

FROM THE STATES.

WASHINGTON, April 29. The Washington despatch says President...

Gen Steele out-generalled Price and took possession of Camden, Ark. Steele flanked...

IMPORTANT AND SIGNIFICANT ANNOUNCEMENT.—The Washington Star of the 27th has the following:—

As the time is approaching when some of the regiments belonging to the Army of the Potomac are to be discharged from the military service of the United States...

FEDERAL ENVOYS IN HALIFAX.—It is pretty well understood that there are at present in our city, and in other parts of the Province, numerous agents of the Federal Government engaged in endeavouring to decoy young men to the United States...

THE SUGAR REFINERY which has been in course of erection and fitting up for the last six months, is now completed and ready to commence operations.

MASTER DAY AGAIN IN TROUBLE.—We find the following paragraph in yesterday's Buffalo "Courier":—On Saturday, a youth of fifteen summers, named James T. Day, arrived here from Canada under circumstances which, to say the least, are embarrassing in the extreme.

gree, he resembles a buxom young person of the opposite sex. His face, his luxuriant curls, and his gait, his manner and form, exactly counterpoint those of some radiant damsel who has bunglingly attempted an illegal disguise.

EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrival of the "Europa." HALIFAX April 30. Europa, Heckley, left Liverpool at 3 p.m. 10th, Queenstown 17th, arrived at Halifax 3 a.m. 30th, 58 Halifax and 88 Boston passengers.

LIVERPOOL, Morning 16th.—Rumored negotiations going on for sale of Great Eastern to French Government. Antwerp despatch, 14th, says rebel steamer Florida, recently from Brazil, put into Bermuda where she was well received by English authorities.

Morning Herald says game was altogether in hands of Conservatives, they were able to majority of their chosen, but upon highest grounds of political faith and disinterested forbore and Ministers were rescued.

Queen Victoria unable to hold projected State reception on 16th, owing to acute attack Neuralgia. Garibaldi continued to receive greatest attention in London, and popular enthusiasm in his favor was unabated.

GARIBALDI'S RECEPTION IN LONDON.—The General had a magnificent reception in the Crystal Palace yesterday from 25 to 30,000 persons were present, including a large number of the Aristocracy and Members of both Houses of Parliament and of the legal, scientific and literary professions.

TREATMENT OF WOMEN IN AUSTRIAN POLAND.—A letter from Lemberg (Galicia), in the Presse of Vienna, says:—Since the beginning of the month the military tribunals in this province have been actively occupied. They try on an average four cases a day.

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The P. E. Island House of Assembly has appointed Delegates to confer with those of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia upon the question of Colonial Union.

The Standard.

ST. ANDREWS, MAY 4, 1864.

Orders of Sessions.

(Continued from last week.)

APRIL GEN. SESSIONS, 1864.

ORDER.—That Justices Jas. Marchie, J. H. Maxwell, and G. B. Alward, be a committee to receive and disburse the amount assessed for the erection of an Almshouse in the Parish of St. Stephen, they being the building committee appointed to superintend the same.

ORDER.—That the Parish of St. George be assessed forty dollars to build a Pound in said Parish, and that Timothy Riordan, Robert Thomson and Claudius Messerett, Esqrs., to have the said pound built.

ORDER.—That the petition of the petition of Thos. Alexander just read be complied with. ORDER.—That the rent of land occupied by John Short of Chamcook be reduced to \$4, in accordance with his memorial.

ORDER.—That the rents of Hugh Craig and John Craig, be reduced to twenty cents per acre to each of them. ORDER.—That there is a judgment against James Kelly at the suit of the Justices, for rent of School land, for ten dollars; and whereas it appears to the Justices, that James Kelly's lease has expired, and for other reasons, James Kelly has no right to pay the said sum of ten dollars.—ORDER.—That James Kelly be discharged in the said suit.

ORDER.—That all river pilots whose names appear in the St. George Parish list, be erased therefrom. ORDER.—That Rules of Order be suspended to admit of application for Wholesale Licence from Robert Burns.

ORDER.—That Robert Burns receive such license for Indian Island in this county. ORDER.—That Andrew Elliott, constable in the suit of the Justices on the lease with James Kelly, be paid his costs out of the funds of the town of St. Andrews.

