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1886.	315,802.22	909,489.73	9,774,543.00
1896	760,403.34	3,404,907.79	20,000,000.00

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ON and after Tuesday, the 1st March, 1898,  
trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) as  
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### TRAINS WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN.

Express for Campbellton, Pugwash, Pictou, and Halifax.....	7.00
Express for Halifax, .....	13.10
Express for Quebec and Montreal,.....	16.30
Express for Sussex,.....	16.40

Passengers from St. John for Quebec and Mon-  
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Dining and Buffet cars on Quebec and Montreal  
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Express from Sussex,.....	8.30
Express from Halifax,.....	16.00
Express from Halifax, Quebec, & Montreal, .....	19.25
Accommodation from Pt. du Chene & Mon- cton .....	12.30
Accommodation from Moncton .....	23.45

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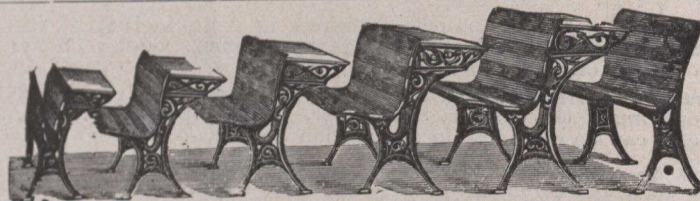
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