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Being the second after Bissextile, or Leap Year, and, till the 20th day of June, the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty, Queen Victoria.

Calculated for the Meridian of Montreal in Latitude 45° 30' 26" North, and Longitude 73° 34' 29" West, from the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, but arranged so as to serve, without any essential variation, for other portions of Canada.

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EXPLANATIONS OF THE CALENDAR PAGES.

At the head of the respective pages for each month are given the ordinary tables of the changes and quadratures of the Moon. The 1st and 2nd columns show the mean times of the rising and setting of the Sun. The quantities are only set down to the nearest minute, the uncertainty of the observed times of the rising or setting of heavenly bodies on land, caused by the varying amount of horizontal refraction and the general liability to the intervention of terrestrial objects in such observations, renders a closer approximation unnecessary for ordinary practical purposes. In the 3rd column, marked "Souths," are given the times which should be shown by a well-regulated clock or watch when the Sun is on the Meridian. The 4th column contains the mean times of the rising or setting of the Moon. The quantities are only set down to the nearest minute, for the reasons mentioned above in respect to the Sun.

COMMENCEMENT OF THE SEASONS.

Vernal Equinox	[Spring begins]	March 20 5 26	Even.
Summer Solstice	[Summer begins]	June 21 2 14	Even.
Autumnal Equinox	[Autumn begins]	Sept. 22 4 19	Morn.
Winter Solstice	[Winter begins]	Dec. 21 10 6	Morn.

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical Letter	A	Julian Period	6567
Golden Number	12	The year 5615 of the Jewish Era	commences on Sept. 14, 1854.
Epact	1	The year 1271 of the Mahomedan	Era commences on Oct. 15, 1854.
Solar Cycle	15		
Roman Indiction	11		
Jewish Lunar Cycle	9		

MOVEABLE FESTIVALS.

Septuagesima Sunday	Feb. 12	Low Sunday	April 23
Quinquagesima Sunday	Feb. 26	Rogation Sunday	May 21
Ash Wednesday	March 1	Ascension Day	May 25
First Sunday in Lent	March 5	Pentecost (Whit-Sunday)	June 4
Palm Sunday	April 9	Trinity Sunday	June 11
Good Friday	April 14	Corpus Christi	June 15
Easter Sunday	April 16	Advent Sunday	Dec. 3

HOLIDAYS OBSERVED AT PUBLIC OFFICES.

Circumcision	Jan. 1	Corpus Christi	June 15
Epiphany	Jan. 6	St. Peter and St. Paul	June 29
Annunciation	March 25	All Saints' Day	Nov. 1
Good Friday	April 14	Conception B. V. M.	Dec. 8
Birth Day of the Queen	May 24	Christmas Day	Dec. 25
Ascension Day	May 25		

Venus will be the Evening Star until February 28, then Morning Star until December 13, and then Evening Star to the 1st of October, 1855.

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ECLIPSES IN THE YEAR 1854.

There will be four Eclipses this year, two of the Sun, and two of the Moon.

I. There will be an Eclipse of the Moon on the 12th of May. It will be partial, and not visible in Canada.

II. An Eclipse of the Sun, larger than any which has occurred for many years past, will take place on Friday afternoon, May 26th. This Eclipse will be central, and largest in Canada West, North-Eastern New York, Vermont, and in the Southern part of New Hampshire. The Sun cannot in any place be totally Eclipsed, for the apparent diameter of the Moon will be less than that of the Sun. A bright ring of light will be pictured on the Sun, one-third of a digit wide, where the central Eclipse passes. At Montreal the Eclipse begins at 10 minutes past 4 p.m. The time of the greatest Eclipse occurs at 26 minutes past 5 p.m., and terminates at 33 minutes past 6 p.m. The next notable Eclipse of the Sun will occur on the 15th of March, 1858.

III. The Northern limb of the Moon will be partially Eclipsed on the 4th of November. It will occur at 16 minutes past 4 p.m., but as the Moon will then be below the horizon, it will not be visible in Canada.

IV. The Sun will be totally Eclipsed on the 20th of November. Invisible here. Visible in South America and on the South Atlantic Ocean.

DIRECTIONS FOR FINDING THE TRUE TIME.

The Sun is on the meridian at 12 o'clock on four days only in the year. It is sometimes as much as $16\frac{1}{2}$ minutes before or after twelve when its shadow strikes the noon-mark on the sun-dial. On each calendar page of this Almanac is shown the exact time when the sun reaches the meridian, or the shadow the noon-mark; and in order to set a clock or watch correctly, it must, when it is noon by the sun-dial or noon-mark, be set at the time indicated in the Almanac. Thus, on the 15th of January, when the Sun is on the noon-mark, the watch must be set 10 minutes past twelve, which will be the true time. The practice of setting time-pieces by the rising or setting of the Sun or Moon, is not strictly correct, as the unevenness of the earth's surface and intervening objects, such as hills and forests, near the points of rising and setting, occasion a deviation in every place, from the time expressed in the Almanac, which time is adapted to a smooth, level horizon. The only means of keeping correct time, is by the use of a noon-mark, or a meridian-line.

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First Quarter.....	5	10	53	Evening.
Full Moon.....	14	4	17	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	21	8	29	Evening.
New Moon.....	28	0	18	Evening.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.	
		Ris	Sets.	souths	R. & S.	
1 SUN.	Circumcision. 1st Sun. aft. Christ.	7 45	4 23	12 4	7 37	
2 Mon.	<i>Cold weather; not extremely</i>	7 45	4 24	12 4	8 52	
3 Tues.	<i>severe. Variable. Some</i>	7 45	4 25	12 5	10 2	
4 Wed.	<i>wind.</i>	7 44	4 26	12 5	11 9	
5 Thur.	<i>Fair and frosty.</i>	7 44	4 27	12 6	Morn.	
6 Fri.	Epiph. 12th day. Old Christmas.	7 44	4 28	12 6	0 14	
7 Sat.	<i>Rather squally.</i>	7 43	4 30	12 7	1 16	
8 SUN.	1st Sunday after Epiphany.	7 43	4 31	12 7	2 18	
9 Mon.	8th d. Lucian P. & Mar.	7 43	4 32	12 7	3 20	
10 Tues.	<i>Snow—snow—soft—</i>	7 42	4 33	12 8	4 21	
11 Wed.	<i>thaw—rain.</i>	7 42	4 34	12 8	5 22	
12 Thur.		7 42	4 35	12 9	6 20	
13 Fri.	Hilary, Bp.	7 41	4 36	12 9	Rises.	
14 Sat.	<i>Look for finer weather.</i>	7 40	4 37	12 9	5 1	
15 SUN.	2nd Sunday after Epiphany.	7 40	4 39	12 10	6 5	
16 Mon.	<i>The few fine days</i>	7 38	4 40	12 10	7 10	
17 Tues.	<i>which have passed</i>	7 38	4 41	12 10	8 14	
18 Wed.	<i>will very likely be</i>	7 37	4 43	12 11	9 20	
19 Thur.	<i>followed by a</i>	7 37	4 44	12 11	10 25	
20 Fri.	Fabian, Bp. <i>severe storm</i>	7 36	4 45	12 11	11 32	
21 Sat.	<i>of driving snow,</i>	7 35	4 47	12 11	Morn.	
22 SUN.	3rd Sun. after Epiphany. <i>hail,</i>	7 34	4 48	12 12	0 41	
23 Mon.	22nd Vincent, D. & M. <i>sleet,</i>	7 33	4 49	12 12	1 55	
24 Tues.	<i>and perhaps rain;</i>	7 32	4 51	12 12	3 10	
25 Wed.	Conversion of St. Paul <i>but</i>	7 31	4 53	12 12	4 27	
26 Thur.	<i>it will close up with</i>	7 31	4 54	12 13	5 38	
27 Fri.	<i>pretty severe frost, and</i>	7 30	4 55	12 13	6 41	
28 Sat.	<i>remain steadily cold</i>	7 29	4 56	12 13	Sets.	
29 SUN.	4th Sun. after Epiphany. <i>for some</i>	7 29	4 58	12 13	6 24	
30 Mon.	29th. King Charles executed. <i>time.</i>	7 28	5 00	12 13	7 40	
31 Tues.		7 26	5 02	12 13	8 50	

Gardening is farming in the superlative degree; the plough is an inverted spade, and the harrow is a horse rake. Many of the best practices in farming have been transferred from the garden to the field, and the nearer that field culture can be made to approach to gardening, the nearer it approaches to perfection. And, though a very strict analogy may not exist, yet, the connecting link is evidently not very lengthy, and may be much shortened. Gardening is very generally believed to be unprofitable, and an employment of luxury and a source of amusement. But, domestic gardening, when properly arranged and conducted, may be made a source of much profit, as it affords materials for the kitchen, the cow stall, the piggery, and the poultry yard; and to these ends, our views will all be directed. Fine fruits, and a profusion of flowers, are not much in the farmer's way; but the family table must be supplied with vegetables, the most wholesome and innocent of all human food.

