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The Daily Tribune.

J. L. STEWART,..... EDITOR.

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 30.

Jury-Packing by Authority.

So much attention has been attracted to the prostitution of the forms of justice by the Ontario Government for the purpose of persecuting an Opposition journal that the Government papers that claim to be anything more than mere official hacks are speaking out in condemnation of the outrage on the *Mail* Only the kind so well represented in this city attempt to justify the packing of the jury with political partisans for the purpose of securing the verdict desired by the Government, the proceeding being not only a violation of all legal decency and a mockery of justice but directly contrary to the law of the Province. One Whellams prosecuted the manager of the *Mail* for libel. At a late stage in the case the Government of Ontario took the case off the prosecutor's hands, and, claiming the right to set aside jurors at will, *objected to every juror who was not a Government supporter, thereby securing twelve Grits on the jury and a sure verdict against the defendant.* The Montreal *Witness*, one of the warmest supporters of the "Reform" Governments of Ontario and Canada, has the following under the heading we have placed over this article:

Seldom has the celebrated coach and four been so boldly driven through an act of Parliament as was recently done by the Reform Government in Ontario in the case of the prosecution of the *Mail* for libel. No case could come more precisely under the intention of the recent act than the one in question, as the law was based upon a case in all respects similar so far as the matter of packing juries is concerned. * * * When this law was invoked in the recent case in Toronto, it was set aside on the score that the prosecution was a Government prosecution, and not a private one, and that *the party engaged in packing the jury represented the Government* and not Mr. Whellams. Instead of mitigating the evil, this interpretation of the law evidently makes it very much worse, for, instead of a private individual taking an unfair advantage over the party he believes to have wronged him, *we find the Government of the country taking such an advantage over an individual citizen opposed to it in politics. The decision is simply an assumption on the part of the party in power of the right to use that power to secure decisions in cases of political libel which could not be used by a prosecutor belonging to the party out of power.* There are very few of the libels which are now-a-days made the subject of processes at law which are not more or less of a political character; and none of them which could not, if the Government so chose, be made the subject of public prosecution. *It is therefore evident that this decision not only sets the law at naught, but practically abrogates it wherever the prosecutor is a strong partisan of the Government in power, and leaves the opposition press in every Province to be dealt with as the Government chooses.*

The party hacks here and elsewhere that chuckled over the tactics employed against the *Mail* must be ashamed of themselves by this time, and will doubt-

The Toronto *Globe* has taken upon itself the duty of writing down the Canada First Club of Toronto It professes to be teaching exactly what the Canada Firsts profess to teach, and denounces the Club in the same breath. It continually questions the right of the Club to be, just as though gentlemen have not the right to form a political club when they choose to. It is rather illogical to ridicule the Club and ostentatiously advocate the principles it has adopted in the same breath, and shows that the great organ wants the gentlemen of the Club to follow the example of the Toronto and Ottawa Cabinets by looking to George Brown for their opinions and waiting until he publishes them.

An Interesting Will.

The following will, duly signed and witnessed, has recently come to light in Victoria County, the names only being changed:

I, Joseph Josephus, of the Parish of Birch, County of Victoria, and Province of New Brunswick, being on the bed of the death, I do give my soul to God, my body to the grouud, and all my personal and real property to my wife, Jennie Josephus, having received full payment for it.

The St Stephen Board of School Trustees has been filled by the appointment of Hon. John McAdam, Robert Clark, G. S. Wall and M. MacMonagle, in place of those removed.

The story of the the twin steamers' trial trip turns out a hoax.

Indian hunters predict that winter will be on us and snow travel practicable by the 10th November.

A black gown belonging to Rev. Dr. Ketchum, Rector, was stolen from All Saints Church recently, during the Rector's absence.—*Courier.*

A barn belonging to Mr. Wm. Borbes, New Bandon, Gloucester, with contents, was totally destroyed by fire on the evening of the 22nd inst. Loss about $600; no insurance.—*Advocate.*

The title given by M. Guizot to his unfinished work, "The History of France, related to my Grand-children," was not a mere designation, but expressed the actual fact. For several years he was wont to collect his grandchildren at 5 o'clock every day in his library, where he gave them a simple sketch of their country's history.

