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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

1891 Winter Arrangement. 1892

ON and after Monday, 19th OCTOBER 1891, the Trains will run daily (Sunday excepted as follows:

WILL LEAVE SACKVILLE:

Fast Express for Halifax (Monday excepted)	7.44
Day Express for Oxford Jun. Pugwash, Pictou and Halifax	12.40
Accommodation for Moncton	8.30
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Day Express for St. John	14.11
Fast Express for Halifax	18.25
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A train will leave Oxford Jct at 14.45 o'clock, for Pugwash and Pictou, arriving at Pictou at 19.40 o'clock.

All trains are run by Eastern Standard time.

D. POTTINGER, Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., 15th Oct., 1891

N. B. & P. E. I. Railway.

1891—WINTER ARRANGEMENT—189

N EFFECT MONDAY, OCT. 19, 1891.

Train Run by Eastern Standard Time.

ON and after Monday, Oct 19th 1891, Trains will run as follows:

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JOSIAH WOOD, President.

Sackville, Oct 19th 1891.

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1891 Winter Time Table 1892

To take effect Oct 19th, 1891,

	Nov 2	Nov 4
Leave Maccan	8 25	13 45
" Lawson Mine*		
" Amherst Mine*		
" River Hebert	8.50	14 10
" Minudie Mine*		
Arrive at Joggins	9.05	14 25

GOING EAST:

	No 1	No 3
Leave Joggins	6 30	11 45
" Minudie Mine*		
" River Hebert	6.45	12
" Lawson Mine*		
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GENERAL NEWS.

—The new government of Quebec will sue Pacaud for the recovery of the Baie des Chaleurs $100,000.

—S. J. Hessix of Annapolis has shipped about 1,500 rabbits to Bangor, Me., within the past week and has about 1,000 more ready.

—Hon. Mr. Abbott has proceeded with the formation of the new cabinet. Hon. John Haggart, has been appointed minister of railways, and Hon. Mr. Ouimet minister of public works.

—William Dean Howells is said to get $17,000 a year for his editorial position with the Cosmopolitan. A man can stand a vast amount of criticism for $17,000 per annum.

—The Khedive of Egypt is dead. He was not feeling well and ordered a native surgeon to inject morphine. The latter did so and his royal patient died. European doctors say he died of blood poisoning as the results of the injection.

—The Halifax government has made up its estimate of the assessment necessary for all civic purposes for the year, May 1, 1892, to May 1, 1893. The sum is $325,507, about $11,000 more than the estimate of the current year.

—They are badly off for ice in Dartmouth, N. S. As none has yet formed this winter, one dealer is having recourse to his storage of 1890. If the ice which was stored at St. Andrews and which brought woe to many St. John capitalists has been preserved it will be a gold mine to the owners.

—A young Campbellton girl named Effie Johnson rescued a lad named Kelly from drowning the other day, in a very heroic and intelligent manner. He had fallen through thin ice, upon which the foremost, directing him to lay hold of them, which he did and she crawled away from the hole, dragging Kelly out upon the ice that would bear his weight.—Chatham World.

—Some fears has been entertained in regard to the prospect of next summer's cut of hay, because of the prolonged exposure this fall and winter of the hay fields to the frost. It is admitted, however, that so far there has not been frost severe enough to injure the grass, and that where some of the fields along the Nashwaak have been covered with ice there need be no apprehension, for last winter, in Maugerville and Lincoln, the fields were covered in the same way, and the crop of last summer was more than an average one.—(Fredericton Gleaner.

—Charles B. Hanford, the actor, says that Edwin Booth used to encounter once in a while a preternaturally solemn audience, and would be much distressed by his failure to elicit a smile from a single face by his best hits. On one occasion, it is said becoming exasperated beyond endurance, he walked to the footlights, and drawing down his face said earnestly: "Ladies and gentleman, I don't ask you to laugh, but for heaven's sake don't cry." Needless to say they did not. Mr. Hanford also tells of Mr. Booth consenting at another time under like circumstances, to having one or two good laughers placed in the audience to relieve the gloom.

