

Wants, Etc.

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WANTED for District, No. 7, Parish of All Saints, a 2nd Class Female Teacher...

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A SECOND or Third Class Female Teacher is wanted for the School in District No. 1, Lower Newcastle...

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WANTED for School in District No. 3, Allendale (Church Point) a SECOND CLASS FEMALE TEACHER...

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1st Class Teacher Wanted.

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Miramichi Advance.

CHATHAM, NOVEMBER 9, 1882.

Kings County Election.

The second election contest in Kings County, between Messrs. Donville and Foster, ended on Tuesday and, as was anticipated, Mr. Foster won. It was between two adherents of the dominant party in Dominion politics, the one acknowledging only Sir John A. Macdonald as his leader and the other being willing to bow down before Sir Leonard Tilley, Mr. Harry Tuck, the "Sun" Publishing Company and the St. John Tory political managers generally...

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while more was secured in the same way, subsequently. None of the squatters appear to have paid any attention to the Governor's proclamation. They assumed, to use their own words, that the land belonged to the public and that they—representing said public—had the best right to it. They did not heed even a personal warning to quit given by an agent of the Government and, now, when the Government proposes to repossess the land they declare they will only be ejected at the point of the bayonet or the muzzle of the rifle. Among the belligerent squatters we observe the names of several gentlemen of the Maritime Provinces, viz:—

Capt. Ritchie, of Annapolis, N. S., two or three years ago. A. F. McDonald, Barrow, Dickson, H. McDonald, John Alex. Ross, Geo. McPhillips, Thos. Ross, Robt. Doull, Ives Scott John, Hallam Woodward—all of Nova Scotia. Sec. 2.—Squatted on June 14th by Gilbert R. & Wm. Pugsley, of St. John, N. B. Sec. 4.—do. do. June 16th by D. A. Pugsley and John Armstrong of St. John, N. B. Sec. 12.—do. do. June 21st by Oliver T. Stone, of St. John, N. B.

The Marquette Review of 24th Oct. says—"These squatters, bona fide and otherwise, were not satisfied with a homestead of 160 acres. They were also attempting to hold a pre-emption of another 160 acres while newcomers were not even able to get a homestead. When it was found out that squatters could not legally hold a pre-emption until after the land office opened, the jumping process commenced. Men who, last week, thought they owned 320 acres, which they valued at sums ranging up to \$50,000, find out that they now only hold 160 acres worth only half that price. The Review also says that "a reign of terror" is said to exist among the squatters. It, however, stands up for those of them who are bona fide settlers but says it will not support the "professional squatters." All good New Brunswickers and Nova Scotians will, therefore, hope that there are no professional squatters among those whose names are mentioned above.

Hon. Peter Mitchell.

The Toronto World says:—"The Government will have this winter one very refractory follower, and he is Hon. Peter Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell and Sir Leonard are at logger-heads, and the former is determined to doggedly thwart the government. He will advocate the abolition of the duty on breadstuffs. As a free lance Mr. Mitchell would have a following. He declares to his friends in Montreal that he is bound to have a portfolio or burst the Government."

Commenting on the above, the St. John Globe says:—"The following which the Government has is so large that even if Mr. Mitchell should prove to be a refractory follower, his course will make little difference to the administration, unless, indeed, he can consolidate some of the discordant elements in the Government ranks into a third party. That he will advocate the abolition of the duty on breadstuffs is a doubtless true. But the statement that he is bound to have a portfolio or break the Government" does him great injustice. Mr. Mitchell, to our knowledge, has declared within a fortnight that he does not desire, and that he could not accept, a position in the Cabinet, situated as he is at the present time; that he could not afford to leave his present employment. Possibly, in view of complications also, he might have to change his mind, but so far as his utterances are concerned, they would have an important effect on the representative of Northumberland, and a supporter politically of Sir John A. Macdonald. His support, however, is an independent one and he was never in a better position to let it remain so than now. We are not at all in his confidence and cannot go beyond his public utterances in estimating the extent to which he is committed to the protection party, but it is to be sincerely hoped that he will never so absolutely forget the interests of the County and Province he represents as Sir Leonard Tilley seems to have done.

Land Troubles in Assinibois.

