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Sugar, refined, crushed, per hundred weight,	0 5 0
Sugar, of all kinds, except refined and crushed, per hundred weight,	0 2 6
Tees, per pound,	0 0 1
Wines, per gallon,	0 2 3
Axes and all Agricultural Implements, (except Scythes, Sickle, and Raspings Hoes),	10 per cent.
Bridles and Tacks,	10 per cent.
Boots, Shoes, and other Leather Manufactures,	10 per cent.
Chairs, and prepared parts of end for Chairs,	20 per cent.
Clock Wheels, Machinery and Materials for Clocks,	25 per cent.
Household Utensils, (except the Property of Passengers and Emigrants, and not intended for sale),	15 per cent.
Hats,	7 1/2 per cent.
Iron Castings, (except such articles as are usually designated Hollow Ware), and Iron otherwise charged with Duty,	10 per cent.
Looking Glasses, and Looking Glass Plates, silvered,	15 per cent.
Looking Glass Plates, unsilvered, and without Frames,	5 per cent.
Nails, &c.,	10 per cent.
Piano Fortes,	20 per cent.
Wooden Ware of all kinds, including Matches,	10 per cent.
Whale, and other Fish Oil, (except such as the return Cargoes of Vessels fitted out for Fishing Voyages, Parts in this Province),	10 per cent.
All other Goods, Wares and Merchandise not otherwise charged with Duty, and not herein declared to be free of Duty, for each £100 value,	£4 0 0

**EXEMPTIONS FROM DUTY.**

Anchors; Axles; Baggages and Apparel not intended for sale; Boxes; Buttons and Tackments; Butt Staves; Coins, Bullion and Diamonds; Cordage and Oakum; Chaps, Cobles and other Irons for Ships' use; Carriages of Travellers not intended for sale; Coats; Cocoons; Copper, in sheets, bars, or bolts, for ship building; Composition Metal and Spikes; for ship building; Corn, Corn Oil, and all kinds of Oils; Cotton; Wood and Water; Cotton—See *Sail Cloth*; Coal Tar; Dog Stones—See *Wood*; Duck—See *Sail Cloth*; Eggs; Fish of all kinds; Fruits and Vegetables, fresh, (except Apples); Felt; Fishing Craft Utensils, Instruments, and Bait; Furniture, Working Tools and Implements, and Provisions; Gums, Resins, and Oils; Green, grand and unground; Hemp, Flax, and Tans; Hides, green and salted; Iron in bars, boxes, plates, sheet and pig Iron; Lashes; Lines and Twines for the Fisheries; Lathers—See *Wood*; Mammals; Mahogany Logs, Boards and Veneers—See *Wood*; Mill Saws; Mineral Salt; Meat, salted and cured; Molasses; Nets, Fishing Nets and Sails; Oil—See *Wood*; Ointments; Paints and Varnishes; Parts of Vessels; Pictures and Greatbras, (ivories) in the Sea, the return of Vessels fitted out in this Province for Fishing Voyages; Prints—See *Fruit and Vegetables*; Ores of all kinds; Pitch; Plants, Shrubs, and Trees; Poultry of all kinds; Palm and Rape Oils; Soap; Green Quicksilver; Rings; Vases; Vases, and Boxes; Wax—See *Wood*; Wood and unground; Rose; Soles; Rigging saved from Vessels wrecked; Sail Cloth of all kinds; Skins, Furs, Pelts or Tails, undressed; Steam Engines, Boilers and Machinery for Mills; Stone, unmanufactured; Spikes and Sheathing Nails; Ships, Ship Tackle and Apparel; Sheet Metal; Tobacco, unmanufactured; Turnepine Wood and Lumber of all kinds (except Cedar Spruce, Pine and Hemlock Shingles); Wool.

**THE CHRONICLE.**

SAINT JOHN, APRIL 5, 1844.

**CITY ELECTIONS.**

The Elections took place on Tuesday last, conducted in the interest of the former Candidates. The returns are as follows:

**King's Ward.**—Henry Porter, Esquire, Abdermar, Mr. John Fairweather, Assistant; George B. Bailey, Esq.; Mr. Wm. D. Duray, Esq.

