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MOON'S CHANGES.
Full Moon, 6th, 2h. 50m. a. m.
Last Quarter, 13th, 2h. 56m. p. m.
New Moon, 21st, 4h. 13m. p. m.
First Quarter, 28th, 6h. 0m. p. m.

Day of Week	Sun	Moon	High Water
1 Saturday	7 22 4	9 2 15	5 27
2 Sunday	33	9 3 29	6 57
3 Monday	34	8 4 45	8 6
4 Tuesday	35	8 5 60	9 5
5 Wednesday	36	8 7 9	9 39
6 Thursday	37	8 10 10	10 32
7 Friday	38	8 9 4	11 13
8 Saturday	39	8 9 48	11 52
9 Sunday	40	8 10 20	12 27
10 Monday	41	8 10 48	1 12
11 Tuesday	42	8 11 14	2 1
12 Wednesday	43	8 11 39	2 28
13 Thursday	44	8 12 1	3 15
14 Friday	45	8 12 41	4 16
15 Saturday	46	8 13 15	5 21
16 Sunday	47	8 13 44	6 24
17 Monday	48	8 14 8	7 26
18 Tuesday	49	8 14 25	8 19
19 Wednesday	50	8 15 7	9 7
20 Thursday	51	8 15 22	9 58
21 Friday	52	8 16 43	10 50
22 Saturday	53	8 18 11	11 6
23 Sunday	54	8 19 47	11 33
24 Monday	55	8 21 22	11 53
25 Tuesday	56	8 23 5	12 42
26 Wednesday	57	8 26 10	1 2
27 Thursday	58	8 29 10	1 57
28 Friday	59	8 32 9	2 42
29 Saturday	60	8 35 16	3 28
30 Sunday	61	8 38 49	4 22
31 Monday	62	8 42 20	5 22

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THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5th, 1900.

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Strike Down the Enemy.

The address of the Leader of the Opposition, Hon. D. Gordon, published in this issue, briefly and tersely sets forth some of the many reasons why the present Provincial Government should be removed from power on the 12th of December. As is plainly evident from the evidence furnished

Government have broken their pledges, falsified their promises and have consequently, forfeited the confidence of the electorate of this Province. They promised to reduce public expenditure; but the record shows they have largely increased it. In the strongest language possible they condemned a Provincial debt, yet in nine years they have added about \$500,000 to the debt of the Province. They solemnly declared when they took office the day of taxation was far off, and have since then assured the electors they would receive an amount of money from Ottawa that would remove taxation for all time. In all these declarations they have most outrageously deceived the electorate; for in their nine years of office they have collected from the people \$288,649 in taxes. This is what the people have for placing in power the present Government and keeping them there. They promised to make revenue and expenditure meet; but the public accounts show that the average annual deficit, since they assumed power, has been \$39,543. When in opposition they never ceased to proclaim that there was no necessity for a Commissioner of Public Works and that the Land Office should be closed. But, in the face of this they have continued that office with its expenditures, although they have been in office over nine years. The financial policy of the Government has been simply ruinous, as any one can see by giving the matter a little thought. Although they extracted, in the shape of taxes, the sum of \$288,649 from the pockets of the people, they ran behind in their accounts during their time in office, as we have already shown, to the tune of \$355,888. Adding together these deficits and taxes we have the enormous sum of \$644,537. This is the way the Government have carried out their promises and have made revenue and expenditure meet. In return for all this expenditure and taxation the people have received no substantial benefit. Our public road system, as carried on by the Government is simply a public scandal; a sink for absorbing the people's money, without any return in the shape of improved highways. The interest paid on the public debt, has been increased by the present Government to the extent of \$16,378.07. This in itself should be enough to cause the people to set their face against the present Government and to send them about their business on the 12th of December. Our Province is without sources of public revenues, such as the valuable mineral and lumber areas of the other Provinces of the Dominion, and if the policy of going in debt is to be permitted much longer, the Island will be irretrievably mortgaged to the money lenders. This is no imaginary picture of our financial condition; but is such as any one can see who will take the trouble to give the matter serious consideration. It is not, therefore, time to call halt; to resign ourselves from our lethargy and make an effort to preserve our heritage, by removing the present Government from power on the 12th of December?

