

Department of Railways and Canals

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

NOTICE re Leasing of Old Car & Work Shops, Montreal, N. B.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, marked "Tender for leasing car and work shops," will be received until 10 o'clock on the FIFTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1908, for the acquiring under lease of the car and work shops with Railway sidings, (at Montreal, N. B.) as designated on plans to be seen at the office of the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, and at the office of the General Manager of the Intercolonial Railway, Montreal; the lease to be granted to cover to gether with the general terms and conditions in such cases, the following:—

1.—Term 21 years at rental named, with right of renewal for second term at such rental and upon such conditions as the Governor in Council may then determine.

2.—Occupation and use to be bona fide for an industry that will yield a reasonably steady traffic for the railway the character and prospective output of which to be contained within one year from date of Lessee's acquiring property.

3.—That yearly operation shall be of such an extent as to continuously employ not less than 200 employees.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque for \$10,000.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals to be held by the Department in case of the successful tenderer until such time as the lessee has duly installed on the premises for the operation of the work to be carried on under lease, machinery in value to the sum covered by said cheque, of which value the Minister of Railways shall be the sole judge and at which time to be duly returned to the Lessee by the Department.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By Order,
L. K. JONES,
Secretary

Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, January 21st 1908.
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for.

Halifax & South Western Railway

From	To	Time	Days
Halifax	St. John's	12:00	Mon & Fri
St. John's	Halifax	12:00	Tue & Sat
Halifax	St. John's	12:15	Wed & Sun
St. John's	Halifax	12:15	Thu & Mon
Halifax	St. John's	12:30	Fri & Tue
St. John's	Halifax	12:30	Sat & Wed

CONNECTIONS AT MIDDLETON

ALL POINTS ON N. & S. W. RY. AND D. A. RY.

P. MOONEY,

General Freight and Passenger Agent.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

Steamship Lines

St. John's Digby

Boston via Yarmouth

"Land of Evangeline" Route.

On and after January 1st, 1908 the Steamship and Train Service on this line will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

FOR BRIDGETOWN.
Express from Halifax, ... 12:11 p. m.
Express from Yarmouth, ... 1:24 p. m.
Accom. from Richmond, ... 5:20 p. m.
Accom. from Annapolis, ... 7:20 a. m.

FOR BEAR RIVER.
Express from Halifax, ... 1:20 p. m.
Accom. from Ann. Royal, 8:45 a. m.
Express from Yarmouth, 2:45 p. m.
Accom. from Ann. Royal, 7:30 a. m.

Midland Division

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily, (except Sunday) for Truro at 7:40 a. m. and 3:35 p. m., 6:40 a. m. and 3:15 p. m., connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway, and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

Boston Service

by far the finest and fastest steamer plying out of Boston, leave Yarmouth, N. S., Wednesday and Saturday, immediately on arrival of express train from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning, Prince Arthur leaves Long Wharf Boston, Tuesday and Friday at 1:00 p. m.

ST. JOHN AND DIGBY

ROYAL MAIL S. S. BOSTON, daily Service (Sunday excepted).
Leaves St. John, ... 7:45 a. m.
Arrives in Digby, ... 10:45 a. m.
Leave Digby same day after arrival express train from Halifax.

F. GIBKINS, Kentville, General Manager.

The Farmers at Antigonish

(Halifax Canadian Recorder.)