**Queen's Ward.**—William O. Smith, Esq.; Abdermar, Mr. Lewis W. Duray, Assistant; Ebenezer Harrington, Constable.

**Duke's Ward.**—Thomas Hardinge, Esquire, Abdermar, William H. Hegarty, Assistant; Robert McElroy, Constable.

**Sydney Ward.**—Gregory Van Horne, Esquire, Abdermar, Edward Hippisley, Assistant; Alexander Duray, Esq.; Mr. Wm. C. Duray, Esq.

**Garden's Ward.**—Thomas Coram, Esquire, Abdermar, Mr. John Bowditch, Assistant; James Calvert, Esq.

**Brock's Ward.**—George Bond, Esquire, Abdermar, Mr. John Fairweather, Assistant; Dr. Henry, Junior, Constable.

At the Common Council held at 7 o'clock on the evening of the same day, Thomas Morris, Esquire was unanimously re-elected Chamberlain; and the Mayor appointed James Hardinge, Esq.

The following persons were appointed additional Constables by the Common Council, for the different Wards:

Thomas McGahey, John Powers, Wm. M. G., Esq.; George Stockford, John D. George Noble, Queen's.

Robert Bradwell, William Fullis—Duke's.

John H. Paul—Sydney.

George Clarke—Garden's.

George Charles—Brock's.

Apprentices.—Achan Dandison, Esquire was re-elected Mayor of this city for the ensuing year; James White, Esquire, High Sheriff, and Wm. Bayard, Esquire, Comptroller.

We learn that the Revenue Bill, as published in this paper, has been introduced into the House; the amended act having been withdrawn.

The Currency Bill, we learn, has passed the Legislature, making the Sovereign a legal tender at 24s; Crowns 6s and Dollars 5s.

From the Accounts of Alma's House held before the House of Assembly, it appears that the weekly charge for board is, at Saint John, \$5. 6d. St. Andrew, \$4. and Fredericton, \$6. 6d.—How is this? We learn that the sum paid by the Legislature for the expenses per head would be less than in St. John. The Honorable member for York has voted pretty loudly of the impropriety carried on in St. John, but we confess this looks more like corruption in higher places.

At the Annual Meeting of St. George's Society, on Monday evening last, John V. Thurso, Esq. was re-elected President; John Rhodes, Esquire, Vice-President; Mr. J. C. L. Jackson, Mr. W. Duray, Secretary; Henry Clapp, Esq.; John Sandall, and James Gerow, Jr., Standing Committee.

STEAMER TO NEWFOUNDLAND.—The Royal Mail steamer *North America*, is advertised to leave Halifax immediately after the arrival of the next and every succeeding Mail steamer from England.

MILITARY DATES.—Last evening, the Non Commissioned Officers of the gallant 33d Regiment gave a splendid Ball and Supper, in a spacious room in

the large house on the corner of Sydney and Sherfield streets, Lower Cove, which was attended by a number of the officers of the Regt., and several respectable ladies. The Ball was given by a most superb master, with Slave, the names of "Victoria" and "Albert," and various other devices, composed of military arms, evergreens, &c. the whole displaying the name of the Regt. The processional march was "Piper's March," in full costume, with the "Pipers" who likewise marched considerably to the pleasure of the evening. The 33d, while the West Indians were separated by detachment to different Islands, and now concentrated again, will shortly be divided between St. John and Fredericton, were induced to get up this friendly entertainment prior to their separation.

The Ball was Supper given with the fine spirituous liquors of the Regt., and the style in which the room was decorated, as well as the manner in which the whole affair was conducted, received the highest encomiums from all the Officers of the corps, and the other guests who were present.—*Obituary of Fredericton.*

CONCERT.—On Wednesday evening the Sacred Harp Society gave a grand entertainment in the Hall of the New Haven Institute, where was performed a variety of musical exercises, &c. The Program was of an high order, and the best ever presented by any Society in this Province, and will be a style which reflects the greatest credit on the different Performers.

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