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Last July Col. Wrenn's jurisdiction was extended to cover the Canada Atlantic & Plant Line, between Boston and the Provinces, and he immediately made a tour to acquaint himself with the people and their country. He was more than pleased with the beautiful Summer resort, and made no hesitation in saying that the charms of the Provinces were not known sufficiently in the United States.

The increased advertising matter which the Canada Atlantic & Plant Line have issued through the Canadian Office is attributed to Mr. Wrenn's management, and it is understood that he is already making preparations for a very extensive advertising of the Provinces in the United States the coming Season, which must certainly be of advantage to Nova Scotia.

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Surrender of Louisbourg, C.B., in 1745.

Terms of capitulation agreed to June 15, 1745, for the surrender of the town and fortress of Louisbourg, and the territories thereunto belonging, between Commodore Warren and General Pepperrell, on the English side, and M. de Cnambon, the Governor of Louisbourg:—

1.—That if your own vessels shall be found insufficient for the transportation of your persons and effects to France we will provide such a further number of vessels as may be sufficient for that purpose, also any provisions necessary for the voyage that you cannot furnish yourselves with.

2.—That all Commissioned Officers belonging to the Garrison and the inhabitants of the town may remain in their houses with their families and enjoy the free exercise of their religion, and no person shall be suffered to misuse or molest them, till such a time as they can conveniently be transported to France.

3.—That the non-commissioned officers and soldiers shall, immediately upon the surrender of the town and fortress, be put on board one of His Britannic Majesty's ships till they can also be transported to France.

4.—That all your sick and wounded shall be taken tender care of in the same manner with our own.

5.—That the Commander-in-Chief of the garrison shall have leave to send off two covered waggons, to be inspected only by one officer of ours, that no warlike store may be contained therein.

6.—That if there are any persons in the town or garrison which you desire shall not be seen by us, they shall be permitted to go off masked.

"The above we do consent to, and promise on your compliance with the following conditions," viz:—

1.—That the surrender and due performance of every part of the aforesaid promises be made and completed as soon as possible.

2.—That as a security for the punctual performance of the same, the Island Battery, or one of the batteries of the town, shall be delivered with all the artillery and warlike store thereunto belonging into the possession of His Britannic Majesty's troops, before six of the clock this afternoon.

3.—That His Britannic Majesty's ships, now lying before the port shall be at liberty to enter the harbor at Louisbourg without any molestation, as soon after six of the clock this afternoon as the Commander-in-Chief of the said ships shall think fit.

4.—That none of the officers, soldiers nor inhabitants in Louisbourg, who are subjects of the French King, shall take up arms against His Britannic Majesty or any of his allies until after the expiration of the full term of 12 months from this time.

5.—That all the subjects of His Britannic Majesty who are now prisoners with you shall be immediately delivered up to us.

P. WARREN,
W. PEPPERELL.

"It having been desired by the Governor of Louisbourg that his troops might march out of the garrison with their arms and colors, and to be delivered into the custody of Commodore Warren and Mr. Pepperrell, until the said troops arrival in France, and to be then returned to them. The same was consented to."

Articles of capitulation between their Excellencies Admiral Boscawen and Major-General Amherst, and his Excellency the Chevalier Drucour, Governor of the Island of Cape Breton, of Louisbourg, the island of St. John and their appurtenances:—

1.—The garrison of Louisbourg shall be prisoners of war, and shall be carried to England in the ships of His Britannic Majesty.

2.—All the artillery, ammunition, provisions, as well as the arms of any kind whatsoever, which are at present in the town of Louisbourg, the islands of Cape Breton and St. John, and their appurtenances, shall be delivered, without the least damage, to such commissaries as shall be appointed to receive them, for the use of His Britannic Majesty.

3.—The Governor shall give his orders that the troops which are in the island of St. John, and its appurtenances, shall go on board such ships of war as the Admiral shall send to receive them.

4.—The gate, called the Porte Dauphin, shall be given up to the troops of his Britannic Majesty by to-morrow, at eight o'clock in the morning, and the garrison, including all those that carried arms, drawn up at noon on the esplanade, where they shall lay down their arms, colors, implements and ornaments of war; and the garrison shall go on board, in order to be carried to England in a convenient time.

5.—The same care shall be taken of the sick and wounded that are in the hospitals as of those belonging to His Britannic Majesty.

6.—The merchants and their clerks that have not carried arms shall be sent to France in such manner as the Admiral shall think proper.

(Sgd.) LE CHEVALIER DE DRUCOUR.

LOUISBOURG, 26 JULY, 1758.

Boston and the Louisbourg Expedition of 1745.

By WALTER KENDALL WATKINS.

Boston of the present day would not be recognized by the citizen of a century and a half ago. The profile of the city of today, bears no resemblance to that of 1745. The half dozen spires of the past which survive are hid beneath their tall neighbors of to-day, and even a near approach reveals changes in the architecture of the survivors of the eighteenth century.

Even the dwellings of the dead have been invaded, encroached upon and surrounded by modern fences, and the Common has suffered the same fate and become modernized, with its asphalt walks and its monuments.

The old boundary lines have been obliterated and water has been supplanted by land and dwellings.

A tour of the old shore line would be perambulating at the present day without one being able to cast a stone into the water.

The shore line in 1745 was as follows: Starting at a point near the corner of Shawmut avenue and Dover street, running north to Indiana place, the line then curved parallel with Pleasant street; and between that street and Church street till Park square was reached; then following Charles street irregularly to a point on West Cedar street, half way between Cambridge and Revere streets, and thence a line forming a cove, which partly included the grounds and buildings of the Massachusetts General Hospital site.

At the corner of Allen and Brighton streets the line curved with Brighton to the line which would be formed by a continuation of Wall street from the corner of Wall and Causeway streets to Haymarket square, the line followed South Margin and Bowker streets, and thence swept by a curve nearly parallel with North Margin and Prince streets to Charles River bridge.

This last boundary formed the old Mill Cove, which was crossed by a raised strip of land called the Causeway now Causeway street. From Charlestown bridge the shore line followed the present Commercial and North streets to Faneuil Hall, where the Town Dock was located in the early days.

From thence the line followed Merchant's Row and Kilby street to Liberty square, the space now occupied by Post Office square being a small cove, thence along Battery-march street to Broad street and India square. Fort Hill then sloped to Atlantic avenue, curving to what is now the corner of Pearl and Purchase streets, and from that point the line followed Purchase street to the foot of Summer street, then along Federal to East street, then curving near Beach street to Washington street, and between that thoroughfare and the water to Dover street.

Many of these streets owe their names at different periods to their ancient location as the water line of the town.

Pleasant street, laid out in 1743 as a private way, soon acquired its name from the view afforded across the bay of the hills of Brookline and Roxbury. Causeway street was the ancient Causeway and North and South Margin streets bounded the shores of the Mill Pond. Commercial street still suggests our commerce by the way of sea. North street from Cross street to Fleet street in the last century was Fish street while the street from Fleet street to Chelsea Ferry was Ship street. Dock square needs no comment. A part of Kilby street was once Mackerel Lane, and Water street led to the water's edge. A part of Federal street was Sea street, and just back of it was Cove street, while the locality to this day flourishes in police annals as the South Cove. Beach street ran from Washington street "Eastward by the Sea Side"

As to a more particular description of the town we can quote a contemporary diary, that of Capt. Francis Golet:

Boston, the Metropolis of North America, is Accounted the Largest Town upon the Continent, Having about Three Thousand Houses in it, about two Thirds them Wooden Framed, Clap Boarded, etc., and some of them Very Spacious Buildings, which, together with their Gardens about them, Cover a Great deal ground. They are for the most Part Two and three Stories high, mostly Sashed. Their Brick Buildings are much better and Stronger Built, more after the Modern Taste, all Sashed and Pretty well Ornamented, having Yards and Gardens adjoining also. The streets are very Erregular; the Main Streets are Broad and Paved with Stone the Cross Streets are but Narrow, mostly Paved excep towards the Outkirts the Towne. The Towne Extends abt two Miles in Lenth North and South, and is in some places $\frac{1}{4}$ mile and Others $\frac{3}{4}$ mile Broad, has One Main Street, Run'g the whole Length. The Towne from North to South and Tolerable broad the Situation is Vastly Pleasant, being on a Neck Land. The Tide Flowing on East Side that Part the Towne may be termed an Island. The water which Parts it from the Main Continent is about 20 foot over withe draw Bridges, and where the Tide Runs very strong trough. The Harbor is defended by a Strong Castle of a Hundred Guns, Built upon an Island, where the Shipping must pass by and within Hale. Its Situation is Extraordinary, as it Commands on Every Side and is Well Built and

Kept in Exceeding Good Order. The Tyde in the Harbor Flows about 12 or 13 Foot perpendicular at the Full and Change moon its Very Inconvenient for Loaded Vessels as they have not more than 12 Foot water at the End the Long wharf, which wharf is noted the longest in North America, being near half an Englist mile in length and runs direct out, One side whereof is full of whare Houses from One End to the Other. The Bostoniers Build a vast Numbr Vessells for Sale, from Small Sloops up to Topsail Vessells from a Hundred Tons, and are noted for Good Sailing Vessells, they Runn mostly upon Keene Built and very strong Counted about 15 Saile upon Stocks, which they Launch in Cradills at the full and Change the Moon. This Place has about Twelve Meeting Houses and Three Churches which are all Very Indifferent Buildings of no manner of Architect but Very Plain; at the North End they have a Ring of Bell, which are but Very Indifferent. They have but One Markett which is all Built of Brick about Eighty Foot long and Arch'd on Both Sides, being Two Stories heigh the upper part Sashed, which Comprehends Several. The Public Offices the Town; at the Southernmost End is the Naval Offices. The Middle, The Surveyors the Markets offices. They have also a Town House Built of Brick, Situated in Kings Street. It's a very Grand Brick Building Arch'd all Round and Two Storie Heigh, Sashed above, its lower Part is always Open Designed as a change, tho' the Merchants in Fair weather make their Change in the Open Street at the Easter most End. in the upper Story are the Council and Assembly Chambers, etc., it has a Neat Capulo Sashed all round and which on rejoicing days is Elluminated. As to Government, Boston is dependent and Subordinate to England for its laws, etc.. being a King's Government. The Governour is a person appointed from Home who represents his Majesty. The Government Laws are Compyld by the Council and Great General Assembly. The Former Represents the House of Lords and the Latter Commons, and the Governour Signs them and then they Pass in a Law. In Boston they are very Strict Observers of the Sabbath day, and in Service times no Persons are allow'd the Streets but Doctors, if you are found upon the Streets and the Constables meet you, they Compel you to go either to Curch or Meeton as you chuse, also in Swearing if you are Catcht you must Pay a Crown Old Tenor for Every Oath being Convicted thereof without further dispute the 4ths of the Inhabitants are Strict Presbyterians."

