Eloping with a Negro.

THE RASH STEP TAKEN BY A WEALTHY AND ACCOMPLISHED PITTSBURG GIRL.

The little town of Beaver, which is one of the suburbs of Pittsburgh, is in a terrible state of excitement. One of the prettiest, wealthiest, and most accomplished young ladies of the town, left her mother's house and deliberately married a negro, who is as ugly and ignorant as he is black. For some time past Annie Mason has given her parents a good deal of trouble by her reckless, wayward conduct, but, being an only daughter, she was spoiled by indulgence. Her father is United States storekeeper in Indiana county, but lives in Beaver, and is wealthy. Her uncle is ex-Chief Justice Daniel Agnew, of the Supreme Court, and the family is one of the best in this part of the State. Mrs. George Jones, nee Miss Annie Mason, is 20 years old. She is a brunette, with large eyes, exceedingly pretty face, and fine form. She had a quarrel with her parents on Wednesday night, and early on Thursday forenoon she left her home and met George Jones, a coarse, illiterate coal digger, by an appointment which she had made by some unknown means the night before. At 5 o'clock in the morning Jones and Miss Mason went to Rochester, which is about a mile from Beaver, and hurried to the house of a colored clergyman, who married them in the presence of two white men, who were called in to act as witnesses. The couple then took the next train back to Beaver, where Jones hired a room in a small house which has only three rooms in it, two of which are already occupied by negro families. The reckless girl sent home for her trunk, piano, and some of the ornaments from her room, and this was the first intimation her mother had of the marriage. Her mother tried to persuade her daughter to return to her home, but she refused. Her father is not at home, and knows nothing as yet of the affair. It is not known how Miss Mason became acquainted with Jones, or where she ever met him. Threats are openly made by the young men of Beaver tarring and feathering Jones and driving him out of the town, but up to the present time nothing has been done, and Mr. and Mrs. Jones are living in their squalid room, while the wayward girl's mother is lying at her elegant home crazy with brain fever, brought on by her daughter's conduct.

Little Things on the Farm.

No where does close economy and the attention to small things pay better than on the farm. The little leaks are what run away with the profits in farming, and it does not require much time or trouble, usually, to stop the leak when it first begins. It is the slightest of work to replace a rail or a board when it has been pushed from a fence; but it is more serious to re-build the entire fence, after it has been neglected for years, and permitted to tumble all to pieces. Nor is this all. A tumble-down fence may cost the farmer acres of grain. Many a farmer has found his corn trampled down by the stock, which never could have entered if he had replaced every rail as it became dislodged. When decay once commences, it proceeds rapidly, unless checked at once. A board falls off a building, and is not replaced. Very soon another board follows, and it will not be many years before what might have been a good-looking and comfortable building is a perfect ruin.

We have seen some farms without a hennery. Among the seemingly more important duties, provision for the fowls was thought to be too insignificant to receive attention. The result was that the poultry were roosting in buildings that should be kept clean, and among farm implements which they were disfiguring, if not ruining. More time was spent in cleaning up after the chickens than would have been required to build half a dozen hen-houses. Here was a direct loss; but it was not the only one. The hens had no place provided for them to lay, and so they often sought out-of-the-way places, where the eggs were found; and here was more loss.

And so in very much that is regarded as of small importance on the farm neglect results very expensively. Go on a farm on which every detail is attended to, and the smallest with as great care as the largest, and prosperity will be found there. Leaving out of the question altogether the increased pleasure which comes from having a place for everything and everything in its place—of having order everywhere—there is profit in it. On such a farm the swill barrel never gets what will give a better profit out of it than in it; the butter is not made in such a way as to be worth nothing except for grease; the chips about the woodpile are not permitted to rot; the strawstack is not permitted to go to waste; the manure is carefully saved, whether it is made by the cattle, fowl, or swine; and, in short, there is strict economy, order, and, what always accompanies them, prosperity.—*Western Rural.*

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WE SHALL BE RECEIVING

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EVERY WEEK DURING THE SEASON

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FLOUR AND TEA STORE!

And will Sell them Cheap for Cash by the Box.

20 Boxes Received this Date.

SEND IN YOUR ORDERS.

