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## Calendar for Nov., 1900.

MOON'S CHANGES.  
Full Moon, 11th, 12th, 3 p. m.  
Last Quarter, 15th, 6, 4 p. m.  
New Moon, 21st, 10, 2 p. m.  
First Quarter, 25th, 11, 4 a. m.

Day of Week.	Rise.	Set.	High Water.	Low Water.
1 Thursday	4:20	1:51	4:20	1:51
2 Friday	5:25	2:59	5:25	2:59
3 Saturday	6:35	4:17	6:35	4:17
4 Sunday	7:50	5:42	7:50	5:42
5 Monday	9:10	7:10	9:10	7:10
6 Tuesday	10:35	8:40	10:35	8:40
7 Wednesday	12:05	10:00	12:05	10:00
8 Thursday	1:40	11:15	1:40	11:15
9 Friday	3:10	12:25	3:10	12:25
10 Saturday	4:45	1:30	4:45	1:30
11 Sunday	6:15	2:30	6:15	2:30
12 Monday	7:40	3:25	7:40	3:25
13 Tuesday	9:00	4:15	9:00	4:15
14 Wednesday	10:15	5:00	10:15	5:00
15 Thursday	11:25	5:80	11:25	5:08
16 Friday	12:30	5:50	12:30	5:10
17 Saturday	1:30	6:30	1:30	6:12
18 Sunday	2:25	7:00	2:25	7:10
19 Monday	3:15	7:40	3:15	8:00
20 Tuesday	4:00	8:10	4:00	8:50
21 Wednesday	4:40	8:50	4:40	9:40
22 Thursday	5:15	9:20	5:15	10:30
23 Friday	5:45	9:45	5:45	11:20
24 Saturday	6:10	10:10	6:10	12:10
25 Sunday	6:30	10:30	6:30	1:00
26 Monday	6:45	10:45	6:45	1:50
27 Tuesday	6:55	11:00	6:55	2:40
28 Wednesday	7:00	11:10	7:00	3:30
29 Thursday	7:05	11:20	7:05	4:20
30 Friday	7:10	11:30	7:10	5:10

## BIG SALE

### GROCERY, GLASSWARE

### Groceries

All Goods at Low Prices.  
A large assortment of Table Sets, Berry Sets and Lemonade Sets, suitable for wedding presents, to which we specially invite inspection. Customers will be astonished at our low quotations.

P. MONAGHAN,  
Queen St., Charlottetown.  
June 13-17.



## Our Watches FOR LADIES

Are Gems of Beauty.  
SOMERBY'S WATCHES  
Are beautifully engraved, others plain, solid and substantial.

WATCHES from \$6.00 to \$100  
Specially recommended for time-keeping.

FINE SHOW OF SILVERWARE,  
suitable for presents.  
Solid Silver Souvenir Spoons with scene stamped in bowl, "Stanley crossing through ice," or "Parliament Building," Charlottetown.

E. W. Taylor,  
Cameron Block, City.

## HOW IS THIS?

Ladies' Hockey Boots with straps, warm lined, worth \$2.35; now \$1.25; now is your chance to secure a bargain; just as for many money; want to clear them out. Headquarters for Ladies' Gaiters. We have them as low as 20 cents a pair.

A. E. McHACHEN,  
THE SHOE MAN.

## FIRE INSURANCE, LIFE INSURANCE.

The Royal Insurance Co. of Liverpool.  
The Sun Fire office of London.  
The Phenix Insurance Co. of Brooklyn.  
The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

Combined Assets of above Companies, \$300,000,000.  
Lowest Rates.  
Prompt Settlements.

JOHN McHACHEN,  
Agent.

## A Guarantee

Such as we give with every Garment turned out of our establishment should recommend it to every gentleman who desires clothing which is correctly made in every detail.

### In Suitings.

We are showing a complete line of novelties and staple styles for FALL AND WINTER.  
See our Rich Combinations in  
Fall and Winter Overcoatings.

Kerseys, Coverts, Diagonals, Montagnacs, Vicinuss, Meltons, Heron Bone effects, etc.

If you favor us with your order from the above goods, they will be cut by an artist and made by trained and skilled workmen.

## GORDON & McLELLAN,

Manufacturers of High Grade Clothing, and dealers in Men's Furnishings.

"We treat you white, wherever you may hail from."

## Grocery Satisfaction

In this store means something more than simply LOW PRICES. It means strictly high-class goods—the guaranteed kinds. It means prompt attention, quick delivery. It stands for all you can possibly expect, from the best Grocery Store you ever heard of.

Everything guaranteed to be the best of its kind.

Our Tea pleases many. It will please you.

## Driscoll & Hornsby,

Queen Street.

## Just Received

OUR FIRST INSTALLMENT OF  
Fall and winter Suitings

## Overcoatings.

—AND—  
John McLeod & Co.