Nothing can be done in the open ground during this month.

Fruit Room and Cellar.—Examine the fruit in barrels and on shelves, and the vegetables, pick out and remove the decayed and tainted.

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	D.	H.	M.	
First Quarter	4	5	43	Evening.
Full Moon.....	12	10	3	Evening.
Last Quarter	20	5	50	Morning.
New Moon.....	26	11	45	Evening.

M	WEEK.	DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
				Ris.	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1	Wed.		<i>Threatening for hard storm</i>	7 25	5 3	12 14	9 58
2	Thur.		Purification of Virgin Mary. <i>of</i>	7 24	5 4	12 14	11 3
3	Fri.		Blasius, B. & M. <i>snow.</i>	7 23	5 5	12 14	Morn.
4	Sat.		<i>Fair weather to-day.</i>	7 21	5 7	12 14	0 8
5	SUN.		5th Sunday after Epiphany.	7 20	5 8	12 14	1 9
6	Mon.		5th. Agatha, Virgin.	7 18	5 10	12 14	2 12
7	Tues.		<i>Between now and the</i>	7 17	5 11	12 14	3 13
8	Wed.		<i>next change of moon</i>	7 16	5 13	12 14	4 12
9	Thur.		<i>the weather will be</i>	7 15	5 15	12 14	5 9
10	Fri.		<i>variable, but you</i>	7 14	5 16	12 14	5 53
11	Sat.		<i>may be pretty certain</i>	7 12	5 18	12 14	6 3
12	SUN.		Septuagesima. <i>to-day to have</i>	7 11	5 19	12 14	Rises.
13	Mon.		<i>snow or very cold</i>	7 9	5 20	12 14	6 6
14	Tues.		Valentine Day, Bp. <i>rain, if</i>	7 7	5 21	12 14	7 11
15	Wed.		<i>the wind be and</i>	7 6	5 22	12 14	8 18
16	Thur.		<i>remain S. or S. W</i>	7 4	5 24	12 14	9 25
17	Fri.		<i>Tolerably pleasant.</i>	7 2	5 26	12 14	10 34
18	Sat.			7 0	5 27	12 14	11 45
19	SUN.		Sexagesima.	6 59	5 29	12 14	Morn.
20	Mon.		<i>Snow or rain, in</i>	6 58	5 30	12 13	0 58
21	Tues.		<i>this latitude most likely</i>	6 57	5 32	12 13	2 12
22	Wed.		<i>snow. Sleighing good.</i>	6 56	5 33	12 13	3 24
23	Thur.			6 53	5 35	12 13	4 29
24	Fri.		St. Matthias.	6 51	5 36	12 13	5 24
25	Sat.		<i>Windy and clear.</i>	6 49	5 37	12 13	6 9
26	SUN.		Quinquagesima.	6 47	5 39	12 13	Sets.
27	Mon.		<i>Pleasant day.</i>	6 45	5 41	12 13	6 27
28	Tues.		Shrove Tuesday.	6 44	5 41	12 13	7 38

Put up and prepare a few hot-beds, for early forcing of radishes and lettuces, and sow cucumber and melon seeds in pots, to be afterwards transplanted. Look over your vegetables. Give air to your green-house when weather is fine, and water sparingly. You may begin to move large forest trees, with a ball of earth at the root. In planting shrubs, and herbaceous roots, great attention must be paid, first, as to the height they will attain when in flower; arranging them so that the dwarf sorts may be in front, and the taller at the back. Flowering shrubs which have grown too luxuriant, should be cut and tied up. Cutting a shrub entirely down is often resorted to with success, when it appears to be dying, after all other means have failed to restore it.

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First Quarter	6	2	15	Evening.
Full Moon	14	0	59	Evening.
Last Quarter	21	1	8	Evening.
New Moon	28	11	57	Morning.

DAYS.	M. WEEK	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN			MOON.
			Ris.	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1	Wed.	Ash Wednesday. <i>St. David.</i>	6 42	5 44	12 12	8 45
2	Thur.	Chadmus, Bishop.	6 40	5 41	12 12	9 51
3	Fri.	<i>Cold and raw winds ; disagreeable weather</i>	6 38	5 46	12 11	10 56
4	Sat.		6 37	5 47	12 11	Morn.
5	SUN.	1st Sunday in Lent.	6 35	5 49	12 11	0 1
6	Mon.	<i>Changeable.</i>	6 34	5 50	12 11	1 2
7	Tues.	<i>Quite pleasant to-day,</i>	6 32	5 51	12 10	2 2
8	Wed.	<i>but not settled.</i>	6 29	5 53	12 10	3 9
9	Thur.	<i>Inclining to thaw, and</i>	6 27	5 55	12 10	3 48
10	Fri.	<i>perhaps rain</i>	6 25	5 56	12 10	4 32
11	Sat.	Gregory, M. B.	6 23	5 57	12 9	5 10
12	SUN.	2nd Sunday in Lent.	6 22	5 58	12 9	5 42
13	Mon.	<i>Very stormy, disagree-</i>	6 20	6 00	12 9	6 9
14	Tues.	<i>able, blustering</i>	6 18	6 01	12 9	Rises.
15	Wed.	<i>weather. Travelling</i>	6 16	6 3	12 8	7 14
16	Thur.	<i>not good ; roads</i>	6 14	6 4	12 8	8 24
17	Fri.	<i>drifted up.</i>	6 12	6 5	12 8	9 36
18	Sat.	Edward, King of West Saxony.	6 10	6 6	12 7	10 49
19	SUN.	3rd Sunday in Lent.	6 8	6 8	12 7	Morn.
20	Mon.	<i>A regular gale from</i>	6 7	6 9	12 7	0 3
21	Tues.	<i>some quarter,</i>	6 5	6 6	12 7	1 16
22	Wed.	<i>ending with snow</i>	6 3	6 7	12 6	2 22
23	Thur.	<i>if the wind be S. W.</i>	6 1	6 13	12 6	3 25
24	Fri.	<i>Snow, if wind be North E.</i>	5 59	6 14	12 6	4 7
25	Sat.	Annunciation of Virgin Mary.	5 57	6 15	12 5	4 44
26	SUN.	4th Sunday in Lent.	5 55	6 17	12 5	5 15
27	Mon.	<i>The end of the month</i>	5 53	6 18	12 5	5 42
28	Tues.	<i>will likely be pleasanter.</i>	5 51	6 19	12 5	Sets.
29	Wed.	<i>Promise of early spring.</i>	5 50	6 20	12 4	7 34
30	Thur.	<i>Windy, but clear.</i>	5 48	6 22	12 4	8 39
31	Fri.	<i>Farewell to the month.</i>	5 45	6 23	12 4	9 44

This is the best month for early forcing. Put up and prepare hot-beds for cucumbers, melons, lettuces, radishes, Early York, cauliflowers. Sow a few tender annuals towards the latter end of the month, for transplanting in the open ground. Give air to green-house in fine weather. Sow in a sheltered situation, if the season will allow, a few early peas. Begin to prune your orchard trees, but keep in mind, that just before the sap commences to rise is the best season. Plant indigenous shrubs and evergreens. They must be taken up with good balls of earth attached to the roots, that the smaller fibres may be disturbed and broken as little as possible. Transplant rose trees.

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First Quarter.....	5	10	28	Morning.
Full Moon.....	13	1	3	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	19	7	20	Evening.
New Moon.....	27	1	20	Morning.

