CALENDAR FOR SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Last Quarter, 3rd day, 5h 23.1 m., a. m, N.
New Moon, 10th day, 2h 52.2m., p. m. N E.
First Quar 17th day, 12h 6.4 m, mid N W.
Full Moon, 25th day, 4h 10.5m., p. m. F.

	Day of Week	Sun rises	Sun sets	High water
		h m	h m	after
1	Friday	5 26	6 34	1 43
2	Saturday	27	32	2 32
3	Sunday	28	30	3 38
4	Monday	30	28	5 8
5	Tuesday	31	26	6 47
6	Wednesday	32	24	8 4
7	Thursday	33	22	9 1
8	Friday	35	20	9 48
9	Saturday	36	18	10 25
10	Sunday	37	15	11 0
11	Monday	38	14	11 28
12	Tuesday	40	12	morn
13	Wednesday	41	10	0 3
14	Thursday	42	8	0 34
15	Friday	43	6	1 0
16	Saturday	45	4	1 42
17	Sunday	46	2	2 35
18	Monday	47	1	3 26
19	Tuesday	47	5 59	4 40
20	Wednesday	50	57	6 2
21	Thursday	51	55	7 19
22	Friday	52	53	8 15
23	Saturday	54	51	9 1
24	Sunday	55	49	9 41
25	Monday	56	47	10 17
26	Tuesday	58	45	10 52
27	Wednesday	59	43	11 27
28	Thursday	6 0	41	aft 5
29	Friday	1	39	0 44
30	Saturday	6 2	5 38	1 31

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LOCAL TIME TABLES.

P. E. I. RAILWAY.

TRAINS FOR THE WEST.

Express leaves Charlottetown....7.00 a. m.
Accom. do do.....3.40 p. m.

TRAINS FROM THE WEST.

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Express arrives at Charlottetown.7.20 p. m.
Accom. do do.....10.40 a. m.

CAPE TRAVERSE BRANCH.

Train leaves Emerald Junction...6.15 p. m.
Train leaves Cape Traverse.....7.25 a. m.

Train arrives Emerald Junction.8.15 a. m.
Train arrives Cape Traverse.....7.05 p. m.

TRAINS FOR THE EAST.

Express leaves Charlottetown.....4 p. m.
Accom. do do.....7.30 a. m.

TRAINS FROM THE EAST.

Express arrives Charlottetown..10.20 a. m.
Accom. do do.....6.35 p. m.

STEAMSHIPS.

STEAMERS CARROLL AND WORCESTER.

Leave Boston for Charlottetown, Saturday, 10 a. m.
Leave Charlottetown for Boston, Thursday, 6 p. m.

STEAMER FASTNET.

Leaves Halifax, N. S., for Charlottetown, every Monday, 6 p. m.
Arrives Charlottetown from Halifax, about 6 a. m., Wednesday.
Leaves Charlottetown for Summerside, about 10 a. m. Wednesday.
Arrives Charlottetown from Summerside, about 4. a. m. Thursday.
Leaves Charlottetown for Halifax, N. S., 4 p. m., Thursday.

STEAMER ST. LAWRENCE.

Leaves Charlottetown for Pictou, N. S., 6 a. m.
Arrives from Pictou, N. S., about 6 p. m.

SOUTHPORT AND WEST RIVER.

Steamer leaves Charlottetown for Southport, 6 a. m., and runs every half hour until 10.30 p. m.
Leaves Southport for Charlottetown, 6.15 a. m., and runs every half hour.
Monday—Steamer leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point at 2 p. m. and 4 p. m.
Tuesday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point at 9.30, a. m., 12 a. m., and 2 p. m.
Thursday same as Saturday.
Friday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9.30 a. m., 12 a. m., and 2 p. m.
Saturday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 8.30 a. m., 9.30 a. m., 2 p. m., and 4 p. m.
Sunday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9 a. m., 12 a. m., 1 p. m., and 2 p. m.
Monday—Leaves Charlottetown for West River, 4 p. m.
Tuesday and Friday—LeavesCharlottetown for New Bridge, calling at Rocky Point and Westville at 4 p. m.

ROCKY POINT SAIL BOAT.

