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### Calendar for Dec., 1899. MOON'S CHANGES New Moon, 2nd, 8h. 35m. p. m. First Quarter, 9th, 4h. 50m. p. m. Full Moon, 16th, 9h. 19m. p. m. Last Quarter, 24th, 11h. 45m. p. m.

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aries abroad soom to have jumped to of the world for a State which bases made which make it impossible to that Catholics, by reason of their tion was signed. On May 10, 1881, so makes Catholicism an absolute tives of her Majesty and representa-disqualification for the exercise of tives of the Transvaal, the President the franchise, or employment by Sir Hercules Robinson' asked this the State. In the absence of anybing like an argumentative preentment of the case against Great Britain, we may be permitted to throughout the Transvaal? Were bold Walgatz or Harberona Samorecall the events which were the immediate occasion of the war. We pass for a moment the fact that for of free men. We pointed out only River Convention. the other day that the English spesking maj rity of the people bad sume you will not object to to live under a disability of race, continuing? and in fact were as effectually shut out from any share in the government of the country as if they had been Oatholies or Kaffirs. The privileges? right to carry arms was reserved as the privilege of the Boers, as dis- ence so far as burgher rights are sun never sinks. Its climate is one passage from the Fathers, "The

their children shut out from the into the country. State scho ls, or else receiving inclusively Datch jury. Even the majority of the inhabitants.

a violation of the status quo as it was are high, but it is a mere misrepre-present to the minds of her Maj- sentation to say that the war is due

whole underlying idea of the Pretoria Convention is the preservation of the equality which then existed the conclusion that, in its war with between all the white inhabitants Transvasl, England is playing of the Transvasl. But, as Mr. the part simply of a freebooter. Fitzpatrick has pointed out, there is The case is thought to be so self-direct evidence of the intention of evident that reasons and arguments those who drew up the Convention are held to be superfluous, and so The Convention was itself the result we have the trange eight of Cath- of a previous conference. At that

olic journals claiming the sympathy conference definite promises were its constitution on the proposition doubt with what object the Convenreligion, are unfit to be citizens, and at a conference between representaquestion:

> Before annexation had British subjects complete freedom of trade

years past the majority of the white on the same footing as the burghers. Russia and placed under the humane

equal protection for everybody.

struction through the medium of a rights were made the privilege of a degrees R., and its winter tempera-Dutch patois. In every quarrel single race, and that process began ture 60 degrees., and in autumn between Boer and Briton, the Eng- which has converted Mr. Kruger's rain deluges every valley and floods by Example," "Scandal," etc. The lishman was robb d'of his right to
be tried before his peers, and had to
see the question settled by an exmanent disfranchisement of the Zembla was put under official Rus-

sons if he considered that desirable. internal affairs of the Republic, government shipped three families. The unhappy Uitlander might not was content to turn a deaf ear to of Samoyads from the Petchora to breathe except on sufferance for the Alien Expulsion Law placed him absolutely at the mercy of the Expulsion. She declined to investigation and injustice. She declined to investigation and injustice. She declined to investigation and injustice. She declined to investigation priest and an unquality one Russian priest and an unquality one Russian priest and an unquality of the wind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of this precious little book: "The thought which field the mind of Our Lord when the character of the precious little book in the character of this precious little book in the character of the charac these dumb Uitlander sheep was Uitlanders, and by the mouth of There are now two settlements, the the special task of the Hellander Sir Alfred Milner asked the Boers, largest Karmenkuls, consisting of flicials. One after the other all for the sake of peace, to allow the three big wooden houses, a church, the necessaries of life had been Uitlanders such a share of represent a wooden parsonage, a store, a bath, seized and granted as monopolies to tation as would at least enable them, and six to twelve chooms, or native

ential to the community than some the representation for the Uitlanders, that curious natural canal or strait that curious natural canal or strait able to those to whom it is offered, am, soap, railways, matches, spiri's, Uitlanders, though a majority in halves.

