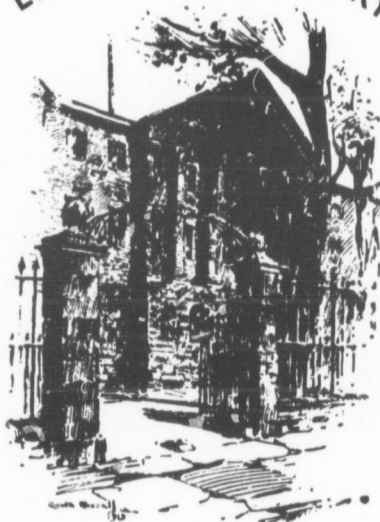


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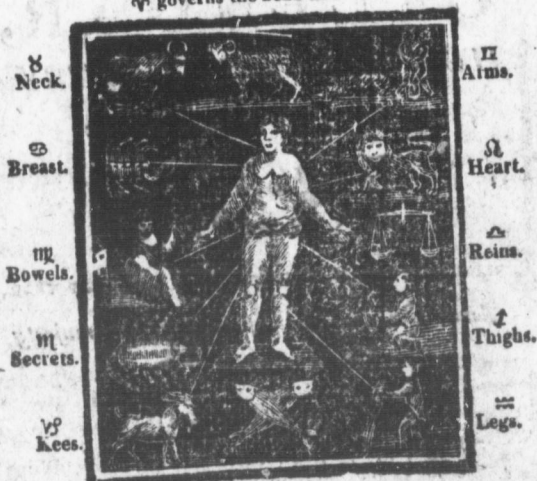
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**Anatomy
OF MAN'S BODY,**

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As governed by the twelve CONSTELLATIONS, according to
ancient astronomy, viz :—

♄ governs the head and face.



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Tide Table for the Coast of America.

Amelia Island : : : : add 1 00	Machias : : : : : add 3 30
Boston Harbour ; : : : add 4 00	Martha's Vinyard : : : : add 0 07
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Bermuda In. : : : : sub. 0 30	Nanaganset Bay : : : : add 0 70
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Cape Charles : : : : : add 0 15	Oracock inlet : : : : : add 1 30
Cape May and Henlopon add 1 15	Passamaquoddy : : : : add 4 00
Cape Roman : : : : : add 0 30	Penobscot Bay : : : : add 2 15
Cape Sable : : : : : add 0 30	Philadelphia : : : : : add 6 57
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⚡ The times in the above table are to be added to or subtracted from the time of high water at Halifax, according to the directions there given. Example—To find the time of high water at Quebec, May 1, 1823, The time of high water at Halifax, May 1, by the calendar is 11h 9m.—To this add 30m (the time set against Quebec in the table) and you have the time of high water at Quebec 11h 39m.

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EXPLANATION OF ASTRONOMICAL CHARACTERS.

THE PLANETS.

The Sun ☉. The Moon ☾. Mercury ☿. Venus ♀. The Earth 🌍.
Mars ♂. Jupiter ♃. Saturn ♄. Georgium ♁.

SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC.

Aries ♈, or the ram. Taurus ♉, or the bull. Gemini ♊, twins. Cancer ♋, the crab. Leo ♌, the lion. Virgo ♍, the virgin. Libra ♎, the balance. Scorpio ♏, the scorpion. Sagittarius ♐, the archer. Capricornus ♑, the goat's horn. Aquarius ♒, the water bearer. Pisces ♓, the fishes. ♈, a planet's ascending node. ♎, the descending node. ☊, Conjunction, or when planets are situated in the same longitude. ☉, Quadrature, or planets situated in longitudes differing three signs from each other. ☌, Opposition, or planets situated in opposite longitudes, or differing six signs from each other.

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical Letter E. Golden Number 19. Epact 18. Solar Cycle 12. Roman Indiction 11. Julian Period 6536.

MOVEABLE FEASTS.

Septuagesima Sunday, Jan. 16. Quinquagesima or Shrove Sunday, February 9th. Ash Wednesday, or 1st day of Lent, February 12th. Mid. Lent Sunday, March 9th. Palm Sunday, March 23d. Easter Day, March 30. Low Sunday, April 6th. Rogation Sunday, May 4th. Ascension Day, or Holy Thursday, May 8th. Whit Sunday, May 18th. Trinity Sunday, May 25th. Advent Sunday, Nov. 30th.