Monday and Thursday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9 a. m., 11 a. m. 2 p. m., 4 p. m. and 6 p. m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday—11 a. m., 3 and 6 p. m.
Sunday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 4.30 p. m.

STEAMER JACQUES CARTIER.

Tuesday—Leaves Charlottetown for Orwell 4 a. m., and 3 p. m.
Wednesday — Leaves Charlottetown for Orwell, 3 p. m.
Thursday—Leaves Charlottetown for Orwell, 3 p. m.
Arrives from Orwell — Tuesday and Wednesday, 10 a. m.
Arrives from Orwell—Thursday, 8 p. m.
Friday—Leaves for East River, 4 a. m., and 3 p. m.
Arrives from East River, 9 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Saturday—Leaves for Crapaud, 3 a. m., 3 p. m.
Arrives from Crapaud, 10 a. m., and 9.30 p. m.
Calls at Vernon River every alternate Wednesday, beginning 24th May.
Leaves for Mount Stewart every alternate Friday, beginning 26th May.

STEAMER ELECTRA.

Leaves Charlottetown for Murray Harbor, Georgetown and Montague, every Thursday at 12 a. m.
Arrives at Charlottetown from Murray Harbor, Wednesday evening.

P. E. I. RAILWAY.

Until Further Notice the trains of this Railway will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:—

Trains will leave Charlottetown:

Express for Summerside and Tignish.6 00 a m
Accommodation for Mount Stewart, Georgetown and Souris.....6 30 "
Accommodation for Summerside.....2 40 p m
Express for Mount Stewart, Georgetown and Souris.....3 00 "

Passengers for the West can leave Charlottetown at 6 a. m., arriving at Summerside at 8.15 and Tignish at 11.55 a. m., returning same day, reaching Summerside at 4.05 and Charlottetown at 6.20 p. m. Expres Trains make close connection at Summerside with Steamer to and from Point du Chene. Passengers going East can leave Charlottetown at 6.35 a. m., arriving at Souris at 10.55, or Georgetown at 10 a. m., returning to Charlottetown same day, arriving at 5.35, p. m.

Trains will arrive at Charlottetown:

Express from Georgetown, Souris and Mount Stewart.....9 20 a m
Accommodation from Summerside.9 40 "
Accommodation from Georgetown, Souris and Mount Stewart.....5 35 p m
Express from Tignish and Summerside.....6 20 "

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Exhibition and Races,
1893.
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OPEN TO THE WHOLE ISLAND,

WILL BE HELD AT CHARLOTTETOWN,

—ON—

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,

SEPTEMBER 26, 27, 28 AND 29.

All animals and articles for Exhibition must be entered at the office of the Secretary, Cameron Block, on or before SATURDAY, 23RD SEPTEMBER.

The Exhibition Grounds and Buildings will be open on Friday and Saturday, 22nd and 23rd September, and until 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 25th of September, for the reception and arrangement of Exhibition articles.

Exhibitors of bulky articles, requiring large space, should apply to the Secretary not later than the 18th September.

Prize Lists, containing full information as to Rules, Regulations, etc., with entry forms, will be sent or given to any person applying to the Secretary.

The Entry Books are now open, and entries can be made at any time with the Secretary.

The Grand Parade of Prize and other Animals will take place on Friday, 29th September, at 11 o'clock, a. m., sharp.

THE RACES.

The following Races will take place during the Exhibition:—

$1,500. PREMIUMS. $1,500.

FIRST DAY—27TH SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Three Minute Class	Purse	$150 00
Two Year Old (Futurity)	"	150 00
Stallion Race	"	200 00

SECOND DAY—28TH SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Three Year Old Class	Purse	$150 00
Free for All (open to Canada and the United States)	"	500 00
2.40 Class	"	150 00

The entries for the Two Year Old Class are now closed. The entries for the other classes close on the 13th September.

Amusements of various kinds are being arranged for during the Exhibition.

Special Rates by Rail and Steamers from all parts.

NOTE. On Wednesday, 27th September, from 11 to 12 o'clock, noon, and on Thursday and Friday, 28th and 29th September, from 9 to 11 o'clock, a. m., Auction Sales of Horses, Cattle and other Stock will be held. This is expected to be a great sale, as the Directors are assured that a lot of first-class animals will be offered.