In seven weeks from the time Gov. Shirley issued his proclamation for raising troops for the expedition, three thousand two hundred and fifty men were enrolled in Massachusetts, three hundred and four in New Hampshire, and five hundred and sixteen in Connecticut. The Massachusetts men were embarked the 24th of March, and sailed under the convoy of the Shirley Galle, afterwards called the Shirley Frigate. The whole naval force of the colony of Massachusetts consisted of three frigates of twenty guns each; a snow of sixteen; a brigantine of twelve, and armed sloops mounting from eight to twelve carriage guns. A sloop from Rhode Island, and one from Connecticut, had ten or twelve guns each.

The train artillery consisted of eight twenty two pounders, twelve nine pounders, two mortars of twelve inch. one of eleven, and one of nine inch. These were taken from Castle William. Also ten cannon borrowed of Gov. Clinton of New York. These were eighteen pounders. Brig-Gen. Samuel Waldo commanded the land forces, Col. Samuel Moore commanded those of New Hampshire, Lieut-Col. Simon Lothrop those of Connecticut, Lieut-Col. Grindley commanded the artillery. Over the whole was Lieut Gen. William Pepperell.

On April 3rd, 1745, Gov. Shirley made the following communication to the "Gentlemen of the Council and House of Representatives: In pursuance of the resolution of this Court for forming an expedition against the French settlements on Cape Breton, passed the 25th of January last, which is agreeable to His Majesty's pleasure signified to me upon the present rupture with France, 'That I should take all opportunities, as depended upon me, to distress and annoy the French in their settlements, trade and commerce.'

'I have raised three thousand volunteers under proper officers to be employed in his Majesty's service upon that expedition, two thousand eight hundred of which by the twenty-fourth day of last month, and the remainder within two days after were embarked and sailed for Canso were they were to be joined with three hundred and fifty troops more raised by the government of New Hampshire for the same service, upon my application to Gov. Wentworth, and to proceed from thence by the first favorable opportunity to Chappewronge Bay, to which place I expect they will be followed some time this week by five hundred troops more from Connecticut, raised likewise for the same service by that government, upon my application to them.'

During the Siege of Louisbourg many of the sick and wounded were sent to Boston, as is evidenced by the following:

"At a Meeting of the Select men, Oct. 16th, 1745, Voted That Application be made to his Honour, the Lieutenant Governor and Council, to Stop Vessels coming from Cape Breton with sick Persons on board at his Majesty's Castle William until Examined, etc."

Accordingly the following Memorial was agreed to be presented, viz.:

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An Irish peasant brought a litter of kittens to a Protestant vicar in a certain town in County Wicklow, requesting him to purchase them. The vicar refused. 'Your riverance, they are good Protestant kittens,' urged Paddy, but his riverance remained obdurate. A few days after the Roman Catholic priest (who had in the meantime been informed of the offer to his brother clergyman) was approached, and on his refusal to make a purchase, the would-be seller urged a sale:

'Sure, father, dear, they aae good Catholic kittens.'

'But how is this man?' replied the priest. 'You said a day or two ago they were good Paotestant kittens'

'And so they were,' said the peasant, 'but their eyes weren't opened.'

Here is another I heard in Ireland recently: A quarrel had taken place at a fair, and a culprit was being sentenced for manslaughter. The doctor, however, had given evidence to show that the victim's skull was abnormally thin. The prisoner, on being asked if he had anything to say for himself, replied, 'No, yer honor: but I would ask was that a skull for a man to go to a fair wid?

mander in chief for the time being of the Province aforesaid, and to the Honourable his Majesty's Council of said Province.

The Memorial of the Subscribers, Select Men of the Town of Boston, Sheweth,

That great Numbers of Soldiers employ'd in the late Expedition against Cape Breton have been sent up from thence Sick of Fevers and other Distempers, and many have died, that sundry persons that have nursed and tended these Soldiers have also been taken ill of the same Fevers and died, from which your mems. were apprehensive that said Fevers were Infectious and Consulted several of the ablest Physicians in Town thereupon, who have declared that they Judge the said Fever to be very Infectious, and as many of the Soldiers now in this and others Towns are sick of this Fever, and more such it's probable will be soon sent up from Cape Breton, your Mem. therefore think themselves obliged for the safety and Preservation of the Inhabitants of the Province to lay this matter before your Honours, praying that you will please give orders that all Vessells that shall hereafter come from Cape Breton may not pass the Castle until they be examined as to the Health and Circumstances they are in by some person your Honours shall appoint for that purpose, and that suitable places and persons with all things necessary may be provided for such sick as shall come in said Vessells, or that your Honours will be pleased to take such other methods for the safety and Preservation of the Inhabitants of this Province as you shall judge best.

And your Memorialists shall ever pray, etc.

Boston, October 16th, 1745.

SELECT MEN.

At a Meeting of the Select men, Oct. 18th, 1745.

Present

Samuel Adams, Esq.,
Mr. Hancock,
Capt Steel,
Capt. Salter.

In Answer to the Memorial presented by the Select men to his Honour the Lieut. Governor & Council respecting Soldiers coming from Cape Breton sick with Fevers, etc., as Enter'd the 16th instant the following order pass'd in Council, Viz.:

At a Council held at the Council Chamber in Boston upon Friday, the 18th of October, 1745.

On the Memorial of the Selectmen of the Town of Boston.

In answer to this Memorial, Voted, that the memorialists be desired forthwith to provide a Suitable House or Houses in some remote part of the Town of Boston for the reception of such Sick Persons as shall come in hither from Louisbourg and appoint some proper persons to Visit all Vessells coming in from thence, and upon the Memorialists being informed of any sick persons on board that they give Orders for their removal to such House as shall be provided for them as aforesaid, and all necessary care Be there taken of them in Order to their Recovery, and that His Honour the Lieutenant Governour be desired to give Orders to the commanding officer at Castle William to examine every Vessell coming up from Louisbourg, whether they have any sick on board or not, and in Case they have, that he put an officer on Board to prevent any Sick persons going or being carried on Shoar any otherwise than according to the Order of the memorialists and that the said officer take care that such Vessel does come to Anchor in the Channel and not come up to the Wharfe till the memorialists give Liberty.

Copy, Examined, p. J. WILLARD, Sec'y

On 27th Jan. 1745-46, His Excellency Colonel Shirley desired "the Liberty of Faneuil Hall to put in the Cloaths belonging to the Soldiers &c., of his regiment at Louisbourg, that he'll do no Damage to said Hall, but deliver up the same when desired.

The late business enterprise formed for the mining of coals in the Provinces is but a repetition of history. At a meeting of the Selectmen May 4, 1747.

Voted, That a Petition be drawn up and presented to his Excellency, Governour Knowles (who is now residing in this Town) for Liberty for the Inhabitants of the Town of Boston to fetch Sea Coal from Cape Breton for their use, which was accordingly done and is as follows, viz.:

To His Excellency Charles Knowles, Esq., Governour and Commander in Chief in and over the Island of Cape Breton in North America, now residing in the Town of Boston, in the Province of the Massachusetts Bay.

The Petition of the Subscribers, Select men of the Town of Boston, for and in behalf of said Town.

Humbly Sheweth.

That this Town for many Years past has been Supplied with Fire Wood brought from the Eastward parts of the Province, and has constantly employed great numbers of Sloops in bringing the same here, and chief Dependence for Fuel in the Winter has been on those parts. But so it is, May it please your Excellency, that when this Government had determined upon the late Successful Expedition against Cape Breton, they took up almost every Coaster that transported Wood into their service, in which some of 'hm have been employed to this Day in carrying the King's stores, etc., for Garrison at Louisbourg and

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Others of them that were discharged are afraid to go to the Eastward for Wood, as usual, the Indian Enemy being many there, and are frequently Killing our Men, so that the Town has already suffered extremely for want of so absolutely necessary an Article as Fireing is, in such a Cold Climate as this, and if it can't be supplied from other places than the Eastern parts, the Inhabitants have the melancholly Pospsect of suffering much the ensuing Winter that they have yet done, for the Wharves in the Town that at this Season of the year were generally full of Wood, have not sufficient for daily use, and as we can think of no method to avoid the great Distress the Inhabitants of this Town must inevitably meet with for want of Fireing, but by applying to your Excellency for Relief we flatter ourselves that your excellency will Excuse us in giving you this trouble, our request therefore is, that your Excellency will be pleased to allow Sea Coal to be brought us from Cape Breton, and to Induce you, Sir to Grant the same, we would just mention to you, that great Numbers of Persons who liv'd at the Eastward, and every year Cut and brought down to the Water side large Quantities of Wood went on said Expedition, and never Returned, having died at Louisbourg or Enter'd into his Majesty's Service their; that after the Reduction of the place many more Wood Cutters went to Louisbourg from the Eastward, and those that remained have been some kill'd by the Indians, and the rest drove from their Settlements, which are so broke up that we can expect but small supplies from thence. Nor has the like Quantities of Coal been brought us this Year from England as heretofore, the great number of blacksmiths, and Sugarbakers, etc., in Town being now without any and therefore obliged to stand still, and in Consequence the Shipwrights must soon be Idle, and the trade and Navigation of these parts entirely cease.