—Mr. Turner, keeper of the Cole Harbor poor's farm, arrived at Halifax recently. He was seen at County Clerk Wiswell's office by a Mail reporter to whom he told a story about a strange animal that has been seen in the woods. The animal was first noticed by Post-Master Cooper who resides near Preston. Mr. Cooper had to go through a small piece of wood to reach his horse. When half way through he was startled at seeing a huge creature some distance in front of him standing erect. It looked, he says like a gorilla. The height of it was nearly seven feet. Mr. Cooper—who is a reliable person—went home another way and with others returned armed to the place where he had seen the strange creature. It was gone, however, but its footprints were plainly visible. Richard Owen saw the same animal. His description is similiar to that given by Mr. Cooper. Gordon Kulin and his son also saw the animal the same day. Persons residing in this vicinity have become alarmed.

Too Late.

Perhaps Tennyson has written nothing which appeals to the heart of all who read his poems more than the lyric of "Too Late." The burden of the sad refrain comes home with telling force to the hearts of those who have lost friends by that dread disease—Consumption. They realize "too late," the result of neglect. They feel that the dear one might have been saved if they had heeded the warning of the hacking cough, the pallid cheek, and weakening system. They feel this all the more keenly because they see others being rescued from the grasp of the destroyer, and they think what is saving others might have saved their loved one. When the first signal of danger is seen, take steps to avert the catastrophe. Be wise in time. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will drive away consumption. Do not wait until too late before putting its wonderful efficacy to the test. It succeeds where other remedies fail.

IKE.

His quiet ways and honest look
Won all the diggin's at the start.
His blue eyes seemed an open book
In which we read his quileless heart.
He first showed up at placer Mound
Jes' after the big '80 strike,
An' unobtrusive loafed around,
All unconcerned an' quiet like.

Some thought he war a millionaire
From 'Frisco, lookin' up a snap,
Whilst others said he had the air
Of some revival gospel chap.
The boys soon tied to him the name
Of "Reverend Sanctimonous Ike"
Jes' cause he played the pious game,
So unconcerned an' quiet like.

He nursed the sick; spoke words o' cheer
To them as 'ras'led with despair,
An' at the bed o' pain you'd hear
His low, sad voice in earnest prayer,
No matter wher distress war found,
You'd see thar Sanctimonous Ike
Jes' like an Angel movin' round,
All unconcerned an' quiet like.

One night the safe in which war kept
The dust of all the men in camp
War busted open while we slept,
By some durned, onery, thievin' scamp,
We took the trail amazin' quick
An' soon struck Sanctimonrus Ike,
Leadin' a pack mule down the creek
All unconcerned an' quiet like.

We found the stuff, a jedge was chose,
An' thar behind a jackoak tree
The court convened, an' w'en it rose,
We took the back trail quietly,
An up the mountain side we clim,
We took a back'ard glance at Ike
A hangin' from a jackoak limb
All unconcerned and quiet like.

—Captain Jack Crawford.

Society in Big Cities,

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The social life in our large cities is one of the most fascinating studies in the world. The women who comprise it are naturally the most beautiful and most brilliant of their sex. Never have we, however, seen this whirl of society through the eyes of those who are its leaders. We have seen it from the outside, as it were, but now we are to have 1892, *The Ladies Home Journal* will give its readers these glimpses in a series of interesting articles under the title "Social Life at Six Centres." Mrs. Curton Harrison, the author of "The Anglomaniacs," is to write of "Social Life in New York," and none can speak of it with so much authority as she who is one of its social leaders. Mrs. Admiral Dahlgren will portray "Washington Society," and Mrs. Annie de Koven, daughter of Senator Farwell, will write of "Social Life in Chicago." Then Boston, Philadelphia and San Francisco will follow. These articles will tell exactly what social life in a great city means, how dinners arranged and given; how the women dress and act; the etiquette of the best parlors; what the daily life of a society woman means; how girls are introduced into the social swim and make their debut, and the other hundred and one things which are most interesting to read and know about in social life and warfare. The *Journal* series will be a splendid one, without question, and it will give thousands a new idea of what it means to be "in society" in the largest cities of our land.

Man Eater Subdued.

It took Prof. Oscar R. Gleason' the horse tamer, an hour and a quarter the other night, to subdue the stallion Junius, the man-eating animal that has been the terror of Central Illinois for half a decade, and through whose ferocious tendencies, half a dozen men are minus fingers and thumbs. Five thousand people were present when the feat was accomplished.