DAYS.	M. WEEK.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
			Ris	Sets	Souths	
1 Sat.		All Fools Day.	5 44	6 24	Even.	10 48
2 SUN.		5th Sunday in Lent.	5 43	6 25	12 3	11 58
3 Mon.		Richard, Bp.	5 40	6 26	12 3	Morn
4 Tues.		<i>Frequent showers, or</i>	5 39	6 23	12 3	0 48
5 Wed.		<i>perhaps snow. Cold</i>	5 37	6 29	12 2	1 41
6 Thur.		<i>and high wind.</i>	5 35	6 31	12 2	2 28
7 Fri.		<i>In Lower Canada prepare</i>	5 33	6 32	12 2	3 8
8 Sat.		<i>for ploughing.</i>	5 31	6 33	12 1	3 41
9 SUN.		Sunday before Easter. Palm S.	5 30	6 34	12 1	4 7
10 Mon.		<i>Unpleasant weather.</i>	5 28	6 35	12 1	4 33
11 Tues.		<i>Bad roads. Snow has</i>	5 26	6 36	12 1	5 0
12 Wed.		<i>partly gone. Rain again.</i>	5 24	6 38	12 0	Rise
13 Thur.		<i>Frost to-night, unless the</i>	5 22	6 39	12 0	7 17
14 Fri.		<i>wind</i>	5 20	6 40	12 0	8 30
15 Sat.		Good Friday. <i>be</i>	5 18	6 38	Morn.	9 4
16 SUN.		Easter Sunday. <i>S. or. W.</i>	5 16	6 44	11 59	11 7
17 Mon.		<i>Rather cool Easter time.</i>	5 15	6 45	11 59	Mo
18 Tues.		<i>Eggs plenty, if chickens</i>	5 13	6 46	11 59	0 17
19 Wed.		Alphege, Bp. <i>have been</i>	5 11	6 47	11 59	1 1
20 Thur.		<i>well cared for in winter.</i>	5 9	6 49	11 58	2 18
21 Fri.		<i>Gloomy weather.</i>	5 8	6 50	11 58	2 4
22 Sat.		<i>Rather warm.</i>	5 6	6 51	11 58	3 1
23 SUN.		1st Sun. after Easter. St. George.	5 4	6 52	11 58	3 4
24 Mon.		<i>Pleasant and seasonable.</i>	5 3	6 53	11 58	4 1
25 Tues.		St. Mark.	5 1	6 55	11 57	4 4
26 Wed.		<i>The end of this month</i>	5 0	6 56	11 57	Se
27 Thur.		<i>may be rather pleasant.</i>	4 58	6 58	11 57	7 22
28 Fri.		<i>Be careful of tender</i>	4 56	6 59	11 57	8 1
29 Sat.		<i>garden plants. Frosty nights.</i>	4 54	7 0	11 57	9 23
30 SUN.		2nd Sunday after Easter.	4 53	7 1	11 57	10 24

You may go on putting up and preparing frames during this month. your melons and cucumbers, for general crop, about the 10th, and trans them about the 18th of next month into frames in the open ground. early peas, radishes, onions, carrots, and winter cabbages. Cut all u shoots from gooseberry and currant bushes before the sap rises. Trans fruit trees and other plants, and proceed with your pruning. Give your green-house, and water more freely; syringing is necessary as th increases. This is the best season for propagating, by cuttings fro green-house plants. Divide and plant the roots of any hardy herba plants that are too large. Plant out any half-hardy annuals that are r or, if your soil is stiff, put them, three or four in a pot, and keep the frame.

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First Quarter	5	4	6	Morning.
Full Moon.....	12	10	42	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	19	1	38	Morning.
New Moon.....	26	3	53	Evening.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
		Ris	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1 Mon.	St. Philip and St. James.	4 52	7 2	Morn.	11 34
2 Tues.	<i>Look for rain.</i>	4 51	7 3	11 56	Morn.
3 Wed.	Invention of the Cross.	4 49	7 5	11 56	0 23
4 Thur.	<i>Showery weather.</i>	4 48	7 7	11 56	1 6
5 Fri.	<i>Warm and pleasant.</i>	4 47	7 7	11 56	1 40
6 Sat.	St. John Post. Lat.	4 45	7 9	11 56	2 11
7 SUN.	3rd Sunday after Easter.	4 43	7 10	11 56	2 36
8 Mon.	<i>Very fine to-day.</i>	4 41	7 11	11 56	3 1
9 Tues.		4 40	7 12	11 56	3 24
10 Wed.	<i>Cloudy and windy.</i>	4 39	7 13	11 56	3 47
11 Thur.		4 38	7 14	11 56	4 12
12 Fri.	<i>Frequent showers.</i>	4 37	7 15	11 56	Rises.
13 Sat.	<i>Growing weather.</i>	4 35	7 17	11 56	8 46
14 SUN.	4th Sunday after Easter.	4 34	7 18	11 56	10 1
15 Mon.	<i>Dry weather.</i>	4 33	7 19	11 56	11 9
16 Tues.	<i>The dust flies.</i>	4 32	7 20	11 56	Morn.
17 Wed.	<i>Rain may be</i>	4 31	7 21	11 56	0 5
18 Thur.	<i>expected.</i>	4 30	7 22	11 56	0 48
19 Fri.	St. Dunstan, Archbp.	4 29	7 23	11 56	1 22
20 Sat.	<i>Fair weather.</i>	4 28	7 24	11 56	1 52
21 SUN.	5th Sun. after Easter. Rogation.	4 27	7 25	11 56	2 15
22 Mon.	<i>Fair and fine.</i>	4 26	7 26	11 56	2 38
23 Tues.		4 25	7 27	11 56	3 0
24 Wed.	Birthday of Queen Victoria.	4 25	7 29	11 56	3 22
25 Thur.	Ascension Day.	4 24	7 30	11 56	3 46
26 Fri.	SOLAR ECLIPSE. St. Augustine.	4 23	7 31	11 56	Sets.
27 Sat.	<i>Fair and warm.</i>	4 22	7 32	11 57	8 31
28 SUN.	Sunday after Ascension.	4 21	7 33	11 57	9 27
29 Mon.	<i>End of month,</i>	4 20	7 34	11 57	10 19
30 Tues.	<i>pleasant and</i>	4 19	7 35	11 57	11 3
31 Wed.	<i>fine growing weather.</i>	4 18	7 36	11 57	11 43

Transplant your melons and cucumbers, for general crop, about the 18th. All vegetables that were not sown last month, must be laid down as early as possible. Corn should not be sown later than the 20th, to ensure a good crop. Sow annuals early this month. Plant dahlias about the 20th. This is the proper season for transplanting fruit and forest trees. Propagate plants by cuttings and slips, early this month. Give plenty of air to your green-house, and syringe freely every other day. The latter end of this month is about the best season for removing evergreens. Finish your pruning before the sap rises. Turn out into the open air your half-hardy annuals, after they have rooted well in the pots; they will not be so much checked by the change as in transplanting them at once from the hot-bed.

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First Quarter.....	3	7	46	Evening.
Full Moon	10	6	36	Evening.
Last Quarter.....	17	9	20	Morning.
New Moon.....	25	7	7	Morning.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
		Ris	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1 Thur.	Nicomedes.	4 18	7 36	Morn.	Morn.
2 Fri.	<i>Not so pleasant.</i>	4 18	7 38	11 57	0 12
3 Sat.	<i>Rain may be expected.</i>	4 17	7 39	11 57	0 39
4 SUN.	Whitsunday.	4 17	7 39	11 57	1 3
5 Mon.	Boniface.	4 16	7 40	11 58	1 25
6 Tues.	<i>Fine growing weather.</i>	4 16	7 40	11 58	2 0
7 Wed.	<i>Summer heats now</i>	4 15	7 41	11 58	2 12
8 Thur.	<i>beginning</i>	4 15	7 42	11 58	2 38
9 Fri.		4 15	7 42	11 58	3 10
10 Sat.	<i>Fair, if wind is N.W.</i>	4 15	7 43	11 59	Rises.
11 SUN.	Trinity Sunday. St. Barnabas.	4 15	7 44	11 59	8 52
12 Mon.	<i>Rain, if wind S. or S. W.</i>	4 14	7 44	11 59	9 53
13 Tues.	<i>It will clear up and</i>	4 14	7 45	11 59	10 44
14 Wed.	<i>be very pleasant.</i>	4 14	7 45	11 59	11 23
15 Thur.	Corpus Christi. <i>Corn</i>	4 14	7 46	Even'g	11 54
16 Fri.	<i>growing finely.</i>	4 14	7 46	12 0	Morn.
17 Sat.	St. Alban, Mart.	4 14	7 46	12 0	0 21
18 SUN.	1st Sunday after Trinity.	4 14	7 47	12 0	0 44
19 Mon.	<i>Changeable.</i>	4 14	7 48	12 0	1 5
20 Tues.	<i>Some pleasant</i>	4 14	7 48	12 1	1 28
21 Wed.	<i>summer days</i>	4 14	7 48	12 1	1 51
22 Thur.	<i>Growing warmer.</i>	4 14	7 49	12 1	2 17
23 Fri.	<i>Look out for wind</i>	4 15	7 49	12 1	2 48
24 Sat.	St. John Baptist. <i>and</i>	4 15	7 49	12 2	3 25
25 SUN.	2nd Sunday after Trinity. <i>rain</i>	4 16	7 49	12 2	Sets.
26 Mon.	<i>about the moon's change.</i>	4 16	7 49	12 2	9 1
27 Tues.	<i>Change of weather.</i>	4 16	7 48	12 2	9 41
28 Wed.	<i>Settled fine.</i>	4 17	7 48	12 2	10 14
29 Thur.	St. Peter and St. Paul.	4 17	7 48	12 3	10 42
30 Fri.		4 18	7 48	12 3	11 7

Sow cucumbers for pickling about the 13th, which is the best season for ensuring a good crop. Transplant winter cabbages. Plant potatoes, not later than the 20th. Transplant celery. Sow endive, to be transplanted in August. Sow black radishes for winter use. Turn out your green-house plants into a half-shaded exposure. No crop, if sown after this month, can be depended on. Cut down and clear away all weeds. Continue to sow both hardy and tender annuals, to keep up a succession of flowers. This is an important point to attend to, so as to prevent your flowers from being so sown or planted as to blow all at one time.

