

**Selected Poetry.**

**THINKS I TO MYSELF.**

I saw her again but a few days ago,  
When Kossuth came down to our city:  
The name of the lady I never did know;  
But, thinks I, she's uncommonly pretty,  
And witty,  
And clever, no doubt, as she's pretty.

Thinks I to myself, I have seen her before,  
Fine face, black eyes, and black hair;  
But could not tell when, as I thought of it  
more,  
And hang me if I could tell where!  
I declare!  
I could not tell how, when, or where.

But now both the time and the place I re-  
member:  
I remember her pleasing address:  
At a certain hotel in the month of Septem-  
ber,  
We met in the doorway, I guess.

Yes, yes:  
Thinks I, she's the person, I guess.

Thinks I, she would make a good partner  
for life;  
But she's married or spoke for, I s'pose.  
Still, if that's not the case, and if—I had no  
wife,  
Thinks I to myself, I'd "propose!"  
Goodness knows,  
If it wa'n't for that I'd "propose."

But I'm married. Thinks I to myself, 'tis a  
pity:  
I'm tied, and I cannot undo it.  
Yet thinks I, there's no harm in just writing  
this ditty,  
Though it's well that my wife doesn't  
know it:  
Old poet,  
'Tis well that your wife doesn't know it.

**Household Hints.**

**Conceit.**—A cupful of butter, a cupful of  
sugar, three cupfuls and a half of flour, four  
eggs, a third of a cupful of cream, and half  
a teaspoonful of saleratus.

**Cookies.**—A cupful of sour cream, two  
cupfuls of sugar, a piece of butter the size  
of an egg, caraway seed, a teaspoonful of  
soda, and salt. Mix soft, and bake in a  
quick oven.

**Sugar Gingerbread (to keep).**—A cupful  
of butter, two cupfuls of sugar, three eggs,  
three cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of soda  
with milk to dissolve, salt, ginger, nutmeg.

**White Sugar Candy.**—Two cupfuls of  
white sugar, half a teaspoonful of cream of  
tartar, a cupful of cold water and a tea-  
spoonful of butter. Boil without stirring.

**Good Indian Cake.**—Two cupfuls of milk,  
two cupfuls of Indian meal, a spoonful of  
molasses, a little flour, a third of a tea-  
spoonful of soda, and salt. Mix thin, and  
pour.

**Gelatin Icing for Cake.**—A scant table-  
spoonful of gelatin, dissolved in two table-  
spoonfuls of hot water, mixed with pow-  
dered sugar till quite stiff. Spread on the  
cake, and smooth with a knife dipped in hot  
water.

**Gingersnaps.**—A cupful of butter, a tea-  
spoonful each of soda, salt, and ginger.  
Boil two cupfuls of molasses, and pour  
over the above, adding flour enough to  
knead hard.

**Muffins.**—A quart of milk, two eggs, but-  
ter the size of an egg melted in the milk, a  
pound of flour, two teaspoonfuls of cream of  
tartar, and one of soda. Bake in gem-pans  
in a quick oven.

**Gems of Thought.**

There is no such thing as an easy chair  
for a discontented man.

You are better employed in drying the  
tears of others than in shedding your own.

Of all earthly music, that which reaches  
the furthest into Heaven is the beating of  
a loving heart.

He who is a slave of his own passions is  
worse governed than Athens was by her  
thirty tyrants.

You had better learn to conquer your own  
will than to strive to obtain the mastery of  
that of others.

The best capital for young men to start  
with life is industry, good sense, courage  
and the fear of God. It is better than all  
the credit or cash that was ever raised.

A true friend unbosoms freely, advises  
justly, assists readily, adventures boldly,  
takes all patiently, defends courageously,  
and continues a friend unchangeably.

If you would be exempt from uneasiness,  
do nothing which you know or suspect is  
wrong; and if you wish to enjoy the purest  
pleasure, always do everything in your pow-  
er which is right.

"The better the day, the better the deed,"  
is a bad proverb as it runs; but read it back-  
wards, as wizards undo charms, and it is a  
capital saying—the better the deed, the bet-  
ter the day.

You can never do an injury to another  
without feeling that injury rebounds and  
strike yourself. You are fated evermore to  
drink the bitterness of the cup you have  
mingled for a brother.