Earlier in the day it had taken four hours to get a strap over the head of the terror, and lead him two blocks, where he was placed within an inclosure, surrounded by a wooden fence eight feet high. During the afternoon he varied the monotony by knocking down part of the enclosure.

Prof. Gleason entered the ring at 8:45, carrying a whip in his left hand, and a bull-dog revolver loaded with blank cartridges, in his right, while in the outer circle, ten attendants with bulldogs loaded with shells, stood guard, prepared to perforate the animal if occasion demanded. Gleason's tactics were simply an alternate cracking of the whip and discharging of the blank cartridges.

For the first 10 minutes the animal was inclined to kick and bite, and Gleason had hard work to avoid his attacks; at the end of 15 minutes he was stroking the terror's neck; in 20 he was holding his mane, and 10 minutes later, he had put on its neck the first halter it had ever worn; in 40 minutes Junius came and went as commanded, in 50 he had permitted his tamer to place his hand in his mouth, meanwhile standing as meek as a Shetland poney.

An hour from the time Gleason entered the ring, the terror was harnessed to an open, one seated buggy, and for 15 minutes the professor drove him around the ring, while the audience howled itself hoarse. Afterward the animal permitted strange attendants to lead him back to the stable.

WOMEN'S COLUMN.

Conducted by the Ladies of the Sackville W. C. T. U.

A RICH MAN'S DAUGHTER in the city of Boston told me that when she joined the church, at seventeen years of age, she went to the kind, conservative old pastor, and said: Now, I have promised loyalty to Christ, and if you know of any way in which I can be of service in the household of faith to which you have admitted me, I want to tell you it will be the highest joy to work as you direct.

She said the kindly face grew puzzled and disturbed, and, after some reflection the old man said, rejoiced to find a way out of his dilemma: "Why, Nellie, if I should ever find anything in the church that you could do, I'd let you know!" She told me that five years had passed since then, in which she had heard nothing. All this is changed. To-day, grown to mature years, the same lady is a leader in the Foreign Missionary work—that blessed John the Baptist that prepares the way for women, and opens highways to the great cause of home philanthropy—the Woman's Home Missionary work, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, with its beckoning hand and its stir voice, "For God and Home and Native Land," the Christian Endeavor Societies, working so bravely "For God and the Church," the King's Daughters, with their glorious motto, "In his Name." He calls by opportunities like these, in a more winsome voice than Christian ever heard before.—*Mrs. Fernald.*

Mrs. Hannah Whitall Smith, sometimes playfully called "Warwick the King Maker," and at other times the "Thurlow Weed of the National W. C. T. U.," is a woman who never accepted interested and active in the white ribbon movement. Mrs. Smith is a member of the executive committee of the British Women's Temperance Association, and by a unanimous vote of the World's Executive Committee has been made its advisory member. The press has justly called Mrs. Smith the most famous Quaker preacher in the world, and of this there is no doubt. Her book entitled "The Christian's Secret of a Happy Life," has now been translated into twenty different languages, and preaches for her in every zone and to all classes of mankind, while her voice goes on in most tender and motherly admonitions as she gives her Bible Readings in England and America, that have been so widely sought for the past twenty years.

In an article on Lord Shaftsbury in a recent number of the *Youth's Companion*, Archdeacon Farrar calls attention the testimony of the London police to the effect that, with scarcely an exception every criminal career begins between the ages of fifteen and twenty. In the face of such an assertion, how important become the juvenile and Y. departments of the W. C. T. T.

The unpardonable sin of humanity is loosing faith in itself.—Zerelda G. Wallace.

Between right and wrong there is no ground, save a battle ground.—Mary T. Lathrap.

No one can ever take away the work the Lord has given thee to do.—Esther Pritchard.

Nickels make nickel people. When women begin to handle dollars they broaden out.—Mary E. Haggart.

Unity of purpose presupposes and demands concert of action, else we but play principles and toy with promises.—Louisa S. Rounds.

I rejoice for the consecration of the white ribbon, in that it tells a woman she is a drone and a sluggard, unless she stirs around and makes the best of her powers.—Frances E. Willard.

