

TOWN MATTERS.

It is not necessary for the STAR to refer to what it has said about our Town affairs. It is generally conceded that the management of affairs in Chatham would disgrace Timbuctoo or any hamlet in the interior of Africa.

Our streets are a disgrace to our civilization. Our sidewalks are a reproach to our intelligence and our sewers are breeders of disease and pestilence. The public slip in the very centre of the town is a cesspool of corruption.

The ratepayers should take an interest in our local affairs. It is a slur on their intelligence for them to allow a few wire pullers to make the town management a means of political strife.

We have had enough of phantom Councillors. We now want men of substance. We want men who can raise above party, who have spirit enough to carry out the improvements which their good sense will point out to them.

Yet another heavy calamity has befallen American literature. It seems but the other day that we were mourning the deaths of Dana, Bryant and Bayard Taylor, which followed one another in such quick succession.

NORTHUMBERLAND MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The election of Councillors to serve in the Municipal Council of this County for the ensuing year takes place on Tuesday next. With respect to this matter, we would remind the Ratepayers that it is not only their interests but their duty to ignore those candidates who have year after year been brought out by selfish cliques who have axes to grind and make it their business to bring out the men who are best fitted by nature to turn the stone and hold the axe, while they, from behind the scenes, order and direct them what to say and do.

During the last few years the men returned by this Parish have been the nominees of a political caucus, and it has been the interests of the party that caucus represents and not the Parish nor its people that they looked after and attended to. The rule of this clique has at last become so tyrannical that even some of their staunchest men have turned upon them and refused to do their bidding.

EDITORIAL GLEANINGS. THE ZULU DIFFICULTY. Sir Evelyn Wood has been sent to Zululand, it appears, to make an investigation into the cause of the recent war there between John Dinn and the native chiefs who rule the Zulus.

port. Mr. McLaughlin the third candidate, has for years been a follower of the clique, but, we understand, he comes out independent of them, and if returned will not be a servile tool in their hands.

TOWN INCORPORATION, &c.

We have ever been in favor of the incorporation of the Town. If we mistake not we believe it was opposed when spoken of some years ago by the Councillors Messrs. Lawlor and Fortheringham. They were then however independent of the party who now support them.

We think the incorporation of the town a necessity, but we greatly fear that the pernicious system of political interference would then be redoubled. The predominant party would want to nominate all the Councillors and our Town affairs would still remain in the hands of a ring.

DR. HOLLAND.

It was as head and heart of Scribner's Magazine that Dr. Holland was most potent in his influence over American letters. His energy and wisdom and perseverance raised that publication to its position of chief among periodicals.

An informal meeting was then called attended by the leaders of the Liberal Reform party. Mr Goggin was sit upon and compelled to withdraw and Mr. Fortheringham, who often asserted that he would not come out, was nominated.

COMMUNICATIONS.

COUNCIL ELECTION &c.

The Election for Councillors will take place on Tuesday next, the 25th inst. For the Parish of Chatham three candidates are in the field, Messrs. Loggie, McLaughlin and Fortheringham.

Mr. Fortheringham comes out as the nominee of a party. He had been a councillor before. He first came out as an independent candidate and was elected. Afterwards he accepted the nomination of a party, who, however, made him give way two years ago to another man.

upon the Isandula defeat. As a matter of fact, the Zulus never threatened Natal, they simply defended their own country. To guard against an imaginary trouble the English have brought upon themselves a real trouble in all probability.

CANADIAN PROGRESS.

Senator Warner Miller, in a recent speech, thus referred to the progress made by Canada during the last twenty years.

The present census will show that the increase in the material wealth in this country during the past twenty years, when we have had one continuous line of policy on this tariff question, has been the most astounding ever witnessed. During the past twenty years we have built up hundreds of our cities; we have opened the great West, and settled it with almost untold thousands of emigrants.

THE MINISTER OF MARINE.

The P. E. I. Patriot thus refers to the illness and projected retirement of Hon. J. C. Pope from public life:—"It is greatly to be regretted that the Hon. J. C. Pope should be compelled to resign his seat in the Cabinet under such melancholy circumstances. Before such affliction as his, both political opposition and private enmity are disarmed. There is no one, no matter what his political opinions may be, who does not feel a pang of sorrow at seeing Mr. J. Pope's career come to so sad and so untimely an end.

