEOPLE ARE HOMELESS in consequence of one-half the City of Hull, P. Q., having been reduced to ashes. What the sufferers need is assistance to re-construct their buildings. It is proposed that a voluntary subscription of not less than \$1 should be asked from those willing to give, and for this purpose lists will be found and subscriptions received at each of the Banks in the City, and at the office of the City Clerk. W. E. DAWSON, Mayor. May 6, '80—pat ne her ar pres 2i

TO ARRIVE!

Per Steamers FROM BOSTON Every Week, Oranges, Lemons,

And Other Fruits in Season, Which we will Sell to Dealers here as low as can be imported.

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BUY the DAILY EXAMINER for the latest news—local and telegraphic.

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Opposite Bell Tower.

NEW

French, English,

Canadian

AND

AMERICAN

GOODS,

Per "Northern Light."

GREAT PART of our Spring Stock has just come to hand per "Northern Light." We congratulate our customers on being able to place before them, perhaps, the CHEAPEST stock of GENERAL DRY GOODS ever presented in this Province. We have exercised all the care and taste we could command in the selection of this Stock, which we were fortunate enough to secure just as the various markets reached the lowest point. We open to-day nearly 200 PIECES DRESS MATERIALS, chiefly Cashmeres, Merinos, Lustres and Cordes; Black and Colored Lustres a specialty; Black Cashmeres and Crapes VERY CHEAP.

Our Stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS is replete with the latest novelties in Style and Color; Silks, Satins, Feathers and Flowers, and every requisite to be found in a good Millinery Establishment. We have great satisfaction in having a stock of Flowers such as is seldom seen, and which for Quality, Style and Price cannot fail to please.

We have also added to our already good Stock of Carpets, LACE CURTAINS, NEW EMBROIDERIES AND LACES, &c., and shall have great pleasure in showing our Goods to any one who may be disposed to favor us with their custom.

TREMAINE &

METCALF,

83 QUEEN STREET.

Ch'town, April 23, 1880.

LOOK HERE!

WE take this opportunity to inform the public that we have rented from JAMES BEALES, the Shop on the corner of Grafton and Great George Streets, where we are prepared to carry on the Boot and Shoe Business in all its branches. Custom work a specialty, on cash principles.

HENRY FLAIGER, JOHN BELL.

Charlottetown, May 5, 1880.

Maple Syrup.

25 CTS. A 1/2 PINT BOTTLE,

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HAMS!

Very Choice Smoked,

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W. A. NORTON, practical House Painter, or. Whitening, Tinting, and Paper Hanging done with despatch and at moderate charges. Residence and Shop, Fitzroy street, opposite Peter Halloran's.

Ch'town, April 29, 1880—1m

BRICKS.

ON SALE, ABOUT

50,000 BRICKS!

Apply to TREMAINE & METCALF.

April 12, 1870. -1m

For Sale or to Let.

THAT Freehold Property, with a front of eighty feet on Pownall Street and eighty-four feet on Sydney Street, the House containing 16 large rooms and two Kitchens. Can be turned into one Dwelling by unlocking a door. Apply on the premises to MRS. BOSWALL.

April 26, 1880—4i

Wants. Lost. Found. &c.

WANTED—A GIRL about 15 years of age, as NURSE. Apply at this office. [m 4 2i]

SERVANT WANTED.—Wanted a girl as general servant in a small family; wages \$5.00 per month—must be well recommended. Apply at this office. [m 4 2i]

WANTED—Three Good MEN COAT MAKERS. Best wages given. Apply to L. J. WILLIAMS, South Side Queen Square. [m 3 1f]

BABY CARRIAGES—CHEAP. Call and get Bargains at JOHN NEWSON'S. [m 3 2w]

TO LET—A large HOUSE on King's Square, with Stables, &c. Apply Glass Box 124, Post Office. [m 3]

WANTED—A Carriage Blacksmith. Only first-class workman need apply. —HEWSON, McDUGGALD & SEAMAN. [ap 30]

TO LET—A nearly new HOUSE on Erston Street, containing 9 rooms. Apply to CHARLES MCGREGOR, Esq., or E. W. TAYLOR. [ap 30]

TWO HOUSES TO LET—One containing 6 rooms, the other 5 rooms; situated on Spring Park Road and Long Street. Rent moderate. Apply on the premises to JAMES MCLEOD. [ap 30]

BOARDERS—The subscriber having good accommodations, will be glad to have a few permanent Gentlemen boarders. Please apply on the premises, Upper Hillsborough St.—MRS. RICH'D. WEEKS. [ap 29]

WANTED—An elderly woman to nurse two children. Apply at the EXAMINER office. [ap 28, 4i]

WANTED—A situation in a mercantile establishment; has experience in the Grocery line. Salary not so much an object as employment. Temperance man. Address A. B., Charlottetown Post Office. [ap 27, 1f]

WANTED—A MAN with Team to buy Eggs. Must have good recommendations.—R. K. BRACE. [ap 24]

MERCHANTS AND TRADESMEN wishing accounts adjusted can avail themselves of the services of an experienced Accountant, by addressing "ACCOUNTANT," this office. [ap 21]

TO LET—Good Pasturage for seven Cows, within a convenient distance of the city. Apply at this office. [a 9]

HOUSE TO LET—A large and commodious Dwelling of 13 apartments, suitable for Hotel accommodation, centrally located on Hillsborough Street, within a few minutes walk of Railway Depot, Market House, and Post Office. Possession given 1st May proximo. Apply to ROBT. BRIDGES. [a 15f]

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—The House at present occupied by the subscriber, on West Street, opposite the residence of James Peake, Esq., apply to SAMUEL N. EARLE.—ap. 12.