"I'll give you a half dollar if you'll stop whistling that tune!" The boy had been whistling "Mollie Darling" for more than an hour straight ahead, and our nervous friend was nearly frantic. The boy stopped, swung his leg pensively for a moment, reflecting whether he could afford it. "It's a bargain—g mme the money," he said. The gentleman pulled out a postal half. Boy took it, gave it a close examination, carefully folded it and put it away, and immediately opened up in a clear, high key, "The Mulligan Guards." An hour afterwards that boy was whistling "The Mulligan Guards," with unimpaired cheerfulness, while our fastidious lover of the old masters was ravishing his attic for a shot gun.

Sackville and That Sort of Thing.

NO. 3.

DEAR TRIBUNE: Sackville is famed for the sporting grounds in its vicinity. About five miles from the hotel is a place called Midgic (or by some Migic), the lakes and marshes of which are visited by sportsmen from many parts of New Brunswick, and not unfrequently the United States. Here are shot in their season snipe, curlew, ducks and a variety of game. We had no desire to visit this place and try our hand, although kindly informed a team and a guide could be had at a price quite in keeping with the charges made in Sackville. In the way of charges we may here remark they savor too much of extortion. To make ends meet country inn-keepers not unfrequently resort to this most contemptible of practices. (This remark is *not* intended for our Sackville friend.) The sporting this season, our informant says, was not so good as in former years. Why not, we know not.

The sidewalks of Sackville are like angels' visits, "few and far between." The designer of these conveniences must have been of an accommodating disposition if the morsel of pathway leading from the hotel southward be taken as a criterion, as this roadway is of a serpentine build and admirably suited to meet the wishes of the scores who occasionally reel over it. The sidewalk leading to the Female Academy is straight-away, however, but it is a wretched piece of mechanism and should be removed. It is a wonder that among so many wealthy people a few nice sidewalks are not laid on which the beaux with their fair ones could promenade.

Sackville is sadly in need of a lock-up and a police force. Good would be done to the peaceable and law-abiding portion of the community if such an institution as a lock-up existed. The sale of liquors on the Lord's day is carried on quite as largely as on other days; and, to be plain, liquors may be had at any hour of the twenty-four and on any day of the seven.

Why Sackville has remained so long without a first-class hotel is to the writer a mystery. There are many fine sites in the village within convenient distance of the Station, and money is plentiful among the farmers. Here is a golden opportunity offered to a man of enterprise and means to hand his name down to posterity as a philanthropist, a public benefactor. One thing Sackville deserves credit for, and that is the Agricultural buildings and lands near the covered bridge (so called). The cost of these premises has been $4,000. The Sackville Race Course is in connection with them, and it is on this course the Sackville "sports" (the landlord comes under this head) try the speed of their fast horses. (We may here remark the Provincial Board of Agriculture gave $1,000 towards the Sackville buildings.)

Drive in any direction around Sackville and you will find a Dixon or a Dickson. There is Postmaster Dixon who has the cozily located cottage near Dr. Titus Knapp's pretty residence. His son, Arthur Dixon, is mail contractor and attends to the business of the Eastern Express. E. B. Dixon is manager of one of the Telegraphic Companies. Collector Dixon has his office within view of Dixon's Landing where lies the lonely and disabled brig, previously referred to, and which monopolizes the wharf accommodation at this point. Then there is Amasa Dixon, the druggist, a genial, amiable young man. He also keeps on hand for sale *Quip* and the *Telegraph*. Robison Dixon, the originator of the foundry, is dead, and another Dixon acts in his stead. There are several Dixons who are farmers and Dicksons who are merchants. All in all the Dixon Dickson family abound and flourish, and form not a small portion of the community.

The Wesleyans are erecting a fine church close to the old building which is a rickety structure. There was a hope among a few that there would be litigation about the old building and some of our city lawyers were consulted; but the affair has, it is believed, blown over and peace and harmony prevail. When the new church is finished it is hoped the "great unconverted" will see the error of their ways, embrace the gospel, and, eventually, be saved.

In Sackville, as elsewhere, there are busybodies who live on the money others have earned for them; who hanker for the opportunity to know others' business; who sail under the banners of the "favored few," and whose existence in some places we know of would not be tolerated a day. To such we, in a Christian spirit, say read your Bibles on the Lord's Day and avoid tattling and gin-slinging.

