

The Crops in Europe.

Mr. Charles A. Dana, of the New York Sun, now in England, writes as follows from London, on Sept. 1st:—

This year Nature is against the British farmer. The season has been disastrous from the beginning, and there is now no hope that it will end in anything but calamity. Rains have fallen incessantly. The crops, even the best of them, have nowhere attained more than a middling growth, and now the continued floods destroy all expectation of an average product in any part of the British Islands.

Ireland is much better off; yet even there, in many parts, the people are likely to suffer severely for want of food during part of the coming winter.

On the Continent the situation is much less gloomy; but in France, in western Switzerland, in southern Germany and in Holland it is still a bad season. The general state of the different crops may be summarily described as follows:

Hay—Inferior in Ireland, very bad indeed in England, poor in France, better in Switzerland; and in southern Germany and in Holland about the same as in France.

Oats—A wretched crop in every country where I have been. In Ireland and in England hardly worth harvesting; in France and the other parts of the continent to which I have referred, perhaps good enough to pay the expense of harvesting.

Lucerne and millet—poor everywhere.

Potatoes—Quite as poor as the oats—everywhere a bad crop. In Ireland especially, and in France poorer than any other crop. A good potato will be a rarity in all these portions of Europe for a year to come. The failure of the potatoes is in fact as nearly complete as possible and leave any potatoes at all; and this is the case where ever my observation has extended.

Wheat—Poorest of all in England and Ireland, where I should say the yield cannot pay more than half its cost. In France there will be perhaps about three quarters of a good average, and that country will be able to furnish its own bread for the coming year. The same is true of western Switzerland, southern Germany and Holland. But the United Kingdom will have to seek for its supplies elsewhere.

The only crop that seems to me at all satisfactory is that of vetches, of which, so far as I can judge, the yield is likely to be tolerable.

In Russia, on the other hand, an immense wheat crop is reported, and heavy purchase have been made there on Western account.

Yet one bad harvest or a dozen of them will not ruin England.

Great Enterprises.

The present time is fertile in schemes of great magnitude. There are already projected:—

A new suspension bridge over Niagara river;

A new Atlantic cable in addition to that now in process of construction;

A ship canal across the Isthmus of Darien;

A ship railroad across the same strip of land, separating two oceans;

A railroad over the desert of Sahara connecting Algeria and Soudan,

A canal which, conveying the waters of the Mediterranean into the sands of Africa shall make a great inland sea and fertilize arid wastes;

The establishment of water communication between the Black and Caspian Seas.

Add to those enterprises most of which seems likely to be undertaken in the near future:

Ericson's scheme for utilizing the sun's heat;

Edison's scheme for utilizing electricity;

The various plans of geographical discovery;

The solution of the mysteries of Central Africa, and the civilization of its savages.

The destruction of the world's plagues;

The emancipation of every slave;

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The adjustment of the relations of labor and capital.

The solution of the population question.

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can now be purchased right at home, it is the most successful preparation ever introduced to our people. It works like a charm in all cases of Consumption, Pneumonia, Hemorrhages, Asthma, severe Coughs, Croup and all other Throat and Lung Diseases. No person has ever used this medicine without getting immediate relief, yet there are a great many poor, suffering, skeptical persons going about our streets with a suspicious cough, and the voice of consumption coming from their lungs, that will not try it. If you die, it is your own fault, as you can go to your druggist and get a sample bottle and try it; three doses will relieve any case. Regular size only 75 cts.

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OUR USUAL Low Prices.

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Ch'town, July 24, 1879.

Mortgage Sale.

TO be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of September next, 1879, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the twenty-seventh day of March, A. D. 1878, made between Donald Stewart and Margaret his wife, of the one part, and Edward Jarvis Hodgson and John Ball, of the other part,—

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on Township number Twenty-two, in Queen's County, commencing at a square stake fixed on the south side of the road leading from Bedeque to Charlottetown, opposite to and in a line with the southern boundary of John MacKenzie's land; thence running west thirteen chains; thence north eleven chains to said road; thence north twelve degrees east thirty-three chains, or until it reaches a road leading to Johnston's Inn; thence along the last mentioned road forty-four chains and fifty links to John MacKenzie's north-west boundary; thence south sixty-two degrees west forty-one chains and fifty links to the first mentioned road; thence along the same southeasterly to the place of commencement, containing one hundred acres of land, a little more or less, together with all rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated this Twentieth day of August, A. D. 1879.