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First Quarter.....	3 7 57	Morning.
Full Moon.....	10 1 30	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	16 7 31	Evening.
New Moon.....	21 10 22	Morning.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
		Ris	Sets.	Souths	R. & S.
1 Sat.	<i>Month opens with heat.</i>	4 18	7 48	Even	11 29
2 SUN.	3rd Sunday after Trinity.	4 19	7 48	12	3 11 51
3 Mon.	2nd Visitation of Blessed V. M.	4 20	7 48	12	3 Morn.
4 Tues.	<i>There will be showers about</i>	4 21	7 57	12	4 0 13
5 Wed.	<i>now. Heat continues.</i>	4 21	7 47	12	4 0 36
6 Thur.	<i>Thunder and lightening may</i>	4 22	7 46	12	4 1 6
7 Fri.	<i>be expected.</i>	4 23	7 46	12	4 1 39
8 Sat.		4 24	7 46	12	4 2 25
9 SUN.	4th Sunday after Trinity.	4 24	7 46	12	4 Rises.
10 Mon.	<i>There will be fair</i>	4 25	7 45	12	5 8 31
11 Tues.	<i>weather for some time.</i>	4 25	7 45	12	5 9 17
12 Wed.	<i>Hot days</i>	4 26	7 44	12	5 9 53
13 Thur.	<i>follow.</i>	4 26	7 43	12	5 10 21
14 Fri.		4 27	7 43	12	5 10 46
15 Sat.	St. Swithin, Pp.	4 28	7 43	12	5 11 10
16 SUN.	5th Sunday after Trinity.	4 29	7 42	12	5 11 32
17 Mon.	<i>Showers.</i>	4 30	7 41	12	5 11 55
18 Tues.	<i>Fair for two or</i>	4 31	7 40	12	5 Morn.
19 Wed.	<i>three days to</i>	4 32	7 39	12	5 0 20
20 Thur.	Margaret, Virgin. <i>come.</i>	4 33	7 38	12	6 0 50
21 Fri.		4 33	7 37	12	6 1 25
22 Sat.	Mary Magdalene.	4 35	7 36	12	6 2 6
23 SUN.	6th Sunday after Trinity.	4 36	7 35	12	6 2 55
24 Mon.	<i>Fair weather.</i>	4 37	7 34	12	6 Sets.
25 Tues.	St. James. <i>Heat.</i>	4 38	7 33	12	6 8 17
26 Wed.	St. Anne. <i>Dry and</i>	4 39	7 32	12	6 8 46
27 Thur.	<i>sultry. Thunder</i>	4 41	7 32	12	6 9 12
28 Fri.	<i>may be heard in</i>	4 41	7 30	12	6 9 36
29 Sat.	<i>the distance.</i>	4 42	7 29	12	6 9 55
30 SUN.	7th Sunday after Trinity.	4 43	7 28	12	6 10 17
31 Mon.		4 45	7 27	12	6 10 40

Sow a few annuals in succession, about the beginning of this month. Greenhouse plants require to be regularly watered, according to the heat. Propagate plants, going out of flower, by cuttings. Earth up beans, peas, and potatoes, and destroy weeds everywhere. Put a few layers of your finest carnations to blow in pots. Gather the seed of your spring flowers that are ripe. Pinks and carnations, raised from seed last year, will blow about this time. Lay shoots of those worth preserving, and water them moderately in dry weather. This is the best season for budding rose trees.

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First Quarter.....	1	5	34	Evening.
Full Moon.....	8	8	23	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	15	8	55	Morning.
New Moon.....	23	1	6	Evening.
First Quarter	31	1	13	Morning.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
		Ris.	Sets	Souths	R. & S.
1 Tues.	Lammas. <i>Fair and fine</i>	4 46	7 26	Even.	11 4
2 Wed.	<i>for the season; but</i>	4 48	7 24	12	6 11 35
3 Thur.	<i>about these days it will be</i>	4 49	7 23	12	5 Morn.
4 Fri.	<i>warm and sultry; rather</i>	4 50	7 22	12	5 0 14
5 Sat.	<i>uncomfortably so.</i>	4 51	7 21	12	5 1 4
6 SUN.	8th Sun. aft. Trin. Transfiguration.	4 53	7 10	2	5 2 11
7 Mon.	<i>Rather dry time; but</i>	4 54	7 18	12	5 3 22
8 Tues.	<i>a change may be</i>	4 55	7 16	12	5 Rises.
9 Wed.	<i>expected, and for</i>	4 56	7 14	12	5 8 19
10 Thur.	Lawrence. <i>several days</i>	4 57	7 13		5 8 46
11 Fri.	<i>between the seventh</i>	4 59	7 11	12	4 9 11
12 Sat.	<i>and sixteenth</i>	5 00	7 10	12	4 9 33
13 SUN.	9th Sunday after Trinity. <i>there</i>	5 1	7 9	12	4 9 57
14 Mon.	<i>will be frequent</i>	5 1	7 7	12	4 10 22
15 Tues.	<i>showers.</i>	5 3	7 5	12	4 10 51
16 Wed.	<i>Afterward, very</i>	5 4	7 4	12	4 11 24
17 Thur.	<i>warm and</i>	5 5	7 3	12	3 Morn.
18 Fri.	<i>ripening, for grain</i>	5 6	7 1	12	3 0 3
19 Sat.	<i>in a forward state.</i>	5 7	6 59	12	3 0 50
20 SUN.	10th Sunday after Trinity.	5 9	6 57	12	3 1 42
21 Mon.	<i>Again look out</i>	5 10	6 56	12	2 2 42
22 Tues.	<i>for rain,—at least</i>	5 11	6 54	12	2 3 44
23 Wed.	<i>a good heavy shower</i>	5 12	6 52	12	2 Sets.
24 Thur.	St. Bartholomew.	5 14	6 50	12	2 7 39
25 Fri.	<i>Fair and fine.</i>	5 16	6 48	12	1 8 00
26 Sat.	<i>Clear and bright.</i>	5 17	6 47	12	1 8 22
27 SUN.	11th Sunday after Trinity.	5 18	6 45	12	1 8 44
28 Mon.	St. Augustine, Bp.	5 19	6 43	12	1 9 8
29 Tues.	St. John Baptist beheaded.	5 20	6 42	12 46	9 35
30 Wed.	<i>Rather cool for the</i>	5 21	6 40	12 28	10 10
31 Thur.	<i>season, but fair.</i>	5 22	6 38	12 10	10 54

Attend to your greenhouse plants. Go on propagating plants by cuttings and slips. Transplant strawberries. This is the proper season for budding fruit trees. Cut off all supernumerary shoots from transplanted trees, and train the retained bearers of the next year. Take up your bulbous roots and dry them. Plant the roots again about October. Sow the seeds of bulbous roots in pots. If the weather is moist, transplant into borders your seedling biennials and perennials, which were sown early. In hot weather, shade the root with a garden-pot through the day, which remove at night, so that the plant may have the benefit of the dew.

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Full Moon.....	6	4	24	Evening.
Last Quarter.....	14	1	36	Morning.
New Moon.....	22	3	9	Morning.
First Quarter	29	7	44	Morning.

