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TORONTO ALMANÁC; AND

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FOR THE YEAR

1840.

CALCULATIONS FOR THE MERIDIAN OF TORONTO. NORTH LAT. - - 43 ° 38' 10" WEST LONG. - - 79 ° 38' 0

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NECESSARY FOR ALL PERSONS:



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EPOCHS, AND COMMON NOTES.

EPOCHS.	
Of the Julian Period	6553
Of the Junan Ferre	5843
Of the Mundane Æra	1844
Since the Birth of Christ, according to Chronology	1840
Of the Vulgar Christian Æra	348
Since the Discovery of America	340
Since the treaty which confirmed the possesion	77
Since the British acknowledgement of the Inde-	57
at the Peace of 1783, Sin , a the Division of the Province of Quebec	49
into Lower and Upper Canada,) Of the Reign of Her Majesty Victoria 1	3

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES,

The Dominical Letter, is E. until the 10th of March, afterward D.

MOVEABLE FEASTS.

Septuage Quinquag		Feby.	12.24	Low Sunday, Rogation Sunday,	April May		di.
Shrove Ash Wed	Sunday, Inesday or	March March	1 4	Ascension Day, or Holy Thurs- day,	May	28	*
			29 12 19	Whit Sunday, Trinity Sunday, Advent Sunday,	June June Nov.	7 14 29	

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING.

To determine the distance of Lightning, count the number of Seconds between the flash and the clap of thunder, and allow rather less than a quarter of a mile for each second.

The middle of the room is the safest situation in a Thunder Storm, and lower rooms are more safe than upper-chambers.

THE FORCE OF LIGHTNING.

A person may be killed by lightning, although the explosion takes place at the distance of twenty miles, by what is called the backstroke. that the two extremities of a cloud, hihgly charged with electricity, hang down towards the earth, they will repel the electricity from the earth's surface, if it be of the same kind with their own, and will attract the other kind; and if a discharge should suddenly take place at one end of the cloud, the equiliberum will instantly be restored by a flash at that point of the earth which is under the other.

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For forstelling the Weather through all the Lunations of each Year, forever.

This table, and the accompanying remarks, are the result of many years actual observation; the whole being constructed on a due consideration of the attraction of the sun and moon in their several positions respecting the earth; and will, by simple inspection, show the observer what kind of weather will most probably follow the entrance of the moon, into any of its quarters; and that so near the truth as to be seldom or never found to fail.

If the New Moon,-the First Quar- ter-the Full Moon-or the last Quar-		WINTER.	
ter, happens, between midnight and two in the morning.	Fair,	Hard frost unless the wind be s. or w.	
2 and 4 morning,	Cold with frequent showers.	Snow and stormy Rain.	'n
4 and 6 "	Rain.	Stormy.	
6 and 8 "	Wind & Rain.	~ torm, j t	
8 and 10 "	Changeable.	Cold rain if wind west; snow if E.	
10 and 12 "	Freq't showers.	Cold, & high wind,	
At 12 o'clock, M. and 2 P. M. Between 2 and 4 P. M. 4 and 6 " 4 and 6	Very rainy Changeable. Fair.	Snow or rain. Fair & mild. Fair.	
6 and 8	Fair if wind N, w. Rainy if s. or s.w.	Fair & frosty if wind N. or N. Z. rain or snow if s. or	
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8 and 10 " 10 and midnight,	ditto. Fair.	w. ditto. Fair & frosty.	. 45

OBSERVATIONS.

1. The nearer the time of the Moon's change, First Quarter, Full, and Last Quarter, are to MIDNIGHT, the fairer will the weather be during the seven days following.

2. The space of this calculation occupies from ten at night till two next morning. 3 The nearer the MID-DAY, or NOON, the phases of the Moon happen, the more foul or wet weather may be expected during the next seven days.

4 The space for this calculation occupies from ten in the forenoon to two in the afternoon. These observations refer principally to Summer, though they affect Spring and Autumn nearly in the same ratio.

5 The Moon's change-First Quarter-Full-and last Quarter, happening during six of the afternoon hours, i. e. from four to ten, may be followed by fair weather; but this is mostly dependent on the WIND, as it is noted in the Table. 6 Though the weather, from a variety of irregular causes, is more uncertain in the latter part of Spring, yet, in the main, the above observations will apply to those periods also.

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THE SEASONS.

How beautiful are nature's thousand hues! First comes the virgin Spring, with emerald set, And cheeks of glowing childhood; Summer next With all her gay and gladsome trappings on. Rejoicing in the glory of her growth, And brading roses in her foliage; And next, maturer Autumn, soft at first, Yet oftimes sad in her departing rays; Till hoary Winter meets her on the heath, And breathes destruction on her yellow cheek.

COMMENCEMENT OF THE SEASONS.

Spring—Sun enters 𝖓, March 20. Summer—Sun enters ☎, June 21. Autumn—Sun enters ≏, September 23. Winter—Sun enters 𝔅, December 21.

