

Remarkable Days.

- 1 St. David.
- 2 John Wesley, d. 1791.
- 3 QUINQUAGESIMA.—SHROVE SUNDAY.
- 4 Telegrams sent to San Francisco from Atlantic, 1865.
- 5 Patent granted to Cabot, 1495.
- 6 B. and F. Bible Society established, 1805.
- 6 ASH WEDNESDAY.
- 8 A. H. Layard, M.P., b. 1817.
- 9 Mrs. Barbauld d. 1825.
- 10 1st SUNDAY IN LENT.
- 11 First British daily newspaper, 1702.
- 12 Accident to passengers and
- 13 couriers crossing the
- 14 Straits, 1855.
- 15 Gen. Jackson, (U.S.) b. 1767.
- 16 Duchess of Kent, d. 1861.
- 17 2d SUNDAY IN LENT.—SAINT PATRICK.
- 18 Princess Louisa b. 1848.
- 19 Lord Bacon arraigned for corruption, 1621.
- 20 Sir I. Newton, d. 1727.
- 21 Henry Kirke White, b. 1785.
- 22 John Edwards, d. 1758.
- 23 Shakespeare, b. 1564.
- 24 3d SUNDAY IN LENT.
- 25 Annunciation.—Lady Day.
- 26 Regalia of Scotland deposited in Edinburgh, 1707.
- 27 James I. d. 1625.
- 28 England declares war against Russia, 1854.
- 29 Sweedenborg, d. 1772.
- 30 Crimean war ended 1856.
- 31 4th SUNDAY IN LENT.

MANY farmers in P. E. Island idle away a great part of this month. During the short and cold days of January and February, they have probably made little or no provision for the coming summer. If their grain is all threshed when the March sun first shines upon them, they will be prepared to complete their supply of firewood for the summer, and to pro-

vide such fencing material as may be needed. Cultivators of our soil, you should never neglect these two important requisites. In this climate the season for tillage is short; it will, therefore, never do for you to be running to the woods for fence-poles when your grain is up, and you should be employed at sowing your turnips; nor for you to be gathering old sticks to cook your breakfast, when you should be mowing hay. Before the vernal equinox overtakes you, see that all your hauling is done, and everything procured from the forest which can save a moment's time in the busy season. Then turn your attention to cutting up and splitting your firewood for use, and getting your carts, plows, and small farming implements in order, so that when spring does really come you may be ready to dash into field work. An idle March frequently causes a scanty harvest.

CALVES "BROUGHT UP BY HAND." A member of the Cirencester Farmers' Club makes a speciality of rearing calves, and has read a paper before that association describing his experience. He has been in the habit of procuring the calves dropped on the farm of a neighbor, and, with only four cows of his own, raised fifty calves in 1864, fifty-five in 1865, and, in 1866, fifty-five were weaned, but three have been lost by mismanagement. He takes the calves from about the first of March, when ten days old, paying sixty shillings each for them.

REMEDY FOR THE STING OF A BEE. The following is a Prussian recipe: Beat an onion on a hard body to extract the juice, to which add a pinch of salt. Apply the mixture to the sting, and the pain and inflammation will cease.

BEGIN your life-work betimes; it is sad to be sowing your seed when you should be reaping your harvest.