

is gradually subsiding, though the ice is piled up ten to thirty feet high along the bank bottoms.

Yanktown is filling with refugees from the lowlands, and the people are doing their best of care for them.

All railroads north and west are snowed in. The losses to property in general cannot be estimated.

Miss Hattie Duell of Iowa City died on Monday of last week, having completed full 47 days in attaining death by starvation.

ENGLAND.—The Allopaths and the Eclectics have had a sort of contest over the case of Beaconsfield. It appears that Dr. Quain has been called upon to defend himself before the college of Physicians for consulting with Mr. Kidd, who is an eclectic practitioner.

The removal of the convicted prisoners to jail has afforded occasion for making speeches to the people and created considerable excitement in Dublin.

Lord Beaconsfield died early yesterday morning.

TURKEY.—Earthquake shocks of considerable violence have begun again in Chio. It is estimated that barely twenty houses remain habitable on the whole island.

RUSSIA.—Naru Kissar the most advanced fort on the road to Merv, has been taken by surprise and captured by Turcomans.

Nicholas Sudzelskiy, and important Nihilist, was recently arrested at Jassy by the Roumanian authorities.

All the Nihilists except the woman Hessa Helfmann, condemned to death for connection with the Czar's assassination, namely, Russakoff, Michaeloff's, Kilbalschitish, Jeliaboff, and Sophie Riokolasky, were hanged at 10 o'clock on Friday morning.

The condemned Nihilists were escorted from the fortress to the place of execution by Cossacks and infantry with drums and fife.

Many thousands of people passed the night at the place of execution in order to obtain a good view.

GERMANY.—Lord Dufferin has arrived at Berlin, and had a conference with Bismark.

SPAIN.—A profound sensation has been caused at Madrid by a telegram from the Gov. General of Cuba announcing the sentence by court martial upon eighteen officials accused of frauds in the naval department in Cuba, to penal servitude.

ITALY.—Depretis is negotiating for the formation of a Cabinet, but the King refrains from intrusting the task formally to anybody until he can receive reasonable assurance that a Ministry able to command a majority can be obtained.

MEXICO.—Governor Terassay, of Chihuahua has stationed 500 Mexican troops at El Paso, anticipating trouble between the natives and Americans when the railroads get further into the interior of Mexico.

INDIA.—Cashim Khan, the new Governor of Candahar entered the city on Saturday. Afghan cavalry have relieved the British cavalry outside of Candahar.

News.

APPOINTMENTS.—Annapolis Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace,—John Troop of Clements West.

Kings Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace,—Enoch Griffin, Upper Dyke Village, Cornwalls.

Queens Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace.—Simeon Cohoon of East Port Medway.

Colchester Co.—To be Justice of the Peace,—Leonard G. Crowe and Edwin Botsford Baird, both of Truro.

Shelburne Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace, James E. Richardson of Lockport.

Inverness Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace,—Neil McKinnon, of Orangedale.

Cumberland Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace,—Thoman J. Seaman of Paraborough.

Halifax Co.—To be a Justice of the Peace,—John Symmons, Senior, of Lower Prospect.

The Digby Courier reports that a shingle mill at Gilbert's Cove, Digby Co., owned by Kinney Brothers was burned on Sunday. The fire was caused by boys playing in the mill. Loss \$2,000, no insurance.

At Annapolis on Tuesday last a dwelling house, owned and occupied by two aged and infirm men, named Hugh and Patrick Lynch was burned down.

The brigantine Tiber, Capt. Power, arrived on Saturday morning, 39 days from Pernambuco, with 4,800 bags of sugar for the Canada Sugar Refinery, Montreal.

The barque Jehu arrived on Saturday afternoon, 16 days from Matanzas, with 848 hogheads of sugar for the St. Lawrence Refinery, Montreal.

We are informed that the Halifax Sugar Refinery have received large orders from various parts, from Montreal, New Brunswick and Newfoundland.

Mr. James Whitby, of Dartmouth, has discovered what is believed to be a fine 12 inch gold lead on the Waverley Road, Montague District, from which he has taken some pretty specimens.

The people of Pictou are seeking for a railway from Pictou town to West River. This would make the road shorter by 10 miles between Pictou and Halifax. It would avoid the crossing of the harbor and do away with the necessity for the expensive ferry steamer. The road could be built for \$10,000 a mile.

The Circassian on Sunday last brought an unusually large number of emigrants, over 700 in all, including about 300 which landed here and proceeded by train on Sunday for the West. Principally Germans.

HON. DR. PARKER has been seriously ill for two or three weeks, by an affection of the ear and throat. He has had a painful operation performed on the ear and is now slowly recovering.

Special services are to be continued at the Tabernacle this week. Rev. W. Swaffield is expected for a few days being on his way to Billtown, Cornwallis.

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A REMARKABLE RELIC.—American traveller to Cathedral guide: "But see here, friend, how can this be the skull of St. Peter? We've already seen one at the church of the Annunciation. Furthermore, this is a miserable little skull that hadn't any brains in it!" Truly Catholic guide.—"Ah! you can't understand it? Why, this is St. Peter's skull as a child!"

Deputy Minister for Marine, &c. Department of Marine, &c., Ottawa, 30th March, 1881.

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Marriages.

At Jordan River, by Rev. G.H. Goudey, on the 5th inst., Charles Hayden, Esq., to Miss Edith Thorburn, both of Jordan River.

At Sand Point, March, by the same, Mr. Peter Hemeon, to Miss Lavinia Hipson, both of Sand Point.

At Sand Point, Feb., by the same, Mr. Abraham Crowe, to Miss Mary Hemeon, both of Sand Point.

At Sand Point, April 8th, by the same, Mr. Edward Goodick, of Sand Point, to Theodosia Peterson, of Pabuco.