TABLE OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM

With the Names and Characters of the Planets

Names.	Diam in E. Miles.	M'n from	distance the Sun.	Tin ro'd	the	f	rota Ax'	Time	of	re S	vo's
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2 Venus	7,667	68	,000,000	0	23	20					10
⊕ The Earth	7,912		,000,000		0	0			6	9	
The Moon	2,170	95	000,000	29	17	44	-		0	9	1/2
3 Mars	4,189	144	000,000	0	24				93	20	25
Vesta	238		000,000				~~~	1 .	20	30	33
Juno	1,425		000,000				•		•	•	•
Ceres	160	263	000,000			•	•	1703	16	10	• •
Pallas	110	265.	000,000			•		1103	10	40	U
24 Jupiter	89,170		000 000	0	9	55	37	1220	11		
5 Saturn	79,042	900	000,000	-		16					
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NAMES AND CHARACTERS OF THE ASPECTS.

A Planet's ascending Node.

8 The Descending Node,

S. South.

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- d Conjunction, or Planets situated in the same Longitude,
- Quadrature, or planets situated in Longitudes differing three signs from each other
 Opposition, or Planets situated in opposite Longitudes, or differing six signs from each other.
 N. North.

Inf.	Inferior.	Im.	Immersion.
Sup.	Superior.	-	Emersion.

SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC.

٤,		Aries,	5.	0	Leo,	0	4	Qualitation	
	X	Taurus.	6	m	Vinno		+	Sagittarius,	
		Gemini,	0,	11	Virgo,	10.	13	Capricornus,	
			7,	~	Libra,	11.		Aquarius	
	20	Cancer	8,	112	Scorpio,	12,	¥	Pisces.	

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1 Wednesday 2 Thursday 3 Friday 4 Saturday 5 E 6 Monday 7 Tuesday 8 Wednesday 9 Thursday 10 Friday 11 Saturday 12 E

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25 Saturday 26 E

28 Tuesday

39 Wednesday 30 Thursday 31 Friday.

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L JANUARY.

A HYMN.

These, as they change, Almighty Father ! these Are but the varied God. The rolling year Is full of thee. Forth in the pleasing spring Thy beauty walk. Thy tenderness and love, Wide flush the fields; the softening air is balm; Echo the mountains round; the forest smiles. And every scone, and every heart is joy. Then comes Thy glory in the Summer-months. With light and heat refulgent. Then thy Sun.

New Moon 4th 4h.7m., evening. First Qurter 12th 2h. 41m. evening

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m each other x signs from OFull Moon 18th 7h. 15m., evening. Last Quarter 26th 8h. 13m. evening.

M	W	Aspects, Holidays, Aniversaries, &c. &c. &c.	• P.		R	⊙s	R	DS
1	Wednesday	New Years' Day	1	7	32	4 28	4	52
2	Thursday	3 0 ¥ & b	111		31			52
	Friday		11		30			48
4	Saturday		129		30		Se	ts
5	E	Duke of York died 1827. 2d Sunday after Chris.			29			16
6	Monday	Epiphany. High Tides.	N	7	29		6	24
7	Tuesday	Prs. Charlotte of Wales born 1796. d S & 3	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	7	28	4 32	7	34
8	Wednesday	Battle of N Orleans 1815. 3 Greatest elogation W	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	7 :	28			44
9	Thursday	f in Perihelion d 🛛 & z	Ж	7	27		9	54
0	Friday		X	7 :	27			3
1	Saturday		p	7 :	264	4 34	mo	rn.
2		Amnesty of Paris 1816. 1st Sunday after Epiphany.	P		25 4	4 35	0	15
3	Monday	Low Tides.	XX		254			51
4	Tuesday	0 0 & 7 *s			244			51
C	Wednesday	Duke of Gloucester born 1779.			23 4			10
0	Thursday	in Perigee			22 4			23
0	Friday	Dr. Franklin born 1706	_		21 4			28
0	Saturday		690	7 9	20 4		ris	
9		Second Sunday after Epiphany	8		194			35
0	Monday	Death of Howard the Philanthropist 1790	8		194			48
1	Tuesday	Louis xvi beheaded 1793	m		184			0
20	Wednesday	Battle of Frenchtown 1813. d 2 g b	in		17			8
00	Thursday	Wm. Pitt died 1806	W		164			13
04	Friday				154			18
26	Saturday	Conversion of St. Paul	2m	7	144		mo	
		Third Sunday after Epiphany	m	7	134			22
20	Monday	Duke of Sussex born 1773. @ in Apogee	m	7	124			26
30	Tuesday		m		11			20
201	Thursday	Accession of George IV. & in Aphelion.		7	94			33
	THUIDUGA	Charles I beheaded 1649 d @ ? & b.	1	7	84			31
-14	Friday.		NS'		74	31	5	22

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II FEBRUARY.