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Ch'town, April 26, 1879.

SEED WHEAT.

FOR SALE, 150 Bags of the CELEBRATED CANADIAN FIFE WHEAT.

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Ch'town, April 18, 1879—6w 3aw

PRINCE STREET FURNITURE FACTORY.

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Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer and Undertaker.

ALL kinds of Household Furniture made to order, of the latest styles, CHEAP and GOOD.

School Desks made, the CHEAPEST and BEST in the City.

The strictest attention given to the UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT at very low charges.

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Plain and Japanned Tinware,

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BY long experience in the business, and using the most approved machinery, we are able to supply goods in our line at *Lower Prices* than the same quality can be had for elsewhere.

Freight prepaid to Charlottetown. Prices VERY LOW to merchants and traders.

Please send for price list before ordering elsewhere.

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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE FIRE AND LIFE. INSURANCE CO.

Subscribed Capital, $9,733,332.00
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Nine-Tenths of the Profits of the Life Assurance Business are divided every Five Years. The Tables of Rates are moderate.

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Special rates for isolated residences.

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73,620 MORE SINGER SEWING MACHINES

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In 1870 we sold 127,833 Sewing Machines.
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We now Sell Three-Quarters of all the Sewing Machines Sold in the World.

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Sole Agent for P. E. Island.

Ch'town, March 18, 1878—2aw tf

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NOW COMPLETE.

Buyers in Town and from the Country will find this Stock unexcelled in **Variety, Styles, Quality and Low Prices** by any House in this City. We will quote a few articles to show the correctness of our remarks.

YOU CAN BUY 20 YARDS GOOD GREY COTTONS FOR $1.00
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YOU CAN BUY 10 YARDS DRESS GOODS FOR $1.20
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YOU CAN BUY LADIES' UMBRELLAS FOR 22c. EACH.

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ARE CERTAINLY THE CHEAPEST.

Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons, Gloves, Hoisery, Fringes, Laces, Collars, Ties, Frillings, at Bottom Prices.

In Gentlemen's Out-fitting Department, we have a full Stock

READY-MADE CLOTHING

Mens' and Boys' in Great Variety, Very Cheap.

150 PIECES TWEEDS, 50 PIECES WORSTEDS, } **Made to Order. Good Fits Guaranteed.**

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Special Inducements For Cash or Short Credit.

MOLASSES, 75 puns. 18 bbls. } very choice.
SUGAR, 10 hhds. 60 bbls. } Bright P. Rico.
TEA (Warranted) 224 Pkges. } Chests, Half-chests, Boxes 21-lbs.
FLOUR, 200 bbls. Sring Extra, 200 do Superfine, 150 do Extra, 100 do Superior Extra, 50 do Haxall Patent.
CORNMEAL, 150 Bbls.
TOBACCO, 25 Boxes Flat, 30 Cads. Smoking, 10 Kegs Twist.
SOLE LEATHER, 280 Sides Logan's No. 1, 170 do No. 2.
BROOMS AND PAILS, 50 doz. Brooms, 50 doz. Pails.
PIPES, 150 Boxes.
MANILLA, 500 Coils 6-thread, 300 Coils 9-thread, 100 12-thread, 75 Coils large size.
SPICES, 130 tins } Pepper, Ginger, Mustard,
STARCH, 25 Boxes Blue, 10 Boxes White.
SODAS, 70 kegs Bkg. Soda, 25 bbls. Washing, etc., etc., etc.

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Ch'town, May 12, 1879—pat a 3w

HOUSEHOLD

Furniture Repaired.
Furniture Repainted.
Venetian Blinds Re-taped.
Venetian Blinds Repaired.
Carpets Cut and Laid.
Jobbing promptly attended to—all at Low Charges.

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April, 26 1879—pat

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, diptheria and other malignant diseases successfully treated and cured by him.

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Before Taking. After Taking.

The Gray Medicine Co.,
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January 24, 1879.

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IN all its branches; Keeping Caskets, in Walnut and Rosewood, and Covered Coffins constantly on hand, and with the facilities of machinery he can furnish everything for funerals, better and cheaper than any other person in the city.