At Lawrencetown, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. H. B. Shaffner, Mr. Jonathan Woodbury, Teacher, Kingston, to Miss Jessie Bent, Albany.

At the residence of the bride, March 30th, by the Rev. J. F. Avery, John W. Heckman, merchant, to Sophia Hubley, fifth daughter of the late James Hubley, Esq., all of Halifax.

Deaths.

At Jordan Bay, March 16th, Letitia Thorburn, youngest daughter of Wm. and Letitia Thorburn, aged 14 years.

At Middlefield, Queen's Co., Jan. 11th, Rufus B. Pool, aged 64 years.

At Greenfield, Queen's Co., March 27th, Mrs. Robert Harlow, aged 66 years.

At Eastern Passage, April 11th, Hattie Margery, aged 4 years and 2 months, youngest daughter of A. J. and Barbara Newcomb.

Once we had a fragrant blossom, Full of sweetness, full of love; But the angel came and plucked it, For the glorious realms above.

Little Hattie was our darling, Pride of all the hearts at home; But the angel passing gently Came and whispered, "Hattie come."

On Tuesday, the 12th inst., John Somers, in the 80th year of his age.

On the 13th inst., at 92 Birmingham St., Ann, widow of the late Lieut. W. D. Hunter, late 64th Regt., and eldest daughter of the late Hon. Peter McNab, of McNab's Island, aged 85 years.

On Thursday, 14th inst., Winniet Edward St. George, beloved son of H. St. George and Ada Twining, aged 2 years and 9 months.

At Black Rock, on the 4th inst., of old age, Peter Lawson, aged 88 years.

Mrs. Eliza Jane, widow of Mr. Edward Manning Shafner, died at Hillsburgh, Digby Co., on the 2nd April, 1881. Her prolonged illness was borne with Christian patience, and as her end drew near, she said, "He will not cast me off, He will receive me," "And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: yea saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours and their works do follow them."—Com. by Rev. J. A. McLean.

At New York, on the 6th Aug., 1880, of Fever and Ague, Herbert S. Rice, in the 31st year of his age; and at Bear River, on the 6th inst., of Consumption, Wm. H. Rice, aged 33 years, sons of Aaron and Anna Rice, of Bear River, Digby Co.

At Grand Joggin, Digby, on Thursday morning last, the 14th inst., Wm. Aymar, aged 71 years.

At Lawrencetown, Annapolis County, March 17th, in sure hope of a glorious immortality, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, relict of the late W. B. Smith, of Nictaux, in the 77th year of her age.

Of black jaundice at Walla Walla, Washington Territory, U. S., March 31st, 1881, Mrs. Lucilla Ellis, wife of Thomas Ellis, and daughter of Andrew and Ann Wallace of Subenacadie, Hants Co., N. S. She sleeps in Jesus.

Suddenly, at Carleton, Prince County, P. E. I., on the 5th, Nellie, beloved wife of W. W. Black, and daughter of the late Hon. T. Fulton, of Wallace, N. S.

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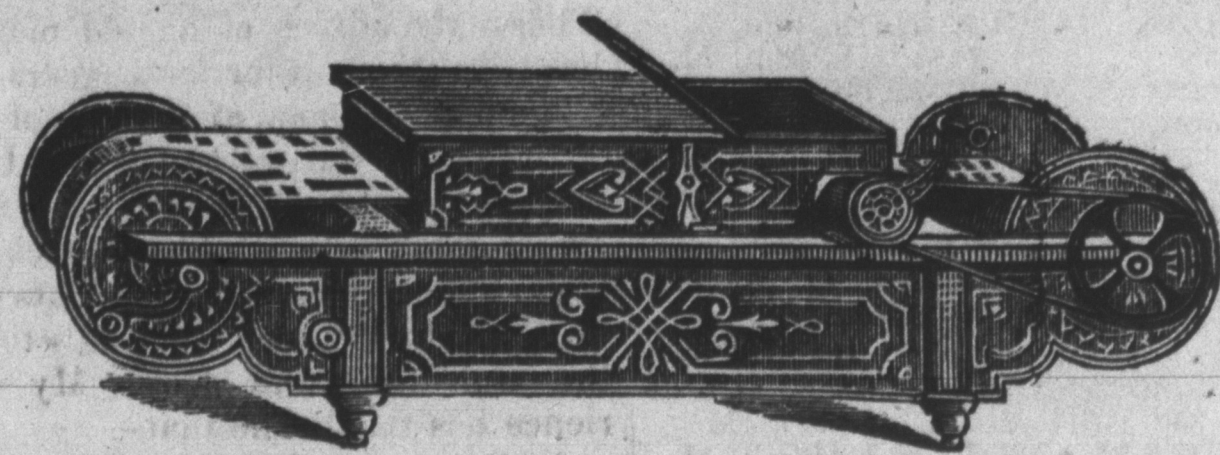
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W. M. SMITH, Deputy Minister for Marine, &c. Department of Marine, &c., Ottawa, 30th March, 1881.

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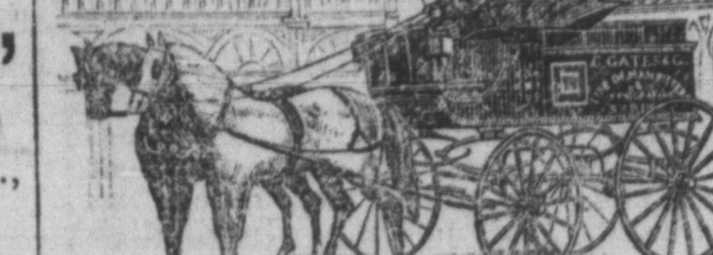
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