

THEATRE. Mechanics' Institute

LESSEE and MANAGER. E. A. McDOWELL.
Saturday Evening, May 18,
The New Version of the Great Moral
Drama,

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN!

INTRODUCING
50 Colored Jubilee Singers. 50
In Plantation Melodies, Songs, Dances, Ac.
New Scenery and Mechanical Effects.

MATINEE—This afternoon,
On Monday evening the Manzelli Sisters and
St. Felix Sisters all appear in their Character
Songs, Fairy Ballets, and Spectacular Plays.

To the Electors of the City and County of St. John.

GENTLEMEN,—
Having been solicited by a very generous requisition to
offer myself as a Candidate in the approaching election for
the Local Legislature, I have decided to do so. If
elected, it shall be my aim to serve you faithfully.
Respectfully yours,
may 18 JAMES I. FELLOWS.

To the Electors of the City of St. John.

GENTLEMEN,—
In compliance with the wishes of my friends, I shall
be a candidate for the position of your representative in
the General Assembly.
If elected, I will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to
advance the interests of the City and Province generally.
I respectfully soliciting your support, I have the honor
to be, gentlemen,
Yours truly,
may 18 JOHN C. FERGUSON.

To the Electors of the City and County of St. John.

GENTLEMEN,—
I hereby inform you that I shall be a Candidate at the
coming Local Election to represent you in the General
Assembly, and if elected shall use my best judgment to
advance the interests of the country.
Yours truly,
St. Martins, N. B., May 13th, 1878. may 18 JAMES ROURKE.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN,—
Since I had the honor to inform you of my intention to
offer as a Candidate at the ensuing Election of persons
to represent you in the Assembly of this Province, His
Honor the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to sum-
mon me to his Council, and to appoint me to the impor-
tant office of Provincial Secretary. My acceptance of
this appointment is subject to your ratification, and I re-
spectfully solicit your confidence and support in this new
sphere of labor and responsibility. While it shall always
be my especial pleasure, if elected, to watch carefully the
interests of the City of Saint John, and strive to promote
them in every legitimate way, I shall also endeavor so to
perform my duties as a Counsellor of His Honor and Pro-
vincial Secretary, as to promote a frugal and wise admin-
istration of Provincial affairs, to the general advancement
of the public service and the dispensation of equal justice
to all classes of the people.
I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
may 11 WILLIAM WEDDERBURN.

To the Electors of the City and County of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN,—
At the request of many of my friends I shall be a
Candidate at the coming election for representatives to the
General Assembly of this Province, and would most re-
spectfully solicit your support.
may 11 ASAPH G. BLAKSLER.

To the Electors of the City and County of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN,—
At the approaching Election of members to serve in
the General Assembly of this Province, I shall again be
a candidate for your suffrages.
My views on matters within the sphere of the Local
Legislature, and my vote and acts as your representa-
tive, are so well known, that it is needless for me now to
recapitulate them. You are the best and the only con-
stitutional judges of the way in which I have attended to
the various matters entrusted to my care, as well as of
the manner in which I have fulfilled the pledges made
by me at the time of my election. If you are satisfied
with my conduct in these respects, I trust I may receive
from you, at the polls, a renewed expression of your
confidence.

As between the Government and the Opposition, in
what I may by anticipation, call the late House of As-
sembly, I hold that the best interests of the country and
my pledges to you were alike involved in my hearty
support of the Executive. Should I again be elected, I
shall feel it my duty to assist the Government of the day
in passing all good measures, while I shall deem it no
less incumbent upon me to oppose all legislation which
I may regard as adverse to the best interests of the con-
stituency and of the country.

It is my belief that the independence, utility and in-
fluence of the Local Legislatures can be best maintained
by excluding from the local sphere questions relating
exclusively to Dominion politics. It would be with
deep regret that I should see any other course forced
upon this Province.

The revenues of the Province, under good management,
can be made sufficient to uphold the public credit and
maintain the public services. It will be my aim, if elec-
ted, to conserve our financial condition and to pro-
vide that the moneys appropriated for public works
and other public services shall be so expended as to do
the greatest possible amount of good. In these ex-
penditures, besides public works, properly so called, I include
all moneys granted for the laudable purpose of advancing
the great interests of Agriculture and Manufactures, in so
far as this can be done by Agricultural and Industrial
Exhibitions and kindred means.

