

THE LICENSING BOARD.

The qualifications of voters for the "Licensing Board" are, in all respects, precisely the same as those for the election of Mayor.

The candidates are to be neither directly or indirectly engaged in the manufacture or sale of fermented or distilled spirituous liquors.

If any member of the Licensing Board becomes "interested or engaged" in the sale of liquor, his seat is immediately vacant.

"The Board shall first determine, on any application, whether or not a License should be granted; their decision shall be final; and if they determine in the affirmative (that a license may be granted) then the Secretary of the Board shall submit the application to each and all of the rate-payers in the block where the proposed license is sought for, and also to those resident on the opposite side of the street, extending as far back as the block opposite only; and if a majority of the rate-payers signify their desire in writing to such Secretary that the license should be granted, it shall at once, on payment of the fees and compliance with all other requirements of the Board, be granted; but if the rate-payers decide against the granting of the license it shall be refused."

The Licensing Board have power to divide the Common into blocks or divisions for the purposes of the Act. The Board has also the power to pass by-laws respecting the granting of licenses, the fees to be paid therefor and the regulation of the sale of all spirituous or fermented liquors.

SHOOTING MATCH.—The second competition of the Annual Prize Meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association is not yet completed. The shooting of yesterday at 600 and 800 yards was generally very good.

FIRE AT OXFORD.—A special despatch to the Halifax Chronicle says:—

OXFORD, Aug. 23.—A fire broke out at 11 o'clock to night in the Oxford Wood-ware Manufacturing Company's factory. It was breaking out when the alarm was given and almost immediately the flames communicated with a saw mill, W. W. Thompson's house and the Drill Shed, all of which are completely destroyed.

SWORDS INTO PLOUGH-SHARES, &c.—Relic-hunters at Fort Cumberland will hereafter miss one of the most striking features of that ancient fortress, viz: the rusting cannon on the dismantled walls.

COUNTY COURT.

It seems we mistook the word used by Judge Alley when describing the effect of the laws bearing on the rights of voters as manipulated last session. The word the Judge used was "anomaly." The law, he said, was an "anomaly."

The sense in which we understood the Judge to use the word "phenomenon" was not expressed in our hastily written paragraph. We thought he said that if his rendering of the law was right, there would be presented the "phenomenon" of the young men of the town retaining their franchise while the young men of the Royalty and all other parts of the Island would, under certain circumstances, be "disfranchised."

Perhaps it would be right to use both words. The law may be properly called an "anomaly" and the effect it may produce might, figuratively, be termed a political "phenomenon."

Yesterday the names of about sixty voters were added to the list. To-day the following electors will, if present, be attended to in the order in which they are published. Those at the top of the list should be present in the forenoon, after ten o'clock; those at the foot may stay away till the afternoon:—

- Benj. Dayes, Jun., Michael Carraghan, G. Scantlebury, Sen., Charles Brown, Richard Walsh, James Burns, John Lawson, John Cox, Donald McInnis, James Brace, R. R. FitzGerald, Daniel Gordon, Isaac Knight, Angus McEachern, William Traill, A. C. McCoubrey, James Laverty, Francis Keenan, John Cumming, John Cameron, John Collings, Arthur T. Fultez, Peter W. Hyndman, Richard Perry, Francis McAree, Richard K. Jost, James Doyle, George Hooper, John Coyle, John Le Lacheur, Luke Higgins, Thos. D. DesBrisay, Ephraim R. Brow, James Pidgeon, Geo. E. Millner, John Quirk, John McKay, John Murphy, Wm. C. Wilson, Matthew Graham, Isaac Doucette, John Cahill, Job Bevan, Robert Scott, Daniel H. McGowan, James Walsh, M. D., John Smith, Angus A. McLean, Enoch Carmody, John McDonald, G. C. Cunningham, John Hagan, Eddison W. Dawson, Edward Gormley, Patrick Blake, John A. McKenna, Jr., J. S. Carvell, John McEachern, John L. Thompson, Uriah Matthew, John Jennings, James Burbridge, Harry Houll, Andrew L. Walsh, Thomas Foley, James H. Reddin, Peter Doyle, George Peake, Robert McGregor, Ralph Peake.