The meeting of the County Farmers' Association in the enterprising little town of Antigonish County, has been a success in every way. The statistical reports of the society shows a constant increase in membership and in public attendance at their gatherings. Judging by the brief reports received, the papers presented were of a high order and extremely practical. Dr. Staudish, using a shorthand pen for illustrative purposes, gave more information in fifteen minutes upon the subject of "defects in horses and how to detect them," than could be gathered from listening to mere written or spoken discourses for a lifetime. Mr. Percy J. Shaw's paper on "Birds" was in its way unique. The wild inhabitants of the air have usually been looked upon by the farmer as enemies to be ruthlessly destroyed whenever opportunity offered. Mr. Shaw showed clearly that the birds were friends and allies whose services are almost invaluable in the domain of agriculture, and especially in fruit raising. If this fact were made clear to our farming population, the feathered songsters which give life and melody to the waste places of the land would be saved from much needless and brutal destruction at the hands of those who have hitherto looked upon them as destructive plagues. Mr. F. W. Foster delivered an address upon a subject which is deserving of more attention than usually falls to its share, and it would be in the interest of the province to have the matter taken up and discussed further by the public prints. The speaker made a number of comparisons between agricultural possibilities of Nova Scotia and the North West. Here we have neither drought nor cyclones, summer frosts nor winter blizzards, and the moisture of our climate is especially favorable to the growth of those crops which make the best hay. This is not only in general farming, but especially in the matter of dairying. Nova Scotia offers advantages equal to those of the West. Then why should not our young men stay at home and take up the abandoned farms which are scattered so abundantly over the land? But the lure of the West at present seems irresistible, and apparently the fertile areas of our province must be taken up and occupied by people from the Old World. What is being done to attract new settlers, formed the theme of Captain Jennings, of the Salvation Army, who showed what was being accomplished by Barnstead, who described in full the methods now being actively pursued by the Murray Government to make good the loss in the population of rural districts by planting these districts with suitable persons from the British Isles. The speaker dealt with so familiarly with Messrs. Jennings and Barnstead is of great importance to the future advance and welfare of Nova Scotia. We have a narrow rim of settlements around our coast, and a scattered population in our river valleys in the interior, while the whole heart, geographically speaking, of the country is almost an unbroken stretch of unutilized forest and pasture land, whose fertility is unobscured. With nearly three times the area and more than three times the resources of the State of Massachusetts we have only about a sixth of her population. With a density of population equal to Prince Edward Island, 20 to the square mile, Nova Scotia would boast of 2,500,000 inhabitants, and her resources developed would with ease support them all. The organization of an immigration department by our Provincial Government is fraught with greater possibilities for our advancement and prosperity than anything in our history since the establishment of a Responsible Government sixty years ago. We commend the Farmer's Association and appreciate the vast importance of its work.

I Deserve Arrest

Says Girl Nurse

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Aurelia Lightbourne, the fourteen-year-old nurse girl who is a prisoner in the Nassau County Jail at Mineola, L. I., charged with assault in the second degree, yesterday made a full confession to Assistant District Attorney Cole concerning her reasons for making two-year-old Robert Purdy, her charge, swallow low pins, needles and matches and other materials to make the child ill.

"I have been working for Mr. W. J. Purdy at Rockville Centre," she said. "I had his son Robert in charge. A few months ago Robert began to cry at night, and I had to get up to attend him. I got tired of this thing. I needed sleep, so I hit on the plan to give him the matches and the pins and the other things. That kind of stuff made him sick and Mrs. Purdy had to take care of him.

"It wasn't only because the baby made me lose sleep that I gave him the pins and the needles, I'd come to like dances and parties, and 'socials,' and got acquainted with a lot of white folks who liked me. I wanted to go to their affairs, but because Robert needed attention I couldn't get off nights. So by making the boy sick, and making Mrs. Purdy nurse him, I managed to get away many nights.

"The Purdys never would have known I guess what was the matter with Robert if a minister hadn't come to Rockville Centre to start a religious revival and get money to build a Baptist church for colored people. The minister converted me, and my conscience bothered me so much that I just had to go to Mr. Purdy and confess that I'd had almost killed Robert just to get a few nights off. Mr. Purdy had me arrested, and I received my sentence."

The girl will be arraigned tomorrow before the grand jury. District Attorney Cole will conduct the prosecution and ask for a year in the reformatory to the disposition of the nurse girl.

Hard Times in New England

The financial outlook is much brighter in the United States, but the industrial situation, especially in New England, is not reassuring, as many mills are either shut down or operating on a reduced scale. In New England, the slack time is about 100,000 employees. A further curtailment by many large cotton mills is expected within the next two months. For the benefit of Canadians looking for employment, it might be as well to state as emphatically as possible that the United States is a resource of the State of Massachusetts we have only about a sixth of her population. With a density of population equal to Prince Edward Island, 20 to the square mile, Nova Scotia would boast of 2,500,000 inhabitants, and her resources developed would with ease support them all. The organization of an immigration department by our Provincial Government is fraught with greater possibilities for our advancement and prosperity than anything in our history since the establishment of a Responsible Government sixty years ago. We commend the Farmer's Association and appreciate the vast importance of its work.

Humoring the Ill

Not all the fear that ever man or woman had will create a miracle, but fear will so weaken the nervous system that the body becomes an easy prey to microbes. Not all the faith that ever man had will change the character of a brain of a man, but a sick person is firmly convinced that a bread pill will cure him, it may do him a world of good because of the fact of his faith upon his nervous system. Hence the wisdom of always speaking confidently to the sick about their recovery.