Shoots full perfection thro' the swelling year : And oft Thy voice in dreadful thunder speaks ; And oft at dawn, deep noon, or falling eve, By brooks and groves, in hollow whispering gales. Thy bounty shines in Autumn unconfin'd, And spreads a common feast for all that lives. In Winter awful thou ! with clouds and storms Around thee thrown, tempest o'er tempest roll'd, Majestic darkness! on the whirlwind's wing, Riding Sublime, Thou bidst the world adore.

New	Moon, 8	3h-37m.	morn.	
		. 10th-1		morn.

⊙Full moon, 17th—8h. 31m. morn. D Last Quarter, 25th—5h. 29m. morn.

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3	Monday		~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	17	24	1 58		
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	Friday	0 3 & 4	90		57	5 3	11	15
	Saturday		8	6	56	5 4	mo	
9	E	5th Sunday after Epiph	8	6	55	5 5	50	31
	Monday	6 6 & 7 *'s	-	0	54	5 6	51	50
	Tuesday	D in Perigee	П	0	52		33	4
2	Wednesday		П		51	5 0	94	10
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4	Friday	VALENTINE	2	10	49	5 11	15	47
5	Saturday	6 8 & H	010		49 47	5 19	3.6	21
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	Friday		12	≥6	40	0 2	1 11	10
	Saturday	Washington born 1732-D ofCumberland born 1774	1 11	16	39			
3		Sexagesima Sunday	111	1.1.4	37	0 2	3 mo	1:
	Monday	Capture of the U.S. ship 'Peacock'- Apogee	In	6	36	5 2	40	19
	Tuesday		17	6	34	2 2	61	
6	Wednesday	6 0 & 5-very Low Tides	1414	6	33		72	19
7	Thursday	Great Earthquake at Lisbon 1796	łV	30	32		83	1:
	Friday			36	30		04	1
	Saturday	958 @ 9 H & \$	Ŋ	36	29	5 3	1]4	4

III. MARCH.

And humblest Nature with Thy northern blast, Mysterious round ! what skill, what force divine; Deep felt, in these appear ! a simple train, Yet so delightful, mix'd with such kind art, Such beauty and beneficence combin'd; Shade, unperceiv'd, so softening into shade, And all so forming an harmonious whole; That, as they still succeed, they ravish still. But wandering oft with brute unconscious gaze, Man marks not Thee, marks not the mighty hand.

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M	W	Aspects. Holidays. Anniversaries. &c. &c. &c.	P	0	R	0	SR	9.S
1		St. DAVID. Shrove Sunday.	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	6	27	5 3	3 5	15
	Mo		~~~~	6	26	5 3	4 5	42
3	Tue	Napoleon escaped from Elba 1815. Shrove Tue.			25			ets
4	w ed	Ash Wednesday. 1st day of Lent.	×		23			36
	Th Fri	o O & Very high Tides.	P		21			51
		24 Stationary. o H & ③	r		20			
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12		St. Gregory martyr. Low Tides.	- Aude			5 4		
	Fri	The Planet Herschel discov. 1781. \Diamond in Perih.	696		11	-	9 3	
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17	Tue	St. Patrick.	m		4			sea
	Wed		1		3			50
19	Th	High Tides.	2		1		9 7	
20	Fri	o enters γ Vernal Equinox.	-		0	6	0 9	
21	Sat	Death of Sir Isaac Newton 1727, aged 85.	11		59		1 10	8
22	D	3rd Sunday in Lent. 8 @ 24	m		57		311	
23	Mo	In apogee.	1		56		4 m	inter a
24	Tue	8 1 & B			54		6 0	14
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27		Low Tides.	13		50		6.1	43
28		& Stationary.	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~		49		1 3	19
29		4th Sunday in Lent. Mid Lent.	~~~		47			47
30	Mo		~~~		45		-	14
31	Fue	♀ ● ♀ & 瑕	×		44			37

9m. morn.

That, ever busy, wheels the silent spheres; Works in the secret deep, shoots, steaming, thenes The fair profusion that o'erspreads the spring : Flings from the sun direct the flaming day, Feeds every creature, hurls the tempest forth, And, as on earth this grateful change rovolves, With transport touches all the springs of life. Nature, attend ! join every living soul Beneath the spacious temple of the sky, In adoration join, and ardent raise.

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I Sat	Birth of George Canning 1770. Exec. of Lount & Matthews 1838. Palm Sunday.		5 2	16	33	3 3	20	100 C	Tu
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e Th	Maunday Thursday.	m		216			2	17	
7 Fri	GOOD FRIDAY.	m		196		1 1 20 1 1	6	1000	M
e Sat	High Tides. @ 24	-		186		1. 8. 6	13		TI
T	FILLER STADAY	1 -1		176		100	10		W
0 Mo	Lord Byron the Poet died 1824. In apogee	1		15 6	-	5 mor	m.		TI
1 Tue	6 5 & D	1	-	146			2	1000	Fr
2 Wed			1	136			46	100	Sa
23 Th	St. GEORGE, SHAKSPEARE born 1564 d. 1616	13	5	11 6	-		23	24	
24 Fri				10		0 1	1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1	1000 C	M
25 Sat	O. CRONWELL born 1598. St. MARK.Low Tides	E. m	-	9		1 2	20		Tu
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28 Tue	6 D W		5		1.2.1			29	Fr
29 Wed		11	25	5		55 3 56 3		30	Sa

