NED ALVORD'S TRIAL.

'Well, I'll give you a trial, Ned. Come back to-morrow, and we'll see what you are good for.'

'Thank you, Mr. Erless. I'll do my very best to please you;' and touching his hat, Ned Alvord walked off with a quick, light step.

A youth about eighteen, very seedy as to clothes, but with a resolute mouth and frank, gray eyes, which somehow conveyed to you the idea of strong will, and cheerful energy; such was Ned Alvord.

'Is it possible, Erless, that you are going to take Jim Alvord's son into your store?' said a friend, who was standing near.

'And why not?' said the merchant, pleasantly. 'Every one dings in my ear that the boy's father was a drunken vagabond, whom death only saved from the penitentiary, and that the eldest brother would be there now if he had his deserts, The fact is, the lad has a feeble mother, and she has two small children beside him to support, and I don't see why, because of the rascality of two members of the family, the others should be left to starve.'

'I don't mean that,' said Mr. Prescott, 'but it seems to me you run a risk in taking the boy into your store. I believe that evil tendencies are transmitted from father to son, and will develop under temptation. This boy has had the same surroundings, the same training, as his brothers, and why should he be different?'

'He is different, at all events,' said Mr. Erless. 'I've watched him and I believe he has the making of an honest, capable man in him. His mother is a good woman, though weak. Ned is head, hands and everything else to her. I shall try him.'

Mr. Prescott shrugged his shoulders, and walked off, thinking, most likely, that his friend Erless was very foolish. He was not a hard-hearted man, nor had he any personal ill will against the boy, but he was one of those who think that children are very apt to inherit the good or evil qualities of their parents.

Ned hurried home with a light heart.

'At last, I've got a place, mother, and who do you think it's with?' he cried. 'Mr. Erless who keeps the largest store in Covington. I'm to begin at the bottom of the ladder as errand-boy. But I'll work up, see if I don't. Isn't it a streak of good luck for us, mother?'

Mrs. Alvord was a thin, worn-out looking woman, with a nervous manner, and eyes full of care and trouble. The news was certainly cheerful, but a life of misery seems to unfit the mind to realize in a moment any favorable change in its conditions.

'I suppose it is, Ned,' she answered, in a hesitating manner. 'But every one is going to watch you, expecting that you will do something wrong. I suppose they should not be blamed, though.'

'It's cruel; it's unjust!' Ned cried out, passionately.

'It is hard and cruel,' his mother answered; 'but I ought to rejoice that at last you have an opportunity of lifting some of the disgrace from your name. Ah, my good boy, If every one knew you as I do.'

She laid her hands caressingly on his head, and the two children climbed up on his knees. It was a poor little home but it was a very bright one that night. Mother and son sat up until late, discussing the possibilities which might grow out of this first glimpse of a better day.

Perhaps my readers may smile that to much was made of this little gleam of fortune. But they must remember that a minute point of light is unutterable joy to a poor wretch who is lost and groping in a dark cavern.

Bright and early the next day, Ned entered upon his new duties. He was quick to learn, and so active and willing that at the end of the month Mr. Erless in paying him his small wages, added a few kind words of commendation.

The months passed on, and the boy grew steadily in the favor of his employer, until no one in the establishment was more trusted than himself. He kept the keys of the store [illegible] one of the clerks slept in the build[illegible] and it was his duty to sweep it eve[illegible] ning before sunrise.

One night he returned home flushed and excited.

'Mr. Erless has raised my wages!' he cried. 'Now I can repair this house, and we will all be so comfortable and happy! Why, what's the matter, mother? you look wretchedly.'

He noticed her hands clasping and unclasping in nervous agitation; her old movement in her days of trouble.

'He's come back,' she whispered, looking toward an inner room.

To be continued.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

To be sold, by Public Auction. at the Court House in Summerside, Prince County, in Prince Edward Island, on TUESDAY, the twenty-second day of July next, at the hour of THREE o'clock, in the afternoon, by virtue of a Power of Sale in an indenture of Mortgage, dated the eighteenth day of September, 1876, and made between Ronald Cameron, of the one part, and Daniel Hodgson, of the other part,—

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land-situate, lying and being on Lot or Township Number Sixteen, in the Parish of Richmond, in the County of Prince County, in the said Island, and bounded as follows, that is to say: By a line commencing at a stake fixed in the North bank or shore of the Quagmire River on the South-east angle of 51 acres of land, now or lately in the occupation of Alexander H. Allen, and running thence by the magnetic meredian of 1764 North five-and-half degrees East ninety chains; thence East eleven chains and fifty links; thence South five-and-half degrees West to the North Bank or shore of the Quagmire River and thence along the same Westwardly; to the place of commencement, containing, by estimation, One Hundred Acres be the same, a little more or less, as is more particularly delineated and described in aplan on the margin of a certain Indenture of Lease, made between Charlotte Antonia Sullivan, and the said Ronald Cameron, together with all buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenences thereto belonging.

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

Dated 16th day of June, 1879.

(Signed) DANIEL HODGSON, Mortgagee.

June 16, 1879—lawts

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 betwen 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 Carlottetown, 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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WILL leave Charlottetown for Orwell every MONDAY and WEDNESDAY evenings.

Leave Orwell for Charlottetown every TUESDAY and THURSDAY mornings, at 7 o'clock

Leave Charlottetown for Orwell same evening at 3 o'clock.

Returning from Orwell to Charlottetown same evening, arriving at Charlottetown abou 8.30 o'clock.

