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BROCKVILLE ALMANAC,  
OR,  
EASTERN CALENDAR,  
FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

1841:

Being the first year after Bissextile or Leap Year; and until the 20th of June, the 4th Year of the Reign of QUEEN VICTORIA: also, until the 4th of July the 65th Year of the Independence of the United States.

Besides the usual Astronomical calculations, this Almanac contains a variety of useful information, relating to Public Offices, Courts, Township Meetings, Assessments, &c. together with many valuable Recipes &c.

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# HERSCHELL'S WEATHER TABLE

For foretelling 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 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 quarter, the full moon, or the last quarter, happen,	IN SUMMER.	IN WINTER.
Between midnight & 2 in the morning,	Fair.	Hard frost, unless the wind is s. or w.
—2 and 4, morn.	Cold with showers	Snowy and stormy.
—4 and 6, "	Rain.	Rain.
—6 and 8, "	Wind and rain.	Stormy.
—8 and 10, "	Changeable.	Cold rain if the wind be w. snow if e.
—10 and 12, "	Frequent showers.	Cold and high wind
At 12 at noon, and 2 P. M.	Very rainy.	Snow or rain.
Betw'n 2 & 4 P. M.	Changeable.	Fair and mild.
—4 and 6, "	Fair.	Fair.
—6 and 8, "	Fair, if wind n. w.	Fair and frosty, if wind is n. or n. e.
—8 and 10, "	Rainy if s. or s. w.	R'n or sn'w if s. s. w.
—10 and midnight.	Ditto.	Ditto.
	Fair.	Fair and frosty.

*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 for this calculation occupies from ten at night till two next morning.

3. The nearer to 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 the 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 is noted in the table.

6. Though the weather, from a variety of irregular causes, is more uncertain in the latter part of autumn, the whole of winter, and the beginning of spring, yet, in the main, the above observations will apply to those periods also.

7. To prognosticate correctly, especially in those cases where the wind is concerned, the observer should be within sight of a good vane, where the four cardinal points of the heavens are correctly placed.

The above table was originally formed by Dr. Herschell, and is now published with some alterations founded on the experience of Dr. Adam Clark.

### THE WEATHER.

In compliance with the usual custom, the publisher has inserted through the calendar pages of this Almanac, a running account of the weather. It is, however, known that very little reliance is to be placed in such matters. For the accommodation of the curious, we insert Dr. HERSCHELL'S Weather Table, that those who believe in his principles, may calculate the changes of the weather at their leisure.

### THE SIGNS.—EXPLANATIONS.

The Moon's place in the Zodiac is also given. It has been an ancient custom to apply this to the human frame, as operating on particular portions of it. Those who place reliance in this notion, (which has long since been exploded by the learned,) will find out what they desire, by substituting the parts of the body, for the astronomical name given in the last column of the calendar pages, as annexed:

Aries, head,	Leo, heart.	Sagittarius, thighs.
Taurus, neck.	Virgo, Belly.	Capricornus, knees,
Gemini, arms.	Libra, reins.	Aquarius, legs.
Cancer, breast,	Scorpio, secrets,	Pisces, feet.

**APOGEE**—The greatest distance from the earth. **PERIGEE**—The least distance from the earth. **APHELION**—The greatest distance from the sun. **PERHELION**—The least distance from the sun. **DIET**—One-twelfth part of the diameter of the sun or moon.

### CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES FOR 1841.

Dominical Letter,	C.	Solar Cycle,	2.
Lunar Cycle,	18.	Roman Indiction,	14.
Epaet,	7.	Julian Period,	6554.

### MORNING AND EVENING STARS.

Venus will be the Evening star, until May 14th, then Morning star until next year.

Jupiter will be Morning star until June 5th, then Evening star until December 2d, then Morning star until July 10th, next year.

Mars will be Morning star until April 17th, then Evening star until next year.

Saturn will be Morning star until June 21st, then Evening star until December 27th then Morning star until July 3d, 1842.

### ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1841.

There will be six Eclipses this year, four of the sun and two of the moon, as follows :

I. The sun will be partially eclipsed, January 22d. This eclipse will only be visible in a small portion of the Southern Ocean.

II. The moon will be totally eclipsed on February 5th.  
Eclipse begins, 7h 25m P. M. | Total eclipse ends 10h 0m P. M.  
Total ecl. beg. 8 33 | Eclipse ends 10 58  
Middle of ecl. 9 12

III. The sun will be partially eclipsed, February 21. This eclipse will be visible in the North Atlantic Ocean, Iceland and East Greenland.

IV. The sun will be partially eclipsed, July 18th. This eclipse will be visible in Baffin's Bay, the Northern Ocean, Germany, Scotland, and the north of France.

V. The moon will be totally eclipsed August 2.  
Eclipse begins, 3h 9m. A. M. | Total ecl. ends 5h 58m A. M.  
Total ecl. begins, 4 14 | Eclipse ends 7 3  
Middle of eclipse 5 6

VI. The sun will be partially eclipsed August 16. This eclipse will be visible in the south Pacific Ocean, and part of the Southern Ocean.

### RECIPES, & c.

**TOOTH ACHES.**—Alum reduced to fine powder, two drachms, nitrous spirits of æther, seven drachms; mix and apply them to the tooth, and a cure will be effected.

**BLEEDING AT THE NOSE.**—Blow powdered gum Arabic up it with a quill and the bleeding will stop.

**TO REMOVE DIRT FROM THE EYE.**—Take a horse hair, loop it up, holding the two ends, raise the eyelid and place the looped part under it, let the lid down and draw out the hair, retaining the hold of both the ends.

**TO TAKE GREASE SPOTS OUT OF WOOLLEN.**—Dissolve a piece of Pearlash, as big as a pea, in half a tea cup full of water, pour some of it on the spot and rub it with a woollen cloth till nearly dry, and the grease will disappear.

It is better to keep clean than make clean.

Full Moon, 7d 10h 3m morn.—Last qr. 14d 7h 36m morn.

New Moon, 22d 0h 11m eve.—First qr. 30d 6h 5m morn.

	I W	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology, Weather &c.	S rise	S sets	M sets.	M plac
1	fr.	New Year's day. Circumcision	7 31	4 29	0 1	ries
2	sat	<i>Cold, perhaps stormy.</i>	7 31	4 29	1 21	taur
3	C	2d Sunday after Christmas.	7 30	4 30	2 45	
4	mo	Mercury & Jupiter in conjunction.	7 30	4 30	4 2	gem
5	tue	Moon runs high. <i>Windy.</i>	7 30	4 30	5 17	
6	we	Epiphany. Moon in perigee.	7 29	4 31	6 27	canc
7	thu	Sun slow clock 6m 41s. <i>Look out</i>	7 29	4 31	7 26	
8	fri	<i>for snow.</i>	7 28	4 32	rises	leo
9	sat	Moon in her descending node.	7 28	4 32	7 43	
10	C	1st Sunday after Epiphany.	7 27	4 33	8 58	virg
11	mo	<i>Clears up with</i>	7 27	4 33	10 11	
12	tue	<i>moderate</i>	7 26	4 34	11 20	libra
13	we	<i>weather.</i>	7 25	4 35	morn	
14	thu		7 24	4 36	0 27	
15	fri	Sun slow clock 9m. 49s.	7 23	4 37	1 33	scor
16	sat	Venus sets 8 19.	7 22	4 38	2 39	
17	C	Franklin born, 1706.	7 21	4 39	3 44	sagi
18	mo	<i>Look out for</i>	7 20	4 40	4 45	
19	tue	Sun enters aqua. Moon in apog.	7 19	4 41	5 41	
20	we	Fabian. <i>a storm</i>	7 18	4 42	6 29	capr
21	th	Lewis 16th beheaded 1793.	7 17	4 43	7 10	
22	fri	Vincent. sun ecl. invis. <i>of snow.</i>	7 16	4 44	sets.	aqua
23	sat	Moon in her ascending node.	7 15	4 45	5 55	
24	C	3d Sunday after Epiphany.	7 14	4 46	7 0	
25	mo	Conversion of St. Paul. <i>Now</i>	7 13	4 47	8 4	pisce
26	tue	Venus sets 8 36. <i>severe weather.</i>	7 12	4 48	9 8	
27	we	Duke of Sussex born, 1773.	7 11	4 49	10 13	aries
28	thu	Sun slow clock 13m 21s.	7 10	4 50	11 20	
29	fri	Geo. IV. ascended throne, 1820.	7 9	4 51	morn	taur
30	sat	Sirius south 9 48. <i>More</i>	7 8	4 52	0 30	
31	C	4th Sunday after Epiph. <i>snow</i>	7 7	4 53	1 41	