The a lew mings from the Uitlanders. The a lew mings from the Unitary to the venerated author of "Daily that curious natural canal or strait able to those to whom it is offered, other aimilar volumes may follow.

May there he many others! There wool, bricke, oil, sugar, paper, the country, would have still found themselves in a permanent minority in the Raad. Their voting power benefit of one or other of the ruling oligarchy. While the Uitlanders that of the Boers, but they would have availed nothing against that of the Boers, but they would have availed nothing against that of the Boers, but they would have availed nothing against that of the Boers, but they would have availed nothing against that of the Boers, but they would have availed nothing against that of the Boers, but they would have a valed not be too many books like ber—and stays a day or two at each this. Of its cordial reception by priests we have no doubt whatever. There is need of a book like "Daily Thoughts" for the devont laity.

their fellows, and, infuriated by monopolies, made their flust appeal to the paramount power.

Johannesburg had become the petitical plague spot of South Africa, and its disaffection and unrest were felt far beyond the frantiers of that, leaving the question of the Transvaal. The unredressed grievances of the Uillanders were grievances of the Uillanders were find redress. The Boers refused this small concession, the secretary, order what he wants up to his belance, the goods being brought to him next voyage. To show their income, for example, the refusal a casus belli, promised to one—the champton hunter—on my the were felt far beyond the franchise on one side, the specific grievances of the Uillanders were grievances of the Uillanders might in such violent contrast to the system of canality and freedom which

ority. For the sake of the peace of to give the majority of the people needles, dogs, snuff, tobacco, were South Africa some effort at conciliation even standing-room within the pale the chief of the orders given. South Africa some effort at conciliation and redress had to be made. However anxious to respect the independence of the Transvaal, it was impossible for Great Britain to turn a deaf ear to the cry of her subjects without alienating the affections and incurring the contemptuous hatred of thousands of her best friends in of thousands of her best friends in the sea through either the sea through either the sea through either the chief of the orders given.

These Samoyads struck me as finer and more intelligent than the mainland tribes. This is due to the healthy life they lead, with no chance of getting drunk for weeks when they have money, as the mainland tribes do on every available opportunity. As one said to me, running his greaty flogers.

AND South Africa. For these men were marched to the sea through either me, running his greasy fingers entitled by treaty to equal treat- of the British colonies almost with through his matted hair, "Samoment in the Transvaal, and their out opposition. Trusting to their yad's head thick and dirry, but not disfranchisement was itself a breach batteries of Krupp and Creuzet empty—oh, not empty."—S. H. resides at Johannesberg; and four-of the understanding upon which guns, which had no equals on the Review. the independence of the country Continent, they deliberately resolv-was recognized. In Mr. Chamber- ed to make good their claim to be a lain's words, the exclusion of the "Sovereign International State."
Uitlanders from the franchise was It is a bold game and the stakes

Convention was negotiated." The

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ambition and resolve to keep all the of the people. - The Tablet.

### Where Winter Always Reigns.

Up to 1872, Neva Zembla was No Man's Land, or was only the land of the bear, reindeer and walrus, says writer in the Windsor Magazine, and an occasional band of extra they on the same footing as citizens yads, who visited its shore to hunt, or, rarer still, a scientific expedi-Mr. Kruger replied: They were tion. But in 1873 it was taken by

inhabitants of the Transvaal had There was not the slightest differ- society, which built three buts at a thoughts in a way to make the been denied the elementary rights ence in accordance with the Sand cost of £400, and put six months' food there, in case of requirement Sir Hercules Robinson: I pre- by the Russian or Norwegian walrus that hunters, who annually visited its shores, and who migh be, as they Mr. Kruger: No. There will be often are, shipwrecked and bound to winter in this desolate land, where Sir Evelyn Wood: And equal it is perpetual darkness from Nov.

