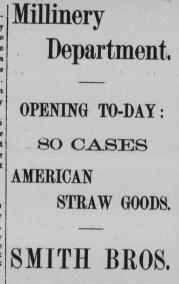


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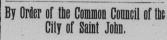
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SYDNEY WARD. BAINT JOHN, N. B., Feb. 12, 1886. W E, the undersigned Residents and Vaters of Sydney Ward, in the City of St. John, N. B., would nominate WH. LEWIS, Eaq., of said Ward, to represent us in the Common Council as Alderman, and piedge curselves to do all in our power to secure Bigment be

To the Electors of Sydney Ward. 10 the Lifector's of sydney ward. Characteristic and the sydney wards and the system of the system



PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the present ses-sion of the Provincial Legislature to provide for the extension of wharves on the "Pettingill" property.

The object of this Bill is to authorize the Con Conserve or time Hill is to authorize the Common Conneil to issue Debentures to an annuant not cr. ceeding Twenty Thousand Dollars, payable is twenty years, bearing interest not exceeding four per cent, for the ercetion of wharves and building up the slips on the Pettingill property, the annual inter-est and a sinking fund to provide for the payment of the Debentures to be charged on the revenues definition, 1859.

### ST. JOHN, N. B., March 9, 1889. To the Electors of the City of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN :--

Believing in the principle that no Mayor in this City should hold office for more thas two years, and having been solicited by numerous electors to allow myself to be placed in nomination for the Mayoralty, I beg to announce that I will be a Candidal on the second TUESDAY in April next.

If you have Houses, Flats or Apart-ments to Let, advertise in "Progress." It will hereafter make a special leature of this class of advertising, for which the character of its circulation snsures the best results. Give it a trial and satisfy yourself.

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merchant's compliments to the gas com-pany, and the statement that he would not pay it and they might go ahead and collect

OF EXECUTION LIGHTS. The Calkin Company Course Down to a Guester-A Parther CutThreateed-Keep and Company Adving -I & Means and the out to take to an any, and the statement to the gas com-pany, and the statement to the gas com-pany, and the statement to the gas com-any is and they might go ahead and collect the same. A measure get the atomin to carly use and search and search and they might go ahead and collect the same. A measure get the atomin to carly use and search and search and they might go ahead and collect the same. A measure get the they thread they might go ahead and collect the same. A measure get the they thread they thread the course that the gas company deducted the 35 cents they burn they area from \$200 e835 aread gas in parks, and the course joint again, when they think that for every light they burn they same from \$200 e835 aread gas company. This corporation, which is gas company. This corporation, which is cone of the most favored and riches the stock than most explaints of the course is a gas, the citizen will pay yell for their thought out the Stockton explaints to the course to while the Calkin some porty to mean this: If the gas company is per-mitted to course is the door of the gas company. This corporation, which is cone of the most favored and riches this stock than most explaints to the course is the door of the city, and pays a botter dividend on its stock than do caption the collection lighting area most is to law the life the collection lighting area the stock than and the calkin is componenties. The bill, which was not printed and they think that for every light, the fully and its right. The they down to the stock than and the calkin is control lection lighting area and they think that for every light the stock than the calkin is the stock than and they think that for every light the down to give the stock than and they think that for every light the stock than the calkin is the stock than and they think that for every light the down to give the Portand. The francess street electricians seemed to annoy the huge gas monopoly down town. They were lighting too many stores and decreasing the monthly receipts of the gas. More than this, they had even

dent Blair aud his estimable resociates.

They are all good and worthy citizens, but Arthur's, 80 King street. they have one decided weakness-for 12 per cent. dividends. It is not pleasant to MR. COSGROVE AND HIS COLT.

hear a merchant who has their electric lamp compare it with the Calkin across the Their Antics Delight a Sunday Afternoor

lamp compare it with the Caikin across the street, and compliment the latter upon its decided steadiness, and brilliancy. It is birst to nour cuscolt also thinks a great deal of Mr. Coser deelaring that your rival's goods. sold at the same price, are better than yours, and it cuts to the quick when that yours, and it cuts to the quick when that customer orders his account closed, as it were, and states his intention, of patronis-ing your competitor. This is what troubled the gas company people. Mr. Abram Isaacs, who has some

people. Mr. Abram Isaacs, who has some noon, and had a look at the Monticello. The colt had neither rein nor tether. He was free as the wind; but he never got people. Mr. Abram Isaacs, who has some interest in the large clothing store at the corner of King and Canterbury streets, paid for four electrics, one of which was as Calkin light, in his cigar store on Prince William street, and the other three gas company lights in the clothing store. Mr. acs was not satisfied with the gas company's light and he ordered them out and asked Mr. Calkin to replace them. He timately acquainted with both Mr. Cosgrove and the colt. They gave the former some did so, and the ball opened. Electric light stock fell with a thud and the lamps be-came cheaper but not less brilliant. The gas company sent out its canvassers to the patrons of the Calkin company and offered them the light for 25 cents a night instead

narrow margin espec at bottom

And Speaker P. in lofty key Will sing the wedding song; And every soul will help to roll The chariot along.

