

Call and See the Choice Assortment of Fancy
12th Month. DECEMBER, 31 Days. Begins on Monday.

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.		Montreal.	Pertk.	Toronto.	London.
	D.	h. m.		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
Full Moon.....	3	11 32 ev.		11 26 ev.	11 14 ev.	11 2 ev.	10 54 ev.
Third Quarter.....	11	5 6 ev.		5 00 ev.	4 48 ev.	4 36 ev.	4 23 ev.
New Moon.....	19	2 1 ev.		1 54 ev.	1 43 ev.	1 31 ev.	1 23 ev.
First Quarter.....	26	11 17 mo.		11 11 mo.	10 59 mo.	10 47 mo.	10 39 mo.

DAYS.		Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
M.	Week.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	South.	R. & S.	D.	h. m. s.	
								1	11 49 25	
								9	11 52 46	
								17	11 56 35	
								25	12 0 35	

		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	Deg. Min.	h. m.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.		
1	Mon.	7 26	4 12	7 19	4 19	21 51	4 3	Opens with cold blasts from the North West. Changing Easterly and prospect of heavy downfall of snow in the East. Still in the W. the winter has not set in.		
2	Tues.	28	12	21	19	22 0	5 17			
3	Wed.	28	12	21	19	22 9	Rises.			
4	Thur.	29	11	22	18	22 17	4 45			
5	Fri.	30	11	24	18	22 25	5 39			
6	Sat.	31	11	25	17	22 32	6 39			
7	E.	7 32	4 11	7 26	4 17	22 39	7 45	2nd Sunday in Advent.		
8	Mon.	33	11	27	17	22 45	8 49	Generally cold and frosty.		
9	Tues.	33	11	28	18	22 51	9 52	Pleasant for the season.		
10	Wed.	35	11	28	18	22 57	10 53	Changeable and gloomy.		
11	Thur.	35	11	29	18	23 2	11 44	Rain or snow.		
12	Fri.	36	11	30	18	23 6	Morn.	Snow and cold.		
13	Sat.	37	11	31	18	23 11	0 53	Rather severe for the season.		
14	E.	7 38	4 11	7 32	4 18	23 14	1 53	3rd Sunday in Advent.		
15	Mon.	39	12	32	18	23 17	2 56	Wintry blasts. The cold		
16	Tues.	39	12	33	19	23 20	4 1	has increased by several		
17	Wed.	40	12	33	19	23 22	5 9	degrees, but about now		
18	Thur.	41	12	34	20	23 24	6 19	the weather will be very		
19	Fri.	42	13	34	20	23 26	Sets.	changeable. Decidedly		
20	Sat.	42	13	36	20	23 26	5 13	settling for hard frost.		
21	E.	7 43	4 14	7 36	4 20	23 27	6 25	4th Sunday in Advent.		
22	Mon.	43	15	37	21	23 27	7 41	21st. St. Thomas' Day.		
23	Tues.	44	15	37	21	23 26	8 58	Look out for the great dis-		
24	Wed.	44	16	38	22	23 25	10 14	play of Holiday Goods		
25	Thur.	45	16	38	23	23 24	11 27	at Hart's.		
26	Fri.	45	17	38	24	23 22	Morn.	St. Stephens Day.		
27	Sat.	45	18	38	24	23 19	0 40	St. John the Evangelist.		
28	E.	7 45	4 18	7 39	4 25	23 16	1 51	1st Sunday after Christmas.		
29	Mon.	46	18	39	25	23 13	3 5	Cold, with high winds.		
30	Tues.	47	19	39	26	23 9	4 16	Continues cold and blustery		
31	Wed.	46	20	39	27	23 5	5 29	Hard frost and stormy.		

DECEMBER.—It will do no harm and may do good to repeat our oft-given advice to farmers old or young, but especially the young in respect to the careful reading of good books treating on the many topics of Agriculture and Horticulture. Money spent on useful works is not wasted. Besides the pleasure of study, there are many profitable results arising from careful study. In the works of the best authors you have the collated results of knowledge tested by experience. Book learning is not to be despised in these days, and it is a pleasing fact that the literature of farming is greatly on the increase. There are also many valuable periodicals published in the interest of agriculture, and in every farm-house there should be found one or more of these.

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