♀ Venus will be evening star until the 10th day of October—from that time morning star throughout the year.

Eclipses for the year 1823.

There will be six Eclipses in the year 1823—four of the Sun and two of the Moon,—as follow—

1st, The first will be of the Sun, January 12th, at 4 hours, 40 min. in the morning, invisible.

2d, The second will be of the moon, January 26th, at 6h min. in the afternoon, invisible.

3d, The third will be of the Sun, February 10th, at 10 hours, 50 min. in the afternoon, invisible.

4th, The fourth will be of the Sun, July 8th, at 2 hours, 26 min. in the morning, invisible.

5th, The fifth will be of the Moon in the evening of July 22d, and morning of the 23d—total and visible, as follows:

Beginning of the eclipse,	5h.	16m.	} 23d day in the evening.
Beginning of total darkness,	10	22	
Middle of the eclipse,	11	12	
Ecliptic ☉,	11	14	} 23d day in the morning.
End of total darkness,	0	12	
End of the eclipse,	1	8	

Digits eclipsed 18° 12' from the north side of the earth's shadow.

6th, The sixth will be of the Sun, August 6th, at 9 hours, 30 min. in the morning, invisible.

MEMORANDUM--- --The Sun's Declination will be found arranged in the outer columns of the Calendar pages for each month.

We have extracted the following piece, and the other passages which are annexed to the pages of the Calendar, from the Letters of Agricola. They consist of practical directions for the more important operations of husbandry-----and at the present moment when every individual is interested in the success and advancement of our agriculture, they will be found, we trust, more acceptable to the public than any other matter we could have chosen:

Analysis of Soils.—In the field to be examined, take earth a little below the surface, from four separate places, about 1-4lb. avoidupois from each. Expose it to the sun, or before the fire, till it is completely dry; and turn it over frequently that it may be well mixed together. From the heap take exactly four ounces, and pass this through a fine sieve, which will allow all the particles of sand and gravel to escape, but which will hold back stones, small fibrous roots and decayed wood. Weigh the two parts separately, and take a note of each. The stones and other bulky materials are then to be examined apart from the roots and wood. If they are hard and rough to the touch, and scratch glass easily, they are silicious or stony; if they are, without much difficulty, broken to pieces by the fingers, and can be scraped by a knife to powder, they are aluminous or clayey; or if, when put in a wine glass and common vinegar poured upon them, small air bubbles ascend to the top of the liquid, they are calcareous. The finely divided matter, which ran through the sieve, must next undergo the test of experiment. After being weighed, agitate the whole in water, till the earth be taken up from the bottom and mechanically suspended, adding water till this effect be produced. Allow the mass then to settle for two or three minutes; and in that time the sandy particles shall have all sunk to the bottom. Pour off the water, which will then contain the clay in suspension, and the insoluble earth arising from animal and vegetable decomposition. The sand should first be attended to, and if from inspection it be thought either silicious or calcareous in its nature, the requisite tests may be instantly applied.—By this time the mixture will have deposited at the bottom of the vessel the clay, and other earths, with the insoluble animal and vegetable matter. After pouring off the water, dry the sediment, and apply a strong heat by placing it on the bottom of a pot ignited to redness, and the animal and vegetable matter will burn and fly off in aeriform products. The remainder lying in the bottom will be found to consist of clay, magnesia, or lime. To obtain accuracy, another 1-4lb. of earth should be taken from the same heap, and the whole process gone over a second, a third or even a fourth time, that the operator may rectify any blunders he had previously committed, and be satisfied as to the results of his experiment. He should provide himself with a pair of fine scales and a set of weights divided at least into ounces and drachms.—Although vinegar will detect lime by effervescence, it does not dissolve it so effectually as the nitric or muriatic acid; small quantities of which may be procured from the druggists.

'Tis done! dread winter spreads his latest glooms,
 And reigns tremendous o'er the conquer'd year.
 How dead the vegetable kingdom lies!
 How dumb the tuneful! Horror wide extends
 His desolate domain.

