

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JULY 15, 1890.

The First District.

The Secretary's report of the Liberal Conservative Convention held at Hunter River yesterday afternoon has not come to hand. We are, however, enabled to state that about sixty gentlemen, representing the property-holders of the First Legislative Council District of Queen's County were present; that W. E. Dawson, Esq., President of the Liberal Conservative Association, occupied the chair; and that Hon. William Campbell was, after a friendly discussion, unanimously selected as the candidate to contest the election. The claims of Anthony Collett, Esq., were, we learn, presented by some of the delegates, but that gentleman readily withdrew in favor of Mr. Campbell, and said that he would give Mr. Campbell his hearty support.

The electors will now have an opportunity to choose between the practically unknown candidate of the little clique of Opposition politicians who maneuvered Mr. Balderston out of the position, and one whom everyone knows as a man of ability who has served this Province well. It is safe to say that the Opposition will—as in previous contests—stop at nothing which will tend to defeat Mr. Campbell. Mr. Campbell's friends must, therefore, make every legitimate effort which can be made to secure the return of their candidate. If they do this, there can be no doubt about the result.

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Personal.

The Boston Herald, in mentioning the bequest of Mrs. Owen Conolly, locates that lady in Kansas City instead of Charlottetown. Halifax Herald: Bishop and Mrs. Courtney celebrated their silver wedding on Friday. They were remembered by their Boston friends in \$1,000 ch. ques, and by the Halifax Women's Church Society with a handsome piece of silver. Mrs. John W. Mackey offers a reward of two hundred pounds for the detection of the persons who disseminate slanders against her family. The wicked slanders are said to be a report that she is a millionnaire once told in washing. There was a time when a citizen of the great public did not care who saw the stains of oil on his (or her) hands, but now times are changed. The best that the new generation will do is to be having a grandfather that may have worked.

All kinds of men's summer wear at B. S. Davies & Co., Cameron Block. July 14 21. K. D. C. Cures Dyspepsia.

City Council.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Present: Mayor Haviland, and Councillors Morris, Byrne, Large, Eden, McCarron, Taylor and Douse.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The payment of a number of bills was confirmed, and several bills were ordered to be paid.

Mayor Haviland presented a memorial from Messrs. James Paton, Horace Hazard, W. J. Miller, J. D. McLennan, Wm. Boyle, James McLeod, William Brown, and other residents of Upper Prince and Fitzroy Streets, complaining that they were unjustly dealt with in the matter of sidewalks—that while other portions of the city were attended to, the complainants could get little or nothing, although they had been asking for a plankway for about five years past. The memorial was referred to the Street Committee.

Mayor Haviland read two letters from Dr. McLeod in reference to the health of Mr. McPherson, City Clerk. In the second letter, which is dated the 14th, Dr. McLeod says that Mr. McPherson is fit to resume the duties of his office, but in his opinion a further leave of absence of one month would be of great benefit to him physically. His Worship also read a letter from Mr. McPherson stating that he was much improved in health and was coming back to work on Tuesday; also thanking the Mayor and Council for their kindness towards him.

On motion of Councillor McCarron, seconded by Councillor Eden, Mr. McPherson was given another month's leave of absence to date from the 9th inst., this time without salary.

Mayor Haviland submitted a letter from Market Tolls Collector McLaurin stating that although the year for which he had contracted was about up, as yet no advertisement for tenders had appeared in the newspapers; and adding that he was willing to continue collecting the tolls the coming year at the rate he was now getting.

On motion of Councillor McCarron, seconded by Councillor Eden, it was decided to call for tenders for the collecting of the tolls for one year.

Councillor McCarron moved and Councillor Eden seconded a resolution providing that in future no money grants outside those provided for in the estimates be voted, unless one month's notice be previously given. The resolution was carried.

Councillor Eden referred to the unsatisfactory condition of the boiler in the City Building, and moved that the Clerk be instructed to write for 66 new tubes of American manufacture for it at once.

Councillor McCarron seconded the resolution, which was carried.

Councillor Taylor directed attention to the filthy condition of Government Pond, and asked if something could not be done about it. The City Surveyor was instructed to attend to the matter and have the pond flooded as often as possible.

Councillor Eden moved and Councillor McCarron seconded a resolution asking the Council to request the Water Commissioners to erect free hydrants at convenient places throughout the city for the benefit of the poor, as the water they are now using is injurious to their health. Carried.

Councillor Morris moved, seconded by Councillor Douse, that the tenders for lighting the city be referred to a special committee to report upon at a special meeting of the Board.

The resolution was carried, and Councillors Morris, Eden and McCarron were appointed said committee.

The Mayor presented an account of \$12 from John McLeod & Co., for caps furnished the policemen in September, 1888, which was ordered to be paid.

