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On and after TUESDAY, 26th, Dec., 1899, the trains of this Railway will run daily, (Sundays excepted), as under

Trains Outward. Read down	STATIONS	Trains Inward. Read up
P. M. A. M.		A. M. P. M.
10 7 15	lv Ch'town ar	9 45 2 10
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13 8 59	Emerald Jun	7 44 12 30
47 9 26	Kensington	7 09 12 02
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P. M. 12 30 lv	W'side	ar A. M. 10 10
1 13	Wellington	9 27
1 51	Port Hill	8 49
3 00	O'Leary	7 40
4 05	Alberton	6 35
5 00 ar	Tignish	lv 5 49
P. M.		A. M.
P. M.		A. M.
2 10 lv	Charlottetown	ar 10 10
3 35 ar	St. Stewart	45
3 50 lv	Junction	30
5 02	Cardigan	7 15
5 25 ar	Georgetown	lv 6 50
P. M.		A. M.
P. M.		A. M.
3 45 lv	Mount Stewart	ar 8 25
4 23	Morell	7 57
4 52	St. Peter	7 28
6 20 ar	Souris	lv 6 00
P. M.		A. M.
P. M.		A. M.
5 15 lv	Emerald	ar 7 35
6 05 ar	Cape Traverse	lv 6 45

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Take the harmless, necessary operation of shaving, says William Archer, in a letter to the New York Times. In a brief and not unpleasant process. In an American "tonsorial parlor" it is a lingering and costly torture. One of the many reasons which lead me to regard the Americans as a leisurely people, rather than a nation of hustlers, is the patience with which they submit to the long drawn tyranny of the barber. In England one grudges five minutes for a shave, and one pays from 4d to 6d. In America one can hardly escape in 25 minutes, and one pays (with the executioner's tip) from a shilling to 15d. The charge would be by no means excessive if one enjoyed all the endless processes to which one is subjected, but for my part I would willingly pay double to escape them.
The essential portion of the business, the actual shaving, is, as a rule, badly performed, with a heavy hand and with a good deal of needless pawing about of the patient's head. But when the shave is over the horrors are only beginning. First your face is cooked for several minutes in relays of towels steeped in boiling water, then a whole series of essences is rubbed into it, generally with the torturer's naked hand. The sequence of these essences varies in different parlors, but one especially loathsome brew, known as "witch hazel," is everywhere inevitable. Then your wounds have to be elaborately doctored with stinging chemicals; your hair, which has been hopelessly tousled in the pawing process, has to be brushed in some sickly smelling oil and drenched; your mustache has to be lubricated and combed, and at last you escape from the tormentor's clutches, irritated, enervated, hopelessly late for an important appointment and so reeking with unwholesome odors that you feel as though at great Neptune's ocean would scarcely wash you clean again.

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Some of you who think you are well up in spelling just to try to spell the words in this little sentence:
"It is agreeable to witness the unparalleled ecstasy of two harassed peddlers endeavoring to gauge the symmetry of two peeled pears."
Read it over to your friends and see how many of them can spell every word correctly. The sentence contains many of the real puzzlers of the spelling book.

The trouble with most of us is that we throw musty old crusts on the water and expect frosted cake in return. —Atchison Globe.

Interesting.
"Life must be very monotonous for you," said the sympathetic friend.
"Not at all," answered the Chinese emperor. "I find a great deal of excitement getting up early in the morning to see whether or not I was assassinated the night before."—Washington Star.

A Bachelor's Romance.
"I came pretty near getting engaged once."
"Why didn't you?"
"The day I made up my mind to propose to the girl a man came along and asked me to go fishing."—Chicago Record.

Spanish Courtesy.
In the Spanish Bibles and prayer books the name of the Saviour and those of the saints are always printed with the title "senor" (mister) before them, as Mr. John the Baptist, Mr. Saint Paul, Mr. Saint Matthew, etc.—Chicago Record.

The best thing to be done when evil comes upon us is not to resort to lamentation, but to act; not to sit and suffer, but to rise and seek the remedy.

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List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property, for the year ending 31st December, 1899, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement of the Number of the town Lot, Water Lot or Common Lot, upon which, or any part thereof, such assessment is in default.

Name of Ratepayer in Default.	Statement or Description of Property upon which Assessment is made.	Amount of Assessment due & unpaid
Binns, Elizabeth	House & Land on Town Lot No. 26, 4th Hundred	\$18.00
Coyle, Stephen	House & Land on Town Lot No. 3, 2nd Hundred	15.75
Cudmore, Andrew	House & Land on Common Lot No. 26	6.75
Hughes, Peter	House & Land on Common Lot No. 22	6.75
Hughes, John	House & Land on Common Lot No. 21	2.25
Lowe, Walter	Vacant Land on Common Lot No. 31	2.06
McKay, W. David	Mill Building & Land on Common Lots Nos. 19 & 20	28.12
Purdie, Jane (W. A. O. Morson, Leslie Mc-Nutt, Trustees)	House & Land on Town Lots Nos. 97 & 98, 1st Hundred	33.75
Stewart, Allan Estate of late	Vacant Land on Town Lot No. 55, 3rd Hundred	2.06
Walling Mrs	House & Land on Town Lot No. 89, 2nd Hundred	2.88
Walling, Mrs	Vacant Land on Common Lot No. 15	1.68
Williams, John	Houses & Land on Common Lot No. 24	11.25

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Statute, 51 Victoria Cap. 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list, being a list of the Ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown, who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make a proclamation to His Honor, the Stipendiary Magistrate of said City, for Judgment and all of the lands above described, for the respective amounts so assessed, and then unpaid, and that upon such judgment being duly entered, they apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands.
Dated this 19th day of December, A. D., 1899.

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December 19, 1899—1mo

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Liberal-Conservatives, Attention.
The annual meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Conference of Prince Edward Island will be held in the Lyceum, Charlottetown, on Tuesday the 23rd day of January instant, at eleven o'clock, a. m.
The Conveners for all the electoral and polling districts are respectfully requested to secure a full representation from their divisions.
D. FERGUSON, President
Liberal Conservative Conference, of P. E. I.
C. R. SMALLWOOD, Secretary
Liberal Conservative Conference, of P. E. I.

In connection with the above I give notice that a Convention for the Fort Augustus District will be held in the Benevolent Irish Society Rooms, Kent Street, on the same day as the above at 1.30 p. m., for the purpose of nominating two candidates for the representation of said district in the Legislative Assembly.
FREDERICK HORNE, Convener
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