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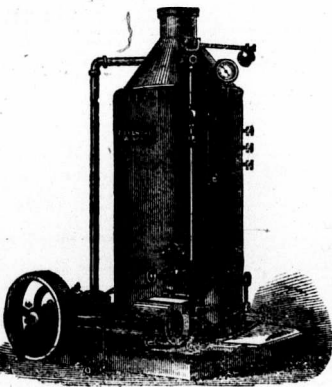
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A FIRST or Second Class Male Teacher for School District No. 9, Sackville, to take charge of School for Summer Term. Applicants to go to work at once at Cookville, March 30, 1883. GEORGE OSSETT, Secretary.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

—Toronto has had a \$100,000 fire lately.

—The drinking fountain at St. John is to cost \$1,000.

—A Frenchman, in Paris, has lately invented gun firing thirty shots in one minute.

—Women are rigidly excluded from St. Malo, a place fifty miles from New Orleans.

—The light-house and fog whistles of the Gulf of St. Lawrence went into operation last week.

—The Halifax grain elevator works well; a thousand bushels ran out the other day in a little more than eight minutes.

—A four-year-old daughter of Mr. Alex. McArthur, Chatham, N. S., her clothes caught on fire the other day and was so burned that she died shortly after.

—Charles Roy, a French Canadian doctor, from Montreal, was struck by an express train near New Brunswick, Saturday, and died from injuries shortly after.

—The dry goods merchants at Montreal have appointed a deputation to proceed to Quebec to ask the Government to let the duty on winceys, dress goods, and printed or dyed cottons, to stand the same.

—General Grant favors the grey uniform for the field, but for parade and garrison he favors the blue. He thinks the latter is better, he thinks it makes little difference as long as the men are all dressed alike.

—Iquique, Peru, on March 10th, a fire took place burning ten blocks and parts of four others. About 1,000 houses were destroyed, including churches and railway offices. Damage estimated at \$100,000.

—The New Brunswick Steamship Co. have not been able to contract with the English builders for a new steamer to replace the "Cedar Grove." No steamer will be placed on the route this year by the Company.

—The Captain of the steamer "Hunter," plying between Boston and Annapolis, of Cambridge, Mass., died 27 years, committed suicide by hanging himself last Thursday afternoon. Inevitably it is said to have been the result of a quarrel with a passenger.

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—The cash system of doing business is favorable to the purchaser at the rate of 40 per cent. per annum for money. Try A. Bowser's Cash Store for three months, and you will be satisfied that this is the case.

LOCAL MATTERS.

—Do not forget the auction sale at Midgie to-morrow.

—Prof. Rhuland intends starting a horse race in Sackville.

—The ice in the Tantramar River commenced running out on Thursday.

—Flour and feed received at Blair Estabrook's. Adv. next week.

—Mr. Seth Ward has sold the schr. "Alice Maud" to Mr. Elijah Chas.

—Excavation at the new college foundation was started by Mr. Wm. Robinson on Thursday.

—Quarrying on the Trueman place is going on briskly for the Music Hall and College.

—Rev. Mr. McDonald baptized four persons at Morice's pond on Sunday morning last, and Rev. Mr. McKee one.

—The Amherst Cornet Band will play in the rink this evening. This will be the last chance of the season to hear a band in the rink.

—Mr. William Pitch, youngest son of Mr. Samuel Pitch, of this place, has been appointed station master at Follyhatch, N. S.

—A savings bank, in connection with the Halifax Banking Company, is to be established here. This will supply a want long felt by operatives and others.

—Mrs. Charles McLean, daughter of Mr. Ed. Thompson, of this place, arrived home on Monday from Highland Lake, Mass. where she and her husband have been living since last fall. Mr. McLean is station master at that place.

—The Sackville and Westmorland Agricultural Society meet in the Public Hall, at Point de Bate, on Monday next, when the Executive Committee will consider the advisability of purchasing a Clydesdale or Percheron horse.

—Mr. Freeman Allen, of Port Elgin, who was assassinated last week and nearly killed, by his nephew, George Allen, is recovering slowly. George Allen left Port Elgin immediately after the assault and was seen next day in the train bound for Moncton. It is supposed he is now safe in Uncle Sam's Dominion. He is a ruffian of the first order, and the community is well rid of him.