We presume we need not mention to Your Excellency the great share this Town had in the conquest of Cape Breton (more perhaps than all the other Towns upon the continent) and the many difficulties and Burthens we now do, and our Posterity must groan under by reason of the Loss this Province has sustain'd in the Deaths of a vast number of our men since the Reduction of that place, and our Burthens will be greatly increased if we are not Reimburs'd the Expence we were at in prosecuting that Expedition, all which (we apprehend) your Excellency is in a great measure sensible of, and would relieve us in the whole were it in your power.

We do, therefore, Intreat your Excellency will be pleased to take our distressing Circumstances into your Consideration, and allow such Vessels as go from hence to Cape Breton this year to Load with Sea Coal, paying for every Chaldron whatever your Excellency shall order; and as there are a great Quantities of it on that Island, we hope your excellency will allow us to bring away Three Thousand Chaldron, upwards of a Thousand of which will be wanted by Blacksmiths, Sugarbakers, etc., (for if any of his Majesty's subjects are entitled to such a favour we humbly apprehend your Excellency will Judge us to be so). And if your Excellency shall see cause to grant this Petition you will not only give a remarkable Instance of your tender regard for us and Disposition to relieve us, but lay the Town of Boston under such Obligations to your Excellency as are not to be forgotten. In the behalf of the Town of Boston We are your Excellency's most Dutiful and Obedient humble Serv'ts.

Boston, May 8th, 1747.

SELECT MEN.

The selectmen wrote the following letter to his Excellency Gov. Knowles at Cape Breton, viz:

Boston, Aug, 20, 1747.

Sir,—We had the honor of your Excellency's letter of the 16th ult., and are extremely obliged to your excellency for your readines in giving liberty to the town to fetch Sea Coal from Cape Breton, and that they are welcome (as you are pleased to say) to any quantity they may want We were in hopes when the several Vessels for it went from hence, Persons (other than the King's Troops whom we could not expect should be employ'd in that Service) might have been procur'd at Louisbourg to have Dug it, but as that can't be, for the future we shall inform all such as may have our Letters to your Excellency, that they must Dig it themselves or carry Persons that will, otherwise they must not expect any. And we being so fully sensible of your Excellency's kind regards for the Town and Disposition to serve it, we doubt not in the least but your Excellency will still Grant such as may hereafter come for Coal all the Protection and assistance that may be necessary, which will still lay the Town under greater Obligations to your Excellency than they already are. We are, in behalf of the Town Your Excellency's most Obliged and Obedient, hum humble Servants,

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Spain, and a rupture with France being greatly apprehended, Mr. Waldo, then in England thought it his Duty as One well acquainted with American affairs to lay before his Grace the Duke of Newcastle then One of his Majesty's principal Secretaries of State, a plan for the reduction of Cape Breton, and the French Territories on Canada River, to be put in Execution as soon as a War with that Crown should happen—

In the year 1741, Mr. Waldo embarked for New England and soon after his arrival there, communicated to Mr. Shirley, his Majesty's Governour of the Massachusetts Bay, the said Plan, and gave him a copy thereof, which he was pleased to approve of—

In 1744, the Attack of the French on Canceau having alarmed New England, the project of attacking the French in their settlements was adopted by the General Court of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay, whereupon an Enterprise was formed against Cape Breton and Mr. Waldo, who then had the honour of being One of His Majestys Council and had the Command of the



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provincial Troops employed on the Frontiers, and the Chief Direction in building there a number of Forts in order to prevent the Incursions of the French and their Indians, and to keep those in the English Interest steady in that attachment, was called upon to engage in this Expedition ; and notwithstanding the Inconvenience to his own private Affairs, and especially to some new Settlements he had made, and was carrying on in St. George's and Madomock, Rivers, he with great readiness, engaged in the Undertaking, promoted with all his Interest the measures concerted for that end, in the Council and General Court of the Massachusetts Bay, and accepted of a Commission to be a Brigadier General of the Forces raised in the several New England Colonies for that Expedition ; also Colonel of a Regiment and Captain of a Company therein, as by the Commission will appear—

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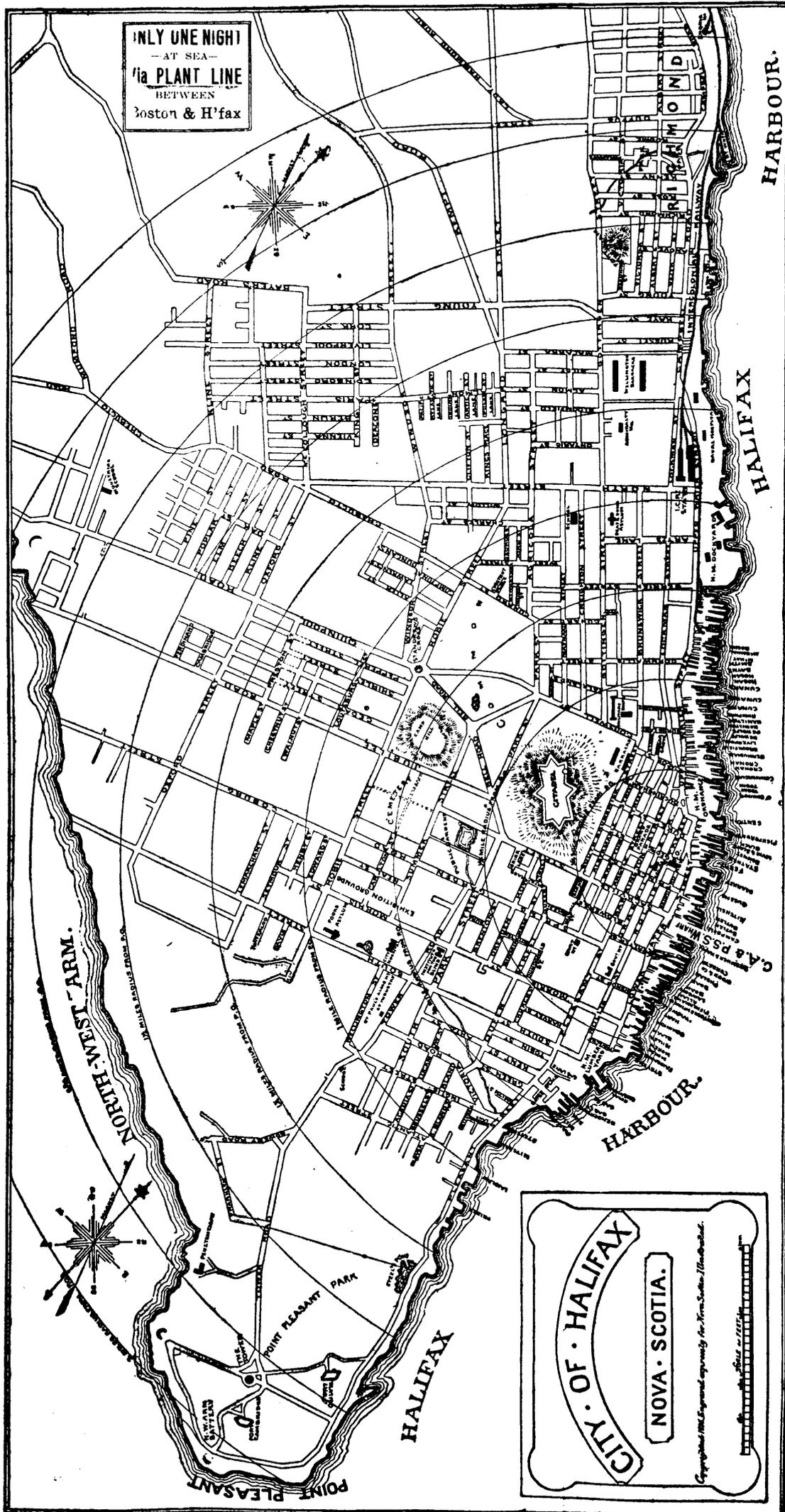
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Wideawake Business Men

Billboard competition runs pretty high nowadays in the metropolis. An owner of some downtown property was awakened by the loud ringing of the door bell recently in Harlem.

"What on earth is that?" he exclaimed. "Is the house on fire?"

"Somebody's dead," said his wife. In the meantime a servant was returning from answering the bell.

"Please sir," there's two gents down stairs as wishes to see you, said the girl.

"See me? Why, it's 3 o'clock in the morning."

"Important business, they says, sir."

"Well, I should think it would be—waking a man up at this time o'night, I'll have to go down I suppose."

He quickly threw on some clothing and went below. Two "gents" awaited him in the hall.

"I beg your pardon, sir, for knocking you up at this hour, but I want to make you a proposition for billboards around the corner of your place on blank street while you are rebuilding. Name your figures, including two theatre ticket every night of the season."

"And, sir," began the other "gent," my company would like to make you a proposition for the use of the wall that may remain standing after the fire.

"Fire! Fire! What are you talking about!" The old man was completely nonplussed.

"Why your place caught fire about two hours ago," said the first "gent."

"And is gutted by this time," added the second "gent."

"Of course you'll give me the refusal for billboards—remember the two theatre tickets!" yelled the first "gent" as the old man bolted for the stairs.

A Public Benefactor,

The lawyer had been badgering the witness for some time and finally asked:—

Was any member of your family ever hanged?

Yes sir.

Ah, ha! I thought as much. Now, sir, who was it?

Myself.

Yourself? Do you mean to say that you have been hanged and are alive to tell of it.

Yes, sir.

Come now no trifling. Tell the jury what you were hanged for and how you happen to be alive to-day.

