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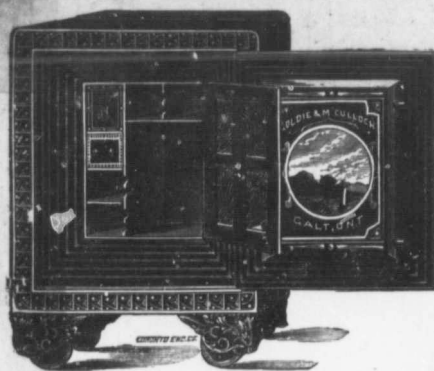
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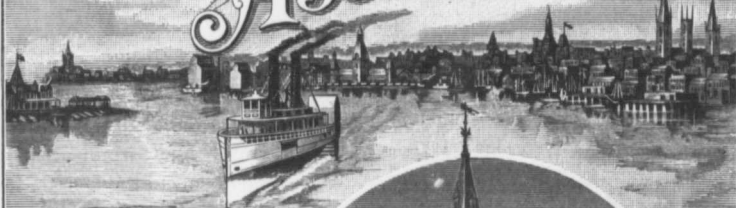
IN introducing the first appearance of our **Annual** for **1887**, we desire the kind and careful attention of our readers and patrons to the fact that this, although our first venture in Almanac making, is one of the most desirable publications of the kind ever issued from the Canadian Press—a work executed in a high style of art, containing forty-eight large pages beautifully illustrated, and replete with **Wit** and **Humor**, **Light** and **Joyous Literature**, and **much valuable information** of an **original character**—so seldom found in publications of this kind, and when the marvelously low price of the work is considered, it will be readily seen that it is a phenomenon in **Literary Art**, which we trust will be duly appreciated by our friends. Excellent as the number is, it is but a foretaste of what we propose to present in the future, and we trust that the results of another year, if all is well, will bear us out in the promise of the finest series of publications of this kind ever attempted in the Dominion. In regard to the advertisements of our patrons, we can only add that they are all reliable and worthy of the confidence of the public, as we admit none but trustworthy and proper advertisements in our publication. The fact that we issue for our first appearance no less than 25,000 copies, makes it a valuable medium for advertisers, and we trust a benefit to the reader as well. Hoping that our efforts to please our friends may not be in vain, and wishing each and all a prosperous and **Happy New Year**,

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JANUARY.



The New Year is an infant, tender, young and small,
And just as like as anyhow, 'twill raise a lively squall.



DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	☉'s pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec		Ont.	Moon sets.	Weather Probabilities.	MOON'S PHASES.				
			Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.				d. h. m.	☾ First Qr.	☽ F. Moon.	☾ Last Qr.	☾ N. Moon.
1 Sat	☾	7 51	4 48	7 33	4 08	11 08				d. h. m.	2 7 20 a.m.	9 5 32 p.m.	16 10 22 a.m.	23 10 1 p.m.
1) 1st Sunday after Christmas.														
2 Su	☾	7 51	4 49	7 33	4 09	A.M.		Look	'T WAS EVER THUS.					
3 Mo	☾	7 51	4 50	7 32	4 10	1 06		for	When the stars shine bright in the deep azure sky, and the night bird warbles unto its mate, then the Thomas cat sings on the woodshed high, and the hired girl swings on the kitchen gate. And while countless ag's roll this will be thusly—They all du-ett.					
4 Tu	☽	7 51	4 51	7 32	4 11	2 06		we'th'r	Tea meetings are all the rage this winter, each old Bobsa goes with his girl to Peekin, and there they sit and tee-bee all the evening, with Himalayan her head on his shoulder.					
5 We	☽	7 51	4 52	7 32	4 12	3 09		cold	LOVE'S MELODRAMA.					
6 Th	☽	7 50	4 53	7 31	4 13	4 11		and	Act one—They meet, as in a pleasing dream;					
7 Fri	☽	7 50	4 54	7 31	4 14	5 16		rough,	Act two—He'll treat to soda and ice cream;					
8 Sat	☽	7 50	4 55	7 30	4 15	6 17		if	Act three—His cash, alas, is nearly played;					
2) 1st Sunday after Epiphany.														
9 Su	☽	7 50	4 56	7 30	4 16	Rises.		there's	Act four—His girl grows cold, sedate and staid.					
10 Mo	☽	7 50	4 57	7 29	4 18	6 14		and	Act five—Just as his love is ripe and mellow,					
11 Tu	☽	7 49	4 58	7 29	4 19	7 25		rough,	His girl is sporting with another fellow.					
12 We	☽	7 49	4 59	7 28	4 20	8 38		there's	However a young couple may play their cards before marriage, they generally play at cribbage afterwards.					
13 Th	☽	7 49	5 00	7 27	4 21	9 52		and	A single ache is bad enough, but the 2th ache is worse. It required great pains to produce this, and yet it don't suit us. It's too thin.					
14 Fri	☽	7 49	5 02	7 27	4 22	11 04		if						
15 Sat	☽	7 49	5 03	7 27	4 24	A.M.		there's						
3) 2nd Sunday after Epiphany.														
16 Su	☽	7 48	5 04	7 26	4 26	0 14		frost,						
17 Mo	☽	7 48	5 05	7 26	4 27	1 24		and						
18 Tu	☽	7 47	5 06	7 25	4 29	2 30		in						
19 We	☽	7 47	5 07	7 25	4 30	3 35		quau-						
20 Th	☽	7 47	5 08	7 24	4 32	4 37		tum						
21 Fri	☽	7 46	5 10	7 23	4 34	5 34		stuf.						
22 Sat	☽	7 45	5 11	7 22	4 35	6 26								
4) 3rd Sunday after Epiphany.														
23 Su	☽	7 44	5 13	7 21	4 37	Sets.								
24 Mo	☽	7 43	5 14	7 20	4 38	6 05								
25 Tu	☽	7 42	5 16	7 19	4 40	7 02								
26 We	☽	7 41	5 17	7 18	4 41	8 02								
27 Th	☽	7 40	5 18	7 17	4 42	9 00								
28 Fri	☽	7 39	5 19	7 16	4 43	9 57								
29 Sat	☽	7 38	5 21	7 15	4 44	10 57								
5) 4th Sunday after Epiphany.														
30 Su	☽	7 37	5 22	7 14	4 46	11 54								
31 Mo	☽	7 36	5 24	7 13	4 47	A.M.								



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THE CHRISTMAS TURKEY.

At midnight, on the barnyard fence,
 The Turk sat dreaming of the hour;
 When grease and stuffing should be blent,
 With him whom guests would soon devour.
 "I've gobbled oft at them," he cried,
 "When strutting in my glee,
 And now, alas! at Christmas tide
 I know they'll gobble me."

It is a foul proceeding, but
 The butler will proceed
 To murder most foul, as Hamlet says,
 He'll do the bloody deed.
 There's n o hereafter for us Turks,
 No next world full of bliss;
 They stuff us by the merry thought,
 Our necks twirled in is this.



Too Green to Burn.

Some "drummers" were sitting about the Queen's Hotel the other night swapping chestnuts, when one of them got off the following: "A Montreal drummer sold his last bill of goods, died, and went to the infernal regions. There he was shown about the place by Lucifer himself. He was shown the pits of molten lead for Toronto drummers, and the sulphur caves designed for the torture of London drummers, and the lakes of fire awaiting his own clan. Then he was taken to a room of great heat, where a number of drummers were suspended by the neck. 'This,' said Lucifer, 'is the drying-room.' 'The drying-room?' asked the drummer. 'Yes,' responded the other: These are Hamilton drummers. They are too green to burn at first, so we hang them up to dry."

Useful Recipes.

TAFFY.—Two cups brown sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of butter, 4 tablespoonfuls of molasses, 2 tablespoonfuls of water, 2 tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Boil fifteen minutes.

EYE SALVE.—Powdered Opium, 12 grains, Red Precipitate, 12 grains, Simple Cerate, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce. Mix and apply twice daily; good for inflamed and sore eyes, styes, etc.

HAIR RESTORATIVE.—Glycerine, 4 ounces, Bay Rum, 4 ounces, Rose Water, 1 pint, Aqua Ammonias 1 ounce, Tinct. Cantharides, 1 ounce. The above makes an excellent dressing for the hair, strengthening its growth and prevents it falling out.

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MEDICAL ADVICE.—Patient: "My throat is slightly inflamed, doctor." Doctor: "Yes." P.: "I will, therefore, stay in doors for a week or so." D.: "Yes." P.: "I will gargle several times a day with chloride." D.: "Yes." P.: "And be careful in my diet" (moves to the door). D.: "Yes, and my fee?" P.: "Booked to my credit for my own professional advice."

When you pass a stone wall, why do you always want to look over it? Because you cannot look through it.

Never too Late to Mend.

There is good and bad in the wayside inns,
On the highways of our lives,
And man can never be free from sins,
No matter how hard he strives;
Yet even when down destruction's grade
Our thorny pathway tend,
In spite of a thousand errors made,
"It is never too late to mend."

There are crosses heavy for me to bear,
And passions to conquer, too;
There are joys and woes that each must share
Before the journey is through,
But men may be poor for honor's sake,
And truth and right defend,
And hope will never this promise break,
"It is never too late to mend."

'Tis never too late for a noble deed,
For, blessed by the angel's tears,
It plants in the breast of man a seed
That will grow in after years;
And words of kindness, of hope and cheer,
Will always comfort lend;
We must live for love, and banish fear—
"It is never too late to mend."

"It is never too late to mend," my lad
No matter what people say,
And no man's nature is wholly bad,
Even if old and gray;
And in our journey toward the grave,
Until we reach the end,
There is time to change and time to save—
"It is never too late to mend."