TO TAKE STAINS OUT OF SILVER PLATE.—The plate is to be steeped in soap ley for four hours, then cover it over with whitening, wet with vinegar so that it may stick thick upon it and dry it by a fire, after which rub off the whitening, and pass it over with dry bran, and the spots will not only disappear, but the plate will look exceedingly bright.

To remove spots of ink from linen.—Take a mould candle or some pure tallow, melt it and dip the spotted part of linen in the melted tallow, then put it in the wash, when it will become perfectly white.

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FEBRUARY.

[28 Days.

Full moon 5d 9h 11m even.—Last qr. 13d 1h 44m morning.  
New moon 21d 6h 26m mor.—First qr. 28d 3h 8m evening.

D	W	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology, Weather &c.	S ris	S sets	M sets	M plac
1	mo	Moon runs high.	7 5	4 55	2 55	gem
2	tue	Spain Inquisition abolished, 1813.	7 4	4 56	4 5	
3	we	Sun slow clock 14m 12s <i>Thaws</i>	7 2	4 58	5 9	canc
4	thu	Moon in her perigee.	7 1	4 59	6 0	
5	fri	Moon eclipsed—visible <i>little</i>	7 0	5 0	6 42	leo
6	sat		6 59	5 1	rises	
7	C	Septuagesima.	6 58	5 2	7 43	virg
8	mo	Sun slow clock 14m. 32 sec.	6 57	5 3	8 56	
9	tue		6 55	5 5	10 8	libra
10	we		6 54	5 6	11 16	
11	thu	Mars & Moon in conjunction.	6 53	5 7	or	scor
12	fri	Descartes died 1650. <i>winds.</i>	6 52	5 8	0 26	
13	sat	Am. Temp. soc. formed, 1826.	6 50	5 10	1 32	
14	;	Valentine —sun slow cl. 14m 30s	6 49	5 11	2 37	sagi
15	mo	Moon runs low. <i>Snow</i>	6 48	5 12	3 33	
16	we	Moon in apogee,	6 46	5 14	4 25	capr
17	we	Treaty of Ghent ratified, 1815.	6 45	5 15	5 9	
18	thu	Luther died 1546. <i>may be</i>	6 43	5 17	5 44	
19	fri	sun slow clock 14m 9s	6 42	5 18	6 12	qua
20	sat	<i>looked for.</i>	6 41	5 19	6 39	
21	C	Quinquagesima. sun ecl. invisible.	6 39	5 21	sets	pisc
22	mo	Duke of Cumberland. b. 1774.	6 38	5 22	7 0	
23	tue	Handel born 1684. <i>Clear</i>	6 36	5 24	8 4	
24	we	Ash Wednesday.	6 35	5 25	9 11	aries
25	thu	Venus sets 9h 27m	6 33	5 27	10 22	
26	fri	Bonaparte left Elba 1815. <i>and</i>	6 32	5 28	11 32	taur
27	sat		6 31	5 29	or	
28	;	First sunday in lent. <i>cold.</i>	6 29	5 31	0 44	gem

**FROST BITTEN FEET.**—Take the fat of a d inghill fowl and rub the place or places affected with it, morning and evening over a warm fire; at the same time wrapping a piece of woolen cloth, well greased with the same fat, round the frost bitten parts. In two or three days they will feel no pain, and in five or six will be quite cured. If the inner bark of elder, or the leaves of plantain be first simmered with the fat, it will be the better.

**Sun burn smarting.**—Wash the parts well with strong sage tea or with cream.

**A cut that festers.**—Apply shoemaker's wax, and wash it with turpentine.

Full moon 7d 8h 42m morn.—Last qr. 14d 9h 24m evening.  
New moon 22d 9h 41m eve.—First qr. 29d 10h 4m evening.

D	D	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology.	S	S	M	M
of	W	Weather &c.	rise	sets	sets.	plac
1	mo	St. David.	6 28	5 32	1 55	
2	tue	John Wesley died 1791. <i>Mor</i>	6 27	5 33	2 57	ane
3	we	[Congress met 1789	6 25	5 35	3 53	
4	thu	Moon in perig. First American	6 24	5 36	4 37	leo
5	fri	Sun slow clock 11m 45s <i>moderate</i>	6 22	5 38	5 13	
6	sat		6 21	5 39	5 43	virg
7	C	2d sunday in lent. <i>weather.</i>	6 19	5 41	6 8	
8	mo		6 18	5 42	ises	libra
9	tue		6 17	5 43	9 59	
10	we	Herschel & sun in conjunction.	6 15	5 45	10 52	scor
11	thu	Venus nearest the sun.	6 13	5 47	11 42	
12	fri	<i>Rain or</i>	6 12	5 48	mo	
13	sat	Planet Herschel discovered, 1781.	6 10	5 50	0 24	sagi
14	C	Moon runs low. <i>snow.</i>	6 9	5 51	1 2	
15	mo	Moon in apogee.	6 8	5 52	1 36	cap
16	tue	<i>perhaps</i>	6 7	5 53	2 9	
17	we	St. Patrick.	6 5	5 55	2 34	
18	thu	<i>both</i>	6 4	5 56	3 3	aqua
19	fri	Moon in her ascending node.	6 2	5 58	3 26	
20	sat	Sun ent. aries 1h 33m ev. spr. com	6 1	5 59	3 47	pisc
21	C	Mid lent. Cranmer burned 1556	5 59	5 1	4 8	
22	mo	<i>Signs of a</i>	5 58	6 2	4 28	
23	tue	<i>storm.</i>	5 56	6 4	se s	aries
24	we	Queen Elizabeth died 1503.	5 55	6 5	8 9	
25	thu	Venus and moon in conjunction	5 53	6 7	9 22	taur
26	fri	Peace of Amiens. <i>but i.</i>	5 52	6 8	10 36	
27	sat	<i>may</i>	5 51	6 9	11 46	gem
28	C	C. Wesley died 1783. <i>blow over.</i>	5 49	6 11	mo n	
29	mo	Mars south 1h 35	5 48	6 12	0 54	canc
30	tue		5 46	6 14	1 49	
31	we	Moon in perigee. <i>Rain.</i>	5 45	6 15	2 36	

**FIRE AND WATER PROOF CEMENT.**—To half a pint of vinegar add the same quantity of milk; separate the curd and mix the whey with the white of five eggs, beat it well together, and sift into it a sufficient quantity of quick lime, to convert it to the consistency of thick paste. Broken vessels mended with this cement, never afterwards separate, for it resists the action of both fire and water.