Well, sir, a man was killed and I was suspected of having committed the crime. A mob took me out, put a rope around my neck and had just hauled me up to the limb of a tree, when someone in the crowd shouted out that the murdered man had been a lawyer. They couldn't cut me down quick enough! I was filled up with the best whiskey the place afforded and given a banquet as the greatest public benefactor in the history of the town.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM PICTOU, MULGRAVE AND SYDNEY.

READ UP.

READ DOWN.

Express	Pictou Accom.	Accom.	Accom.	Accom.	Freight	Miles	STATIONS.	Express	Express	Freight	Accom.	Accom.	Freight
20 25					16 10	0	A. Sydney D.	4 15					7 00
20 02					15 30	11	Leitch's Creek	4 37					7 41
19 36					15 20	13	D. North Sydney Jct. A	4 43					7 50
19 30	5 00	8 10			14 50	0	A. North Sydney D.	5 05	19 35	15 00			8 15
19 20	4 45	7 55			14 35	5	D. North Sydney Jct. A	5 15	19 59	15 15			8 30
19 18					14 30	13	A. North Sydney Jct. D	5 18					8 35
*19 11					14 16	17	George's River	*5 26					8 50
*18 58					*13 55	22	Barrachois	*5 38					*9 12
*18 47					*13 35	28	Boisdale	*5 49					*9 32
*18 29					*13 03	37	Shenacadie	*6 07					10 15
18 11					12 30	45	A } Grand Narrows } D	6 25					10 37
17 51					12 24	46	Iona	6 51					10 43
17 45					*12 03	51	McKinnon's Harbour	*7 15					*11 04
*17 33					*11 42	57	Alba	*7 26					*11 26
17 09					11 22	62	Orangedale	7 43					11 46
16 52					10 52	70	River Deny's	7 43					12 17
16 36					10 23	77	West Bay Road	7 59					12 45
16 22					10 00	84	MacIntyre's Lake	8 13					13 11
*16 16					*9 48	87	Mines Road	*8 18					13 22
*16 08					*9 35	90	Hawkesbury	*8 27					13 35
16 05					9 30	91	D. Point Tupper	8 30					13 40
15 15					15 55	92	A. Mulgrave D	9 20					5 00
15 00					*15 33	98	Cape Porcupine	*9 35					*5 25
14 50					15 17	102	Harbor au Bouche	9 45					5 40
*14 42					*15 07	105	Grosvenor Road	*9 52					*5 51
*14 40					15 03	106	Linwood	*9 55					*5 55
*14 30					*15 00	110	Monastery	*10 03					*6 09
14 27					14 46	111	Tracadie	10 06					6 14
14 16					14 30	115	Afton	10 16					6 30
14 12					14 24	116	Bayfield Road	10 20					6 35
14 07					14 15	119	Heatherton	10 25					6 45
*14 00					14 07	121	Pomquet	*10 31					6 53
13 53					13 35	124	Taylor's Road	10 39					*7 05
13 49					13 30	126	South River	10 43					7 12
13 35					13 10	131	Antigonish	10 56					7 50
*13 22					*12 34	136	Brierly's Brook	*11 09					*8 09
13 11					12 20	140	James River	11 19					8 24
*13 00					12 05	144	Marshy Hope	*11 29					8 39
*12 51					11 50	148	Barney's River	*11 39					8 55
12 46					11 44	150	Avondale	11 44					9 02
12 36					11 30	154	Piedmont	11 53					9 16
12 24					11 11	158	Merigomis	12 05					9 35
12 15					11 00	162	West Merigomish	12 15					9 48
*12 04					*10 44	166	Woodburn	*12 27					*10 24
11 50					10 25	172	D. New Glasgow	12 45					10 25
11 30	13 25	19 00			9 25	172	A. New Glasgow D	13 00	11 00	20 35			11 40
11 20	13 15	18 50			9 15	174	D. Stellarton	13 10	11 10	20 45			11 50
16 05	7 10				5 42	0	A. Pictou Landing D						7 45
15 43	6 48				5 38	8	D. Trenton D						8 07
15 40	6 45				5 38	8	D. New Glasgow A						8 10
21 10	6 40	17 55			5 38	172	A. New Glasgow D		6 10	5 46			17 00
21 00	6 30	17 45			5 30	174	D. Stellarton		6 20	5 55			17 10
12 04	22 00	7 05				0	A. Pictou D	12 25	5 20				17 50
12 00	21 54	7 00				2	Brown's Point	12 30	5 27				18 00
*11 55	*21 47	*6 55				3	Lochbroom	*12 35	*5 33				*18 05
*11 48	*21 37	*6 47				6	Sylvester	*12 42	*5 43				*18 15
11 34	21 20	6 35				11	Westville	12 55	5 59				18 35
11 25	21 05	6 27				14	D. Stellarton A	13 05	6 10				18 45
11 15	20 55	6 27	17 45		9 00	174	A. Stellarton D	13 15	6 30	5 55			12 20
11 07	20 43	6 18	17 36		8 45	178	Ferrona Junction	13 22	6 42	6 04			12 37
11 02	20 39	6 12	17 30		8 27	179	Hopewell	*13 28	6 49	6 10			12 49
10 47	20 20				8 05	186	Glengarry	*13 42	7 10				14 00
*10 40	*20 12				*7 53	189	Laundowne	*13 49	7 20				*14 12
10 30	19 59				7 35	194	West River	14 00	7 35				14 30
10 12	19 36				7 11	198	Campbell's						14 46
*10 04	*19 25				*6 55	202	Riversdale	*14 17	8 00				15 02
9 53	19 14				*6 38	205	Union	*14 25	*8 12				15 16
9 45	19 00				6 20	210	Valley	*14 35	8 26				15 32
7 20	16 00				6 00	214	D. Truro A	14 45	8 40				15 50
						276	D. Halifax A	18 15	12 45				

* Trains stop only when signalled or when there are passengers to set down.
† New and Elegant Buffet Parlor Cars run on Through Express trains between Halifax and Mulgrave.
‡ A Special Train will leave Pictou for Stellarton on arrival of Steamer from P.E. Island, connecting here with 13.40 train for Halifax.

OXFORD AND PICTOU BRANCH.

Miles.	STATIONS.	Accommodation	Accommodation	Miles.	STATIONS.	Accommodation	Accommodation
0	OXFORD JUNCTION.....Lv.	13 58	4 20	0	PICTOU.....Lv.	6 55	12 10
3	Oxford	14 04	4 35	2	Brown's Point	7 00	12 16
11	Conn's Mills.....Ar.	14 27	4 05	4	Scotch Hill	7 06	12 24
15	Pugwash Junction.....Ar.	14 40	5 20	9	Scotsburn	7 18	12 40
21	Pugwash.....Ar.	15 55	5 35	12	Meadowville	7 30	12 58
15	Pugwash Junction.....Lv.	15 15	5 55	22	River John	7 50	13 25
19	Hendersons	*15 28	*6 11	37	Denmark	8 04	13 44
23	Wallace	15 38	6 22	42	Tatamagouche	8 22	14 08
27	Ross Road	*16 51	*6 38	46	Ross Road	8 43	*14 34
35	Tatamagouche	16 15	7 06	50	Hendersons	*8 54	14 49
42	Denmark	16 35	7 30	54	Pugwash Junction.....Ar.	*9 03	*15 00
47	River John	17 52	7 50	60	Pugwash Junction.....Ar.	9 30	51 30
55	Meadowville	17 17	8 16	58	Pugwash Junction.....Lv.	9 46	15 50
60	Scotsburn	17 32	8 32	54	Conn's Mills	9 55	16 00
65	Scotch Hill	17 47	8 48	66	Oxford	10 14	16 20
67	Brown's Point	17 55	8 55	69	OXFORD JUNCTION.....Ar.	10 20	16 30
69	PICTOU.....Ar.	18 05	9 00				

GOING WEST—Halifax to Truro, Pictou Point du Chene and St John, N.B.

St John and Montr' Express	St John Day Express	Quebec and Montr' Express	Truro Accom	Pictou Accom	Suburban	Miles.	STATIONS.
19 25	13 30	8 20	7 30	15 50		0	A. Toronto
18 30	18 20	18 15	18 11	18 05		3	Colchester
17 42	17 30	17 25	17 20	17 15		5	Brookfield
16 50	16 40	16 35	16 30	16 25		6	River John
15 50	15 40	15 35	15 30	15 25		8	Denmark
14 50	14 40	14 35	14 30	14 25		9	Denmark
13 50	13 40	13 35	13 30	13 25		12	Quispambit
12 50	12 40	12 35	12 30	12 25		17	Modena
11 50	11 40	11 35	11 30	11 25		22	Nauyas
10 50	10 40	10 35	10 30	10 25		27	Halifax
9 50	9 40	9 35	9 30	9 25		33	Blood Brook
8 50	8 40	8 35	8 30				

RAILWAY OF CANADA

TABLE, in Effect OCTOBER 7, 1895.

Pictou. GOING EAST—St. John to Point du Chene, Truro, Pictou and Halifax.