One general song ! To Him, ye vocal gales, Breathe soft, whose Spirit in your freshness breathes Oh ! talk of him in solitary glooms ! Where o'er the rock, the scarcely waving pine Fills the brown shade with a religious awe. And ye, whose bolder note is heard afar, Who shake th' astonish'd world, lift high to heaven Th' impetuous song, and say from whom you rage. His praise, ye brooks, attune, ye trembling rills; And let me catch it as I muse along.

		1st, 7h 1m even. (9) 16th, 6h Sth, 9h 46m morn. (0) 24th, 8h (1) 31st, 2h	20	3m)m Lm	m	orn.	1
M	W	Aspects. Holidays. Anniversaries. &c. &c. &c.	P		R	o s	Re
	Fri	St. PHIL. & St. JAS. Addison b. 1672. d. 1728	X	5	30	3 57	set
	Sat	1 7*'s. 1 in Perigee. High Tides.	X	5	16		
	D	Invention of the Cross. 2nd Sund. after Easter	Π	5	0		
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5	Tue	Napoleon died 1821. Ø greatest clongation W.	00	4	58 7	1 2	mor
		St. JOHN EVANGELIST.	5	4	57 7	1 3	0
	T	Duke of York born 1767.	2	4	56 7	1 4	0 4
	F	1	R	4	55 7		
	Sat	Low Tides. [Easter.	R	4	53 7	7	14
	D	West Indies discov. in 1497. 3rd Sunday after					2
	Mo	Devil Of Harris	m		517		2 2
		Battle of Lodi 1797.	~		50 7	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	24
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		Battle of Albuera 1811.	m		46 7	14	
	D	4th Sunday after Easter. D in apogee.	1		45 7		
	Mo	High Tides. & b .	1			.16	
19	Tue	St. Dunstan. The dark day of 1780.				17	
		Death of Columbus 1506.			42 7		11 2
	Th		23		41 7		11 5
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	Sat	0.335 10. 1	~~~		397	21	0 2
	D	Queen VICTORIA born 1819. Rogation Sunday.			397	21	04
		Low Tides. & H D.	×		387	22	1
	Tue		×		37 7	23	1 3
57	wed	Ven. Bede. Pr. Geo. of Cumberland born 1819.			36 7	24	1 5
	Th	Wm. Prrr born 1759. Ascension Day.	r		36 7	24	2 1
	Fri	Restoration of King Charles II, 1660.	8		35 7	25	2 4
	Sat	ALEX. POPE died 1764. O in Perigee.	X	-	34 7	26	3 2
51	D	Sunday after Ascension.	II	1 :	33 7	27	sets

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V. MAY.

Ye headlong torrents, rapid and profound ; Ye softer floods, that lead the humid maze Along the vale; and thou majestic main, A secret world of wonders in thyself, A secret world of wonders in thyself, Sound His stupendous praise; whose greater voice Or bids you roar, or bids your roaring fall. Soft roll your incense, herbs, and fruits, and flowers, In mingled clouds to Him; whose sun exalts, Whose breath perfumes you, and whose pencil paints, Ye forests bend, ye harvests wave to Him;

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Fh	3 g & 3 - Geo. III, born 1738.	R	4	31			-	41
Fri	King of Hanover born, 1771. Boniface.	R	4	31			mo	
Sat	Battle of Burlington Heights 1813.	m		-		30	0	7
D	Pentecost. Whit Sunday. Low Tides.	m				30		27
Mo	Asiatic Cholera in U. C. 1832. Whit Monday.	m	4	29		31		14
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VII. JULY.

Breathe your still song into the reaper's heart, As home he goes beneath the joyous moon. Ye that keep watch in heaven, as earth asleep Te that keep watch in neaven, as earth aslee Unconscious lies, effuse your mildest beams, Ye constellations, while your angels strike, Amid the spangled sky, the silver lyre. Great source of day ! best image here below Of thy Creator, ever pouring wide, From world to world the vital ocean round, On Nature write with every beam His praise.

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VIII. AUGUST.

The thunder rolls : be hush'd the prostrate world; While cloud to cloud returns the solemn hymn. Bleat out afresh, ye hills ; ye mossy rocks, Retain the sound : the broad responsive lowe, Ye valleys raise : for the GREAT SHEPHERD reigns ; And his unsuffering Kingdom yet shall come. Ye woodlands all, awake : a boundless song Burst from the groves ! and when the restless day, Expiring, lays the warbling world asleep, Sweetest of birds ! sweet Philomela ! charm

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#### SEPTEMBER. IX.