In conclusion we would say of Sackville that we long to again visit it and its people—save and except those who are beyond redemption. We hope yet to spend many pleasant days in driving round its suburbs; we hope to see the land grow rich in products, and its sturdy farmers amass fortunes to spend in enlarging their premises and improving their stock, and we sincerely trust the day is not far distant when Sackville will be blessed with a good hotel which, if not conducted on temperance principles, will be run with some regard to the Sabbath as well as to the comfort of guests. And as we dip our pen in the ink for the last time we would respectfully urge the landlord of the Brunswick to give his young Jehu a few lessons in etiquette, and to give a word of advice to the precocious "young lad of ten summers" who assumes the management of the hotel in the landlord's absence—to the annoyance as well as disgust of all respectable guests.

Yours "on the wing," W.

Somebody is going to present a magnificent jug to the editor of the Brockville *Recorder*, the "Father of the Canadian Press." Is there anything in the jug? We were always a dutiful *Sun*, oh father.—*Toronto Sun.*

Because the election notices are placed in the windows of several New York corset stores, in the midst of paniers, skeleton skirts, etc., the ladies dan't see why they can't vote.

Mr. McDougall was returned as elected for South Renfrew, Ont., on Saturday, on the ground that one of the twenty-five electors who signed Mr. Bannerman's nomination was not duly qualified. The return will be contested.

A young man who attempted to shoot a young lady whose hand he aspired to win was found guilty last Monday by a jury at the Hamilton, Ont., assizes. He appears to be of unsound mind. The intended victim of his evil intentions owes the preservation of her life to the steel ribs of her corset.

LOCALS.

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET, see Auction column.

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

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Academy of Music— Wm Nannary
Academy Course

Marriage Guide— Dr Butts
Raisins, Currants and Nuts— Geo Morrison, Jr
Oatmeal— do
Champaigne— Andrew J Armstrong
Cigars— do
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AUCTIONS.

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Brevities.

Thermometer—at noon to-day—53°.

Thomas Elliot has been appointed night watchman by the Waterloo Union.

The Shamrocks wont play the Athletes unless $50 is first put up.

The Rev. Dr Mitchell lectured in St. Andrew's Kirk, last evening, to a large audience, on Sir Walter Scott.

A pistol bullet, fired from some building in Princess street, passed within a few inches of a girl employed in Hon. T. R. Jones' Factory, in Canterbury street.

The Winter term of the Portland schools commences on Monday. The schools will open at 9.30 a. m. and close at 3.30 p. m., with an hour's intermission at noon.

The Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, held annual sessions yesterday, legislating for the benefit of the Order. Late last evening the body adjourned, to meet in April in Moncton.

The dinner given last evening to Edward Jenkins, M. P., by John Boyd, Esq., was a very pleasant affair. The author of "Ginx's Baby" and others made eloquent speeches.

Mr. C. W. Lavers, one of the editors of *The American Canadian*, a new international weekly published in Boston, is in town.

A telegram from the Magnetic Observatory, Toronto, received this morning, says: "Storm probable at or near St. John."

The Scud takes the place of the Empress to-morrow, for the winter.

You are entirely mistaken—If you think Mr. Cornwall's Illuminated Clock is not a correct time keeper.

Hallowe'en.

Messrs. Hall & Hanington will sell at auction on the Market Square, at 3 o'clock to-morrow, a huge lot of Nova Scotia apples. This will be a good opportunity for families to secure a winter stock.

N. B. Engineers Rifle Club.

The club held its third competition yesterday at Drury Range. Capt. Ring had charge of the field, and everything passed off well. The prizes were numerous, and it was decided to fire for choice. The following scores were made, the highest having first choice and so on:

		Points.
1.	Sergt. James Hunter	47
2.	Corp. Metzler	47
3.	Mr. H. A. Crosby	46
4.	Capt. G. F Ring	45
5.	Corp. D. Carmichael	44
6.	Mr. J. L. Carmichael	42
7.	Sapper G. F. Thompson	40
8.	Mr. J. T. Hartt	40
9.	Corp D. Hauselpecker	35
10.	Mr. A. McBrine	33
11.	Sapper C. Boyd	32
12.	" J. Cochrane	29
13.	Capt. A. W. Lovett	29
14.	Sapper W. Murdoch	29
15.	" A. Forgey	29
16.	" O'Shaughnessy	27
17.	Sergt. Morrissey	27
18.	Sapper H. Cochran	24
19.	Mr. D. Carmichael	15
20.	Sapper Purdy	14
21.	Mr. J. S. Flaglor	6

The prizes will be distributed Wednesday evening.