STATIONS.	READ DOWN.					
	Halifax Day Express	Montr' and Halifax Express	Quebec and Montr' Express	Sussex Express	Freight	Freight
A. Toronto (C.P.R.) D	8 45					
Ottawa	16 40					
Montreal	20 40					
Boston	19 00					8 00
A. St. John (Dining Room) D	7 00	13 50	16 30	16 40	11 00	10 10
Coldbrook	7 08			16 48	11 25	10 22
Brockville	*7 11			*16 51	*11 33	*10 29
Torryburn	*7 15			*16 54	*11 40	*10 36
Riverside	*7 19			*16 58	*11 51	*10 47
Rothsay	*7 23	14 06	*16 47	17 07	1 00	10 54
Quispamsis	*7 27			17 11	1 12	11 02
Model Farm	*7 31			17 15	1 24	11 14
Nauwigewauk	*7 35	14 29	17 13	17 30	1 30	11 26
Hampton	*7 39			17 34	1 42	11 38
Passage	*7 43			17 38	1 54	11 50
Bloomfield	*7 47			17 42	2 06	12 02
Norton	*7 51	14 47		17 46	2 18	12 14
Apohaqui	*7 55			17 50	2 30	12 26
A. Sussex dining A	8 00		*17 47	18 14		
A. Sussex room D	8 40	15 08		18 25		
Plumwaseep	8 56		*18 03	18 31		
Penobscot	9 17		*18 17	18 42		
Anagance	9 30	15 51		18 42		
Petitcodiac	*9 40		*18 52	19 02		
Pollet River	*9 50	16 08		19 08		
Salisbury	*9 59		*19 08	19 30		
Boundary Creek	10 25	16 35		19 30		
A. Moncton dining A	10 25	16 35		19 30		
A. Moncton room D	10 31	16 40		19 30		
A. Humphreys	10 42	16 57		19 30		
D. Painessee Junction A	10 42			19 30		
A. Painessee Junction D	10 45			19 30		
Dorchester Road	*11 03			20 56		14 40
Shediac	11 18			21 20		15 15
D. Pt. Du Chene A	11 25			21 30		15 25
Moncton		16 57				
A. Painessee Junction D	*10 53	*17 09				
Meadow Brook	*10 58	*17 15				
Calhoun	*11 08	*17 26				
Memramcook	*11 12	*17 30				
College Bridge	*11 18	*17 37				
Rockland	*11 25	*17 44				
Dorchester	*11 35	*17 54				
Sackville	*11 45	*18 04				
Aulac	*12 05	*18 20				
A. Amherst dining A	12 20	18 35				
A. Amherst room D	12 40	18 55				
Nappan	12 50	19 10				
Maccan	12 58	19 18				
Athol	13 07	19 27				
Spring Hill	13 25	19 45				
Salt Springs	13 40	19 53				
River Philip	13 48	19 53				
Oxford Junction	13 53	19 56				
Thomson	14 05	20 04				
Greenville	14 22	20 18				
Westchester	14 35	20 31				
Wentworth	14 55	20 49				
Folleigh	15 02	20 54				
Londonderry	15 10	21 02				
East Mines	15 16	21 08				
Debert	15 23	21 15				
Belmont	15 30	21 22				
A. Truro dining A	15 40	21 30				
A. Truro room D	16 00	21 30				
Hildon	16 09					
Brookfield	16 20					
Alton	16 30					
Stewiacke	16 40	21 59				
Shubenacadie	16 50	22 06	12 10			
Milford	16 50		6 01	10 32		
Elmsdale	17 04		6 10	10 43		
Enfield	17 10		6 25	11 00		
Sandy Cove			6 31	11 07		
Oakfield	*17 18		*6 40	*11 16		
Grand Lake	*17 21		*6 43	*11 19		
Wellington	*17 25		*6 47	*11 24		
Windsor Junction	17 42	22 49	12 52	7 04	11 24	
Rocky Lake				7 11	11 58	
Lily Lake				7 13		
Bedford	17 55	*22 59	*13 07	7 18	12 06	
Rockingham	18 05	*13 19	*13 19	7 30	12 19	
Richmond				7 41	12 32	
A. Halifax	18 15	22 20	13 30	7 45	12 35	

Trains from Halifax & St John for Montreal & Quebec

Trains from Montreal & Quebec for St John & Halifax

STATIONS.	READ UP.			Miles.	READ DOWN.		
	Accom.	Day Freight	Night Freight		St John & Halifax Express	Allan and Dominion Line Steamers between Quebec, Rimouski and Liverpool.	Accom
Quebec and Montr' Express							
Canadian, European Mail via Halifax.							
A. Toronto C.P. D	7 10				21 00		
A. Toronto G.T.R. D	7 15				20 40		
A. Ottawa Can. Atl. D	12 30				18 30		
A. Can. Pac. D	1 15				4 05		
Montreal, C.P. D	21 00				7 50		
G.T. D	22 25				8 10		
C.P. D	20 00				14 05		
G.T. D	18 50				15 00		
Quebec Can. Pac. D	13 10						
Levis G.T.R. A	11 55						
Quebec	11 30						
Levis	13 15	5 30			14 30	7 50	17 00
St. Joseph	*13 04	5 19				8 01	*17 10
Harlak Junction	12 59	5 13			*14 41	8 30	17 50
St. Charles Junction	12 40	4 50			*15 00	*8 43	*18 12
St. Michel	12 14	4 15				8 51	18 25
St. Valier	12 05	4 03				9 02	18 44
St. Francois	11 51	3 45				9 09	18 55
St. Pierre	11 43	3 33				9 20	19 13
Montmagny	11 30	3 15			15 38	9 34	19 38
Cape St. Ignace	11 07	2 51				*9 40	*19 49
L'Anse a Gile	10 45	2 27			*16 00	*9 57	*20 02
L'Islet	10 30	2 12				*10 08	*20 17
Trois Saumons	10 17	1 57			*16 15	*10 17	*20 33
St. Jean Port Joli	10 03	1 44				*10 30	*20 46
Elgin Road	9 50	1 29				10 42	21 01
Ste. Louise	8 46	24 40			16 40	11 05	21 29
Ste. Anne	8 37	24 26				11 25	21 50
Riviere Ouelle	8 23	24 05				11 38	22 05
St. Philippe de Neri	8 09	23 44			17 07	11 57	22 26
St. Paschal	8 01	23 30				12 15	22 46
St. Helene	7 49	23 15				12 26	23 00
St. Andre	7 35	22 53				12 42	23 15
St. Alexandre	7 20	22 30				13 00	23 38
Old Lake Road	7 10	22 10				13 20	24 00
Riviere du Loup	6 53	21 50			17 50	13 40	6 15
Cacouna	6 47	21 46			18 00	13 54	6 40
St. Arsene	6 33	21 32				14 01	6 47
Isle Verte	6 23	21 12			18 30	14 25	7 27
St. Eloi	6 10	20 53				14 37	7 45
Trois Pistoles (Din. Rm) D	5 51	16 05			18 50	14 56	8 08
St. Simon	5 27	15 20				15 20	8 40
St. Fabien	4 59	14 45				15 48	9 15
Bic	4 32	14 11			*20 04	16 15	9 48
Sacre Coeur	4 14	13 45				*16 33	*10 11
Rimouski	4 02	13 33			20 20	16 45	10 26
St. Anaclet and Father Point	3 49	13 17				16 58	11 43
St. Luce	3 34	12 58				17 13	11 02
St. Flavie	3 30	12 30			21 00	17 35	11 30
St. Octave	3 10	12 00			21 05	17 45	12 00
Little Metis	2 55	11 43				17 59	12 20
Kempt	2 45	11 23			*21 23	18 10	12 35
St. Moise	2 34	11 12				*12 52	12 52
Sayabec	2 20	10 52				18 45	13 22
Cedar Hall	2 15	10 15				19 05	13 50
Amqui	2 05	9 53			*22 15	19 23	14 14
Salmon Lake	2 00	9 33			*22 31	19 46	14 44
Causapscal	1 57	9 15				20 24	15 12
Pleasant Beach	1 50	8 55				20 24	15 34
Assametsquaghan	1 45	8 35				21 01	16 23
Mill Stream	1 40	8 15				21 32	17 05
Metapedia	1 35	7 57			*24 06	22 00	17 42
Flat Lands	1 30	7 40				22 10	17 53
Moffat's	1 25	7 25				22 22	18 10
Campbellton	1 20	7 10			24 30	22 40	18 30
Dalhousie Junction	1 15	7 00			24 40	5 45	6 45
Dalhousie	1 10	6 50	8 30		24 56	6 10	7 20
Dalhousie Junction	1 00	6 40			1 00	6 15	19 40
Dalhousie	1 00	6 35			1 20	6 35	19 31
Dalhousie Junction	1 00	6 30				6 10	19 40
Red Pine	1 00	6 25				6 10	19 31
Bartibogue	1 00	6 20				6 10	19 40
Beaver Brook	1 00	6 15				6 10	19 31
Newcastle	1 00	6 10				6 10	19 40
Derby Junction	1 00	6 05				6 10	19 31
Chatham Junction	1 00	6 00				6 10	19 40
Barnaby River	1 00	5 55				6 10	19 31
Rogersville	1 00	5 50				6 10	19 40
Kent Junction	1 00	5 45				6 10	19 31
Harcourt	1 00	5 40				6 10	19 40
Adamsville	1 00	5 35				6 10	19 31
Coal Branch	1 00	5 30				6 10	19 40
Canaan	1 00	5 25				6 10	19 31
Berry's Mills	1 00	5 20				6 10	19 40
Moncton (Din. Rm)	1 00	5 15				6 10	19 31
Moncton	1 00	5 10				6 10	19 40
St. John's (Din. Rm)	1 00	5 05				6 10	19 31

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The banjo was in use long before the day of Joe Sweeney. It was principally played by the negroes and was indeed a rude and simple instrument. The first one I ever saw was made in this way. A large gourd covered with a raw sheepskin served for the drum, and the strings were of horsehair, pulled from a white horse's tail. It had only four strings. I am confident that Sweeney added the bass string. My father's carriage driver was a banjo player. He played two or three changeless tunes on one cord. I saw Joe Sweeney for the first time about 1842, while I was at school at Prince Edward Court House. He and his brother Sam were together. Joe led on the violin and Sam played the banjo. Both had good voices especially Sam, a rich full baritone of great sweetness and power. Even at this distant day I can recall some of the tunes they sang—"Old Dan Tucker," "Do Johnnie Booker," "Julianna Johnson," "Oh Susanna," "The Blue Tailed Fly," "Jim Crack Corn," and "I Don't Care."