Why should ladies not learn French? Because one tongue is enough for any woman.

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The child, a trifle older, is harder to control;
It b'ows, it snows quite often. This month consumes the coal.

DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	☉'s pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec		Ont.	Moon sets.	Weather Probabilities.
			Sun rises. h. m.	Sun sets. h. m.	Sun rises. h. m.	Sun sets. h. m.			
1 Tu	α	α	7 34	5 26	7 11	4 49	0 52	<i>The Sleigh-</i>	
2 We	β	β	7 32	5 27	7 09	4 50	1 55		
3 Th	γ	γ	7 30	5 28	7 08	4 52	2 57		
4 Fri	δ	δ	7 28	5 29	7 06	4 54	3 58		
5 Sat	ε	ε	7 26	5 31	7 05	4 55	4 58		
6) Septuagesima Sunday.									<i>ing</i>
7 Su	ζ	ζ	7 24	5 33	7 03	4 56	5 54	<i>will</i>	
8 Tu	η	η	7 23	5 34	7 02	4 58	6 45		
9 We	θ	θ	7 22	5 36	7 01	5 00	7 29		
10 Th	ι	ι	7 22	5 38	7 00	5 01	8 44		
11 Fri	κ	κ	7 21	5 40	6 59	5 03	8 44	<i>now</i>	
12 Sat	λ	λ	7 20	5 41	6 58	5 04	9 58		
13 Su	μ	μ	7 19	5 42	6 56	5 05	11 09	<i>be very</i>	
14 Mo	ν	ν	7 18	5 43	6 55	5 07	A.M.		
15 Tu	ξ	ξ	7 17	5 44	6 53	5 09	0 20	<i>fine,</i>	
16 We	ο	ο	7 16	5 45	6 51	5 10	1 27		
17 Th	π	π	7 14	5 46	6 49	5 12	2 32	<i>if</i>	
18 Fri	ρ	ρ	7 12	5 48	6 48	5 14	3 29		
19 Sat	σ	σ	7 11	5 49	6 47	5 15	4 22	<i>enough</i>	
20 Su	τ	τ	7 09	5 50	6 45	5 17	5 09		
21 Mo	υ	υ	7 07	5 51	6 43	5 18	5 51	<i>now</i>	
22 Tu	φ	φ	7 05	5 53	6 41	5 20	6 28		
23 We	χ	χ	7 04	5 55	6 40	5 22	Sets	<i>and</i>	
24 Th	ψ	ψ	7 03	5 56	6 39	5 23	6 51		
25 Fri	ω	ω	7 02	5 57	6 37	5 25	7 50	<i>'he sun</i>	
26 Sat	Ω	Ω	7 00	5 58	6 35	5 26	8 48		
27 Su	ϕ	ϕ	6 59	5 00	6 33	5 27	9 46	<i>don't</i>	
28 Mo	ϗ	ϗ	6 57	5 01	6 31	5 28	10 45		
29 Tu	Ϙ	Ϙ	6 55	5 02	6 29	5 29	11 44	<i>shine.</i>	
30 We	ϙ	ϙ	6 54	5 03	6 28	5 30	12 43		

MOON'S PHASES.

	d.	h.	m.
☾ First Qr.	1	3	27 a.m.
☽ F. Moon.	8	5	14 a.m.
☾ Last Qr.	14	8	32 p.m.
☾ N. Moon.	22	4	40 p.m.

We play any man whose back yard is surrounded by a caterwall.

One of the most melancholy sights of the season is to observe the devotion of a young man who waits outside of a church door until his nose resembles a lump of indigo, and his teeth rattle with the cold, only to see his heart's idol walk out arm in arm with some mean skeesick, who has been toasting his sinful shins by her side, and looking over the same hymn books all the evening.

Fashionable young ladies and actresses must be very courteous, as they can bare arms and face powder without fear

A man may be considered a good and exemplary member of the church, but it's not the church service he respects when he finds his last year's overcoat, which he carefully hung away in the closet several months ago, is now hanging in the junk shop of a pedlar of plaster of Paris images.

If you purchase shell oysters, generally you will bite valves.

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Before and After.

"My dear," said Mrs. Popperham to her husband last evening, "I was looking over a bundle of old letters to-day, and found this one which you wrote to me before we were married, when you were young and sentimental."

"What does it say?"

"I'll read it."

"Sweet *Idol of my lonely heart*: If thou wilt place thy hand in mine, and say, dear love, I'll be thy bride, we'll fly to sunny Italy, and there 'neath soft cerulean skies, we'll bask and sing and dream of naught but love. Rich and costly paintings by the old masters shall adorn the walls of the castle I'll give. Thy bath shall be of milk. A box at the opera shall be at thy command, and royalty shall be thy daily visitor. Sweet strains of music shall lull thee at eventide, and warbling birds shall awake thee from thy morning slumbers. Dost thou consent? Say yes—oh fly with me."

"And I flew," said Mrs. Popperham, "but if I had been as fly as I am now I wouldn't have flown."

"Why, my dear?"

"Why not? Have you done as you promised in that letter? When we were married did we fly to Italy and bask 'neath soft cerulean skies,' didn't

we go to Hoboken and spend two weeks fishing for eels on the end of a wharf?"

"Well, yes."

"And how about the pictures? You know very well that every rich and costly painting in this house is a chromo from a tea store."

"Well?"

"Thy bath shall be of milk.' Do I bathe in milk, or isn't it like pulling teeth every morning to get ten cents out of you to buy milk for the baby?"

"Kinder."

"Royalty shall be thy daily visitor." The only daily visitors I have are the book agents and the clam peddlers."

"Taint my fault."

"Sweet strains of music shall lull thee to sleep at eventide.' Oh, yes. The only chance I have to listen to the sweet strains of music is when you and I go out walking at night and follow a monkey and a hand organ around the block."

"Oh, I am so sleepy."

"I dont care if you are. Where are the warbling birds you promised me? I hear Mrs. Maginnis's crowing roosters next door every morning. Perhaps they are what you meant."

"Well, never mind."

"But I will mind. I was to have a box at the opera. Where is it? The only time I go to an opera is when you get bill posters' tickets to a dime museum."

"It's too bad."

"It really is too bad. And then you said we'd talk and dream of nought but love. Since I married you we have talked and dreamt of naught but rent. Good night sir," and Mrs. Popperman turned out the gas and jumped into bed leaving Mr. Popperman to bark his shins against the bureau in trying to gorpe to bed in the dark.

BANK NOTES.—Few of the persons who handle Bank of England notes ever think of the amount of labour and ingenuity that is expended on their production. These notes are made from pure white linen cuttings only, never from rags that have been worn. They have been manufactured for nearly two hundred years at the same spot—Laverstoke, in Hampshire, and by the same family—the Portals, who are descended from some French Protestant refugees. So carefully is the paper prepared that even the number of dips into the pulp made by each workman is registered on a dial by machinery, and the sheets are carefully counted and booked to each person through whose hands they pass. The printing is done by a most curious process in Mr. Coe's department within the bank building. There is an elaborate arrangement for securing that no note shall be exactly like any other in existence. Consequently, there never was a duplicate of a Bank of England note except by forgery. It has been stated that the stock of paid notes for seven years is about 94,000,000 in number, and they fill 18,000 boxes, which, if placed side by side, would reach three miles. The notes, placed in a pile, would be eight miles high; or, if joined end to end, would form a ribbon 15,000 miles long; their superficial extent is more than Hyde Park; their original value was over \$3,000,000,000, and their weight over 112 tons.

PATIENT (to doctor): "I have a touch of ague."
Physician: "Yes, sir." **Patient**: "I shall keep within doors for a week." **Physician**: "Yes, sir."
Patient: "Shall diet myself carefully." **Physician**: "Yes, sir."
Patient: "I shall take ten grains of quinine twice a day." **Physician**: "Yes, sir."
Patient: "How much is your bill?" **Physician**: "Half-a-guinea."

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How Could he Leave her.

We shall never forget that evening we spent at Magruder's years ago. We admired Miss Magruder, and we went around to see her. It was summer-time, and moon-light, and she sat upon the piazza. The carpenters had been there that day glueing up the rustic chairs on the porch, so we took our seat on the top step in front of Miss Magruder, where we could gaze into her eyes and drink in her smiles. It seemed probable that the carpenter must have upset the glue pot on the spot where we sat, for, after enjoying Miss Magruder's remarks for a couple of hours, and drinking in several of her smiles, we tried to rise for the purpose of going home, but found that we were immovably fixed to the step. Then Miss Magruder said, "Don't be in a hurry;" and we told her we believed we wouldn't. The conversation had a sadder tone after that, and we sat there, thinking whether it would be better to ask Miss Magruder to withdraw while we disrobed and went home in Highland costume, or whether we should give one terrific wrench and then ramble down the yard backward. About midnight Miss Magruder yawned, and said she believed she would go to bed. Then we suddenly asked her if she thought her father would have any objection to lending us his front steps for a few days, because we wanted to take them home for a pattern. We think Miss Magruder must have entertained doubts of our sanity, for she rushed in, called her father, and screamed. Magruder came down with a double-barrelled gun. Then we explained the situation in a whisper, and he procured a saw and cut out the piece of step to which we were attached. Then we went home wearing the patch, and before two o'clock crushed out our young love for Miss Magruder. We never called again, and she threw herself away on a dry-goods-man. There is melancholy satisfaction in recalling these memories of youth, and reflecting upon the influence of glue upon the emotions of the human heart.



