

of the Maritime Provinces of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, and in further pursuance of the said Act, Chap. 24, of 1863, viz: William J. Stairs, Esq., to be a Governor of Dalhousie College in the place of Dr. Forrest, deceased.

ANNAPOLIS.—The store of George Run-ciman & Son was entered by burglars on Saturday night by boring twenty-seven auger holes in the back door and unfastening it. A quantity of goods and some money were taken.—Chon.

The iron-clad "Magenta," flag-ship of the French squadron of Toulon, caught fire yesterday and ultimately exploded. All on board were saved.

It will be seen by the advertisement in another column that parties having correspondence with the Local Government must prepay the postage, otherwise their letters will not be forwarded.

THE "TANCOOK" PRIZE.—The top-sail schooner "Aura," of Jersey, from Rio Janeiro for Gaspe (in ballast), which was abandoned by her own crew totally dismasted and leaky, arrived at this port last evening from Mahone Bay in tow of the steamer "Goliah." Her crew were taken off by the Yarmouth barque "Tanook," Capt. Durkee. The mate and three men of the "Tanook" went on board, and got the "Aura" into Mahone Bay under jurg-masters. She is a vessel of 93 tons register, three years old, and owned by John Flaavel, of Jersey.

GOLD.—The Eastern Chronicle says:—We had the pleasure of handling a bar of gold weighing over 80 ounces, worth about \$1500, the result of the last crushing by the "Stonewall" company, fifteen Mile Stream. This is from the celebrated Jackson lead, considered one of the richest yet found in the Province. We would call the attention of our Government, and the Commissioner of Mines in particular, to the necessity of building a passable road from the Gueytor's road to the diggings.

A THIEF CAUGHT.—On Saturday night, Detective Hutt, while standing at the corner of George and Granville Streets, observed a soldier of the 87th Regiment, named Michael O Toole, take a lady's card case off the counter of Mr. T. P. Connelly's bookstore, and quietly slip it up his coat sleeve. There were a number of persons in the shop at the time, and O Toole thought he was not observed. He was quite surprised when the detective asked him what he had done with the card case. He then gave it up and was taken into custody.

SYDNEY.—The American mackerel fleet report the mackerel thick outside, but the weather is so unfavorable that only two or three days in a week they can anchor out.

PUGWASH.—Three persons belonging to Pugwash, superintended by an elderly gentleman from Horton, are now engaged digging for money and valuables, supposed to be buried by that notorious pirate, Capt. Kidd. The digging is done on the premises of Wm. H. Seaman, on the west side of the harbor.

FOR NEW ZEALAND.—Messrs. R. Boak & Son advertise the new barque "Osceola" to sail from this port between Nov. 25 and December 1, for New Zealand.

THE HALIFAX AND DARTMOUTH SABBATH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION held its annual meeting in Association Hall on Tuesday evening, and was well attended.

Mr. E. D. King presided. Mr. W. B. McNutt, the Secretary, presented an interesting report.

There are now about 330 officers and teachers, and about 3500 scholars in the Sabbath Schools of the Association.

The following were appointed officers for the ensuing year: President.—A. Patterson.

PRODUCE.—At an auction sale on Friday, potatoes sold at 35 cents a bushel, oats 50 cents, and turnips 27 cents.

Two liquor dealers were brought up at the Police Court on Friday, for breach of the license law—one for selling liquor on Sunday, and the other for selling to a minor. They were fined \$30 and \$20 respectively.

DARTMOUTH.—Mr. Alfred Elliot, who has for some time been satisfactorily performing the duties of Town Clerk and Treasurer in Dartmouth, has been permanently appointed to that office.

Six boys from nine to thirteen years of age, charged with robbing a grocery store were arrested on Tuesday last. They were before the Court on Friday and remanded till Monday.

One of the Saturday evening papers said the late Town Clerk had conveyed to his bondsmen certain properties, and it is expected that the amount short in this year's accounts—more than half the whole that is deficient—will be recouped; but it is said that the bonds of the Town Clerk for last year can not be found, and that therefore the corporation will be a loser to the extent of the amount short on last year.