DAYS.	M. WEEK	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
			Ris	Sets	Souths	R. & S.
1	Fri.	Giles, Abbot.	5 24	6 36	Morn	11 50
2	Sat.	<i>Changeable.</i>	5 26	6 34	11 59	Morn.
3	SUN.	12th Sunday after Trinity.	5 27	6 32	11 59	0 58
4	Mon.	<i>Some blustering winds.</i>	5 28	6 30	11 58	2 14
5	Tues.		5 29	6 29	11 58	3 34
6	Wed.	<i>Rainy, if wind be S. or S.W.</i>	5 30	6 26	11 58	Rises
7	Thur.	Erunchus, Bishop.	5 31	6 25	11 57	7 10
8	Fri.	Nativity of Virgin Mary.	5 33	6 23	11 57	7 33
9	Sat.		5 34	6 21	11 57	7 57
10	SUN.	13th Sunday after Trinity.	5 35	6 19	11 56	8 21
11	Mon.	<i>Dull and drizzling.</i>	5 37	6 18	11 56	8 50
12	Tues.	<i>Very cold night.</i>	5 37	6 16	11 56	9 20
13	Wed.	<i>More pleasant.</i>	5 38	6 14	11 55	10 00
14	Thur.	Holy Cross Day.	5 40	6 12	11 55	10 43
15	Fri.	<i>Fair and fine.</i>	5 41	6 9	11 55	11 34
16	Sat.	<i>Fair weather.</i>	5 42	6 8	11 54	Morn.
17	SUN.	14th Sunday after Trinity.	5 43	6 6	11 54	0 31
18	Mon.	17th. Lambert, Bishop.	5 44	6 4	11 54	1 32
19	Tues.	<i>Look out for winds</i>	5 46	6 2	11 53	2 36
20	Wed.	<i>and cold rain.</i>	5 47	5 59	11 53	3 40
21	Thur.	St. Matthew, Apostle.	5 48	5 58	11 53	Sets.
22	Fri.	<i>Dig Potatoes.</i>	5 49	5 56	11 52	6 26
23	Sat.		5 50	5 54	11 52	6 48
24	SUN.	15th Sunday after Trinity.	5 52	5 52	11 51	7 11
25	Mon.	<i>The end of this</i>	5 54	5 50	11 51	7 39
26	Tues.	<i>month, on</i>	5 54	5 48	11 51	8 12
27	Wed.	<i>the whole,</i>	5 55	5 47	11 50	8 51
28	Thur.	<i>pleasant.</i>	5 57	5 45	11 50	9 43
29	Fri.	St. Michael.	5 58	5 42	11 50	10 46
30	Sat.	St. Jerome, C. D.	6 00	5 40	11 49	11 57

Continue transplanting evergreens and strawberries. Prepare ground for transplanting and fall sowing. Propagate plants by cuttings. Remove all plants to the greenhouse, for the winter, during this month. Take up onions, &c., as they ripen. Collect seeds as they ripen; choose a dry day for gathering them; if put away in a damp state they are apt to decay. From carelessness in this respect, great disappointment often accrues. Some seeds ought to be gathered a little before they are ripe, otherwise they will be entirely lost. Begin to prepare composts for spring use.

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Full Moon.....	6	2	42	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	13	8	49	Evening.
New Moon.....	21	4	30	Evening.
First Quarter.....	28	2	10	Evening.

M. WEEK.	DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
			Ris	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1	SUN.	16th Sunday after Trinity.	6	1 5 39	Morn.	Morn.
2	Mon.	1st Remigius, Bishop.	6	2 5 37	11 49	1 13
3	Tues.	<i>Fogs on the River.</i>	6	3 5 35	11 49	2 31
4	Wed.	<i>Quebec boats detained.</i>	6	5 5 33	11 48	3 46
5	Thur.	<i>Cold nights.</i>	6	6 5 32	11 48	Rises.
6	Fri.	Faith, V. and M.	6	7 5 29	11 48	5 58
7	Sat.	<i>The vines are nipt with frost.</i>	6	9 5 27	11 47	6 21
8	SUN.	17th Sunday after Trinity.	6	10 5 26	11 47	6 47
9	Mon.	St. Denys, Bishop.	6	10 5 23	11 47	7 17
10	Tues.	<i>Variable weather</i>	6	12 5 22	11 47	7 52
11	Wed.	<i>until the evening of</i>	6	13 5 21	11 46	8 34
12	Thur.	<i>the twelfth; after</i>	6	14 5 19	11 46	9 23
13	Fri.	Trans. of King Edward conf.	6	16 5 16	11 46	10 18
14	Sat.	<i>which rains will fall.</i>	6	18 5 14	11 46	11 18
15	SUN.	18th Sunday after Trinity.	6	19 5 11	11 45	Morn.
16	Mon.	<i>Warm and pleasant</i>	6	21 5 9	11 45	0 22
17	Tues.	<i>for the season.</i>	6	22 5 7	11 45	1 25
18	Wed.	St. Luke, Evening.	6	23 5 6	11 45	2 30
19	Thur.	<i>Prepare your sheds</i>	6	24 5 4	11 45	3 35
20	Fri.	<i>for winter.</i>	6	26 5 3	11 44	4 41
21	Sat.	<i>Storms are gathering.</i>	6	27 5 1	11 44	Sets.
22	SUN.	19th Sunday after Trinity.	6	29 4 59	11 44	5 40
23	Mon.	<i>Hurry with out-door</i>	6	30 4 57	11 44	6 11
24	Tues.	<i>work.</i>	6	31 4 55	11 44	6 49
25	Wed.	St. Crispin, Martyr.	5	33 4 54	11 44	7 38
26	Thur.	<i>Delays are dangerous.</i>	6	34 4 52	11 44	8 38
27	Fri.	<i>Unsettled weather.</i>	6	36 4 51	11 43	9 46
28	Sat.	St. Simon and St. Jude.	6	37 4 49	11 43	11 2
29	SUN.	20th Sunday after Trinity.	6	39 4 48	11 43	Morn.
30	Mon.	<i>The month ends</i>	6	40 4 48	11 43	0 17
31	Tues.	<i>cold and blustering.</i>	6	41 4 47	11 43	1 32

This is the best month for transplanting fruit and forest trees. Attend to and take in all your greenhouse plants early. Save the seeds of all vegetables and annuals. Take up and secure your vegetables as they ripen. Prepare your soil for early forcing. Gather in and store up your fruit. Unnail and loosen, for a short time, the branches of your wall-trees, to give air and freedom of action to them, and destroy the deposits of all sorts of vermin. Take up your dahlia roots after the first frost. Plant bulbous roots this month. Anemonies and ranunculuses, which are intended to flower early, should be planted about the middle of the month, unless the soil be cold and wet, in which case they may be put down in March. In severe weather cover them with straw or mats.

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Full Moon.....	4	4	7	Evening.
Last Quarter.....	12	5	15	Evening.
New Moon.....	20	5	8	Morning.
First Quarter.....	26	9	46	Evening.

DAYS.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
		Ris.	Sets.	Souths.	R. & S.
1 Wed.	All Saints' Day.	6 42	4 46	Morn.	2 44
2 Thur.	<i>Rain or snow, or perhaps a little of both.</i>	6 44	4 44	11 43	3 53
3 Fri.		6 46	4 42	11 43	5 3
4 Sat.		<i>Fair and frosty.</i>	6 47	4 41	11 43
5 SUN.	21st Sunday after Trinity.	6 49	4 39	11 43	5 15
6 Mon.	Leonard Conf.	6 50	4 38	11 43	5 48
7 Tues.	<i>Some few days of sleighing may be expected, but not to continue.</i>	6 52	4 36	11 43	6 27
8 Wed.		6 53	4 34	11 43	7 13
9 Thur.		6 54	4 33	11 43	8 7
10 Fri.		6 55	4 31	11 44	9 5
11 Sat.	St. Martin, Bishop.	6 56	4 30	11 44	10 7
12 SUN.	22nd Sunday after Trinity.	6 58	4 29	11 44	11 9
13 Mon.	<i>Fine seasonable weather.</i>	6 59	4 28	11 44	Morn.
14 Tues.		7 1	4 28	11 44	0 13
15 Wed.	Machutus, Bp.	7 3	4 27	11 44	1 16
16 Thur.	<i>Clear and cold.</i>	7 4	4 26	11 45	2 21
17 Fri.	<i>Hard frost.</i>	7 5	4 25	11 45	3 28
18 Sat.		7 6	4 24	11 45	4 37
19 SUN.	23rd Sunday after Trinity.	7 9	4 23	11 45	5 50
20 Mon.	Edmund K. & M.	7 10	4 22	11 46	Sets.
21 Tues.	<i>Rain or snow to-morrow.</i>	7 11	4 21	11 46	5 29
22 Wed.	Cecilia, V. & M.	7 13	4 20	11 46	6 26
23 Thur.	<i>Freezing and thawing.</i>	7 14	4 20	11 46	7 35
24 Fri.		7 15	4 19	11 47	8 50
25 Sat.	Catherine, Virgin.	7 16	4 18	11 47	10 7
26 SUN.	24th Sunday after Trinity.	7 17	4 17	11 47	11 23
27 Mon.	<i>Plenty of snow may be expected about these days.</i>	7 19	4 17	11 47	Morn.
28 Tues.		7 20	4 16	11 48	0 35
29 Wed.		7 21	4 15	11 48	1 44
30 Thur.	St. Andrew, Apostle.	7 23	4 15	11 48	2 52

Secure every department for the coming winter. Attend to your greenhouse; water sparingly, and give air when the weather will permit. Transplant fruit and forest trees. Protect all tender plants. Dig and lay out borders for the winter. Prune such shrubs as require it. Take off all suckers where they are not wanted. Manure all soils that are exhausted or worn out. Cover over with straw, and protect all plants likely to suffer from severe rains and frosts, otherwise the plants will rot and die.

