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Remarkable Days.

- 1 1ST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.—
St. Philip and St. James.—
Prince Arthur Patrick b 1850
- 2 Late Duke Wellington b 1760
- 3 Jamaica taken from Spain, 1655
- 4 Siege of Quebec raised, 1776
- 5 Napoleon Bonaparte d 1821
- 6 Battle of Prague, 1767
- 7 Reciprocal Intercolonial Trade,
1850
- 8 3RD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.—
- 9 Proc. President Johnson rec.—
End of armed resistance, 1865
- 10 Sepoy mutiny, 1857
- 11 Sons of Temperance organized
in P. E. Island, 1848
- 12 Prof. Olmstead d 1859
- 13 Marquis Rockingham b 1730
- 14 Garibaldi defeats King of
Naples at Callifanti, 1860
- 15 4TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.
- 16 Foundation stone of Colonial
Building laid, 1843
- 17 Robt. Tannahill d 1810
- 18 Free Church established 1843
- 19 St. Dunstan.
- 20 Chris. Columbus d 1506
- 21 Battle of Montebello, 1859
- 22 5TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.
- 23 Mr. Rassam, captive from Abyssinia,
arrived in England,
1868
- 24 Queen Victoria b 1819
- 25 Princess Helena b 1846. Mar.
July 5, 1866
- 26 ASCENSION DAY.
- 27 Palermo stormed by Garibaldi.
- 28 200 houses burnt at Quebec,
1845
- 29 SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION.—
Amnesty Pro. of President U.
S., issued 1865
- 30 Peace of Paris, 1814.—Voltaire
d 1778
- 31 Halifax and Pictou Railway
opened 1837.—Dr. Chalmers
d 1847

As soon as the meadows are dry enough to bear feet without injury to the turf, they should be carefully picked of all loose and projecting

stones, which might injure a mowing machine, and then well rolled so as to make the surface as smooth and perfect as possible. Stumps should be dug or pulled out, brush and other rubbish removed, and small hillocks levelled down. Meadows which were top-dressed with coarse manure in autumn or winter, which was more or less spread in lumps, should be harrowed as early as possible, so as to break those lumps and spread the whole uniformly. Cattle droppings, on meadows or pastures, should be finely beaten to pieces and well scattered over the surface, as soon as the frost will admit, and before the frost has all disappeared from the soil. It is, perhaps, scarcely necessary to mention that no good farmer ever allows either his meadows or pastures to be touched by a hoof early in spring while the ground is soft. Much is lost by thin and uneven seeding of meadows.

Chatting about a young fellow who was to become his son-in-law, an old man said he had but one fault—he could not play the piano. "That is not a very serious fault," said a friend. "That is not the worst of it," said the old man, "he does not know how to play, but he plays just the same."

NAUTICAL IDEA OF A COMET.—Some sailors saw a comet, and were somewhat surprised and alarmed at its appearance. The captain asked them what they thought it was, when they answered that they had come to the conclusion that it was a star that had sprung a leak.

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