Hearses and Mourning Coaches of best class on shortest notice to any part of the country, and at lower prices than ever before offered to the public.

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UPHOLSTERING of every description done in latest styles, of best materials Hair, Flock, Fibre and Straw Mattrasses. single and double, and on cheapest scales.

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CHEVAL with Marble Top Pedestals. Swinging Glasses of all sizes and prices. Mantle Glasses. Cheap.

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DRAWING ROOM and Dining Room Suits in latest styles; Bed Room Setts in Walnut, Ash, Walnut Trimmed and Painted Setts from $20 to $150 per sett.

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BUGGIES, Chairs, Cradles, Swinging Cots, Go-carts, Cots and Bedsteads, of every class, cheap for cash.

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AN excellent assortment of Window Cornices and Poles. Blind Rollers and Venetian Blinds made to order, with new style of woven tapes, cheaper than in any other establishment in the city.

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OF Old Furniture, Varnish and Asphaltum for sale very cheap, for cash only.

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DONE in Straight and Jig Sawing, Fret-work Sawing, every description of Turning, Plain, Ornamental, Twist and Elizabethien, and every description of Screw Cutting in Wood, Ivory, Metal and Grinding Circular Saws with Emery Wheels.

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DEVONPORTS, Cheffoniers, Escritoirs, Book Cases, Wardrobes, Side Tables, Biddets with pans, Candelabras with marble tops, Cylinderical Desks, Side Boards, Screens, Umberella Stands, Butlers' Trays, Whatnots, Earth Closets, Commodes and Patent Wire Woven Mattrasses.

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OF every description of Household Furniture, and Varnishing and Polishing done with three year old Varnishes, very cheap and promptly, for cash.

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TO BE SOLD, by private contract, that valuable FARM of 50 acres of excellent Land, situate at Graham's Road, Township No. 20, now in possession of Æneas Brenan. This well-known Farm is eligibly situated in the immediate cicinity of Churches, Schools and Mills, and is in a good state of cultivation.

For terms and particulars apply at the office of Longworth & Shaw, Solicitors, Ch'town.

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Ch'town, Dec. 23, 1878—

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.
Georget'n..	Dp. 7.10am	Dp. 3.45pm	
Cardigan..	Ar. 7.30 "	Ar. 4.14 "	
	" 8.30 "	" 5.40 "	
Mt Stwt Jc	Dp. 8.40 "	Dp. 6.00 "	
	" 9.38 "	" 7.18 "	
Royalty Jc	Ar. 9.55 "	Ar. 7.40 "	
Ch'town ..	Dp. 6.20am	Dp10.05am	Dp. 5.25pm
Royalty Jc	" 6.37 "	Ar10.25 "	
		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	
Alberton..	" 5.55 "	Ar. 7.15 "	
		Dp. 7.45 "	
O'Leary...	" 6.41 "	" 8.54 "	
Port Hill..	" 7.38 "	" 10.20 "	
Wellington	" 8.09 "	" 11.08 "	
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.45 "	Ar 12.05pm	
	Dp. 5.30 pm	Dp 12.40 "	Dp. 9.05 am
Kensingt'n	" 5.52 "	" 1.16 "	" 9.41 "
C'ty Line..	" 6.24 "	" 1.55 "	" 10.20 "
Breadal'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 "	
Ch'town ..	Ar. 8.05 "	Ar. 4.15 "	Ar 12.40 "
	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 "	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.....	" 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 4.30 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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A. A. MACDONALD,
Postmaster.

Post Office Charlottetown,
May 27th, 1879.

Steam Navigation Co. Steamers

MAY, 1879.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the Steamers **"St. Lawrence"** and **"Princess of Wales"** will leave as under:—

NOVA SCOTIA.

From Charlottetown to Pictou, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY mornings, at five o'clock.

Returning from Pictou every TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, on arrival of morning train from Halifax.

FOR CANADA AND UNITED STATES.

Leave Summerside for Point Du Chene EVERY DAY about 9 a. m., on arrival of morning train from Charlottetown.

Returning to Summerside EVERY NOON, on arrival of morning train from St. John.

By order,

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April 1, 1879—3m