

THE DAILY EXAMINER. DECEMBER 20, 1881.

And Still Another!

The telegraph to-day conveys the gratifying intelligence that the Liberal-Conservative party have scored another victory—this time in West Northumberland, Ontario. The majority for the Conservative candidate is considerable larger than at the general election of 1878. The contest was a severe one. The "great guns" of the so-called Liberal party were on the field of battle, and fired their heaviest shots. But they were powerless. Mr. Blake, for the first time, mustered up sufficient courage to meet Sir Charles Tupper on the same platform; and the result of the combat may be gathered from the fact that he declined to meet him again. The veracity of the Grit papers of Halifax can now be gauged, when they stated that Blake was cheered to the echo and not a cheer for Tupper!

The City Council.

The City Council met last evening for the purpose of examining the Books of the late City Collector, Mr. Shepherd. Present were Mayor Dawson, Recorder Fitzgerald, Councillors Murphy, Chappelle, Koughan, Davy, Lawson, Morris and McLean.

Councillor Chappelle, after a few brief remarks, submitted the following statement, showing the amount of assessment which remains uncollected for the years 1878-9:

Table with 2 columns: Year/Assessment Date and Amount. Rows include assessed and collected amounts for 1878, 1879, and 1880.

Total amount uncollected, \$3,296 25.

He also submitted a comparative statement showing the difference in the collection during the last year Mr. Shepherd was in office—1880—and the present year when the taxes were paid at the City Clerk's Office. In 1880 the Collector's returns amounted to \$23,328, while in 1881, \$29,378 were paid into the City Clerk's Office.

This proved that the present system of tax gathering was superior to the old. The Recorder stated that by order of the Council he submitted a list of those in arrears for City Taxes for 1879 to Mr. Shepherd, and he, on examination of it, certified that there were only five names that paid the taxes for the years mentioned. These names were afterwards shown to the City Clerk who convinced Mr. Shepherd by his (the Clerk's) books that these five parties did not pay.

It was moved by Councillor Chappelle, seconded by Councillor Koughan,—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to ascertain the names of all parties in arrears for City Taxes previous to 1881, and to enforce immediate payment thereof.

Carried unanimously. Committee — Councillors Chappelle, Koughan and Morris.

The Committee were instructed to proceed immediately against the delinquents. Councillor Chappelle asked that the amount collected from Bishop McIntyre, as taxes for the City Hospital, be refunded. This could not be done, in the opinion of the Recorder, as civic taxes could not be remitted. The matter could be remedied, the Mayor remarked, by giving the amount collected as a donation to the Institution.

His Worship took this opportunity of returning thanks to the Superioress for her kindness in admitting the Spanish sailor to the Hospital, and also reviewing the action which he took in trying to have the sailor admitted to the Marine Hospital. He said his letters to Dr. Taylor on the occasion were gentlemanly, while the Dr.'s, as the public could see, were coarse and insulting.

It was moved by Councillor Chappelle, seconded by Councillor Koughan, that the sum of \$32 be donated to the Charlottetown Hospital.

At the suggestion of Councillor McLean, the amount was raised to \$50, and the motion was carried.

After a short discussion, regarding repairs to the pump at Spring Park, the Council adjourned.

The market to-day was large and busy. Prices as follows: Beef (small) per lb. 5 to 12 cents; do. (quarter) 3 1/2 to 7 cents; Mutton per lb. 4 to 8 cents; Lamb per lb. 4 to 8 cents; Veal per lb. 3 to 7 cents; Ducks each, 20 to 35 cents; Fowls each 15 to 25 cents; Chickens per pair 25 to 40 cents; Butter (fresh) 20 to 24 cents; do. (tub) 16 to 18 cents; Eggs 23 to 25 cents; Hay per cwt 35 to 45 cents; Potatoes per bush 35 to 40 cents; Flour per cwt \$3.25 to \$3.50; (atmeal per cwt \$2.75 to \$3.00); Oat per bush, 32 to 35 cents; Geese each, 40 to 70 cents; Sheepskins, 60 to 80 cents; Pork per carcass, 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 cents; do. small 8 to 11 cents; Turkeys each 70 cts. to \$1.20; Turnips, 20 to 22 cents per bushel.

