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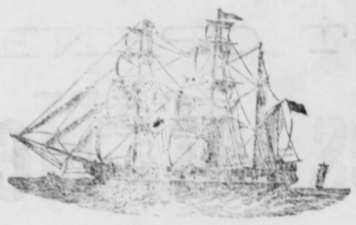

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Freetown	9 23	4 22
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	12 40	
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Wellington.....	1 27	
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Kensington.....	12 05	7 05
Freetown	12 23	7 28
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Hunter River.....	1 15	8 30
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Charlottetown.....ar	2 30	10 00

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Royalty Junction.....	10 05	
Charlottetown.....ar	10 25	
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