When I saw the brothers again, the character of the music was somewhat changed, and was much more sentimental and sympathetic. They rendered such pieces as "Dearest May," "Rosa Lee," "Annie of the Vale," "Nellie Was a Lady," and "Ellen Bayne," with wonderful effect. These airs were melodious and concordant, and often brought tears to the eyes of the audience. Joe Sweeney was above the medium size, and of fine proportions. He had light hair and a ruddy complexion. He had wonderful facial powers. He could change his expression in a moment from grave to comic.

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Upon this important Conquest, and the resolution taken in a Council of War to keep Possession of the Place, Mr. Waldo instead of being able to return to his affairs in New England, was obliged to Continue with his Regiment, in garrison at Louisbourg, until relieved by the British Troops, and was so long detained in that Garrison, where he lost the greater part of his Regiment by sickness, that he did not return to Boston, with the small remains of it, till 26th June, 1746, as will appear by the Address of the Honourable House of Representatives on his landing—

Of what Importance Mr. Waldo's Services were throughout this Expedition and how much his Influence contributed towards making the Troops of New England easy in doing near Twelve months Duty in garrison, after their involuntary Detention therein, will appear from what was represented on that subject by Governour Shirley, In his Letters to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle and to the Right Honourable Mr. Pelham—

Mr. Waldo in the services aforesaid was at a very great Expence in levying Men for the said Expedition, in rewarding Pioneers for carrying on the Works during the Siege, and for Refreshments & Rewards to the People employed in carrying (on their Backs) fresh from Chapeau Rouge Bay, to the grand Battery and advanced works (being 4 Miles of very bad Roads) Powder, Shot, Shells, and Provisions: and hawling the great Artillery (party consisting of Ordnance carrying 42 Lt Shot) to and from the advanced Works for his own Support and Maintenance during the Siege: and afterwards while he continued at Louisbourg, and in transporting himself in his return to Boston—

Besides the Time, Services and Expences aforesaid bestowed on the said Expedition, Mr. Waldo by his Endeavours to serve the Public therein suffered great Losses in his private Fortune & Estate in the said Province, in having thro his zeal for the said Service, by his influence over the Inhabitants in the Eastern Parts of the Province where his Estate lay, so thinn'd that Frontier in raising Levies for the said Expedition, that the Norridgerock, Penobscott and other Tribes of Eastern Indians, taking advantage thereof, in his Absence in the year 1745, while in garrison at Louisbourg, broke the Peace which had long subsisted: killed some and drove off others of his Tennants consisting of 249 Families: destroyed his Houses, Mills, Dams, & Cattle, & ruined his settlements in those parts which at great Expence of his private Fortune, had been rais'd to be very considerable in value, and were in most flourishing Circumstances, when entirely laid waste, to his great and irreparable Loss. which appears by the aforementioned Letters to the Duke of Newcastle and Mr. Pelham and a certificate from Sir William Pepperell—

That as his Majesty's Pleasure was signified, and the proper authorities conveyed to Sir Peter Warren & Sir William Pepperell, by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, for answering all necessary expenses, for securing said Conquest: until a regular establishment should be made, by Bills to be drawn on the Paymaster General and other Public Officers: Mr. Waldo having completed his Services as aforesaid, did not doubt he should receive his Majesty's Pay, according to the Commission he held, and that he should have been reimbursed all his necessary Expence on Pioneers, &c., according to the assurances given by Mr. Shirley at Louisbourg, and by Mr. Warren then Governor of the place: that the Officers would receive his Majestys Pay, for keeping a Garrison when their necessary Expences were greater than they would have been in any other part of his Majestys Dominions: but was disappointed therein by Sir Peter Warren & Sir William Pepperell not drawing on the Paymaster General for that purpose, as they intended to do, had they not been prevented by suggestions of its interfering with the Demand of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay, which had paid money upon account for supporting the Place after the Conquest—

Upon the arrival of the Reinforcement from Gibraltar, the American Officers returned Home: and the Province of the Massachusetts Bay having made a Computation of the Pay of their Officers, not only for the time they were engaged in the Expedition, but also during the time of their being detained in Garrison at Louisbourg, upon the Terms of their incompetent & expired Estab-

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GOING SOUTH—READ DOWN.

GOING NORTH—READ UP.

No. 12 Mixed.	No. 10 Accom.	No. 8 Mixed.	No. 6 W.Y.-Ft.	No. 2 Express.	Miles.	STATIONS.	No. 1 Express.	No. 5 W.Y.-Ft.	No. 7 Mixed.	No. 8 Accom.	No. 11 Mixed.
11 00	12 30			1 30		Lv. Quebec (ferry) Ar	2 00		10 30	9 30	
11 30	1 10			1 55		Levis	1 55		10 15	9 20	
11 55	1 45			2 15	5	Harlaka Junction	1 45		9 55	9 05	
12 20	2 10			2 35	11	St. Henry Junction	1 30		9 35	8 50	
12 45	2 35			2 55	14	St. Henry Village	1 15		9 15	8 30	
1 15	3 05			3 15	21	St. Anselme	1 00		8 55	8 10	
1 35	3 30			3 35	26	St. Henedine	13 45		8 30	7 50	
1 55	4 00			3 45	33	Scotts	13 35		8 00	7 25	
2 10	4 25			3 55	37	St. Mary	13 25		7 40	7 10	
2 30	4 50			4 05	43	Ar. Beauce Junction. Lv	12 10		7 10	6 45	
2 40	5 00			4 15		Lv. Beauce Junction. Ar			6 45	6 10	
3 05	5 25			4 30	48	St. Joseph			6 30	5 55	
3 25	5 45			4 45	58	Ar. St. Francis Lv			6 00	5 30	
				5 00	43	Lv. Beauce Junction. Ar	12 05	5 10			
				5 15	43	Tring Junction	11 50	4 00			
				5 30	60	East Broughton					
				5 45	65	Broughton	11 23	3 30			
				6 00	71	Robertson	11 10	3 00			
				6 15	76	Thetford Mines	10 58	2 30			
				6 30	80	Black Lake	10 48	2 00			
				6 45	86	Coleraine	10 33	1 40			
				7 00	91	D'Israeli	10 20	1 20			
				7 15	96	Garthby	10 08	1 00			
				7 30	102	Lake Weedon	9 57	12 15			
				7 45	107	Weedon	9 45	11 45			
				8 00	116	Marbleton	9 34	11 15			
				8 15	118	Dudswell	9 24	11 00			
				8 30	119	Ar. Dudswell Jct. Lv	9 15	10 40			
				8 45	119	Lv. Dudswell Jct. Ar	9 00				
				9 00	127	East Angus	8 40	9 30			
				9 15	133	Ascot	8 25	9 05			
				9 30	142	Newington	8 10	8 30			
				9 45	143	Ar. Sherbrooke Lv	8 00	8 10			
				10 00		MEGANTIC DIVISION.					
				10 15	55	Lv. Tring Junction Ar					11 15
				10 30	66	St. Victor					10 35
				10 45	72	St. Ephrem					10 10
				11 00	79	St. Evariste					9 40
				11 15	87	Lambton					9 00
				11 30	96	St. Sebastian					8 20
				11 45	105	St. Cecile					7 45
				12 00	115	Ar. Megantic Lv					7 15
				12 15		Lv. Megantic Ar	2 25				
				12 30		Ar. St. John, N.B. Lv	2 00				
				12 45		Ar. Halifax, N.S. Lv	1 50				
				1 00		Lv. Sherbrooke Ar	1 20				
				1 15		Ar. Newport, Vt. Lv	1 10				
				1 30		Ar. Boston, Mass. Lv	1 00				
				1 45		Ar. New York Lv	1 00				
				1 50		Lv. Dudswell Jct. via Ar	5 00	5 35			
				2 00		Ar. Portland Dud. Lv	5 55	8 45			
				2 10		Ar. Boston Jct. Lv	1 00				

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Mon., Wed., Thurs. & Sat.	Daily (Sunday except.)	Miles.		Miles.	Daily (Sunday except.)	Mon., Wed., Thurs. & Sat.
	A.M.	7 00	Lve. Lunenburg	74	5 40	A.M. 10 30
	P.M.	7 17	" Mahone	67	5 23	10 10
		7 30	" Blockhouse	65		
		7 50	Ar. Bridgewater	56	4 50	9 30
		8 00	Lve. Bridgewater	56	4 45	
			" Northfield	47		
		8 35	" Riversdale	45	4 10	
		8 50	" New Germany	40	3 55	
		9 19	" Cherryfield	33	3 35	
		9 23	" Springfield	29	3 25	
			" Dalhousie	22	3 00	
		10 15	" Albany	12	2 30	
		10 20	" Alpena	10	2 20	
			" Cleveland	4	2 00	
		10 38	" Niataux	4	1 57	
		10 50	Ar. Middleton	0	1 55	

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	A.M.	8 30	Lve. Parrsboro	32		P.M. 3 30
		8 45	" Lakeland	28		3 15
		9 00	" Newville	10		3 00
		9 10	" Westbrook	16		2 50
		9 20	" Southampton	19		2 40
		9 35	" East Southampton and Mapleton	13		2 25
			Ar. Springhill Mines	5		1 55
		10 00	Lve. Springhill Junction	0		1 40
		10 15				1 25
		10 45				1 00

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Louisbourg	7 00*		3 45†	
Catalone	7 12		3 57	
Mira	7 20		4 05	
Milton	7 27		4 12	
Morien	7 45		4 30	
Glace Bay	8 03	1 00†	4 48	
Bridgeport	8 08	1 10	4 53	
Dominion	8 14	1 20	4 59	
Gardiner	8 20	1 27	5 05	
Sydney	8 40	1 55	5 25	
Sydney	9 00*	2 30†	5 40†	9 40†
Gardiner	9 20	3 01	6 00	10 10
Dominion	9 26	3 12	6 06	10 18
Bridgeport	9 31	3 22	6 11	10 27
Glace Bay	9 37	3 30	6 18	10 35
Morien	10 00		6 40	
Milton	10 18		6 58	
Mira	10 25		7 05	
Catalone	10 33		7 13	
Louisbourg	10 45		7 25	

