

Anecdotes of Queen Victoria.

The Queen was not 20 years of age when she ascended the throne. Coming into possession of power with a heart fresh, tender and pure, and with all her instincts inclined to mercy, we may be sure that she found many things that tried her strength of resolution to the utmost. On a bright, beautiful morning, the young Queen was waited upon at her palace, at Windsor, by the Duke of Wellington, who had brought from London various papers requiring her signature to render them operative. One of them was a sentence of court martial, pronounced against a soldier of the line—that sentence that he be shot dead. The Queen looked upon the paper, and then looked upon the wondrous beauties that nature had spread to her view. "What has this man done?" she asked. The Duke looked at the paper and replied, "Ah, my royal mistress, that man, I fear is incorrigible. He has deserted three times." "And can you not say anything in his behalf, my lord?" Wellington shook his head. "Oh! think again, I pray you!" Seeing that Her Majesty was deeply moved, and feeling sure that she would not have the man shot in any event, he finally confessed that the man was brave and gallant, and really a good soldier. "But," he added, "think of the influence." "Influence!" the Queen cried, her eyes flashing and her bosom heaving with strong emotion. "Let it be ours to wield influence. I will try mercy in this man's case, and I charge you, your grace, to let me know the result. A good soldier, you said. Oh! I thank you for that! And you may tell him that your good word saved him." Then she took the paper, and wrote, with a bold firm hand, across the dark page the bright, saving word—"pardoned!" The Duke was fond of telling the story; and he was willing also to confess that the giving of that paper to the pardoned soldier gave him far more joy than he could have experienced from the taking of a city.—*London Journal.*

Hints For Young Ladies.

Observe the following rules:—In the morning use pure water as a preparatory ablution; after which they must abstain from all sudden gusts of passion, particularly envy, as that gives the skin a sallow paleness. It may seem trifling to speak of temperance, yet this must be attended to, both in eating and drinking if they would avoid pimples. Instead of rouge let them use moderate exercise, which will raise a natural bloom on their cheek, faintly blue by art. Ingenious candor and unaffected good humor, will give openness to their countenance that will make them universally agreeable. A desire of pleasing will add fire to their eyes, and breathing the air of sunrise will give their lips a vermilion hue. The amiable vivacity which they now possess may be highly heightened and preserved, if they would avoid late hours and card playing. The second is the mother of wrinkles, and the third is a fruitful source of weak eyes and a sallow complexion. A white hand is a very desirable ornament, and a hand can never be white unless it be kept clean; nor is this all, for if a young lady excels her companions in this respect, she must keep her hands in constant motion, which will occasion the blood to circulate freely and have a wonderful effect. The motion recommended is working at her needle, brushing up the house and making herself as useful as possible in the performance of all domestic duties.

The Largest Stock-Raising Farm in the World.

The largest stock-raising farm in the world has just been formed in Colorado, by the amalgamation of the Hermosilla and Huerfano ranches, near Pueblo. The farms together contain nearly 100,000 acres—more than 156 square miles—and have some 10,000 or 15,000 head of cattle on them, mostly Shorthorn grades raised from Texas cattle and pure-bred males. The cattle live out in the open all winter and get their own living, the only expense being the pay and keep of the herders. A steer can be turned out fat at four years old at a total cost of \$4. Heretofore one of the farms has belonged to Barnum, the showman, and a partner. The partner, Mr. Sherwood, has now bought out Barnum, and has formed a company, in which Eastman, the cattle exporter of New York, and W. H. Vanderbilt, have the controlling interests. The new company is going to farm part of the ranches in order that the steers may be finished off with corn as well as grass. A valuable feature of the property is that it runs for thirty or forty miles on each side of Huerfano River. Back of the farms is 500,000 acres of Government land, of no good to anybody else but the owners of the river range, and this immense tract is therefore just as much the Company's own as if they had paid for it. The price paid for the Hermosilla ranch is said to have been \$320,000. What the Huerfano ranch—Barnum's—brought is not made public.