SCENE—Wayside Northern hotel; *dramatis persona*—a party of bicyclists, several of whom had put up at this hostelry for the night a few weeks previously; time—morning, when about to settle bills. Spokesman, for party: "Why, how's this? You have gone up 30 per cent. on the prices you gave us when we stopped here before!" Hotel proprietor: "Yes, I know it; I hadn't seen you feed them."

When is a man like frozen rain? When he is (hale.)

If a pig wanted to build a house, how would he set about it? Tie a knot in his tail, and call it a (pig)-stye.)

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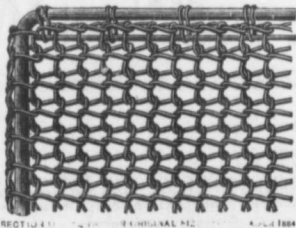
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THE UPSET.

Two merry children are out at play,
Coasting the hill on a winter's day;
The bloom of health is on each face,
And they laugh in glee at their headlong race.
What matter to them if the sleigh upsets?
They climb up again with no vain regrets.

We all are coasting the hill of life,
We meet on our way much toil and strife;
While smoothly we glide, there's joy in our cup,
But the trouble, alas! is to drag our sleigh up.
On the hill of life there are many upsets,
And the sleigh drags harder to him who frets.



What is vinegar without a mother? It is orphan very poor.

Why is a balky horse like the capitol of Turkey? He is Constant-in-no-pull.

Why is a man trying to kiss an Irish girl like a traveller ascending Mount Vesuvius? Because he is trying to get at the mouth of the (crater.)

What do cats have which no other animals have? Kittens.

Why is a man taking a nap like a man reading a paper? He is enjoying his s-nooze.

Why are most young ladies like throwing sizes at dice? Because they are hard to shake.

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What is the most uncertain age? The sausage.

When is a mother patching her little Willie's pants like a commercial transaction? When she gets her little Bill reseated.

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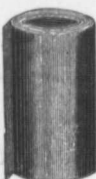
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APRIL.



Now the child is growing, and begins to go to school,
Smiles and tears are flowing—beware of April Fool.



DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	☉'s pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec		Ont.	Moon sets.	Weather Probabilities
			Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.			
1	Fri	♏	5 58	6 43	5 25	6 15	1 3	This month	
2	Sat	♏	5 56	6 45	5 23	6 16	2 0		
14) Palm Sunday.									
3	Su	♏	5 54	6 47	5 21	6 18	3 12	look	
4	Mo	♏	5 53	6 49	5 19	6 19	3 54		
5	Tu	♏	5 51	6 50	5 17	6 21	4 34	out	
6	We	♏	5 49	6 51	5 15	6 22	5 12		
7	Th	♏	5 47	6 52	5 13	6 24	5 48	for	
8	Fri	♏	5 46	6 53	5 11	6 25	Rises		
9	Sat	♏	5 44	6 54	5 09	6 26	8 50	show	
15) Easter Sunday.									
10	Su	♏	5 42	6 55	5 07	6 27	10 02	ery	
11	Mo	♏	5 40	6 56	5 05	6 29	11 09		
12	Tu	♏	5 38	6 57	5 03	6 30	A.M.	sky,	
13	We	♏	5 36	6 58	5 02	6 31	0 09		
14	Th	♏	5 34	6 59	5 00	6 32	1 04	unless	
15	Fri	♏	5 32	7 00	4 59	6 33	1 50		
16	Sat	♏	5 30	7 01	4 57	6 35	2 42	the	
16) Low Sunday.									
17	Su	♏	5 28	7 03	4 55	6 37	3 07	weath	
18	Mo	♏	5 26	7 04	4 53	6 39	3 38		
19	Tu	♏	5 24	7 05	4 51	6 40	4 07	should	
20	We	♏	5 22	7 07	4 49	6 42	4 33		
21	Th	♏	5 21	7 08	4 47	6 43	4 59	be	
22	Fri	♏	5 20	7 10	4 45	6 44	5 27		
23	Sat	♏	5 18	7 11	4 43	6 45	5 27	ary.	
17) Second Sunday after Easter.									
24	Su	♏	5 16	7 12	4 41	6 46	8 31	be	
25	Mo	♏	5 15	7 13	4 40	6 47	9 32		
26	Tu	♏	5 13	7 14	4 38	6 49	10 31	should	
27	We	♏	5 11	7 15	4 37	6 50	11 27		
28	Th	♏	5 10	7 16	4 35	6 52	A.M.	be	
29	Fri	♏	5 09	7 17	4 34	6 53	0 20		
30	Sat	♏	5 08	7 18	4 32	6 54	1 09	be	

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	d.	h.	m.
☾ First Qr.	1	8	53a.m.
☾ F. Moon.	8	0	39a.m.
☾ Last Qr.	14	11	4p.m.
☾ N. Moon.	23	3	53a.m.
☾ First Qr.	30	6	0p.m.

SUCH IS LIFE.

For the thorn upon roses we are too apt to mourn, Instead of rejoicing for the rose on the thorn.

"Truth will never die." It gets awfully sick with cramps, sometimes, though.

Of all dangerous weapons that ever were known, The most fearful of all is term'd the jaw bone;

The jaw bone of an ass slew Philistines of old, And men often get slewed when they marry a scold.

Fickle a woman with an ostrich feather, and she will sing like a nightingale, Cross her opinion and she will howl like a hurricane.

It takes a good mathematician to figure the nett proceeds of the average fisherman.

Some crusty, rusty, musty, dusty, gusty curmudgeon of an old bachelor gives the following toast: "Our fire engines—may they be like our old maids; ever ready, but never wanted." We rise to an amendment: "Our old maids and young maidens—may they, like our fire engines, ever keep their hose in proper condition for the appearance of sparks."

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Bellubed feller niggers jes gib ter me yer tention,
De sarmin dat I preach about deserves a tickler
mention;

You darkies wid dem jack-knives quit whittlin de
benches,
Don't fro sheep's eyes and peanut shucks at de nigger
wenches,

And if yo sturb de meetin and giggle, snore or holler,
Your preacher he will bounce you—you can bet yer
bottom dollar;

An while I pound de Scriptur wid Apostolic knocks;
Jes git your coppers ready fur de contrabution box,
I'll lucidate dis tex to you, deep from wisdom it is dug,
“ Whar de ole hen scratches—dar she specs ter find a
bug.”

When de wiley politition about de lection time
Am taffying de working man in languard most sub-
lime,

Wid a smile dats soff and bland an voice as smooove
as oil,

He calls him nature's nobleman, horny handed son
ob toil;—

Button holes him, shakes his hand, his babies he will
hug,

De ole hen dere am scratchin—an she specs ter find a
bug.

When de merchant leas his counter an his bright
York shillin smile,

Wid long sanctimonious face he marches down de
aisle;

He takes his seat in church, prays long wid Amen
shout—

Hollers galory hallelujeram, jes mind what he's about,
Annuder scoop ob sand to his sugar he will lug

When some ole maid ob forty summers, or sommers
dar about,
Stuffs cotton round her skeleton ter make herself look
stout,

Wid false hair and smile upon her brow,
And lots ob paint upon her face,
In a feller's fections she tries ter win a place;
She giggles and she simpers an a poodle dog she'll lug
“ An whar de ole hen scratches—dar she specs ter
find a bug.”

De lawyer an de doctor, de preacher and de judge,
Will put on airs as wise as owls, but dat am only fudge,
De book an surance agent an de man wid lightnin rod,
Will be tickler frens wid ebery one untill dey get der
job;

An up an down froughout de lan der gripsack dey
will tug,

“ An whar de ole hen scratches—dar she specs ter
find a bug.”

You lazy Mokes dat never work,
But only rob some chicken roost;
You'd better grab the whitewash brush
An gib yerselbs a boost—
You'd better quit your loafin,
Or you'll neber hab a dime
Saded up in your ole weazles
Fur de water million time.

De quire will now arise an sing
Please sing a leetle fasser,
An Deacon Jones you jess wake up
An pass around de sasser;
Your belubbed pasture now perspires,
Dat sarmin made him tug.
“ And whar de ole hen scratches—dar she specs ter
find a bug.”

Let Everybody Read This!

Drunkness expels reason, distempers the body,
diminishes strength, inflames the blood; causes in-
ternal, external, eternal incurable wounds, is a witch
to the senses, a demon to the soul, a thief to the purse,
a guide to beggary, lechery, and villiany. It is the
wife's woe, and the children's sorrow. Makes a man
wallow worse than a beast and act like a fool.

He is a self murderer, who drinks to another's good
health, and robs himself of his own.

Luck and Labor.

Luck is waiting for something to turn up.
Labor, with keen eyes and strong will, will turn up
something.

Luck lies in bed and wishes the postman would
come and bring him the news of a legacy.

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tence.

Luck whines.

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18) 3rd Sunday after Easter.									
1 Su	☉	5 07	7 19	4 31	6 55	1 52			
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3 Tu	☉	5 05	7 21	4 28	6 58	3 09			
4 We	☉	5 04	7 22	4 26	7 00	3 42			
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6 Fri	☉	5 01	7 25	4 22	7 04	4 51			
7 Sat	☉	5 00	7 26	4 20	7 05	Rises			
19) 4th Sunday after Easter.									
8 Su	☉	4 58	7 27	4 18	7 06	8 49			
9 Mo	☉	4 56	7 28	4 17	7 07	9 54			
10 Tu	☉	4 54	7 29	4 16	7 08	10 55			
11 We	☉	4 53	7 30	4 15	7 09	11 44			
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20 Fri	☉	4 44	7 40	4 06	7 19	3 55			
21 Sat	☉	4 44	7 41	4 04	7 21	4 25			
21) 1st Sunday after Ascension.									
22 Su	☉	4 43	7 42	4 03	7 22	5ets			
23 Mo	☉	4 42	7 43	4 02	7 23	8 24			
24 Tu	☉	4 41	7 44	4 01	7 24	9 22			
25 We	☉	4 40	7 45	4 00	7 25	10 21			
26 Th	☉	4 39	7 46	3 59	7 26	11 08			
27 Fri	☉	4 38	7 47	3 58	7 27	11 53			
28 Sat	☉	4 38	7 48	3 58	7 28	A.M.			
22) Pentecost, Whit Sunday.									
29 Su	☉	4 37	7 49	3 57	7 29	0 23			
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Mount Etna is heaving us again, and she hasn't Etna greater a-moment than usual, either. Poor crater!