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Full Moon.....	4	8	40	Morning.
Last Quarter.....	12	1	17	Evening.
New Moon.....	19	4	53	Evening.
First Quarter.....	26	7	44	Morning.

DAYS.		Calendar, Aspects, &c.	THE SUN.			MOON.
M.	WEEK.		Ris	S. ts.	Souths	R. & S.
1	Fri.	<i>Clear and cold.</i>	7 24	4 14	Morn	4 0
2	Sat.	<i>Moderated some.</i>	7 26	4 14	11 49	5 22
3	SUN	Advent Sunday.	7 26	4 14	11 50	6 14
4	Mon.	<i>Cold rain or snow.</i>	7 27	4 13	11 50	Rises.
5	Tues.	<i>Snow, if wind be East.</i>	7 28	4 13	11 50	5 7
6	Wed.	Nicholas, Bishop.	7 29	4 13	11 51	5 57
7	Thur.		7 30	4 13	11 51	6 54
8	Fri.	Conception, Blessed Virgin Mary.	7 31	4 13	11 52	7 55
9	Sat.	<i>Rather cold.</i>	7 31	4 13	11 52	8 57
10	SUN.	2nd Sunday in Advent.	7 32	4 13	11 53	10 0
11	Mon.	<i>Look out for a good</i>	7 33	4 13	11 53	11 1
12	Tues.	<i>deal of downfall</i>	7 34	4 13	11 54	Morn.
13	Wed.	Lucy, Virgin and Martyr.	7 35	4 13	11 54	0 5
14	Thur.	<i>rain or snow</i>	7 36	4 13	11 54	1 10
15	Fri.	<i>until the next</i>	7 37	4 14	11 55	2 14
16	Sat.	O'Sapientia, <i>change</i>	7 37	4 14	11 55	3 24
17	SUN.	3rd Sunday in Advent. <i>of</i>	7 38	4 14	11 55	4 38
18	Mon.	<i>moon, when it will</i>	7 39	4 14	11 56	5 55
19	Tues.	<i>take up and be</i>	7 4	4 15	11 57	Sets.
20	Wed.	<i>quite fine and frosty.</i>	7 40	4 15	11 57	5 14
21	Thur.	St. Thomas, Apostle.	7 41	4 16	11 58	6 29
22	Fri.	<i>Sleighting quite good</i>	7 41	4 16	11 58	7 49
23	Sat.	<i>in this latitude.</i>	7 42	4 17	11 59	9 8
24	SUN.	4th Sunday in Advent.	7 42	4 17	11 59	10 24
25	Mon.	Christmas Day.	7 43	4 18	Even	11 35
26	Tues.	<i>Changeable. There will</i>	7 43	4 18	12 55s	Morn.
27	Wed.	St. John. <i>be more</i>	7 43	4 19	12 1	0 45
28	Thur.	Innocents' Day.	7 43	4 20	12 1	1 52
29	Fri.	<i>downfall.</i>	7 44	4 20	12 2	3 0
30	Sat.	31st. 1st Sunday after Christmas.	7 45	4 21	12 2	4 5
31	SUN.	Silvester, Bishop.	7 44	4 22	12 3	5 11

Attend to your greenhouse plants, and water sparingly. More attention is requisite for their preservation during this month than at any other season. Raise large trees with balls of earth at the roots. Examine carefully your vegetables and fruit, removing every decayed article from amongst them. The frame plants must be attended to; they must have air when the weather is mild, and be protected with mats from the frost. More attention is now being paid to gardening in this country. Our Horticultural Societies are strenuously exerting themselves, by their exhibitions, to awaken public attention, and the Garden and Greenhouse will ere long be places of much pleasure and attraction.

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MEMORANDUM FOR DECEMBER.

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COURTS OF JUSTICE

AND TERMS.

Under the New Judicature Act, 12 Vic. caps. 37 and 38.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Honorable Louis-H. LaFontaine, Chief Justice.

" Jean Roch Rolland,

" Phillippe Panet,

" Thomas C. Aylwin,

} Puisné Judges.

COURTS IN APPEAL AND ERROR.

TERMS :—MONTREAL—1st to 12th March and 1st to 12th October.

QUEBEC—7th to 18th January and 1st to 12th July.

J. U. Beaudry, Clerk and Law Reporter.

COURT OF CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

TERMS :—MONTREAL—14th March and 14th October.

QUEBEC—20th January and 14th July.

THREE-RIVERS—2nd February and 11th September.

SHERBROOKE (District of St. Francis)—12th February and 1st September.

KAMOURASKA—5th April and 5th November.

Terms to continue until the business is closed.

Extraordinary Terms may be held by Proclamation.

SUPERIOR COURTS FOR LOWER CANADA.

Jurisdiction in suits over £50 Currency.

Hon. Edward Bowden, Chief Justice.

PUISNE JUDGES.

Hon. Dominique Mondelet,

" Charles Dewy Day,

" James Smith,

" George Vanfelson,

" René E. Caron.

Hon. C. J. E. Mondelet,

" Jean F. J. Duval,

" Wm. C. Meredith,

" Edward Short.

MONTREAL.—17th to 27th, both days included of each month, except January, July and August.

QUEBEC.—1st to 20th of April, September and December.

THREE-RIVERS.—12th to 25th Feby., 1st to 14th June and November.

KAMOURASKA.—26th March to 4th April, and 26th October to 4th November.

SHERBROOKE. (*District of St. Francis*)—20th to 31st Jany., and 16th to 27th July.

PERCE. (*District of Gaspé*)—21st to 30th August. NEW CARLISLE, 4th to 13th September; the sittings at the two places forming only one term.

DISTRICT OF MONTREAL.

J. Boston, Sheriff; G. L. Kurezyn, Deputy Sheriff; S. W. Monk. W. C. H. Coffin, and L. J. A. Papineau, Prothonotary; John Honey, Deputy Prothonotary; Jos. Jones and Chas. J. Coursol, Coroners; A. M. Delisle, Clerk of the Crown; Charles E. Schiller, Deputy Clerk of the Crown; R. Dillon, French and English Translator and Interpreter; G. Stanley, Crier; Thos. McGinn, Gaoler; B. Delisle, High Constable.

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DISTRICT OF QUEBEC.

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DISTRICT OF SAINT FRANCIS.

F. G. Bowen, Sheriff; W. Bell, Prothonotary and Clerk of the Crown; C. A. DeTonnancour, Coroner.

DISTRICT OF THREE RIVERS.

I. G. Ogden, Sheriff; E. Barnard, Prothonotary and Clerk of the Crown; Valère Guillet, Coroner; Phillip Burns, High Constable.

DISTRICT OF GASPE.

M. Sheppard, Sheriff; J. Wilkie, and G. Tremblay, Clerk of the Crown and Prothonotary; W. Tilly, Coroner for Gaspé; W. Fitton, Coroner of Bonaventure.

DISTRICT OF OTTAWA.

Hon. Mr. Justice William K. McCord.

A. Lafontaine, Prothonotary; L. M. Coutlée, Sheriff.

CIRCUIT COURTS.

DISTRICT OF MONTREAL.

Jurisdiction in suits up to £50 Currency.

Hon. Hypolite Guy,	} Judges.
“ John S. M'Cord,	
“ J. C. Bruneau,	
S. W. Monk.....	} Clerk, Montreal Circuit.
W. C. Coffin.....	
L. J. A. Papineau.....	
George Pyke, Deputy	Clerk, Montreal Circuit
Henri Bourret.....	“ Berthier “
L. DeLorimer.....	“ L'Assomption “
L. Lepage.....	“ Terrebonne “
F. H. Lemaire.....	“ Two Mountains “
A. Lafontaine.....	“ Ottawa “
O. Bastien.....	“ Vaudreuil “
Louis Beaudry.....	“ Beauharnois “
M. Samuel David.....	“ St. Johns “
Peter Cowan, ..	“ Miss'squoi “
L. O. Le Tourneaux...	“ St. Hyacinthe “
T. R. Chevalier.....	“ Richelieu “

Edward Barnard, Clerk, Three Rivers Circuit.