The listening shades, and teach the night His praise. Ye chief, for whom the whole creation smiles, At once the head, the heart, and tongue of all, Crown the great hymn ! in swarming cities vast, Assembled men, to the deep organ join The long resounding voice, oft-breaking clear, At solemn pauses, through the swelling bass; And, as each mingling flame increases each, In one united ardor rise to heaven : Or if you rather choose the rural shade.

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And find a fisne in every sacred grove; There let the shepherd's flute, the virgin's lay, The prompting seraph, and the poet's lyre, Still sing the G D OF SEASONS, as they roll. For me, when I forget the darling theme, Whether the biossom blows, the summer ray Russets the plain, *inspir.ng* Autumn gleams; Or Winter rises in the blackening east, Be my tongue mute, may Fancy paint no more, Ard, dead to joy, forget my heart to beat !

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### XI. NOVEMBER.

Should Fate command me to the farthest verge Of the Green earth, to distant barb'rous climes, Rivers unknown to song, where first the sun Gilds Indian mountains, or his setting beam Flames on th' atlantic isles, 'tis nought to me : Since God is ever present, ever felt. In the void waste, as in the city full! And where He vital breathes, there must be joy. When even at last the solemn hour shall come, And wing my mystic flight to future worlds.

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	Fri	Leonard.			58		2 3	
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8	D	Prs. Augusta born 1768. Death of Milton 1674.	p	7	0			3
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## XII. DECEMBER.

I cheerful will obey ; there with new pow'rs Will rising wonders sing: I cannot go Where Universal Love not smiles around, Where Universal Love not smiles around, Sustaining all yon orbs and all their suns; From seeming Evil still educing good, And better thence again, and better still, In infinite progression. But I lose Myself in Him, in Light Ineffable : Come then, expressive Silence ! muse His praise.

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Military Secy and principal { Major George D. Hall, Aid de Camp,

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Aides de Camps,......Capt. Fred. L. Arthur, and Lt. C. Domville, Assistant Military Secy ..... Capt. Fred. Halkett, Coldstream Guards, Adj't. General's Department, ...... Col. Colley Foster,

Qt. Master General's Do.,.....Col. M. Fraser, A. Q. M. and Capt. F. Marham, 

Adjt. General of Militia, ..... Col. R chard Bullock,

Assistant Adjt. General, ..... Col. Walter O'Hara,

In U. C., there are 108 Regiments of Militia, exclusive of 4 Battalions of Incorporated Militia-and 12 Provincial Batt, s, Artillery, Cavalry and Independant Companies-The regular troops of the line now in this Province, are, Infantry. 32nd 43rd 73rd 85th 34th 65th 83rd & 93rd Regiments.- Uavalry, Two Troops of the King's Dragoon Guards. with an efficient force of Artillery & the Royal Engineers.

The Legislative Council has 32 Members, The House of Assembly has 60 Members, The Executive Council consists of 5 Members, of whom The Hon. Robert Bald: Sullivan is Provident.

Receiver General,
Inemestor General
Secretary and Register,
Commissioner of Crown Lands The Hon, R. B. Sullivan, and Surveyor General,
Thisf Instice I ne from, J. D. Robinson,
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Clerk of the Crown,C. C. Small, Esq.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Lord Bishop of Toronto, ..... The Right Rev. John Strachan, D. D. Archdearon of Kingston .- The Venerable Geo. O'Kill Stewart L. L D. with 76 Clergy men of the Church of England including Missionaries. 88 Churches are already built ; and 20 others in various parts of the Province are in Progress. Dr. Macaul is Principal of Upper Canada College. Roman Cathelic Bishop of Kingston The Rt. Revd, Alexander of Tabraca, The Rt. Revd. Remigins Gaulin Vicars General. Rev. McDonell Do. W. P. McDonell & the Rev. A McDonell with 32 Clergymen of that Church. The Clergymen of the Established Church of Scotland who are resident in U. C. are 45 in number. The Wesleyan Methodist Church of U. C. has 57 stations of Resident Minis. sters. 95 travelling Preachers & 12 superanuated, with upwards of 15,000 Members. Population of Kingston ( in 1839) 3877 of the City of Toronto (in 1839 ) 12, 571. To tal Population of the Province 513, 467. ‡

Upper Canada, from the best evidence that can be at present obtained, has now * 1, 738, 503 Acres of Land under cultivation,

678 Grist Mills,

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It is impossible to go more into detail on this occasion, but the curious can be fully eatisfied as to particulars, in the various departments by reference to the Royal calendar of U.C. 1840 whih can now be had at a greately reduced price by application at the Palladium Office. in York Street Toronto.

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76, 563 Horses of three years old and upwards,

57, 641 Oxen of four years old and upwards,

156, 252 Milch Cows, and at least,

608, 895 Young Cattle, from two to four years old,

And in the whole, an actually assessed property rated at more than TWENTY MILLIONS T DOLLARS, but, in reality, upwards of TWENTY-FIVE MILLIONS !! exclusive of floating

The following Table will shew the aggregate population of all the BRITISH PROVINCES apital. or NORTH AMERICA : the germ of an Empire that, under the Blessing of Divine Providence and the fostering care of the Mother country, is designed to occupy the broad shoulders of this continent, and influence, direct, or control its destinies; and, perhaps, hereafter to command both the Old and the New World ! 

