

THE CAMPAIGN.

Belfast.

The meeting at Murray Harbor Road was one of the largest ever held in that section. Mr. James A. Stewart occupied the chair, and the following gentlemen addressed the meeting: D. Montgomery, J. Nicholson, Alex'r Ross and Donald McKay. Messrs. Montgomery and Nicholson were proposed and received the unanimous support of the meeting.

The meeting at Green Marsh, Lot 58, was also unanimous for Messrs. Montgomery and Nicholson.

Monday evening meetings were held at Eldon and Uigg, and the Government candidates were nominated by large majorities.

The meeting at Point Prim was also nearly unanimous for the late representatives.

The indications are that if Messrs. Montgomery and Nicholson are opposed they will be elected by a very large majority.

A private correspondent at Pownal writes: "The Opposition is very sickly, and may not live over Nomination Day."

Fort Augustus.

For want of space, we find it a mechanical impossibility to insert the Secretary's lengthy and able report of the meeting held at Fort Augustus. The meeting was presided over by John Arbuckle, Esq., and it was addressed by H. Beer, J. H. Cummins, R. Shaw, E. Laverty, R. Reddin, E. K. Coffin, W. E. Clarke and others. The nominations were—

Hon. Francis Kelly, proposed by James Trainor, Esq., and seconded by John McQuaid, Esq.—Nomination enthusiastically endorsed; Henry Beer, Esq., proposed by Pat'k Mooney and seconded by John Duffy, Esq.—motion lost by an overwhelming majority.

Robert Shaw, Esq., was proposed by James E. Laverty, Esq., Glenfinnan, and seconded by Edward Kelly, Esq., of Leke Verd. At Mr. Shaw's request, the motion was withdrawn. But, the northern portion of the District having since selected Mr. Shaw, he has accepted the nomination, and will contest the election with an assurance of success. Mr. James H. Cummins was also proposed; but the nomination was lost by a large majority. Messrs. Kelly and Shaw are the nominees of all parts of the District. The "cards" of both gentlemen appear in another column.

Tignish.

In this District all the candidates profess to be running in the interests of the Government. Messrs. Conroy and Gavin will probably be elected. They are both true men, in whom the people have confidence.

East Point.

We learn that Messrs. John McLean and J. F. Campion are settled upon as the Liberal-Conservative candidates, and that they will be enthusiastically elected.

Murray Harbor.

Most encouraging advices come from this district. The canvass for Prowse and Poole is very successful.

Don't forget the Tea and Entertainment in the Athenæum this evening.

A REPORT of the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court crowded out. Will appear to-morrow.

THE meeting at Cavendish Road last evening was very largely in favor of McKay and Bain.

MR. EARLE'S Concert will take place on Tuesday, the 15th of April next. Full particulars next week.

PERSONS having back numbers of the DAILY EXAMINER, dated July 3rd and July 25th, 1877, will confer a favor by leaving them at this office.

A MEETING of the "Sir John A. Hook and Ladder Co." will be held to-morrow evening (Friday), at half-past seven, per order of the Captain. Business important.

ANNIVERSARY.—The annual meeting of the P. E. Island Auxillary Bible Society will be held in the Hall of the Y. M. C. A., on Monday evening, the 31st inst., at 7½ o'clock. The choir of the city churches will conduct the service of praise.

DONALD McNEILL, Sec'y.

THE SUGAR BEET.—Godfrey Bros., of Yarmouth, advertise in the "Herald" of that place that they are prepared to contract with any person desirous of raising the sugar beet, for all they can produce. They offer to furnish the seed, and pay one quarter of gross amount for beets in cash, the balance in goods at cash rates. The price offered is \$4 per ton. The terms, of course, render it impossible for farmers at a distance to contract.

Lord Napier, of Magdala, returns to his post as Governor of Gibraltar.

Capital punishment is restored in Switzerland by a vote of 27 to 15.