ORDER.—That the Report of Harbour Master of St. Andrews be accepted, and put on file. ORDER.—That the town of St. Andrews be assessed in the sum of \$300 for the purposes of the Fire Department of said town.

ORDER.—That Justices J. W. Street, A. W. Smith, and B. R. Fitzgerald, be the Gaol committee for the ensuing year. ORDER.—That Justices A. W. Smith, B. R. Fitzgerald and Wm. Whitlock, be a committee to manage the property of the town of St. Andrews, the ensuing year.

ORDER.—That James Moran, overseer of the town of St. Andrews, be removed from office, and replaced by Claudius Messerett, Esq., ten dollars and fifty cents. ORDER.—That the Market Wharf in the town of St. Andrews, including the burnt distill, be let at Auction, on Tuesday next, to the highest bidder, at the hour of 11 A. M., for the term of 12 months, from the end of the present lease thereof.

ORDER.—That the several Parishes of the County be assessed in the following sums for the support of the Poor this year:—

house for the Parish of St. Andrews do furnish at the April Sessions in each and every year, 1st—a statement as detailed as practicable of the stock and other property on the farm attached to the Poorhouse, and the value of the same as near as may be ascertained, a statement of the quantity and value of the farm produce during the preceding year and how disposed of, 2d, a statement showing the amount expended in repairs and improvements upon the farmhouse and buildings and fences, 3d, a statement of the amount expended for outdoor relief; also the cost of each pauper per week.

ORDER.—That an order made and passed at the present Session, fixing the percentage for collecting the Dog taxes at 12 1/2 per cent be rescinded, and further Ordered.—That 20 per cent be paid the Collector of Dog taxes, on all sums collected and paid in by him.

ORDER.—That the Clerk of the Peace be authorized to collect all sums arising from the property of the town of St. Andrews, and further ordered that he submit a detailed account of the receipts and disbursements of the said moneys to the Grand Jury and the Justices, at the April Sessions in each and every year, receiving therefor the usual commission received by the late Clerk.

ORDER.—That no person being a Commissioner as aforesaid shall be a competitor for any of the articles required for the use of the said paupers. Whereas there is a balance of \$175 1/2 due Thos. Algar, Ordered.—That the sum of \$204 be paid him out of the funds of the town of St. Andrews, and the balance of \$23.50 be paid him by the Commissioners of the Poorhouse in said Parish, out of the Parish funds.

ORDER.—That the prayer of the petition of Albert Mahoney be not complied with. ORDER.—That the Collectors of St. James receive the Poor taxes of that Parish, in American money without discount. ORDER.—That the prayer of the petition of the Administrators of the estate of the late Wellington Hatch, Esq., be complied with, and that the sum of \$204 be paid him out of the funds of the town of St. Andrews, for services done for the Parish.

ORDER.—That the Commissioners for superintending and managing the Poorhouse in the Parish of St. Andrews, pay Michael Cronan the sum of \$2.50 in full for ringing the bell for the Parish meetings, for the last 5 years to date. [This concludes the list of Orders passed at the April Sessions, and by taking care of the present and previous number of the "Standard," will furnish a correct record of the proceedings, for reference.]

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received from some of the leading men in various parts of the county, warrant us in announcing that JOHN MCADAM, Esq., will be a candidate. The Advocate states that Mr. Joseph Donald holds himself ready to contest the seat with any opponent but Mr. McAdam. Mr. Claudius Messerett, as already stated, will also offer—so that there will be four persons on the election course this summer—three of whom will positively be distanced without doubt. Bating will not be very great, as the odds are so apparent as to leave no margin for doubt.

LAUNCHED from the building yard of Mr. Alex. Anderson at Indian Point on Friday morning last, a well finished vessel of 600 tons. She was taken to St. John on Saturday by a steam tug.

A newspaper discussion has taken place with reference to an appropriation voted last Session, of \$500 for a geological survey.—The whole affair, it appears, will be arranged without counsel, advice, comments or threats. "Throwing a sprat to catch a mackerel," may have more to do with the appropriation than at first appears; and there are "wheels within wheels" in the political machine, which our contemporaries must be cognizant of. No doubt both Professors Hind and Bailey will be paid for their services, and an object attained.

C. C. Grammar School.

According to the "Rules and Regulations" of the Board of Education, the Semi-annual Examination of the Grammar School was held in the presence of the President and Directors, on the 24th inst., being the first Monday in May.