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To be sold by Public Auction, at the Court House in Georgetown, in King's County, in Prince Edward Island, on Friday, the 23rd day of May next, A. D. 1879, at Twelve o'clock, noon, by virtue of a Power of Sale in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the twenty-fifth day of March, 1878, made between Angus A. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, of the one part, and Neil McLeod, of the other part,—

ALL that tract of land situate on Lot or Township Number Fifty-four, in King's County, in the said Island, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake set in the south side of a road leading from Cardigan Ferry to the eastern boundary of a tract of land in possession of John and Donald Steele, and running thence south along said boundary to the rear line of farms fronting on said Cardigan River; thence eastwardly on said rear line a distance sufficient to include sixty-five acres or one-half of the rear land; thence north to said road; thence along the same south-westwardly to the place of beginning, containing sixty-five acres of land, a little more or less.

Also, all that other tract of land situate on Lot Fifty-four aforesaid, commencing on the northern shore of Cardigan River at the western boundary of land in the occupation of Roderrick Steele, and on the eastern boundary by land in the occupation of Allan Campbell, having a front of five and one-half chains and extending north by parallel lines so as to contain fifty acres of land, a little more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

For further particulars, apply at the office of Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated 22nd of April, 1879. (Signed) NEIL McLEOD, Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

To be Sold at Public Auction at the COURT HOUSE, in Charlottetown, in QUEEN'S COUNTY, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of May, 1879, at TWELVE o'clock, noon, by virtue of a Power of Sale, in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 6th day of February, 1877, made between Daniel Nicholson, of the one part, and Hannah Sarah Holroyd, of the other part:—

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate on Lot Fifty-nine, King's County, bounded as follows, that is to say: commencing on the division line between Townships number fifty-one and fifty-nine, at the northwest angle of land in the possession of Samuel Nicholson, thence south eighty chains, thence west six chains and twenty five links, thence north to the aforesaid division line, thence along the line to the place of commencement, containing an area of fifty acres of land, a little more or less. Together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and appurtenances to the same belonging.

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HANNAH S. HOLROYD, Mortgagee. Ch'town, April 25, 1879. oaw

Prince Edward Island.

IN CHANCERY.

HENRY JONES CUNDALL, Administrator cum Testamento annexo of the last Will and Testament of John Hodges Winsloe, deceased, John Hodges Winsloe, Alfred Winsloe, Alice Hyndman, formerly Alice Winsloe, and Albert Hyndman, her husband; Amy Winsloe, by Henry Jones Cundall, her guardian; Isabel Winsloe, by Henry Jones Cundall, her guardian; and Arthur Winsloe, by Henry Jones Cundall, his guardian; Ann Smith, Edward Jarvis Hodgson, and Robert Robinson Hodgson, Trustees, under the marriage settlement of the said Ann Smith and Amelia Evans, and Sydney Tudor Evans, her husband, complainants,

—AND—

CHARLES GREEN, Defendant. IN pursuance of a decree made in this suit by His Honor the Master of the Riots, bearing date the sixth day of February, A. D. 1879, there will be sold by Public Auction, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of May next ensuing, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, in the Supreme Court House, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, all that tract, piece, or parcel of land situate and being in Lot or Township Number Twenty-four, in Queen's County, in the said Island, bounded as follows, that is to say:—By a line commencing at a stake fixed in the southwest side of the New Glasgow Road, in the north angle of land now or lately in the occupation of Donald McDonald, and running thence by the magnetic meridian of the year 1764 south, fifty-eight degrees west, one hundred chains; thence northwesterly parallel with the New Glasgow Road aforesaid ten chains; thence north fifty-eight degrees east to the said Road; and thence along the same southeasterly to the place of commencement, containing one hundred acres of land, a little more or less, together with all the rights, easements, and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Dated this tenth day of February, 1879! J. LONGWORTH, Master in Chancery.

E. J. HODGSON, Solicitor for Complainants. Fe, 1879. 3m-1aw

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