EDWARD J. HODGSON, JOHN BALL, Mortgagees.

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Mortgage Sale.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY, the Twenty-sixth day of SEPTEMBER, next, A. D. 1879, at the Court House, Charlottetown, in Queen's County, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, under and by virtue of a power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the eighteenth day of January A. D. 1877, made between Murdoch McLeod and Christy McLeod, his wife, of the one part, and Daniel Hodgson, of the other part:—

ALL that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on Lot or Township Number Fifty-eight, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing on the north edge of the Colville Road, at the south east angle of farm lot number two hundred and eighty two, now in possession of George Bell, thence (according to the magnetic meridian of the year 1764) running north for the distance of seventy five chains, thence east six chains and sixty-six links, thence south seventy-five chains to said road, thence following the course of the said road west to the place of commencement, containing fifty acres of land, a little more or less. Also—All that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being on the said lot or Township number fifty eight, commencing on the north side of Colville Road, at the southern angle of land in possession of Allan Buchanan, thence north to the rear line of farms fronting on the Montague Road, thence east ten chains, thence south to the first mentioned road, thence along the said road to the place of commencement, containing an area of seventy-five acres of land, a little more or less, together with all rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated this Twentieth day of August, A. D. 1879.

D. HODGSON, Mortgagee.

Aug. 20, '79. oaw—wed

Mortgage Sale.

TO be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, on TUESDAY, the Fourteenth day of October, next, 1879, by virtue of a power of sale in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the second day of April, 1877, and made between Donald Fraser and Agnes his wife, of the one part, and Donald McDonald, of the other part, which said Mortgage was assigned by indenture dated the fifteenth day of May 1878, to the undersigned:—

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on Lot or Township number twenty one, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say, by a line commencing on the south-west bank or shore of Trout River, and as the division line of Lots or Townships Numbers Twenty-one and Twenty-two, and running thence by the magnetic meridian of the year 1764 along said line south thirty-nine chains, thence west ten chains, thence north to the bank or shore of the river aforesaid, and thence following the various courses of the said River to the place of commencement (the same being known as farm lot number ninety) containing forty-eight acres a little more or less. Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, on the said Township and bounded as follows, that is to say: commencing on the south side of a reserved road leading from Granville Road to Trout River, and on the north-east angle of land in the possession of James Corbett, and running thence south fifty chains or to the rear line of farms fronting on the Mill Vale Road, thence along the said rear line east ten chains, thence north to the reserve road aforesaid, and thence along the same west to the place of commencement (being plot No. Ninety six on the plan of the said Township) and containing an acre of fifty acres of land a little more or less, together with the appurtenances. For further particulars apply at the office of Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1879.

EDWARD J. HODGSON, JOHN BALL, Assignees of Mortgagee.

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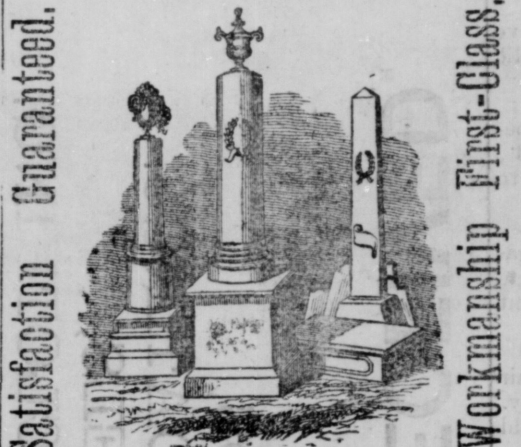
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Ch'town, March 18, 1878—2aw tf

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Hear what a Reverend Gentleman says of the Constitutional Remedy.

T. J. B. HARDING, Esq., Brockville, Ont.:—

DEAR SIR—It is now two years since your "Constitutional Catarrh Remedy" was introduced to me. I have waited this long to see if the cure would remain permanent before doing this, my duty, to you, as at first the happy effects seemed to me to be "too good to be true."