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Leave Mount Stewart for Charlottetown at 7 o'clock.

Leave Charlottetown for Mount Stewart same evenings at from 2 to 3 o'clock, according to tide, returning to Charlottetown same evenings.

Leave Charlottetown for Crapaud every SATURDAY, weather and tide permitting, and every alternate Saturday will make a return trip.

All goods should be prepaid at Charlottetown, otherwise they will be stored at their destination at the risk and expense of the owners.

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Ch'town, April 30, 1879—3m law

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A sense of duty to sufferers from that loathsome disease, Catarrh, prompts me to send you this Certificate, unsolicited, with leave to make what use of it you may see proper

Yours truly,

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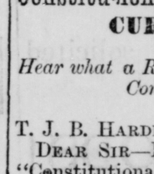

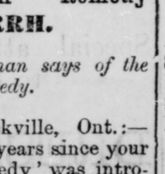

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TIME TABLE NO. 12.

Summer Arrangement.

ON AND AFTER

TUESDAY, MAY 27th, 1879.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Nos. 1 & 3, Express.	No. 5. Mixed.	No. 7, Mixed.
Georget'n..	Dp. 7.10am	Dp. 3.45pm	
Cardigan..	Ar. 7.50 "	Ar. 4.14 "	
	" 8.30 "	" 5.40 "	
Mt Stwt Jc	Dp. 8.40 "	Dp. 6.00 "	
Royalty Jc	" 9.38 "	" 7.18 "	
Ch'town ..	Ar. 9.55 "	Ar. 7.40 "	
	Dp. 6.20am	Dp10.05am	Dp. 5.25pm
		Ar10.25 "	
Royalty Jc	" 6.37 "	Dp10.30 "	" 5.47 "
N Wiltsh're	" 7.13 "	"11.25 "	" 6.40 "
Hunter R'r	" 7.25 "	"11.40 am	" 6.57 "
Breadalb'n	" 7.53 "	" 12.23pm	" 7.35 "
C'ty Line..	" 8.00 "	"12.34 "	" 7.45 "
Kensingt'n	" 8.28 "	" 1.16 "	" 8.25 "
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.55 "	Ar. 1.50 "	Ar. 9.00 "
	Dp. 9.10 "	Dp. 2.25 "	
Wellingt'n	Ar. 9.48 "	" 3.20 "	
Port Hill..	"10.20 "	" 4.07 "	
O'Leary...	"11.17 "	" 5.31 "	
Alberton..	" 12.00pm	" 6.40 "	
Tignish ...	" 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	
		Ar. 7.15 "	
Alberton..	" 5.55 "	Dp. 7.45 "	
O'Leary...	" 6.41 "	" 8.54 "	
Port Hill..	" 7.38 "	"10.20 "	
Wellington	" 8.09 "	"11.08 "	
	Ar. 8.45 "	Ar12.05pm	
S'mm'rside	Dp. 5.30 pm	Dp12.40 "	Dp. 9.05 am
Kensingt'n	" 5.52 "	" 1.16 "	" 9.41 "
C'ty Line..	" 6.24 "	" 1.55 "	"10.20 "
Breedal'ne.	" 6.31 "	" 2.05 "	"10.31 "
Hunter R'r	" 6.57 "	" 2.44 "	"11.07 "
N Wiltsh're	" 7.12 "	" 3.01 "	"11.25 "
Royalty Jc	" 7.49 "	Ar. 3.50 "	"12.18pm
		Dp. 3.55 "	
	Ar. 8.05 "	Ar. 4.15 "	
Ch'town ..			Ar12.40 "
	Dp. 4.30 pm	Dp. 6.50 am	
Royalty Jc	" 4.49 "	" 7.13 "	
M. Stw't Jc	Ar. 5.45 "	Ar. 8.30 "	
	Dp. 6.00 "	Dp. 8.50 "	
Cardigan..	" 7.03 "	"10.16 "	
Geo'town ..	Ar. 7.25 "	Ar10.45 "	

SOURIS BRANCH.

Trains Going West.

STATIONS.	No. 9 Express	No. 11 Mixed.
Souris	Dp. 6.15 a. m.	Dp. 2.50 p. m.
Harmony.....	" 6.33 "	" 3.13 "
St. Peter's.....	" 7.30 "	" 4.29 "
Morell	" 7.53 "	" 5.00 "
Mt. S'tw't Jnc..	Ar. 8.25 "	Ar. 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.....	" 6.27 "	" 9.25 "
St. Peter's.....	" 6.50 "	" 9.56 "
Harmony.....	" 7.47 "	" 11.12 "
Souris.....	Ar. 8.05 "	Ar 11.35 "

ALEX. MACNAB,
Sup't and Engineer.

Railway Office, Chtown, May 22, 1879.
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MAIL NOTICE.

MAILS for Great Britain will be closed at 10 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY in each week, to be forwarded *via* Rimouski, and also on MONDAY, the 9th and 23rd June, at 4 o'clock, a. m., to be forwarded *via* Halifax.

Mails to be forwarded *via* Summerside and Shediac and also for all places on the route to Summerside and in Prince County, will be closed daily at 5.30 o'clock, a. m., also for Summerside direct, at 5 p. m.

Mails to be forwarded *via* Steamers to Pictou will be closed every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock, a. m.

Mails for Georgetown and Souris East, and all places on those routes, will be closed daily at 6 o'clock, a. m.

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Post Office Charlottetown,
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