Jan

Last Quarter, 3d day, 11h. 56m. afternoon
 New Moon, 12th day, 4h. 40m. morning
 First Quarter, 19th day, 9h. 46m. afternoon
 Full Moo, 26th day, 0h. 57m. afternoon

M W	D D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	S.	D	D	Full	☉s
									Sea.	dec. S.
1	We	Circumcision.	7	43	10	3	m	10	10	28. 4'
2	Th	☿ sup.	7	29	5	11	11	23	10	54. 22. 59
3	Fri		7	39	5	morn.	☄	11	32	22. 54
4	Sat	♄ stat.	7	38	5	0	18	19	0	22. 22. 48
5	E	2d Sunday after Christmas.	7	37	5	1	25	11	1	18. 22. 41
6	Mo	Epiphany.	7	36	5	2	31	14	2	37. 22. 35
7	Tu	Aldebaran south 9h 14m	7	36	5	3	35	2	3	41. 22. 27
8	We	Lucian ☿ ♀. ☿ 64' south of ♀	7	35	5	4	31	f	1	50. 22. 20
9	Th	☽ apogee.	7	34	5	5	41	15	5	41. 22. 12
10	Fri		7	33	5	6	33	7	6	27. 22. 3
11	Sat	snow at this time	7	33	5	sets	13	7	5	21. 54
12	E	1st Sunday after Eph. ☉ ecl. inv. ☽ ♀	7	32	5	4	64	25	7	46. 21. 45
13	Mo	☽ ♀.	7	32	5	5	2	8	2	20. 21. 35
14	Tu	Day's length 8h 56m	7	31	5	7	19	8	4	47. 21. 25
15	We	Sirius or dog star south 10h 51m	7	30	5	8	13	9	18	21. 14
16	Th		7	30	5	9	20	14	9	47. 21. 3
17	Fri		7	29	5	10	25	25	10	27. 20. 52
18	Sat	Prisca.	7	28	5	11	33	11	3	20. 40
19	E	2d Sun. after Eph.	7	27	5	morn.	23	11	51	20. 28
20	Mo	Fabian. ☉ enters ☌	7	26	5	0	48	0	25	20. 15
21	Tu	Agues, ♃ stat.	7	25	5	2	02	1	30	20. 2
22	We	Vincent ☿ ♀. ☿ 27 1/2' south	7	24	5	3	15	11	2	26. 19. 49
23	Th	Procyon south 11h 9'	7	23	5	4	32	2	3	56. 19. 35
24	Fri	☽ perigee. ♃ ☐.	7	22	5	5	36	5	13	19. 21
25	Sat	Conversion of St. Paul.	7	21	5	6	42	20	6	17. 19. 6
26	E	Septuagesima Sunday. ☽ ecl. invis.	7	20	5	rises.	5	7	4	18. 52
27	Mo	Duke of Sussex born.	7	19	5	6	16	20	7	49. 18. 36
28	Tu		7	18	5	7	34	11	8	27. 18. 21
29	We	King George 4th's accession, 1820	7	17	5	8	43	18	9	5. 18. 5
30	Th	King Chas. I. mar.	7	15	5	9	55	9	3	17. 49
31	Fri	King George 4th proclaimed.	7	14	5	11	3	15	10	9. 17. 32

Character of Nova-Scotia.—Let us not despond of Nova-Scotia. Although many of her features be rugged and forbidding, there is a mildness and lustre in her eye, which touch the heart, and invite to confidence in her maternal care and provision. As her children, we owe her the devotion of our zeal; and our interests are interwoven with her fertility. If her soil be pronounced incapable of sustaining her people, she loses the firmest hold of our affections, and we cannot contemplate her in any other light than that of a severe stepmother, from whose withering influence we are tempted to escape. Our first and most sacred duty is to improve her agriculture, to secure her independence of foreign supplies, to unite heart and hand in this great national work, to support skilful and effective machinery, to turn the attention of the landed interest to investigate her internal resources, and to leave nothing unessayed which may exalt her to a prosperous and flourish condition.

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Now all amid the vigours of the year,
In the wild depth of winter, while without
The ceaseless winds blow ice, be my retreat,
A rural, shelter'd solitary scene;
Where ruddy fire, and beaming tapers join,
To cheer the gloom.