of the gas. More than this, they had even dared to put in a tender for lighting the city at such a figure as to compel the gas board to come down \$1,000 in their con-tract price. Regarded in this view, citi zens may conclude that in saving them \$1,000 a year the Calkin company was not a public nuisance. But it was a thorn in the side of Presi-dent Blair and his estimable resconters.

ave been sapping your substance so long you will never regret that you have changed your name, I'm spre-The assembled wisdom has been glee-fully hugging itself over the prospect of a short session until a week ago, when the quiries:

decision to push the union bill through at all hazards was reached. Possibly a week's delay may be occasioned thereby, but no

one will regret it. As an honorable gentleare all willing to sacrifice something to have the courtship communicated right away. One reason, no doubt, for the compara-of "crops?" tive brevity of the session is that the cor-porations act passed in 1885 renders un-necessary a great deal of the legislation that formerly consumed the time and pati-ence of the house. The government has no measures of any importance yet to bring in, and private bills-which are fewer as no strode along with his hands in his pockets, was proudly conscious of the fact. The small boys on the wharf were in-timately acquainted with both M.

No doubt the session will chiefly be memorable for the manhood suffrage bill. and the colt. They gave the former some taffy and the latter a large sized chew of black tobacco, and the colt chewed it with the ease of a Texas cowboy. Then the owner, colt and all the boys formed a procession and marched up and down the wharf to the amusement of the assembled mageneric and the street with a number of a merry-go-round in the second the calkin Co. One store in the city burned three of the Calkin light the patronage of severet may up Prince William at the gas company's electrics to the cont that there gas company's electrics to the cont that there gas company's electrics to the cont the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cont the calkin the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cont the colt in the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cont the colt in the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that the gas company's electrics to the cold that three gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that three gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that three gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that three gas company's electrics to the cold the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that there gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that there gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold the colt is a three doing the three cold the cold the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold the cold that three gas company's electrics to the cold the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the three cold that the gas company's electrics to the cold that three gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the colt cold that three gas company's electrics to the three lamps. The colt ran three doing the contex all this for a model the contex. All the form the contex three doing the

around the three lamps. The colt ran that was latter a breez, at our of women's suf-the patronage of sev-in the air and sniffed, but he couldn't find doctor snoke with cloguence and force. his owner. Then he ran down St. James street. He was still at sea. Back up street. He was still at sea. Back up Prince William street he went on a gallop. Meanwhile Mr. Cosgrove was keeping out of sight behind the three lamps, but seeing acquitted themselves ably on the bill and of Reed's Point wharf. The colt saw him advanced arguments which no one has yet

WAR WITH THE LIGHTS. chant that no reduction would be allowed for the off night, and that he must pay the PARLIAMENT IS READY The elections for mayor and aldermen in the property of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of the off night, and that he must pay the particular terms of term TO JOIN IN WEDLOCK ST. JOHN AND until the two cities can be combined. PORTLAND. There was some lively hustling this week

Mr. Everett Will Give the Matter His Con-sideration — So Will Mr. Thorne — Mr. Barker in the Hands of His Friends-But Let the People Choose. "Are you coming out for mayor, Mr. Everett ?" and Program.

ough to inform the house what is rankling in the bosom of the St. John *Globe* this fine, bracing weather ?

tous work for the public is all "Gratu humbug; it is obsolete and of the past." As usual, you are not far from out of the way, brother Jones.

When the lion and the lamb lie down together, Dr. Alfred and Mr. Solicitor will position then. iew the scene—at a reasonable distance. I regret that Brother Daniel doesn't take hindly to the comments of PROGRESS

Your pardon, my friend, if my jest did offend, Your pardon a thousand times o'er; From friendship I strove your faults to remove, But I vow I will do so no more. The following are recommended for Mar-

cus when he moves his next batch of in-Mr. Thorne first came into the arena, and Do the government contemplate holding date of another wing of the temperance party. At all events this rumor was used

on in favor of Mr. Everett's candidat

a general election soon? If so, who wi be on the ticket with Ketchum ? s a canvass against Mr. Thorne. How many, if any, of the govern man upstairs remarked yesterday, it is im-possible to find anyone outside of St. John who is not in favor of the union. And we Where did Secretary McLellan get his

How much did the attorney-general pay

as lessee of the Dungarvon river? And of the Renous? And how many mosquitoes and black flies does he own on each? Who stole Mr. Hanington's amend ment from the files of 1885, and when is ontest, Mr. Thorne ?"

the bear bounty to be restored? What is the population of New Zealand? Who wrote Mary had a little lamb? Who struck Billy Patterson? And where is my the bear bounty to be restored?