One case of plague is reported in St. Petersburg and another in Odessa.

The King of Burma is fortifying his towns and increasing his defensive facilities.

No official announcement has yet been made of the King of Spain's betrothal.

Eleven hundred and twenty-five Preston weavers have struck against a reduction.

The Wigan Iron Company, the largest iron concern in Lancashire, has suspended payment.

Special Notices.

THREE STICKS N. S. Chewing Gum for 1 cent, at 51 Water Street. March 27. C. O. WINKLER.

GOOD Havana Plantation Cigars, selling for a few days for 1 cent each, at 51 Water Street, by C. O. WINKLER.

SOFTWOOD Stock Clay Pipes 1 cent each, at 51 Water street. C. O. WINKLER.

I WILL not be offended with any person who calls to settle his accounts, but will allow 10 per cent. off the amount till 15th April next. CHAS. OTTO WINKLER.

GREAT clearing out sale of Boots, Shoes and Crockeryware at Gass'. The whole stock to be sold in three weeks. Come and buy at your own prices.

SCOTCH JAM in bulk, 25 cents per lb., different kinds, choice. Golden Syrups 10 cents per pint, 18 cents per bottle, at Beer & Goff's.

SMOKED SALMON at Beer & Goff's.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Ottawa and Foreign News.

OTTAWA, March 23.

A caucus of Maritime Provinces Conservative members was held this morning, at which it is supposed the tariff was up for discussion. The result is not known.

A petition is en route to Ottawa from the carriage makers of London asking for a higher duty on the manufactured article or else for a reduction of the duty on carriage trimmings.

The petition of Ross & Co., of Quebec, and 119 others, brought down to day in a return to the Commons, prays the adoption of such a measure as will effectually prevent all American vessels from being admitted to registry in Canada or of being navigated in any of its waters until such time as Canadian vessels are accorded the same privileges as have been hitherto extended to vessels built in the United States. A rumor is current in relation thereto that a section of the House intends to adopt a policy of obstructing the tariff debate until such time as they obtain an unequivocal assurance from the Leader of the Government that the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec shall be dismissed.

LONDON, March 23.

It is said that the Porte will be advised by the Powers to make concessions to Greece in Thessaly, instead of Janina.

The West Prussian landtags petition against protection, especially as applies to duties on coals, wood, iron and grain.

The Times says the condition of Egypt is owing as much to oppressive taxation as to inundations; and good government would restore the country to prosperity.

The Lincolnshire handicap, to-day, was won by Lord Rosebery's five-year-old brown horse, "Touquet."

Hanlan is reported as unfavorably affected by the English climate. He has been confined to his house for four days with a bad cough, and will not be able to row for three or four more days.

To the Electors of the Second District of King's County:

GENTLEMEN.—In again soliciting your suffrages, it becomes my duty to state the circumstances under which I appeal to you for re-election.

During the Session recently terminated, a vote of want of confidence in the then Government was carried in the House of Assembly, which resulted in the resignation of the Ministry. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to entrust me with the formation of a new Government, which I successfully accomplished.

Believing that the Electors desired an opportunity to pronounce upon the conduct of the late Ministry, and wishing to obtain the sense of the country on the present position of affairs, a dissolution of the House of Assembly has been advised, and an appeal to the Constituencies will be made without delay.

At the last General Election public sentiment was expressed in favor of secular education, and the present Ministry will give effect to the voice of the people by maintaining the unsectarian system.

The Government are determined to resort to every legitimate means to lighten the burdens of the tax-payers. In order to accomplish this end it will be necessary to curtail the expenses of legislation, and believing that one Legislative Chamber is sufficient for this Province, a Bill will be submitted next session, having for its object the abolition of the Legislative Council. The measure will be so framed as to amply protect the interests of property holders. Provision will likewise be made for a reduction of the remuneration to members.

