

Submission. A woman bends over the suffering form, Of her little children three; And through tears she cannot hide, "My last loved one I lay," says she, "Whether they go or whether they stay, The dear Lord knoweth best always."

Clay and the Peer. It was related of the great American statesman, Henry Clay, that once upon a time a British Peer paid him a visit at Ashland, his beautiful residence in Kentucky. One morning Mr. Clay asked his guest to accompany him over part of his domain, when they happened to stumble upon a large number of trunks within the forest. Mr. Clay, to the surprise of his noble friend, placed in these some handfuls of grain and salt, and producing a loud, shrill note from a whistle which he carried in his pocket, "a multitude of hogs suddenly appeared as if they were familiar with a well-known sound." Mr. Clay thereupon observed:—"Do you see that swinish multitude? They remind one somewhat of the hungry office-seekers that surround our Chief Magistrate after a Presidential election."

Clever Men. A writer in Truth maintains that there is not a really clever man among all the crowned heads of Europe, or their families. The King of Spain, he declares, has stopped all his intellectual growth since he became King. The Austrian Arch-Dukes have elegant tastes, but no ability. The King of Italy has nothing beyond occasional spurts of fine feeling; and in the royal houses of Saxony, Sweden, Holland, Belgium, and Bavaria there is nothing above a second-rate dilettante. The brother of the Empress of Austria, who is an oculist, is no exception, for though he has astonishing dexterity and firmness of hand, and a good memory, he is only a snarker after pathological curiosities, and is completely at sea on a new case. The rest of the family, like the Empress herself, grew up amid horses and dogs, and she learned to speak English from her stableman. The same is true of the nobility. The hats used in the Faubourg St. Germain the smaller in circumference than those of the Quartier Latin.

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TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE WEST			TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE WEST.			
STATIONS.	No. 1.	No. 3.	STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	
Charlottetown	A. M. 7.15	P. M. 2.15	Charlottetown	P. M. 4.45	A. M. 10.15	
Royalty Junction	7.38	2.38	Royalty Junction	4.22	9.52	
North Wilshire	8.30	3.30	North Wilshire	3.50	9.00	
Hunter River	8.45	3.45	Hunter River	2.15	8.45	
Bradshaw	9.23	4.23	Bradshaw	2.40	8.08	
County Line	9.32	4.32	County Line	2.30	7.58	
Freetown	9.48	4.47	Freetown	2.13	7.43	
Kensington	10.10	5.10	Kensington	1.50	7.20	
Summerside	10.45	5.45	Summerside	dp	1.15	6.45
Misconche	1.00		Misconche	dp	11.10	
Wellington	1.50		Wellington		10.47	
Port Hill	2.35		Port Hill		10.20	
Bonfield	3.25		Bonfield		9.35	
O'Leary	4.20		O'Leary		8.15	
Bonfield	5.00		Bonfield		7.40	
Alberton	6.00		Alberton		7.10	
Tignish	6.00		Tignish		6.10	

TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE EAST. TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 5.	No. 7.	STATIONS.	No. 6.	No. 8.
Charlottetown	P. M. 2.30	A. M. 10.30	Charlottetown	A. M. 10.30	P. M. 2.30
Royalty Junction	2.58	10.57	Royalty Junction	10.07	2.07
Bedford	3.30	11.30	Bedford	9.30	1.30
Mount Stewart	4.10	12.10	Mount Stewart	dp	8.55
Carleton Place	5.30		Carleton Place	dp	7.25
Georgetown	5.55		Georgetown	dp	7.00
Mount Stewart	P. M. 4.10	A. M. 8.55	Mount Stewart	dp	A. M. 8.55
Morell	4.50	8.10	Morell		8.10
St. Peter's	5.21	7.39	St. Peter's		7.39
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