FLOTSAM. We Wortland or valley. Walter Scott.

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## THE PEOPLE WHO MOVE

WHAT MAYOR THORNE AND MR. May and Should Inform Their Friends EVERETT SAY. Through This Paper.

"For one week only," about May 1, PROGRESS will enter into competition the city directory. The 1st of May is a holiday that almost

everybody keeps. People who neglect the 17th of March and other people who never and PROGRESS' representative Everett?" and PROGRESS representation of the second availing an answer. Mr. Everett was in his King street store engaged in nothing more difficult than reading the evening paper. the second s

Mr. Everett was in his King street store engaged in nothing more difficult than reading the evening paper. "Oh!" was his first exclamation, "we had better wart until the union bill passes before we talk about the new mayor. I have not given the matter any attention to speak of, and all I can say at present is, if my friends want me to come forward as a candidate I will be prepared to give the matter my consideration." Passing then from the man point of the query, Mr. from the main point of the query, Mr. friends. To city people and to those at a distance, it will be helpful to know whither matters of the past and present. He had the migrators have flitted, and that is the matters of the past and present. He had just received a telegram from Fredericton, which informed him that the interim bill delaying the elections had passed. The miniature directory mentioned

intelligence did not appear to displease above will deal with two classes-business him. It was some time in the fifties that this, same gentleman was asked to be put in nomination for the civic chair in opposition to Mr. W. O. Smith but he refused. There was much work and little glory in the Decomposition to make the fifties of the street, to which they have removed. The more complete it is, the more interesting and valuable it will be. After you have arranged your lesse, do was much work and little glory in the PROGRESS the favor to say so on a postal osition then. Mr. Everett does not look upon the seat but that your long-lost uncle from Calicard, and as soon as possible. Who knows as a loafing place the coming year. He is under the impression that the first mayor of the united cities has his job cut out for your door!

But who started the great boom going Great variety of Easter Booklets, at Port-n in favor of Mr. Everett's candidature 2 land News Depot and branches. His name was even brought forward when

THE DOCTOR CAN COLLECT

it was said then that he was another candi-date of another wing of the temperance other's Bedside.

"Well, this makes me weary!" said a King street man, soying with a bit of paper that might have been a grocer's bill or a Mayor Thorne generally knows his own

"What's the row, now ?" lazily inquired

Mayor Thorne generally knows his own mind and PROGRESS found him Thursday as he was walking into his store- from the council meeting. Civic trouble sat lightly on his brow, though he had just left the chief angistrate's chain. His first ect to look for expected intelligence from the levels of the his companion. "Forty-seven dollars!" continued the merchant reflectively. ... Might as well be a round fifty. Look here, young man, take a fool's advice and don't leave your Fredericton concerning the result of the interim bill. There was a telegram for own mantelpiece after 8 o'clock him too, and he knew that he and his

evening. ...What the deuce do you mean? No "Have you retired from the mayoralty blackmailing business, I hope."

"Ha! ha! You've struck it, becaus His worship didn't exhibit much surprise another person is making me pay his bill. About three months ago, I dropped into the house of a friend. He was in bed; had a headache, feverish and plenty of tell you what I will do. I have not con- other symptoms. I went for the doctor as sulted my friends and you know that the next mayor will have his hands full looking an act of mercy. He was in the house two months with slow fever, and soon after getting better left for Boston or some other sharply after the united interests of St. John and Portland. I am convinced that place. And now I am called upon for the it will take so much time that I have doubts as to whether it would pay me to devote so

Hoping to receive your support and votes. **GEORGE A. BARKER.** To the Electors of Wellington Ward. L ADIES AND GENTLEMEN,-We shall again be candidates for your suffrages at the coming election for ALDERMEN

of Wellington Ward, on the first Tuesday in April next. And we promise to serve you (if elected) in the future as in the past.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM SHAW, THOS. W. PETERS.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :-

To the Electors of Wellington Ward.

