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Calendar for April, 1887.

MOON'S CHANGES.
First Quarter 1st day, 9h. 40m. a. m. N. E.
Full moon 8th day, 11h. 25m. a. m. S.
Last Quarter 15th day, 11h. 31m. p. m. W.
New Moon 22nd day, 6h. 47m. a. m. E.

Day of Month	Rises	Sets	High Water	Low Water
1st	4:45	10:45	11:15	4:45
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26th	11:00	5:00	5:30	11:00
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28th	11:30	5:30	6:00	11:30
29th	11:45	5:45	6:15	11:45
30th	12:00	6:00	6:30	12:00

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October 31, 1885—17

RD RAILWAY. GERMANY. 1886-7.

1st, 1886, Trains (excepted) Arrive—From the West.

LEONARD. No. 1. No. 2.

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- Best West of England Trousersings,
- Best Scotch Trousersings,
- Worsted Suitings,
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For some years I was a victim to Liver Complaint, in consequence of which I lost my appetite, and my health was ruined. A few boxes of Ayer's Pills restored me to perfect health. W. T. Patterson, New York.

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My bowels. These Pills are mild in action, and do their work thoroughly. I have used them in every case of Constipation, Biliousness, Headache, &c. I can truly say that they are the best medicine I ever used. G. F. Miller, Attleborough, Mass.

Ayer's Pills cured me of Stomach and Liver troubles, from which I had suffered for years. I consider them the best pills made, and would not be without them. Morris Gates, Lowville, N. Y.

I was attacked with Bilious Fever, which was followed by Jaundice, and was so dangerously ill that my friends despaired of my recovery. I commenced taking Ayer's Pills, and soon regained my customary strength and vigor. John C. Patterson, New York.

Last spring I suffered greatly from a troublesome humor on my side. In spite of every effort to cure this eruption, it increased until the flesh became entirely raw. It was treated at one time with Indigo, and at another with Salicylic Acid, but without success.

I have since used Ayer's Pills, in my family and believe them to be the best pills made. S. C. Darden, Darden, Miss.

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A New Cathedral to be Erected in Pekin.

The recent success of the Chinese government in obtaining the consent of the Papal authorities for the removal of the old Catholic cathedral in Pekin to a position in the northwest corner of the imperial palace grounds recalls the interesting history of the edifice and of the many attempts made by successive emperors to secure its removal.

Since 1702, this edifice has stood in the imperial city of Pekin, and its lofty bell tower, overlooking the imperial palace grounds, has been regarded as an obstacle to the good influences of the spirits that haunt the Chinese imagination.

Years passed, but all efforts to remove the building were fruitless until, during the last year, the arts of diplomacy prevailed and the Emperor Kang Hi, in 1693, Father Gerbillon, a native of Belgium, by means of his mathematical attainments had become so necessary to the service of the Chinese Emperor Kang Hi, and his influence had obtained a decree authorizing freedom of Christian worship throughout the country.

The Jesuit Fathers had obtained in return, and by the aid of the drug curd the imperial patient. As a reward for this action, Kang Hi permitted the erection of a cathedral in a corner of the palace grounds.

The building was erected by the Jesuit Fathers, and was dedicated to the Virgin Mary. It was a masterpiece of architecture, and was regarded as one of the wonders of the East.

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The New Legislature.

ANYONE acquainted with the appearance of our Legislative Chambers, can, entering when the members are in their places, readily perceive any change which may have taken place either in the personal of the Legislators or in the internal arrangements of the rooms which they occupy.

Hon. John A. Macdonald, whose portly form has so long graced the Speaker's chair, to whose sonorous voice the ears of the older members are thoroughly attuned, and who, for the past eight years, has enforced the rules of debate and procedure with so much firmness, mildness and dignity, has again been unanimously chosen to preside over the deliberations of the new assembly.

The members and supporters of the Government occupy, as usual, the seats on the southern or sunny side of the chamber, to Mr. Speaker's left; while those of the cooler shade of opposition occupy, not inappropriately, the northern or colder side of the building.

