

DOMINION ALMANAC.

JUNE.

"This rule in gardening never forget"
"To sow dry, and set out wet."

JUNE, the sixth month of the year, named from the Latin Junius. Ovid makes Juno assert that the same was expressly given in honor of herself. Those who derive the name from Junius Brutus, who began his consulship in this month, forget that, according to tradition, it had received the appellation long before. In the old Latin or Alban calendar, June was the fourth month and consisted of twenty-six days. Romulus is said to have assigned to it a complement of thirty days. Numa, who named it the sixth month, deprived it of one day, which was restored by Julius Caesar, since which time it has remained undisturbed.

The Anglo-Saxons had several names for the month of June. They called it *sear-monath*, dry month; *midsummer-monath*, midsummer month; and *æralitha-monath*, the earlier mild month, in contradistinction to July.

MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	5 d	11 h	p.m.	Apogee	9 d	10 h	a.m.
First Quarter	11	3	a.m.	Perigee	2	11	p.m.
Full Moon	17	2	a.m.				
Last Quarter	27	5	p.m.				

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			Rises.	Sets.
			h. m.	h. m.
1	S	Parliament first met in Toronto 1797.	4 21	7 35
2	S	<i>First Sunday after Trinity.</i>	4 20	7 36
3	M	Champlain arrived at Tadoussac 1638	4 20	7 36
4	T		4 19	7 37
5	W	Battle of Stoney Creek 1813.	4 19	7 38
6	Th	Great fire in Montreal 1813 & 1852.	4 19	7 38
7	F	Great Fire at Quebec 1862.	4 18	7 39
8	S	Halifax, N.S., settled 1749.	4 18	7 40
9	S	<i>Second Sunday after Trinity.</i>	4 18	7 40
10	M	Gavazzi Riots in Montreal 1853	4 18	7 41
11	T	<i>St. Barnabas.</i>	4 17	7 41
12	W	St. John's Newfoundland almost destroyed by fire 1846.	4 17	7 42
13	Th		4 17	7 42
14	F	College & ch. of Jesuits, Quebec burnt 1649.	4 17	7 43
15	S	Montreal retaken by the British 1778.	4 17	7 42
16	S	<i>Third Sunday after Trinity.</i>	4 17	7 44
17	M	The site of Montreal consecrated 1642.	4 17	7 44
18	T	Karl Dalhousie, Gov. 1820.	4 17	7 44
19	W	100th Regt. sailed for Eng. from Can. 1838.	4 18	7 45
20	Th	Accession of <i>Queen Victoria</i> , 1837.	4 18	7 45
21	F	Quebec "Gazette" first newspaper pub. in Canada, 1764.	4 18	7 45
22	S		4 18	7 45
23	S	<i>Fourth Sunday after Trinity.</i>	4 18	7 45
24	M	<i>St. John Baptist.</i>	4 19	7 46
25	T	Battle of Louisbourg, 1758.	4 19	7 46
26	W	Steamer <i>Montreal</i> burned 1857.	4 20	7 46
27	Th	Coronation of <i>Queen Victoria</i> , 1838.	4 20	7 46
28	F	Great Fire at Quebec 1845.	4 20	7 46
29	S	<i>St. Peter & St. Paul.</i>	4 21	7 45
30	S	<i>Fifth Sunday after Trinity.</i> Sir P. Maitland Lt.-Gov. 1830.	4 21	7 45