William Bell “ Sherbrooke “

Edward Burroughs } “ Quebec “

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TERMS

Montreal Circuit—City of Montreal—from the 10th to the 15th of each month, except January, July and August

Berthier Circuit—In the Parish of Berthier—21st to 30th January, May and September

L'Assomption Circuit—In the Parish of St. Pierre de L'Assomption—1st to 10th March, July and November

Terrebonne Circuit—In the parish of St Louis de Terrebonne—12th to 21st March, July and November

Two Mountains Circuit—In the Parish of St. Benoit—7th to 16th January, May and September

Ottawa Circuit—At the Village of Aylmer, 20th to 29th January, May and September

Vaudreuil Circuit—In the Parish of St. Michel de Vaudreuil—1st to 10th March, July and November

Beauharnois Circuit—In the Parish of Ste. Martine—12th to 21st March, July and November

St. Johns Circuit—In the Parish of St. John the Evangelist—10th to 19th February, June and October

Missisquoi Circuit—At Nelsonville, in the Township of Dunham—21st to 30th February, June and October

St. Hyacinthe Circuit—At the Village of St. Hyacinthe—10th to 19th February, June and October

Richelieu Circuit—In the Parish of St. Ours—21st to 30th February, June and October

DISTRICT OF THREE RIVERS.

Three Rivers Circuit—At the Town of Three Rivers—on the last six juridical days of the months of March, May, June, September, November and December

DISTRICT OF ST. FRANCIS.

Sherbrooke Circuit—At the Town of Sherbrooke—on the last six juridical days of the months of February, March, June, September and October, and on the first six juridical days of the month of December in each year

Richmond Circuit—At the Village of Richmond, in the Township of Ship-ton—from 10th to 19th March and September

Stanstead Circuit—At Stanstead Plains, in the Township of Stanstead—15th to 24th May and November

Quebec Circuit—City of Quebec—the last six juridical days of each month in the year, except August

Juridical Days—Every day not being a Sunday or a holy day, is a juridical day

GENERAL QUARTER SESSIONS

OF THE PEACE.

A. M. Delisle and W. H. Brehaut, Clerk of the Peace

C. E. Schiller, Deputy Clerk of the Peace, at Montreal

TERMS :

MONTREAL—8th January, 4th April, 4th July and 4th October

QUEBEC—8th January, 4th April, 4th July and 4th October

THREE RIVERS—8th January, 4th April, 4th July and 4th October

SHERBROOKE—1st February and 1st October

KAMOURASKA—7th to 16th January and 17th to 24th July

COMMISSIONERS FOR RECEIVING AFFIDAVITS

FOR THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Samuel W. Monk
Louie J A Papineau
William F Coffin
John Boston
J A Labadie
Joseph Jones
William Ross
J Belle

Etienne Guy
William H Brehaut
James Smith
P J Beaudry
George Weekes
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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

William Ermatinger, Inspector and Superintendent of Police
 L. D. René Cotret, 1st Clerk
 George Baby, 2nd Clerk

Constables appointed under the Ordinances 2 Vict., Ch. 2.

Joseph Rousseau and John Shepherd.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

HON. MALCOLM CAMERON, Postmaster-General.

Secretary's Office.—W H Griffin, Secretary; Gilbert Griffin, Chief Clerk; E E King, Second Clerk; C R Griffin, Third Clerk

Inspectors.—E Stayner Freer, Inspector for Lower Canada—Head Quarters, Montreal. H A Wicksteed, Inspector for Central Canada—Head Quarters, Kingston. John Dewe, Inspector of Western Canada—Head Quarters at Toronto

Officers in charge of British Mails through the United States.—New York:—James Laing and C P Lindsay—Boston: F H Vane and John Owen.

MONTREAL.

A. Larocque, Postmaster.

Clerks.—P W Couper, First Clerk; G E Laughlin, Second Clerk; R Oliver, Third Clerk; B McEvenue, Fourth Clerk; M Emery, Fifth Clerk; A R Huddell, Sixth Clerk

Letter Carriers.—J Simpson, M Murphy, and A Benoit

Visitor of Receiving Houses.—McDuff Simpson

OFFICE HOURS.—*In Summer:* from 8 a m to 7 p m—*In Winter:* from 8 a m to 6 p m. *On Sundays.*—*In Summer,* from half-past 9 to half-past 10 a m, and 4 to 5 p m—*In Winter,* from half-past 9 to half-past 10 a m, and 4 to 5 p m

RATES OF LETTERS.

On a letter not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz, 3d. currency; and for each additional $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3d. currency, to any and every part of Canada

The Postage to and from the United States is 6d. currency, or 10 cents; which, if prepaid at all, must be prepaid in full. Postage Stamps of less value than 6d. or 10 cents, count for nothing, except California, which is 9d. currency per half ounce, prepayment optional.

The Postage on Letters to the following places must be prepaid in full, viz.:—Australia, 2s. 5d. currency per half ounce; East Indies, 2s. 5d. ditto, ditto; China, except Hong Kong, 2s. 5d. ditto, ditto; Foreign West Indies, via Quebec and Halifax, 1s. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. ditto, ditto; Africa, 2s. 5d. ditto, ditto; Spain, 2s. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz.; Austria, via Prussia and Belgium, 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per half oz.; France, 2s. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz.; Germany and German States, via Prussia and Belgium, 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per half oz. The Postage to all parts of Great Britain and Ireland is 1s. 4d. cy., and may be prepaid or not. To all the British North American Colonies the Postage is 3d. cy. per half oz., except Newfoundland, which is 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per half oz., and may be prepaid or not. West Indies, via Halifax, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. cy. per half oz.; ditto, via England, 2s. 5d. cy. per half oz.; in each case prepayment optional.

TARIFF OF DUTIES

Payable on Imports into Canada, under the Act 12 Victoria, cap. 1, and the Act amending the same of April, 1853.

	Per cent		Per cent
ANIMALS, specially imported for the improvement of Stock		Chain Cables and Iron Chains of all sorts	2½
Animals and Live Stock—all	20	Caoutchouc	2½
Anatomical Preparations, <i>Free</i>		Cheese	20
Anchors	2½	Cider	12½
Apples, green or dried	30	Clocks	12½
Ashes—Pot, Pearl, and Soda, <i>Free</i>		Coals and Coke	2½
Acids—Nitric and oxalic	2½	Coffee, green 4s 8d per cwt. and	12½
Do. Strong fluid	2½	Coffee, roasted or ground, 14s per cwt. and	12½
Alum	2½	Coin and Bullion <i>Free</i>	
Bacon	20	Coin, base or counterfeit <i>Prohibited</i>	
Barley, Beans, Berc and Big	20	Cordage	2½
Beef	20	Cordials, 3s per gallon and	25
Berries used in dyeing	2½	Cotton Wool <i>Free</i>	
Biscuit	12½	Cotton Manufactures	12½
Books, printed <i>Free</i>		Cochineal	2½
Books, reprints of British copyright works	12½	Copper, in bars or in sheets	2½
Books, Blank	12½	Copperas	2½
Book and Drawings of an immoral or indecent character <i>Prohibited</i>		Cotton and Flax Waste	2½
Boots and Shoes	12½	Cotton Batting	12½
Bran and Shorts	20	Cotton Warp and Wick	2½
Brandy 2s per gall. and	25	Drugs	12½
Bristles	2½	Drugs, used solely in dyeing	2½
Broom, Corn	2½	Dye Woods	2½
Brooms	12½	Earthenware	12½
Brushes	12½	Engravings, Etchings and Drawings <i>Free</i>	
Buckwheat	20	Feathers	12½
Bulbs, Roots and Trees <i>Free</i>		Felt Sheeting	2½
Bunting	2½	Fire Clay	2½
Burr Stones	2½	Fish	12½
Burr Stones, wrought	12½	Flax and Tow, undressed	2½
Busts and Casts of Marble, Bronze, Alabaster, or Plaster of Paris <i>Free</i>		Flax Waste	2½
Butter	20	Flour	20
Bleaching Powder	2½	Fruits, all kinds	30
Blue, ultra-marine and paste	2½	Furs	12½
Borax	2½	Furniture	12½
Bricks, fire	2½	Felts, all kinds	2½
Brimstone	2½	Fisheries—the following articles for the use of—Seines, Fishing Nets and Hooks, Twines and Lines, Boat Sails and Hawsers, Fishermen's Boats, Tarred Rope & Rigging	2½
Cabinets of Coins, Medals, or Gems and other collections of antiquity <i>Free</i>		Gin 2s per gallon and	25
Candles	12½	Ginger	30
Castings	12½	Glass, and Manufactures of	20
Cement, marine	2½		