AYLESFORD.—The Grist Mill at Aylesford owned by Emerson and Henry Gates was destroyed by fire on the night of Monday last. Friction is supposed to have caused the fire. Loss about \$3000, if not insured. A large Saw Mill a few feet from the Grist Mill was saved with difficulty.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Arthur Sawyer, son of W. T. Sawyer, Esq., Steam Mill Village, while gunning on Saturday last, in the act of firing at a bird, the gun burst, shattering his left arm in a frightful manner. Dr. Shaw, who dressed the wound, expresses a hope that the arm may be saved.—Western Chronicle.

GLENCOE.—On the morning of the 20th inst. A man named Rory McDonald was eating buckwheat bread, when a morsel of it stuck in his throat and he fell from his chair and expired. Deceased had an affection of the throat some time ago, causing a difficulty in swallowing ever since.

YARMOUTH.—A Public meeting was held here on Tuesday last, on the question of Prohibition. It was crowded and much enthusiasm was manifested. Frank Killam Esq., M. P., was the first speaker, followed by the delegates who were at the Convention. Speeches were also made by Mr. Gayton, M. P. P., Rev. John Campbell, Episcopal clergyman, and several others. A unanimous standing vote was taken at the close in favor of endorsing the action taken at the late Montreal Convention, viz:—Prohibition, after being submitted to the people at the polls.

THE WESTERN COUNTIES RAILWAY COMPANY have contracted with a company represented by Messrs. Walter Shanley and E. W. Plunkett, of Montreal, for the completion and equipment of the road from Yarmouth to Annapolis by May, 1877. The track is already laid from the town of Yarmouth into Digby County—a distance of twenty miles—and there are about twenty-four miles graded in Digby county.

ARGYLE.—On the 14th inst., Mr. Isaac A. Montague, Light House keeper at White Head Island, was drowned, as is supposed, by the upsetting of his boat while passing from the main land to the island, a distance of about three miles.

New Jerusalem, N. B., Feb. 4, 1864.—I was subject to frequent and severe attacks of Rheumatism until I used Graham's Pain Eradicator, a few applications of which cured me. I can confidently recommend it to the afflicted.

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MISCELLANEOUS

A Chinese teacher recently told a missionary that the Bible could not be so ancient a book after all, because the first chapter of Romans gave an account of Chinese conduct such as the missionary could only have written after full acquaintance with the people.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A BLASPHEMER.—From a Kentucky local paper we learn that a man named Louis Burke, who lived at Burkesville, in this county, a few days ago indulged in very blasphemous language because his cribs had been destroyed by high water. His tongue clove to the roof of his mouth, and he died the next night, never uttering another word.

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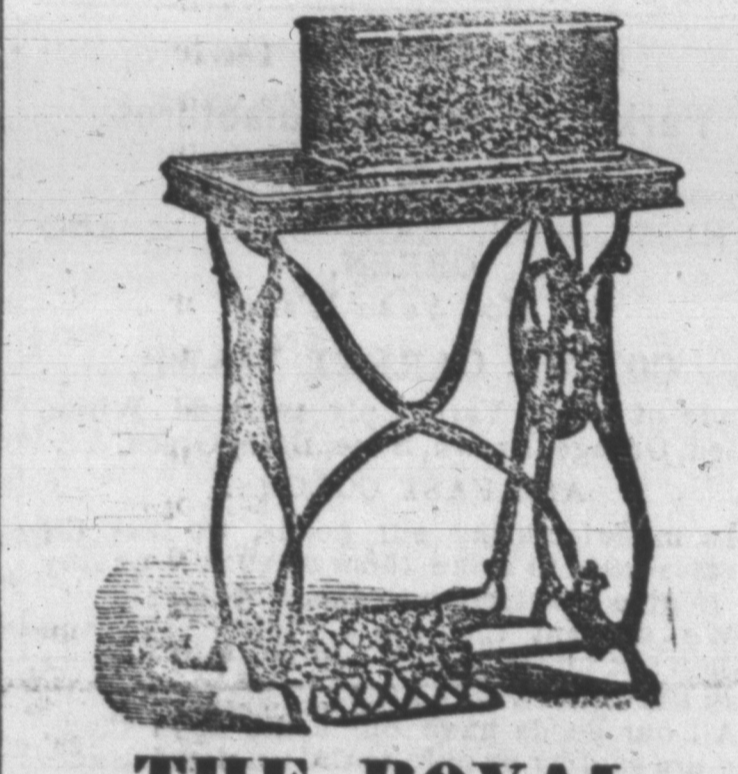
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