Our civil service is in a very unsatisfactory condition, and the expenditure in regard to it is greatly in excess of the present means of the Province. The Government will adopt measures for the reorganization of the entire service, with a view to the amalgamation of some of the departments, a decrease in the number of officials and a general reduction of salaries.

Agriculture has not of late years received such encouragement as the staple industry of the Province demands. In order to stimulate the exertions of our farmers and stock raisers the "Agricultural and Stock Farm" will be placed under improved management, and means will be adopted to render it more generally beneficial than it has hitherto been.

This Province is entitled to a proportional share of the Fishery Award, and the present Ministry will leave nothing undone that they can accomplish, to obtain the same.

The barbarous system of imprisonment for debt will be abolished, and a more humane law for the protection of creditors will be substituted for it. A measure to secure liens for labor and advances will also be introduced.

The law relating to roads and bridges requires amendment. It and the Registration and Ballot Act shall receive the attention of the Government.

A system of the strictest retrenchment and most rigid economy in the public service will be inaugurated, so as to reduce all the controllable outlay and keep the expenditure of the Province within its revenue.

If, after the closest husbanding of the public resources, the Government find it necessary to continue direct taxation, that system will be adopted, which shall be least obnoxious to the people, and will entail the smallest expenditure in the imposition and collection of the amount required.

As I have already exceeded the usual limits of an address, I will not now refer to other subjects that will attract the attention of the Ministry. I wish, however, to assure you that the utmost endeavours of the Government will be directed to promote such efficiency, as well as economy, in the administration of our public affairs, as may redound to the prosperity of the Province and the contentment of its people.

I have the honor to be, Your obedient servant, W. W. SULLIVAN.

Ch'town, March 17, 1879.

ROPE.

SIX TONS MANILLA, different sizes, at Factory Prices.

Wright & MacGowan,

Manufacturers Agents, Queen's Wharf

February 18, 878—taw for 2m

LONDON HOUSE.
50,000 YARDS OF GREY AND WHITE COTTONS AND TICKINGS.
GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Having laid in the above large Stock before the late change in the Tariff took place, we will continue to sell the same at our Old Prices. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY.

NEW SPRING TWEEDS!

PER "NORTHERN LIGHT."

JUST RECEIVED,

THREE CASES NEW SPRING TWEEDS,
CHOICE PATTERNS! LOW PRICES!

Now is the Time to get Suited

J. B. MACDONALD.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, March 1, 1879—her

Tea and Entertainment,

Under the auspices of **Victoria Division Sons of Temperance.**

A Public Tea & Entertainment

WILL BE HELD IN THE

ATHENÆUM HALL,

—ON—

THURSDAY, the 27th INST.,

in aid of the funds of the Division.

Tea on the Tables at 6 o'clock. Entertainment to commence at 8. Admission to Tea and Entertainment 30 cents; Entertainment alone 10 cents. By order of the Committee. March 24, 1879.

PRINCE STREET FURNITURE FACTORY.

JAMES HOBBS,
Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer and Undertaker.

ALL kinds of Household Furniture made to order, of the latest styles, CHEAP and GOOD.

School Desks made, the CHEAPEST and BEST in the City.

The strictest attention given to the UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT at very low charges. March 24, 1879—h ne

CONCERT!

A SACRED CONCERT of Vocal and Instrumental Music will be given in St. Paul's School Room, on Saturday, the 29th March, at 8 p. m. Admission 25 cents. Charlottetown, March 24, 1879.

Great Cash Sale

—OF—

DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING, ETC.

The Whole Stock in Trade OF THE LATE ROBERT ORR.

—TO BE—

SOLD OFF AT COST,

—CONSISTING IN PART OF—

Dress Goods, Shawls, Mantles, Millinery, Silks, Velvets, Hosiery, Gloves, Linens, Winceys, Shirtings, Sheetings,

Prints, Grey and White Cottons, Hats and Bonnets, Furs, Blankets, Flannels, Pilots, Beavers, Coatings, Tweeds, etc., etc. etc.