**CEMENT.**—Isinglass, boiled in spirits of wine, will produce a fine transparent cement which will unite broken glass so as to render the fracture secure and almost imperceptible.

Full moon 5d 8h 36m even.—Last qr. 13d 5h 10m evening.  
New moon 21 1 9h 37m mor.—First qr. 28 1 4h 2m morning.

D	W	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology, Weather &c.	S	S	M	M
			rise	sets.	sets	plac
1	thu	Moon in her descending node.	5 43	6 17	3 13	leo
2	fri	Mercury stationary.	5 42	6 18	3 43	
3	sat	Sun slow clock 3m. 21 sec.	5 41	6 19	4 11	virg
4	C	Palm Sunday.	5 39	6 21	4 35	
5	mo	Saturn stationary.	5 38	6 22	4 56	libr
6	tue		5 37	6 23	rises.	
7	we	Revolution in Brazil 1831.	5 36	6 24	8 56	scor
8	thu	Venus sets 10h 1m	5 34	6 26	10 4	
9	fri	Good Friday.	5 32	6 28	11 9	sagi
10	sat	Sun slow clock 1m. 20sec.	5 31	6 29	mor	
11	C	Easter.	5 30	6 30	0 6	
12	mo	Lord Durham born 1792. <i>weather.</i>	5 28	6 32	0 55	cap
13	tue	Moon in apogee.	5 27	6 33	1 40	
14	we	Mercury farthest from the sun.	5 25	6 35	2 14	aqu
15	thu	Moon in her ascending node.	5 24	6 36	2 40	
16	fri	Sun and mars in opposition.	5 23	6 37	3 7	
17	sat	Dr. Franklin died 1790. <i>may</i>	5 21	6 39	3 30	pisce
18	C	Low Sund. Her. & moon in conj	5 20	6 40	3 49	
19	mo	Battle of Lexington 1775. <i>rain.</i>	5 18	6 42	4 12	arie
20	tue	Sun enters Taurus.	5 17	6 43	4 36	
21	we	Sun fast clock 1m. 22sec.	5 16	6 44	sets.	
22	thu	Mars south 11h 36m	5 14	6 46	8 17	tau
23	fri	St. George. Venus stationary	5 13	6 47	9 33	
24	sat	Cowper died 1800. <i>weather</i>	5 12	6 48	10 43	gem
25	C	St. Mark. Moon perigree. Dutch	5 10	6 50	11 44	
26	mo	[ess of Gloucester born 1776	5 9	6 51	no "	can
27	tue	Sun fast clock 2m 28sec. <i>Wind!</i>	5 8	6 52	0 35	
28	we	Moon in her descending node.	5 7	6 53	1 15	leo
29	thu	Saturn rises 9h 58m. <i>with rain.</i>	5 5	6 55	1 48	
30	fri	Mars south 10h 54m	5 4	6 56	2 14	virg

**WHITEWASH.**—Take a peck of unslaked lime, pour boiling water on it, when the lime is slacked add water to make it of the proper consistency, add one ounce of prussian blue, which will give a beautiful and lasting wash that will not turn yellow. If it be preferred, red or yellow ochre may be used which will impart their tints: some add half a gallon of skimmed milk.

**A COUGH.**—Linseed, sugar, liquorice, and lemon juice, mixed in a little water, are said to be an excellent recipe for a cough.

**The heartburn.**—Take a little chalk or magnesia in any warm liquid.



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MAY

[31 day.

Full moon 5d 9h 10m morn.—New moon 20d 6h 49m even.

Last qr. 13d 11h 26m morn.—First qr. 27d 10h 15m morn.

D	D	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology Weather, &c.	S	S	M	M
			se	sets	sets	lat
1	a	Sts. Philip and James.	5	36	57	2 39
2		Lon. Mis. Soc. formed 1796.	5	26	58	3 2
3	no	Mars and moon in conjunction.	5	07	0	3 24
4	ue	Bonaparte died 1821.	4	59	7	1 3 59
5	we	<i>Showers with thunder.</i>	4	58	7	2 4 16
6	thu	St. John, Evangelist.	4	57	7	3 r 55
7	ri	Sun fast clock 3m 39 sec.	4	56	7	4 9 55
8	sat	Moon runs low. <i>Changeable</i>	4	55	7	5 10 49
9	C	<i>weather. Cool for the</i>	4	54	7	6 11 35
10	no	Moon in apogee. <i>season</i>	4	53	7	7 morn
11	ue	Sun fast clock 3m 52 sec.	4	52	7	8 0 12
12	we	<i>Frequent showers.</i>	4	51	7	9 0 42
13	hu	Moon in her ascending node.	4	50	7	10 1 8
14	ri	Venus and moon in inferior conj.	4	49	7	11 1 31
15	sat	<i>Sudden changes.</i>	4	48	7	12 1 51
16	C	Rogation.	4	47	7	13 2 13
17	no	Am. Tract So. formed 1825.	4	46	7	14 2 36
18	ue	Sun fast clock 3m 52sec.	4	45	7	15 3 0
19	we	<i>Fine settled weather</i>	4	44	7	16 3 29
20	thu	Holy Thurs. Lafayette d. 1835.	4	43	7	17 4 7
21	ri	Moon runs high.	4	42	7	18 sets
22	at	Moon in perigee.	4	41	7	19 9 31
23	C	Sunday after Ascension.	4	40	7	20 10 28
24	no	Queen Victoria born 1819.	4	39	7	21 11 14
25	ue	Sun fast clock 3m 24sec	4	38	7	22 11 49
26	ve	Sun and Mercury in sup. conj.	4	37	7	23 morn
27	thu	<i>Rather cool</i>	4	37	7	23 0 19
28	ri	Wm. Pitt born 1759.	4	36	7	24 0 42
29	sat	Mars stationary.	4	35	7	25 1 7
30		Whitsunday. <i>Warm again</i>	4	34	7	26 1 30
31	oc	<i>with wind, perhaps rain.</i>	4	33	7	27 1 52

*To keep away Mosquitoes.*—Attach a piece of flannel or sponge to a thread made fast to the top of the bedstead, and the flannel or sponge with camphorated spirits, and the Mosquitoes will leave the room.

*A remedy for poison.*—It is nothing more than two teaspoonsful of made mustard, mixed in warm water. It acts as an instantaneous emetic.

*The Cramp.*—If in the stomach, drink plentifully of strong ginger tea, as hot as you can bear it; if in the hands or legs, bathe them in hot water.

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JULY.

[30 days.

