



ST. SWITHIN'S DAY

The pranks played by tradition with the memory of various noted individuals, saintly and otherwise, are unpretentious, the most whimsical anomalies both as regards praise and blame.

The common adage regarding St. Swithin, in every one knows, is to the effect that, if it rains or is fair on St. Swithin's Day, the 15th of July, there will be a continuous track of wet or dry weather for the forty days ensuing.

St. Swithin's Day, if it be a storm, For forty days it will remain; St. Swithin's Day, if thou be fair, For forty days 'twill rain nae mair.

The explanation given by Brand in his Popular Antiquities of this saying—an explanation which has been pretty generally received—is as follows: St. Swithin, bishop of Winchester, was a man equally noted for his uprightness and humility.

ious uses, though the payment of tithes as a legal obligation was not introduced till the time of Athelstan, nor finally established till under King Edgar.

Than to believe in tales and lies, Which idle monks and friars devise.' In the next century, Gay remarks in his Travels.

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THE LIVING LUSTRES 'I am to be envied, Virus raiquoque, Sinu quiescere.'—Sir T. More.

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Table with columns for Day of Month, Sun rises, Sun sets, H. Water am., H. Water pm., L. Water am., L. Water pm.

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