Moncton Matters.

The development of Moncton is shown in one way strikingly by the division of business into specialties. Main Street presents an array of mercantile houses, each pursuing its own line of trade—dry goods, hardware, groceries, &c. The central position of Moncton will no doubt, in time, develop many of these into wholesale houses. Amongst new business recently started is a furniture establishment owned by Mr. Geo. McSweeney, in a new building, just opposite the Hotel. The eye surveys an array of handsome mirrors reflecting the images of tapestries in many designs, colors and kinds, and all sorts of goods furnishing good, from the luxurious easy chair, to the dried man in a suit of iron, to the formal and stately Eastlake drawing room suits. Mr. McSweeney makes a specialty of these things and claims that as he studies the markets he can do better for the people than general merchants. He is enlarging his business stand by a new building 30x110 and three storeys high.

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Cumberland Items.

—Mr. William Daniels, of Parrboro, is putting up a cottage.

—Ice is going out of the Parrboro river but the bay is full from Partridge Island to Blomidon, not a streak of water is to be seen.

—Mr. Hugh McGilvray, Parrboro, is putting up a very large store and dwelling house combined which bids fair to be the handsomest building in town.

—Two schooners—the "True," owned by B. Young & Son, and the "J. Hibbard," owned by Capt. Landells and others, of Parrboro, Cumberland Co.—have been out through by ice and sunk in that river.

Dorchester Items.

—The ferry boat is crossing to Albert.

—William Hickman, Esq., has gone to New York.

—Mr. McDougall has lost another son from diphtheria.

—It is said Sir Albert and Lady Smith intend soon to take a trip to New York.

—Hons. D. L. Hamilton and A. D. Richard leave for Fredericton to-morrow.

—A good remittance has been received from the barque "Robbie Gedrey."

—T. B. Wilbur, Esq., is pushing his vessel ahead with all possible speed.

—The store of J. H. Hickman & Co. has been much improved in appearance by a new coat of paint.

—Mr. Edgett while preparing for work the other day was struck with paralysis and still remains in a critical condition.

—It is reported that the Rev. S. R. Ackman has sent in his resignation as pastor of the Methodist Church of this place.

—The Home Circle Insurance Company have paid this week the sum of \$2,209.71 to the widow of the late C. V. Chandler, and \$245.52 to Miss Fanny Chandler. The respective amounts due on the policy were \$4,500, and \$500.

—Mr. Mariner Atkinson's store was burned at about 4.30 Wednesday morning. The upper story was occupied by Mr. Patterson, a tinmith, in which were all his implements and stock. Much difficulty was experienced in arresting the progress of the fire. Mr. Atkinson's loss, above insurance, is estimated at \$1,200. Mr. Patterson's loss is about \$1,500.

Shediac Items.

—The ice is rapidly breaking up and the wharves are entirely clear.

—Alfred Wilbur's new tannery is finished and will soon be doing a large business.

—It is rumored that Mr. V. A. Landry, School Inspector, is going to leave Shediac.

—A house owned by E. J. Smith and occupied by a brakeman of the I. C. R. was burnt on Friday night last.

—Dr. P. C. Bourgeois, of Memramook, who lately graduated at Detroit, Mich., is to establish himself here.

—Mr. Clarence Webster sails from Halifax on 14th inst. for the old Country where he intends to study medicine in the University of Edinburgh.

—The presence of a Bank in the town would be of great convenience to business men. Such an institution could do a very profitable business.

—The mills are being fitted up for wood, Dowling and Crow's steam-mill and E. J. Smith's water-mill have already started. A good summer's work is expected.

—N. A. Landry, Esq., and wife, were presented with an address and several valuable presents by their friends, the evening before their departure for Bathurst.

—Mud-hauling is over for the season. Our farmers have hauled more than in previous winters. Mr. Jas. Webster has obtained the largest amount, something between 700 and 800 loads.

—Harper and Webster's factory is in full blast. A number of extra hands have been taken on and although the men work extra time, it will be almost impossible to completely fill spring orders.

—A large influx of summer visitors is looked forward to. There is some talk of fitting up the Milligan and Norfolk houses for summer resorts. A number of Moncton I. C. R. employees intended to live here in the summer, but the Chief Superintendent of the Railway has issued an order forbidding this. We hoped that this will be speedily repealed. It causes a great indignation both in Moncton and Shediac.