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the 19th contained the following telegraphic news:

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—Sir Louis Davies and Hon. Mr. Fielding arrived here on Saturday, along with them was Premier Farquharson. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is taking a few days quiet at Arthabaskaville. By these despatches it will be seen that Mr. Farquharson reached Ottawa on the 17th which was Saturday and reached home on return Monday night. His stay in Ottawa must have been very brief and must have been part of Saturday and part of Sunday, as one cannot come from Ottawa in a day. While he was there Sir Wilfrid Laurier was taking a "few days quiet at Arthabaskaville" therefore Mr. Farquharson did not see him. It will therefore be interesting to know who encouraged him in his "mission" and on what date the "mission" was "accomplished."

The Public Debt.

July 3, 1891—Amount due banks - - - \$3,442.21
June 2, 1900—Amount due banks and for debentures and loans \$531,801.40
These are the amounts set forth in official statements, issued on the dates given, under the signature of Arthur Newbery, Deputy Provincial Secretary and Treasurer.

To the Electors of Prince Edward Island.

As the Government have issued their mandate for a general election on the 12th of December and you will be called upon to choose representatives to manage your affairs in the next parliament of this Province, it is fit and proper that a retrospect be taken and a true estimate formed of our position and financial standing as a Province.

The term of the Legislative Assembly, just dissolved, had many months remaining, and much surprise is expressed that the electors should have been put to trouble and annoyance at this unseasonable time.

However, it is evident that the Government are acting on the assumption that the present time is auspicious, owing to the result of the recent Dominion election. They hope, by this sharp movement, to obtain a snap verdict from the electorate in order to hold on to power for a further term.

A stronger reason for this unconstitutional appeal to the electorate at this time seems to be a desire to secure the vote before the people have had time to examine the public accounts showing how rapidly the debt of the Province has been rolled up.

Previous to the election of 1897, attention had been directed to the reckless and wasteful extravagance which obtained in the public service, and it was hoped that better methods would be adopted. On the contrary, notwithstanding the promises of the Government to make revenue and expenditure meet, it is found that the debt has increased enormously, by leaps and bounds, the balance against the Province being many thousands of dollars greater than a year ago. It will be found, when the accounts are before the public,

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ently with the needs of the public service. The resources of the Province will be safeguarded and husbanded by every legitimate means that can be devised.

With these assurances and holding those views, the Liberal-Conservative party appeal to you, the electorate of the whole Province for your approval and support, firmly convinced that upon due consideration a right conclusion will be arrived at, and that the present Government will meet, as it deserves, your condemnation at the polls on the 12th day of December.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,
D. GORDON.
Georgetown, Nov. 23, 1900.

THE ART OF STUDY.

(By B. A. Hinsdale. The American Book Co.)

Nowadays the study of psychology is part of the training necessary to acquire even the rudiments of the science of teaching. The relation between teacher and pupil proved the wisdom of studying the nature of the child before attempting to draw forth its latent powers. Professor Hinsdale, who occupies the pedagogical chair in the University of Michigan, has done much toward the training of teachers in his works addressed especially to them; and his latest book, 'The Art of Study,' will serve to emphasize his previous efforts toward outlining the position of instructor and of student. To the list of reference books recommended by Mr. Hinsdale we would add the volume on psychology in the Stoneyhurst series, a new edition of which has just appeared; also 'The Child,' by Mgr. Dapsaloup, and Bishop Spalding's essays on Education.—Ave Maria.

The will of the late Marquis of Bute contains the following ecclesiastical bequests: £10,000, the income of which shall be applied for the upkeep of daily Catholic Cathedral services at Oban in the church to be built there, any surplus to be devoted towards educating any of the chorists at any of the Scottish Universities; £40,000 for the purpose of erecting and completing a Catholic church at Oban and a Catholic church or monastery at Whithorn; to the Catholic Bishop of Argyll and his successors in office the sum of £200 per annum; to the Catholic Bishop of Galloway and his successors in office the sum of £100 per annum. One thousand pounds is bequeathed to the Catholic Archbishop of St. Andrews of Edinburgh, and a like sum to the Jewish rabbi of Sco land to be mortgaged, and the annual proceeds applied by each of them to the maintenance of students at St. Andrews University. An annuity of £100 for Monsignor Thomas J. Capel is also provided for.

The Holy Father, whose poetic inspiration appears to suffer no interruption during the busy days of the 'Ann S' nra,' has composed some masterly verses on the occasion of the solemn festivities in honor of St. Augustine which took place at Paris on the 9th ultimo, the 'S' nra' Pontiff being represented by His Eminence Cardinal Crosti.

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