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### ANECDOTES TO BE REMEMBERED.

SPRUNG FROM HONEST TRADE. " In Pennant's History of London, he gives a curious list of some of our principal noble

families' who owe their origin to honest trade, in the following words, viz. :-- "I beg leave here to remind several noble Peers of their industrious forefathers.

John Coventry was an opulent mercer of the city of London, and mayor in 1425, a most spirited magistrate. From his loins is descended the Earl of Coventry

The family of Rich, Earls of Warwick and Holland. arose from Richard Rich, an opu-

The Holles, Earls of Clare and Dukes of Newcastle, sprung from Sir. W. Holles, maylent mercer, sheriff in 1441.

or in 1540, son of Wm. Holles, citizen and banker. Sir Thomas Leigh, mayor in 1558, furnished the peerage with the addition of two viz.,,

Leigh, Earls of Chichester, and Leigh, Lord Leigh, of Stoneley The Bouveries, Earls of Radnor, decend from Edward des Bouverie, an opulent Turkey

merchant; died in 1694. Lord Ducie was descended from Sir Robert Ducie sheriff in 1620, mayor in 1631; banker to Charles 1 and afterwards created a baronet.

Paul Bayning, sheriff in 1593, was father of Paul, created Visc. Bayning, The Cranfields, Earls of Middlesex, rose from Lionel Cranfield, a citizen bred up in the eustom house. The Duke of Dorset is descended from Frances Cranfield heiress of the

The noble family of Ingram, Viscount Irwin (now represented by the Marchioness of third Earl. Hertford), were raised in the reign of Elizabeth, by Hugh Ingram, citizen, merchant,

Sir Stephen Brown, mayor in I438, was a grocer, and gave us another peer in the perand tallow chandler.

son of Sir Anthony Brown, created Viscount Montague, in 1554. The ancestor of the Legges, Earls of Dartmouth, was mayor of London in 1347, and in

1357. having, in his trade of a skinner, attained great wealth. Sir. Geoffry Bullen, mayor in 1458, was grandfather to Thomas Bullen, Earl of Wiltshire, father of Anna Bullen, and grandfather to Queen Elizabeth; the highest genealogical

honour the city ever possessed.

Sir Francis Hicks, a mercer founded the peerage of Campden. Sir Wm. Capel, draper, mayor in 1503, founded the noble family of Capel, now Earls

of Essex.

Edward Osborne, mayor in 1583, was ancestor of the Duke Osborne of Leeds. Michae! Dormer, mercer, mayor in 1542, produced the future Lords Dormer,

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From Sir Wm. Craven, merchant tailor, mayor in 1611, sprung the Earls of Craves Lord Viscount Dudley and Ward is descended from Win. Ward, a wealthy goldsmith in London, and jeweller to the Queen of Charles 1. Biographical Considerations .- Most insects play on some instrument. The

musquito blows an octave trumpet, the doe-bug a bassoon ; the cricket turns a grindstone; and the bullfrog plays the Scotch bag-pipe

Snuff is considered a very powerful medicine by moths.

Money is the root of all evil ; thus diggers generally become affluent.

Barbers inherit a ground-rent on the chins of the rich as well as the poor. Posthumous fame is the most enduring ; thus Spanish flies bite sharper after death.

Milk has such a propensity to intoxication that it gets blue on water.

Every creature should confine himself to his own element ; a swimming hog cuts his own throat. If the ocean should boil, all lobsters would probably become red.

Study makes the eyes weak and the brains strong.

Death of Captain Death .- Perhaps history cannot afford a more remarkable instance of desperate courage than that shown by the officers and crew of an English privateer, called the Terrible, under the command of Captain Death, of twenty six guns and two hundred men. On the 23d of December, 1775, he engaged and made prize of a French ship, from St Maloes, after an obstinate battle' in which he had his brother and sixteen seamen killed; he then secured his prize with forty men, and directed his course for England ; but in a few days he had the misfortune to fall in with the Vengeance, of thirty-six guns, a privateer, off St. Domingo. Their first step was to attack the prize, which was

The two ships then bore down upon the Terrible whose mainmast was shot away by the first broadside.

Notwithstanding this disaster, the Terrible maintained such a furious engagement against both, as can hardly be paralleled in the annals of the British Navy. The French Commander and his second lieutenant were killed, with twothirds of his company; but the galant Capta n Death, with the greater part of his officers and almost his whole crew, having met with the same fate the ship was boarded by the enemy, who found no more than twentysix persons alive, sixteen of whom were mutilated by the loss of a leg or an arm, and the other ten grievously wounded !!! The ship itself lay like a wreck upon the water and the whole exhibited a scene of horror and destruction. The victor itself, was so shattered that it was scarcely able to tow the Terrible into St. Maloes, where she was beheld with astonishment and terror. This adventure was no sooner known in England, than a liberal subscription was raised for the support of Death's widow and that part of the crew which survived the engagement .---There was a strange combination of names belonging to this privateer; the Terrible was equipped at Execution Dock, commanded by Captain Death, his lieutenant was named Devil, and the surgeon's name was Ghost .- Chronicles

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#### DESCRIPTIVE The Cedars of Lepanon.