Full moon 3d 10h 47m eve.—New moon 19d 2h 20m morn  
 Last qr. 12d 3h 3m morn—First qr. 25d 5h 42m evening

D	V	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology, Weather, &c.	S		sets.	fac	
			rise	sets.			
1	ue	Nicomede.	4 33	7 27	2 18		
2	we	Sun fast clock 2m 23sec.	4 32	7 28	2 48		
3	tu	Venus stationary.	4 32	7 28	3 25	agi	
4	fr	Moon runs low. <i>Showery.</i>	4 31	7 29			
5	sat	King of Hanover born 1771.	4 31	7 29	9 32		
6	C	Trinity Sunday.	4 30	7 30	10 11	cap	
7	mo	Moon in apogee. <i>Brisk</i>	4 30	7 30	10 44		
8	ue	Moon in her ascending node.	4 30	7 30	11 11	qu	
9	ve	Sun fast clock 1m 10sec.	4 29	7 31	11 32		
10	thu		<i>winds.</i>	4 29	7 31	11 54	
11	fr	St. Barnabas.	4 29	7 31		disc	
12	sat	Herschell and moon in conjunc.	4 28	7 32	0 16		
13	☽	First Sunday after Trinity.	4 28	7 32	0 37	trie	
14	no	Eng. Reform Bill signed 1832	4 28	7 32	0 58		
15	ue	Magna Charta 1215. <i>Very</i>	4 28	7 32	1 27	au	
16	we	Sun slow clock 16sec. <i>dry</i>	4 28	7 32	1 59		
17	tu	J. Wesley born 1703.	4 27	7 33	2 38	gen	
18	fr	Battle of Waterloo, 1815.	4 27	7 33	3 45		
19	sat	Moon in perigee. <i>Showers</i>	4 27	7 33		an	
20	☽	Wm IV. d. & Victoria proc. 1837	4 27	7 33	9 4		
21	no		<i>with</i>	4 27	7 33	9 45	leo
22	ue	Br. & F. Tem. So. formed 1831.	4 27	7 33	10 19		
23	we	Jupiter south 10h 35m. <i>thunder.</i>	4 27	7 33	10 46	virg	
24	thu	St John Baptist.	4 27	7 33	11 10		
25	fr	Sun slow clock 2m 12sec.	4 27	7 33	11 34		
26	sat	George IV died 1830. <i>Warm.</i>	4 27	7 33	11 56	br	
27	C	William IV proclaimed 1830.	4 27	7 33		n	
28	no	Victoria crowned 1838.	4 28	7 32	0 23	-cor	
29	ue	Herschell stationary. <i>Showers,</i>	4 28	7 32	0 52		
30	ve	Sun slow 3m 14s. <i>perhaps thunder.</i>	4 28	7 32	1 25	ar	

**WASHING SILKS.**—Lay the piece of silk upon a clean board  
 soap a piece of flannel well, without making it very wet, and  
 with this rub the silk carefully and evenly one way; having  
 thus cleaned one side, take a wet sponge and wash off the  
 soap; clean the other side in the same manner, and then wipe  
 the water off each side with a clean cloth, and hang it in the  
 air to dry; do not wring it, but hang it as single as possible  
 upon a linen horse, and let it dry gradually. When nearly  
 dry, iron it with a cool box iron.

**Sting of a Bee or Wasp**—Apply to it strong brine or honey  
 or sweet oil or strong blue.

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[31 days

Full moon 3d, 1h 33m eve.—New moon 18d 9h 13m morn.  
 Last qr. 11d, 3h 35m eve.—First qr. 25d, 3h 26m morn.

D	W	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology Weather, &c.	S		M	M
			rise	sets	sets.	clac
1	Tu	Moon runs low.	4 28	7 32	2 5	
2	Fri	Visitation B. V. Mary. <i>Ver:</i>	4 29	7 31	2 53	
3	Sat	Sun slow clock 3m 48sec.	4 29	7 31	3 48	cap
4	S	Am. Independence. <i>warm</i>	4 29	7 31	ses.	
5	Mo	Emp Nicholas born 1796.	4 30	7 30	9 13	aqu
6	Tue	Antares south 9h 16m.	4 30	7 30	9 27	
7	We		4 30	7 30	9 59	
8	Thu	Jupiter south, 9h 27m.	4 31	7 29	10 20	pisce
9	Fri	<i>but may be</i>	4 31	7 29	10 39	
10	Sat	Columbus born 1447.	4 32	7 28	11 01	aries
11	S	5th Sunday after Trinity,	4 32	7 28	11 25	
12	Mo	Battle of Boyne 1690. <i>showery.</i>	4 33	7 27	11 55	
13	Tue	Mercury stationary.	4 34	7 26	o	taur
14	We	French Revolution com. 1789.	4 34	7 26	0 29	
15	Thu	Moon runs high.	4 35	7 25	1 14	gem
16	Fri	Sun slow clock 5m 40s. <i>Sultry</i>	4 36	7 24	2 10	
17	Sat	Dr. Watts born 1674.	4 37	7 23	3 20	canc
18	S	Battle of Lundy's Lane; 1813.	4 37	7 23	set.	
19	Mo	Geo. IV crowned 1821. <i>Fin:</i>	4 38	7 22	8 53	leo
20	Tue	St Margaret.	4 39	7 21	9 30	
21	We	Saturn south 9h 54m. <i>ha:</i>	4 40	7 20	9 59	virg
22	Thu	St. Magdalen.	4 41	7 19	10 22	
23	Fri	Can Un Bill passed 1840. <i>weather</i>	4 42	7 18	10 45	libra
24	Sat	Sun slow clock 6m 9s	4 43	7 17	11 8	
25	S	St. James.	4 44	7 16	11 33	scor
26	Mo	<i>Signs of</i>	4 45	7 15	o-n	
27	Tue	Infe. conj, sun and mercury.	4 46	7 14	0 1	
28	We	Lord Durham died 1840. <i>mor.</i>	4 47	7 13	0 30	sagi
29	Thu	French Revolution 1830.	4 48	7 12	1 6	
30	Fri	Great meeting at Queenston H's	4 49	7 11	1 44	cap
31	Sat	[Brock's mon. 1840, <i>showers</i>	4 50	7 10	2 30	

*Easy mode of Purifying Water.*—Take a large funnel with strainer, and lay a piece of broken window glass at the bottom, over the strainer; then fill the funnel two-thirds full of charcoal broke in five pieces, but not to powder; then lay another piece of glass over the charcoal to prevent it rising pour the water over, and if putrid, it will pass through in a few minutes, perfectly clear and sweet. The glass is only put in to keep the charcoal in its place and prevent its rising if you put into about two gallons of muddy water, a piece of alum the size of a nutmeg, it will purify it in a few hours.

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AUGUST.

[31 days.

Full moon 2d 5h 7m. m.—Last qr. 10d 1h 24m m.—New moon  
6d 4h 38m ev.—First qr. 23 14h 15m ev.—Full 31d 8h 39m ev.

D	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology, Weather, &c.	S rise	S sets	M sets	M fac
1	C Sun slow clock 6m	4 51 7	9 3 22		iqu.
2	mo Moon eclipsed, visible.	4 52 7	8	rises	
3	tue Columbus sailed for America 1492	4 53 7	7 8 5		ise
4	ve Bonaparte born 1769.	4 54 7	6 8 25		
5	thu <i>Very warm</i>	4 55 7	5 8 45		
6	fri Transfiguration.	4 56 7	4 9 7		rie
7	sat Sun slow 5 n 28sec. <i>and dry</i>	4 57 7	3 9 29		
8	C 11th sunday after Trinity.	4 58 7	2 9 55		aur
9	no Louis Philip made King 1830.	4 59 7	1 10 26		
10	tue St. Lawrence.	5 0 7	0 11 5		rem
11	ve <i>Cloudy</i>	5 2 6	58 11 55		
12	thu Gen. IV born 1762.	5 3 6	57		anc
13	fri Queen Adelaide born 1792.	5 4 6	56 0 56		
14	sat <i>Hot and</i>	5 5 6	55 2 9		leo
15	C Moon in perigee.	5 7 6	53 3 28		
16	no Sun eclipsed, invisible.	5 8 6	52	sets.	virg
17	tue Choctaw mis. established 1818.	5 9 6	51 7 8		
18	ve Duchess of Kent born 1786.	5 10 6	50 7 34		libro
19	thu <i>sultry</i>	5 12 6	48 8 0		
20	fri Sun slow clock 3m 9sec.	5 13 6	47 8 25		
21	sat William IV born 1765.	5 14 6	46 8 53		scor
22	C 11th sunday after Trinity.	5 15 6	45 9 24		
23	mo Sun enters Virgo. <i>Windy</i>	5 17 6	43 10 1		
24	tue St. Bartholomew.	5 18 6	42 10 44		sagi
25	ve Moon runs low. <i>perhaps</i>	5 20 6	40 11 34		
26	thu Prince Albert born 1819.	5 21 6	39 10 11		cap
27	fri Herschell died 1822. <i>rain.</i>	5 23 6	37 0 30		
28	sat Moon in apogee.	5 24 6	36 1 33		
29	C John Baptist beheaded.	5 25 6	35 2 36		aqua
30	mo Sun slow 27sec. <i>Brisk winds.</i>	5 27 6	33 3 30		
31	tue Saturn stationary.	5 28 6	32 4 42		