Have you seen it—That Illuminated Clock in the window of 23½ Prince Wm. street?

Academy of Music Theatre.

"The Lonely Man of the Ocean" passed off well last evening, the audience being enthusiastic. It is a history of two rivals, one an army captain, another a pirate, and of course there are encounters between them. The pirate's ship is destroyed, he is made to walk the plank, and the young girl he had abducted is rescued only to die by the plague. The scene on the deck of the Sea Nymph, painted for the play by Mr. Gill, is one of the most artistic ever seen on the St. John stage. The masts, ropes, hatches and cannon almost look real, while beyond the deep blue sea touching the horizon is seen. There are several good characters in it. Mr. Warner, as the Lonely Man, played a difficult *role* in fine style. Mrs. C. W. Holmes, as Helena Stanton, mistress of the pirate chief, acted magnificently, and the history of her sin and wrongs, as related to Eve—the abducted girl—and her vow of protection, were loudly applauded. There was a deci-ded call for her appearance before the curtain after the act. The two characters that supply amusement in the piece were taken by Stanton as Cyrus and Miss Long as Beckey. Every appearance of the two was greeted with uproarious cheers. No one should miss seeing this play, which will be put on again to-night.

The time to correct your watch—When you can see the correct time by that Clock at 23½ Prince Wm. street.

SICKNESS is an affliction that waits on us all. None are exempt, and there are none but need relief from its attacks. Whoever can furnish this becomes our benefactor. A conviction prevails that DR. AYER does it. Disorders of the blood have been healed by his SARSAPARILLA, and affections of the lungs by his CHERRY PECTORAL, too frequently and too distinctly to be disputed. His AGUE CURE is said, by those who use it, to never fail. Reader, if you must have medical aid, take the best of medicine. Poor remedies are dear, as good are cheap, at any price you have to pay for them.—*Charleston Courier.*

Shipping Notes.

Quick Passage.—The R. M. S. Caspian has made the run across from Halifax to Queenstown in less than eight days, including stoppage at St. John's, N. F.

Shipbuilding in Nova Scotia.—At Five Mile River, Maitland, Mr. John Trahey launched a 700-ton bark yesterday. She is owned in England. In the adjoining yard Mr. A. McDougall is building a 700 ton bark which is about half completed.

At Mr. James Monteith's yard a 500 ton bark is going up. She is all timbered and will be decked this fall.

Mr. Joseph Monteith has on the stocks an 800 ton bark, half timbered.

At Mr. Ross's yard there is a brig of 400 tons in frame, to be launched next season. In the same yard Messrs. Dearman Bros. have ready the frame of a three-masted schooner of about 300 tons, and will commence erecting it in a few days. She will be launched next season. About a quarter of a mile above Captain James Douglas has a barque of 800 tons half timbered, to be launched next season. In the centre of the village Messrs. Roy & Douglas are building a ship of 187 feet keel and 1400 tons, to be launched next season. They are about to lay the keel of a barquentine of 400 tons in the same yard. About a hundred yards from Mr. Lawrence's yard, where the big ship was launched, Mr. Bowdin Smith has a barque of 700 tons in frame, to be launched next spring. In the yard adjoining, Mr. Fred Putnam has a barque of 150 feet keel and 800 tons register half timbered. She will probably be launched next season.

At Upper Selmah, two miles above Maitland, from the yard of Messrs. Pratt & Cox, a bark of 802 tons, called Francis Herbert, was launched yesterday. She classes 8 years French Lloyds, and is owned by parties in Halifax, her builder and Capt. McKenzie of Pictou.

Messrs. G. Smith & Sons have on the stocks an 800 ton bark to be launched in a few days. She is owned in England.

A mile above, Mr. Lorenzo O'Brien has a bark of 700 tons framed, and topsides planked, to be launched next season.

