



by way of new Brunswick, from Sackville to Cape Tormentine, and the steamer carries not only passenger trains but motor cars which land at Port Borden. Another route is by way of Pictou, N. S., to Charlottetown, the distance being fifty miles and sailing time four hours in a modern and well-appointed steamer.

Prince Edward Island is the world's headquarters of "Silver Fox" ranching. It was here that the problems of domesticating and breeding the black fox were solved, and the development has attracted world-wide attention. Time was when Reynard was merely the execrated and hunted robber of hen-roosts; now he is the pampered aristocrat of domestic animals, fed on the best and housed in scientifically constructed ranches.

Science, too, has wrought many changes in methods of agriculture in this "million-acre farm." In early days potatoes were hoed in about the stumps with no further care until they were dug; now the specially treated seed is placed in "commercially" fertilized furrows, sprayed and cultivated and officially inspected at frequent intervals until the tubers are carefully placed in bags to find a select market as "certified seed potatoes." The small, hardy blue-black cattle, brought on the decks of immigrant ships by the Scottish pioneers, have been replaced by pedigreed herds of Shorthorn and Holstein, and in this connection it may be noted that this province is now a "disease-free area," no case of bovine tuberculosis existing within its