At the request of a number of the Electors, I have decided to offer for the

**ALDERMANSHIP** 

of this ward, and would respectfully solicit your WILLIAM B. CARVILL. ADVERTISE IN PROGRESS.

place of the Calkin light the patronage of several prominent gentlemen of the board would be dispensed elsewhere. The "patronage" directors and stock holders was worth much and the Calkin lights have been taken out and the gas company triumphed. The merchant could not be blamed, but contemptible is a small and meaningless word to apply to such tactics. st here let PROGRESS comment slightly,

and sufficiently for the present, upon the "invariable correctness" of the bills of the gas company-no matter whether they are for electric lighting or for gas. A meter may be only an apology for measurement, and register twice the quantity of gas burned, yet the merchent has to pay for it all the same. His electric light may go out and he is forced to turn on the gas, yet

he looks in vain for any credit for the off city, within a short time, lost two Chamnight upon his electric bill, and he has to berlains and a well-known citizen who had pay the same company for the gas as well as the electric lamp which failed to illumin-council, of course, passed lengthy resoluate. This is a common occurrence and will tions of condolence, well meant and suitbear illustrating.

able. But the city clerk was forced to A short time ago a lamp in a King street bear the resolutions to the relatives of the

him of the fact, and requesting credit upon his bill for 35 cents. A few days after the bill arrived for the full amount and no credit. The merchant paid the col-lector, deducting the 35 cents, and obtained the bill receipted. An hour or two later the collector returned and told the merand no credit. The merchant paid the col-

and bounded away like a deer. Then there been able to confute. It was no doubt too was almost as much caressing as there was much to' expect that the premier would when the prodigal son returned. consent to the introduction of a principle Let the Relatives Read Them.

so radical in a measure already Why is it necessary, when an address of condolence is passed, for it to be carried last of women's suffrage in the house. Why is it necessary, when an address of highly seasoned as the public palate was

If Mr. Emmerson is able to recognize his own child—the coroners' bill—it is doubtful if that piebald infant is able to very much in doubt as to whether Mr. Em-merson, Mr. Hanington, Mr. Blair, Mr. Harrison or Mr. Richard is its real "daddy." The precious young one has had a very stormy entry into life and the store of the store o ber of times in Portland not long ago. The council, of course, passed lengthy resoluhad a very stormy entry into life, and came A short time ago a lamp in a King street store went out very early in the evening, and the proprietor was forced to burn gas. He spared a faw minutes to write a note to the secretary of the gas company informing him of the fact, and requesting credit very near exemplifying in its brief career a

quite as

When PROGRESS went to press at noon yesterday, Messrs. Whitenect and Robin-son had not been encound

Brave Men and Brave Won

liquor stores they pass on their walk through that city, and wondering what will become of them when the cities are united. There are six liquor stores on Portland Bridge and eight within 100 yards, and the prospects for a few more in that vicinity are good. One Portland man counted 25 So far Mr. Measure the legacy of the town across the way.

forgot the ditches, and would have fallen in head first, had not Mr. Justice Tapley interposed in this wise : He went to one o the committee and said: "If you, as one "and for union." of the investigating committee, persist in In the notes on the union election last week, City Clerk Godard was named for your attempt to scrape up something against my character, I will serve you and Assistant City Clerk Godard was named for Assistant City Clerk McLean. The latter held the poll at ward 5. The city clerk could not, of course, owing to his position, be a polling clerk. The sister of gallant Horace Whitney's intended bride lost her affianced in a railway disaster about a year ago. Both were once the brightest of their sex in their na-tive place. Chairs Canel and Bepatrod, 843 Unio

"God's pure air !" said Mr. Powers. Goeans of Had Rum. A number of Portland people have been the mendidate for the office ab will have no easy chair for him in the Cen-tral police station. He might, perhaps, be given a sergeant's cap and authority, if he will have no easy chair for him in the Cen-tral police station. He might, perhaps, be given a sergeant's cap and authority, if he will accept them, but the chieftainship is A number of Portland people nave been that initials planty, cos, and declare that will accept them; but the chieftainship is amusing themselves lately counting the the candidate for the office should be chosen for another man. And the sooner Capt. liquor stores they pass on their walk not by a clique or a party, but by a public Rawlings comes to this conclusion

Bridge and eight within 100 yards, and the prospects for a few more in that vicinity are nood. One Portland man counted 25 liquor stores on his way home from the city line to Orange corner, and he didn't include any that had not a show window. This is quite a showing for a Scott act town. The Country Will Be Safe. Second Lieutenants Hetherington, Parks and Sterling go to Fredericton shortly for "You haven't voted yet?" queried the alderman. "I have," said Mr. Peacock,

> What Will Janitor Dorman Do? Janitor Fred Dorman of the Centennial against my character, I will serve you and cach of your associates with an injunction." Here was a good sized bombshell with the fuse burning. The aldermen quit at once, the investigation dropped and the bomb didn't explode. It may, however, in the near future, and if it does PROGRESS doesn't think anybody will be seriously hurt except Mr. Justice Tapley. It is not likely the aldermen of the united city will be afraid of any such threats as stopped the last investigation. Umbrellas Repaired, 242 Union Street. Duest, 242 Union Street.

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