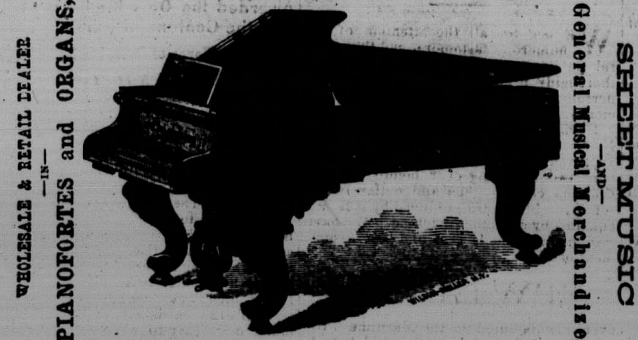


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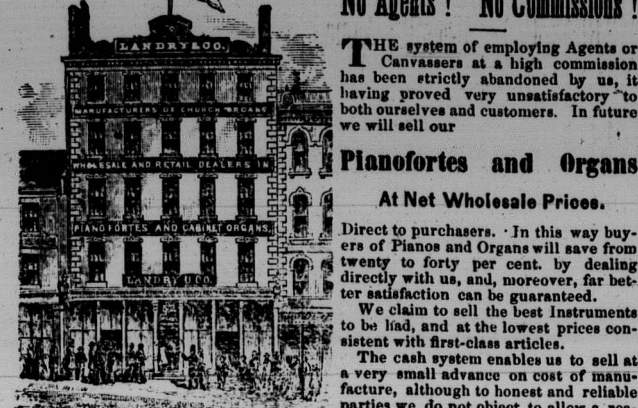


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Local and other Matters.

Acadia has this year 70 students.

A New Academy of Music is com-

menced at St. John.

The Agricultural Exhibition takes

place at Sackville on 15th October.

On, Sole Leather, just received

by J. R. Ayer.—Adv. next week.

There is to be a hop in Robb's

Hall, Dorchester, on Friday evening.

Messrs. Hanington and Landry

left Dorchester on Monday night for

Fredericton.

New Goods.—Clothing, Boots and

Shoes, &c., received by J. F. Allison.

Adv. next week.

HANINGTON'S STEAM MILL at

Shediac was burned last yesterday

afternoon.

The new Methodist Church at

Fairfield will be opened on the 6th

October. Particulars in our next.

A New Masonic Hall, 100x40

and two stories high, was dedicated

at Newcastle on Friday night.

BURNED.—Cushing & Clark's lower

saw mill at Salisbury was burned

down yesterday morning at 4 o'clock.

COUNTY COURT opened at Amherst

on Tuesday, Judge Morse presiding.

No important cases are being tried.

PREACHING next Sabbath at Grand

Anson at 10 1/2 a. m.; at Rockport at

2 1/2 p. m.; Westwood Hill at 6 1/2 p. m.,

Westwood at 7.

E. P. McLEAN, D. D. S., will visit

Dorchester on Monday, September

26th, and remain one week. Office,

in Weldon House.

MR. LEWIS GELBERT, an old and

respected citizen of Elgin, A. C.,

fell dead while walking through his

room on Friday evening last.

PROFESSOR GRANT is organizing a

class at Dorchester in the "manly

art of self defence." Muscles is at a

premium and the druggist is jubilant.

SERVICE at St. Paul's Church,

Sackville, on Sunday morning next

at 11 o'clock, and at St. Ann's Church,

Westwood, in the evening at 7 o'clock.

BAZAR.—The ladies at Hopewell

Corner, of the Baptist Church, hold

a Bazar and Supper in Oulton's Hall

on Wednesday, the 16th of October

next.

A REFRESHMENT TABLE will be

spread in the basement of the

Methodist Church on Thursday

evening, the 10th October next, by

the Ladies Church Aid Society.

W. D. MAIN & Co., Amherst, have

now in store a very large stock of

New Goods of all kinds, which they

are selling very cheap.—Adv. next

week.

DORCHESTER ITEMS.—Capt. Rich-

ardson is erecting a large mansard

roof house on the Cape Road.—Mr.

Thos. Anderson is constructing a

cottage on Church street.

NEW FIRM.—Messrs. A. B. Os-

borne and Q. A. Morse have com-

menced the sale of piano fortes,

organs, music and musical mer-

chandise at Amherst, N. S.

REV. DR. PICKARD has been elected

Book Steward at Halifax, and Rev.

D. Currie, Editor of the Western,

Rev. Messrs. Harz and Nicholson,

respectively having resigned those

positions.

ORDINATION.—The holy order of

Priesthood was conferred on Satur-

day at St. Mary's Cathedral, Halifax,

by the Archbishop, on the Rev. W.

B. Hamilton, of Amherst.

VESSEL ASHORE.—A French schr.

named "went on the Cape Tor-

mentine reefs, off Bayfield, Saturday

last. She was coal laden bound

from Picton to Quebec. She af-

terwards got off.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—John McKenzie,

truckman, while unloading flour from

a Canadian steamer at Summerside,

on Saturday last, was accidentally

killed, a barrel having tipped, knock-

ing him overboard and falling on him.

A CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.—A

child belonging to a band of Gypsies

was burned to death Monday near

the Alms House, Chatham. The

child was sleeping in a hammock

near the fire, the cords of which

caught in the stove, and the child

was precipitated into the fire

and burned to a crisp.