*Opodeldos.*—Take Hungary water half a pint, castile soap sliced, three ounces, and camphor one ounce; let them stand together in a bottle close stopped, till the soap and camphor are quite dissolved, when it is fit for use.

*Water proof Paste,* can be manufactured at an insignificant price, in the following manner: take linseed, tanner's, or sweet oil, or hog's lard, and mix with either of them, which ever is the most convenient, a little India Rubber cut up fine, and let them simmer over a slow fire until they are entirely incorporated, adding oil or lard until it is of a proper consistency.

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Last qr. 8j 9h 18m morn.—First qr. 22d 8h 37m morn.

New moon 15d 1h 7m morn.—Full moon 30d 11h 24m morn.

D	M	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology Weather, &c.	S		M	M
			rise	sets		
1	we	St. Gnes. <i>South wind</i>	5 30	6 30		pis
2	th	London burnt 1666.	5 31	6 29	7 14	
3	ri	Sun fast clock 48 sec. <i>perhaps</i>	5 32	6 28	7 34	rie
4	sa	Moon in apogee.	5 33	6 27	7 59	
5	su	<i>some showers</i>	5 35	6 25	8 28	taur
6	no	Lafayette born 1757.	5 36	6 24	9 3	
7	tue		5 37	6 23	9 48	gem
8	we	Coronation of King Wm. IV.	5 39	6 21	10 48	
9	thu	Sun and Mercury in sup conj	5 40	6 20	11 48	
10	fri	9] Battle on L. Erie 1813. <i>Cooler</i>	5 42	6 18	norn	canc
11	sat	Sun fast clock 3m 29sec.	5 43	6 17	1 4	
12	S	Fletcher born 1720.	5 44	6 16	2 22	leo
13	no	Battle of Quebec—Wolfe killed	5 46	6 14	3 40	
14	ue	[1759]	5 47	6 13	4 57	virg
15	ve	Sun and Herschell, opposition.	5 49	6 11	sets.	
16	hu	<i>Cool evenings</i>	5 50	6 10	6 23	libra
17	ri	Lambert. sun fast 5m. 35sec.	5 52	6 8	6 51	
18	sat	Battle of Stillwater 1777.	5 53	6 7	7 2	scor
19	C	Capitulation of Quebec, 1759.	5 54	6 6	7 58	
20	no	7 stars south 3h 49m.	5 56	6 4	8 39	sagi
21	tue	St. Matthew. <i>Look</i>	5 57	6 3	9 33	
22	we	Geo. III crowned 1761.	5 59	6 1	10 23	
23	hu	Sun enters Libra. <i>for an</i>	6 0	6 0	11 23	cap
24	fri	Jewish year 5599 begins.	6 2	5 58	norn	
25	sat	Moon in apogee. <i>equinoctial</i>	6 3	5 57	0 25	aqu
26	C	Sun fast clock 8m 42sec.	6 5	5 55	1 29	
27	no	Sat. & Ju. in conjunction.	6 6	5 54	2 31	
28	ue	Detroit taken by Brock. <i>storm.</i>	6 7	5 53	3 34	pis
29	ve	St. Michael.	6 8	5 52	4 36	
30	thu	Whitfield died 1770.	6 10	5 50	5 40	ario

**LOCKED JAW.**—A remedy has been discovered for this dreadful affection. It is the application of warm strong ley made from wood ashes. The part injured should be bathed in the ley frequently, and if it be in a part of the body that cannot be conveniently immersed, apply flannels wetted with the ley. It affords speedy relief, and a gradual cure. This is a very simple remedy, but it is worth remembering and trying. The simplest are often the most efficient agents. Many cures are said to have been wrought by this.

**The Hiccups, or Hiccough.**—Eat a hard crust of bread, or drink a hearty draught of cold water.

Last qr. 7d 4h 16m evening.—First qr. 22d 4h 7m morn.

New moon 14d 11h 32m morn.—Full moon 30d 1h 2m morn.

D	D	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology.	S	S	M	M
	A	Weather, &c.	se	er	rises	sets
1	fri	Sun fast clock 10m 21 sec.	6 12	5 48	6 20	
2	sat	Major Andre execu. 1780. <i>Ver</i>	6 13	5 47	6 52	tau
3	C	17th sunday after Trinity.	6 15	5 45	7 24	
4	no		6 16	5 44	8 3	
5	ue	Moon runs high. <i>pleas</i>	6 17	5 43	8 48	gem
6	we	Peace with U. States 1783. <i>bu</i>	6 18	5 42	9 41	
7	thu	2d battle of Stillwater 1777.	6 20	5 40	11 0	can
8	ri	Sun fast 12m. 26sec. <i>coo</i>	6 21	5 39	11 58	
9	sat	St. Denis.	6 23	5 37		leo
10	C	Moon in perigee. <i>mornings</i>	6 24	5 36	1 11	
11	no	Bahamas discovered 1492.	6 26	5 34	2 13	virg
12	tue		6 27	5 33	3 27	
13	we	Battle of Queenston 1812. <i>perhaps</i>	6 28	5 32	4 40	libra
14	h.	William Penn born 1644.	6 30	5 30		scor
15	ri		6 31	5 29	5 20	
16	sat	Sun fast 14m. 22sec. <i>frosty</i>	6 32	5 28	5 54	scor
17	C	Burgoyne surrendered 1777.	6 34	5 26	6 33	
18	no	St. Luke.	6 35	5 25	7 20	sagi
19	ue	Cornwallis surrendered 1781.	6 37	5 23	8 14	
20	we	America discovered 1492.	6 38	5 22	9 12	capr
21	thu		6 40	5 20	10 14	
22	fri	Moon in apogee.	6 41	5 19	11 17	aqu.
23	sat		6 42	5 18		
24	C	<i>Cool winds.</i>	6 43	5 17	0 18	
25	no	St. Crispin.	6 45	5 15	1 21	pisce
26	tue		6 47	5 13	2 22	
27	we	<i>Look for</i>	6 48	5 12	3 26	aries
28	thu	St. Simon and Jude. <i>rain</i>	6 50	5 10	4 31	
29	fri	Sir W. Raleigh beheaded 1618.	6 51	5 9	5 36	
30	a	Sun fast 16m 12sec.	6 52	5 8	6 45	aur
31		<i>Pleasant</i>	6 54	5 6		ses

*Hysterics.*—Get a little antimonial wine down the throat, as to cause vomiting; this puts an end to the fits. A purge should be taken, as soon as the emetic has operated, and the patient bathed in warm water.—The cold bath is the best preventive to this complaint.