In order to give the electors engaged on the steamers St. Lawrence and Princess of Wales an opportunity of registering their names, Judge Alley has, we understand—with a consideration which we feel sure will be appreciated—decided to hold a short sitting to-night, after 10 o'clock.

The following suggestive paragraph appears in an exchange:—

A Parisian manufacturer has received an order from Turkey for a large number of white shirts upon which extracts from the Koran are to be printed in sky-blue letters. Upon a number of white woolen undershirts is to be stamped the signature of Mahommed. The articles are intended for distribution to Turkish soldiers when upon especially dangerous duty, to stimulate their courage under the impression that they are talismans.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Friday, the 17th inst., a lad named Edward Huestis, son of Mr. Wm. Edward Huestis, was severely burned by molten iron at the foundry of Messrs. Burrill, Johnson & Co. It appears that in running across the place he met two of the men, each carrying a ladle of molten iron, one of whom he avoided, but struck the ladle of the other, spilling the liquid metal in through the waistband of his trousers, whence it made its way to his boot. He was at once taken home and his injuries attended to. We are pleased to learn that, though his foot is severely burnt, he is doing well.—Yarmouth Tribune.

A MEMBER of the staff of the Halifax Morning Chronicle has been "taken notes" in Charlottetown. This is one:—"It is a pity that the inhabitants of such a pretty and flourishing town as Charlottetown will put up with such bad sidewalks and roadways. Brick or asphalt sidewalks and macadamized streets are the principal wants. There is no stone in P. E. Island suitable for road purposes; but, no doubt, an arrangement might be made between the Halifax Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor and the Charlottetown Civic authorities to supply any quantity of broken stone from the shed of the former on the Commons."

Latest from Montreal.

Lord Dufferin and the Mennonites.

FIRE, ETC.

Special Dispatch to Daily Examiner.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.

The charge of swindling, preferred against John Rankin, a resident of this city, has been dismissed.

Lord Dufferin's visit to the Mennonite Settlement has proved very gratifying to all. The address presented by the settlers expresses their loyalty and contentment, and calls attention to the thriving farmers and the abundant harvest, to show that the representations upon which they were induced to immigrate to the Provinces are more than justified.

A fire in Campbellford, yesterday, destroyed a sash and woolen factory and several houses. Loss \$15,000.

Flour quiet and steady. Sales light. English market less firm. Prices unchanged:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Superior Extra, Extra Superfine, Fancy, Spring Extra, Superfine, Strong Bakers', Fine, Middlings, Pollards, U. C. Bags per 100 lbs., City Bags delivered, Oatmeal.

WAR DISPATCHES.

Hard Fighting!!

DIFFERING REPORTS!

(Special to the Daily Examiner.)

LONDON, Aug. 24.

The Porte has informed the British Embassy that Mehemit Ali gained a great victory between Osman Bascar and Eski Dgurna. The Russians were the attacking party.

A Russian official telegram says that in ten attacks made by the Turks on August 21st, the Turks sustained great loss.

GOLD.

New York Aug. 24.

Gold, 104 3/4.

WAR NEWS.

LONDON, Aug. 23.

Advices from Russian headquarters at Gornystuden yesterday afternoon, state that the battle in Schipka Pass is still proceeding. The enemy renewed the attack many times with fresh troops, but each time had been repulsed with heavy Turkish loss.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 23.

The Turkish troops carried an entrenchment of Greek insurgents near Trichia. German remonstrances against the Porte's nonfulfillment of the Geneva conference is not accepted by the powers, being considered one-sided.

It should be understood that after actions at Yeni Saghra and Eski Saghra, General Gourko retired unmolested by Halnkoi pass, while the Grand Duke Nicholas and Prince Eugene, after with difficulty extricating their forces from Eski Saghra defile in the lower Balkans, retreated by Shipka pass, which has remained guarded by Russian infantry and guns, established there ever since the pass was taken.

The Times despatch from Belgrade, yesterday, says: "To-day being the anniversary of the accession of Prince Milan to the throne, there was a parade of regular troops and militia."

Mobilization is going on, and troops marching to the frontier continually, but owing to Russian defeats the population do not show a warlike spirit.

Personal.