There is not a single dispensation of Pro-  
vidence, which if properly viewed, will not  
afford an excellent lesson. Never repine at  
the good fortune of others; for many are they  
who wish to be raised to your position.

Idleness is the Dead Sea that swallows up  
all virtues, and the self-made sepulchre of a  
living man.

It is the great privilege of poverty to be  
happy, unenvied, to be healthy without  
physics, secured without a guard, and to  
obtain from the bounty of nature what the  
great and wealthy are compelled to procure  
by the help of art.

A man of genius seek applause, while the  
little-minded of those who have but a small  
portion of intellect, try, by their vanity and  
conceited boasts, to build upon the men-  
tal resources of others their own fame and  
reputation. However, it is for the best, for  
they soon fall to their proper level—once  
they reach it, they never rise.

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DAY, the 6th Day of September, 1877, at  
the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, under and by vir-  
tue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture  
of Mortgage, bearing date the 4th day of Janu-  
ary, A.D. 1876, between Simoa McEachern and  
Margaret his wife, of the one part, and Daniel  
Hodgson of the other part: All that tract, piece,  
or parcel of Land lying and being on Lot or  
Township Number Sixty-six (66), in King's  
County, in Prince Edward Island, commencing  
in the south side of the Road commonly known  
as Georgetown Road, at the western boundary  
of land in possession of Patrick Mahar, and run-  
ning thence south, by the magnetic position  
of the year 1764, for the distance of sixty-four  
chains and fifty-five links, thence north seven-  
ty-two degrees west for the distance of ten  
chains and forty links; thence north to George-  
town Road aforesaid; thence along said Road to  
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Aug. 11—6in

**Railway Time Table.**  
**P. E. I. RAILWAY**  
**CHANGE OF TIME.**

ON and after MONDAY, APRIL 30th  
1877, Trains will run as follows:—

**Trains Going West.**

| STATIONS     | No. 1<br>Express. | No. 3<br>St'mboat<br>Express. | No<br>Mixe |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|------------|
| Georgetown   | dp 7.20           |                               |            |
| Cardigan     | ar 7.45           |                               |            |
| Mt Stewart   | ar 10             |                               |            |
| Roy Jun'tion | dp 9.18           |                               |            |
| Ch'town      | ar 10.43          | dp a.m                        |            |
| Roy Jun'tion | dp 10.23          | 6.00                          |            |
| Nor Wilshire | 10.43             | 6.20                          | 3.25       |
| Hunter River | 11.39             | 7.03                          | 3.45       |
| County Line  | 11.58 p.m.        | 7.16                          | 5.00       |
| Kensington   | 12                | 7.52                          | 5.50       |
| Sumr'side    | ar 2.05           | 8.28                          | 6.30       |
| Wellington   | dp 2.35           | ar. 9.00                      | 7.10       |
| Port Hill    | 3.30              |                               |            |
| O'Leary      | 4.16              |                               |            |
| Alberton     | 5.42              |                               |            |
| Tignish      | 6.50              |                               |            |
|              | ar 7.35           |                               |            |

**Trains Going East.**

| STATIONS.    | No. 2<br>Express. | No. 4<br>St'mboat<br>Express. | No<br>Mixed. |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Tignish      | p. a.             |                               |              |
| Alberton     | 6.00              |                               |              |
| O'Leary      | 6.45              |                               |              |
| Port Hill    | 7.52              |                               |              |
| Wellington   | 9.18              |                               |              |
| Sumr'side    | ar 11.00          | dp p.m                        | dp.          |
| Kensington   | dp 11.3           | 6.00                          | 6.60         |
| County Line  | 12.08 pm          | 6.30                          | 6.36         |
| Hunter River | 1 2.50            | 7. 2                          | 7.20         |
| Nor Wilshire | 1.43              | 7.43                          | 8.10         |
| Roy Jun'tion | ar 2.00           | .5                            | 8.25         |
| Ch'town      | dp 2.55           | ar. 40                        | 9.20         |
| Roy Jun'tion | 3.15              | dp. 9.00                      | ar. 9.45     |
| Ch'town      | 2.35              |                               |              |
| Roy Jun'tion | 2.55              |                               |              |
| Mt Stewart   | 4.17              |                               |              |
| Cardigan     | 4.25              |                               |              |
| Georgetown   | 5.47              |                               |              |
|              | 6.15              |                               |              |

