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CHARLOTTETOWN—
TIME TABLE
 (LOCAL TIME.)

Arrival and Departure of Trains and Steamers.

TRAINS

Express leaves for the west.....	8 35 a. m.
Express arrives from the west.....	9 50 p. m.
Accommodation leaves for the west.....	4 10 p. m.
Accommodation leaves for the west.....	6 00 p. m.
Accommodation arrives from the west.....	10 55 a. m.
Express leaves for the east.....	2 25 p. m.
Express arrives from the east.....	7 05 a. m.
Accommodation leaves for the east.....	9 10 a. m.
Accommodation arrives from the east.....	3 00 p. m.
Accommodation arrives from the east.....	4 50 p. m.

STEAMERS
PRINCESS.

Leaves for Pictou every morning at..... 9 50 a. m.
 Arrives from Pictou every evening at..... 8 30 p. m.

LA GRANDE DUCHESSE.

Arrives from Boston and Halifax every Monday..... 12 p. m.
 Leaves for Boston and Halifax every Wednesday..... 10 a. m.

HALIFAX.

Arrives from Boston and Halifax every Thursday..... 7 p. m.
 Leaves for Halifax and Boston every Friday..... 1 p. m.

CAMPANA.

Arrives from Montreal and Quebec every alternate Friday.....
 Leaves for Quebec and Montreal the following Monday evening.

CITY OF GHENT.

Arrives from Halifax every Thursday afternoon.....
 Leaves for Halifax every Friday..... 10 a. m.

JACQUES CARTIER.

Leaves for Orwell Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays..... 3 p. m.
 Leaves for Crapaud every Friday at..... 3 p. m.
 Leaves for Crapaud every Saturday at..... 2 p. m.

FERRY BOATS.

"Hillsborough"—Leaves Ferry Wharf for Southport every half hour.
 "Edin"—Leaves for Rocky Point daily at 6.30, 8, 9, 11, a. m.; 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, p. m., local time. Sundays at 9 a. m., 12.45, 2, 3, 4 p. m. Returning 1.15, 2.30, 3.15 and 5 p. m.
 "Southport"—Runs up East River every Tuesday, leaving at 5.30 a. m., and 3 p. m. local. Runs up West River every Friday, leaving at 5.30 a. m., and 4 p. m. local.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION.

For the benefit of tourists and others we publish the following list of hotels and boarding houses in Charlottetown and elsewhere:—
 Charlottetown—Hotel Davies, Queen Hotel, Revere Hotel, Eureka House, Ocean House, Railway House, Lepage House, Duncan House, Finlay House, McFadyen House.
 Summerside—Clifton House, Russ Hotel, Campbell Hotel, Perry House.
 Souris—Sea View Hotel, Ocean House.
 Tracadie—Acadia Hotel.
 Rustico—Sea Side Hotel.
 Stanhope—Cliff House, Mutch House.
 Brackley Point—Shaw House.
 Alberton—Seaforth House, Albion Terrace.
 Malpeque—Hodgson House, North Shore House.
 Pownall—Florida Hotel, Dominion House.
 Vernon River Bridge—Finlay House.
 Georgetown—Aitken House, Tappan House, Acadia House.
 Cape Traverse—Lanadowne Hotel.
 Tignish—McKenna House, Bellevue Hotel, Railway Hotel.
 Kensington—Clarke's Hotel, Commercial Hotel.
 Montserrat—Macdonald House.
 Mount Stewart—Clarke's Hotel, Mansel House.
 Hampton—Pleasant View House.
 Port Hill—Port Hill House.
 Besides, there are a good many private houses throughout the province where excellent accommodation at a reasonable rate may be obtained. Further information may be obtained upon application at the Examiner's office.

CRISIS IN SERBIA

Due to the King's Betrothal.

VIENNA, July 26.—The announcement of King Alexander of Serbia of his betrothal to Mme. Masoin, formerly a lady-in-waiting to the Queen Natalie, caused a sensation throughout Serbia and a commotion in Vienna. The lady is obscure, and her birth is regarded as almost plebeian. She is 12 years older than King Alexander. The Serbian Ministry, upon learning of the fact Saturday promptly resigned, and the King has as yet failed to find successors to them.
 The match is regarded in Belgrade as preposterous, and a menace to the State. Feeling is so strong that the King has placed a guard around Mme. Masoin's house, fearing an attempt will be made to abduct her.
 Ex-King Milan, King Alexander's father, who was taking the waters at Carlsbad, learned of the betrothal with utter amazement last night. Within ten minutes he telegraphed a resignation to his command of the Serbian army. Milan is now in Vienna en route to Serbia. It is rumored that King Alexander will stop him at the frontier. In an interview Milan expressed regret and grief for his son's action.

Wedding of the Aged.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., July 26.—John King, a widower, aged 85, has just married Mrs. Elizabeth Elstone, widow of the late Geo. Elstone, who is aged 71. Both have considerable property.

PORKERS FOR CAPE BRANTON.—The Bras D'Or Gazette reports the recent landing there of "a pair of thoroughbred (registered) Yorkshire pigs for Colin Nicholson, Esq., of Olan. Mr. Nicholson imported them from the herd of J. W. Calbeck, Esq., of Agostine Cove, P. E. Island, a successful breeder who owns the finest stock in the Maritime Provinces, if not in Canada. A glance over the prize list of 1899 exhibition at St. John and Halifax, will show that Mr. Calbeck's herd made a clear sweep of the first and second prizes.