MR. WALTER STREET, Agent for the "Canadian Illustrated News," is in town receiving subscriptions.

MR. T. L. JACKSON, of the Canada Paper Company, is on the Island.

Hotel Arrivals.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

Aug. 24.—R. E. Brayley, Montreal; Hector McLean, Souris; T. S. Robertson, East Point; Alexander McMillan, Wheatley River; Richard Thompson, Sydney Mills; Henry Wadman, Crapaud; R. A. Moore and son, Pownal; Mrs. Witlock, Cherry Valley; J. B. Windsor, Toronto; Mrs. Prof. Anderson, Halifax; Finlay, McNeill, Summerside.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

Aug. 23.—Hon. John Yeo, Port Hill; Hon. D. Gordon, Georgetown.

24.—Walter Street, Montreal; J. C. Wall and wife, Pictou, N. S.

BANKIN HOUSE.

Aug. 24.—R. McKay, Montreal; A. M. Liddell, Montreal; N. Marks and wife, St. Stephen; Miss M. Marks, do.; Wm. B. Wetman, do.; A. B. Wilmot and wife, Halifax; R. Montgomery, Montreal; Rev. Dr. Hill and Mrs. Hill, Halifax; W. Vernon, Montreal; John Criley, do.; John A. Lammer, Philadelphia; Otis Potter, Newton, Mass.; Wm. Barry, Baltimore; Geo. Howatt, Crapaud.

New Advertisements

Mackerel Barrels.

500 MACKEREL BARRELS for sale cheap, if applied for immediately. F. S. HANFORD & CO., Water Street.

Ch'town, Aug. 25—2in

TOBACCO! TOBACCO!

CHEWING and Bright Smoking, in Boxes. Halves and Caddies—Cheap for cash or approved credit.

F. S. HANFORD & CO., Water St. Ch'town, Aug. 25—2in

To the Citizens of Charlottetown.

GENTLEMEN: At the solicitation of a large number of temperance men of this City, I have been induced to offer myself as a candidate for a seat at the Licensing Board. My temperance principles I need not advert to. I have resided in this City for a period of over twenty-four years, and the citizens of Charlottetown, I feel convinced, are fully aware that I have been, during that time, a strictly temperate man, and that my utmost endeavors, by practice and precept, have been used toward the suppression of intemperance.

Yours, very respectfully, WILLIAM JOHN FRASER. Aug. 25—

To the Civic Electors of Charlottetown.

GENTLEMEN:—Having received a numerous signed requisition from you, wishing me to offer as a Candidate at the approaching election for the "Licensing Board," I hereby offer myself as a Candidate for your suffrages.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your obed't servant, DAVID R. M. HOOPER. Ch'town, Aug. 17, '77—4in

CARD.

FELLOW-CITIZENS:—You will soon be called upon to elect a Licensing Board in accordance with the late Act of Parliament. Being solicited, I consented to nomination, and my name has been before you for some weeks. Gentlemen, many of you have already promised me your support, and should you place me in so responsible a position, be assured I shall do my duty firmly, yet with moderation and even-handed justice to all.

JOSEPH KNIGHT. Ch'town, Aug. 25—

NOW OPENED,

AT LONDON HOUSE!

—EX CASPIAN—

- RIBBONS, TURQUOISES, BLACK LUSTRES, BROWN LUSTRES, SILESIA, DRESS LININGS!!

Aug. 24—6in

OPENING OF CITY SCHOOLS.

The Board of School Trustees OF CHARLOTTETOWN

HEREBY gives notice that the following schools will be opened, under the provisions of the "Public Schools Act, 1877," on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd, prox., at the hour of 9 o'clock, a. m. for the admission of pupils, viz:—

- Upper Prince Street School, [late Methodist Academy], East Kent Street School, [late Normal School], Rockfort School, [Scott's Hall], Spring Park School, [Large's Hall, Great George Street], Kensington School, [near Gas Works].

N. B.—In order that pupils may be properly graded, it is requested that all intending applicants be present on the day of opening.

By Order of the Board, ISAAC OXENHAM, Secretary.

Office of School Board, Ch'town, Aug. 24, 1877. } alle p till sep 4

Wants, etc., etc.