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affair prevents good and solid men from taking that stand in them they should. Under the present system a man is selected not for his ability or standing, but simply for his party or sectional popularity. A man has to back out from being a candidate not because he lacks experience, but because the party think he is less popular or pliable, or both, than the one selected, and the persons who are best qualified for the position will not come out at all, not wishing to mix themselves up in political strife.

I hope then on Tuesday this evil system will be destroyed and that the two independent candidates will be elected. The Conservative party, as such, take no part in the election, and do not think that it makes any difference in Dominion affairs who may be the Councillors for Chatham.

Yours, etc., A VOTER.

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I have read in a weekly paper printed in your town the following information respecting affairs in this Parish:—"A Mistake:—It is said that the Revisors of Votes for Alnwick intend to meet on the 20th instead of the 25th inst., for the purpose of adjudicating upon the names to be added to or stricken from the electoral list of the parish.

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NOVA SCOTIA GLASS FACTORY.

NEW SCOTIA'S NEW INDUSTRY—SEVENTY HANDS AT WORK—THE MARITIME PROVINCES TO SUPPLY THE DOMINION WITH GLASSWARE.

Among the many industries created by the National Policy has been three or four glass manufactories. New life has been infused into the factories at Hamilton, and extensive establishments have been erected at Napanee, Ontario, Montreal and New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. The latter establishment is now in full blast, operations having been commenced some weeks since. New Glasgow is one of the most rapidly growing manufacturing centres in the Maritime Provinces.

The site of the glass factory comprises four acres, and was the free gift of Mr. Harry Townsend, a public spirited farmer. The capital paid up stock of the company is \$50,000, held principally by members of the Opposition party, including such well known names as those of Mr. J. W. Carmichael, ex-M. P., Mr. D. C. Frazier, Mr. J. D. McGregor, and Mr. James Eastwood.

The boiler house is 30x40. The building cost about \$25,000. Seventy-five hands are now employed, and many more are wanted. A second gang of men are expected to arrive in a few days. The work, when running at full capacity, will give employment to 175 hands—and this number will be employed as soon as they can be obtained.

Mr. Beach arrived in St. John last night en route for Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton and London, where he will solicit orders for his manufactures. In conversation with a Daily News Reporter to-day, Mr. Beach said that his company were able to undersell the imported article, providing they can get a fair share of Canadian trade.

These goods are noted for the brilliancy of the glass and superior workmanship. The company aim to manufacture an article equal to the best imported from either Europe or the United States. Mr. Beach claims that the prices are lower to day than they ever were in the history of the trade, and that the Canadian manufacturers are able to place their goods on the market at less than the imported article can be sold for.

There is a marked increase in the demand for glassware, and this article is coming into more general use among the masses; and every one will rejoice that the Maritime Provinces are prepared to supply that demand.

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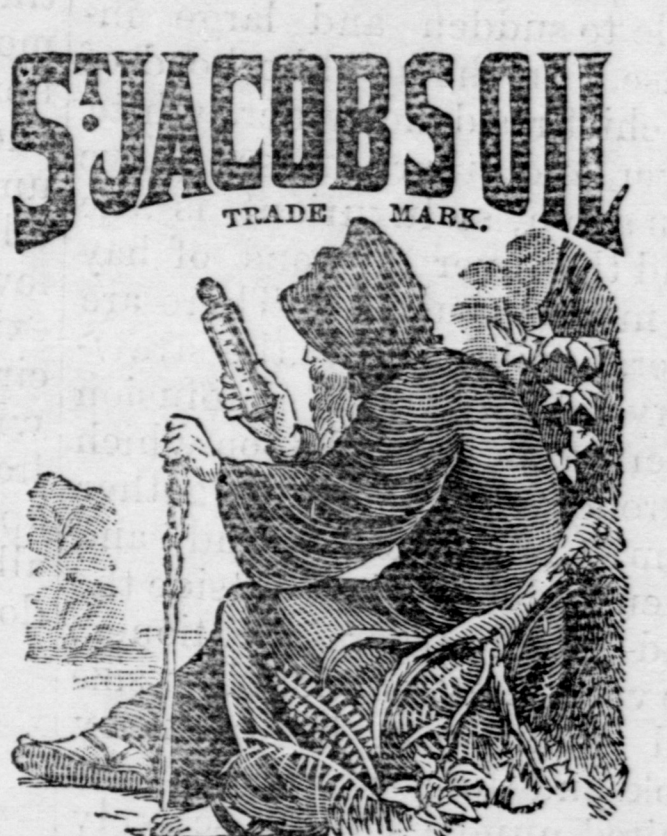
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