CHINA THEN AND NOW.

When Japan declared war against China in 1894 the Chinese soldiers were trained in the tactics of the old Manchu fighters. Some regiments carried nothing but long spears, which were about as useful as a flagstaff would be. The Japanese shot them down at long range, and the spears never came into action. Other Chinese forces were armed with old-styled muskets—so old and in such bad condition that the men who fired them were in more danger than those who stood in front of them. Some of the battles and their results at that time compared with the engagements of the past few weeks will be interesting. For instance:

At Pekin-Yang the 40,000 Japanese who attacked the entrenched Chinese army of 20,000 lost 30 killed and 270 wounded. The Chinese lost 19,000 killed, wounded and taken prisoners.

At Port Arthur the Japanese lost only 250 killed and wounded together—one account gives but 18 killed. The Chinese lost about 2,000. This in a charge against entrenchments defended by eighty-five guns, with about 18,000 troops on each side.

At Kin-Chow 10,000 Japs were attacked by a large force of Chinese, which they defeated with great slaughter, losing themselves but 20 killed and sixty wounded.

That was the Chinaman of 1894. There is a different story in the present operations. Admiral Seymour started for Pekin with 2,000 men, but did not get far on his journey before he was forced back to avoid annihilation. The Boxers were joined by Imperial troops, and Seymour lost 92 killed and 207

wounded. Since then the 10,000 or 12,000 European and Japanese troops were practically besieged in the foreign district of Tien Tsin, until July 16th; when the native city was captured by the allied forces, whose casualties exceeded eight hundred.

CLEVER DESPATCH.

An English paper records the following instance of the ingenuity of Colonel Frank Rhodes when the relief column was making its way to Mafeking, and Plumer and Baden-Powell had sent messages asking for details as to members, guns and supplies. It was impossible to trust a straightforward answer to the risk of the road, and so the native runners were supplied with this ingenious reply: "Our numbers are the Naval and Military multiplied by 10; our guns are the numbers of sons in the ward family; our supplies the O. C. 9th Lancers." It would have puzzled the Boer Intelligence Department to find out that the Naval and Military Club is at No. 94, Piccadilly; that the House of Dudley has six sons, and that the officer commanding the 9th Lancers is Colonel Small-Little.

DOESN'T UNDERSTAND ENGLISH.

An English prisoner talking to his Boer captor was told by him that "the Boers must succeed because they are constantly praying for victory." "But so are the English constantly doing that," said the prisoner. "That is no matter," said the Boer, "for God does not understand English." And the Boer believed this because President Kruger had told him so!

THE BIRTH OF KHAKI.

Veteran writes:—"Khaki (anglice 'drab') was adopted as the color of uniform first by the famous Guide Corps under Lumsden and Hodson in 1848. In the Indian mutiny of 1857 we dyed all our white clothing khaki, and since that time it has always been worn in India—either in drill, serge or cloth—as the fatigue or fighting dress of the army. During the Afghan campaigns of 1878-80 we wore khaki drill or serge throughout the operations."



The Nimrod—if he was only lower down, I wouldn't do a thing but knock him on the head with the gun barrel!—New York Journal.

- The Richest Author—W. W. Astor.
- The most cheerful author—Samuel Smiles.
- The noisiest author—Howells.
- The tallest author—Longfellow.
- The most flowery author—Hawthorne.
- The most amusing author—Thomas Tickell.
- The happiest author—Gay.
- The most fiery author—Burns.
- The most talkative author—Chatterton.
- The most distressed author—Alken-side.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Another Day.



"Well, I've volunteered."
 "Oh, Cecil, how brave—how noble of you!"
 "Yes, most of our chaps are off to the front, so I've volunteered to stay at home!"

Head Work.
 "It might be well enough," said the lecturer, "before the lights are turned down and the pictures are thrown upon the screen, for the janitor to close one of those windows. The ladies in the audience will be taking their hats off in a few moments and the breeze upon their heads may be unpleasant." The windows were not closed, but the hats came off.—Chicago Tribune.

His Cash.
 Druggist—Rockwell seems to have money to burn.
 Grocer—I don't know. He always pays me the cold cash.—Chicago Tribune.

Itching Piles

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Men's Underwear.

- Men's Fine Cotton Shirts and Drawers usually sold for 20 to 25c per garment. Our reduced price..... 15c
- Men's Double thread Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers regular price 65c. Our price..... 45c
- A heavier weight..... 60c
- Men's Natural Cotton Shirts and Drawers, well finished, feel like silk, well worth \$2.50. As we have an extra supply of this line we have reduced the price, the suit..... \$2.00
- Natural Wool, Medium Weight, although the manufacturers price is advanced, we will sell at old price \$2.25
- For those who cannot wear cotton we have very fine and light weight made from Australian wool, the suit..... \$4.00

Men's Colored Shirts.

In this line we have the largest stock of up-to-date patterns found in the city.
 Stiff bosom, collar and cuffs attached, sizes 14, 14½, 15, 15½ and 16. Reduced from 75c to..... 60c
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