

**OVER NIAGARA FALLS.**

*A Noted River Pirate Takes the Fearful Ride—Terrible Scene from the Shore—Fearful Struggles of the Doomed Man for Life.—Torn to pieces on the Rocks.—An habitual Row taken once too often.*

A terrible tragedy was enacted at Niagara Falls last week, in the presence of about five hundred people, when "Pi" Walker, a noted smuggler and river pirate, went over the falls before their horrified gaze. The Erie Railroad had gotten up a special Sunday excursion from Buffalo, which was patronized by a large number of people and Goat Island, Prospect Park and the shore near the Cataract House was covered with sightseers. Suddenly some one on the shore opposite the upper end of Goat Island, raised the awful cry of warning, "A man in the rapids!" and as the people flocked to the edge of the water they saw a small boat, with a single occupant, slowly being sucked into the white water.

**FUTILE STRUGGLE FOR LIFE.**

The man was rowing for all he was worth, but seemed to be dazed either with fear or intoxication and he was unable to make headway. Suddenly the oarsman "caught a crab," his oar flew out of the rowlocks, his head went down and he lay at length in the bottom of the boat. The boat then turned her prow down stream and began to descend the rapids of the American falls, its pace growing more and more swift until finally it struck a rock about two inches from the surface, and stopped, and began to twist and turn in the eddying current.

**A TEMPORARY SUSPENSE.**

The crowd screamed to the man to jump out and cling to the rock, and the wildest excitement was manifested on the shore. But he still lay in the bottom of the boat and made no attempt to do so. A dozen schemes of rescue rushed through the mind of the spectators, and two old guides had already started on a run up the stream to procure rope and another boat, when the boat swung round and once more felt the force of the current, and now began its mad plunge to destruction.

**ON TO DESTRUCTION.**

The surging water caught the light skiff in the clutches as though it was a feather and bore it downward like a salmon, bow forward on a mad dizzy pace. But only for a few rods; then a second rock obscured the way, and parted in twain, the port side going all to pieces, while the starboard was not badly damaged. The body of the man was flung headlong into the eddying maelstrom, sucked under for a moment, and then tossed to the surface just above the bridge which leads to Goat Island. He threw his arms wildly into the air, and those who were on the bridge saw for an instant a white and haggard face set in the agony of despair; then he was again drawn below the surface never to reappear on this side of eternity. Those who saw this sickening spectacle will never forget his especially horrible feature.

**GROUND TO PIECES.**

There was something absolutely sublime in the relentless grasp of the hurrying waters. They fairly seemed to rend the man limb from limb, and old guides who witnessed the catastrophe saw that the body never will be found in a whole condition, that it was literally ground to pieces against the jagged edges of boulders against which it was tossed.

As soon as the tragedy was completed and bent-up feelings of spectators had found relief into exclamation, the question arose "Who was the victim?" All doubt on this score was removed soon afterward, when a man came rushing down from the village of Port Day and asked after the drowned man, saying that he had left there shortly before in his skiff in quite an intoxicated condition, and he had been seen going so close to the rapids that it was feared he had gone over the rapids.

"Pi" has been on bad spree to-day," said the man. "He went over to one of the small islands near Port Day with a friend and a keg of beer between them, which, I guess, is not very full now; then he came back to Port Day and then started down the river, it is thought, to row to Goat Island. He was very drunk when he left, and could hardly manage the boat."

The force of example.—(This is the second time that Madge has pricked her finger—the first time it bled so much that mamma felt quite faint and had to drink a glass of sherry; now it's Jack's turn.) Mamma—"Well, what's the matter with you, Jack?" Jack—"Oh! I feel rather faint, that's all. Is there such a thing as a bun in the house."

The vanity of human nature is like a river, constantly passing away, and yet constantly coming on.

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April 12—2m eod

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Ch'town, May 17, 1879—3aw tf

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Ch'town, May 12, 1879—2aw 6w

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**ROBERT YOUNG,** South Side Queen Square, Sole Agent for P. E. Island.

Ch'town, March 18, 1878—2aw tf

**MORTGAGE SALE.**

To be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House in Summerside, Prince County, Prince Edward Island, on Tuesday, the Fifth day of August next, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, under and pursuant to a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the first day of September, A. D. 1871, made between James Ludlow Holman, late of Summerside, in Prince County, Prince Edward Island, Merchant, and Ada L. Holman, his wife, of the one part, and Edward Jarvis Hodgson, of Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in said Island, Esquire, of the other part, which said mortgage was assigned to Jessie Cambridge and Charlotte Cambridge by indenture dated the second day of September, A. D. 1871, made between the said Edward Jarvis Hodgson, of the one part, and Jessie Cambridge and Charlotte Cambridge, of the other part.

All that tract, piece and parcel of land situate, lying and being in Summerside, in Prince County, in said Island, bounded and described as follows: On the South by a street being the first street north of Water Street; on the East by a street; on the North by a street, and on the West by a piece of land used as a street, being that portion of the estate of the late George Green, deceased, willed to his daughter, Sarah Green, wife of Wm. Theodore Darby containing one acre of land, a little more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances to the same belonging.

For further particulars apply to the office of Messrs. HODGSON & McLEOD, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated this Third day of May, A. D. 1879.