**CURE FOR SORE THROATS.**—A handful of hops steeped in vinegar—let the patient take a common tuncel put it over the hops and vinegar as hot as can be borne and fumigate the throat; lay the hops warm, as a poultice, round the throat; this is a certain cure.

Last qr. 5 1 1h 19 n evening—First qr. 21d 1h 16 n morn  
New moon 13 1 0 35 n eve—Full moon 28 1 1h 43 n ev.

1	W	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology Weather, &c.	S		rise	do
			ue	sets		
1	no	All saints.	6 55	5 5	6 37	zen
2	ue	Moon runs high. <i>Mild</i>	6 57	5 3	7 47	
3	ve	Princess Sophia born 1777.	6 55	5 2	8 45	can
4	thu	King Wm. III. landed Ire. 1683.	6 53	5 1	9 53	
5	fri	Powder plot 1605.	7 1	4 59	11 12	leo
6	at	Mars stationary.	7 2	4 55		
7	C	22d saturday after Trinity. <i>Fair</i>	7 3	4 57	0 26	virg
8	no	Sun fast 16n 5sec.	7 4	4 55	1 38	
9	ue		7 5	4 55	2 49	libr
10	ve	Milton died 1674. <i>weather</i>	7 6	4 54	4 4	
11	thu	St. Martin.	7 7	4 53	5 12	scor
12	fri		7 8	4 52	6 34	
13	sat	Charles Carrol died 1832.	7 9	4 51	scor.	
14	;	Moon runs low. <i>perhaps</i>	7 10	4 50	5 10	sagi
15	no	Inferior conj. sun and mercury.	7 11	4 49	6 3	
16	ue	Sun fast 15m 1sec.	7 12	4 48	7 0	cap
17	ve	Lord Erskine died 1820. <i>rain</i>	7 13	4 47	8 1	
18	hu	Moon in her ascending node.	7 14	4 46	9 4	
19	ri	" in apogee.	7 15	4 45	10 7	aqu
20	sat		7 16	4 44	11 7	
21	C	<i>Cold and</i>	7 17	4 43	moon	pisce
22	no	St. Cecilia <i>frost.</i>	7 18	4 42	0 9	
23	ue	St. Clement.	7 19	4 41	1 11	
24	ve	Peace signed at Ghent 1814.	7 20	4 40	2 13	virg
25	thu	St. Catherine.	7 21	4 39	3 19	
26	fri	Sun fast 12 n 27 sec. <i>Look</i>	7 22	4 38	4 26	taur
27	sa	Beards first shaved in Eng. 1357.	7 23	4 37	5 37	
28	;	Advent Sunday. <i>for a storm</i>	7 24	4 36	6 48	gen
29	no	Moon runs high.	7 25	4 35		
30	ue	St. Andrew	7 26	4 34	6 30	

A SORE MOUTH.—Mix together honey and white brea equal parts and with a linen rag tied on the end of a skewer rub the mouth well three or four times a day.

*Cure for sick Headache*—Take half a spoonful of finely powdered charcoal in half a tumbler of water, and the cure, if the complaint arise from acidity of the stomach, which is usually the case, will be effected in a few minutes.

A good quantity of old cheese is the best thing to eat when distressed by eating too much fruit, or oppressed with any kind of food. Physicians have given it in cases of extreme cancer.

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DECEMBER.

[31 days.

Last qr. 5d 7h 21m morn.—First qr. 20d 9h 54m evening.  
 New moon 12d 4h 41m eve.—Full moon 28d 1h 40m morn.

	Aspects, Holy Days, Chronology Weather, &c.	S		M	
		ise	sets	ises	dae
1	Moon in apogee.	7 26	4 34	7 45	
2	Naparte made Emperor 1804	7 27	4 33	9 0	eo
3	Revolution in England 1688.	7 27	4 33	10 17	
4	Outbreak in U. C. 1837. <i>Clea.</i>	7 28	4 32	11 29	
5	2d Sunday in Advent. <i>and cold</i>	7 29	4 31	morn	virg
6	<i>[eys.</i>	7 29	4 31	0 41	
7	Dispersion of Rebels at Montgom.	7 29	4 31	1 57	libra
8	Von Schoultz executed 1833.	7 30	4 30	2 2	
9	Milton born, 1603.	7 30	4 30	4 13	scor
10	<i>Frosty.</i>	7 31	4 29	5 21	
11	Landing at Plymouth 1620.	7 31	4 29	6 29	sagi
12	Moon runs low.	7 31	4 29	sets.	
13	Sun fast 5m 30sec. <i>Windy.</i>	7 32	4 28	4 48	
14	Washington died 1799.	7 32	4 28	5 49	capr
15		7 32	4 28	6 52	
16	Great Fire in New York 1832.	7 32	4 28	7 55	aquar
17	Moon in apogee.	7 33	4 27	8 57	
18	<i>Cloudy and cold</i>	7 33	4 27	9 58	
19	4th Sunday in Advent.	7 33	4 27	10 59	pisce
20	Landing at Plymouth 1620.	7 33	4 27	11 59	
21	John Newton died 1807.	7 33	4 27	0	aries
22	Sun fast 1m 3sec. <i>Expect a</i>	7 33	4 27	1 2	
23	Jupiter and Sun in conjunc.	7 33	4 27	2 6	
24	<i>little snow</i>	7 33	4 27	3 14	aur
25	Christmas.	7 33	4 27	4 24	
26	St. Stephen.	7 33	4 27	5 34	gem
27	St. John Evangelist.	7 33	4 27	6 42	
28	Innocent's Day.	7 34	4 28	sets.	canc
29	Sun slow 2m 25sec. <i>Mori</i>	7 34	4 28	6 40	
30	Black Rock burnt 1813.	7 31	4 29	7 58	eo
31	<i>snow.</i>	7 31	4 29	9 16	

**NANKIN COLOUR.**—A pailful of ley, with a piece of copper as big as a hen's egg boiled in it, will produce a fine nankin colour, which will not wash out.

**TO DRIVE BUGS FROM VINES.**—The ravages of the yellow striped bug on cucumber vines and melons may be effectually prevented by sifting charcoal dust over the plants. If repeated two or three times, the plants will be entirely free from annoyance. There is in charcoal some properties so obnoxious to these troublesome insects, that they fly from it the instant it is applied.



## DISTRICT OFFICERS.

<i>Districts.</i>	<i>District Towns</i>	<i>Sheriffs.</i>	<i>Clerk Peace.</i>	<i>Treasurers.</i>	<i>Judge District Court.</i>	<i>Clerk District Court</i>
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### BOARD OF POLICE OF BROCKVILLE.

Till the first Monday in April, 1841, George Sherwood, President, Benjamin Chaffey, Billa Coleman, George Malloch, and John Reid; Richard F. Steele, Clerk; T. D. Campbell, Treasurer; David Fairbairn, Road Surveyor. Market, every day till 2 o'clock, except Sundays, Christmas, and Good Friday.

Agent for Crown Lands and Clergy Reserves, District of Johnstown, Dr. J. W. Scott, of Prescott.