BENJ. ROGERS, President.
A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary.

Charlottetown, September 1, 1893—2aw & wy

KING'S COUNTY
Exhibition & Races

—AT—

GEORGETOWN, P. E. ISLAND,

WILL BE HELD AT THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS,

On Thursday, 21st of September, 1893.

All Horses for the Exhibition must be entered on or before the 14th of September Articles for Exhibition will be received at the Drill Shed from 3 o'clock, p. m., on Tuesday, 19th of September, until 6 o'clock, p. m., on Wednesday, September 20th Live Stock must be on the Cattle Show Ground at 11 o'clock, a. m., on Thursday, September 21st. The Exhibition Ground and Buildings will be open to the public from 9 o'clock, a. m., until 5 o'clock, p. m., on September 21st.

PRIZE LIST containing full information can be had from the Secretary and from Malcolm McDonald, Esq., Georgetown.

THE RACES

will be called at 2 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, and will include the following:

THREE MINUTE CLASS (Trotters)	Purse	$100 00
FREE FOR ALL CLASS (Trotters and Pacers)	"	100 00

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The King's County Exhibition Association offer a premium of $25 for a Match Race between the Stallions BILLY McKIE and ALMONT M.

For conditions of Races see advertisement in Prize List of the King's County Exhibition, page 39.

Arrangements have been made with the P. E. Island Railway for the usual favorable rates, both for exhibitors and passengers.

D. GORDON, President.
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Georgetown, Sept. 5, 1893—dy 2aw & wky pat guar wat 21

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NATURE'S LOVE MAKING.

Birds and Insects Dust Put on Frills When Courting.

The wooing of birds is most refined and graceful. Love tunes their respective pipes, and they seek to captivate their mates by their sweetest notes and most varied warbling.

The wood pigeon charms his lady-love by a series of aerial evolutions and curious flapping of his strong winged feathers, puffing his breast and tenderly cooing.

At mating time the plumage of male birds is more handsome than at any other period—indeed, some birds assume different colors in the spring.

Yellow-hammers charm their mates by displaying their tail feathers in the form of a fan; starlings chatter in the sunshine to show the metallic beauty of their breast feathers, and swallows circle and double in graceful flight before their lady-loves.

Bright shells, flowers, feathers and grasses are laid by the bower bird at the entrance of his partner's retreat; and tiny humming birds woo most assiduously, showing off their lovely hues and engaging in fierce combat with a possible rival, even bringing nectar from choice flowers for the delectation of their fairy brides.

Hen birds exhibit all the vagaries of their sex, and pretend to be indifferent to the exertions of their admirers.

Frogs have an original way of love-making, and as soon as evening shades fall, commence to croak loudly to their mates, sometimes great numbers of them combining in one unmusical chorus.

Courting among insects is often a very elaborate affair. A male spider will approach a female and amuse her for some time with his antics. It is said that he twirls around and around, crosses his legs, erects his body and executes a sort of mazy dance to excite her admiration.

She is a very vicious lady and not always pleased with his lovemaking; sometimes he finds himself obliged to ward her off, for she has a painful mode of showing her displeasure; and if she entirely disapproves of his attentions will fall upon him and rend him to pieces.

One species of spider is said to have a novel way of making love, the sexes communicating by means of strands of web stretching from one retreat to the other—a sort of telephone, so to speak.

Glow worms, according to some naturalists, use their luminaries as love signals. The females of one species seat themselves among the grass, while the males, attracted by the light, dance attendance round them.

Concerning fish—sticklebacks occasionally resort to harsh treatment, attacking the females with open mouths and erected spines. As husbands their behavior is certainly eccentric, for after the female has deposited her eggs within the nest that he has prepared for her, her lord and master drives her away and proceeds to hatch them himself.—Boston Globe.

ABOUT HANDWRITING.

The Similarity Shown by Members of Particular Classes.