Readymade Clothing

Hats, Caps, Linders and Drawers, Scarfs, &c.

Cotton Warp, Small Wares, &c.

The above Stock must be cleared out from this date, and our Customers, and the public generally, can depend upon getting Bargains.

John McPhee,

Administrator.

Charlottetown, Feb. 4, 1879.]

To the Electors of the Third Electoral District of Queen's County:

GENTLEMEN.—Having been nominated at several public meetings held in your District, I intend to offer myself as a candidate for your suffrages at the forthcoming General Election.

Believing that the financial condition of the Province requires the strictest economy, I shall, if elected, advocate such measures of retrenchment and parliamentary reform as are consistent with the requirements and good government of the country.

The local wants of the District will always receive my active attention.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

ROBERT SHAW.

Ch'town, March 26, 1879.

To the Electors of Charlottetown, Common and Royalty:

GENTLEMEN.—Having, at a large and influential meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Electors of Charlottetown, Common and Royalty, been nominated a Candidate for your suffrages at the coming General Election, I have accepted the nomination, and now solicit your support for myself, as also for my colleague, the Honorable Neil McLeod.

In the late Government, as a Free School man, I performed that which I considered to be for the true interests of all classes, by assisting to place on our Statute Books a thoroughly non-sectarian School Act. This Act, although it may—like most others—require amendment, has, I am pleased to believe, proved generally acceptable to every class and creed in the Province, and all now cheerfully agree that its non-sectarian principle must be kept inviolate.

I rejoice that the harsh line of religious party differences has been obliterated, and that all denominations can henceforth stand shoulder to shoulder for the purpose of striving in unison to carry out such measures of economy and retrenchment in the Administration of Governmental affairs as the changed aspect of commercial and other business matters in the Province have rendered absolutely necessary.

Should I have the honor to be returned to the Assembly as one of your representatives, an object of mine shall be to meet all reasonable and honest endeavors that may be made to lessen the burthen of taxation, which, in the present state of general financial depression, is undoubtedly necessary; and to aid any legitimate legislation that may tend to the well-being of every class in the community, and particularly of mechanics, who, as a body, through their own magnanimity, have not in the Assembly a representative from among themselves.

I have the honor to be,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

G. W. DEBLOIS.

Ch'town, March 20, 1879.—he pres ar ne 2i

To the Electors of Charlottetown, Common and Royalty:

GENTLEMEN.—Having been nominated at a large and influential meeting of the Liberal-Conservative party as a candidate for Charlottetown, Common and Royalty for the House of Assembly of this Province, in conjunction with your late representative Mr. George Wastie DeBlois, I solicit your support and influence in behalf of Mr. DeBlois and myself at the approaching General Election.

Should you do me the honor of returning me as your representative, I shall consider it my duty to guard your interests in Parliament, by advocating such measures as will most conduce to your prosperity.

In times like the present, of financial and commercial depression, I will advocate measures of economy and retrenchment in every branch of the public service in order to relieve the taxpayers as much as possible.

Believing that the interests of the mechanics require some consideration at the hands of the Legislature, I shall deem it my duty to advocate all legitimate measures that will tend to promote their welfare.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

NEIL McLEOD.

Charlottetown, March 21, 1879.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

Advertisements under this heading, in space not exceeding half an inch, will be inserted for Ten Cents per day.

Nurse Wanted.—Wanted immediately. A Woman who has had experience in the care of children. An elderly person preferred. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. FRED. MITCHELL, Grafton street. March 25—1w pd

TO LET—A piece of LAND, suitable for a garden, containing 2 acres, with a DWELLING HOUSE, for a term of 2 or 3 years. This property is within one mile of the Market House. Apply to DANIEL GORDON, cor. Mt. Edward and St. Peter's Roads. Ch'town, March 22—4i 2aw