Only one change has taken place in the members of the Executive, —Hon. Mr. Bentley, the popular and energetic representative of the Fifth District of Prince County, holding the portfolio of Commissioner of Public Works in the place of Mr. Campbell.

The new members on the Government side are: Cyrus Shaw, Esq., of New Perth, a young man of culture and intellectual gifts of a high order, and a fluent and polished speaker.

He will be quite an acquisition to the debating talent of the present House, and will, no doubt, prove himself a worthy representative of the solid yeomanry of the Third District of King's County.

Hugh L. McDonald, Esq., of Cardigan Bridge, a widely-known, energetic and popular man, who, we have every reason to believe, will be a faithful and painstaking member that will creditably acquit himself in the debates and general business of the Legislature.

Lucius O. Kelly, Esq., of Fort Augustus, son of the late Hon. Francis Kelly, who, for so many years faithfully represented that District, is the youngest member in the House. He is a man of talent and good address, and will, without doubt, worthily fill the place occupied by his father in the Legislature of this Province.

Interest Testimony.

Normal more fully brings out the inward feelings of individuals or associations than their writings. This being the case, the thoughts which have, of late, found expression in the newspaper press of the United States relative to the Fisheries dispute between that country and Canada must, for the most part, be accepted as a correct enunciation of the mental attitude of the American people towards us in this very important question.

It is, however, satisfactory to observe, as we have before expressed, that a few of the high-toned, properly-conducted journals, have treated the question with a considerable degree of justice and candor.

A very large number of American newspapers have evidently given the subject no thought, or if they have, have allowed their judgments to be warped by national jealousies and availed themselves of this opportunity to give vent to a lot of bluster, no doubt, hoping thereby to divert the public mind from the real question at issue and thus gain sympathizers by creating false impressions.

The French Government recently introduced a bill increasing the duty on wheat to about twenty-six cents a bushel. The bill created quite a lively discussion in the Chamber of Deputies between the free traders and protectionists; but was carried in favor of the latter by a majority of ninety votes.

France is a prosperous country; and her action in this case shows she is bound to enhance her prosperity by protecting her own industries and the products of her soil.

The debate on the Address in our Local Legislature, very properly occupied less time than, perhaps, ever before. At the same time it is doubtful if ever more eloquence or debating talent were exhibited in the speeches of a mover and seconder than on the present occasion.

The congratulations tendered them by the Leaders and Members on both sides of the House were well merited, and there can be very little doubt that both these gentlemen are destined to take a foremost place in the politics of our country.

At the Imperial Conference to be held in London this month, all the colonies under responsible government will be represented,—twenty-five representatives in all being invited. The meetings of the Conference will be presided over by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, or one of the Parliamentary Under-Secretaries. The matters to be discussed are: Defence, Postal and Telegraph facilities, and any other matter which may be deemed of paramount importance to the different colonies.

Legislative Proceedings.

Wednesday, March 30. Speaker took the Chair at 4.45 p. m. After prayers and reading of Journals.

Mr. FENNER, chairman of Committee on Rules of Order and procedure, submitted the report of said committee, and read a letter addressed to a committee of the whole House. The motion was carried, and Mr. Blake took the chair.

Mr. FENNER, Chairman of the Committee appointed to receive tenders for printing and binding the Journals and Debates, submitted a report regarding each of these. On recommendation of the committee the tender of E. McMillan, for printing and binding Journals, was accepted.

Mr. STANLEY submitted the draft address in reply to His Honor's Speech, which was ordered to be read a second time on Thursday.

The House then adjourned till 3 o'clock on the following day.

Thursday, March 31. House met at 4 o'clock p. m. Mr. STANLEY read the address in reply to the Governor's Speech—read a second time. He said:

Mr. Speaker, I am very glad to have the honor of presenting to you the address which I have the pleasure of presenting to you on behalf of the House of Commons.

The first clause is much in the usual form, and is a very good one. It is a tribute to the wisdom and foresight of the British Government, and I feel assured that the people of this Province will be glad to see it.

General News.

The snow storm this winter has proved very costly affairs for the railway. It is estimated that the New Brunswick Railway Company lost \$200,000 in keeping their road open, almost the whole of the money being expended on the northern section.