AQUATIC.—Wallace Ross, on Friday telegraphed to Hanlan's representative at Toronto as follows:—

St. JOHN, Dec. 16, 1881.—Hanlan before he closes his match with Boyd, must do one of two things, either name a day in June to row me, putting up \$500 forfeit at once, or I will row him for £200 a side and the Sportsman Challenge Cup on the Thames in the first week in May.

WALLACE ROSS.

MR. JAMES SHAND sold fifty barrels of oysters on Saturday morning at three dollars per barrel. At present they are very scarce, and oysters cannot be obtained at five dollars.—Herald.

A GREAT Variety of beautifully fringed Christmas Cards at G. H. Hazard's.—2

CHRISTMAS Confectionery, from twenty-five cents to seventy-five cents per pound at W. F. Carter's. (220 41)

LITTLE CORNIE, who has been in charge of the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, has been returned to her foster mother, Mrs. Flaherty.

THE Intercolonial Railway authorities advertise that excursion tickets at one fare will be issued from all stations from Saturday the 24th inst., up to and including Thursday, the second January, good to return up to and including the 4th January.

GREAT joy entered the household of Mrs. HARRIGAN, 161 E. One Hundred and thirty-second street, New York, when her little boy, who had been pronounced hopelessly incurable from severe inflammatory rheumatism by the doctors, was entirely cured by a single bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, kindly brought by a friend interested in the case.

A SHARP DODGE.—It is further reported that Mr. Couch, of the Dorchester Copper Mine, bought the property from Dr. McLean for \$50,000, \$5,000 of which he paid, and agreed to defend the Dr. against any action by Mr. Carvell. On hearing of this, Mr. Carvell took a special train from Moncton to Halifax, and procured an injunction from the Chief Justice restraining the Commissioner of Mines from making the transfer to Mr. Couch, so that when the latter appeared at the Mines Office on Monday morning the 5th he found himself outwitted. Mr. Carvell was in Amherst from Saturday until Tuesday—the last of the twenty days—with the \$5,000 to tender the doctor, but he had left town and remained absent. Meantime, Mr. Carvell has taken a right of search for silver over the same and additional property.—Amherst Gazette.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, December 20—10 a. m. Moderate westerly to southerly winds; fair to cloudy milder weather.

MARRIED.

On the 19th instant, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. K. Macdonald, M. A., Mr. John Bishop Cathrae, merchant, to Jane Anderson, third daughter of John William Morrison, Esq., Secretary of Public Works, of the Province of P. E. Island.

SHIP NEWS.

Halifax, Dec. 17—ar Mary Kate, Belem, Ch'town. Sailed M A Starr, for Ch'town. Providence, 13—ar seh Fleety, Lehnars, from Ch'town, for Fall River.

Colon, Nov. 6—ar barque John F Robertson, Olsen, Galatz.

New York, 14—In port barque John Le-furgov, for Havana.

SLEIGHS.

I LARGE Family Sleigh, in good order; I do do, suitable for hotel; 2 Jaunting Sleighs; 1 Box Sleigh, \$5; 1 Working Sleigh, \$3; 1 Wood Sleigh, \$5; 1 pair Bob Sleighs. Some of these sleighs have been left with me for sale, and will be sold cheap.

H. COOMBS.

Dec. 20.—3i

P. E. Island Railway.

Christmas Excursion.

EXCURSION TICKETS AT ONE FIRST-CLASS FARE will be issued from all Stations to all Stations on the Prince Edward Island Railway, on the 24th inst., good to return on the 26th and 27th inst.

L. B. ARCHIBALD, Supt.

Railway Office, Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1881. [tu th fr, sat w]

STEAM! STEAM!

To the Front!

The Mayflower Mills

Have been thoroughly overhauled, and a first-class Steam Engine put in, making it second to none on the Island.

Parties from a distance can receive their grists at shortest notice.

H. T. GATES.

West Royalty, Dec. 20—41 2aw, wky 2m

JULIUS KING'S

COMBINATION SPECTACLES

DOUBLE CONVEY & PERFECT CONE

SYSTEM FOR FITTING EYES

RANGE OF VISION & RANGE OF VISION

SOLE AGENCY AT CHARLOTTETOWN

E. W. TAYLOR,

South Side Queen Square.