At Lower Selmah, a mile below, Capt. C. Cox has a barque of 700 tons planked, to be launched next May. Mr. J. Rose has a barque of 600 tons timbered, to be launched next season. Dr. Anthony Brown is building a ship of 207 feet keel, and 1700 tons register, to be launched in November. Her lower masts are of iron, and her iron fastenings are all galvanized. She will be one of the finest vessels ever built at Maitland, is owned by parties in England, and is intended for the East India trade.

At Clifton, on the Colchester side of the river, Mr. James Crowe has a bark of 800 tons completed, to be launched on the 25th of November.

At Black Rock, opposite Maitland, Capt. H. D. McArthur has a ship of 1300 tons framed, topsides planked, and deck frame in, to be launched next August. She is owned by parties in England.

At Princeport, two miles above, Mr. John Sanderson has a ship of 105 ft. keel, timbered, ceiled and deck completed, to be launched next June. She is owned by parties in Maitland and Truro. Mr. M. C. Norris has a ship of 1200 tons, to be launched on the 25th of next month. In Mr. Dart's yard, at Green's Creek, further up the river, there is a brig of 300 tons ready for launching.

At Canning on Tuesday, the 27th inst., from the yard of Messrs. E. Bigelow & Sons, was launched a 700 ton barkentine called Canning. She classes 8 years French Lloyds, and is owned principally in Canning and Halifax.

At Port-au-Piquet, Colchester Co., Mr. Joseph Upham is finishing a barkentine of 145 tons, called Harriet Upham. She classes 8 years French Lloyds, is owned by her builders and parties in Halifax. She is to be launched this week.

At Sherbrook, on Tuesday last, from the yard of Mr. A. N. McDonald, an 800 ton bark called Glen Grant was launched. She is owned by her builders, parties in Halifax and Liverpool, G. B.

At Bass River, from the yard of Mr. A. Fraser, was launched yesterday a brigantine of 350 tons.

At Great Village, from the yard of Mr. A. Fraser, a schooner of 160 tons was launched yesterday.

At Maccan, Capt. O'Brien has laid down at his yard the keel of a barkentine between 500 and 600 tons register, to be launched early in the spring. He also contemplates putting down immediately the keel of another large vessel, which will register between 1200 and 1500 tons, to be launched next summer.

Point Lepreaux, Oct. 30, 9 a. m.—Wind S. S. W., strong breeze, and appearance of fog. Rain.

Go at once—To see the correct time at 23½ Prince Wm. street.

City Police Court.

A solitary individual occupied the dock this morning. His name was William Phillips and the charge against him was lying drunk in Erin street. He declared he was not drunk, but had been sick for some weeks, and was on his way to consult his physician when arrested. He had called at Frost's drug store and taken 30 drops of essence of ginger for weakness. It must have been very strong ginger to have had such an effect, as Sergt. Rider deposed to finding him stretched out and helpless on the sidewalk. The Magistrate fined him $4 and said, "Being the only one in the dock this morning, I—" Here the prisoner interrupted, and the Magistrate had to commence again. Three or four times this happened until the prisoner was ordered out the court room. Now, whether the Magistrate was going to tell him that, if he had not denied the charge he would have been let off scot free, or that, though compelling a policeman to be sworn, he was only fined $4, or that the fine might stand against him, is not known.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE and all the most popular Canadian, English and American newspapers and magazines can always be obtained at the bookstore of Mr. W. K. Crawford, King street. aug 8

Fatal Effects of a Runaway.