13 to Feb. 1, and perpetual day Mr. Kruger: We make no differ- from May 26 to July 18, when the tinguished from Uitlanders and concerned. There may, perhaps, long winter, and some of the bays negroes. The English speaking be some slight difference in the case and inlets never thaw, and on the majority were condemned to see of a young person who has just come land lies (in spite of its southerly degree) eternal snow; its summer It was not till later that burgher temperature is one degree to three

sian rule—that is, under the proright to grumble was denied, and the Public Meetings Act empowered a Boer policeman to disperse any gathering of more than seven per
we now come to the immediate tectorate of the government of Archangel, and at first all expenses with the words, Si cognovisses — "If thou hadst known!"

How much more impressive this is appearance of interfering with the pays itself well, for on that date the "prelude!" A few words quoted

this or that presperous Boer. In to explain their grievances to the skin wigwam like huts. The other that is, making the most of committee, "No sooner does any Chamberlain's demand was for a consists of chooms only, eight in It is very gratifying to be become absolutely estative years' franchise and a fourth of number. It is a few miles from the community than some the representation for the Uitlanders, entrance of the Matostohin Shar.

bore the barden of nine-tenths of have gained the right to state their munication whatever with the main- Thoughts" for the devout laity,the direct and indirect taxation of own case, and for the rest they land, for no one is allowed to land a series of brief considerations on the country they had no voice in its were left to trust to the goodness of without a special permit. This is

tem of equality and freedom which prevails both in gape Colony and Natal that it was inevitable that a spirit of bitter partizanship should grow up between those who sympathized with the oppressed majoratity and those who, on grounds of tasks on eternal record that the struggle might have been averted if race, favoured the governing minority. For the sake of the peace of to give the majority of the people of the sake of the peace of to give the majority of the people of the sake of the peace of the sake of the peace of to give the majority of the people of the sake of the peace of the sake

Daily Thoughts for Priests.

(By the Very Rev. J. B. Hogan, 8. D. D. Marlier, Callanan & Co.)

ory, or to anything but Boer new book by the Abbe Hogan. It has only to become known to find good things of the land for a section its way into the hands of all for whom it is intended. The need of just such a work has been generally felt, and it is now admirably supplied. "Daily Languta" is unlike the books of meditation with which we are all familiar: it is more practical than most of them, less wordy and more Scriptural; it is suggestive rather than exhaustive; there is nothing exaggerated or exclamatory about it; above all, the reflections are exactly sui'el to existing conditions. Dr. Hogan knows how deepest impression on the minds of

> The book opens with a series of reflections on the Beatitudes, in which the meaning of Our Lord's words is developed: and in many instances this meaning is shown to be beyond the modern acceptation. These reflections are followed by a Imitation," or some other authorizthought and helping to fix it in the memory. After the Beatitudes jects as "Lost Opportunities," " Ideals False and True," " Teaching text introducing each subject is generally a saying of Our Lord Himself; for instance, the medita-

Housekeepers

the constrict ley bey hed no voice in its expending and had to 1 vk cn while this very year a sum of £1,216,324 was distributed among a hardful of Boars in the form of (ficial salarier). This power to keep the majority of the white inhabitants in a state of successary

To come in and look over our Groceries. Our stock is fine and fresh and guaranteed to be satisfactory. We keep the majority of the white inhabitants in a state of successary

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The prices—well, that is what we want you to see when you are looking at our goods. Their lowness will surprise year outside the pale of the Can satisfactory of the first own was privilege too pleasant you are looking at our goods. Their lowness will surprise the process of the first own was privilege too gleasant to be lightly surfendered. But such as condition of things could not endure. The day came is least you.

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The prices—well, that is what we want you to see when you are looking at our goods. Their lowness will surprise the process of the fland, for no one is allow of their cause. When the control to the goodeness of their cause. Here, then, is what we are fight to discourage what used to happen to discourage what used to happen to discourage what used to happen to discourage what used to papen in the old days when a further, with select quotations from the form of (ficial space). Here, then, is what we are fight to fire their cause.

Here, then, is what we are fight in the form of the white in the property of the white inhabitants of the Transval the right to lay their own way before the Right to lay their own way before the Right to lay their own way before the Right to lay their own so complaints in the control of the Wall of the Wall

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