We have sold numbers of the above Celebrated Spectacles, and they are giving better satisfaction than any hitherto in the market. [de 17 2w ead]

DODD'S MEDICAL HALL.

Meerschaum and Briar Pipes

AT A GREAT REDUCTION. Until January 1st 25 per cent. discount will be taken off the marked price of all PIPES, and Bank of P. E. Island Notes taken in payment.

Also 10,000 Choice CIGARS very cheap by the box; 4,000 finest Macfarlas and Cheroots. Dec. 15—pat 41 eod

TO THE TRADE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

The large measure of success which has attended my efforts to establish a strictly Wholesale business in Prince Edward Island, has induced me to increase the variety of Goods which I have hitherto shown, and for the Spring of 1882 I have now on hand Samples of

Scotch, English and French Tweeds, Worsteds and Coatings, Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Prints, Winceys, Velveteens, Ladies' Mantles, Wincey, Harvard and Oxford Shirtings, Flannels, Glazed Linings, Silesias, Casbans, Hollands,

Linens, Sheetings, Tickings, Jeans, Tailors' Canvas, Buttons, Braids, Silks, Twists, Italian Cloths, Hats, Caps, Glengarries, Silk Handkerchiefs and Scarfs, White Dress and Fancy Colored Shirts, Hosiery, Boot Uppers and Boot Leg Fronts, &c.

In reference to the above I would ask attention to the following remarks:

1st. I have these Goods direct from the Manufacturers in England. I get nothing from General or Jobbing Houses.

2nd. My customers get exactly what they buy. No cancels or substitutions.

3rd. Prices are marked in plain figures, and represent the cost of the Goods laid down at the Railway Station nearest the purchaser's place of business. Cases free and freight prepaid.

4th. In every line of Goods I sell, I have as large and good an assortment as is shown by any House in the Dominion. This broad statement can be verified by inspection of my samples.

5th. Since I have begun this business, I can safely affirm that I have not received a single complaint of Goods not turning out according to sample or as bought. Entire satisfaction has been expressed by my customers, and this state of matters no effort of mine shall be spared to maintain.

JOHN H. CATHRAE.

Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1881—3i eod, wky 1i

REMEMBER THE

FANCY SALE AND TEA,

— IN THE —

MARKET HALL,

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) EVENING.

See particulars in another column.

Charlottetown, Dec. 20, 1881.

KONFEXUNERY.

Chocolate Caramels . . . at Balderston's. Coconut Caramels . . . at Balderston's. Tricolor Caramels . . . at Balderston's. Quince Jelly . . . at Balderston's. One Ton Mixed Confectionery at Balderston's. 500 lbs. Mints . . . at Balderston's. 200 lbs. Conversation Lozges at Balderston's. 250 boxes Xmas Candies . . . at Balderston's. Figs, Dates, Green Grapes, Apples, Lemons, Nuts, Raisins, Currants, Essences, Candied Peels.

FLOUR, a Splendid Article,

VERY CHEAP.

China and Glassware (selling off.)

B. BALDERSTON.

Queen Street, Dec. 17, '81—1w

TO LET.

THE BRICK HOUSE adjoining the residence of Mr. ANOND, KENNEDY, Water Street; also the premises adjoining, lately occupied by the "Examiner Printing Co." Apply to the owner.

JOHN INGS.

Ch'town, Sept. 7, 1881

'81 Xmas & New Year '82

I HAVE JUST OPENED A Large Assortment of Goods

SUITABLE FOR

Christmas and New Year's Presents,

COMPRISING:

Dressing Cases, Cases Comb and Brush, Florence Brushes, inlaid with Tortoiseshell and Mother of Pearl, AUGUSTA, a Metallic Bristle Toilet Brush; ASHWORTH'S Metallic Comb Brush; Gosnell's, Kent's and Bidwell's Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, unequalled for their variety of patterns, superior finish and fine material, cases Her Majesty's Toilet Perfumes and Bridal Souvenir, Conday's, Piver's, Bertrand's, Lubin's, Piesse & Lubin's, Rimme's and Atkinson's Perfumery, Hair Oils, Pomades and Cosmetiques, Hand Mirrors, &c.