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

WANTED—By a boy of 14, a situation as Errand Boy at a shop, or to work about a house. Apply at this Office.

LOST, on the evening of the 22nd, between the hours of 5.30 and 9 p. m., a large-sized Russia Leather PURSE, containing about \$25.00. The finder will please leave it at this Office.

Auction Sales.

ELEGANT

NEW FURNITURE!

BY AUCTION,

Saturday next, August the 25th.

At 11 o'clock, at W. D. STEWART'S Auction Room, Queen Street, Embracing Black Walnut and Mahogany Parlor Sets, Bed-Room Set (in ash), Walnut and Mahogany Chairs, Office Desk (with), Lounge, Cheffonier, Easy Chair, Bureau, etc. 2 very superior Pier Mirrors, gilt frames; 2 do do B. P. Mirrors, walnut and gilt frames. Hall Table, Hall Stand, Vases, and sundry other articles. Also:— 1 American Top Buggy (new), 1 Set Harness (new), 1 Piano, second-hand, etc. Terms—All sums under \$40, cash; over that amount, 3 months approved notes. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. No. 11 Queen St., Aug. 24—

Flour, Apples, &c.

BY AUCTION, on MONDAY, August the 27th, at 11 o'clock:

- 50 Bbls. Extra FLOUR, 100 " Spring Extra do., 20 " American Extra do., 25 " APPLES, 20 Doz. BROOMS, 30 Boxes SOAP, 20 " PEPPER, 20 " GINGER, 9 Chests TEA, 6 Casks KEROSENE, 12 Gross BLUE, and numerous other articles. BEN. BALDERSTON. No. 11 Queen St., Aug. 25—2in

Thursday, August 30th.

LAKELANDS.

SALE OF A LARGE AND BEAUTIFUL ESTATE.

I AM instructed by the Hon. George W. DeBlois, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island, to sell at AUCTION, at my rooms, Grandville Street, on Thursday, the 30th inst, at 11 o'clock, noon, that valuable Estate known as LAKELANDS, situate in the County of Hants, Nova Scotia, containing 3,000 acres of land. On the premises are two Dwelling-houses, two large Barns, Horse Stable, Cow Stable, Coach House, Ice House, etc., etc., all of which are in a good state of preservation. The two picturesque Lakes on and belonging to this property, with their surroundings, afford sport for the sports and amusement to the pleasure-seeker. LAKELANDS contains a large quantity of very valuable Timber; also, Firewood and Longers.

Terms made known at sale. For further particulars apply to Mr. G. Walter DeBlois, on the premises, or by letter to Hon. George W. DeBlois, Charlottetown, P. E. Island

R. D. CLARKE, JR., Auctioneer and Real Estate Agent, 79 and 81 Grandville St., Halifax. Aug. 15—12in pat till sale.

MOLASSES, SUGAR, SALT!

BRIGHT FLEETWOOD is now landing, at Peake's No. 1 Wharf, the following cargo:

- 60 Puns. BARBADOES MOLASSES (queen syrup), 20 Hds. BRIGHT SUGAR, 20 Tierces do do, 3,500 Bushels coarse SALT, suitable for pork or fish, which will be sold low while landing.

LONGWORTH & CO. Aug. 22—1w

To the Electors of Charlottetown

HAVING been chosen at a large and influential meeting, called for the purpose of nominating Candidates for the ensuing election to the "Licensing Board" of this City, we have accepted the nomination. If elected to that important office, it shall be our earnest endeavor to discharge with fidelity the duties which may devolve upon us and to carry out the law to the best of our ability, with advantage to the City Corporation and for the welfare of our fellow citizens.

H. J. CUNDALL, W. E. DAWSON. Aug. 22, 1877—3 in d—other papers 1in

WANTED,

A CITY CLERK for the City of Charlottetown. Must be a good accountant. Application to be made in writing, and addressed to

J. S. CARVELL, Mayor, Mayor's Office, Ch'town, Aug. 23, 1877—pat ar h if

MUSIC.

MISS FORGAN, Kent Street, will open a Class for Music, August 29th. Aug. 23—1w

PLASTER PARIS!

50 BBLs. now on hand. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, Aug. 23—pat ar 2w