—Our port is likely to become one of the most important coaling stations for steamers. Correspondence has been going on between steamship owners in Montreal and our harbor-master regarding the depth of water in the harbor and around the wharves. Plans of coast showing required dredging have been forwarded to our minister who will do all he can for our interests.

—Mr. Benjamin Young, one of the most popular, genial and enterprising of the Yankees that do business in this country, has sold out three of the five large millings (establishments he has owned in Nova Scotia, and proposes to retire from active business and spend the rest of his days at his home at Calais, Me. Mr. Young has also disposed of his interest in the Hibbard coal mine, at River Robert, N. S. Mr. Young's legions of friends will wish him all the rest and ease that a lengthened and extraordinary active life has fairly won him.

BALE VERTE ITEMS.—Rev. R. Wilson is expected from Ottawa on Saturday.—Messrs. Gray & Wheaton open a store at the Upper Corner at once. Mr. N. Beckwith's house caught fire on Tuesday evening and narrowly escaped destruction.

—A secret.

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Legislative Programme.

Our Fredericton Telegram.

Special to Chignecto Post.

FREDERICTON, April 11.—The Legislature meets at 3 p. m. The members are arriving and will be here in force. It is believed the speech will refer to statements giving a full exposition of finances of the country. It will foreshadow some fiscal legislation. It will announce the desirability of reduction of all governmental expenses and promise a measure on the subject of abolition of the Legislative Council. It will suggest measures for better preservation of forests and inland fisheries, and for furthering the exploration of minerals. The programme is a full one for the short session.

Mining Matters.

—The Spring Hill and Parrboro Railway is to be laid with steel rails this spring. New sleepers have been procured.

—Col. Snow, of the Short Line, is arranging for the erection of sheds, &c., at Pugwash for the shipment of coal from there.

—Oil was found from Mr. Hennigan's property, Dorchester, last year, and this spring a bottle of it was collected and sent to New York for chemical analysis.

—Mr. Senecal and associates, who purchased the Spring Hill and Parrboro Railway and coal areas for \$140,000, or thereabouts a short time ago, has been in treaty with the Spring Hill Mining Company for the purchase of their properties. The sum offered is a good round figure and is satisfactory to the company in Canada, but the General Mining Association is also a stockholder and it has yet to be heard from. If it accepts, all these properties will pass into the hands of one management, new slopes will be opened, the output will be immensely increased and shipments will like to be made both from Pugwash and Parrboro. The coal needs of the western part of this continent are very great; large railway and manufacturing interests there involve the consumption of many hundreds of thousands of tons of coal. Cumberland County is the nearest point from which this supply can come, and no doubt Mr. Senecal has in view some large and far-reaching schemes.

How to Stop a Paper.

The following from one of our exchanges, so fully and clearly expresses our views on the subject, that we copy it without comment: "You have an undoubted right to stop a newspaper when you feel disposed to stop the payment of all arrearsages. Do not hesitate to do so on account of 'tenderness' for the editor. Don't suppose he would stop buying sugar of you, or meat, clothing, or dry goods etc., if he thought it was not getting his money's worth, and why should you not exercise the same privilege with him? And when you discontinue a paper, do so manfully. Don't be so spiteful as to throw it back to the postmaster with a contemptuous 'I don't want any longer' and have 'Refused' written on the margin, and have the paper returned to the editor. No gentleman ever stopped it in that way, no matter if his head is covered with grey hairs that should be honorable. If you do not longer wish to receive a newspaper, write a note to the editor like a man, saying so, and be sure that arrearsages are paid. This is the way to stop a newspaper."

—Professor J. Herschel Smith, the undoubted master hand of the sarcastic epigrams of the Egyptian Pyramids and the Tycoon of the present age in producing the great labyrinthine wonders of the mythology of the ancient Greek, &c., has been improving the culture of the people of Albert Co. The Professor launches his subject with an energy equal to any seditious paper effervescence, and holds his audience spell-bound enjoying the panorama of words rolling off his tongue. He has been improving the culture of the people of Albert Co. The Professor launches his subject with an energy equal to any seditious paper effervescence, and holds his audience spell-bound enjoying the panorama of words rolling off his tongue.

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