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**TO THE SICK.**

**DR. D. MACRAE,**

FORMERLY SURGEON and PHYSICIAN in the United States Army, late of St. Louis, Mo., respectfully announces to the citizens of Charlottetown and Prince Edward Island that he will be at the "Rocklin House," in Charlottetown, every TUESDAY and FRIDAY throughout the year, where those who are suffering with any form of disease can call and receive medical advice and treatment; especially persons suffering from diseases and deformities of the eyes, deafness and ulcerations of the ears, catarrh, asthma, consumption, diseases of the heart, liver, stomach, kidneys, rheumatism, paralysis, scrofula, malignant ulcerations, tumors, piles, fistula; cancer cured without the use of the knife. Particular attention given to diseases peculiar to females. All forms of fevers, diphtheria and other malignant diseases successfully treated and cured by him.

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**W. TINDALL,** Methodist Minister.

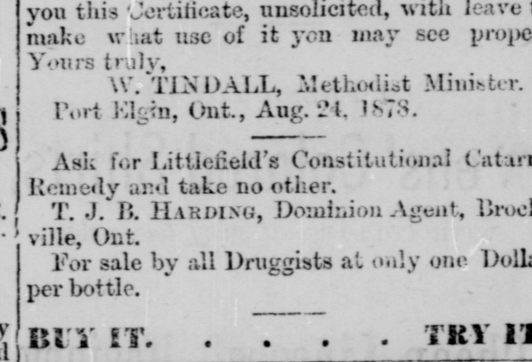
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January 24, 1879.

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April 1, 1879—3m

**JOHN NEWSON'S.**

**Prince Edward Island RAILWAY.**

TIME TABLE NO. 12.

**Summer Arrangement.**

ON AND AFTER

**TUESDAY, MAY 27th, 1879.**

**TRAINS GOING WEST.**

STATIONS.	Nos. 1 & 3, Express.	No. 5, Mixed.	No. 7, Mixed.
Georgetown	Dp. 7.10am	Dp. 3.45pm	
Cardigan	Ar. 7.30 " " 4.14 "		
Mt Stwt Jc	Dp. 8.40 " " 6.00 "		
Royalty Jc	Ar. 9.35 " " 7.18 "		
Ch'town	Dp. 6.20am	Dp. 10.05am	Dp. 5.25pm
Royalty Jc	Ar. 6.37 " " 10.25 "		
NWiltsh're	Ar. 7.13 " " 11.25 "		
Hunter R'r	Ar. 7.25 " " 11.40 am		
Breadal'n	Ar. 7.53 " " 12.23pm		
C'ty Line	Ar. 8.00 " " 12.34 "		
Kensigt'n	Ar. 8.28 " " 1.16 "		
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.55 " " 1.50 "	Ar. 1.50 "	Ar. 9.00 "
Wellingt'n	Ar. 9.10 " " 2.25 "		
Port Hill	Ar. 9.48 " " 3.20 "		
O'Leary	Ar. 10.20 " " 4.07 "		
Alberton	Ar. 11.17 " " 5.31 "		
Tignish	Ar. 12.00pm " 6.40 "		
	Ar. 12.40 "	Ar. 7.40pm	

**TRAINS GOING EAST.**

STATIONS.	Nos. 2 & 4, Express.	No. 6, Mixed.	No. 8, Mixed.
Tignish	Dp. 5.15 am	Dp. 6.20 am	
Alberton	Ar. 5.55 " " 7.15 "		
O'Leary	Ar. 6.41 " " 8.54 "		
Port Hill	Ar. 7.38 " " 10.20 "		
Wellington	Ar. 8.09 " " 11.08 "		
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.45 " " 12.05pm		
Kensigt'n	Ar. 5.30pm " 12.40 "		
C'ty Line	Ar. 5.52 " " 1.16 "		
Breadal'n	Ar. 6.24 " " 1.55 "		
Hunter R'r	Ar. 6.31 " " 2.05 "		
NWiltsh're	Ar. 6.57 " " 2.44 "		
Royalty Jc	Ar. 7.12 " " 3.01 "		
Ch'town	Ar. 7.49 " " 3.50 "		
Royalty Jc	Ar. 8.05 " " 4.15 "		
Ch'town	Dp. 4.30pm	Dp. 6.50 am	Ar. 12.40 "
Royalty Jc	Ar. 4.49 " " 7.13 "		
M. Stwt Jc	Ar. 5.45 " " 8.30 "		
Cardigan	Dp. 6.00 " " 8.50 "		
Geotown	Ar. 7.03 " " 10.16 "		
	Ar. 7.25 "	Ar. 10.45 "	

**SOURIS BRANCH.**

**Trains Going West.**

STATIONS.	No. 9 Express	No. 11 Mixed.
Souris	Dp. 6.15 a. m.	Dp. 2.50 p. m.
Harmony	Ar. 6.27 " " 3.13 "	
St. Peter's	Ar. 7.30 " " 4.29 "	
Morell	Ar. 7.53 " " 5.00 "	
Mt. S'tw't Jnc.	Ar. 8.25 " " 5.40 p. m.	

**Trains Going East.**

STATIONS.	No. 10 Express	No. 12, Mixed
Mt. S'tw't Junc.	Dp. 5.55 p. m.	Dp. 8.45 a. m.
Morell	Ar. 6.27 " " 9.25 "	
St. Peter's	Ar. 7.30 " " 10.56 "	
Harmony	Ar. 7.47 " " 11.12 "	
Souris	Ar. 8.05 " " 11.35 "	