

THE EXAMINER.

Branch Office at Souris.

Mr. J. H. Hooper, of the Apothecaries Hall, Souris, has kindly consented to open an agency for THE EXAMINER in that town.

Orders left with Mr. Hooper will receive prompt attention.

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

APRIL 9, 1889.

Stanley's March.

STANLEY'S letter from the Aruwimi River covers about eight columns of the New York Herald. It gives a dramatic account of the miseries through which he and his men passed on the way to the relief of Emin Pasha.

The advance column, under Stanley's command, left Yambuya June 28, 1887. On its approach, the natives fled in terror, and under cover of the smoke attacked the pioneers.

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They said that the Association of the United States and the Maritime Circuit, and that the opening meeting early in October next would, without doubt, be one of the most successful ever held in the Provinces.

In view of this fact, and the fact that it was intended to have the park conducted in a manner which could not fail to meet with the approval of the most fastidious, they thought the Board would readily see the importance of granting their request.

They also asked that the property in question be exempt from taxation. Consideration reserved.

Our Civic Rulers.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING—THE ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR SUBMITTED, AND A GOOD DEAL OF OTHER BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held last evening, His Worship Mayor Haviland, presiding. There was a full attendance of members.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A letter was read from H. Rackham offering to purchase the building formerly used as a pumping station at the Spring if a suitable arrangement could be made. Referred to Public Property Committee.

A letter from the Board of Fire Warden's asked permission to sell certain useless property now on hand. Laid on the table.

A letter from the Secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters informed the Council that there was shortly to be a revision of the insurance rates, and that the style of fire alarm they adopted would have a good deal to do with the work. Laid on the table.

A letter from Robert Galbraith and others asked that the Council build a small breastwork at the eastern end of King Street to carry off refuse matter in that neighborhood. Referred to Street Committee.

A letter from the Fire Department submitted their estimates for the year. Laid on the table.

A letter from the Secretary of the Board of School Trustees asked for a payment of \$500 to meet expenditure. Referred to Finance Committee.

A letter from A. F. Tomlins, Clerk of the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court, explained that there were 959 more cases in the court in 1888 than in the previous year, and that the extra labor thus entailed upon him had seriously impaired his health. He asked that the Board give him a small grant as a recompense for this extra work. He was voted \$50.

A letter from John Murphy offered to keep the pumps in order the current year for the same price as formerly. Referred to Finance Committee.

A letter from certain residents and property-holders on Douglas Street asked for street extension to Lower Malpeque Road. Referred to Street Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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Councillors Eden, Morris and Douse were appointed a committee to purchase material and superintend the erection of the alarm; and were also given power to employ a competent electrician to work under their supervision.

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THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS.

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THE ESTIMATES.

Councillor Morris submitted the estimates of expenditure and revenue for the current year. They are as follows:—

EXPENDITURE.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes City Government (\$1,839.00), Street Electric Lights (3,975.00), Police Department (5,000.00), Fire Department (2,500.00), Market House (600.00), Maintenance of Streets (4,400.00), Pumps and Wells (400.00), Assessing and collecting Taxes (675.00), Maintenance of Victoria Park (280.00), Interest and Discount (6,000.00), Interest on Water Loan (7,950.00), Macadamizing (2,000.00), Board of Health (450.00), Scott Act (200.00), Miscellaneous (1,200.00), School Trustees of Charlottetown (9,700.00), Debentures (Smallpox) (1,600.00), Balance of contracts on new City Hall, including unpaid bills due Dec. 31, 1888 (6,174.00), Fire Alarm (say) (1,600.00), 500 feet hose (Fire Department) (500.00). Total: \$57,043.00.

REVENUE.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Real Estate on \$2,603,929, at 1 per cent. (\$26,039.29), Personal Property—\$1,000,220, at 1/2 of 1 per cent. (7,524.15), Poll Tax (2,000.00), Ordinary Revenue (8,200.00), Debentures under 48 Vic., Cap. 8, (City Hall) (6,000.00). Total: \$49,763.44. Less discount and appeals (700.00). Total for civic purposes: \$49,063.44.

Water Assessment.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Real Estate on \$2,399,665 at 1/2 of 1 per cent. (\$5,999.16), Personal Property on \$995,920 at 1/2 of 1 per cent. (2,489.80), Poll Tax, 10c (200.00). Total: \$8,688.96. Less Appeals (500.00). Total: \$8,188.96.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Total Revenue (\$57,252.40), Expenditure (57,043.00). Surplus: \$209.40.

He thought that these estimates would be sufficient, and that there would not be a deficit at the end of the year.