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Glue	12½	Manures, all kinds	Free
Grease and Scraps	2½	Maps	Free
Hair, and Manufactures of	12½	Marble, in blocks unpolished	2½
Hams	20½	Do all others	12½
Harness	12½	Meal, Indian	12½
Hardware	12½	Meal, other	20
Hats	12½	Meats, all except Mess Pork	20
Hemp and Russia Hemp Yarn	2½	Medicines	12½
Hides	2½	Models of Machinery, and other inventions and improvements in the Arts	Free
Honey	12½	Molasses 2d per gallon, and	12½
Hops	20	Musical Instruments	12½
Indian Corn	Free	Nails	12½
India Rubber and Manufactures	12½	Nuts	30
Indigo	2½	Nuts used in dyeing	2½
Ink	12½	Nitre	2½
Ink, Printers'	2½	Oats	20
Iron—when imported to be used in the manufacture of Locomotive engines	2½	Oil, Palm, Cocoa-Nut, and Pine	2½
Bar and Rod	2½	Oil, all other	12½
Sheet	2½	Old Nets and Ropes	2½
Hoop, not over 2 inches broad	2½	Oranges and Lemons	30
Hoop or Tire for driving wheels, bent and welded	2½	Ores of all Metals	2½
Connecting Rods, in pieces	2½	Oysters	12½
Frames and Pedestals, rough from the forge	2½	Packages containing free goods, or goods rated under 12½ per cent	12½
Brass or Copper Tubes	2½	Packages, other, charged the same as the <i>ad valorem</i> rate on their contents	-
Boiler Plates	2½	Paints	12½
Railroad Bars	2½	Paintings	Free
Spike Rods	2½	Paper and Paper Manufactures	12½
Pig	2½	Peas	25
Scrap	2½	Pepper and Pimento	30
Rolled Plate from ¼ to ½ inch thick	2½	Perfumery	12½
Round and Square, 4 inch and upwards	2½	Philosophical Instruments and Apparatus	Free
Iron Cranks, wrought, 6 cwt. and upwards	2½	Pickles and Sauces	12½
Iron Manufactures	12½	Pipe Clay	2½
Jewellery	12½	Pipes, Smoking	12½
Junk, or Oakum	2½	Pitch	2½
Junk, or Old Nets and Ropes	2½	Pork, Mess	12½
Lamps	12½	Pork, all others	20
Lard	2½	Preserved Fruits	30
Lead, Pig and Sheet	2½	Phosphorus	2½
Lead, Manufacturers'	12½	Potash (prussiate of)	2½
Leather, and Manufactures of	12½	Printing Presses	2½
Lemon Syrup	12½	Printing Types	2½
Linen, and Manufactures of	12½	Printing Implements	2½
Liqueurs 3s per gallon, and	25	Quills	12½
Macaroni	30	Quinces	30
Machinery, all	12½	Rags	2½
Mahogany	12½	Raisins	30
		Resin or Rosin	2½

	Per cent.		Per cent.
Rice	12½	Do. Flour	12½
Rope, old	2½	Tallow	2½
Rum, at proof, by Sykes' Hydrometer, 1s 3d per gall., and	25	Tar	2½
Rye	20	Tea 1d per lb. and	12½
Sail Cloth	2½	Teasels	2½
Saleratus	12½	Tin	2½
Salt <i>Free</i>		Tobacco, Manufactured, 1d per lb. and	12½
Saw Logs	2½	Tobacco, Unmanufactured, ½d per lb. and	12½
Seeds <i>Free</i>		Tow, undressed	2½
Segars 1s 6d per lb and	12½	Toys	12½
Ships' Water Casks in use	2½	Tree Nails	2½
Snuff 4d per lb. and	12½	Type Metal, in blocks or pigs	2½
Soap	12½	Types	2½
Specimens of Natural History, Mineralogy and Botany, <i>Free</i>		Telegraph Wire	2½
Spices, all	30	Varnish, bright and black	2½
Spikes	12½	Do. other	12½
Spirits, except Rum and Whiskey, at proof 2s per gallon and	25	Vegetables used in dyeing	2½
Spirits or Cordials, sweetened so that the strength cannot be found by the Hydrometer 3s per gallon and	25	Vegetables	12½
Spirits of Turpentine	12½	Vencers	12½
Steel	2½	Vermicelli	30
Steel Manufacture	12½	Vinegar	30
Sugar, Refined, in Loaves or Crushed, and Candy 10s per cwt. and	12½	Vitriol	2½
Bastard and other kinds 6s per cwt. and	12½	Watches	12½
Sumac	2½	Wax	12½
Syrups	12½	Whalebone	12½
Do. Sugar 2d per gallon and	12½	Wheat <i>Free</i>	
Sal Ammoniac	2½	Whiskey, at proof, 3d per gallon, and	12½
Seed, Mustard	2½	Wine, 6d per gallon, and	30
Shellac	2½	Wood and Lumber	12½
Slate	2½	Wood used in making carpenters' tools	2½
Straps for walking beams	2½	Wool	2½
Sulphur, roll	2½	Woollen Yarn	12½
		Woollen Manufactures	12½
		Yellow Metal, in bars and in sheets	2½
		All Goods, Wares and Merchandise, not enumerated	12½

EXEMPTIONS.

Arms, Clothing, Cattle, Provisions and stores of every description, which any Commissary or Commissaries, Contractor or Contractors shall import or bring, or which may be imported or brought by the Principal or other Officer or Officers of Her Majesty's Ordnance into the Province for the use of H. M. Army or Navy, or for the Indian Nations in this Province; provided the duty otherwise payable thereon would be defrayed or borne by the Treasury of the United Kingdom or of this Province.

Horses and Carriages of Travellers; and horses, cattle and carriages and other vehicles when employed in carrying merchandise; together with the necessary harness and tackle, so long as the same shall be *bona fide* in use for that purpose, except the horses, cattle, carriages, vehicles and harness of persons hawking goods, wares and merchandise through the

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Province, for the purpose of retailing the same, and the horses, cattle, carriages and harness of any Circus or Equestrian troop for exhibition; the horses, cattle, carriages and harness of any Menagerie to be free.

Donations of clothing specially imported for the use of or to be distributed gratuitously by any charitable society in this Province.

Seeds of all kinds, farming utensils and implements of husbandry, when specially imported in good faith by any society incorporated or established for the encouragement of agriculture.

Salt for the use of the fisheries, Military Clothing and Wine for the use of Regimental Messes.

The following Articles in the occupation or employment of persons coming into the Province for the purpose of actually settling therein, viz. :

Wearing Apparel in Actual use, and other personal effects not merchandise; horses and cattle; implements and tools of trade of handy-crafts-men.

The personal household effects, not merchandise, of inhabitants of this Province, being subjects of Her Majesty, and dying abroad.

And the following Articles, when imported directly from the United Kingdom, the British North American Provinces, the Island of Prince Edward and Newfoundland, and being the growth, produce, or manufacture of the said United Kingdom, or of such Province respectively, viz. :—

Animals, beef, pork, biscuit, bread, butter, cocoa-paste, corn or grain of all kinds; flour; fish, fresh or salted, dried or pickled; fish, oil; furs or skins the produce of fish or creatures living in the sea; gypsum; horns; meat, poultry, plants, shrubs and trees, potatoes and vegetables of all kinds, seeds of all kinds, pelts, skins, furs, or tails undressed. Wood, viz: boards, planks, staves, timber and firewood.

And the following Articles when imported direct from the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward's Island, and being the growth, produce or manufacture of said Provinces respectively, viz :

Grain and Breadstuffs of all kinds, vegetables, fruits, seeds, hay and straw, hops, animals, salted and fresh meats, butter, cheese, chocolate, and other preparations of cocoa, lard, tallow, hides, horns, wool, undressed skins, and furs of all kinds, ores of all kinds, iron in pigs and blooms, copper, lead in pigs, grindstones and stones of all kinds, earth, coals, limes, ochres gypsum ground or unground, rock salt, wood, bark, timber, and lumber of all kinds, firewood, ashes, fish, fish oil, viz: train oil, spermaceti oil, head matter and blubber, fins and skins, the produce of fish or creatures living in the sea,

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