Councillor Eden moved, and Councillor McCarron seconded a resolution providing for the appointing of a committee of three to consult with the Commissioners in reference to the placing the free hydrants throughout the city. The resolution was carried, and Councillors Eden, Morris and McCarron were appointed said committee.

Councillor Byrne, after some remarks in reference to the injustice and illegality of reducing the salaries of the Water Commissioners before the Board was officially notified that the works were completed, moved the following resolution, which was seconded by Councillor Taylor:—

Resolved, That the resolution relating to the salary of the Water Commissioners, passed by the Council at a meeting thereof on Dec. 9th, 1889, be rescinded, and that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Water Commissioners as to the salary they should receive and report the same to the Council.

Councillor Eden moved, seconded by Councillor McCarron, that the word "rescinded" be struck out. The amendment was carried.

The resolution as amended was then put and lost. Meeting adjourned.

Salvation Army.

INDIA AND CANADA JOIN HANDS—INDIA FOR JESUS.

ONE of the most interesting and impressive meetings ever held in Charlottetown took place in the Market Hall, last night. The Indian contingent, which has been holding enthusiastic meetings in the United States and Canada, arrived by boat from Pigeon. Adjutant Evans, who accompanied the party from Toronto, opened the meeting by singing "Shout Aloud, Salvation Boys," "We'll Have Another Song," etc., etc. Mrs. Jai Singh prayed, and sang a very sweet solo. The chorus, which was short, was readily taken up by the audience and sang with spirit. The Staff Capt., J. Singh, gave a most interesting address on the beginning and rise of the Salvation Army in India. Lord Ratner Puler won the hearts of all present by his vivacious and powerful testimony in Hindoo, which was interpreted by Kantabella, of Ceylon, who afterwards spoke for some time, showing that God is using and blessing the Salvation Army in India in one of the most remarkable ways ever known in the history of missions. As the meeting to-night Capt. Jaikson is going to speak on the work of the Army in India, at the same time showing the manner of living, etc.

A BIGAMIST SENTENCED.—A German named Conrad Ortwain has been sentenced at Berlin, Oct., to seven years in Kingston penitentiary for bigamy. Ortwain is fifty years of age and has been married seven times. All of the wives are living.

Natural History Society.

Last evening Hon. David Laird lectured in Philharmonic Hall, before the Natural History Society, upon "Our Forest Trees," of which we have in P. E. Island about half of the species found in Canada. These were enumerated with accurate botanical definitions and with ample descriptions of all their characteristics. The lecture was made doubly attractive and instructive by a large collection of mounted and freshly gathered specimens of the foliage, and in some cases the flowers or fruit, of nearly all our trees, as also by some beautifully prepared sections of wood presented by Mr. John Newson. The Coniferae or cone-bearing evergreens, the oldest of trees, were the first on the list, including the white and red (or resinous) pines, the black and white spruces, the hemlock (used in our sidewalks) the balsam fir and the American larch (here usually, but erroneously called "juniper") both used extensively for fence poles, the white cedar or arbor vitae, growing principally in the swamps of Prince County, the "ground" juniper, and the American yew, familiarly known as "ground hemlock". These second great class, the caducees, or fall-needle leaved trees, included the yellow, grey, and white (or canoe) birches, the silver, hazel, beech, the rare horn beam, found in Lot 11, and the red oak. We have four large forest trees—the sugar or rock maple, yielding the sap from which maple sugar is made, and whose leaves turn yellow in autumn as contrasted with the crimson tinting leaves of the smaller red or soft maple. Birdseye maple is not a different species, but ordinary maple, carrying in the older wood the scars produced by an insect in the tender young branches. There are several members of the willow family on the Island, including the aspen and the balsam poplar. Of the roses, we have three small, wild cherries, of which the choke cherry is best known, the mountain ash and three species of "June berries," or Indian pears. The lecturer also mentioned several minor trees, such as arrow-wood, or sibiricum, elder, witch hazel and sumach. The value of timber to Canada is shown by the fact that \$23,000,000 worth was exported last year. The lecture, which was full of useful information, and, evidently, the result of extended observation and reading, was brought to a close by a eloquent peroration, in which the lecturer dwelt upon the necessity of preserving our forests and woods, for the sake of beauty, as well as for economic purposes, pointing out, that as forests disappear, so also do brooks, and the land becomes parched and starved. The atmosphere where trees grow is cool and agreeable, respiration is easier, and the exhaustion of excessive heat never felt; while in winter the rigor of the weather is checked by the woody growth. At the conclusion of the lecture, a hearty vote of thanks, moved by Mr. Bain, and seconded by Hon. A. A. McDonald, was accorded the lecturer. Comments were made by the chairman (Chas. Palmer, Esq.) Rev. D. McNeill and Messrs. James Macdonald, Archd. McNeill, L. W. Watson, and L. Miller, Principal of West Kent Street School.

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