As we entered the last defile the minstrels and singers of the caravan commenced a peon. Altars fumed from various points of the chasm above : and Syrian priests were seen in their robes performing the empty rites of idolatry. I turned away from this perversion of human reason, and passed forward through the lingering multitude, untill the forest rose in its majesty before me. My step was chocked in solemn admiration. I saw the earliest produce of the earth - the patriarchs of the reviving globe had sat beneath these green and lovely arches ; the final generation was to sat beneath them. No roof so noble ever rose above the heads of monarchs, though it were covered with gold and diamonds. The forest had been greatly impaired in extent and heaving, by the sac ilegeous hand of war. The perpetual conflicts of the Syrian and Egyptian dynastics laid the axe to it with remorseless violation. It once social over the whole range of the mountains its diminished strength now, like the relies of a mig up trony, made it stand among the central fortresses of its native region; and there majestically bade defiance to the further assault of steel and fire. The forms of the trees seemed made for duration ; the trunks were of prodigious thickness, smooth and round as pillars of marble, some rising to a great height, and throwing out a level roof of folinge, some dividing into a cluster of trunks, and with various heights of branch and leaf, making a succession of verdurous caves; some propagating themselves by circles of young codies, risen where the fruit had dropped upon the ground ; the whole bore the aspect of a coloseal temple of nature-the shafted column, the deep arch, the solid buttresses branching off into the richest caprices of oriental arch. itecture, the solemn roof high above, pale, yet painted by the strong sunlight through the leaves with transparent and tessellated dyes, rich as the color of the Indian mines, In the momentary feeling of awe and wonder, I could comprehend why paganism loved to worship under the shade of forests ; and why the poets of paganism filled the shade with the attributes and presence of deities. The airy whisperings, the loneliness, the rich twilight were the food of mystery. Even the forms that towered before the eyes, these ancient trees, the survivors of the general law of mortality gigantic, hoary, covered with their weedy robes, bowing their heads in the blast and uttering strange sounds and groanings in the struggle, gave to the high wrought supersution of the soul, the image of of things unearthly, the oracle and the God! Or was this impression but the obscure revival of one of these lovely truths that shone upon the days of paradise, when man drew knowledge framits fountain nature; and all but his own passions were disclosed to the first born of creation !- Salathiel

THE MASCAL PLANT.—This extraordinary vegetable production, (a description of which has never been published) is only to be found on the Rio Grande, and its tributary streams, N. W. of the Mexican republic —it, grows spontaneously on the most barren and sterile mountains in that country,& is as much esteemed as an article of food by the Mexican Indians as is the Buffalo, the Elk, and the Deer, by their more Northern neighbors. The Mascal grows in the shape of a cabbige bead, & may be found as large in size as half a barrel; it is thickly covered with sharp prickly protuberances to the length of from twelve to eighteen inches, the root is very small, the head has also a thick covering of leaves, much resembling in shape, those of the Plantain tree, which are very juicy, and when prepared for eating in the same manner as the head, affords a sweet, and nu ritious beverage, answering every purpose to allow thirst.

The process used for cooking this plant is very singular, yet if digressed from in a single instance, the Mascal is splited and rendered unfit for use; it consists of digging a hole or pit in the ground to the depth of four or five feet, which must be covered with a layer of heated rocks, on which the Mascal is placed with the root downward; a thick coat of leaves and bushes must be thrown over the mouth of the the plt, over all of which is to be lain a a thin coat of dirt sufficient to prevent the heat or steam from escaping. In this situation must the Mascal remain (according to Indian computation) for three days and three nights, when it may be taken out, and will be found perfectly cooked, and most delicious food. In flavour it resembles a ripe mollow peach, each succeeding day adding to its qualities; it increases in excellence by age. On this plant alone do the Indians subsist for months being perfectly satisfied with their food, and esteeming it above all other. About half a pound of Mascal is by them deemed sufficient to satisfy the cravings of hum As I befo altogethe another i untutored

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ger for a day, and it is always carried with them on their hunting and other excursions As I before observed, the leaves of this favoured plant contain a rich & delightful beverage, altogether forming a most extraordinary combination of food and drink, thus affording another illustration of the beneficence of a kind Providence in securing even to the wild &

antutored savage a luxury which their more favoured and civilized brother might well envy. I have seen the Mascal so thick in some places as to form almost imponetrable forests of thorns, as formidable in appearance as would be the same number of glittering spears, covering the whole expanse of the country as fir as the eye could see, in traveiling through which the incautious or unwary will be reminded by a gentle stab of the necessity there