Two Family Tragedies

Two tragedies by which, through the burning of their home, two families have been wiped out of existence, have been reported this week. One of these calamities occurred at Grand Casapedia, N. B. The father of the family returning home with a load of wood, found his home in ruins and only the charred remains of his wife and two children and his father, Andrew Campbell.

The other tragedy is reported from North Bay, Ontario. On Sunday morning when the father of the family, Hickey, rose early and built a big wood fire and then went to the stable, returning a little later to find the house in flames and his wife and five children, one of them a two-day-old babe, to have perished in the flames.

Salvation Army Praise

"I feel it my duty to testify to the benefit I have received from the use of Psychine. While travelling in New Ontario conducting special meetings I contracted a very bad cold, which gradually developed into Bronchitis of the worst form. It was advised to try Psychine, which I did, and after using but a few bottles I was completely restored to health. I recommend this wonderful remedy to sufferers from Bronchitis and other troubles of the throat and chest. Psychine is stronger and has much more carrying power than I had before I had bronchitis, and the vocal chords do not tire with speaking."

P. TILLER, Capt. 5th Army, Ann St., Toronto, Aug. 13, 1907.

Throat, lung and stomach troubles cured by Psychine; also insipient consumption. All druggists, 50c and \$1.00, or Dr. T. A. Steum, Limited, Toronto.

Fresh Air Fad Killed Baby

AURORA, Ill., Feb. 2.—An Aurora couple, who are devoted to fresh air, lost a baby last night while their girl babe, 4 weeks old, was chilled to death by the right atmosphere which came in by way of an open window.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross, a young husband and wife living on North Broadway are the parents. A coroner's jury, which was summoned today found that the cause of the infant's death was exposure.

Mr. and Mrs. Gross retired last night at 10:30 o'clock after wrapping their sleeping infant in warm blankets. To protect it from the cold as it lay in its cradle.

They slumbered deeply until early this morning, when Mrs. Gross was roused by a foreboding that all was not well with her little girl. She jumped out of bed and struck a light, and her first glance was arrested by a sight of the baby rigid in death.

Horridly, she awakened her husband and sent him racing after a physician while she worked frantically to bring the victim in perusal. The doctor pronounced the child dead. He said that it had died more than an hour before he reached the home. The shock young to the bereft mother her reason. She is prostrated, and is under the care of her physician.

FOR THAT TERRIBLE COUGH

Lozenge, tablet and salt lozenge keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching, and many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by W. A. WARE'S, BRIDGETOWN, W. W. WADE AND BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE, BEAR RIVER.

Daniel Clark Lost His Life Trying to Board a Steamer at Boston

BOSTON, Jan. 31st.—Having delayed his going aboard until the last moment, and then trying to reach the port steamer, Daniel Clark, 47, of the Portland steamer "Ransom B. Fuller," jumped as she was pulling from the wharf. Daniel Clark, steward, missed the dock and went into the waters of the harbor, and was drowned. In his drop, he took with him two black-dogs of the steamer, who had grabbed at him as he jumped to the edge of the steamer, but were unable to hold him. Clark was 20 years old, single, and lived in Canis, N. S. The body was recovered.

Burning Steamer Sighted

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The hull of the steamer St. Cathar's, which was wrecked off Cape Sable with the loss of a dozen lives, was sighted about 6 a. m. last Tuesday by the steamer Statenland, which arrived here today. The wreck was wrapped in flame from stem to stern. The Statenland circled around the blazing steamer for half an hour, but finally determined that nothing could be done and then proceeded. At that time the St. Cathar's was about 20 miles southeast of Cape Sable.

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

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Each bicarb as light as fairy hands.

Baked to a golden russet brown.

So fresh, and crisp, and tempting, that just opening the box is teasing the appetite.

And you find a new delight in every one you eat.

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Annual Whitewear Sale

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CLARKE BROS.

Grand Opening February 3rd. & Following Days.

ECLIPSE BRAND

Four Reasons why Eclipse Whitewear will satisfy you:

1st. Made by practical experts. You're sure of perfection in finish.

2nd. Material is purest and best that experienced buyers can obtain from the world's best markets.

3rd. Style the latest. Expert designers have closely followed fashion's latest demands, and cutting gives wide generous measurements that fit with ease and grace.

