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Return tickets issued from all stations at one single first class fare, beginning September 12th, ending with September 22nd, limited to return Sept. 27th.

**Special Low Rate**  
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Not more than \$3.50 will be charged from any station on the Railway on tickets which will be issued at all stations and on trains on the 14th and 19th September and limited to return four days, exclusive of date of issue and Sunday.

G. A. SHARP,  
Superintendent.  
Railway Office, Charlottetown,  
August 3, 1898—2aw sw w4i

**A WONDERFUL LIVER CURE**

The manager of the electrical exposition in Philadelphia asked Mr. Edison to visit the show and give a short talk on some electrical subject, or if he found it inconvenient to do so to send on a phonographic cylinder setting forth some of his latest ideas of electrical interest. Mr. Edison complied in his own way with the latter request, and in doing so while omitting any reference to electricity produced an electrical effect upon the management and the auditors by his contribution. It was as follows:

MY DEAR MARKS—You asked me to send you a phonographic cylinder for your lecture and to say a few words to the audience. I do not think the audience would take any interest in dry scientific subjects, but perhaps they might be interested in a little story that a man sent me on a phonographic cylinder the other day from San Francisco.

In the year 1878 a man from Massachusetts came to California with a chronic liver complaint. He searched all over the coast for a mineral spring to cure the disease, and finally he found down in the San Joaquin valley a spring the waters of which almost instantly cured him. He thereupon started a sanitarium, and people from all over the world came and were quickly cured.

Last year this man died, and so powerful had been the action of the waters that they had to take his liver out and kill it with a club. Yours truly,  
EDISON.

—Electricity.

**Pearls.**

Pearls, the costly product of the pearl fish of the Persian gulf, are obtained from the bed of the sea by divers, who bring up as many of the oysterlike shells as they can and then place them in heaps on the shore covered with sand. They are left for several days while the fish decay and the shells open, after which the sand is sifted and the pearls found. They are then cleansed and polished. The value of the pearl depends on its size, roundness, color and brightness. The most renowned pearls were the two which formed Cleopatra's earrings, one of which she dissolved in a goblet of vinegar and drank to the health of her guest, Mark Antony.

The remaining pearl became the property of the Emperor Augustus, who had it cut in two for earrings for his daughter Julia. Another historic pearl records a similar act of extravagance nearer our own time. It is said that at a banquet given to Queen Elizabeth on the opening of the Royal Exchange Sir Thomas Gresham ground a precious pearl to powder and drank it in a goblet of wine to the health of his royal guest.—Chicago News.

**Perfectly Cured**

Weak and Low Spirited—Nervous Prostration—Appetite Poor and Could Not Rest.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla to others. It has been the means of restoring my wife to good health. She was stricken down with an attack of nervous prostration. She suffered with headaches and her nerves were under severe strain. She became very low spirited and so weak she could only do a little work without resting. Her appetite was poor, and being so weak she could not get the proper rest at night. She decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, as we had heard it highly praised, and I am glad to state that Hood's Sarsaparilla has perfectly cured all her ailments." G. BELLAMY, 321 Hannah St., West, Hamilton, Ontario. Remember

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**Mortgage Sale.**

To be sold at public auction, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, on Thursday, the tenth day of November, A. D. 1898, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon.

All that tract piece and parcel of land, situate lying and being in the Common of Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in the said Island—being part of the Common Lot number twenty-two, and bounded as follows: Commencing on the South Side of Long Street, at the north east angle of a part of said Common Lot, recently conveyed to John Percival, thence southwardly along the eastern line of said John Percival's land, for the distance of eighty feet or till it strikes the north west angle of a piece of land of said Common Lot, formerly in possession of one Gay, thence east along the northern line of said Gay's land, for the distance of twenty feet, thence northwardly along the west line of Philip Coyne's land, by a line parallel to the said eastern line of John Percival's lot, seventy-seven feet and ten inches, or to Long Street, across said, and thence westwardly along the southern side of Long Street a distance of twenty five feet or thereabouts, to the place of commencement.