## WE ARE IN THE Monumental Business

We devote all our time and energies to this line only. We employ tradesmen who thoroughly understand their business—some of them having served their time with the old reliable firm of Cairns & McFadyen. Proportion is one of the most particular branches of our trade; without it a Monument cannot look well. This is one of the places where some competitors are continually going astray. We do not import condensed stock full of cracks and stains because it is cheap, but we pay the right price and get the right goods.

THE BALANCE OF OUR STOCK  
WILL BE CLEARED OUT  
AT COST  
To wind up the season's business and make room for our large Fall Stock for winter cutting. Come quick if you want a bargain. We don't advertise very much, but when we do we mean just what we say.

CAIRNS & McFADYEN,  
Cairns & McLeod's Old Stand, Kent Street Charlottetown.

## TOPICS OF THE DAY.

### PUZZLE OF THE SEA.

The ship *Miwers*, just into the port of Vancouver, B. C., reports that Felton Island has come into sight again. Felton Island, which is one of the Toigs or Friendly group, in the South Pacific, is the 15-puzzle of navigators. Scarcely ever is it completed showing its location when the mysterious island entirely disappears from sight. Then when sailors have made up their minds that no such island ever existed and that they must have been dreaming, it will bob up again above the surface of the ocean like a hot penny.

Felton Island is or was—it is always dangerous to speak of it in the present tense—located 35 miles distant from its nearest neighbor, Tokoa, one of the principal members of the Toiga group. It was first seen in 1885 and at once attracted the attention of scientists, who were anxious to determine the nature of the fœces which could add another island to the thousands which already dotted the surface of the south Pacific. It was easy to determine that Felton Island was of volcanic origin. Its cliffs rose more than 150 feet above the level of the sea, and on the flat portions of the island it was only necessary to dig down six or eight feet to reach a temperature which would boil water, while on the surface the thermometer only marked 85 degrees above zero.

The fact that the island is entirely composed of volcanic conglomerate and that there is a distant smell of sulphur in the air makes it certain that it was driven up by a submarine volcano.

The most careful scientific examination of the Felton Island was that made by the officers of the British ship *Egeria* in October, 1889. They found the island entirely uninhabited and projecting out of the ocean in the shape of a high and symmetrical black oval. It was almost destitute of either animal or vegetable life, except three or four seedling plants, evidently carried to the island by wandering birds. Two young coconut trees, not in a flourishing condition, were all the signs of vegetation, and a single sand piper and a solitary moth were the only living things which a careful search of the island revealed.

At the time of the *Egeria's* visit, four years after the island appeared for the first time, the waves of the ocean, which beat upon the high, black and barren shore of the island with great velocity, were fast eating it away. It was predicted then that within a few years it would entirely disappear unless some new volcanic activity should give it a new lease of life.

Since that visit Felton Island has twice disappeared, only to be driven up again by the resistless force operating beneath it. Later explorers found some natives who, during the prolonged eruption in 1885, which resulted in the formation of the island, went in their canoes from Tokoa and watched the forces of the volcano at work. Before its last disappearance, in 1898, still other visitors had discovered apertures in the upper part of the grim black cliff from which smoke and steam were still issuing.—Exchange.

## THE LEPEHS OF HAWAII.

The isolation of the lepers in Hawaii is to be made more strict. There is a conviction among members of the Honolulu board of health that extra precaution is required to prevent the increase of the dread disease. The eradication of it seems too much to hope for. At present there are nearly 1000 lepers at Molokai, all but forty-five of them being natives of the islands. Thirty are Chinese, five Americans, four British, five German, and one Norwegian. Strange to say, there is not a single Japanese among the segregated lepers.

## "To Be or Not to Be."

That is the question that occupies every mortal: whether it is better to be half ill, nervous, worn out, or to be well, strong, cheerful and useful. The latter condition will be yours if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Blood Purifier, there is nothing equal to it.

After a Cold—"I was completely run down by a cold. My son persuaded me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and after the use of two bottles I found I was getting on my feet. When I had taken three bottles I was cured."—L. P. Veron, 117 Champlain Street, Montreal, Can.

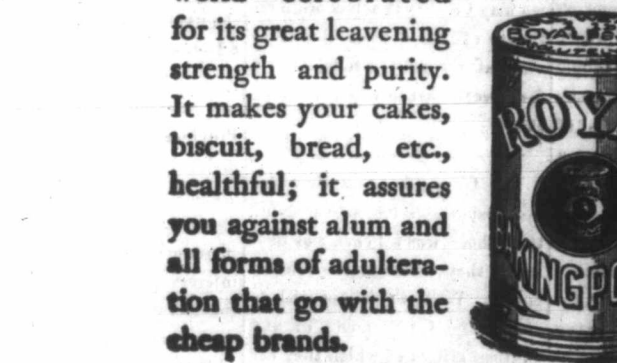
Hood's Sarsaparilla  
NEVER DISAPPEARS

## ROYAL

The absolutely pure

## BAKING POWDER

ROYAL—the most celebrated of all the baking powders in the world—celebrated for its great leavening strength and purity. It makes your cakes, biscuit, bread, etc., healthful; it assures you against alum and all forms of adulteration that go with the cheap brands.