About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Messrs. Landry & McCarthy's horse started from in front of their store, ran up King street, and, near Charlotte st., collided with a sloven, by which the rim was broken from one of the wheels of the carriage. Then the horse dashed down Charlotte street and took the sidewalk, which, at the time, was crowded with pedestrians. How all escaped unhurt until Duke street was reached is wonderful. There were, however, several narrow escapes, as the maddened brute rushed on—the rattling of the carriage, its frequent collisions with houses and doorsteps, and the spokes of the broken wheel flying out making him run the faster. At the corner of Duke and Charlotte streets Col. J. V. Thurgar, Mrs. Thurgar, Mrs. W. T. Lee and Miss Harriette Lee were standing. They had met on the corner and were speaking with each other when the horse dashed up and the carriage struck a hydrant and was thrown against them. Col. Thurgar and Mrs. Lee were knocked down, and Miss Lee was caught by the spokes of the broken wheel, thrown down, and carried almost across the street, until her body stopped the carriage, and the horse, partially stumbling, was caught by Allen McBeath and secured. Mrs. Lee, who was the first to rise, rushed to her daughter's rescue, lifted the wagon from the body, and carried her daughter to Dr. Livingstone's house, where she expired in about five minutes. The body was removed to her mother's house in Carleton street. Mrs. Lee had one of her ribs broken by the fall, and also strained herself in lifting the carriage and bearing her daughter across the street. She was attended by Dr. Berryman, and is obliged to keep perfectly quiet. The sorrow of the widowed mother in having her only daughter thus killed before her eyes is deeper than words can tell, and has awakened the greatest sympathy amongst a large circle of friends. The deceased was 21 years of age, and highly accomplished, her mother and brother having taken especial pains to give her more than an ordinary education. Coroner Earle, last night, summoned a jury, who viewed the body and adjourned until to-day.

Col. Thurgar was carried into the corner shop, and shortly afterwards removed to his own house in Coburg street. Though stunned, and receiving a severe nervous shock, he was not seriously injured.

This accident is another warning to persons who habitually leave their horses without fastening, and reminds them that they violate the law in doing so.

The inquest commenced this afternoon in the Dead House at 2 o'clock. The following gentlemen compose the jury: William Kennedy, R. C. Scovil, J. H. Murray, Joseph Allison, Robert Hunter, E. D. Watts, and Dudnee Breeze.

The Clock you are looking for—Is in the second story window (facing the Square) 23½ Prince Wm. street.

The County Court.

Georgie Reignolds vs. James W. Lanergan occupied but a short time yesterday afternoon. Miss Reignolds was engaged by Mr. Lanergan to play at the Lyceum last summer, the engagement to commence May 18th and extend into August. Business was bad and the Lyceum closed July 11th. She, therefore, sued to recover the balance of her engagement, at the rate of $15 per week. The only witness was the plaintiff, who testified to playing on the 11th., and afterwards visiting the Lyceum and finding it closed. On the 18th., however, she again played on the occasion of Mrs. Lanergan's benefit. This was on Saturday, and on Monday she had a writ issued against the defendant. She also stated that when business is bad a manager is obliged to keep faith with his company, but that, sometimes, the salaries were reduced for a time, but not stopped. C. W. Weldon, Esq., for the defence, asked for a nonsuit or a light verdict. He held that the engagement was a weekly one, and that, a week's notice having been given, there could be no claim. Or, on the other hand, if the engagement was for the season, the suit should not have been instituted when only one week's salary was due, but at the expiration of the full time. If her engagement had not terminated she had no right to receive money for playing at the benefit. By that act she showed that the engagement had terminated before July 18th. John Kerr, Esq., argued against these points, but His Honor decided that the engagement was only by the week. By consent, a verdict was given the plaintiff of $11, being for the week between the 11th and 18th, less the $4 she received for playing at Mrs. Lanergan's benefit. The verdict was not at all satisfactory to Miss Reignolds, and she was heard to remark, "If this is English justice, I want no more of it."

This morning the Queen vs. Samuel McCracken, for highway robbery, was taken up. Dr. W. H. Tuck conducted the case for the Crown, and the prisoner was defended by John & D. S. Kerr, Esqs. The prisoner looked pale, was neatly dressed, and when arraigned and the charge read to him pleaded not guilty in a decided manner. The only witness called was James Gooden, whose testimony was about the same as that given at the Police Court. The cross examination was not finished when the Court adjourned shortly after 1 o'clock. The examination by Mr. Kerr was very searching, but Gooden stuck to his story as originally told. The case will probably last through to-morrow as the defence have a number of witnesses.

The Recordership.

W. H. Tuck, Esq., is gazetted as Recorder, but has not yet been sworn in. As he is not a freeman of the city his eligibility to hold the office is questioned. He has not yet applied to be sworn in. The statement that the Mayor will administer the oath as a matter of routine, leaving proceedings to be taken afterwards under a *quo warranto*, is unauthorized.