The subjects submitted for examination comprised Latin, Greek, French, English and Roman History, Algebra, English Grammar, Geography, &c. The Board unanimously agreed that the Examination was very satisfactory.

The President commended the pupils for the good examination which they had passed, and the decided improvement manifested since Christmas. He told them to use their influence with their parents, to allow them to partake of all the benefits of the Grammar School, by studying the higher branches such as Greek, Latin, French, Mathematics. That it matters not for what business or profession they were intended, the study of these subjects was very beneficial; the very act of studying them improved and strengthened the mind. He also praised their writing, as being generally very good indeed.

The proceedings were closed by prayer. The holidays will take place, as usual, in Midsummer.—Com.

ITEMS.

The wharfage of the Market Wharf was let for one year to Capt. Balson, for \$195. The old Market House, &c. to E. Simson for \$45.

The Circulating Library is opened at E. Law's store, every Saturday; those fond of reading should avail themselves of so great an advantage as the library affords; the fee is but five cents per week.

The Steamer Queen arrived here on Saturday morning last from St. John, where she received a thorough overhauling; she commenced her regular trips on Monday morning last.

The St. John river is now clear of ice, and the steamers are again running between St. John and Fredericton; the freight was sufficiently high to permit of driving the logs in the streams.

PUNISHMENT IN THE FEDERAL ARMY.

There is resorted to the punishment called "strapping up." It is a summer torture, not a winter one, and is productive of most misery when the thermometer is, say, eighty-two in the shade. You take your culprit and strip him to the middle or not, according to the gravity of his offence; but in all cases you are very careful to leave him bare-headed.

noon, numbers of prisoners to the Federal army, and degrading tasks. erable object, dirty, hazy-eyed—a week's mud, a month's beard on his face, his head with a foul cloud in bandages, and his body blue-grey overcoats, but and strained—who was he with fixed bayonets, cont. There is a little dry ground of the general-in-chief has been laid over the m. pants to the main gun with the clout round his hands of the former who had been working early that morning. Th. lived each over and over there had been no sur forced him, to make from his own broom, bind the shape and fit a stick to the gently pricked him onwa nets—sometimes perhaps the while he swept.—G.

N. B. & C. E. In former issues of this paper comparative monthly statements of the Railway, from which was a gradual increase of traffic is still improving; the want of sufficient rolling stock, the Manager, Mr. Osborn, to supply. It should be to the Manager has to traffic for the payment of salaries, wages, &c., and economy and no small amount required to work the R. been kept constantly and Every encouragement to the line, which has been to the town, but tion to the people of the Arrostook County. W. General has not ordered County and contiguous ed over the road, we c. trust that the subject w. him in such a light that Offices at the most, in teen St. Andrews and rect mail communication and St. Andrews. At several places alor are springing up. At Clich has a large and a which has been at work Deer Lake an American a large tract of land an erect a steam mill. Ca. a village of no small p. wise at Bel River, where theories have been or. present termin new dwellings and stor. Indeed everything beto we trust that ere long, and rolling stock for tw.

LATEST Latest advices from I General Banks' army h. exandra without fight. Gunboat fleet is at St. Papers are not allow news except official. B. Banks claims victory. Steele has opened Banks. Guerillas are becomi in Mississippi, commit sides of river. Colored soldiers thro. Wirt Adams with te. ing Natchez. Reported that Confed. mouth and fell stern c. swell Lee's ranks. Officers at the most, in firm reports of Richm. at expense of More Sou. Madison Court Hou. upon Consequence from

TEARS OF SYMPATHY. If there are a class of sympathy and pity of the poor disabled victim Chronic Sore, whose b. eruptive diseases as to f. society of their friends. vided in Dr. Hadway's C. HADWAY'S RENOVAT. One to six bottles of this cure the worst cases. I. Chronic Sore, Ulcers, Sore Legs, scrofula, and this remedy. In a few able to mingle in societ. lar per bottle. Sold by

MARITIME.—At M. Heeperus, R. Waycot New York, April 5. lor, Miller, for Jama. Cld. April 29.—Sc. J. Britt, Boston, lum.

WESLEYA THE Ladies of the S Church Aid Societ in behalf of the New town, in September an. Contributions will be may be forwarded to Mrs. T. I. ODELL, Mrs. MOORE, ELLI