It appears that land speculators, as well as settlers, at and near the capital or our newly-established North-west Province are to experience some losses of territory and be obliged to give up lands from which they calculated to reap a golden harvest. Enterprising gentlemen from all parts of the country have flocked to the North-west, where, according to stories that have reached their friends at home, they have become landed proprietors and prospective millionaires. Some of them have been entrusted with money with which to purchase lands and, in many cases, large dividends have been returned on these advances without their being a suspicion that they were paid out of the remittances originally sent on investment account. Sharp operators in that region deceive the unwary by selling lands to which they have no title, thereby alleged claims thereto being based on squatters' and pre-emption rights which the Government now proposes to ignore. The consequence is that the land grabbers propose to make common cause together against Government and Syndicates, (of which latter there are now two—Pacific and Manchester)—declaring that they will not be driven off. It seems that Governor Dewdney issued a notice in June last, at Pile of Bones Creek, or Regina, the new capital, stating that all Government lands in that vicinity were reserved and would continue to be so until otherwise ordered. Previously, however, some of the lands included in this notice had been squatted upon.

that on which it based its next preceding falsehood in connection with Chatham. Such a paper deserves the contempt which the News so generally enjoys, not only here, but in almost every other part of the Province. BAD TREATMENT.—The City of Fredericton has been refused the use of the dredge New Dominion by the Public Works Department, on the ground that it was necessary for the machine to go into winter quarters about 25th Oct. Fredericton is about to introduce a much-needed water system—obtaining its supply from the river St. John, and the dredge was required for a few days to excavate for a pipe to be laid in the river-bed. The corporation offered to pay the full charges for the use of the dredge, but it seems that red tape and the fact that York is represented by a Liberal, led to our political capital being disobliterated and snubbed. The result will be great delay and additional expense in having the proposed work done. The course of the Department in the matter is very contemptible, although it will, no doubt, find defenders among those who are actuated in many of their political acts and utterances by the miserable party spirit which prompted it.

A "STATUTE" of Longfellow is what the St. John News says to be "enshrined in the Poets' Caser in Westminster Abbey." What a use for the words, "statute" and "enshrined"! UNIVERSITY PAPER.—THE UNIVERSITY MONTHLY, No. 3 of Vol. I. has reached us. It is a most excellent little journal of its class, the contents being interesting alike to the students and the general reader who possesses good taste. One of its "home" hits is as follows:—It is traditionally reported among the students that that curious little octagonal-shaped building near the South East corner of the University is, or at least was an Observatory. In order to get at the bottom of this mystery we proposed the following questions in the hope that some old graduate may be found who is able to answer:—Is it an Observatory? What is that curious tube-like thing that projects from the roof? Was any student ever inside the building? If so, how did he get there? Will money purchase an admission ticket? If so, how can we gain entrance to it? If that doesn't bring the Professor of Astronomy to terms he must be rather dull, or purposely exclusive. Somebody must know how to keep a "bean tumbler" in that region also, we find the following:—"Ace high" he said. It was a bluff, which he did not regret. And from his lips there fell a sigh which I shall not forget. The critical freshman also picketh up a typographical error and expositeth it as follows:—A late issue of a North Shore paper tells us of the "raunch office" of a sewing machine company. It is there the festive called passeth through the needle's eye? Picking up the "thread" of the above zoological criticism it may not be out of place to suggest that after the "note by the author" on page 9 the omission of one letter in an advertisement ought to have been magnanimously ignored. Typographically, the Monthly presents a fairly creditable appearance. The type of the motto, however, ought to be changed to Roman; the paper used is too heavy—two thirds of the weight of a finer surface would have an improvement in the finished copy. As a place called "Evil on a Sunday" recently "Gent" troops fought of the police, and succeeded in giving the guardians of the peace the worst of it. The newspaper report states that one Salvationist "cut upon a youth's head."

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The following appears in the *London Daily News*, under date October 19th.—"May I ask the favor of you inquiring the following incident, in refutation of the false charges of cruelty which I regret to see have been published, and thus doing the British soldier that justice for humanity which throughout the late Egyptian war has been so justly his due. I quote the following paragraph from a letter received from my son, dated Masanass, Sept. 2:—"Last Sunday, August 27, after a skirmish a wounded Arab shouted to me. I rode up to him and dismounted. He asked me, or made me to understand, he wanted water. I at once went to the canal, took off my helmet and filled it with water, and was returning to him with a supply, when I saw him sit up deliberately fire at me, and passing through my horse's right ear, I was that and with pain, and so incensed by this act of treachery, that I rode up to him and pierced him through."—"I remain, sir, yours, &c., THE FATHER OF ONE WHO FOUGHT IN THE FOUR BATTLES."

