

The Daily Examiner

JANUARY 17, 1885.

Editorial Notes.

A letter of Lieut. Greely, written in the Arctic when all hope seemed past, says if Lieut. Garlington had carried out his instructions the whole party would have been saved, and that Dr. Pavey systematically plundered the crippled patients.

A movement is on foot to secure from the United States Treasury a large appropriation to be paid to the New York State Government to aid in deepening and otherwise enlarging the Erie and Oswego canals. The proposition will probably lead other sections of the United States to ask for appropriations for local works.

While in Montreal, Sir John Macdonald was waited upon by a deputation from the Board of Trade of that city. The deputation urged upon him the necessity of passing an act to provide for the equitable distribution of estates of insolvent creditors. The Premier said the Government would not introduce such an act at the coming session as it could not be carried through Parliament.

The fishermen of Barrington, N. S., at a public meeting on the 24th inst., passed resolutions requesting the Dominion Government to secure a Reciprocity Treaty with the United States. In the event of the treaty not being secured, they ask that the revenues of Canada be pledged, and the assistance of England be asked to such an extent as may be necessary to protect our resident fishermen in the employment of their right within the three-mile limits, and to prevent any infringement of these privileges by fishermen sailing under the American flag.

Dr. Bernardo, speaking of the supply of water in Chicago, says the *Nemesis* which ever follows neglect of sanitary law is certain to overtake the Chicagoans, if it has not already done so. They draw the water for drinking purposes through an aqueduct which opens out two or three miles distant in the lake; but will it be believed that the whole of the sewage of this great city is deposited in the same lake?—of course at a distance. There may be three or four miles—perhaps five—between what may be called the *afferent* and *efferent* issues of the city. But the mere thought of such a state of things is enough to make any one who contemplates residence in Chicago shake in his shoes.

The dairymen of New York State are beginning to feel the evil results that are being produced on the cheese trade by the manufacture of an inferior article. At a recent convention at Utica a resolution was passed urging their representatives in the legislature at Albany "to amend" the Act "to prevent deception in the sale of dairy products," by adding a section or sections enacting and authorizing the New York State dairy commissioner to devise, make, and issue one uniform stencil brand for New York State, bearing a device or motto, and the words, "New York State full cream cheese," these brands bearing a number for each separate factory to be registered by the commissioner; the brands to be used upon full cream cheese only and upon boxes containing them; persons found using such brands or imitations thereof on skim cheese to forfeit a penalty of \$500, or such sum as the legislature in their wisdom may see fit to enact.

A fact curiously significant of the prevalence of elements of population in the United States other than the Anglo-Saxon, is this, that there are more than six hundred newspapers published in various languages other than English in that country. The Germans head the list with 483 periodicals, printed in the language of their Fatherland. The French come second with 41 publications, the Scandinavians are fourth, with 33. The Spanish fifth, with 25. The Bohemians sixth, with 12. The Hollandish seventh, with 11. The Italian eighth, with 6. The Welsh ninth, with 4. The Portuguese tenth, with 3. The Hebrews eleventh, with 2. There is only one monthly publication in the Irish language, while several Irish American papers give weekly lessons in that language. The *Cheer-kee Indians* have one weekly paper. It is published by syllable letters invented by a half-breed, and consisting of 85 characters. The Chinese, too, have a publication in San Francisco.

In his suggestive address at the dinner in connection with the Chichester, Eng., Fat Stock Show, the Duke of Richmond and Gordon alluded to the subject of stock breeding. He said he had been very much struck by a paragraph in *The American National Live Stock Journal* describing the difference between arable farming and the growing of stock. The writer said:—"It is only after a man has carefully weighed the advantages and disadvantages of the two leading systems of husbandry, and put upon competitive trial the growing of live stock and the growing of grain for sale, that he can be competent to judge of the advantages either possesses when compared with the other." And this was the distinction which he drew between the two.—It is not stating it correctly to say that live stock farmers have a kind of property that grows the year round,

whereas perennial plants and all productive growths from the soil that are not cut from the ground a few months after planting are dead property during a considerable part of the year. There appeared to be a growing tendency in the present day to put more land into permanent pasture and less into arable. In the last ten years grain crops, in Eng., had been reduced by 946,760 acres, and during the same period permanent pasture had increased 2,112,808 acres. Probably, this arose from the fearfully low price of wheat and also because the farmer could, for the best class of beef and mutton, compete much better with the foreigner. Cattle in Great Britain had now increased to 6,269,141, the largest numbers known since the agricultural returns had been compiled, and, although the liver rot in 1879 had reduced the number of sheep by about five and a-half millions, the number increased by a million during last year, and he hoped that next year, with a good lambing season and freedom from disease, that they would be able to get up the stock of sheep in England to something like the number it was before.

A Breakwater Wanted.