Never until women are as free to cast ballots against the liquor traffic as men to cast theirs in its favor, shall we see the beginning of the end of the temperance struggle.—Mary A. Livermore.

The church is full of Christain Micawbers, waiting for something to turn up, and while they are waiting for some great thing, all the little things they might do pass them by unnoticed.—Elizabeth W. Greenwood.

The Lord is faithful to accept even the very small part of us we are sometimes willing to give up to Him, but we want it remembered how much greater blessing we shall have by giving ourselves entirely up to Him.—Nary Frazee.

Your vitality is like a sum of money put into the bank, at your birth, at compound interest. You can squander it in youth, and enter manhood in physical bankruptcy; or you can use it judiciously, increase it, and begin active life with a capital of vigor that will be the most important factor in your success. In all your plans, don't neglect to plan for health.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

—Never forget that at least twice a day a good ration of exercise should be provided the hens, and the best way to secure this is to so conceal the grain feed that constant work will be necessary to find it.

—If your pens are not large enough to give room for exercise, reduce the flock. Better by far keep twenty-five in good health, and therefore active in egg building, than to have fifty crowded into the same quarters, and the whole be idle. Activity is necessary for the business of egg making to be carried on, and when we bring from the free range of the farm to the narrow pens and snug quarters, there must be no crowding, but all have room to work.

—Some of our esteemed contemporaries are using a good deal of ink in discussing the probabilities of a race next season between Sunol and Nancy Hanks. There is not the least chance of the mares meeting in a race. Mr. Bonner says he is too old to think of changing the firmly established policy of his life. He has never started a horse in a race, and will not turn over a new leaf with Sunol. If, however, the daughter of Electioneer does well, she will start at Cleveland against the 2.08¾ of Maud S., and there is nothing to prevent Mr. Forbes from doing the same with his great mare, Nancy Hanks. Mr. Forbes and Mr. Bonner it may be added, are the best of friends, although rivals in the trotting field.—(Turf, Field, and Farm.

Big Boom In Grain Shipments.

Over 1,000 Carloads Have Arrived at Halifax for Export to London

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had arrived at Halifax for the elevator, to be shipped by Furness line and Donaldson line steamers to England. Cars are loaded with oat, peas, and barley Each car contains from 24,000 to 50,000 pounds and averaging each car at 34.000 pounds will give a total weight of 35,700,000 pounds to be elevated and reshipped by the steamers. The amount of work this will give to the laborers, and the amount of wages that will be paid for hauling this great quantity of grain can be easily understood. Already about eight steamers have loaded full cargoes, and four steamers are now waiting or taking cargoes at the elevator. It is estimated that there is about 800 cars of grain beside these that have already arrived at Halifax, on the road in the different stations and sidings between here and Moncton. The railway authorities are taxed to their utmost to keep steamers going and find room for the cars. The railway yard at Richmond and North street were packed yesterday, not one car length of railway being unoccupied, The railway staff at North street has been largely increased to keep up the accounts of the station a great amount of extra work being caused by this traffic. Station Master Macdonald has had his work cut out keeping the elevators and steamers supplied. The grain work will be heavier this winter than all the other seasons put together.

Improved Fruits of the Future.

In comparing the earlier descriptions of fruits with modern accounts it is well to remember that the high standards by which fruits are judged are of recent establishment. Fruits which would once have been esteemed excellent would to-day be passed by as unworthy of regard.

It seems probable that the list of seedless fruits will be materially lengthened, provided our experimental horticulturists make use of the material at their command. The common fruits which have very few or no seeds are the banana, pine-apple, and certain oranges. Others mentioned by Mr. Darwin as well known are the bread-fruit, pomegranate, azarole or Neapolitan medlar, and date palms. In commenting upon these fruits, Mr. Darwin says that most horticulturists "look at the great size and anomalous development of the fruit as the cause and sterility as the result," but he holds the opposite view as more probable—that is, that the sterility, coming about gradually, leaves free for other growth the abundant supply of building material which the forming seed would otherwise have. He admits however, that "there is an antagonism between the two forms of reproduction, by seeds and by buds, when either is carried to an extreme degree, which is independent of any incipient sterility."—*The Popular Science Monthly.*

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