4th. Prices are invincible. Though cost of labour and material has increased rapidly, we offer the following goods of this year's still higher quality and workmanship with the same unbeatable values of last year.

Night Robes.

750 Made of soft fine long cloth, 13" Florence, three rows of wide insertion, lace trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

751 A better quality Sale Price \$1.50

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753 Made of Lonsdale cambric, 16" Florence, five cluster tucks, Hamburg trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

754 Made of English long cloth 12" Florence four rows of lace and 100" Applique trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$2.00

755 Made of fine long cloth 16" Florence three cluster tucks, Swiss Hamburg trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$2.25

756 Made of good cotton, finished with wide Hemstitched hem Sale Price \$1.00

757 Made of long cloth, 18" Florence, lace and insertion Sale Price \$1.25

758 Made of English long cloth 5" full three Hemstitched tucks, tape secured Sale Price \$1.25

759 Made of good cotton, umbrella full, three tucks, Hamburg trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

760 Made of English long cloth, deep house lace and insertion trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

761 Made of fine long cloth 5" full finished three cluster tucks, lace and insertion trimmed, tape finished Sale Price \$1.50

762 Made of fine soft long cloth 4" full Applique insertion and trim Sale Price \$1.75

763 Made of fine soft Lonsdale, slip-over style, lace and applique trim Sale Price \$1.87

764 Made of fine Nainsook, slip-over style, yoke applique and applique, sleeves Hamburg trimmed, Sale Price \$2.25

765 Made of fine soft Nainsook, slip-over style yoke applique and Hamburg trimmed Sale Price \$2.75

766 Made of fine finished cambric, yoke trimmed three cluster tucks, finished with lace insertion and applique, full front for large women, Sale Price \$1.00

767 Large sizes 43 to 44 Bust, sale Price \$1.35

Drawers.

27 Made of good cotton, finished with wide Hemstitched hem Sale Price \$1.00

28 Made of long cloth, 18" Florence, lace and insertion Sale Price \$1.25

29 Made of English long cloth 5" full three Hemstitched tucks, tape finished Sale Price \$1.25

30 Made of good cotton, umbrella full, three tucks, Hamburg trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

31 Made of English long cloth, deep house lace and insertion trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.50

32 Made of fine long cloth 5" full finished three cluster tucks, lace and insertion trimmed, tape finished Sale Price \$1.50

33 Made of fine soft long cloth 4" full Applique insertion and trim Sale Price \$1.75

34 Made of fine soft Lonsdale, slip-over style, lace and applique trim Sale Price \$1.87

35 Made of fine Nainsook, slip-over style, yoke applique and applique, sleeves Hamburg trimmed, Sale Price \$2.25

36 Made of fine soft Nainsook, slip-over style yoke applique and Hamburg trimmed Sale Price \$2.75

37 Made of fine finished cambric, yoke trimmed three cluster tucks, finished with lace insertion and applique, full front for large women, Sale Price \$1.00

38 Large sizes 43 to 44 Bust, sale Price \$1.35

Underskirts

200 Made of good cotton, French hand finished with deep hem, three cluster tucks, Sale Price \$1.00

201 Made of fine cambric, French hand finished deep lace insertion and tuck and lace, Sale Price \$1.50

202 Made of Lonsdale Cambric, 9" Florence, French hand, lace trimmed, tape secured Sale Price \$1.00

203 Made of soft finished cotton, French hand, deep lace insertion and lace, Sale Price \$1.50

204 Made of long cloth, 10" Florence three rows tucking, Hamburg trimmed, tape secured, Sale Price \$1.00

205 Made of English Long Cloth, 11" Florence, two rows 5/8" cluster tucking, and Hamburg trimmed tape secured Sale Price \$1.10

Corsét Covers

303 Made of good cotton, full front lace and insertion trimmed Sale Price \$1.00

304 Made of fine cambric, low round neck, full front, lace trimmed Sale Price \$1.25

305 Made of fine English long cloth, full front hip length, lace and ribbon trimmed Sale Price \$1.50

306 Made of fine Nainsook, full front Hamburg and ribbon trimmed, large sizes for stout women, Sale Price \$1.50

307 Made of fine Nainsook, low round neck full front, lace and insertion trimmed, tape finish strapping, Sale Price \$1.00

308 Made of fine Nainsook, low round neck, handsewn trim, lined lace and insertion, Sale Price \$1.00

309 Made of fine cambric Umbrella full handsewn trimmed Sale Price \$1.00

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