I was afflicted in my head for years before I suspected it to be Catarrh. In reading in your Circular I saw my case described in many particulars. The inward "drop" from the head had become very disagreeable, and a choking sensation often preventing me from lying long. I would feel like smothering and be compelled to sit up in the bed. My health and spirits were seriously affected. When your agent came to Walkertown in August, 1876, I secured three bottles. Before I had used a quarter of the contents of one bottle I found decided relief, and when I had used two bottles and a third, I quit taking it, feeling quite cured of that ailment, and have not used any since until of late I have taken to suffer for a cold in my head.

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,

W. TINDALL, Methodist Minister. Port Elgin, Ont., Aug. 24, 1878.

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January 24, 1879.

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 " "	Ar. 4.14 " "	
Mt Stwt Jc	" 8.30 " "	" 5.40 " "	
Royalty Jc	Dp. 8.40 " "	Dp. 6.00 " "	
Ch'town	Ar. 9.38 " "	Ar. 7.18 " "	
	Ar. 9.55 " "	Ar. 7.40 " "	
Royalty Jc	Dp. 6.20am	Dp. 10.05am	Dp. 5.25pm
	" 6.37 " "	Ar. 10.25 " "	" 5.47 " "
NWiltsh're	" 7.13 " "	" 11.25 " "	" 6.40 " "
Hunter R'r	" 7.25 " "	" 11.40 am "	" 6.57 " "
Breadal'n	" 7.53 " "	" 12.23 pm "	" 7.35 " "
C'ty Line.	" 8.00 " "	" 12.34 " "	" 7.45 " "
Kensing'tn	" 8.28 " "	" 1.16 " "	" 8.25 " "
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.55 " "	Ar. 1.50 " "	Ar. 9.00 " "
	Dp. 9.10 " "	Dp. 2.25 " "	
Wellington	Ar. 9.48 " "	" 3.20 " "	
Port Hill.	" 10.20 " "	" 4.07 " "	
O'Leary.	" 11.17 " "	" 5.31 " "	
Alberton.	" 12.00 pm "	" 6.40 " "	
Tignish.	" 12.40 " "	Ar. 7.40 pm	

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 " "	
O'Leary.	" 6.41 " "	" 8.54 " "	
Port Hill.	" 7.38 " "	" 10.20 " "	
Wellington	" 8.09 " "	" 11.08 " "	
S'mm'rside	Ar. 8.45 " "	Ar. 12.05 pm	
	Dp. 5.30 pm	Dp. 12.40 " "	Dp. 9.05 am
Kensing'tn	" 5.52 " "	" 1.16 " "	" 9.41 " "
C'ty Line.	" 6.24 " "	" 1.55 " "	" 10.20 " "
Breadal'n.	" 6.31 " "	" 2.05 " "	" 10.31 " "
Hunter R'r	" 6.57 " "	" 2.44 " "	" 11.07 " "
NWiltsh're	" 7.12 " "	" 3.01 " "	" 11.25 " "
Royalty Jc	" 7.49 " "	Ar. 3.50 " "	" 12.18 pm
	Ar. 8.05 " "	Ar. 4.15 " "	
Ch'town	Dp. 4.30 pm	Dp. 6.50 am	Ar. 12.40 " "
Royalty Jc	" 4.49 " "	" 7.13 " "	
M. Stwt Jc	Ar. 5.45 " "	Ar. 8.30 " "	
Cardigan.	Dp. 6.00 " "	Dp. 8.50 " "	
Geotown.	" 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	" 6.33 " "	" 3.13 " "
St. Peter's	" 7.30 " "	" 4.29 " "
Morell	" 7.53 " "	" 5.00 " "
Mt. Stwt Jc.	Ar. 8.25 " "	Ar. 5.40 p. m.

Trains Going East.

STATIONS.	No. 10 Express	No. 12, Mixed
Mt. Stwt 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, Ch'town, May 22, 1879.

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MAY, 1879.

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Leave Pictou for Hawkesbury every MONDAY and THURSDAY, on arrival of morning train from Halifax, connecting both ways with stage and Steamer "Neptune," to and from Sydney and Bras d'Or Lake.

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Charlottetown, May 6, 1879.

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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