CUMBERLAND ITEMS.—The report

of ballots by the Sheriff commenced

on Saturday, and up to yesterday

afternoon resulted in victory gaining

three votes. It will be concluded to-

day.—The diptheria is raging again.

Local and other Matters.

The P. E. Island Government is

on its last legs.

The Nova Scotia Government has

not yet resigned.

The re-count in the Tilley-Da-

Vebor Election commenced to-day

at St. John.

Mrs. ATTORNEY FULTZ is the first

woman admitted to practice law at

San Francisco, Cal.

GROUARD's majority over Cutler

in Kent is 65. The latter has

entered a protest.

A REVOLUTION has succeeded in

overturning the Government of

San Domingo and expelling the

President.

DROWNED.—Frederick Pelsin, of

Port Felix, Guysborough County,

was drowned on the 9th inst., while

attending his lobster traps.

RUSSIAN PLOTTING in Afghanistan

has turned the Amer of that country

in antagonism to England and war is

imminent.

The Grit party in Nova Scotia is

not only defeated, but appears to be

completely demolished, wiped out of

existence.

SUMMERSIDE EXHIBITION opens on

Wednesday next. An extension

pass from Hopewell Corner will at-

tend. Return tickets from Moncton

\$1.60.

A tornado and tidal wave at Hayti,

W. I. L., on 8rd, 4th and 5th, swept

away whole towns, and the destruc-

tion of life and property is repre-

sented as terrible.

The body of George Greer, aged

65 years, was found on the roadside

at Simonds on Monday evening last.

He was a feeble old man and

in falling face down had probably

smothered.

PREVIOUS to the local elections in

Nova Scotia, the Provincial Govern-

ment appointed four members of the

last House to the Legislative Coun-

cil, viz.: John B. Dickie, of Truro;

David McCurdy, of Baddeck; Chas.

Baudret, of Arichat; and C. M.

Franchville, of Guysboro.

A LAD NAMED ALLEN, whose people

reside at Hantsport, N. S., accident-

ally shot and killed himself on Thurs-

day. He was riding in a cart with

a gun under his arm, leaning on

the muzzle, when it was in some

way discharged. Medical assistance

was procured, but he died in a short

time.

ONE THOUSAND OFFICE-SEEKERS are

at Ottawa clamoring for the reward

of service. If all the men promised

office during the past elections were

to visit it, the influx would dole

or trouble the population of that

city. It is not known whether

Mackenzie will make any death bed

appointments or not; the Ministers

themselves differ in opinion on the

matter.

DIPHTHERIA.—Mr. H. N. Fillmore,

of River Philip, N. S., has lost eight

children of his family of eleven

during the last two or three weeks

with diptheria. Two more have it,

but are improving.

MR. JOHN McDONALD, of Green-

vale, P. E. I., lost by diptheria,

lately, six of his children.

Since the 3rd inst. Mr. William

Adams and wife and six children,

residents of Cowan's Rapids, near

Coles Island, Queen's County, have

died of that dreadful malady dip-

theria.

SUPPOSED MURDER.—Souris, P.

E. I., Sept. 21.—James Thompson,

a farmer residing at Harmony, died

last night. His death is so sudden

from the effects of a blow received

from a man in Souris on the 18th

inst. And inquest was held this

morning. Verdict withheld, as post

mortem examination will take place

on Monday. The body was buried

yesterday morning. A man by the

name of McLeod was stabbed by

Souris Morrison in the face last

night. Morrison made his escape

to an American vessel, but was

captured by the Sheriff to-day. Mc-

Leod is thought, will recover.—

Examiner.

PARSONS' ITEMS.—Large excursions

were held on Saturday and Sunday

from Spring Hill and Wolfville.

Large numbers of both parties were

intoxicated.—Capt. Ryfe Kogal is

building a large warehouse on the

Local and other Matters.

The weakness of the Opposition

cause in this Province Dr. Tupper

ascribes to the want of a leader and

a press. We have secured a leader

in the able and high-minded man,

S. C. Tilley. True, our metropolitan

press went over to the enemy, but

they went to Ward's house and got

what information they could about

his leaving home. They took the

directions of the family and followed

the route taken by Ward, and about

a mile from the house they noticed

a small bush had been cut down and

the ground about looked as if some

thing heavy had been drawn over it.

After a few minutes' search they

came in the vicinity of a strong

smell, and noticed the toe of a man's

boot pointing above the ground,

became evident that they had

found the object of their search.

When the earth was removed from

the body a sickening sight presented

itself. The body of a man in an

advanced state of decomposition

was unmasked by birds of prey and

other animals.

Suspicion at once rested on Dowd

as he and Ward had differences and

Dowd had used threatening language.

Dowd was therefore arrested. When

the constables entered the place

where Dowd was, he was told

he was wanted, he asked "for what,"

but got no answer. He trembled

violently and showed great sign of

fear at first, but after being taken he

commenced singing and whistling

until he arrived at Lepreau's, where

he was detained. Others of the

family were also taken in custody.

The prisoners and the Coroner's

Jury viewed the body of the deceased

together. The most interesting por-

tion present was, of course, Thomas

Dowd, who was handcuffed and in

charge of the officials. He appears

to be a man of 41 or 42 years of age,

athletic looking but not large. He

denies any knowledge of the affair,

appeared cool, but showed signs of

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