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ishment offered and paid money to Individuals upon such computation, which the pressing necessities of most of the Officers obliged them to accept of; and the said province having in this manner closed their account, transmitted it to England, as the Foundation in their Claim in an Application to Parliament for a Reimbursement, wherein they made no charge in regard to Mr. Waldo, either for Pay during their temporary Establishment, or that he had so dearly earned during his Detention upon the Absolute necessity of continuing in Garrison for security of the place, till relieved by his Majestys Troops; so that he remained without pay as an Officer, without reimbursements of his Expence, or any recompence for his Losses: but not doubting but he should be considered favourably on these several Heads, when he should his humble Application to His Majesty for that purpose which he was upon the point of doing—

When he was again called upon in consequence of his Majestys Commands, signified by Letters from his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, in April 1746, to take part on the then intended Expedition against Canada, which afforded him a probable prospect of obtaining Rank in his Majestys Army, as he had the Command of a Regiment again conferr'd upon him, and afterwards upon the refusal of Mr. Gooch to take upon him the Command of this Expedition (whom his Majesty has been pleased on this Occasion to promote to the Rank of a Brigadiar General) Mr. Waldo was at the Desire and with the approbation of Mr. Gooch, Governour Clinton and Admiral Warren, appointed to Command in Chief, with the Title of Brigadiar General: and in that Quality he held himself in readiness for the Execution of the intended design, and continued to Act, till that Expedition being laid aside, and the Officers dismissed, he was again left unprovided in point of Rank or by half pay—

Mr. Waldo takes Leave to Observe that while the principal Persons, who claimed Merit from the reduction of Cape Breton, received Marks of his Majesty's Royal Favour, particularly Govr. Shirley and Mr. Pepperrell (created a Baronet) & Sir Peter Warren & Sir William Pepperrell having each received One thousand Pounds to defray their extraordinary Expence during their Residence at Louisbourg: while every Officer received some Pay or Consideration for his Services Mr. Waldo who raised 850 Men, for the Expedition and continued second in Command in the Garrison, till relieved by the British Troops, being by that means 508 Days in the Service, has not the Honour of holding any Employment under his Majesty, has received no pay from the province or Consideration or reward in any manner whatever—

But relying on his Majestys known Justice and being assured of Redress from his royal favour and Goodness, Mr. Waldo most humbly hopes his Services, with the Estimate of his Expences contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed, will be taken into Consideration, and that his Majesty will be graciously pleased to direct the Allowance of Pay agreeable to the purport of his Commission, with reasonable compensation for his Expences and Losses: and to provide for him on the military Establishment or afford him such other relief as to his Majesty in his great Wisdom and goodness may seem meet—

Gen. Waldo met his death 23 May, 1759, near Bangor, while on an Expedition of this nature.

The following is from the *Boston News Letter*:

On Wednesday the 23rd Instant the Honorable Brigadier General Waldo, who went with his Excellency in his late expedition to Penobscot, drop't down with an Appoplexy on the March just above the first Falls; and notwithstanding all the Assistance that could be given, expired in a few Moments. His Excellency had the Corps brought down with him to the Fort Point, where it was interred in a Vault built for the purpose on Friday, with all the Honours due to so faithful a Servant of the Public, and so good a Commonwealth's Man as the Brigadier has ever shown himself to be.— Upon landing the Corps. it was received by a guard, and when Procession began the Ship *King George* fired Half-minute Guns 'til it arrived at the place of Interment:—The Procession was led by an Officer's Guard, next to which the Minister, then the Corps carried by the Bargemen of the *King George*, and the Pall was supported by the principal Officers: The Governor followed as chief Mourner, then the Officers of the Troops and the Master Artificers, employed in building the Fort, two and two; and the whole closed with a Captin's Guard: Upon Coming to the Ground, the Troops under Arms form'd a Circle. Divine service was performed, and a Sermon suitable to the awful Occasion preached by the Reverend Mr. Phillips: And upon the Interment of the Corps, the Guards fired three Volleys over the Grave.

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along the street, leading a street boy
with either hand. What in the world
are you doing, Parkman? asked his
friend. I found that Johnny here had
eaten all of the apple instead of divid-
ing it with his little brother. I am go-
ing to buy another for the younger boy
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"Excuse me," said the little man with the pointed chin whiskers to the man reading a paper in the seat across the aisle, "but I've been suffering with toothache for the last hour.

"Yes, I suspected it," was the reply.

"And I didn't know, seeing you are a drummer but that you might have something in your grip to alleviate the infernal nuisance."

"Yes, I may have Let's see. I have peppermint essence, laudanum, Jamaica ginger, painkiller, ammonia, alcohol and"—

"I'll try the painkiller, if you'll be so kind."

"Yes. Wait a minute, please."

The man of the grip opened it and took out pencil and paper and wrote a few lines and passed the paper over, with the remark:

"Sign that please. It is simply a statement that you will not hold me or my heirs financially responsible in case anything happens to you through my remedies."

"Rather odd document, that," said the man behind him as the chap with the toothache sat down to dose his tooth. "Well, maybe," replied the drummer, "but its only a matter of prudence, after all. Three years ago down at Medina a stranger came to me on the depot platform suffering with the toothache. It was at night, and I had no remedies handy. I suggested that I tie a string around the aching tooth and pull it out, and after a little he consented."

"And what?"

"I got a piece of fishline around that tooth, got a firm hold of the string and then told him to jump off the platform. Oh! That was a sad night for me."

"Did the tooth come?"

"No."

"Did the string break?"

"No. I braced myself for the shock, and he jumped, and the next thing I knew I held his head on the end of that string."

"You don't mean that it pulled his head off?"

"I certainly do, sir. Yes pulled head right off and left it dangling on the string. It was no affair of mine, but got a doctor and the coroner and rode in the front hack at his funeral and used up nearly a week of my valuable time. And how was I rewarded?"

"How? Why his relatives ought to be eternally grateful to you.

"Y-e-s, I know, but I don't think they will be. His wife sued me for \$20,000 damages for holding the string, and after two years of lawing it I settled with her for \$9,000. That was the sort of gratitude I met with!"

"Great Scott, but you don't mean it?" gasped the man. "Why, that was an outrage worthy of the days of Nero."

"Yes but I had to submit. It won't happen again, however. I'm willing to help a sufferer, but he must absolve me from all legal responsibility. I am now about to take a nip of brandy. If you will sign a paper that you took it of your own free will, and that neither you nor your heirs will hold me"—

"Thank you, but I don't care for brandy. Jewhitter—gee, but it wasn't four hours ago that I advised a man to touch up his liver with old rum, cayenne pepper and vinegar. 'Sposen it knocks the socks off'n him! Say, please excuse me won't you? We are just coming to Grafton, and I'll drop off and telegraph him to let his liver go to blazes and consult a regular doctor. I've learned something, I have, and I'll make that telegram so hot it'll set fire to half the poles on the way!"—Detroit Free Press.

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'Brown, Payter?' the master shouted.

Peter Brown stepped forth tremblingly.

'Phat is the pleyral of the wurrud 'fut'?"

Peter had no knowledge of any such word as 'fut,' but he answered at random:

'Futs!'

'Wrong ye aire!' thundered the master. 'The plyural of 'fut' is fate. Sit down. Bill, Jeems, shtand opp!'

James Bell rose.

'Diffoine the wnrrud 'lake.'

'A lake is a large body of water.'

'Blockheads ye all aire the day! shouted the master angrily. 'Shure, then wuddent yer own sinse tell ye that a 'lake' is a hole in a booket o' wather' Nixt b'y Dooley, Moichael!'

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 St. John at 7 00 connects with N. B. & P. E.
 Island Railway for Cape Tormentine.

Connections are made at Painsec and
 from Point du Chene and Shediac with
 through day express trains leaving Halifax
 at 6 50 and 7 20, and St. John at 7 00, and
 from St. John and Halifax.

Trains of the Salisbury and Harvey Rail-
 way connect at Salisbury.

Trains of the Elgin and Havelock Branch
 Railway connect at Pettoctodiac.

At Hampton and Norton with Central
 Railway of New Brunswick.

A free colonist sleeper for St. John is on
 the train leaving Moncton at 20 00 o'clock,
 and passengers have the privilege of occu-
 pying this car over night.

At St. John station with trains of the Can-
 adian Pacific Railway for Fredericton,
 Woodstock, Houlton, St. Andrews, St. Ste-
 phen, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, and all
 Western Canada and United States Points;
 also with "New England All-Rail Line"
 for Bangor, Portland, Boston and New
 York.

Trains of the Kent Northern Railway con-
 nect at Kent Junction with Accommodation
 trains leaving Campbellton at 5 45 and
 Moncton at 10 30.

At Chatham Junction with trains of the
 Canada Eastern Railway for Chatham and
 Fredericton.

At Gloucester Junction with the Caraquet
 Railway.

At Riviere du Loup with trains of the
 Temiscouata Railway.

At Levis day express from Halifax con-
 nects with trains of the Quebec Central
 Railway for Sherbrooke and Boston.

Time of, and connections with, foreign
 lines not guaranteed.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Day express leaving Halifax at 7 20
 o'clock, connects at Truro at 9 45 with local
 express for Pictou, where connection is
 made daily (Sundays excepted) with steam-
 ers of the Charlottetown Steam Navigation
 Company for Charlottetown.

Day express leaving St. John at 7 00
 o'clock connects at Painsec Junction with
 train for Point du Chene, where connection
 is made daily (Sundays excepted) with
 steamers of the Charlottetown Steam Navi-
 gation Company to and from Summerside
 and Charlottetown and all P. E. I. Railway
 points.

Connections are made at Painsec Junction
 to and from Point du Chene and Shediac
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 from St. John and Halifax, leaving St. John
 at 7 00 o'clock and Halifax at 6 50 and 7 20.