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Little Responsibilities.

DID ANY OF THEM GET AWAY?

Misfortunes never come singly—and from a state of single blessedness our Benedict friend in the picture has suddenly been overwhelmed with double misery. "His amazement and surprise, you can discover by the expression of his eyes." A great episode has occurred, in fact two episodes, as it were—weighing about 14 lbs. jointly. The old nurse has just been giving them a weigh, and the *pater familias* feels as if he would like to give them away also. Many a time and oft he has walked the cold floor at midnight hour with about fourteen pounds of colic rolled up in divinity and flannel, which no amount of paregoric and catnip tea would subdue. The little olive branches clinging around him do not cling half so tightly as his poverty and his creditors. Some men are born to greatness, some achieve greatness, and others have greatness thrust upon them, but he is

crushed with littleness. Little wonder that he is a bald-headed care-worn looking man. Even though all his trials have been little ones.

He's a parent, 'tis apparent, oh, don't you wish him joy,
As he prances round on chilly nights
With fourteen pounds of boy?

It is not calculated to make a man feel very bouyant or boysterous. With long doctor's bills, and butcher's bills, and baker's bills, and milkman's bills staring him in the face, which he has not the ability to meet. The measles, the mumps, the whooping-cough and the croup, the colic, and the cholera infantum are the phantoms of his troubled brain—and yet with all these troubles he would not part with one of his little responsibilities, which oft give him a fit of the blues, no, not even for a ton of Indigo.

Which is cheaper, a bride or a bridegroom? The bride; she is always given away, the bridegroom is often sold.

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"I LIKE mild spring air," said Gilpin, as he sat down on McGill's gate the other morning for a friendly chat; "How fresh it makes everything seem. Do you know of anything fresher than the gentle spring zephyr?" "No, I don't know as I does," replied McGill, "unless it is that ere paint you're sitting in. 'Taint been on the gate above half-an-hour.

Why is a lover's heart like a sea serpent? Because it is a secretor of great sighs.

Slightly Mixed.

"I'm a whoopin' old gorilla from DeKalb county," he proclaimed to the awe-stricken pedestrians, as he made a clean sweep of Whitehall and Alabama streets, "an' when thar's a muss spected, ye can count on this roarin' ole brinastone chawer to do his an' a dozen other galoots' shar of fitin'." All day he promenade the thoroughfares, trying to raise a rumpus with some one, and trying to raise the hair off of his head with "crooked water."

Just as the shades of night were drawing the curtain of darkness about the city, says the *Atlanta Constitution*, he paused in front of a lamp-post, and after eyeing the light a few moments, incoherently asked if the prescription clerk was in.

Wazzer mazher wi' ye?" he growled, as no reply came to his query, "donsh yer know Ish shick'n need 'tenshun?"

No answer was elicited by this piteous appeal, and the exasperated hero determined to "tar ther durned thing all ter pieces."

With a wild yell, he made a terrific onslaught, and to his surprise, landed on the other side of the street.

"Well, I shwar," he muttered, gazing back toward the lamp-post and rubbing his bruised body anxiously, "reckon better lem 'lone n' zat drug store; 'cause man wha' can jerk me in frons door 'n fling me out back door zat quick ain't to be fooled with."

Why is it wrong to sit in the free seats at church? Because you learn to be good for nothing.

Why is a coquette like Cupid? Because she keeps her (beau) in a quiver.

Why is there never such a thing as a whole day? Because every day begins by breaking.

Why is it dangerous to have a clock up stairs? Because it might run down and strik one.

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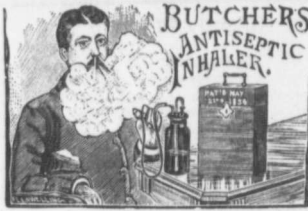
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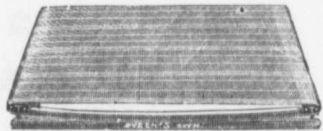
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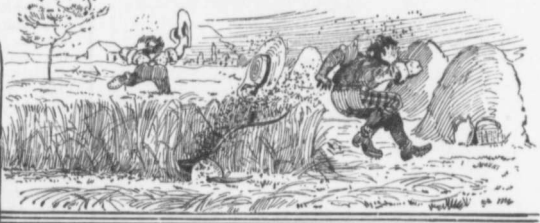
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JUNE



June, the child, is budding into a riper age,
Soon in the prime of manhood it will figure on life's stage.



DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces			Province of Quebec			Out.	Weather Probabilities.
			Sun rises.	Sun sets.	h. m.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	h. m.		
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2 Th	☛	☉	4 35	7 53	3 55	7 32	2 50			
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9 Th	☛	☉	4 33	7 59	3 52	7 38	11 05			
10 Fri	☛	☉	4 33	7 59	3 52	7 38	11 39			
11 Sat	☛	☉	4 33	8 00	3 51	7 39	A.M.			
24) 1st Sunday after Trinity.										
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26) 3rd Sunday after Trinity.										
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	d.	h.	m.
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☾ First Qr.	28	5	1 a.m.

You've noticed it, no doubt, how interesting and particularly edifying it is to listen to the animated flow of conversation between two people who have met, one trying to outdo the other in sociability by telling each other what kind of weather we are now having.

When a lot of type gets mixed printers call it "pi," and they don't like it, either, and, perhaps, that is why printers don't like pump water as a beverage, for any printer knows the pump-kin-pie.

It's the early cider press that catches the worm.

Whatever may be the harm in various popular games is a matter of question, but certainly cricket is a wicket sort of a game.

While trying to settle the question, "Is it right for barbers to shave on Sunday?" let us enquire, is it right for a fellow's beard to grow on Sunday? We know a good many girls set their faces against it.

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BY H. C. DODGE.

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this dude so beests
B is his billiards, bills, bouquets,
and bets C is his
cheek, cigarette, cane
and collar, D is his drinks
on another man's dollar,
E is his eye glass and
English airs, F is the
free lunch that he
never
spares,
G is the girl he en-
deav'rs to mash, H is his hat
just as flat as his cash, I is his
ig-norance, always displa yed,
J is the jewellery on him ar-
rayed, K is his knowledge of fol-
and sin, L is his legs that
are crooked and thin, M is
his mustache, nine hairs to a
side, N is his necktie a soiled shirt
to hide, O is his old man
whom he will not endorse
P is his pocket-book, empty,
of course, Q is his quarrel
when he gets a kick,
R is the racket that makes
him so sick, S is his shoes
very sharp
at the toe, T
is his tailor,
who fills
him with
woe, U is
his uncle
who pays
ante's bills,
V is his
vice that
makes him
look so ill,
W is his
woman
ing the
beat,
X is Xer-
tion to keep
his yawns, for he's
zigzag he walks when
on his feet, Y is
tired out quite, Z is the
he's tight,

Pocket Piece

Keep good company or none. Never be idle. If your hands cannot be usefully employed, attend to the cultivation of your mind. Always speak the truth. Make few promises. Live up to your engagements. Keep your own secrets, if you have any. When you speak to a person, look him in the face. Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue. Good character is above all things else. Your character cannot be essentially injured except by your own acts. If any one speaks evil of you let your life be so that none will believe him. Drink no kind of intoxicating liquors. Ever live (misfortunes expected) within your income. When you retire to bed, think over what you have been doing during the day. Make no haste to be rich, if you would prosper. Small and steady gains give competency with tranquility of mind. Never play at any game of chance. Avoid temptation; through fear you may not withstand it. Earn money before you spend it. Never run into debt unless you see a way to get out of it again. Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it. Never speak evil of any one. Be just before you are generous. Keep yourself innocent if you would be happy. Save when you are young to spend when you are old. Read over the above maxims at least once a week.

If man would walk in wisdom's ways,
Five things attend with care,
Of whom you speak, to whom you speak,
And how, and when, and where.

Short Summer Sermons

BY BROTHER GARDNER.

Brudder Amibad Cantilever, it am reported dat you am about to take unto yerself a wife. Dat de report am true your recent ackshuns am proof. You has bin seen pricin' second-hand toves, squintin at fo' dollar bedroom sweets, an' an' rostin' 'roun' arter bric-a-brac. Marriage am nuffin you need be ashamed of, an' I reckon you kin depend on dis club to warm up de house fer you an' leave behind some hard-bottomed cheers an' a few articles of tinware.

Brudder Cantilever, marriage am a lottery or a dead sure thing—just as you make it. If you git stuck on sight—fall in luv wid a gal fer her small feet, taperin' waist, dimpled chin or warblin' mouf, an' marry her off-hand at about twelve weeks notice, you needn't be astonished if dar am a dynamite 'sposhun afore you hav bin hitched a week. Small feet an' a good temper doan' allus go together. Slim waists an' kitchen economy may not work in de same harness. De gal who charms you by de way she drums de pianner may flatly refuse as a wife, to run dem same fingers ober de wash bo'd. Firstly, doan' get married until you know what you are bein' jined to. Study de gal. Let de feet go an' watch her temper. Let de bangs go an' watch her economy. Nebber you mind about de way she dimples her chin, but ax yerself if she'll make de bed wid de foot lower dan de head. You has got to do all de studyin'. Not one gal out of a thousand eber stops to size up a luvver. If his Grecian nose or curley ha'r or droopin' mustache strikes her fancy she'll nebber stop to study his natur' nor to worry ober his habits. She is marryin' dat nose, or head or mustache. A month arter marriage, when he hauls her aroun' by de hair an' slaps her dimpled jaw she's perfectly astonished to think she made sich a mistake.