The Chatham Herald says: The new well on the Fulps premises is now about 200 feet deep, and the indications for a sufficient water supply are said to be good.

The death has just occurred near St. John's, Newfoundland, of Mrs. Mary Ann Andrew, widow of George Andrew, a Newfoundland sea captain, widely known in his time, and a great friend of the Irish Liberator, Daniel O'Connell.

A heavy mixed train on the Maritime Railroad, twelve miles from Parisburg, Virginia, was off a trestle ninety feet high, and plunged into an abyss. One man's head was cut off, while the body of another was cut in two.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Business is moving slowly in the Legislature.

Several firms have taken the city about eight o'clock last evening.

The market was quite large yesterday, considering the late state of the roads.

The snow has almost disappeared from the streets, and the mud is fast taking its place.

Senator FLEMING, of Ontario, is spoken of as the Government candidate for the Speakership of the Dominion Senate.

The Northern Light left Bourke at eleven o'clock on Monday morning last, and proceeded to Georgetown to coal up.

Persons intending to purchase a first-class seedling machine should apply to Mr. Donald McKenzie. See his ad in another column.

Some roughs broke a large pane of glass in Dorsey & Giff's shop window yesterday afternoon, and escaped without being captured.

Owing to the snow blockade on the Intercolonial Railway no mails from the Upper Provinces reached here for over a week until Saturday last.

There are still quite a number of our subscribers who have not settled up their indebtedness to this office. We would be much pleased to see them or hear from them.

The House of Assembly did not meet on Monday last, owing to the fact that Mr. Speaker, who had gone home on Saturday, was unable to reach town on account of the train being stuck in the snow.

The trains between Charlottetown and Tignish on Monday did not reach their respective destinations until yesterday, owing to the snowdrifts, which are said to be ten feet deep in some places.

The said, the keepers of some properties in the city are anxious that the Scott Act shall be sustained at the next election. Comment is unnecessary.

A new Catholic church is to be erected at Bathurst, N. B. The edifice, which is to be of stone, will be 60x115 feet, and will have a spire 144 feet in height. The basement is completed.

Last Sunday being Palm Sunday, the ceremonies peculiar to the occasion took place in St. Dunstan's Cathedral. Immediately after the blessing of the palms and procession, solemn High Mass was celebrated by Rev. J. C. McDonald, Rector of St. Dunstan's College, assisted by Revs. F. X. Gallant and A. E. Burke, as deacon and sub-deacon respectively, while Rev. Father McDonald acted as master of ceremonies.

On Saturday last Senator Howland received from Mr. Daniel Ross, of Stanley Bridge, a handsome hunting case containing gold watch, in recognition of his services in obtaining from the Dominion Government the refund of duties paid to the United States by fishermen in 1872-3, of which Mr. Ross received about \$2,000. The watch has inscribed on it a fine fishing boat bearing the name of the fisherman.

A TRACER correspondent informs us that several lively trotting mares were sent to the city on Thursday last. Quite a number of horses and colts participated. The winners were Frank Hughes' filly, John R. Fitzpatrick's mare, and Mr. Berrigan's colt.

The other flyers on the ice were owned by Messrs. Wm. McLaughlin, and Leonard Hughes, Fisher, McNally, McCabe and Reid.

It appears there has been going on, at the Railway Office in this city, an investigation into the conduct of certain employees during the recent Dominion Election campaign. We know not who the culprits are, or what their crime may be; but one thing we do know, and that is that the girls, through their organ, have manifested their disapproval of the proceedings. This looks ominous. Surely none of that immaculate (7) body, who happen to be employed by the Railway authorities, have been guilty of any indiscretion in matters political. Time will, no doubt, make matters right, and we trust the offenders will get their deserts.

The annual report of the Halifax School for the Blind is at hand. It is a nicely printed document, and its contents are interesting. From it we learn that during the past year 28 blind persons have been under instruction—18 males and 10 females; 3 of these graduated and left the school, and 1 died; 18 were from the Province of Nova Scotia, 5 from New Brunswick, and 5 from the Dominion of Wales (Montague Warren of Montague Bridge) from P. E. Island. The receipts of the institution from all sources during the year were \$8,109.52; expenditure, \$6,127.30, leaving a balance on hand of \$3,982.22. Besides the ordinary branches the pupils are instructed in basket work, needle work, piano and organ tuning, basket work, etc., in which they rarely fail to be proficient. This institution is certainly deserving of liberal support from the charitable public.