We published in Wednesday's issue, the report of a public meeting held on the 7th inst at Red Point, Lot 45. We may say that we are not at all surprised to find the people of that locality asking for the construction of a Breakwater; for no place on the Island has less facilities for shipping, than that section of the country. A harbor of refuge there, would prove a great public convenience, and the undertaking is looked upon as only second in importance to the proposed extension of the railway from Souris to East Point. We sincerely hope that the Dominion Government may be induced to complete both these much needed public work at no distant day, and that every effort will be put forth to meet the wishes of the people of Eastern King's County.

We very much fear, however, that the Dominion representative who was present at the meeting, Dr. McIntyre, is not the man to obtain either. Why Mr. A. C. McDonald was absent we are not informed by the Secretary. Nor are we told as to whether he was invited or not. The local representatives were there, however, which was very proper indeed. But then as members of the Provincial Legislature, it is no part of their duty to build breakwaters and negotiate foreign treaties.

We may add that we have no other object in view in referring to this matter than to help to secure to the good people of Red Point, and neighboring settlements, the harbor accommodation they so much require. If the survey that was made in 1882 is considered "questionable," let them apply for a new survey; and in applying, let their request be made through a representative who has some influence with the Government. At the Peake's Station meeting, Dr. McIntyre said "he was sorry he could do nothing towards getting a Station, as he represented the minority in Parliament." A word to the wise is sufficient.

Supreme Court.

SATURDAY, JAN. 16.
The Grand Jury brought in two further true bills on indictments presented against H. T. B. Millie for embezzlement, and two true bills against Donald McIntyre for forgery.

In the case of the Queen at the prosecution of Archibald Shaw vs Sydney Matters, the prisoner was tried and found guilty on an indictment for housebreaking and larceny, and Roderick Williams, on a similar prosecution and indictment, was tried and found guilty of larceny.

The Grand Jury, previous to their dismissal, made the following presentment:

The Grand Jury for the County of Queen's, for Hilary Term, beg to report that they have visited the Lunatic Asylum and found things there in a satisfactory condition. They are glad to note that measures are being taken to increase the safety of the inmates in case of fire. They also visited the Jail and were unable to find there any ground of complaint. It was satisfactory to learn that there were only eight prisoners, two for vagrancy, three for drunkenness, and three awaiting trial before the Supreme Court.

In visiting the Poor House they found the inmates well cared for. They were, however, impressed with the inadequateness of the accommodation, forty-nine inmates being housed where forty only could be properly accommodated. They would call the attention of the Court to the entire absence (beyond the windows) of ventilation in rooms which are used in sleeping apartments by as many as thirteen persons, and they are of opinion that this defect can be rectified at a trifling expense. They also remarked the want of a room where inmates suffering from sickness might be kept separate from the others.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
(Sgd.) GEO. MACLEOD, Foreman.

Ch'town, 16th Jan., 1885.
The Court is now engaged in the trial of an action brought by Donald Buchanan vs. John Panting and others. It involves the question of closing a road at Pinette Bridge. Messrs. McLean & Martin, for Plaintiff, and Davies, Sutherland & Weeks for the Defendant.

Our Advertisers.

A. H. MacPherson, City Clerk, calls for tenders for the removal to its former site of the building at present lying at the foot of Queen Street. He also announces that a public meeting will be held in Market Hall, on Monday evening.

Donald Nicholson wants to let apartments in upper part of Oddfellows Hall.

ICK CREEPERS.—Save your life by buying a pair at once.—DORSEY, GORR & CO.

Ward Four.

A meeting of the Electors of Ward Four was held at the City Court Room last evening, for the purpose of nominating a person to contest the Ward at the coming civic election. J. W. Morrison, Esq., was Chairman.

Mr. F. H. Beer was nominated by Mr. Archibald White, Jr., and seconded by Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle.

Councillor Laidner then rose and thanked the electors for the confidence reposed in him in the past. He said he was sent to the Council two years ago to oppose water works. His term was now up, and he would go for water works. He believed there was a change of opinion in the city, and the electors wanted water, and wanted an assessment bill that would tax everyone. The city, he said, had a surplus last year and this.

Councillor Crabbe said the \$15,000 owed the Union Bank was an accumulation of years. The amalgamation of the Union and Nova Scotia Banks was the reason the money was required. It was not paid. It was simply transferred. The Council had no actual surplus this year. They appropriated the Scott Act fines (\$2400) that had in the bank on interest. This amount saved them last year. They were behind \$460, besides at last meeting of Council, they passed bills to the amount of \$200. They had five lawsuits on hand, which cost them \$270, beside Mr. L. H. Davis' Bill of cost—likely another \$100. They got \$566 Poll Tax last summer, and \$900 for licenses. Where would they have been only for these windfalls?

Councillor McRae said the law suit of Small vs. the City, was settled for one hundred dollars, and each pay their own expenses.

