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The Daily Tribune. ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 30, 1872.

The Postmaster General's Report. From the Postmaster General's Report we learn that 12,961 dead letters were sent through the St. John Post Office...

A Curiosity. The Magistrate's main thought that he could keep the Lawyers from interfering in the affairs of the Sessions...

In the large batch of Dead letters, there were opened, 10 contained money to the value of \$109.95; enclosed bills of Exchange, Cheques, Drafts and Orders valued at \$7,019.51; 3 contained Promissory Notes for \$3,189.24—total nominal value of contents \$10,608.40...

On notice of Mr. James Robinson, Palmer, and on reading of the several affidavits of James Robinson, John Shives and Alfred A. Stockton, it is ordered that the Justices of the Peace for the County of St. John do show cause why they should not issue a writ of Mandamus...

The Academy of Music, St. John, will be opened for the first time Tuesday evening, the 6th, with a Grand Concert under the direction of Mr. L. A. Torrens...

Charles Mathews, Lester Wallace, John Broughan and John Gilbert, four famous comedians, played the same night in the same piece, "London Assurance," at Wallack's Theatre, New York, last week.

Parsons Ross, Adelaide Phillips, Wachtel, and Bentley sang in the opera of "The Provost" last night.

Mary's Hibberdon is on exhibition in the Grand Opera House, New York, the most magnificent opera house in America—Scour music prevails.

Professor Schmidt and his wonderful children are at the Howard, Boston.

Miss Charlotte Patti has been offered a large sum of money to sing at the Peace Jubilee in Boston.

The well known tragedian McKean Buchanan, died at Denver, April 16th.

Mrs. Scott Siddons in Scotland. M. B. Leavitt's "Royal Circuitary" left Boston April 18th for Yorkmouth, N. S. They number eight performers.

Bidwell & Wilkinson's Theatrical Company perform May 3rd in Portland.

Wanted Sewerage for Brussels Street. To the Editor of the Tribune. Permit me to draw the attention of the Sewerage Commissioners to the condition in which Brussels street has been allowed to remain for so many years, without any sewer.

It is my opinion that the sewerage system now proposed is a very defective one, and that the water from the street should be carried to the sewer by means of a separate pipe.

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I refer to this subject now, as the Sewerage Office has not commenced its Summer work yet, and we wish them to understand that there are demands upon them out here as urgent as any that will come from any other quarter.

I hope the Commissioners and their Engineer will take a walk out in this direction and see for themselves the actual state of affairs.

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The house is two stories, with a Mansard roof and free stone basement. The main building is 42x40 ft. The wings are 30x28 ft. On the right of the entrance is a large drawing room, 40x16 ft., lighted in the rear by a bay window. Two windows light it from the front.

There are also two marble pieces and two register grates. The bay window in the rear gives an additional depth of 21 ft. to the room. The parlor is on the right of the entrance. It is 17x14 ft. In the parlor, there is a recess, a large book case, built with cable columns and carved capitals. The dining room, 20x14 ft., is connected with the parlor by folding doors.

On the second floor of the main building there are four bedrooms, with a bath room 14x10 ft. This bath room is fitted up with solid mahogany, and complete in every part. On the wing is the nursery and servants' bed room. In the second floor the main building is a billiard room 32x20 ft., and three bed rooms. Four windows light the billiard room. All the rooms in the main building are corniced. The mason work, plastering, and cornicing was done by James Thompson, of Portland, and is done in a good, workmanlike manner.

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The Fish Market. We was supplied today, there being a large variety—first cod, bass, gaffers, lobster and halibut—one of the latter, very large, weighing 214 lbs.

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The School Examinations. The first of the public examinations of the Free Schools in the City took place today. At the Grammar School the attendance of visitors was small.

Dr. Coater, the largest room, with 70 boys, is under Mr. Manning, Mathematical and English teacher.

No. 1 Advanced School is in the building lately occupied by W. E. Scott, King Street East. The School is near the Gymnasium, and 150 scholars attend it.

The school for girls in Charlotte Street, taught by Mrs. Parkin, Miss Robertson and Miss Crawford, is well worth a visit. The building is a new three story wooden one, entirely devoted to teaching.

