

FEBRUARY.

And now the glittering bay invites
 Indulgence in the keen delights
 Of Winter's healthful games:
 The rapid skater plies his skill;
 The "Curling list" begins to fill
 With well remembered names.
 The money-lender loves to praise
 The month that has the fewest days.

✕ This month has PISCES, or the Fishes, for its Zodiacal sign: Its name is from the *Februa*, or Sacrifices offered to the manes of the gods at this season.

METEOROLOGICAL TABLE FOR FEBRUARY.

	UPPER CANADA.	LOWER CANADA.	South of England.	Average coldest day at Toronto, is Feb. 11th; mean tem. of the 24th,—4° 6'.
	Toronto.	Nicolet.		
Mean Temperature....	23.7	13.3	44.8	
Mean Highest.....	45.3		52	
Mean Lowest.....	4.7	17.1	21	

Day of Mon	Day of week.	REMARKABLE DAYS, &c.	MEMORANDA.
1	Tues.	Battle of Bienne, 1814.	
2	Wed.	Candlemas.	
3	Thur.	Spanish Inquisition abolished, 1813.	
4	Frid.	Order of St. Patrick instituted, 1783.	
5	Sat.	Sir R. Peel, born, 1788.	
6	Sun.	<i>5th Sunday after Epiphany.</i>	
7	Mon.	Hilary Term begins.	
8	Tues.	District Councils meet.	
9	Wed.	Canada ceded to Great Britain, 1763.	
10	Thur.	Queen Victoria married, 1840.	
11	Frid.	Lord Sydenham, Gov. Gen., 1840.	
12	Sat.	Lady Jane Grey beheaded, 1554.	
13	Sun.	<i>6th Sunday after Epiphany.</i>	
14	Mon.	Valentine St.	
15	Tues.	Fieschi guillotined, 1836.	
16	Wed.	Melancthon, born, 1497.	
17	Thur.	Partition of Poland, 1772.	
18	Frid.	Canada settled by the French, 1534.	
19	Sat.	Hilary Term ends.	
20	Sun	<i>Septuagesima.</i>	
21	Mon.	92 Resolutions passed, 1834.	
22	Tues.	Washington, born, 1732.	
23	Wed.	Sir J. Reynolds, died, 1792.	
24	Thur.	Handel, born, 1684.	
25	Frid.	Sir C. Wren, died.	
26	Sat.	J. P. Kemble, died, 1822.	
27	Sun.	<i>Sexagesima.</i>	
28	Mon.	Montaigne, born, 1533.	
29	Tues.	Intercalated Day, being Leap Year.	