WM. R. WATSON.

City Drug Store, Victoria Building, } 61

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Bank of P. E. Island.

BANK OF P. E. ISLAND NOTES taken at their face in exchange for Dry Goods, at the London House.

GRÖ. DAVIES & CO. Dec. 7, '81.

Sleighs and Machinery.

I WILL SELL AT AUCTION, AT THE Queen Street Auction Rooms,

—ON—

Friday, the 23rd inst.,

AT 2 O'CLOCK,

6 Box Sleighs (New), 1 Box Sleigh (Second-hand), 2 High Turned Sleighs, Counter Shaft for Circular, Shaft and Pulley for Jig Saw (complete), Steam Fan and Slides for Fan Gear, Wood Lathe, Round-ing Machine, Emery Polishing Machine, Pulleys, &c., &c.

W. D. STEWART,

Dec. 17, '81—3i Auctioneer.

FRANCIS

Prize Christmas Cards.

First instalment received this day at

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE. Oct. 21—1r

OPENING

Citizens Skating Rink

THE CITIZENS' SKATING RINK will be opened on

Monday, the 26th inst., (ICE PERMITTING.)

The Band will be in attendance from eight till ten o'clock, p. m. Tickets for sale at Apothecaries Hall at the following prices:—

Gentlemen's.....\$5 00 Ladies..... 3 50 Promenade..... 1 00 Afternoon Skating (Boys)..... 2 50 Afternoon Skating (Girls)..... 2 50 Single Tickets all times..... 2 00 Single Tickets to Promenade..... 10

The services of Galbraith's Band have been secured for the season. W. C. HOBKIRK, Secretary.

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Just Published!!

CHAPPELLE'S

RELIABLE

ALMANAC FOR 1882,

CONTAINS

CUSTOMS TARIFF!

REVISED TO DATE, together with valuable information indispensable to all.

The only Almanac published on P. E. Island.

Price 15 CENTS.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE,

Dec. 15, '81—3i eod Diamond Bookstore.

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GOOD THINGS

FOR

XMAS

—AND—

NEW YEAR'S

—AT—

THE CITY STEAM BAKERY.

The only place on Prince Edward Island to get BISCUITS and CRACKERS that ARE FRESH, as we manufacture them daily.

A choice lot of CONFECTIONERY just received. Selling at prices to suit wholesale and retail buyers.

Extract of Lemon for Baking purposes; Citron and Lemon Peel, Valencia and Layer Raisins, New Currants, Nuts, &c.

Canned Lobsters and Mackerel, Morton's Pickles, Pure Gold Baking Powder," an excellent article.

GOOD FAMILY FLOUR

A SPECIALTY.

Don't forget the place,

"CITY STEAM BAKERY," PRINCE STREET.

J. QUIRK,

Ch'town, Dec. 15, '81. PROP

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED by a Lady who writes a firm legible hand, employment as a copyist. Address, "Copists," Post Office, Charlottetown. (220 41)

COOK WANTED—A good plain Cook wanted. Apply with references to Mrs. R. R. Fitzgerald, Knockrour. (de 16)

FOR SALE—A stylish Carriage Horse, color dark chestnut. Will be sold at a bargain.—D. REDDIS, jr. (d15 1w)

WANTED—An experienced Clerk. Must be well recommended. Apply, in writing to SULLIVAN & MORSEY, Charlottetown. (de 12)

STRAYED from the Revere House, on Thursday night, a large red Cow, with large horns and the top of right ear cut, and lower end of tail white. Information regarding her whereabouts will be gladly received and rewarded by Mrs. McNeill. (dd 12)

GENERAL SERVANT wanted in a small family. Good wages. Apply at this office. (de 6)

TO LET—A valuable Business Stand in Souris East, consisting of a Shop, Dwelling House, Warehouse and Stable. Possession given immediately, if required. For terms apply to R. BURRIGT, Brigetown, P. E. I. (no 24 1w)