Councillor Morris then introduced a by-law, specifying the rate of assessment on real estate and personal property, for city purposes, which was read a first and second time and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow. The assessment on real estate was fixed at 1 per cent; and on personal property at 1/2 of 1 cent. A bill allowing a discount of 2 1/2 per cent. on all real estate and personal property taxes paid by the 15th July next was also read a first and second time and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

Councillor Morris also introduced a by-law specifying the rate of assessment on real estate, personal property and poll-tax for waterworks purposes. The assessment on personal property was fixed at 1/2 of 1 cent; on personal property 1/2 of 1 cent, and on poll 10 cents. The bill was ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

Councillor Byrne referred to the excellent character of the work done by the Assessors, and said he would take the first opportunity of moving that they receive an increase of salary.

Councillor McCarron moved that the services of special policeman John Harris be dispensed with at the expiration of his present month. Carried.

Councillor Douse, seconded by Councillor Eden, moved that policeman Campbell be dismissed, and that John Harris be appointed in his stead. On motion, consideration of this resolution was postponed until next meeting. Council adjourned.

The adjourned regular meeting was held this forenoon. The by-laws introduced last night were passed, the resolution asking for the dismissal of Policeman Campbell withdrawn, and Councillor Douse resigned his position as a member of Street and Market Committees.

RANKIN HOUSE,

SIMON BOLGER, Proprietor.

Corner Water and Pownall Streets, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND.

THIS old and well-known Hotel has been thoroughly renovated and furnished with all modern conveniences, and now ranks with the first-class Hotels of the Maritime Provinces. The situation is the most delightful in the city, embracing a magnificent view of the Hillsborough River.

WANTED.

MALE AND FEMALE HELP, for BOSTON hotel work at washers and mountains. Parties contemplating a visit to Boston, desiring reliable situations, will do well by calling at the old reliable THE MARRON EMPLOYMENT CO., 263 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

ROLLED OATMEAL,

MANUFACTURED AT THE Hunter River Oatmeal Mills,

MAKES DELICIOUS PORRIDGE.

Now for sale Retail at the principal City Grocery Stores, and Wholesale by

GEORGE E. FULL, Queen Street.

Charlottetown Board of Trade.

THE GENERAL QUARTERLY MEETING of this Corporation will be held at the Board Room, this city, on the evening of WEDNESDAY, the 10th inst., at 8 o'clock.

J. MACBACHERN, Secretary.

DWELLING HOUSE, BY AUCTION.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY A. WATTS, ESQ., to sell by Auction, on the Premises,

On Tuesday, 30th Instant, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON:

That Dwelling House and Store situated on the Lower Malpeque Road, about one mile from the city. There is one acre of land to this property, making it valuable as a Market Garden.

GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

BILLIARD TABLES, BY AUCTION.

I will sell by Auction, in the Athenaeum,

On Wednesday, 17th Instant, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON:

Two Very Fine Billiard Tables.

GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE.

THAT HANDSOME PROPERTY situate on the St. Peter's Road, about one and a half miles from the city, known as "THE GARDINER PROPERTY," recently occupied by Mr. Robert Bridges. The House and Buildings are in good order. Sixteen, twenty-six or fifty acres can be had with this property.

Part of purchase money can remain on security of property for a term of years, at five per cent. interest. Apply to JOHN INGS.

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A Musical & Literary Olio

WILL BE GIVEN IN THE BASEMENT OF ZION CHURCH,

ON Tuesday Evening, 9th inst., AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

PROGRAMME.

Chorus—"Up, Quit the Bow!" Zion Church Choir.

Piano Duet—Sonata in F.....Enckhausen Miss A. Fraser and Mr. Logan.

Song—"The Better Land" Mrs. E. H. Norton.

Reading—Selected Miss Nellie Lawson.

Cornet Solo. Mr. Pope Fletcher.

Song. Miss Edith Poole.

Piano Solo—Rondo, "Les Adieux de Paris" Hummel Mr. J. H. Logan.

Song—"Down the Burn, Davie" Mrs. Roome.

Reading—Selected Miss J. Robinson.

Trio—"Lift Thine Eyes" Mendelssohn Misses L. MacLeod, J. Peables and Annie Fraser.

Recitation—Selected T. A. McLean.

Song—"The Trying Tree" Miss L. McLeod.

Duet—Barcarole.....F. Kucken Misses A. Scott and J. Fraser.

Song—"Get Up and Bar the Door" Prof. D. J. McLeod.

Chorus—"The Iron Founders" Pearson Zion Church Choir.

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN."

Admission, 15 cents.

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NEW HATS.

LATEST STYLES IN Hard and Soft Felts,

English and American Makes, AT VERY LOW PRICES.

JOHN McLEOD & CO.