I may also mention that many of the peasaniry of the states of Lonora and Chibushua, bordering on this country, also coltivate the Miscai in their fields and gardens, and I have been informed distil from its liquor which is said to be excellent, and not inferior to the

THE DAHLIA .- The Dahlia was discoverd by Humboldt, on the high sandy plains of Mexico, about 5000 feet above the level of the sea. It was first introduced into this country some thirty years ago; but it is only within the last ten years that its cultivation became an object of great attention on the part of the floriculturists; and such have been the results of care and experiment, that there are now about one thousand varieties; the best differing in price from one guinea to one shilling, according to their novelty, and the common sort, still cheaper, but looking very beautiful to those who have not

Procured a taste to double the surprise,

And gazed on dahlian charms with learned eyes.

These things, united with very little difficulty of cultivation, (apart from the preservation of its roots in the winter,) and a capability in the plant of blooming, almost any where, have rendered the dablia a universal favourite-popular,

Both convolvulus & the pimpernel fold up their leaves on the approach of wet weather. The latter is called the poor man's weather glass. In the same manner species of trefoil contract their leaves at the approach of a storm, and they have been named the husbandman's barometer. Chickweed is another plant which answers the same purpose. When the flower expands boldly and fully, no rain will hapen for four hours or upwards; if it continue in that open state, no rain will disturb the summer's day. When, it half conceals its miniature flower, the day is generally showery, but if it is entirely shut, or veils the white flower, with its greeen mantle, let the traveller put on his great coat, and the plough-

man with his beasts of draught expect rest from their labors-A GIFTED BIRD. - Mr. J. P. Robertson gives the following account of the won-

derfal imitative powers of a Paraguay parrot, which he owned when he resided

So acute was the bird - so exquisite his ear-so sagacious his perception-and so strong and instinctive his imitative powers, that I have seen him listen attentively for five minutes to one person's speaking, and give both the words and tone of the speaker. No mimic more accurate- no critic more causticno satirist more libellous than this chattering bird. I have heard him imitate the the cry of the child, the squeak of ti e pig, the bark of the dog, and mew of the cat; and all so admirably, that it was impossible not to class him as yentriloquest of the first order. He gave the word of command like a drill-sergeant to a company of soldiers ; played trumpet for them, and beat the drum ; and than sang the song of "Viva la Prtria."

#### THE FARMER'S RECEIPT BOOK, THE SUN FLOWER.

The Sun Flower is a plant of much greater value than is generally known. Instead of a few being permitted to grace a parterne, and considered only as a gaudy flower, experience warrants my saying it should be cultivated by our planters and farmers, as a part of his provision crop. It can be turned to profitable account on all our plantations. For certain purposes it it is more valuable than any other grain known to as; intermuch as it can be made to yield more to the acre in exhausted soils, with little labour, and with great prospect of success.

Its seeds are wholesome and natricious food for poultry, cattle and hogs, and very much relished by them.

From the see, an oil is obtained, with great facility, as delicate, it is believed, as that of olives.

They are also pectoral. A tea is made of them quite as effective as flax seed, or any other, in catarrhal affections. On one occasion, this tea, sweetened with honey, was of so much more service to me than the prescriptions of my physician, that I attributed my early restoration to health to its agency. Certainly a favorable change did not occur until I used this tea, which I did upon recommendation of a citizen of one of the upper counties of Nor.h Carolina.

Its leaves and stalks, in the green state, are preferred by cattle to any provender. I have thrown green grass and fodder in one heap, and san flowers leaves in another to try the cattle, and they have commenced eating the latter first; this I have tried often with the same result. The whole plant, cut up in the green state, and boiled with correspondenced of this let one taste the bruised leaves or stalk of the plant; he will find its flavor aromatic, like that of the parsnip, with more sweetness.—Southern Agriculturist.

To make a Brilliant Stucco - White-Wash for all buildings, inside & out. -Add one fourth of a pound of whitning or burnt alum pulverised, to one pound of loaf sugar, three quarts of rice flour, made into a thin and well boiled paste, one pound of cleanest glue, discolved as cabinet makers do. This may be put on cold within doors, but hot outside. This will be as brilliant as plaster of Paris, and retain its brilliancy for many years, The east end of the President's house in Washington, is washed with it.

How to stop a Leak—The best thing for stopping a leak in a cask, is whiting beaten up with common yellow soap; if this mixture be well rubbed into the leak, it will be found to stop it after every thing else has failed.

Frying Pork. — Take one fresh egg, beat it, add half a gill of sweet milk. and a sufficient quantity of flour to make a batter, freshen and fry the pork as usual; then dip the pieces in the batter, which will, of coarse adhere, replace

t As New receipts will be given every year, in this work:--purchasers will find it to their advantage to keep the different numbers of it, by them, until they shall hav chough to bind up into a volume. Since no receipts will be given, but those which can be relied upon, after the bost experience.