Secondly, Brudder Cantilever, arter de knot has bin tied make up yer mind dat de fucher won't be all plain sailin'. You are gvine to be tried an' tested an' troubled, an' you hev got to call up all yer manhood. You will h'ar de saucer scrapin' de bottom of de flour bar'l when you haven't got a cent in yer pocket. De woodpile will run out in January an' de sugar an' bacon will seem to be carried off by de rats. If yer wife am eber so good natured she will hev her trials and tribulashuns, an' dar may be times when she'll riz up an' claw fur you. In de y'ars gone by my ole woman has rushed upon me wid de rolin'-pin, an' I has retorted in a way to make her ears ache, but all de time I knowed she was savin' an' good-hearted, an' she knowed I'd empty my pockets of de las' shillin' to buy her a new set of false frizzes. If you am suited to each odder an occasional row in de fam'ly will prove a stickin'-plaster to hold you de clusser together. If you ain't suited—if you diskiver dat you hev struck a patch of Canada thistles an' can't sot still, an' if de odder party diskivers dat she has taken a tumble off de monument of Romance an' brought up with a thud in de mud-hole of Reality, you jist absquatulate apart. Go quietly an' decently an' git onbitched by divorce, an' let de wisdom gained by experience stan' at yer right hand when ye make another choice. Brudder Cantilever, my feelins an' de feelins of dis club am wid ye, an' our good wishes, together wid at least \$2 worth of tinware, kin be counted on whenever de fatal occashun arroves.

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Up among the nebular;
How I wonder all the same,
Where you were before you came?

You are singing, are you not,
When the blazing sun is set?
Tell me truly, is it right,
To be on the blaze all night?

I do not know who you are,
Though your face seems famil-yer,
Nameless little globe of fire,
Twinkle, twinkle little star.

How you snicker in the summer^s
At the ice man and the plumber,
And the dealer in stove coal,
How you wink one eye and smole.

Ah! how mischievously you grin
At the midnight squalling twin;
Who with its daddy walks the floor;
Twinkle, twinkle little star.

Yes you twinkle all you can
At the poor old married man,
Bald headed -natched by mother-in-law,
Twinkle, twinkle little star.

When you are blinking with one eye,
At the man with too much rye;
Like his tangled legs so queer,
Twinkle, twinkle little steer.

Then you shine 'n balmy June,
While lovers on he door step spoon;
As he sits up close to her,
Twinkle, twink. little steer.

When the swift toboggans dash,
Then I know you 'n on the mash,
Or when on the gliding skate,
You are sure to sin till late.

But when Biddy in the kitchen,
Smiles on Patrick so bewitching;
Let them have their little spark,
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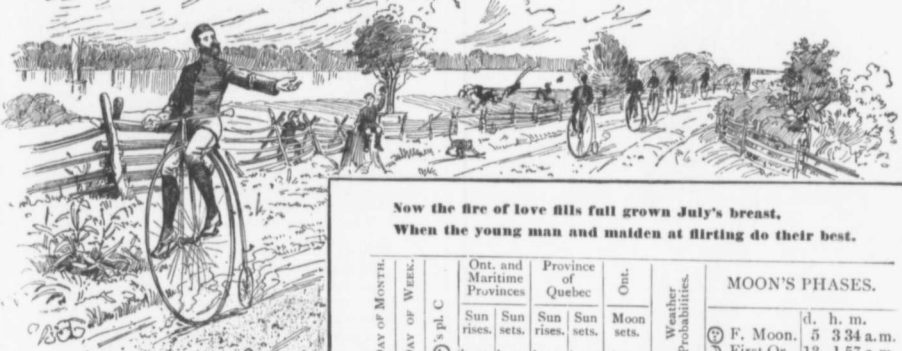
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When the young man and maiden at flirting do their best.

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28) 5th Sunday after Trinity.											
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12	Tu	♆	4 44	7 59	4 03	7 38	A.M.				
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29) 6th Sunday after Trinity.											
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23	Sat	♆	4 49	7 52	4 16	7 29	9 49				
30) 7th Sunday after Trinity.											
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31) 8th Sunday after Trinity.											
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MOON'S PHASES.

	d.	h.	m.
☾ F. Moon.	5	34	a.m.
☽ First Qr.	13	15	a.m.
● N. Moon.	20	35	p.m.
☾ Last Qr.	27	9	a.m.

The days are now quite likely hot, though it may be cold as like as not.

"I rather like this soda, after all," said John Henry to Julia, as he drew his nose out of the tumbler and wiped the froth off. "Soda I," said Julia, "but I like bottled soda better, it's soda-lightful!" "Why sodafair?" said John Henry—"Because" explained the charmer, "instead of being only a fizzle it pops so quick!" He took the hint and asked her pop that very evening.

Broad is the road that leads to debt, And thousands walk through there. Prompt payment finds a narrow rut, With here and there a passenger.

The slightest technicality or flaw, will in law break a man's will. A woman's will is never broken.

A postage stamp has generally been supposed to be of the mail gender, but some insist that it is a fee-mail. We insist that it is a male, because it won't go out without having some licker, by gum!

Who ever heard oysters whoop? But they do for we've seen 'em—"Raw!"

Change is the eternal law of nature, but it takes an eternal sight of law to get a little change out of some natures.

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I have even know him so dead to all sense of family pride as to enter into a detailed description of and make agonizing references to the price of her back hair. He likes to terrorize his mother by asking her "whose spoons those are" when she is giving a "high tea." He is always on hand when the Minister call's, and makes himself generally useful in a giggling, grinning way during the prayers customary on such occasions. His every word fills his parents with fear. They know the appalling disclosures he can make if he will and he generally wills. His big brother loves to meet the small boy when—when he the big brother—is out for the first time with a girl.

It is at this trying moment in big brother's life that the boy comes out strong with remarks about big brothers incipient moustache, and "maybe you think you're smart sparkin' that girl," you better git home fore to o'clock or pa'll lock you out and thrash you in the bargain." There is murder in big brother's heart at this moment, and there should be a statute providing for his freedom from punishment in case he carries out the desire of his soul against that boy. The small boy is good and ripe at about ten or twelve years of age. He has no heart, no soul, no feeling at this time. The exposure of sacred family secrets is his highest joy. He gives the delighted neighbourhood full particulars of the last row between pa and ma. He is a blot on the family escutcheon, a thorn in the family side.

What is better than presence of mind in an accident? Absence of body.

What Did the Privates Do ?

Our dailies teem with daring deeds,
And books are filled with fame ;
Brass bands will play and cannons roar
In honor of the name
Of men who held commissions and
Were honest, brave and true,
But still the question comes to me,
What did the privates do ?

Who were the men to guard the camp
When foes were hovering round ?
Who dug the graves of comrades dear ?
Who laid them in the ground ?
Who sent the dying message home
To those he never knew ?
If officers did all this,
What did the privates do ?

Who were the men to fill the place
Of comrades slain in strife ?
Who were the men to risk their own
To save a comrade's life ?
Who was it lived on salted pork
And bread too hard to chew ?
If officers did this alone
What did the privates do ?

Who laid in pits on rainy nights
All eager for the fray ?
Who marched beneath the scorching sun
Through many a toilsome day ?
Who paid the sutler double price
And scanty rations drew ?
If officers get all the praise
Then, what did privates do ?

All honor to the brave old boys
Who rallied at the call !
Without regard to name or rank
We honor one and all.
They're passing over, one by one,
And soon they'll all be gone
To where the books will surely show
Just what the privates done.

STORY OF MIDHAT PASHA AND THE ASSASSINS.—When Midhat Pasha was vali, or governor of the vilayet of Rustchuk, he had numerous political antagonists, one of whom engaged two assassins to murder him. These men went to Rustchuk for that purpose, but were followed by Wallachian spies in Midhat's employ, who informed him of the plot against his life. On their arrival at Rustchuk, the assassins were arrested, and on being brought before Midhat at first denied, but at length admitted, that they had been commissioned to kill him. He then asked them how much they were to be paid for assassinating him, and was informed that 25,000 piastres was the sum agreed upon. Midhat replied, "If you will kill the man who sent you I will give you 50,000 piastres." The men, who willingly consented to this proposal, were paid 25,000 piastres down, and were requested to return for the balance as soon as they had despatched their former employer. When, after doing so, the men returned to demand 25,000 piastres, they were asked if they had killed him, and on replying that they had, Midhat said, "These men have committed murder—hang them;" whereupon both assassins were strangled.

What length had a ladies' skirts ought to be ? A little above two feet.

Why are buckwheat cakes like a caterpillar? It's the grub that makes the butterfly.



JUDGE AND COUNSEL.—A barrister equally famous for his talent and his ugliness attacked his opponent in most violent fashion. The judge invited him to moderate his tone. Lawyer (resuming): "The wretch, however, wears his character stamped on his face; he is the ugliest man I know." Judge (with a smile of ineffable blandness): "Counsel, you are forgetting yourself!!!"