The above sale is made under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage, bearing date, the 8th day of October, A. D. 1874, and made between Douglas McKinnon, and Catherine McKinnon his wife, of the one part, and Philip Large, of Charlottetown, of the other part.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.  
Dated this 28th day of July, A. D. 1898.  
PHILIP LARGE,  
Mortgagee

Ch'town, July 26, 1898—w 141ns

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**THE EFFECT OF WIND ON LAKES**

Attention has been called to the very remarkable effect of the wind on various inland bodies of water. It is not unusual for the residents in towns on the shores of lakes to be greatly inconvenienced, provided a heavy wind blowing on shore continues for any length of time. In the Baltic sea the level has been altered for upward of eight feet. Sometimes the water is blown out of a channel, leaving it almost dry. In one instance a depression of six feet occurred on one side of a body of water, with a corresponding rise of six feet on the other. Lake Erie has been known to alter its level a distance of 15 feet on account of heavy winds, and Lake Michigan was at one time the subject of considerable interest from the same cause. The wind was heavy and continuous and piled the water up on one side, while the other was so low that people walked out upon rocks where in the memory of man no feet had ever trodden.—New York Ledger.

**How Mines Are Exploded.**

There are several methods by which mines and torpedoes anchored in harbors may be detected, but it is very dangerous and difficult work, and its success depends largely upon the circumstances and the condition of the water and the bottom of the bay in which they are placed. Sometimes they are discovered by dragging with a kedge. Sometimes they can be seen when the water is clear, and in order to assist the natural vision a canvas telescope is rigged which drops upon the water and shuts out the light from the eyes of the observer so that he can have a better view of the bottom. There are other methods also known to sailors and frequently practiced. The most effective is called "countermining"—that is, the explosion of torpedoes in the water, which by their detonation cause the mines to explode.—Chicago Record.

**Druggists' Lights.**

An apothecary found himself minus his red light one night, at a time when it was customary for tradesmen of his class to ornament their store fronts with a simple red lamp. To supply his need he took a glass bottle filled with a red fluid and placed a candle behind it. The effect so pleased him that he added another. Rival druggists illuminated their windows, increasing the number of lights and also changing the colors. Thus the entire town followed the lead. So it became the fashion.—Christian Work.

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The Great English Remedy. Six Packages Guaranteed to promptly and permanently cure all forms of Nervous Weakness, Emissions, Spermatorrhoea, Impotency and all effects of Abuse or Excesses, Mental Worry, excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants, which soon lead to Insanity, Consumption and an early grave. Has been prescribed over 35 years in thousands of cases; is the only Reliable and Honest Medicine known. Ask druggist for Wood's Phosphodine; if he offers some worthless medicine in place of this, inclose price in letter, and we will send by return mail. Price, one package, \$1; six, \$5. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address.

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**CURIOS ITALIAN CIGARS**

A curious cigar seen in the Italian quarter of the city, where it is made and sold, is about 7 1/2 inches in length and very slender, being not much bigger around than an all tobacco cigarette, and almost uniform in size for the greater part of its length. At the end that is placed in the mouth this cigar is made around a piece of straw an inch and a half in length, which projects about a quarter of an inch clear of the tobacco. When the cigar is made, a broom splint long enough to reach almost to the lighting end of the cigar is run through the straw, and the cigar is made around that. The broom splint is cut long enough so that a quarter or half an inch of it projects clear of the straw mouthpiece.

When the cigar is to be smoked, the broom splint is withdrawn. The opening through it where the splint was makes the cigar draw freely, and the section of straw at the slender end keeps the cigar open there. These cigars, made of strong, dark tobacco, are sold at retail for a cent each.—New York Sun.

**Commerce of the Philippines.**

The commerce of these islands has been estimated by some authorities at \$50,000,000 a year, but it is probably much greater, the chief exports being sugar, tobacco and hemp. Of Manila cigars the yearly product is several hundred million, one factory alone employing 10,000 hands, and of Manila hemp the yearly product is probably 200,000 tons. One factory in Manila produces 40,000,000 cigarettes in a single year.