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For Sale—Terms Easy.

THAT eligible situated Property, having a frontage of eighty feet on Grafton Street, and extending back one hundred and thirty feet, being formerly the site of Paul Lea's Sash Factory. Apply to

JAMES H. REDDIN, Solicitor, Cameron Block.

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TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th of April, from persons willing to contract for the

Construction of a Terrace of Three Dwelling Houses

on the Connolly Estate, Water Street, Charlottetown, according to plan and specification to be seen at the Estate Office.

The contractor will be required to supply all materials, and to have the whole completed by the 20th of October next.

Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. A. MACDONALD, W. W. SULLIVAN, FRED. PETERS, Trustees of Connolly Estate.

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FREEHOLD FARM FOR SALE.

THAT DESIRABLE FREEHOLD FARM of 81 Acres, situate at Roseneath, Lot 32, midway between Montague Bridge and Carleton Place, now in possession of David McDonald, is for sale by public auction, on the evening of FRIDAY, the 10th inst., at 8 o'clock.

For further particulars apply at the office of Edward J. Houslog, Charlottetown.

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ONE CASE LADIES' JERSEYS,

OPENING TO-DAY,

STANLEY BROS.

BROWNS BLOCK.

Ch'town, March 23—eod&wky.

PUBLIC MEETINGS!

—FOR THE PURPOSE OF INSPECTING A—

Grand Assortment of Boots and Shoes,

The Most Fashionable, Best Fitting, and the Cheapest yet exhibited.

JAMES B. HALL begs to notify all whom it may concern that he has now on hand, and arriving daily, an immense stock, which will be sold at AMAZING PRICES!

THIS IS THE WAR-CRY, and it will be kept up, no matter who suffers, until the wants of the public are fully supplied.

Every class, age, size, shape and fancy reflected in our vast stock. In fact, no purchaser can fail to suit himself or himself, except through sheer bewilderment.

Ladies' Kid Boots, Calf, Oil Goat, &c., &c.,

that fit like a glove, and ensure that which is always admired—a handsome foot.

GENTS' GAITER BOOTS, SHOES, &c., wonderful in variety and unapproachable in finish.

Gents, if you want to look stylish—want to get just what you pay for—want to get the very best article for the least money—want to get credit for knowing a good Boot when you see it—attend our Meetings, rely upon getting Bargains, and you will always come out right.

BROGANS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A BONANZA FOR WORKINGMEN!—Strong, well-made, and cheap enough to be considered a gift. Admirably suited for Spring and Summer wear.

The Whole Public Invited!

We extend a special invitation to the public at large. Don't be fretting and fuming about misfits. Come, join the crowds!—get real bargains from us. You will be made happy, and your family will be happy.

REMEMBER THE PLACE—everybody in Town and Country knows it—"P. G. FRASER'S CORNER."

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P. J. FORAN,

Spring is coming, joyful Spring!

A splendid stock to us does bring

Of nobby Cloths for Gents to wear,

At prices that would make you stare.

We've Tweeds from England, Scotland, France,

And Fancy Cloths for Suits and Pants;

Our Worsteds recommend themselves,

Customers who have bought will tell.

We've Furnishings of every sort,

Of Hats and Caps we are not short;

And Shirts and Collars, Cuffs and Ties,

Give us a call if you are wise.

For P. J. FORAN can't be beat,

To cut a Suit and make it neat;

The Cheapest Man in all the trade,

And of competition not afraid.

Queen Street, Three Doors Above Apothecaries' Hall.

Charlottetown; March 29, 1889—eod wky

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Dealers in Boots and shoes.

THE LARGEST STOCK AND GREATEST VARIETY OF

STYLES ever offered in the city. Latest Styles and

Lowest Prices. We would request the public to examine

our Goods.

See our French Kid Boots and Shoes.

Examine Our Common-sense Boots.

Wear a Pair of our Nobby Tan Shoes.

Charlottetown, March 28, 1889—eod wky

VALUABLE BUSINESS SITE FOR SALE.

MR. JAMES KEEGAN will be at the Hotel Davies for ten days, and wants to sell 35 to 45 Horses, all sizes, good workers and drivers.

THAT very eligible piece of Land on Kent Street, part of the Estate of the late John Jury, with a frontage of 51 feet and running back 160 feet. Terms easy.

Apply to WILLIAM DODD.

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Herring Nets.

ONE DOZEN MOUNTED HEMP NETS.

For sale by HORACE HASZARD.

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TO LET! TO LET!

A DWELLING HOUSE on the corner of Kent and Pownall Streets.

Also—COTTAGE with Three Acres of Land attached, about one mile from the city. Possession given first of May. Apply to THOMAS W. DODD.

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