Fifty years ago Tuesday last week Benjamin Bosworth Smith, the oldest living Bishop in the world, was consecrated in St. Paul's Chapel, at Broadway and Vesey at New York. On Tuesday morning the semi-centennial anniversary of the consecration was celebrated. At eleven o'clock Bishop Smith left the vestry and walked tottering into the sanctuary. He was accompanied by Bishop Howe and Rev. Dr. Montgomery, the grandson of Bishop White, who performed the consecration ceremony half a century ago. He was specially appointed as chaplain to the Bishop by the anniversary committee. Behind the Bishop walked Bishop Potter of New York, Bishop Clark, of Rhode Island, Bishops Gallagher and Dudley, and the Rev. Drs. Morgan Dix, Henry C. Parker, James Mellichampe and Wilbur F. Watkins. At the conclusion of the very interesting ceremonies the aged prelate thanked the Bishops and other clergy and friends present, invited his clerical brethren to visit him at his private residence during the week and pronounced the benediction. An Ottawa despatch of Friday last says a tremendous conflagration took place at Hull, opposite the city, the night before, which destroyed E. B. Eddy's saw mill factories, engine works, saw, blind and door factories, nail and woodware factories, and a part of his great match factory. Capt. Albert, of the Union Fire Company, fell from a window and was carried home seriously injured. Over two hundred poor families would be left without means of support. It was the greatest disaster that had ever befallen Hull. The estimated total losses by the fire are—E. B. Eddy, \$222,000; C. B. Wright, \$35,000; McCormick & Co., \$9,000; sundry, \$10,000—Total \$276,000. Mr. Eddy was insured for \$165,000, divided among 15 companies; Wright was insured for \$4,000 in the Western and McCormick for \$3,000 in the London & Lancashire. By the burning of Eddy's variety establishments over 1000 persons are temporarily thrown out of employment. The work of rebuilding has already been commenced and it is expected that the factories will be in partial operation again in a few weeks.

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In Canada, however, the sender cannot recover possession of a letter from the local postmaster after he has mailed it, unless under most special circumstances. Mr. Gladstone's announcement regarding the introduction of a bill amending the law of contempt, is regarded as a severe reproof to Judge Lawson in the E. Dwyer Gray case. An interesting rivalry exists between Sir Hector Langevin, Sir Leonard Tilley, and Sir Charles Tupper upon the question of priority in the House during the next session of Parliament. Russia, pursuing her policy of aggrandizement in Central Asia, is now preparing to subjugate the Saryk Turcomans. A cavalry force has already advanced one hundred miles south of Merv. A remarkable sale of Montana graded steers has been made in Chicago by D. A. G. Flower, of Helena, who received \$57,900 for 700 head of four and five year olds, averaging 1,448 pounds each. Mr. S. S. Laurie, professor of education in the University of Edinburgh, looks with scorn upon "the detailed analysis of sentences and the dreary pedantry of school grammars of our native tongue."

A gentleman writing to the *St. James Gazette* from a certain American infirmary asylum finds that a very large proportion of the inmates received for treatment for chloric eating are themselves medical men. Mr. Edmonds, a Montreal commercial traveller, sees the town of Woodstock, N. B., to recover five thousand dollars damages for having exacted a fine from him for pursuing his business without a local license. At Fredericton the Lees were acquitted of the charge of attempting to shoot Magistrate Marsh, but sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary for shooting at Sgt. Vandine when he and other officers were attempting to arrest them. An organization of Irish-Americans has issued a circular declaring a war of extermination against England, and asking assistance in the work, and the wording of the circular is such as to convey the impression that its originators think their call is both original and patriotic. Mr. Reclus, a well known French gentleman, has created a painful impression among his friends in England by giving his daughter in marriage, dispensing with any ceremony whatever, either civil or religious. He desires to restore marriage to its primal simplicity. The evangelist Edwin H. Ellis, who deserted his wife and family to follow a married woman of Thomaston, Me., to St. John, has been fined \$400 with two years imprisonment in default of payment, on the charge of adultery. The Chatham apostate for Baker Pacha will probably regret this.