The changes in fashionable handwriting during the past ten years have been marked. Young girls of to-day write in large and usually firm characters, while a surprising number of young men, not trained to clerkiness, and struggling between several recognized standards of a good masculine handwriting, produce letters of a singularly childish style of penmanship. But leaving out these conditions of youth and transition, with their more or less fascinating suggestion; of equal change in the intellectual fashions of young men and maidens, there is an inexhaustible interest in the study of nature handwriting, from the point of view of the subtle clairvoyant interviewer of other people's minds and methods.

For example, most literary men nowadays write a small hand. The phrase literary men is very sweeping in this connection, and it is by no means limited to the producers of pure literature in this country. In that case there would be next to nothing to say, especially if the literature produced was restricted to that genuinely imbued with style. Literary men in this sense means also all men who have the power and also a most surprising knack in returning to others of the craft their own ambitious productions.

It is true that the typewriter has clicked it way into this domain of letters, also, but there are still writers of letters in the land; still those who dip pen in ink and set hand unto paper. And it is curious how much alike these observers of thought write. A Boston gentleman curiously engaged in the pursuit of literature—although chiefly occupied, fortunately, with a remunerative profession—is authority for the statement that eleven literary men connected with eleven of the leading periodicals of the country write remarkably alike. The eleven envelopes in which they enclosed short personal letters of encouragement, with one of his most travelled manuscripts, certainly offer striking documentary evidence of the similiarity of handwriting in an arduous branch of an important profession.

In other occupations this adaptation of individuality to what may be called class proclivities in handwriting is often equally striking. Take letters from a given number of bankers, and (even at present) they would show a physical likeness in their pages which would be fully as entertaining at those in a like number of letters from actors or preachers, artists or lawyers. To be sure, the typewriting machine interferes with the strict study of individuality in all professions nowadays, but the pen is much mightier when it comes to those personal revelations, which are apparently about all that the pen is left in the world for in these days of the omnipresent typewriter.—Boston Transcript.

Value of the Drained Zuyder Zee.

In the year 1883 a society was organized in Holland to make plans for the draining of the Zuyder Zee. It now officially reports that three-fourths of the soil covered by these 900,000 acres of water is as fertile as surrounding districts, and proposes a scheme of drainage which will leave 300,000 acres in the center as a lake, while the rest will be redeemed at a rate that will annually render from 12,000 to 15,000 acres habitable. The cost of the entire work is estimated at $76,000,000. The largest enterprise of the same sort hitherto carried out has been the draining of the Haarlem Lake, which, after thirty-nine months of labor, added 46,000 acres to the solid soil of Holland. When the Zuyder Zee was formed by an inundation, in the thirteenth century, some 80,000 lives are believed to have been lost, and this fact gives an idea of the profit which will result from its redemption.—Garden and Forest.

George W. Dye, one of the wealthiest planters in north-east Georgia, is dead, and has left his fortune of over half a million dollars to the negro family who attended him for the last fifty years.

PROGRESS.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

VIBRATIONS OF BUILDINGS.

Photography Supplies a Method of Recording Dangerous Strains.

Professor Steiner, of Sprague, has perfected a method of accurately measuring bridge and floor vibrations by the aid of photography. His process is a delicate one and is an application of the chrono-photographic process of Mr. M. E. J. Marey, of the Institute of France. He uses little glass balls, says "Le Genie Civil," and these are strongly illuminated either by a solar ray, or by an electric arc light or a magnesium light. These balls give upon a photographic negative a clear and well defined point. To register vibrations, one of these glass balls is fixed at the point to be examined and the photographic apparatus is then so set up that the image of the ball falls on the right edge of the plate. The plate is exposed at the moment the movement commences and at the same time the camera is turned from right to left on a pivot. The negative then shows an undulating line which is the vibrations of the ball point in amplitude and duration.

To obtain a scale with which to read this undulating line, a second ball is suspended to a fixed point, to which is given a known rate of oscillation. The position of these two balls is such that their images coincide in a state of rest and a comparison of the trace of the second ball as printed upon the line of the first on the negative gives the number of vibrations of the latter in a given time.

It is possible then to place near the first ball a fixed scale brilliantly illuminated like the ball itself, and as this scale appears on the negative and amplitude of the oscillations can be measured at a glance. The measurements may be made either directly upon the print, or from an enlargement made in the usual manner.