When baking powders are low priced, as when costs are high, you must be sure to get the best. The only one that is a corrective poison and that makes the baking powder dangerous to use is food.

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## Interesting Happenings The World Over.

A number of paragraphs have been going the rounds on the subject of the restoration of the titular abbot of the English branch of the Benedictine Order of the pre-Reformation dignity of mitred abbot. The "Daily Chronicle" states: "The only mitred abbot in England is the Right Rev. Wilfrid Hipwood, of the Cistercian abbey at Coalville, near Leicester. The titles of Westminster, York, Reading and Glastonbury are held by English Benedictines, under the jurisdiction of the newly-elected president general, Dom Gasquet. The ceremony of conferring the mitres upon the abbots, including Dom Gasquet himself, will probably take place in the new Westminster Cathedral shortly after the opening. The crozier and pectoral cross of an abbot is made of carved wood. He bears the crozier of the former turned inwards to show that his jurisdiction is purely monastic. He is also permitted to confer the tonsure and minor orders upon his own monks. The abbatial dignity was also conceded to the historical English College of Douai, which is also under Benedictine rule."

## IN THE PALACE OF THE KING.

(By F. Marion Crawford. The Macmillan Co.)  
Mr Crawford's latest novel is "A love story of old Madrid"—the Madrid of Philip the Second,—and we have no hesitation in saying that it will rank very high among the best of the romances with which this remarkable writer has enriched our literature. It opens strongly, and enchains the readers attention till the last page. It is intensely dramatic; indeed it has already been dramatized and enacted with great applause. It sparkles with epigram, and the dialogue is unusually felicitous without the least strain or unsaturation. Its psychology is keen and correct; and the author's marvellous experience, observation and knowledge of men furnish new surprises in every chapter. That the period of the story is reconstructed with skill and scholarship does not surprise us; it has long ago been shown that historical knowledge and the historical imagination are among the ordinary resources of this marvellously versatile man. The art of the story also deserves a word of special tribute; for Mr. Crawford is an artist always, and in this book he is found at his best. We realize that we have bestowed very unusual praise on this story of Don John of Austria and Dolores—they are beautiful characters,—but we feel that every reader who takes up the volume will share our enthusiasm. The illustrations by Fred R. are a delight.—Ave Maria.

## Headache

It is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

Hood's Pills  
While they cleanse the liver, restore full, regular action of the bowels, they do not grip or pain, do not irritate or inflame the intestinal organs, but have a positive tonic effect. Sold at all drug stores or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

## The Judgment of Peter and Paul on Olympus

is the title of Mr. Curtin's latest Sienkiewicz translation. One by one the pagan gods pass before Saints Peter and Paul, seated in Judgment on Mt. Olympus; and all are successively condemned to annihilation except the divinities of song and love, which are purified and consecrated by the blessing of the Apostles. Another pastoral is also included in the volume—a beautiful portrait of the helpful officers of womanhood in the world. Prose-women, these literary tidbits are called on the title-page; and prose-women they truly are. The book is printed in luxurious holiday fashion, and simply but prettily bound. It comes in good time for the Christmas sales. Little, Brown & Co.—Ave Maria.

Although the visit of the Persian Shah to Belgium is now past history, one little incident of it may interest our readers. A luncheon was given at Ostend one Friday in honor of the royal visitor. Several Catholic guests refused meat when it was handed them, and this did not escape the notice of the Shah. He asked an explanation, and after receiving it, turned to the members of the Liberal party present and inquired why they also did not follow the teachings of their religion. The equivocal answer which one accord of him did not seem to satisfy Mousnier-Dia. He professed himself unable to understand how any Belgian citizen could turn aside from the customs and ceremonies of his country and the Catholic Church.

The Archbishop of Sees will be authorized to lend the pallium of Thomas a Becket, in the chapter house treasury, for the opening of the new Roman Catholic Cathedral at Westminster. The ring and crozier of Becket are already in Cardinal Vaughan's possession, so that the British "emblems" will be vested from head to foot in the murdered Archbishop's pontificals.

A gift presented to his Holiness by the Spanish pilgrims last in Rome was a book, every leaf of which was a bank note of a thousand francs, the whole of these costly leaves comprising the sum of 250,000 francs, bequeathed to His Holiness by a Spanish lady, recently deceased, of the Diocese of Bilbao.

Lord Halifax and several eminent gentlemen of the Episcopalian Church are advocating the proposition to present to the villagers of Oberammergau a thank offering in the name of those who witnessed the Passion play. The gift will probably be a magnificent chalice for the parish church.

The Holy See is considering the advisability of extending to the entire priest-hood of the Roman rite the privilege which is confined at present to the Church in certain portions of the Spanish dominions of ordering three Masses on All Souls' Day.