A Quebec Judge has decided that the rule of *Trade Union* forbidding their members to work with non-Unionists is illegal, and has given a judgment in favor of a non-Union man, who sued the Ship Laborers' Benevolent Society for damages for enforcing his dismissal upon a ship master. A young fellow in England has been held for trial for attempting to extort £10 from the Prince of Wales, by means of a threatening letter in which he said that money was not sent he would "camp on the Prince of Wales' trail, and, by all the Gods, serve him worse than Lord Frederick Cavendish was served."

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the citizens who desired to register. Complaint was made to the Commissioner and two police officers were sent to the place and took the drunken officers into custody, after bursting in the door. A new board of officers was elected by the citizens, and several voters who had been clamoring for admission had their names registered. The prisoners were charged with obstructing the registry and were paroled. Trouble arose the other day between Professor Brydges and the senior class of the New Brunswick University, Fredericton. The class took offence at the Professor's bearing and tone toward some of them and broke out in rebellion against him. The matter had reached a critical stage for the institution, one side or the other having either to recede from the position taken or leave the institution, when, happily, serious steps were averted by the students expressing regret for the course they had taken. The Local Government of Nova Scotia on Thursday, 2nd inst., made a demand on the Halifax and Cape Breton Railway Company to hand over their road to the Government under an act of the Legislature empowering the Government to take the line by the 4th of November, the company to be paid the amount expended by them, the same to be settled by arbitration. The line runs from New Glasgow to Canada. The company have claimed upward of \$1,200,000 for their outlay. The Government object to this, and the arbitrators will have to decide. It is a little amusing to find the Tory press claiming credit for the Ottawa Government for having reinstated the dismissed members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. If the men had done so wrong, why were they dismissed? The Government, it was told, paid the expenses of some of the men who had gone abroad and were recalled. If the Government were to dismiss the entire civil service, send the people to the States and then pay their way back, no doubt the Tory press would regard the act as one of the wisest statesmanship. The Governor-General has disallowed the following Acts of the Manitoba Legislature: an act to incorporate the Manitoba Tramway Company; an act to incorporate the Emerson and Northwestern Railway Company; and an act to encourage the building of railways. The disallowance is based on the terms of the contract with the Pacific Railway Syndicate, which provides that for twenty years no railway shall be authorized by the Dominion Government to be constructed south of the Canadian Pacific Railway, nor within fifteen miles of the United States boundary. The Stipendiary Magistrate of Charlottetown last week fined a prisoner \$20 for interfering with the police, and intimated that the next fine for the slightest interference with the police in the performance of their duty would be \$50. He also informed the bar-drinking portion of the community that from this time forward the lowest fine for drunkenness would be \$8. He said he found that the leniency of the punishment for this offence was rather injurious than otherwise, as the smaller the fine the oftener the culprit came before him. He would try a larger fine for some time and see what effect it would have. An I. C. R. employe in Truro has a very simple contrivance for the prevention of accidents to railway employes by getting a boot caught in a frog. It is simply a curved bar of spring steel fastened into the frog, throat or "boot-jack" portion of the frog, leaving the rail and sufficiently stiff to bear the weight of a man, but which will bend downwards under the flange of a car wheel, and resume its original position when the wheel passes over. The attachment can be fixed into any of the frogs now in use. The inventor is Mr. Barpee Starratt, and he and Mr. F. G. Smith are taking out patents for the United States and Dominion. A law of Virginia passed in the year 1662 reads as follows:—"Whereas many babbling Women slander and scandalize their Neighbors, for which their poor Husbands are often involved in chargeable and vexatious Suits and cast in great Damages; Be it enacted, That in Actions of Slander occasioned by the Wife, after Judgment passed for the Damages, the Woman shall be punished by Ducking; and if the Slander be so enormous as to be adjudged at greater Damages than Five Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, then the Woman to suffer a Ducking for each Five Hundred Pounds of Tobacco adjudged against her husband; if he refuse to pay the Tobacco."—Notes and Queries.