Between one and two o'clock on Sunday morning, some parties, doubtless with burglarious intent, tried to force an entrance into the store of Mr. Charles Davy, Kent Street, by breaking down the shutters and going in through the window. Mr. Davy hearing the noise, came to the scene, when the would-be burglars started. In less than an hour afterwards they returned, but were again driven off by the proprietor. On the next night the grocery store of Mr. Patrick Duffy, King Square, was entered by burglars, not inconsiderable in number, who had visited Mr. Davy. Having effected an entrance through the window, the shoes of the party or parties were put off in order to render the movements less liable to detection. A full list of the goods, which were taken, is as follows: A quantity of tobacco, some cigars, and several other small articles are missing.

Latest Telegrams.

VIENNA, March 31.—Hon. W. Smith, Premier, died at four o'clock on Monday afternoon.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—James Smith alias Colin Graves was arrested on Monday by Detective Holland. Graves is wanted in Maine for the murder of a game warden in November last.

TORONTO, March 31.—The Mail London cable says: "During his speech on the Irish Crimes Bill, Mr. Gladstone's voice failed him. He gave such painful evidence of the break that it is feared his physical strength is enfeebled."

NEW YORK, March 31.—Both cables lines of the Mackay-Bennett Commercial Cable Co. are broken, and the company is not receiving any business this morning.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Edward Newman, in the employ of M. Leonard, wholesale dealer, was arrested this afternoon, charged with defrauding the firm through next to means of falsification.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 31.—Walter Greive, Premier, Thorne's partner, died in Scotland on Sunday. Business complications consequent upon the death of this well-known merchant, will probably cause the Premier's speedy return to St. John's.

OTTAWA, April 1.—The Grigs have surreptitiously procured a copy of the trade and navigation returns and other books not yet issued, and are using them to damage Canada in England. The other day they called a statement of the gross debt, and announced through two London journals that the Government proposed to procure a loan of fifty million dollars. Of course there was not a word of truth in the statement. This morning the London Daily News published a telegram from Ottawa that the trade and navigation returns were not yet issued, but they showed that the position taken towards American fishermen from the vessels entered and cleared had fallen off last year. As the returns only come down to June 30th, and the fishing season is not yet terminated with the fiscal year, the absurdity of the statement is evident. As a matter of fact, however, the navigation returns show a very considerable increase in 1886 over the preceding fiscal year, both in the number and tonnage of vessels entered and cleared.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., April 1.—The sailing steamer Eagle was last seen by the sealer Aurora on the night of the 11th ult., near Funks Island. A tribble was running, and subsequently on the next morning the Eagle was driven on the breakers inside Funks Island, and the sea broke upon her. She was the only vessel with fifty persons on deck and two hundred and ten probably below. The sea was the worst ever witnessed by even the oldest seaman. Captain Jackson was the bravest master in the Colony, and had been remarkably lucky till 1885, and then he got no more. In 1886 he lost the steamer Resolute near Funks, later broke the Eagle's shaft and has now doubtless lost her. The majority of the crew were married and had families, and he and his neighborhood. All of them were in the prime of life. A groom has been cast over the city, and but little hope is entertained that she will ever again be heard from.

A later report has reached here of the total loss of the sailing steamer Eagle, with a crew of 250 men, on the shoals near Funks Island, off Bonaville. No particulars of the disaster are yet known, but it is generally believed that the vessel was driven on the breakers inside Funks Island, and the sea broke upon her. She was the only vessel with fifty persons on deck and two hundred and ten probably below. The sea was the worst ever witnessed by even the oldest seaman. Captain Jackson was the bravest master in the Colony, and had been remarkably lucky till 1885, and then he got no more. In 1886 he lost the steamer Resolute near Funks, later broke the Eagle's shaft and has now doubtless lost her. The majority of the crew were married and had families, and he and his neighborhood. All of them were in the prime of life. A groom has been cast over the city, and but little hope is entertained that she will ever again be heard from.