The imports are also of enormous value. The United States sends the Philippines chiefly kerosene oil and flour, while England, Germany and France sell them print cloths, white drilling, hardware, canned goods, etc. There are other large towns in the islands, but most of the imports are landed at Manila and are shipped to them by local steamers. One company alone has 27 steamers engaged in local and coastwise trade, their ships ranging in size from 500 to 3,000 tons.—Isaac M. Elliott in Scribner's.

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**THE CHARLOTTETOWN DRIVING PARK**

**RACES, 1898**

Will be Held at Charlottetown

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY**

September 14th & 15th

**HORSE RACES**

\$1,050.00 Premiums \$1,050.00

First Day, 14th September, 1898.

Three Minute Class . . . . . Purse \$150.00  
2 26 Class . . . . . " 200.00  
2 40 Class (Trotters and Pacers) . . . . . " 150.00

Second Day, 15th September, 1898.

2.50 Class . . . . . Purse \$150.00  
Free For All . . . . . " 250.00  
2.30 Class . . . . . " 150.00

Entries close 7th September, 1898.  
No horse barred by record made after August 1st, 1898.

All further particulars given on application to the Secretary.  
In addition to the above, the Guideless Horses "Tommy," from Ontario, will give three exhibitions of speed on each of the race days.

Admission to grounds, 25c. Children under 12 years old, 15c.

**Special Rates By Steamers and Railway**

By regular and special trains from all Stations to Charlottetown each day good to return day of issue as follows.—

Tignish to Eismdale inclusive	\$1.25	Souris to Bear River	90
Conway to Richmond "	1.15	Rollo Bay to Lot 40	75
Wellington to Summerside	1.00	Dundee to Tracadie	50
Travellers Rest to Cape Traverse	90	Bedford	45
Bradalbane to Clyde	80	Suffolk	45
Hunter River to North Wiltshire	50	York	25
Colville to Milton	35	Union and Brackley Point	25
Windsor	25	Georgetown to Cardigan	80
Royalty Junction	15	Perrin to Peake	75
		Pisiquid	60

Also return tickets at one first class single fare will be issued from all stations to Charlottetown on the 13th, 14th and 15th Sept., good to return by all trains up to and on the 16th.

The special train will run as follows, LOCAL time, leave Summerside on arrival of regular train from Tignish on the 14th and 15th Sept.—

At 9.30 a.m. " Bradalbane 10.21 "  
Leave Kennington 9.53 " " Hunter River 10.48; Wiltshire 10.58 "  
" Freetown 10.08 " " Royalty Junction 11.33 "  
" Emerald 10.18 " Arrive Charlottetown 11.46 "

A special train will leave Charlottetown on the afternoon of the 14th and 15th for the West at 6 p.m., connecting at Summerside with the train for Tignish. Passengers from the east will arrive by the regular morning train on the first day, and on the second day in addition to the regular train a special train will

Leave Souris at 8.00 a.m. " Mount Stewart 8.55 "  
" Bear River 8.31 " Bedford at 10.22 "  
" St. Peters 9.05 " " Royalty Junction 10.45 "  
" Morell 9.23 " Arrive Charlottetown 11.05 "

Special train will leave for Georgetown and Souris at 6.15 p.m. each day. Excursion return tickets will be issued at one first class fare from all stations on the Intercolonial and P.E. Island Railways to Charlottetown on the 13th and 14th September; good to return up to and on the 16th Sept., at one first class fare. Return fare from Picton to Charlottetown \$2, on the 13th and 14th, good to return up to and on the 16th.

Str. Jacques Cartier will carry passengers attending the races, from Orwell to Charlottetown each day. Return tickets 25c; good for return on either day. Leaving Charlottetown at 5 p.m. each day, Sept 14th and 15th.

All communications to be addressed to the Secretary.

**F. L. HASZARD,** President.  
**C. R. SMALLWOOD,** Secretary.  
August 10—Tue, Thur & W y t d