**Souris Branch.**

| Going West.  |                 | Going East |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|
| STATIONS.    | No. 5<br>Mixed. | Stations   | No. 6<br>Mixed. |
| Souris       | dp a.m          | Ch'town    | dp. p.m         |
| Harmony      | 6.15            | R. Jun.    | 2.35            |
| S. Peter's   | 6.38            | M. S. Jun  | 2.55            |
| Morell       | 7.54            | ar 4.17    |                 |
| Mt Stewart   | 7.59            | dp 4.25    |                 |
| Roy Jun'tion | ar 9.10         | Morell     | 5.0             |
| Ch'town      | dp 9.8          | S. Peters  | 5.4             |
|              | 10.43           | Harmony    | 5               |
|              | ar 11.03        | Souris     | ar              |

WM. McKECINIE,  
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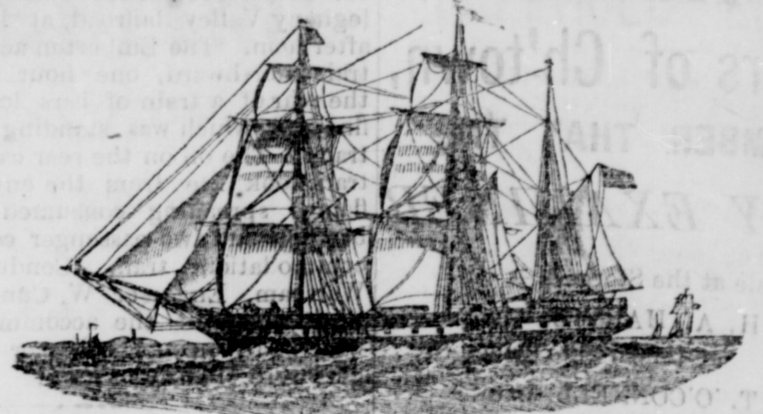
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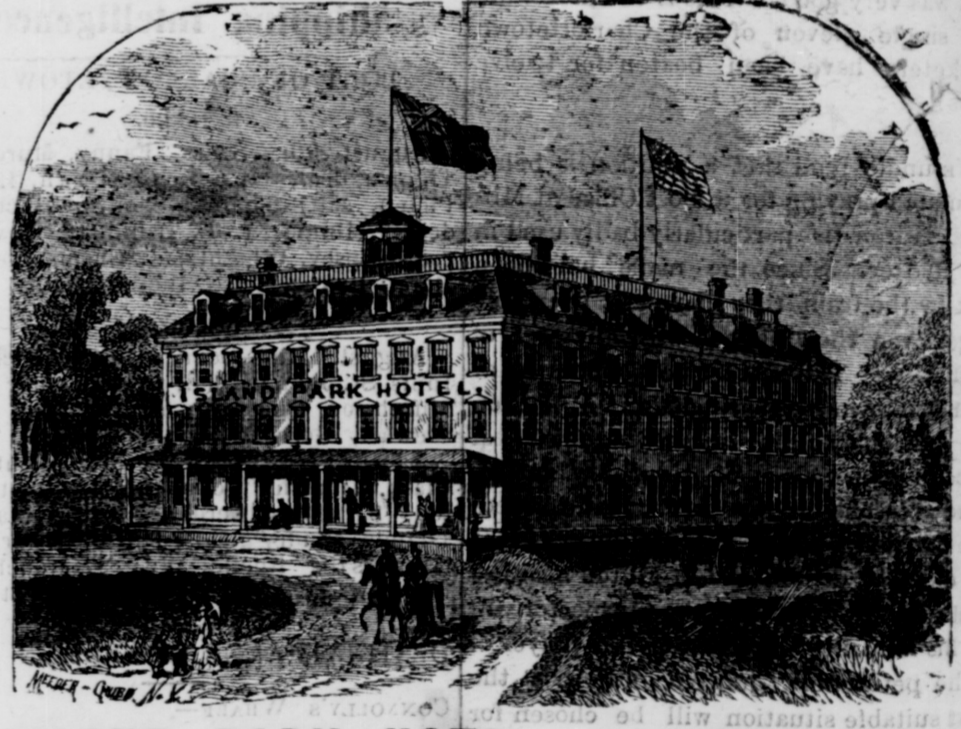


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