While the debts and expenditures of cities and other
municipalities for whatever purpose contracted or made,
are primarily matters of only local concern, they never-
theless affect the general credit and interests of the coun-
try. I therefore regard it as one of the most important
duties of legislators to scrutinize very carefully all mea-
sures brought before them for imposing increased burdens
upon the tax-payers, and to sanction only such as are
absolutely necessary in the public interest.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your faithful servant,
WILLIAM ELDER,
St. John, May 11, 1878.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN,—As you will shortly be called upon
to select members to represent you for the next
four years, I respectfully offer myself as a Candidate for
your suffrages. I assure you that I am fully sensible of
the high honor that has been already done me, in select-
ing me as one of the representatives of this large and
growing Commercial City, and I trust my conduct in the
Legislature has been such as to justify you in giving me
your support in the approaching contest.
Should I be elected, I will endeavor, by every means
in my power, to show myself worthy of the honor of
being one of your representatives.
I have the honor to remain,
Faithfully your obedient servant,
april 21 ROBERT MARSHALL.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN,—
I respectfully offer myself as a Candidate for the honor
of representing you in the General Assembly of this Pro-
vince.
Should you favor me with a majority of your votes I
shall, without regard to political parties or considera-
tions, use my best judgment to advance the interests of
this City, and the Province generally.
Yours truly,
may 11 CHAS. A. EVERETT.

To the Electors of the City and County of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN:
I hereby inform you that at the urgent solicitation of
a large number of electors I shall be a Candidate at the
approaching Election of persons to represent you in the
General Assembly of the Province. Should you honor
me by selecting me as one of your representatives I shall
endeavor to be worthy of your confidence.
Respectfully soliciting your support,
Gentlemen, I am your obedient servant,
may 11 R. J. RITCHIE.

To the Electors of the City and County of St. John.

GENTLEMEN:
At the ensuing General Election, I shall be a Candi-
date for the representation of the City and County
of St. John in the General Assembly. Respectfully ask-
ing the favor of your support,
I am yours, faithfully,
DAVID McLELLAN.
may 11

Public Notice.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an Asphalt, or
Composition, Sidewalk will be laid on the follow-
ing streets or portions of streets, viz:—
1. On the westerly side of that portion of Dock street
lying between the North Market Wharf and the north-
westerly line of the building lately erected by J. P. C. Burpee,
Esq.

2. On the easterly side of that portion of Canterbury
street lying between King and Church streets.
3. On the westerly side of that portion of Prince Wil-
liam street lying on the southerly line of the property of
the Chubb estate.
4. On the southerly side of that portion of King street
between Hermain street and the westerly line of the pro-
perty of James Manson, Esq.
Dated the 4th day of May, 1878.

By order of the Common Council,
may 11 HURD PETERS,
City Engineer.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that PLANK
or SIDEWALKS will be laid on the following streets,
or portions of streets, respectively, namely:—
On the East Side of Water Street, from Market Square
to North line of Princes' Street.

On the West Side of Water Street, from South Market
Wharf to the Ferry landing.
On the Westerly side of St. Patrick Street, from Rich-
mond Street to Erin Street.
From the foot of Dorchester Street to Garden Street.
On the West Side of Prince William Street from the
Custom House to the Red's Point Wharf.
On the East Side of Brussels Street, from Hanover
Street to Brunswick Street.

Under the provisions of the Act of Assembly, 30th
Victoria, chapter 71.
By order of the Common Council,
HURD PETERS,
City Engineer,
St. John, 9th May, 1878. may 11—4w

LIST OF ELECTORS,

Revised by the Sheriff.

THE LIST OF ELECTORS for the Local Elections
will be ready ON MONDAY. Candidates requiring
them will do well to hand in their orders early.
**\$15 per hundred to Candidates, Single
Copies 25 cents.**

GEO. W. DAY.



1878. SPRING STYLES. 1878
SILK HATS.
WE have just received our SPRING STYLE SILK
HATS.
Also in Stock—Extra large sizes of SOFT FUR FELT
HATS, 7 1/2 to 7 3/4.
THORNE BROS.
mar 2 Hat and Fur Store, 93 King Street.