Mr. F. H. Beer thanked the electors for the nomination. He was in favor of equal distribution of taxation. He wanted water works under the \$2,500 scheme—which he said will save that amount in the fire department alone, and will save from ten to fourteen thousand dollars in insurance. If we have water works we will, he said, have competition in insurance business.

Mr. H. Hazard also was in favor of water works.

Mr. Pickard was in favor of water works. It was no tax. You get the worth of your money.

Mr. Douse was in favor of water works and equal distribution of taxes.

Mr. G. Foster was also in favor of water works.

Mr. F. H. Beer's nomination was then put to the meeting, and passed almost unanimously. The meeting then adjourned after passing a vote of thanks to the chairman.

Ward 5.

A meeting of the electors of Ward 5 was held last evening in Mr. Philip Large's Carriage Factory. H. H. Pollard, Esq., occupied the chair. The meeting was addressed by Councillor Tanton, T. A. McLean, Esq., Councillor Horne and Henry Rackham, Esq. Two other electors of the Ward attempted to address the meeting but were not heard. The question of Water-works, pro and con was ably discussed, and the meeting proved to be largely in favor of Water-works.

T. A. McLean, Esq., was proposed by Mr. Philip Large and seconded by Mr. E. H. Norton. Councillor Tanton was also put in nomination. The meeting, after passing a vote of thanks to the chairman, and after giving three rousing cheers for Mr. McLean, adjourned.

Water.

Last evening Mr. James McDonald read his paper on "Water and Water Supply," before the Literary and Scientific Society. It was an effort reflecting much credit on the reader. As we shall publish the paper, it would be superfluous for us to give here a synopsis of the matter. It was bristling with facts from eminent authority on water and water supply, and sanitary matters generally. The Y. M. C. A. Parlor was fully filled by an audience of intelligent gentlemen members of both branches of the Legislature, and others, who all seemed interested in the interesting subject before the meeting. A lively discussion followed the reading of the paper, which occupied better than an hour and a half of time, speeches being limited to ten minutes. Deputy Sheriff Curtis, Dr. McLeod, Chas. Palmer, Esq., and Messrs. A. McNeill, Alex. McKinnon, Donald McKenzie, P. R. Bowers and John Newson, all spoke to the subject, as did also Dr. Farquharson, Esq., M. P. P., and Hon. A. B. McKenzie, M. L. C. Twice during the evening Mr. John McMaisters stood up and furnished an awful example of the want of water. Whether he was in collusion with Mr. McDonald, we cannot say, but it is well known that literary gentlemen often resort to dramatic episodes to give point to their lucubrations. Next Friday evening Chas. Palmer, Esq., will read a paper before the society on "Primeval Man."

Condolence.

The following letter of condolence from Victoria Div. S. of T., has been handed to Mrs. Jory, widow of the late Mr. John Jory:

TO MRS. JOHN JORY:—DEAR MADAM:—It has pleased the Lord of Life and Death to take unto Himself, your late partner in life, and our good Brother in the cause of Temperance.

While bowing with humble submission to the Divine Will in the removal by death of your husband, we desire, in memory of him, as a devoted and active friend and brother, to express our sympathy with his bereaved wife and family.

Although there remains joyous hope of Eternal Life for our departed Brother, your late husband, yet our earthly separation bringeth sorrow. The happier our lives and the more Christ-like our companionships, the deeper do we feel the severance of earthly ties.

We approach you in this, your time of trouble and sorrow, to express our heartfelt sympathy with you, in your bereavement, and also to give a faint expression, by this action, of our love and respect for your late husband.

May He who is a Father to the fatherless, and a husband to the widow, be with you, and may the sunshine of His protecting care, watch over you until the hour when the Christian friends of earth, shall meet to part no more.

On behalf of, and with Victoria Division as their appointed committee, we remain

Yours faithfully,
HENRY RACKHAM, chairman.
GEO. W. MILLNER,
JAMES M. DAVIS.

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DONALD NICHOLSON, at Hickey & Stewart's. Ch'town, Jan. 17, 1885—31 eod

Public Meeting of Citizens.

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Citizens will be held in the Market Hall on Monday, 19th instant, at 7.30 p. m. The accounts of the City for the past year will then be submitted to the electors. By order of His Worship the Mayor, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk. Ch'town, Jan. 17, 1885—2i

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's office up to noon of Wednesday, the 21st inst., for the removal of building at end of Water and Queen Streets to its former position on Queen's Wharf. By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk. Ch'town, Jan. 17, 1885—2i

Lobster Factory for Sale

THE undersigned offer for Sale the Lobster Factory situate at Tracadie Beach. There are about 800 Traps (mostly new), seven Posts, 30 lbs Bait and 40 cords Wood. Will be sold at a bargain. MORRIS & HYNDMAN. Ch'town, Jan. 12, 1885—2i

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN to all those persons indebted to the Subscriber, either by note of hand, mortgage, judgment or otherwise, that unless their respective accounts are satisfactorily arranged, and the interest due thereon paid immediately, they will be placed in the hands of his Attorneys for collection, without distinction of persons or further notice. EDWARD KELLY, Lake Verd, Jan. 13, 1885—j16 3i wily

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of THE EXAMINER PUBLISHING COMPANY will be held at the office of THE EXAMINER newspaper, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th of January, inst., at the hour of eight o'clock, in the evening.

