

Calendar for March, 1908.

Calendar table for March 1908 showing days of the week, moon phases, and astronomical data.

Winter Communication.

Our Island Claims Advocated in the House of Commons.

In the House of Commons, Ottawa, on the 9th inst., answering questions, Hon. Mr. Brodeur stated that the Prince Edward Island winter steamer would be received down to March 16.

Mr. Martin (Prince Edward Island) on motion for papers concerning the Prince Edward Island tunnel, introduced a discussion of the whole question.

Mr. Brodeur—Do you want more delay? Mr. Martin—Well, does the minister mean to have the ship completed for next season's work?

Mr. Brodeur—Then you had time to give notice to builders in England? Mr. Martin—Do you think the ship should be built in Britain?

Mr. Martin—Your Minister is beside you, and he says Britain is the only place to build her.

Mr. Martin read the Charlotte-town Guardian, declaring that the Dominion Government had obligations, and himself contacted Sir Wilfrid Laurier's eloquent appeal for the oppressed Red River halfbreeds, with his indifference to the oppressed Prince Edward Islanders.

All Stuffed Up

That's the condition of many sufferers from catarrh of the nose and throat. Great difficulty is experienced in clearing the head and throat.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures catarrh—it soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane and builds up the whole system.

Mr. Lefargey quoted a speech by Dr. Pogley made last summer at St. John's, in which he said he had gone over the reports on the tunnel scheme and was in favor of it.

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Mr. McLean (P. E. Island) continued the attack, explaining the effect of the present system of freight rates. The people were paying for traffic three times the proper freight rates.

Mr. Hughes, the only government supporter from the island, rebuked the other members for finding fault with the government.

Mr. Chisholm (Antigonish) expressed his sympathy with the claims of Prince Edward Island, but the compact did not contemplate a tunnel or it would have been mentioned.

Mr. Brodeur—Why do you say that the act does not mention steamboats? It speaks of steam communications.

Mr. Chisholm thought this meant boats. Mr. Martin—How do you interpret the prime minister's letter of 1891?

Mr. Chisholm had not heard of it, but if only a tunnel could furnish the service required, the tunnel would be provided.

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Should pay it rather than break a contract.

Mr. McDonald (Picton) followed with defence of Picton harbor. The only trouble about Cape George was that it was a cape and not a harbor.

Sir Wilfrid, who rose shortly before midnight said his pleasure of hearing the island members was alloyed with regret for the change that successive Canadian governments had been hostile or unjust to the island.

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SOME INSTANCES.

Berth 1046, D. R. Fraser offered, \$3,015. James A. Powell, 1,510.

On top of these came the letter of Burrows with two cheques, one of \$3,000 and one of \$5,000. The \$500 cheque brought the offer above Fraser's bid.

Berth 1047, M. McDonald bid, \$13,534. Mr. Hough, 4,050. T. A. Burrows got the limit by sending three cheques of \$5,000, \$5,000 and \$4,000.

Berth 1049, Blain bid, \$3,300. Thompson, 5,110. Burrows came in with two cheques, one for \$3,500, or a little above Blain, and another of \$3,000, the two together beating Thompson.

Mr. E. M. Lewis, of West Huroon, has introduced and supported in an able speech a resolution in favor of an export duty on pulp wood.

Mr. R. L. Borden said that Sir Wilfrid had not gone any further this evening than he did in 1891. Lefargey—Not so far.

Mr. Borden said that was so, and read the premier's language sixteen years ago. In 1891 Laurier complained that further explorations had not been made, but in eleven years he had added nothing to them.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Henry Clews, the banker and author, was talking at the Union Club in New York about a certain financier.

Muscular Rheumatism.

Mr. H. Wilkinson, Stratford, Ont., says:—It affords me much pleasure to say that I experienced great relief from Muscular Rheumatism by using my boxes of Milburn's Rheumatic Pills.

NATURAL ENOUGH.

"Mrs. Nervey wasn't invited to Mrs. Swellman's tea at all," Miss Gaddie was saying, "but she came, and when she entered the room the silence was positively painful."

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"She's a horrid child," said six-year-old Elsie, "she's forever wishing she was a boy."

FAR FROM DEAD.

"Well, well," exclaimed the bachelor friend, seeing the baby for the first time, "he's the dead image of you, Jack."

SPITEFUL.

Miss Elder—I'm having just the loveliest gown made. It's tan cloth with old rose trimming. Don't you think that will be becoming?

ONLY A Common Cold

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