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Irish troubles have their romantic side. Two years ago Miss Ellard, the owner of a fine estate at Newswell, Oula, was fired at, but she and her coachman fortunately escaped the bullet of the assassin. Shortly afterwards police protection was afforded Miss Ellard, two sub-constables being drawn from the New Pallas station and appointed to that duty. The guards appear to have acquitted themselves to her entire satisfaction, and one of them, Sub-Constable Sheehy, a brave and patriotic fellow, proved himself so highly respected that he resolved to render his protection a permanent duty. Sub-Constable Sheehy is now the husband of a beautiful wife and a landed proprietor, with an income, it is stated, of £10,000 a year. Lord Carnarvon, in an unguarded moment recently declared that "three-fourths of the literary power of the country and four-fifths of the intellectual ability" were on the Conservative side in politics. To test this statement "A Literary Man" sends to the *London Times* a list of men of literary power or intellectual ability who (following for occasional dislike of particular measures) are Liberal or Conservative in the broad, general sense of the term, who, at all events, are not on the Conservative side. He has set them down as they occurred, avoiding all attempt at classification: Fronde, Kingleke, Lecky, Freeman, Herbert Spencer, Trollope, Browning, Matthew Arnold, Oliphant, Leslie Stephen, Trevelyan, Hayward, Jovett, Reeve, Hughes, Rawlinson Lawford, Ferguson, Spottiswoode, Lubbock, Owen, Tyndall, Huxley, Grove, Henry Smith, Goldwin Smith, Galvin Duffy, Grant Duff, Cartwright, Bain, Tallich, Torrens, F. Harrison, Harcourt, Beadell, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, Lowe, Lord (Sherbrooke), Lord Dufferin, Lord Houghton, the Duke of Argyll, Gladstone. If required he can add largely to this number, but desires first to hear the Conservative list on which the statement was made. But your friend's story never takes the trouble to go beyond asserting a thing, because his friends in the "party" never look for proofs. When a "live lord" says a thing, all the common tones are sworn to act as if they believed it.

The following appears in the *London Daily News*, under date October 19th.—"May I ask the favor of you inquiring the following incident, in refutation of the false charges of cruelty which I regret to see have been published, and thus doing the British soldier that justice for humanity which throughout the late Egyptian war has been so justly his due. I quote the following paragraph from a letter received from my son, dated Masanass, Sept. 2:—"Last Sunday, August 27, after a skirmish a wounded Arab shouted to me. I rode up to him and dismounted. He asked me, or made me to understand, he wanted water. I at once went to the canal, took off my helmet and filled it with water, and was returning to him with a supply, when I saw him sit up deliberately fire at me, and passing through my horse's right ear, I was that and with pain, and so incensed by this act of treachery, that I rode up to him and pierced him through."—"I remain, sir, yours, &c., THE FATHER OF ONE WHO FOUGHT IN THE FOUR BATTLES."

Fifty years ago Tuesday last week Benjamin Bosworth Smith, the oldest living Bishop in the world, was consecrated in St. Paul's Chapel, at Broadway and Vesey at New York. On Tuesday morning the semi-centennial anniversary of the consecration was celebrated. At eleven o'clock Bishop Smith left the vestry and walked tottering into the sanctuary. He was accompanied by Bishop Howe and Rev. Dr. Montgomery, the grandson of Bishop White, who performed the consecration ceremony half a century ago. He was specially appointed as chaplain to the Bishop by the anniversary committee. Behind the Bishop walked Bishop Potter of New York, Bishop Clark, of Rhode Island, Bishops Gallagher and Dudley, and the Rev. Drs. Morgan Dix, Henry C. Parker, James Mellichampe and Wilbur F. Watkins. At the conclusion of the very interesting ceremonies the aged prelate thanked the Bishops and other clergy and friends present, invited his clerical brethren to visit him at his private residence during the week and pronounced the benediction. An Ottawa despatch of Friday last says a tremendous conflagration took place at Hull, opposite the city, the night before, which destroyed E. B. Eddy's saw mill factories, engine works, saw, blind and door factories, nail and woodware factories, and a part of his great match factory. Capt. Albert, of the Union Fire Company, fell from a window and was carried home seriously injured. Over two hundred poor families would be left without means of