Mind Your Own Business

Meddlesome people are too plentiful for the comfort of quiet people. These meddlesome ones crowd the thoroughfares of our great cities; they insinuate themselves into the seclusion of our homes; they perambulate the country at large. They are as the lice of Egypt, and more impudent and industrious in prying into other people's affairs. Mr. Spurgeon draws the following caustic portrait of the class. If some of the members would look at the picture it might be a sort of mirror which would reduce their impertinence, though there is no hope of permanent cure:—

"How came you to have such a short nose?" asked a city dandy of a country boy. "So that I could not be poking into other peoples business," was the reply. There are several who ought to join the "Anti-poke-your-nose-into-other-people's-business-society." The nasal organs which adorn (?) the faces of some folk remind us of the manufacturer who met with an accident in which his nose received an ugly scratch. Having no court plaster at hand he stuck on the injured organ one of his gummed labels bearing the usual inscription, "Guaranteed length, three hundred and fifty yards. This was surely a mistake; but there are noses about which would seem to be of any length when the question is as to their power to poke into the longest rat-hole. Paul Pry is a leading member of this family, and we fear he bears a charmed life, after the manner of the Wandering Jew. It has been well said that there are two reasons why some people don't mind their own business; one is that they haven't any business; and the other is that they haven't any mind.

"At the least sign of prying, cautious people draw back, unless they want their private affairs to be advertised. When people begin to tell you all about your neighbors, it will be wise to keep your mouth shut, for these same folks will soon be telling the neighbors all about you. Dogs that fetch will carry. Never pour precious liquor into leaking vessels, nor tell your private tales to common informers. Bad name that! We beg the tattlers pardon, we mean common chatterboxes.

"These meddlesome people are a curse to society; for they invent and misrepresent, and exaggerate, and insinuate till they separate true friends, and cause heartburns and jealousies. Oh, for the race of people with salted tongues, who would be silent sooner than speak evil of their fellows!"

Add one to nine and make it twenty. IX, cross the I, it makes twenty.

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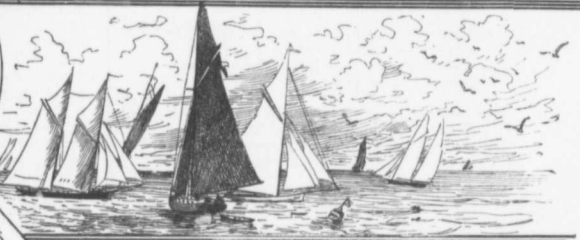
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AUGUST



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And happiness and sunshine on every hand is found.



DAY OF MONTH	DAY OF WEEK	P. L. C.	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec		Ont.	Moon sets	Weather Probabilities
			Sun rises	Sun sets	Sun rises	Sun sets			
1	Mo	f	5 02	7 42	4 25	7 19	2 56		
2	Tu	f	5 03	4 40	4 26	7 17	3 51		
3	We	W	5 04	7 38	4 28	7 15	Rises		
4	Th	W	5 05	7 37	4 30	7 13	8 10		
5	Fri	W	5 06	7 35	4 32	7 12	8 42		
6	Sat	W	5 07	7 34	4 33	7 10	9 10		
32) 9th Sunday after Trinity.									
7	Su	X	5 09	7 32	4 34	7 09	9 36		
8	Mo	X	5 11	7 30	4 35	7 07	10 02		
9	Tu	X	5 12	7 28	4 36	7 06	10 28		
10	We	Y	5 13	7 27	4 37	7 04	10 56		
11	Th	Y	5 15	7 26	4 38	7 02	11 27		
12	Fri	Y	5 16	7 25	4 39	7 01	A.M.		
13	Sat	Y	5 17	7 24	4 40	7 00	0 01		
33) 10th Sunday after Trinity.									
14	Su	II	5 18	7 23	4 42	6 59	0 42		
15	Mo	II	5 19	7 22	4 43	6 58	1 28		
16	Tu	II	5 20	7 20	4 45	6 56	2 21		
17	We	II	5 21	7 19	4 47	6 54	3 23		
18	Th	II	5 22	7 18	4 49	6 52	4 33		
19	Fri	II	5 23	7 16	4 50	6 50	Sets		
20	Sat	II	5 24	7 14	4 51	6 48	8 22		
34) 11th Sunday after Trinity.									
21	Su	III	5 26	7 12	4 52	6 46	8 58		
22	Mo	III	5 27	7 10	4 53	6 44	9 31		
23	Tu	III	5 28	7 08	4 55	6 42	10 05		
24	We	III	5 29	7 06	4 56	6 40	10 42		
25	Th	III	5 30	7 05	4 57	6 38	11 20		
26	Fri	III	5 32	7 04	4 59	6 36	A.M.		
27	Sat	III	5 33	7 02	5 00	6 34	0 05		
35) 12th Sunday after Trinity.									
28	Su	I	5 34	7 00	5 01	6 32	0 53		
29	Mo	I	5 35	6 58	5 02	6 30	1 46		
30	Tu	I	5 36	6 57	5 03	6 28	2 43		
31	We	I	5 37	6 56	5 04	6 26	3 42		

MOON'S PHASES.

	d.	h.	m.
F. Moon.	3	34	0 p.m.
Last Qr.	11	6	36 p.m.
N. Moon.	19	0	39 a.m.
First Qr.	25	3	21 p.m.

"What's the price of sausages?" "Dwenty cents a bound." "You asked twenty-five this morning." "Yaw, dot vas ven I had some. Now I ain't got none I sell him for dwenty cents. Dot makes me a reutation for selling cheap und I don't lose noddings."

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When the girls fix their locks, set their caps and bang their hair and use plenty of powder, the young men generally fall game to them.

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He's grand and majestic, yet meek and domestic, and spends his spare evenings at home;
He's a tireless searcher for all kinds of virtue, like the author and scribe of this poem;

He don't play the fiddle, part his hair in the middle, nor dress like an Anglican dude.
When he goes to a party with Meigs or McCarty he never is noisy and rude;

He lives in frugality and sweet conjugality, and wants pie but two times a day;
He never eats onions nor treads on your bunions, nor growls when you get in his way;

He's wise and he's witty, persevering and gritty, and has a magnificent head;
He's all light and sweetness, he's thorough completely, he's perfection, in short—but he's dead!

A Psalm of Life

There be but little in life to live for. The world is a hollow mockery, full of troubles, trials and bad piano players.

We go forth in the morning full of hope, and come home at night full of bad whisky.

We dabble in politics and bet all our wealth on the leading men, and the other fellow getteth elected and we are left to mourn.

We run for office, and our friends manage for us, and spend our money, and behold we cometh out badly scooped and crushed financially.

We marry for wealth, and our girl's old man assigns.

We deny ourselves many things in order to lay up some cash in the bank, and the cashier fleeth the States. And in an evil hour when we dream not of it, the merchant presenteth a bill for our wife's new bonnet, and the farm and stock goeth under mortgage to pay it.

Woe unto man! Of how little consequence is his joy.

In infancy he is full of colic and catnip, and in youth he goeth about with a thorn in his heel.

In the evening of life he lieth down full of rheumatism, aches and antibilious pills.

The places that once knew him know him now only by the promisory notes and accounts he has left unpaid. And this is the end of man.

In youth he dances into the ring eager to knock somebody out, but the first thing he knoweth he is ornamented with a black eye.

He cometh forth in fine raiment and standing collar, and at no-n time he goeth about with one suspender and with the seat of his pants patched with an old sock.

He carrieth a torch in the procession, and whoopeth it up for his party, and behold the man who staid at home is appointed to office.

Such is the career of men.

"Lo! in an hour when he dreameth not of it, a breechy mule kicketh him athwart the center, and he dieth.

A Little World.

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"And you wouldn't give it to him?"
"Not much. That was the last pint I had left. But it shows how fond Indians are of whiskey."



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			Sun rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.		
			h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	
1 Th		☾	5 38	6 54	5 05	6 26	6 43	
2 Fri		☾	5 40	6 52	5 06	6 24	7 13	
3 Sat		☾	5 42	6 50	5 08	6 22	7 40	
36)	13th Sunday after Trinity.							
4 Su		☾	5 43	6 48	5 09	6 20	8 06	<i>weath'r</i>
5 Mo		☾	5 44	6 46	5 10	6 18	8 32	
6 Tu		☾	5 46	6 44	5 12	6 16	9 00	<i>will</i>
7 We		☾	5 47	6 42	5 14	6 14	9 27	
8 Th		☾	5 48	6 40	5 15	6 12	9 59	<i>be</i>
9 Fri		☾	5 49	6 38	5 16	6 10	10 37	
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37)	14th Sunday after Trinity.							
11 Su		☾	5 51	6 35	5 19	6 06	A.M.	<i>able</i>
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16 Fri		☾	5 56	6 26	5 25	5 56	4 32	
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38)	15th Sunday after Trinity.							
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30 Fri		☾	6 12	6 00	5 43	5 28	4 33	

MOON'S PHASES.

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☾ F. Moon.	2	6	13 a.m.
☾ Last Qr.	10	10	3 a.m.
☾ N. Moon.	17	9	0 a.m.
☾ First Qr.	24	0	4 a.m.

A little girl in Chicago got out of patience with her bashful lover's backwardness, and so brought matters to a favorable climax by saying to him, "I really believe you are afraid to ask me to marry you, for you know I would say yes."

Physic beats faith cure, because it has the inside track.

When a couple is about to elope, the young man asks: "Does your mother know your route?"

"Was Rome founded by Romeo?" inquired a pupil of a teacher. "No my son," replied the wise man. "It was Juliet who was found dead by Romeo."

An Oregon girl's kiss can only be compared to falling in a mud hole. "No my mouth that you might as well open the door and kiss the cold, clammy night air."