N. A. MITCHELL, Secretary. Ch'town, Jan. 15, 1885—wily

PIANO TUNING.

THE Subscriber begs to state that he will Tune, Regulate, Re-wire, &c., all Pianos with which he may be favored. Address may be left at the store of Miller Bros., Queen street, or at his own residence, north side King Square. D. M. REID. Ch'town, Jan. 5, 1885—12i

VOICE TRAINING.

MR. REID wishes four additional pupils to complete his class in the mechanical formation of the voice. Persons desirous of obtaining a knowledge of the correct method of singing would do well to call at once. Ch'town, Jan. 5, 1885—6i wily

Crockeryware, Glassware, &c., IN VARIETY.

IN addition to my former stock of goods, I have just received a large and varied assortment, consisting of Dinner Ware, Tea Sets, in white and gold, and printed; Tea and Breakfast Cups, in china and printed ware; Rockingham Tea and Coffee Pots; Bedroom Sets, in white and gold, and granite ware; Dessert Sets, in French china and gold, enameled and printed; Epergnes, Claret Jugs, Cut Tumblers, Cut Salts, Custard Cups, Jelly Glasses and other elegant Table Ware in great variety. Also, An assortment of Table, Library and Study Lamps, in bronze and nickel silver, Lamp Fixing, and Lamp chimneys of many kinds, all of which is offered at the Lowest Prices. J. B. POLLARD, Kent Street. Ch'town, Dec. 12, 1884—12i

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CIVIC ELECTION BY THE MAYOR

IN pursuance of an act of the General Assembly of this Island, made and passed in the forty-third year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act of the eighth year of Victoria, Chapter thirty-four, intituled 'An Act to incorporate the town of Charlottetown and all Acts amending the same'."

I do hereby give Public Notice that an Election of a Mayor and one person to Serve as a Common Councillor in the City Council for each Ward of said City,

Being in all a MAYOR and FIVE COMMON COUNCILMEN, will be held on

Wednesday, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1885,

At the several places, that is to say:

In Ward No. 1, at or near the store of Messrs J. & T. Morris, corner of Queen and Water Streets.

In Ward No. 2, at or near the house of Thomas Connolly, opposite Mr. R. Heart's Warehouse, Sydney Street, between Great George and Prince Streets.

In Ward No. 3, at or near the Market House.

In Ward No. 4, at or near the Fire Engine House, fronting on Kent Street, east, between Weymouth and Cumberland Streets.

In Ward No. 5, at or near the house of Widow Tierney, corners of Euston and Great George Streets.

And at the said Election the Poll will be opened at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

DESIGNATION OF WARDS.

Number One shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Dorchester Street, and the parcel of land formerly known as the Military Barrack Ground.

Number Two shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Richmond Street and north of Dorchester Street.

Number Three shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Grafton Street and north of Richmond Street.

Number Four shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Fitzroy Street and north of Grafton Street.

Number Five shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies north of Fitzroy Street, including the Common of the said Town.

NOMINATION DAY.

Act 43, Victoria, Cap. 15.—"Seven Days before the time of any and every election for Mayor or Councillors, the Person or Candidates for the office of Mayor or Councillor shall give their names in as such Candidates to the City Clerk, and the City Clerk shall duly enter the names, residences and additions of such persons, together with the office and wards for which they are candidates, and such entry, when made, shall be deemed nomination for such candidates."

There shall be paid by each person so nominated for Mayor, at the same time, a fee of ten dollars, and by each person so nominated as Councillor, a fee of five dollars, which sums shall go toward paying the cost of the election.

No person shall be qualified either for the office of Mayor or Councillor unless such nomination be made in manner and the time aforesaid.

The time appointed for the nomination of candidates, shall be from the time of twelve at noon, until the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon of the day fixed for that purpose. Qualification of Electors, see Act 43, Victoria, Cap. 15, sec 20 and 64.

[L. S.]

DAVID R. M. HOOPER, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown, A. H. MacPHERSON, City Clerk. Mayor's Office, Charlottetown, Jan. 12, 1885. 31 mo th est

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TO LET—The premises at present occupied by Horace Hazard, Esq., at the foot of Queen's street. Possession given on the 1st day of January next, A. D. 1885. For further particulars apply to R. R. Fitzgerald. Jan 16