To avoid the practical difficulty of making the images of the two balls coincide at the beginning of the operation, Professor Steiner says a pendulum may be made to oscillate before the source of illumination of the ball. The ball of this pendulum will pass before the light at regular and determined intervals and the undulating line on the negative will be broken at distances corresponding to the duration of an oscillation of the pendulum. It is not important that the camera turns upon its axis with a uniform motion and the speed of turning is likewise of little importance. The relations of the curves traced by the two balls will always remain the same.

It is suggested that an apparatus of this kind would be useful in studying the vibration of the floors of buildings resting for some years on iron beams, especially when these floors are submitted to the rhythmic shock of dancing.

TALLEYRAND AND NAPOLEON.

The Emperor's Outburst Against His Scheming Minister.

Prince Talleyrand might well be styled "the man with a pull." While Napoleon was in Spain, Tallyrand, his principal Minister, was plotting against him at home. Intercepted letters revealed everything to the Emperor. Pasquier, in his lately published "Memoirs," describes the terrible scene at the first meeting between Napoleon and his scheming Minister after the former's return. Before a crowd of ministers and generals, Napoleon burst out in this manner: "You are a thief, a coward, a man without honor; you do not believe in God; all your life you have betrayed everybody; there is nothing sacred for you; you would sell your father. I have covered you with wealth and there is nothing that you would not undertake against me.

"For ten months you have had the impudence, because my affairs in Spain were going wrong, to say that you always blamed my enterprises there, whereas you gave me the first idea of it and persistently urged it. And that man, that unfortunate (The Duc d'Enghien), by whom was I advised of the place of his residence? Who incited me to be severe with him? What are your projects? What do dou want? What do you hope for? Do you dare to say? I ought to break you like a glass. I can do it, but I despise you too much to take the trouble."

Talleyrand remained silent and impassive, and Napoleon reained him in is rank, titles and offices. What a "pull" he must have had!—Chicago Times.

They Considered It.

There is an old law on the statute books of Illinios to the effect that in criminal cases the jury is the "judge of the law as well as the facts." Though not often quoted, sometimes a lawyer with a desperate case makes use of it. The "Green Bag" mentions such a case and says:

The Judge instructed the jury that it was to judge of the law as well as the facts, but added that it was not to judge of the law unless it was fully satisfied that it knew more law than the Judge.

An outrageous verdict was brought in, contrary to all instructions of the Court, who felt called upon to rebuke the jury.

At last one old farmer arose.

"Jedge," said he, "weren't we to jedge the law as well as the facts?"

"Certainly," was the response; "but I told you not to judge the law unless you were clearly satisfied that you knew the law better than I did."

"Well, Jedge," answered the farmer, gravely, "we considered that p'int."

Baby's Dimensions.

From measurements of 100 infants born in the Royal Maternity Hospital of Edinburgh, averages have been obtained. They are practically the same for American children, and are as follows: Average weight of male infant at birth, 7.55 pounds; average weight of female infant at birth, 7.23 pounds; average height of male infant at birth 18.34 inches; average height of female infant at birth, 18.98. Each inch of the male infant corresponds to 2.56 pounds. Each inch of the female infant corresponds to 2.62 pounds. The range between the shortest and tallest male infants was 16 inches; between the shortest and tallest female infants 8 inches.—Mother's Nursery Guide.

England's Oldest Industry.

The oldest industry in Great Britain—older it could hardly be, for its existence has been traced back to the pre-historic stone age—is still being carried on at the village of Brandon, on the borders of Norfolk and Suffolk, and is reported to be in a flourishing condition. It is a manufactory of gun and tinder box flints. The work is done in little sheds, often at the back of townsfolks' cottages. —London News.

Avoid all Injurious Habits.

Tea drinking is an injurious habit, and nervous people should be careful in the use of it. It is not a food, it is not a tonic, and if drunk strong it may be as baneful in its effects as brandy would be. Anyone who feels as if they were a bundle of nerves should give up both tea and tobacco, and use Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure, which will help them to exist in comfort without them

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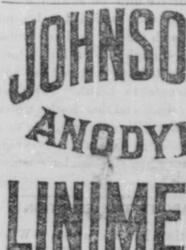

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