Somebody says that the odor of fresh paint may be removed from the room by placing a saucer of ground coffee in the apartment. Now we understand why it is a man generally chews ground coffee when he is painting the town red.

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Hang up the Baby's Stocking.

Hang up the baby's stocking;

Be sure you don't forget—
The dear little dimpled darling!
She ne'er saw Christmas yet;
But I've told her all about it,
And she opened her big blue eyes,
And I'm sure she understands it,
She looked so funny and wise.

Dear! what a tiny stocking!

It doesn't take much to hold
Such little pink toes as baby's
Away from the frost and cold.
But then, for the baby's Christmas
It will never do at all;
Why, Santa wouldn't be looking
For anything half so small!

I know what we'll do for the baby—

I've thought of the very best plan,
I'll borrow a stocking of grandma,
The longest that ever I can;
And you'll hang it by mine, dear mother,
Right here in the corner, so,
And write a letter to Santa,
And fasten it on to the toe.

Write, "This is the baby's stocking

That hangs in the corner here;
You never have seen her, Santa,
For she only came this year;
But she's just the blissestest baby,
And now, before you go,
Just cram her stocking with goodies,
From the top clean down to the toe."

"JOHN," she said, to the young man who had been courting her for five long years, "John, I sat for my photograph to-day, I suppose you want one?" "Oh, yes, indeed." "By the way, John, I had them taken especially for some friends in Scotland, and they want my autograph on the cards. Now, John, I don't know whether to sign my maiden name or wait a few months until after I am married. I suppose you do intend to get married in a few months, don't you, John?" It was a desperate move, but she won, and in two months both will be made one.

AT THE FAIR.—"This way, gentlemen, to the American dwarf, to be seen only through a hundred-fold magnifying glass; totally invisible to the naked eye!"

HOW IT HAPPENED.—"If you are a quiet, honest citizen," said the magistrate, "How did these skeleton keys and brass knuckle-dusters happen to be in your coat pockets?" "I reckon, your Honor, me and the policeman must have changed coats in the scuffle. We was very much excited."

When was England to be bought cheapest? When King Richard offered his kingdom for a horse.

How would you prove that a horse has six legs? He has fore legs in front and two behind.

What game besides leap frog do frogs play at? Croak-a.

What game does two ladies bustle resemble? Backgammon.

Why should girls like a north-east wind? Because it brings the chaps to their lips.

Why is kissing your girl like eating soup with a fork? Because it takes a long time to get enough.

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Dunder's Experience.

"You know my poy Shake?" queried Mr. Dander, as he looked over the desk at the Central Station yesterday. "Why, I have heard you speak of him now and then," replied the Sergeant. "Shake vhas an awful shmart poy. He goes alone from Detroit to Chicago, und doan' haf his pocket picked, und he subscribes mit der *Bolice Gazette*, und keeps posted on all der latest styles. Did somebody come here to make complaint on me?" "Not that I know of." "Vhell, mebbe dot poy Shake he doan' fool me again. A few days ago he says he reads in his paper dot it vhas all der rage to holdt fowl conventions. All der beoples who vhas invited to be present must pring a rooster along und shepak about him. In dot vhay eaferypody knows der best breed of fowls, und nopody gets sthuck on oldt hens." "I see." "Dot looks all right to me, und I tells Shake eef he likes to holdt some convention in der barn I vhas agreeable. He works hardt for two days to make ready, und last night dot party comes off. I see more ash feefteen beoples come aroundt mit shickens in baskets, und Shake comes to me und says: 'Fadder, you vhas an oldt man. You doan' care for shickens like I do, und it vhas petter dot you go to bedt early. Maybe dis convention doan' preak up py midnight.' Vhell, I dunno. I like to hear if somepody has hens dot lays eggs py night und on Sundays. Undt so I walk aroundt for a while und by und go by mit der parn. I look in py der cracks, und eafeybody vhas excited. I vhas going to creep in, when some bollicemans rush oop der alley und shump into der parn, und der convention adjourns like some grease. Eight roosters vhas left behind, und a fat bolliceman mit a redt face grabs me und yells out: 'You vhas a nice man to haf some cock-fighting mit your parn! To-morrow you look outt for some Police Court!' I toldt him it

vhas a fowl convention, after der latest shyle, und he shakes his fist at me und says I shall get three months in der shug. I look aroundt for Shake, but he goes down to his uncle's in Springwells. Sergeant?" "Well." "Vhas I too plame?" "I don't see it." "Dot's how I feel. If dot *Bolice Gazette* says it vhas all right to holdt some fowl convention, how vhas Shake too plame? If Shake tell me dot he likes to find outt aboutt hens, how vhas I too plame? I vhas going home. If some bolliceman comes aroundt und bluffs me again, I shall know my gait. I vhas headquarters for two campaign clubs last year, und I pays taxes in two wards. Nopody mit brass buttons on him must walk in my door und tell me dot shentlemen can't come to my parn to shepak aboutt hens!"

Weather Wisdom.

A prominent attorney, of Philadelphia, claims that the weather invariably repeats itself, and gives the following as the result of his observations:

- All years ending in 9, 0, or 1, are extremely dry.
- Those ending in 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6, are extremely wet.
- Those ending in 7 or 8, are ordinarily well balanced.
- Those ending in 6 have extremely cold winters.
- Those ending in 2 have an early spring.
- Those ending in 1 have a late spring.
- Those ending in 3 or 4, are subject to great floods.

"Do you know, Jones, if Johnston uses tobacco in any form?" Jones—"Well, I got a whiff of his cigar this morning, and judging from the smell of that, I should say that he does not."

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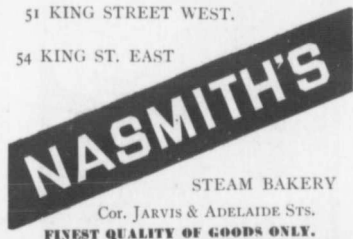
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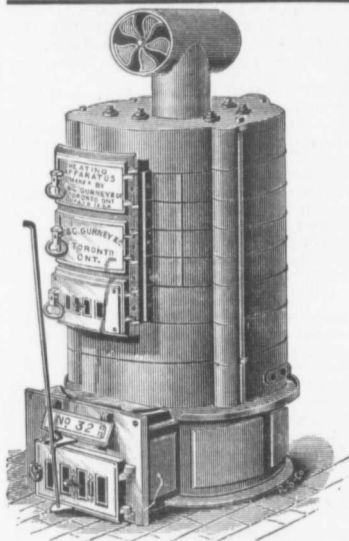
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DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	☾-pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec		Ont.	Weather Probabilities.
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			h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	
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40) 17th Sunday after Trinity.								
2	Su	☾	6 14	5 56	5 45	5 25	6 36	
3	Mo	☾	6 15	5 55	5 47	5 23	7 03	Fine
4	Tu	☾	6 16	5 54	5 48	5 21	7 30	
5	We	☾	6 17	5 52	5 50	5 19	8 01	weath'r
6	Th	☾	6 18	5 50	5 51	5 17	8 35	
7	Fri	☾	6 19	5 48	5 53	5 15	9 15	
8	Sat	☾	6 20	5 47	5 55	5 13	9 59	now
41) 18th Sunday after Trinity.								
9	Su	☾	6 22	5 45	5 56	5 11	10 52	will
10	Mo	☾	6 24	5 43	5 58	5 09	11 51	
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15	Sat	☾	6 30	5 34	6 03	5 00	4 36	unless
42) 19th Sunday after Trinity.								
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18	Tu	☾	6 33	5 28	6 09	4 54	7 08	
19	We	☾	6 35	5 26	6 11	4 52	7 52	comes
20	Th	☾	6 36	5 25	6 12	4 50	8 40	
21	Fri	☾	6 38	5 23	6 13	4 48	9 33	rain,
22	Sat	☾	6 39	5 21	6 14	4 46	10 29	now
43) 20th Sunday after Trinity.								
23	Su	☾	6 40	5 20	6 15	4 44	11 38	
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25	Tu	☾	6 43	5 17	6 19	4 41	0 28	
26	We	☾	6 44	5 16	6 20	4 39	1 28	
27	Th	☾	6 45	5 14	6 21	4 38	2 28	
28	Fri	☾	6 47	5 13	6 22	4 36	3 25	
29	Sat	☾	6 48	5 12	6 23	4 35	4 23	hail.
44) 21st Sunday after Trinity.								
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☾ F. Moon.	31 4 31 p.m.

A clergyman was telling a marvellous story, when his little girl said: "Now pa, is that true, or is it only preaching?"

No matter how desperate your case, if you have plenty of money your lawyer will assure you that success is quite feasible.

We never should sit down and say—
"There's nothing left but sorrow."
We tread the wilderness to-day.
The promis'd land to-morrow.

"Habit" is hard to overcome. If you take off the first letter it does not change "a bit." If you take off another you have a "bit" left. If you take of another the whole of "it" remains. If you remove another it is not "it" totally used up. All of which goes to show that if you wish to be rid of a bad habit you must throw it off altogether.

A good wife never grumbles,
A good horse never stumbles,
A good child never tumbles,
A good cart never rumbles,
A good preacher never mumbles,
God yarn never jumbles,
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After an unsuccessful effort of five minutes, during which he got as red as a brick house, he stammered:—

"I—I—don't think I can tie a respectable knot, Miss Mary."

"Suppose, Philander," she whispered, with a pretty little blush, "Suppose you call in a clergyman to assist." Like the unveiling of a beautiful mystery, the situation unfolded itself to Philander, and he feels better now.

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What roof covers the most noisy tenant? The roof of your mouth.

Place three sixes together so as to make seven. Six and six-sixths.

On which side of a donkey would you look for the most hair? On the outside.

What is the most difficult surgical operation? Taking the jaw out of a woman.