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 at 24 00 same evening, connecting at St. John
 with trains of the "All Rail Line," and
 with Intercolonial steamers for Boston and
 all points in eastern United States. New
 York, etc.

At Mulgrave (during navigation, weather

permitting) with steamer Rimouski, on
 Mondays and Fridays for Arichat and
 Canso, Tuesdays and Thursdays for Port
 Hood, Wednesdays and Saturdays for Guys-
 bo o.

At Antigonish, stage from Sherbrooke
 connects daily with express trains to and
 from New Glasgow and Halifax.

At Heatherton, stage from Guysboro con-
 nects daily with express trains to and from
 New Glasgow and Halifax.

At Hastings, stage connects daily with
 ferry steamer to and from Port Hood and
 Mabou.

At Grand Narrows steamer to and from
 Ba dack connects with express train morn-
 ing and evening daily (Sundays excepted).

STAGE CONNECTIONS.

At Amherst with tri-weekly stages for
 Linden and Tidnish.

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 Maitland, Gay's River and Musquodobit,
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 days for Kennebecook and Noel.

At Hopewell with Stewart's stage line for
 Springville, Bridgeville, St. Paul, Upper and
 Lower Caledonia, Smithfield and Melrose.

At Truro, daily with stages for Clifton,
 Black Rock, and Maitland, and tri-weekly
 for Earlton, and West Branch River John.

At Londonderry with stages for Acadia,
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At Shediac with stages to and from Co-
 caine and Buctouche.

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 eign lines not guaranteed.*

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 daily (Sundays excepted), and run through
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 bec and Montreal take sleeping car at
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 The maid: Pardon; mais madam must
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 zee hen.

I have been on this road ten years,
 said the conductor on a southern rail
 road to a passenger who complained of
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 I'm talking about. Ten years, eh?
 said the passenger; what station did
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 have mutual friends who suggested my
 calling on you. Oh! that's all right.
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No person shall kill more than two moose
and four caribou. Penalty \$50 to \$200.

Meat must be taken from the woods
within ten days from time of killing.
Penalty \$50 to \$200.

No person shall have in possession any
green hide or fresh meat, whether killed in
Nova Scotia or elsewhere, between January
25th and September 14th. Penalty \$30 to \$50.

No person shall set any snare or trap for
moose or caribou. Possession of a snare is
presumptive evidence of intention to break
the law. Penalty \$50 to \$100.

No person shall hunt or kill moose or car-
ibou with dogs. Penalty \$50 to \$100. All
dogs hunting moose may be destroyed by
any person.

No person shall for ten years hunt or kill
American elk or red deer. Penalty \$50 to
\$100.

No person shall for three years hunt or
kill any cow moose. Penalty \$100 to \$200.

BIRDS.

Close season for partridge, woodcock,
grouse, snipe, teal, from December 1st to
September 15th. For blue winged duck,
from April 1st to September 15th.

No person shall have any such birds in
possession in close season, whether killed in
Nova Scotia or elsewhere.

No person shall kill woodcock between
sunset and sunrise.

Penalty for shooting or having in posses-
sion in close season, or killing after sunset,
\$5 to \$10 for each bird.

PHEASANTS, ETC.

It is unlawful to hunt, kill, or have in pos-
session any pheasant, blackcock, capercaillie
or ptarmigan.

RABBITS, HARES.

Close season from March 1st to Septem-
ber 1st.

No person shall have them in possession
from March 5th to September 1st.

No snares shall be set for rabbits or hares
in close season.

Clear space of 100 feet must be left be-
tween each hedge and the nearest hedge.
All snares or hedges unlawfully set may be
destroyed. Penalty for each offence \$2.

OTTER AND BEAVER.

Close season for three years, namely from
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MINK.

Close season from March 1st to Novem-
ber 1st.

OTHER FUR-BEARING ANIMALS.

Close season for all other fur-bearing ani-
mals, except bear, wolf, loup-cervier, wild-
cat, skunk, musquash, raccoon, and fox,
from April 1st to November 1st.

LICENSES.

No person not domiciled in Nova Scotia
shall hunt without license.

License fee for birds, hares, and rabbits,
\$10; for all other game, \$30.

Licenses may be had at Provincial Secre-
tary's office, Halifax, from all clerks of
counties, and from the agents of the Game
Society in various parts of the Province.

License fee for officers of army and navy
on this station, \$5. Such officers who are
members of Game Society are not required
to take any license.

Penalty for hunting without license, \$50
to \$100, in addition to the license fee.

The hunter, guide, or companion of any
such person hunting without license is
liable to the same fine as the person him-
self.

Note.—Whenever a fine is imposed by the
game laws, the person fined is liable to im-
prisonment if the fine is not paid; and judg-
ment may be recovered in the county courts
for amount of fine and costs, and may be
recorded, so as to bind the lands of the de-
fendant.

EXPORT OF HIDES, ETC.

Unlawful to export Moose or Caribou
hides from Nova Scotia. Any hides at-
tempted to be exported shall be forfeited.
Penalty—\$5 for each hide. Unlawful to ex-
port Partridge or Woodcock. Penalty—\$20.

FISH.

Salmon.—Close season from August 15th to
March 1st, except that Salmon may be
fished for with the fly alone from February
1st to August 15th. From low water nearest
6 o'clock p. m. of every Saturday to low
water nearest 6 a. m. of every Monday. No

one shall fish for Salmon in non-tidal waters.
The use of nets is prohibited in non-tidal
waters.

In non-tidal waters frequented by Salmon,
no one shall fish for any kind of fish between
9 o'clock p. m. of every Saturday and 6
o'clock a. m. of the following Monday.
Drifting and dipping for Salmon is prohi-
bited. Penalty for breach of foregoing
provisions, \$20 for each offence.

Trout, etc.—Unlawful to fish for or to have
in possession any Speckled Trout (*Salvelinus
fontinalis*), Lake Trout, or land-locked Sal-
mon, between 1st October and 1st April.

Unlawful to fish for Trout by any other
means than angling with hook and line.
Penalty for breach of foregoing provisions,
\$20 for each offence.

Explosives.—The use of explosives to kill
any kind of fish is prohibited under a
penalty of \$20.

Bass.—Close season from 1st March to 1st
October, except that Bass may be fished for
at all times by angling with hook and line.
Bass should not be fished for by any net
having meshes of a less size than 6 inches,
extension measure, nor by means of seines.
Penalty, \$20.

Shad and Gaspareaux.—Close season for
Shad and Gaspareaux shall be from sunset
on Friday evening to sunrise on Monday
morning in each week. Penalty, \$20.

By a late amendment to the Game Laws,
agents of the Society are appointed in vari-
ous places in the Province, where non-resi-
dents are likely to arrive, for the purpose of
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GEORGE PIERS,
Secretary Game Society

Halifax, July 25th, 1894.

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The following is the lawful charge for
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Brookfield	8 60	7 00	14 45
Debert	8 85	7 00	14 65
Elmsdale	7 90	7 00	13 35
Glengary	9 25	7 00	15 75
Greenville	8 85	7 00	14 65
Grand Narrows	12 40	9 80	19 75
HALIFAX	7 00	5 00	12 00
Harbour au Bouche	11 35	8 80	18 75
Heatherton	10 85	8 80	18 20
Hopewell	9 25	7 70	15 75
Leitch's Creek	12 50	10 20	19 75
Londonderry	8 85	7 00	14 65
Lunenburg	9 50	7 00	17 50
Maccan	8 85	7 00	14 65
Merigonish	9 65	8 65	16 40
Mulgrave	11 50	8 80	18 75
McIntyre's Lake	11 80	9 05	19 05
New Glasgow	9 25	7 75	14 80
North Sydney	12 50	10 10	18 75
Orangedale	12 10	9 50	18 50
Oxford	8 95	7 05	14 80
Pictou	9 25	7 75	15 75
River Denys	12 00	9 30	19 70
River John	9 25	7 75	15 75
Riversdale	9 25	7 25	15 25
Shubenacadie	8 20	7 00	13 80
Stellarton	9 25	7 75	15 75
Springhill	8 85	7 00	14 65
Stewiacke	8 35	7 00	14 65
Sydney	12 00	10 20	19 75
Tatamagouche	9 25	7 00	15 75
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Truro	8 85	7 09	14 65
Thomson	8 85	7 00	14 65
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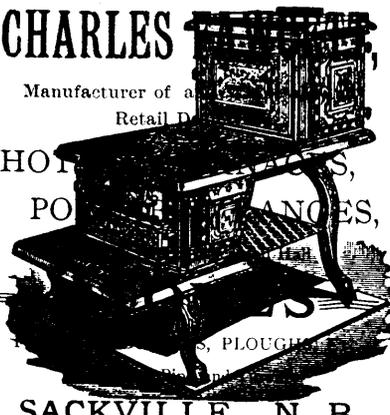
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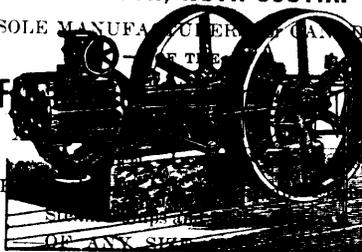
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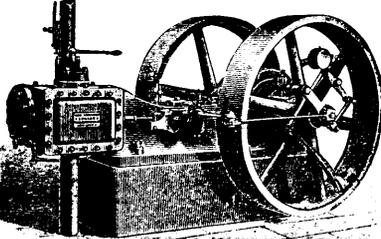
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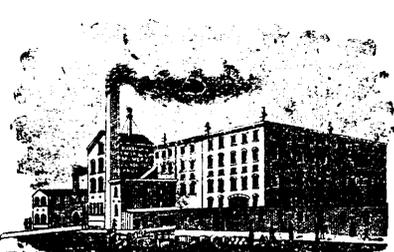


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