LONDON, April 1.—In the House of Commons to-night, W. H. Smith, first Lord of the Treasury, suggested that if the Irish Crimes Bill be passed the first time to-night the second reading could be taken up Tuesday, and then there would be an interval of a week between the second reading and going into committee.

Mr. Parnell upon rising to resume the debate was loudly cheered. He said with the production of the Loan Bill yesterday, Parliament had been put in possession of the complete plan of the Government in all its nakedness and dishonesty. The Government were pressing on coercion with indecorous haste and they had refused to carry out the recommendations of the Land Commissioners. If the Coercion Bill were passed the last defence of the tenants against wholesale robbery would be removed. In a justly regarded land purchase by the only hope of settling the land question. He concluded his very able speech by moving that the house resolve itself into a committee to consider the state of Ireland.

Mr. Harrington, amid great laughter, read letters from the Knight of Kerry, Lord Monck and others, applying to the Government for relief in respect of the Stipendiary Magistracies in Ireland. When asked what he had to say in reply, he replied that he had brought them to attention. He proceeded to explain that the principal qualification urged on behalf of the applicants were property and large families. On being interrupted by cries of "Divide," the speaker said he was not surprised at the imputation shown by the gentleman upon the exposure of facts showing the character of men at whom money was proposed to place the liberties of Irishmen.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor moved to adjourn the debate.

Mr. Gladstone, in supporting the motion, said there was strong reason for it. He defended Parnell's right in moving his amendment, and said this was a grave and serious case, demanding another night for discussion.

Mr. O'Connor's motion was rejected, 361 to 244.

Up to Mr. Smith putting the question, Mr. Gladstone arose and walked alone down the floor into the Opposition, all the members of the Opposition standing and cheering him as he did so.

The motion for closure was carried, 361 to 258, and the first reading of the bill was agreed to without division.

LONDON, April 3.—The Russian Government has placed at the disposal of the people £25,000, to be disbursed in unavailing the 13th inst. for the relief of the famine, and £12,000 to be used for the same in foreign countries.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The ship Tom O'Shaughnessy, which arrived to-day, had on board Capt. Perry and crew, of the barque Solfero, of Yarmouth, N. S. The Solfero sailed from Philadelphia for Palermo, March 18, with oil, and on board Capt. Perry and crew, of the barque Solfero, of Yarmouth, N. S. The Solfero sailed from Philadelphia for Palermo, March 18, with oil, and on board Capt. Perry and crew, of the barque Solfero, of Yarmouth, N. S. The Solfero sailed from Philadelphia for Palermo, March 18, with oil, and on board Capt. Perry and crew, of the barque Solfero, of Yarmouth, N. S.

MONTREAL, April 3.—The storm which on Sunday night was the most severe of the season. The Quebec express, due here this morning, is being held in New-castle until the freight train can be dug out of the snow at Stoverville.

WALLINGTON, Ont., April 4.—Mr. Campbell (Conservative) has been elected for West Bruce by a majority of 150.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The Scott Act.

Mr. EDWARDS.—Kindly give insertion to the following extract from a recent letter written by Archbishop Spence.

"An unjust law—improperly called law—does not bind the conscience, and can be resisted when possible. It is not a law as respects the Scott Act. It does not bind the conscience of the people, and hence it is treated with contempt and opposition wherever it is proposed to be put in force. It has been the occasion of more ill-will, of more profligate and unscrupulous conduct, of more fraud and violation of legislative enactment than any other that has been passed on the statute book. Indeed, there has been nothing to approach it in these respects."

I remain, yours, &c., Charlottetown, April 5, 1887.

Opening of New Roads.

A public meeting of the people of Plover, Pleasant Valley and adjacent settlements was held in the Plover School House on Wednesday, the 30th inst., for the purpose of urging the Government to open two roads, viz., one from Calton school house to Pleasant Valley, and the other from Pleasant Valley to Gray's Road.

The meeting was convened by appointing Mr. Jonathan S. Morrison, chairman, and the undersigned Secretary. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

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MARK WRIGHT &

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