Why is blind man's buff like sympathy? Because it is a fellow feeling for another.

What is the difference between a new dime and a rusty cent? Nine cents difference.

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A young man who had formed an attachment for a young lady, went to her father's house to ask his consent to their union. The old gentleman, who was terribly deaf, was standing on the doorstep as his daughter's lover approached. The front door commanded a view of a meadow on which a cow was feeding, and whilst Mr. C. was looking in that direction, the youthful lover, whose heart was overflowing with emotion, commenced the task he had come to perform.

"I am acquainted with your daughter," said he in a loud tone.

"She is a fine beast," remarked the old gentleman, looking at the cow.

"Your daughter," screamed the young man. "I have the honor to be well acquainted with her."

"She is a noble animal," was the quiet response.

"I was speaking about your amiable and accomplished daughter, sir."

"She is very kind indeed; never breaks down fences; never kicks over the pail when she's milked; never strays away like the other brutes I have."

"You don't understand me, sir. I was speaking of your daughter at boarding school."

"No, I never put a board on her face; she never does any mischief here at all."

"Your daughter!" shouted the young man, frantic with excitement.

"Did you say I ought to?"

"No, sir! I was speaking of your daughter—the young lady away from home."

"Oh, yes; I have plenty of room, but I think she is too old to keep much longer. To tell you the truth, I have made up my mind to shut her up in the stable

and feed her on chop stuff for a few weeks."

"Great heavens!" remarked the young man to himself. "What shall I do? This deafness will be the death of me."

"I should like to say a word to you respecting your daughter."

"I shall let the butcher have her by and by—if he will give me my price," said the old man with emphasis.

As a last resort the young man used pencil and paper—showed the letters of introduction, handsomely endorsed by men whose opinion was good authority on the question on the taps, and secured the old man's attention. After a little cross-questioning and a little hesitation, the old gentleman gave his consent, and when the parties were married, he declared it was the best haul he had made in all his life.

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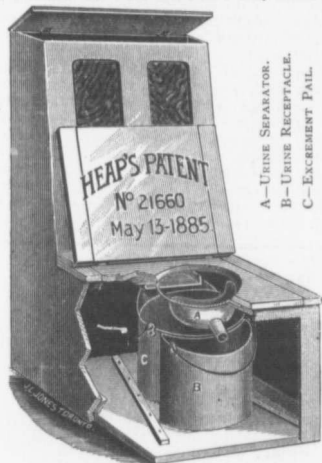
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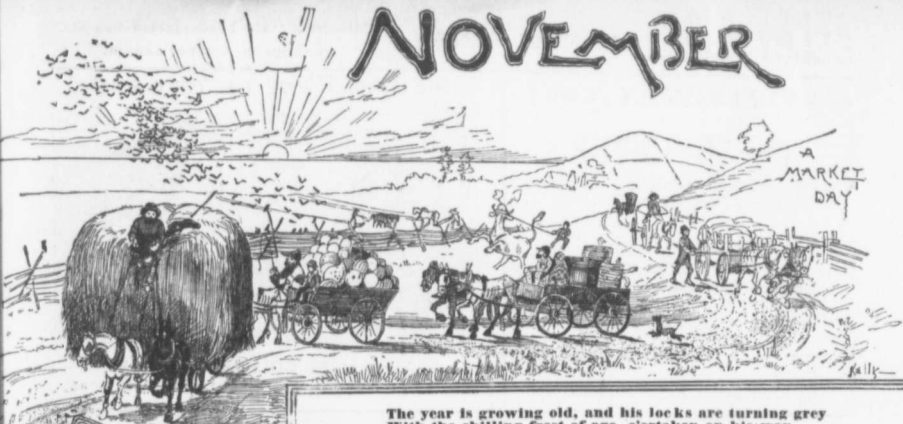
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The year is growing old, and his locks are turning grey
With the chilling frost of age, o'ertaken on his way.

DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	O's pl. C	Ont. and Maritime Provinces		Province of Quebec.		Ont. rises.	Moon rises.	Weather Probabilities.
			Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.			
1 Tu	☉	☉	6 2	5 07	6 28	4 32	6 03		
2 We	☉	☉	6 4	5 05	6 30	4 30	6 35		
3 Th	☉	☉	6 55	5 04	6 32	4 28	7 13		
4 Fri	☉	☉	6 57	5 03	6 34	4 26	7 54		
5 Sat	☉	☉	6 58	5 02	6 35	4 24	8 45		
45)			22nd Sunday after Trinity.						
6 Su	☾	☾	7 00	5 00	6 37	4 23	9 41		
7 Mo	☾	☾	7 01	4 59	6 39	4 22	10 43		
8 Tu	☾	☾	7 03	4 58	6 40	4 21	11 49		
9 We	☾	☾	7 04	4 57	6 41	4 20	A.M.		
10 Th	☾	☾	7 05	4 56	6 42	4 19	0 58		
11 Fri	☾	☾	7 06	4 54	6 43	4 18	2 11		
12 Sat	☾	☾	7 08	4 53	6 45	4 17	3 24		
46)			23rd Sunday after Trinity.						
13 Su	☽	☽	7 09	4 52	6 46	4 16	4 41		
14 Mo	☽	☽	7 10	4 51	6 47	4 14	5 58		
15 Tu	☽	☽	7 11	4 50	6 48	4 13	Sets		
16 We	☽	☽	7 13	4 49	6 50	4 11	6 25		
17 Th	☽	☽	7 14	4 48	6 52	4 10	7 17		
18 Fri	☽	☽	7 15	4 47	6 54	4 09	8 13		
19 Sat	☽	☽	7 16	4 46	6 55	4 08	9 13		
47)			24th Sunday after Trinity.						
20 Su	☿	☿	7 18	4 46	6 57	4 07	10 14		
21 Mo	☿	☿	7 19	4 45	6 58	4 06	11 17		
22 Tu	☿	☿	7 20	4 45	6 59	4 05	A.M.		
23 We	☿	☿	7 21	4 44	7 01	4 04	0 16		
24 Th	☿	☿	7 23	4 44	7 02	4 03	1 17		
25 Fri	☿	☿	7 24	4 43	7 04	4 02	2 15		
26 Sat	☿	☿	7 26	4 42	7 05	4 02	3 14		
48)			1st Sunday in Advent.						
27 Su	♁	♁	7 27	4 42	7 06	4 01	4 12		
28 Mo	♁	♁	7 28	4 41	7 07	4 01	5 12		
29 Tu	♁	♁	7 29	4 41	7 08	4 00	Rises		
30 We	♁	♁	7 30	4 40	7 09	4 00	5 13		

MOON'S PHASES.

	d.	h.	m.
☾ Last Qr.	8	1	2 p. m.
● N. Moon.	15	3	8 a. m.
☽ First Qr.	22	5	43 a. m.
☿ F. Moon.	30	10	20 a. m.

COMFORT.

New Be still sad heart! and cease
rejoicing;
Behind the clouds the sun is
shining;
the Thy fate is the common fate
of all;
smoul- Into each life some rain must
fall,
Some days must be dark and
dreary.

dering Tourist (In want of light, to
tipsy stranger)—Got a match?
embers T. S.—Plentiful. (Hands
out several, explaining.) They
hicnite on boxes.
poke, Tourist.—Awfully thanks.
Where's the box?
and T. S.—That's wash I want
to know—losh it yes/hday.

get Preachers should never des-
pair of usefulness and honors,
even in old age. When all
other resources fail the patent
medicine certificate always
stands with a smiling face
and bids them joyous welcome
to almanac glory.

your — Charley, what is a chest-
nut bell?" said his girl.
ulster "Oh! it's a bell that rings
when any one tells an old
story."
out of "Well they couldn't call me
a chestnut belle—I have no
ring."
soak. It succeeded, and they are
to be married when Charley
gets his salary raised.

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50)		3rd Sunday in Advent.					
11	Su	△	7 41 4	38 7	22 3	57 3	32
12	Mo	△	7 42 4	38 7	23 3	58 4	49
13	Tu	△	7 43 4	38 7	24 3	58 6	02
14	We	∩	7 44 4	38 7	25 3	58 7	12
15	Th	∩	7 44 4	38 7	25 3	58	Sets
16	Fri	†	7 45 4	39 7	25 3	59 6	55
17	Sat	†	7 46 4	39 7	26 3	59 7	57
51)		4th Sunday in Advent.					
18	Su	∩	7 47 4	40 7	26 3	59 9	00
19	Mo	∩	7 47 4	40 7	27 4	00 10	02
20	Tu	∩	7 48 4	40 7	28 4	00 11	05
21	We	∩	7 48 4	41 7	28 4	00	A.M.
22	Th	∩	7 49 4	41 7	28 4	01 0	04
23	Fri	∩	7 49 4	42 7	29 4	01 1	04
24	Sat	∩	7 49 4	42 7	29 4	02 2	01
52)		Christmas Day.					
25	Su	∩	7 50 4	42 7	30 4	02 3	00
26	Mo	∩	7 50 4	43 7	30 4	03 4	01
27	Tu	∩	7 50 4	43 7	31 4	03 5	00
28	We	∩	7 50 4	44 7	31 4	04 5	59
29	Th	∩	7 51 4	45 7	32 4	05 6	58
30	Fri	∩	7 51 4	46 7	32 4	06	Rises
31	Sat	∩	7 51 4	47 7	32 4	07 6	27

appear
in
this,
the
last
month
of
the
year.

glars, Jones bought a lively bull-dog to watch his premises. The family all went out the other night, and upon returning, the bull-dog watched so well that none of them could enter the house. It took a pound of fresh beef to pave a way to the front door.

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