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Dominion Parliament. [In the Commons yesterday, Mr. Renaud of Kent moved for correspondence, etc., relating to the School Act of New Brunswick, and employed the usual arguments in opposition to the Act. Mr. Anglin admitted the Act was legal, although he has left a different impression, in the Press, but held it ought to have been disallowed because it was unjust. He appealed to the French members to overturn the legislation of New Brunswick. Bellrose, a French member, took the same view. Sir John A. Macdonald said the Act was constitutional, and could not be disallowed. The motion for the correspondence passed as a matter of course. There were laid before the House the Report on Penitentiaries and further Treaty Correspondence. The Budget Speech will be delivered this p. m., and the Bill to give effect to the Treaty probably on Thursday.]

OTTAWA, April 30. In the House after recess last night, debate was resumed on Renaud's motion relating to School Act of New Brunswick. Bellrose continued his argument that act was unconstitutional and should therefore be disallowed.

Carter replied in French, using the same arguments he had employed before recess, and taking further grounds that there was no provision for protection of Catholics in this respect in New Brunswick prior to Confederation, consequently they had been deprived of rights by School Act and explained it, and it was therefore not illegal. Grey as representative from New Brunswick, denied the right of Dominion Parliament to interfere in the matter. The Province was quite able to legislate as the interests of her people might demand.

Cassidy spoke at considerable length, concurring in views expressed by Anglin. After further discussion, the motion was carried. Mills moved resolution declaring present mode of constituting Senate inconsistent with Federal principle of government. He argued that nominative system had provided no (7) to our form of government and that each province should have the right to send its own representatives to Senate, either by vote of the people or by Local Government. After lengthy and at times lively discussion resolution was withdrawn.

Delegation of members from Cape Breton waited on the Government for the purpose of presenting claims of Cape Breton to one of two additional members which, under last Census, Nova Scotia is entitled.

Public Works in Nova Scotia received much attention last year, and the Dominion appears to be equally liberal this year. The Government railway bill is carried into Halifax City, at present in session at Richmond. Leaving the depot (says the Colonist), the skirts the shore for a short distance, then bends Westward until it reaches the line of Water Street, or Campbell Road, at the North boundary of Imperial Government property, and runs thence along the inside of the Dockyard wall to the terminus. The ground required for the terminus is all the open space between West's Wharf and the Dockyard—part of which is city and part Imperial property—and also about one hundred feet of the South end of the Dockyard. By filling up the water lots in the requirements of the depot and allow Water Street to be widened at that point to 100 feet. It is proposed to open a new street from the new terminus to the corner of Lockman and Cornwallis Streets.

\$250,000 appears in the Estimates for this purpose. There we find that the Acadia Mines are to be connected with the Intercolonial by a branch line, and to sid this enterprise there is a vote of \$14,000. There will be an expenditure of \$13,000 for Customs House in Pictou; \$14,000 for Hall's Quarantine buildings; \$15,000 for improvements in McNair's Cove. The Port Hood Pier is to be repaired at a cost of \$14,000. St. Peter's Canal is to be enlarged by a proposal estimated at \$15,000. A canal joining the Bras d'Or with Sydney Harbor. Altogether, Nova Scotia can not be said to be starving under Confederation.

A Runaway Thief. About 11 o'clock this morning, Policeman Waters having succeeded in bringing a prisoner named Hillan to the floats on the pier, arrested on a charge of theft in Carleton, was bringing him up toward the Police Station, when he made the discovery of a running along Water Street, across the Market Square, along Prince William street, and up Rocky Hill, into Mr. Francis' Shoe Factory, where he was after some time discovered and lodged in safe keeping.

Change of Mails. The mails for the United Kingdom via Quebec, will close at the Post Office, morning this week, every Thursday morning at half past six o'clock. Freight by Water Extension. Commencing from to day freight will be received at the Station, Carleton, for transportation. City Police Court. Michael Burke, 28, N. B., found drunk on Princess Street, confined and was fined \$4. Scott Dickson, 40, Scotland, intoxicated on Prince William street, was fined \$4. Johanna Edmondson was charged by M. C. Crick-shank, daughter of the venerable "Alfred" in the Mayor's Office, with throwing nuisance on the street, in front of her door. The evidence merely showed that they heard the deposit, and there being a doubt, the prisoner got the benefit of it, and was discharged. Arthur Hosick, Boatman's mate of the steamship Olympia, was brought up for assaulting John McInnes, one of the Stokers, and was fined \$30. Overseas' Overseas' Overseas! If you want orders, call at Geo. Sparrow's, King Street. By measure or any other way.

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