## COURTS OF LAW AND EQUITY.

The COURT OF CHANCERY was established in this Province by act of Parliament, passed in March 1837, and has jurisdiction in cases of fraud; in matters relating to Trust; and to Executors and Administrators; and to Mortgages; in Dower; in all matters relating to Infants, Idiots, and Lunatics and their Estates, except where otherwise special provision hath been made by law: in all matters relating to awards; to compel the specific performance of Agreements; in Discovery; to prevent suits at law against conscience; to decree letters patent and repeal those erroneously issued; in waste; accident; account and co-partnership.

The Lieutenant Governor is Chancellor; Vice Chancellor, Robert S. Jameson; Registrar, William Hepburn. There are besides two Masters, an Accountant and a Sergeant-at-Arms. The enormous costs charged in this court, led to the passing of an Act, in 1840, authorising the appointment of Commissioners to regulate its practice and costs.

### COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Chief Justice, the Hon. John B. Robinson; Puisne Judges, Hon. James B. Macaulay, Hon. Jonas Jones, Hon. Archibald McLean, and the Hon. C. A. Hagerman. Attorney General, Wm. H. Draper; Solicitor General, Robert Baldwin. This Court has a Reporter, whose duties are now regulated under the direction of an act of the Legislature passed in February, 1840.

The Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Gaol Delivery, and Nisi Prius, is held in the several Districts throughout the Province twice in the year; being at some convenient time in the spring and fall.

The Judges of the Queen's Bench, are allowed besides their salary by act of Parliament, £25 for travelling expenses, for every time they open a Court in any District, except the Home District.

A Court of General Quarter Sessions, under the superintendence of the Magistrates, who appoint a Chairman, and a District Court, in which a Judge appointed by the Executive presides, are held in every District throughout the Province, four times a year. There is a Court of Requests for the recovery of small debts, under £10.—Also a Probate and Surrogate Courts, having jurisdiction in matters relating to Wills &c.

*Terms of the Court of Queen's Bench for 1841.*—There are four in the year, and at these times the Judges sit at Toronto and listen to the arguments of the Barristers, and decide Law questions, etc.—

EASTER TERM, commences on the first Monday in February and ends on the Saturday of the following week.

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**TRINITY**, on the second Monday in June, and ends on the Saturday of the following week.

**MICHAELMAS**, on the first Monday in August, and ends on the Saturday of the following week.

**HILARY**, on the first Monday in November, and ends on the Saturday of the following week.

*Time of holding the Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace.*

**JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT**.—On the 3d Tuesday in February and May, and on the 2d Tuesday in August and November.

**BATHURST DISTRICT**.—On the 3d Tuesday in March, September, and December, and on the 2d Tuesday in June.

**MIDLAND DISTRICT**.—On the 4th Tuesday in January, and April, and on the 2d Tuesday in July and October.

**EASTERN DISTRICT**.—On the 4th Tuesday in January and April, and on the 2d Tuesday in July and October.

**DISTRICT COURTS.**

These are held in every District at the time and place of holding the Quarter Sessions.—

The *Term Court*, in which Law points and other matters of practice are settled, always precedes the time of holding the Quarter Sessions, and the District Courts as follows:—that is, the terms of the District Court, severally commence on the Monday in the week next but one preceding the week, and at the place, in which the Sessions are holden, and end on the Saturday in the same week.

The District Court has jurisdiction in all matters of contract from forty shillings to £15; and when the amount is liquidated or ascertained, either by the act of the parties or the nature of the transaction, to forty pounds. For instance, a promissory note under £40 can be sued in this Court, and an open but unsettled account of £15, or under, but not over that amount. Also it has jurisdiction in all matters of tort respecting personal chattles, when the damages to be recovered do not exceed £15, and the title to lands is not brought into question. The ordinary costs of a suit range from £5 to £10—in the Queen's Bench from £10 to £30.

*Standard weight of different kinds of Grain and Pulse, in Upper Canada.*

This is regulated as follows, by act of Parliament, passed in April, 1835.

Wheat . . . 60 lbs.	} such shall be allowed to be equal to the Winchester bushel.	Oats . . . . . 34 lbs.
Indian Corn 56 "		Beans . . . . . 50 "
Rye . . . . . 56 "		Timothy . . 60 "
Pease . . . . . 60 "		and
Barley . . . . 48 "		Clover seed 60 "

### STATUTE LABOUR, OR HIGHWAY RATES.

Every male inhabitant, from 21 years of age to 50, not rated on the Assessment Roll, is liable to work on the highways two days. And by 59 Geo. III. chap. 8, section 2d, every person inserted on the Assessment Roll, is, in proportion to the estimate of his real and personal property, stated on the said Roll, held liable to work on the highways and roads, in each year as follows:—If his property be not rated at more than £25, two days; from that to £50, three days; from that to £75 four days; from that to £100, five days; and

For every £50 above	£100	up to	£500,	one day;
“	£100	“	500,	“ 1000,
“	£200	“	1000,	“ 2000,
“	£300	“	2000,	“ 3500,
“	£500	“	3500,	one day.

Every person possessed of a waggon, cart or team of horses, oxen or beasts of burthen or draft, used to draw the same, is liable to work three days.

Indigent persons, oppressed by sickness, age, or having a large family, can be exempted at the discretion of the Town Wardens.

Any persons liable can commute at 2s. 6d. per day, if they think proper.

### THE GENERAL ASSESSMENT.

By the 53th Geo. III, chapter 7, section 2d, the following is deemed rateable property at the given valuation:—

Every Town Lot in York, Kingston, Niagara, and Queens-  
ton, £50; every town Lot in Cornwall, Sandwich, Johnstown  
and Belleville, £25; every town Lot on which a dwelling is  
erected in Bockville, £30; do. in Bath, £20; every acre  
of arable, pasture or meadow land 20s. every acre of unculti-  
vated land 4s; every house built with timber squared or hewed  
on two sides, of one story in height, and not two stories, with  
not more than two fireplaces, £20; for every additional fire-  
place, £4; every dwelling house built of squared or flatted  
timber on two sides, of two stories in height, with not more  
than two fireplaces, £30; and for every additional fire place,  
£8; every framed house under two stories in height, with not  
more than two fireplaces, £35; and for every additional fire-  
place £5; every brick or stone house, of one story in height,  
and not more than two fireplaces, £40; and for every addi-  
tional fireplace, £10; every framed, brick, or stone house of  
two stories in height, and not more than two fire places, £60,  
every additional fire place, £10; every grist mill, wrought by  
water, with one pair of stones, £140; every additional pair,  
£50; every saw mill, £100; every merchant's shop, £200;  
every store house, owned or occupied for the receiving and

forwarding goods, wares or merchandize, for hire or gain, £200; every stud horse kept for hire or gain, £99; every horse of the age of three years and upwards, £8; oxen, of the age of four years and upwards, per head, £4; milch cows, per head £3; horned cattle from the age of two years to four years, per head 20s; every close carriage with four wheels, kept for pleasure £100; every phaeton or other open carriage with four wheels kept for pleasure only, £25; every curricule, gig, or other carriage with two wheels, kept for pleasure only, £20; every waggon kept for pleasure, £15; every stove in a room where there is no fireplace, to be considered a fireplace.

All lands are rateable held in fee simple, or promise of fee simple by land board certificate, order of council, or certificate of any governor of Canada, or by lease. The sum levied in no case to exceed one penny on the pound, for any one year except the wages of members of the Assembly which are to be levied in Addition.

The Queen, should she be possessed of, or in the actual occupation of any property in the Province, is excepted from the payment of taxes.

#### MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE DISTRICT OF JOHNSTOWN, INCORPORATED 1836.

DIRECTORS.—Geo. Malloch, Esq. *President*, Wm. Buell, Wm. Matthie, Geo. Sanderson, T. D. Campbell, Samuel Reynolds, and Geo. Sherwood, Esqrs.

WM. B. RICHARDS, Esq. *Secretary and Treasurer*.

AGENTS.—Ephraim Webster, Gananoque, Geo. C. Mittleberger, Smith's Falls, Marcus Burritt, Prescott, Wm. H. Bottom, Kemptville, Esquires.

MEETING OF DIRECTORS.—Regular Meeting days the first Monday in every month—but a meeting may be called at any time, by order of two Directors.

### TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Township Meetings to be held annually on the first Monday in January, by notice of the Township Clerk, after receiving a warrant from any two Justices of the Peace acting for the division in which the townships are situated, at such place as they may appoint. All Freeholders and Householders over 21 years of age are entitled to vote. The Officers to be chosen are: one Township Clerk, one Assessor, one Collector, a sufficient number of persons to serve as Pound-Keepers and Overseers of Highways, three Town Wardens, and by stat. 4, Wm. IV. ch. 12, from three to eighteen Fence Viewers. No Magistrate is liable to serve; nor other person, oftener than once in three years, without his consent. Persons elected are liable to a penalty, if they do not within 20 days after their appointment subscribe to a declaration, to be prepared by the Town-

ship Clerk. Town Meetings regulate matters relating to cattle running at large, fines for breach of rules, height and description of fences, dangerous pits, obnoxious weeds, &c. Magistrates to hold a special sessions on or before the 3d Saturday in April in each year, at which road deviations &c. are to be arranged. All statute labor is to be performed between 10th May and 24th July each year. For the duties of Township Officers generally, see chap. 21, 1 Victoria 1837—8.

#### CIVIL OFFICERS OF UPPER CANADA.

His Excellency, the Right Honorable Baron Sydenham  
Sydenham, in the county of Kent, and Toronto in Canada,  
Member of Her Majesty's Privy Council, Governor General  
and over the British Possessions in North America, &c. &c.  
Chief Secretary, T. C. W. Murdock.  
His Excellency, Major General Sir George Arthur, K. C.  
&c. &c. Lieutenant Governor, [before the proclamation of  
the Union.]

Private Secretary, S. B. Harrison,  
Provincial Secretary and Registrar, R. A. Tucker,  
Receiver General, J. H. Dunn,  
Inspector General, John McAulay,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Clergy Reserves,  
R. B. Sullivan,  
Surveyor General, Kenneth Cameron,  
Attorney General, W. H. Draper,  
Solicitor General, Robert Baldwin,  
Clerk of the Crown & Pleas, Charles C. Small,  
Secretary Clergy Corporation, Thomas Baines,  
Queen's Printer, Robert Stanton.

#### UNITED PROVINCES.

Counties, Ridings, Cities, and Towns in both Provinces,  
that are entitled to send Representatives into the United  
Assembly, and the number of Representatives:—

##### UPPER CANADA.

The following counties, ridings, and towns are entitled to  
one member each: Counties,

Glengarry, Stormont, Dundas, Prescott, Russell, Carlton,  
Lanark, Grenville, Leeds, Frontenac, Lenox & Addington,  
Hastings, Prince Edward, Durham, Simcoe, Wentworth, Hal-  
dimand, Middlesex, Oxford, Norfolk, Kent, Essex, and Huron.

Lincoln—two Ridings, Halton—two Ridings, York—four  
Ridings, Northumberland—two Ridings.

Towns of Kingston, Brockville, Hamilton, Cornwall, Niaga-  
ra, London, Bytown.

City of Toronto, two members:—42 members.

##### LOWER CANADA.

The following are entitled to one member each:—Counties,

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Towns, Three Rivers, and Sherbrooke.

Cities of Quebec and Montreal, two each :—42 members.

#### DISTRICT OF JOHNSTOWN.

Inspector of Licences, John Weatherhead, Yonge Mills.

Deputy Clerk of the Crown, T. D. Campbell, Brockville.

Judge of Surrogate Court, Ormond Jones, Brockville.

Registrar of do. James Jessup, Brockville.

Registrars, { For Leeds, David Jones, Brockville,  
                  } For Grenville, John Patton, Prescott.

Coroners, James L. Schofield of Brockville; Alex. Grant of Brockville; Robert Edmondson, now at Cornwall; W. A. Schofield of Beverly; Colin McDonell of Gananoque; James Maitland of Kilmarnock; William Mirrick of Merrickville; Milo McCargar of South Gower; W. J. Scott of Prescott; Solomon Henderson of Augusta, Benjamin Tett of Newborough; John Weatherhead of Yonge; Wm. P. Loucks, of Smith's Falls.

**VERY GENTEEL.**—A lady of fashion not long since, stepped into a shop, and asked the keeper if he had any *Matrimonial* baskets, she being too polite to say "cradles."

**JOB PRINTING.**—"Job printing!" exclaimed an old lady looking over her specs at the advertising page of a Newspaper; "poor Job, they have kept him printing, week after week, ever since I learned to read, and if he was not the most patient man that ever was, he would never have stood it so long."

It was a judicious resolution of a father, as well as a most pleasing compliment to his wife, when, on being asked by a friend what he intended to do with his girls, he replied, "I intend to apprentice them to their mother, that they may learn the art of improving time, and be fitted to become like her—wives, mothers, heads of families, and useful members of society." Equally just, but bitterly painful was the remark of the unhappy husband of a vain, thoughtless, dressy slattern. "It is hard to say it, but if my girls are to have a chance of growing up good for any thing, they must be sent out of the way of their mother's example."

# WILLIAM BUELL,

PRINTER, BOOKSELLER, AND STATIONER.

IS at all times prepared to execute orders in the Printing Line, with neatness and despatch, at his Office, Main street, Brockville. He keeps on hand for sale, all kinds of **LAW BLANKS** in general use, printed on good paper, and well executed.

Also—Most kinds of *School Books*, used in this part of the Province; Together with *Bibles, Testaments, Sunday School and Toy Books*. Likewise a general assortment of *Scientific and Miscellaneous Books*.

Paper of many kinds and qualities, suited to the wants of the country, including some of a superior description; various articles of Stationery; Pen Knives, and Toys, **LOW FOR CASH.**

## MAVOR'S SPELLING BOOKS AND ENGLISH READERS,

Being printed by him from stereotype plates, are at all times kept on hand in quantities, and at prices sufficiently low to make it an object for dealers to give him a preference in their purchases.

He has also been at considerable expense in getting up an

## ALMANAC FOR 1841,

which, in its matter, will be found more suitable to this part of the country than any other that can be obtained. He therefore confidently solicits the patronage of those who want a good Almanac. Dealers supplied on liberal terms, prices being lower than the article can be laid down for here, from any other quarter. This work will be continued for subsequent years.

## BINDING.

Attached to his Establishment is a Bindery in which an Experienced workman is employed. New Books, periodicals and old books requiring new binding or repair, are executed with as little delay as possible.

**BLANK BOOKS**, of various kinds manufactured and kept on hand for sale.

## THE BROCKVILLE RECORDER.

One of the oldest and best established papers in the Province, is printed as above, and issued every Thursday afternoon, at the low price of 17s 6d per annum, including postage, or 15s delivered at the Office. Having an extensive circulation in the interior, it is a sure and advantageous medium for advertising.

Brockville, September 15, 1840.



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