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Last Quarter, 2d day, 6h. 16m. afternoon
New Moon, 10th day, 10h. 51m. afternoon.
First Quarter, 18th day, 6h. 45m. morning
Full Moon, 25th day, 0h 52m. morning

M	W	Did	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	S.	D	D	Full	Sea	dec.S.
1	Sat		<i>clear and cool</i>	7	12	5	morn.	28	10	47	17	16
2	E		Sexagesima Sun. Patri. of B. Vir. Mary.	7	11	5	10	m	11	31	16	59
3	Mo		Bias.	7	9	5	17	2	0	23	16	41
4	Tu		♂ ♀ ♀ 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ south of ♀ 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ m	7	8	5	22	f	1	40	16	24
5	We		Agatha. ♀ Apogee.	7	7	5	3	23	16	2	47	16
6	Th		<i>fast</i>	7	6	5	4	30	2	1	7	15
7	Fri		<i>good sleighing</i>	7	4	5	5	7	2	5	18	15
8	Sat		♄ Jupiter sets 1h 39m a. m.	7	2	5	5	48	25	5	58	15
9	E		Quinquagesima Sun. ♄ stat.	7	1	5	6	18	6	6	36	14
10	Mo		☉ eclipsed invisible.	7	0	5	sets	10	7	19	14	32
11	Tu		Shrove Tuesday.	6	58	6	6	0	28	7	45	14
12	We		Ash Wednesday. ♀ ♄	6	57	6	7	3	3	3	16	13
13	Th		<i>more snow</i>	6	55	6	8	14	2	3	46	13
14	Fri		Valentine. Jupiter sets 1h 16' a. m.	6	54	6	9	23	9	2	22	13
15	Sat			6	52	6	10	34	20	3	52	12
16	E		1st Sun. in Lent. ♄ ☐.	6	51	6	11	48	10	39	19	32
17	Mo			6	49	6	morn.	16	11	28	12	11
18	Tu		<i>blustering weather</i>	6	48	6	1	2	11	12	00	11
19	We		☉ enters ♄. ♄ ♂ inf.	6	46	6	2	18	10	32	11	20
20	Th		♄ sets 0h 55' a. m.	6	45	6	3	25	2	1	11	7
21	Fri		♄ perigee.	6	44	6	4	22	14	3	43	10
22	Sat			6	42	6	5	7	29	5	4	10
23	E		2d Sunday in Lent.	6	41	6	5	46	6	6	3	10
24	Mo		St. Matthias. D. of Cum. b. ♄ ☐.	6	39	6	6	18	28	6	48	9
25	Tu		<i>clear and pleasant</i>	6	37	6	rises.	17	7	21	9	13
26	We		♄ sets 0h 34' a. m.	6	35	6	7	24	26	9	0	8
27	Th		<i>the 25 Virg col</i>	6	34	6	8	45	3	8	26	8
28	Fri			6	33	6	9	54	22	9	5	8

Jan 26 Agric Induist

Value of Urine.—It appears, that in five months, each cow discharges urine which, when absorbed by loam, furnishes manure of the richest quality, and most durable effects, for half an acre of ground. In an experiment made by Charles Alexander, near Peebles, the dung pit which contained all the excrementitious matter of 14 cattle, as well as the litter employed in bedding them, and which was kept separate for the purpose of the experiment, only furnished during the same period 240 loads, and these, at the same rate could only manure 8 acres. The urine which they produced, he received into a pit filled with earth and it yielded 288 loads, so that its aggregate value when compared with that of the dung, was in the ratio of 7 to 6; and we are borne out by these premises in this extraordinary inference, that the putrescible liquor which in this province, and under the management of our farmers, is wasted and annihilated as far as regards any useful purpose, is intrinsically worth more than the dung, as an efficacious and permanent dressing: and if we take

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 MARCH hath 31 Days. 1823

As yet the trembling year is unconfirm'd,
 And winter oft at eve resumes the breeze,
 Chills the pale morn, and bids his driving sleets
 Deform the day delightless.

Last Quarter, 4th day, 2h. 34m. afternoon
 New Moon, 12th day, 2h. 20m. afternoon
 First Quarter, 19th day, 2h. 4m. afternoon
 Full Moon, 26th day, 1h. 27m. afternoon

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M	W	D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	D.	D.	Full	☉
D	D			☉	S.	D.	D.	sea	dec.
1	Sat	David.		6	31	0	11	9	41.7
2	E	3d Sun. in Lent.	Chad.	6	29	6	11	18	16.7
3	Mo			6	28	6	10	16	16.7
4	Tu	☿ stat.		6	26	6	14	11	47.3
5	We	☽ apogee.	<i>Mici Non</i>	6	24	6	14	11	51.6
6	Th	☽ H.		6	21	6	14	10	45.6
7	Fri	Perpetua.	<i>23 windy weather</i>	6	23	6	13	9	55.6
8	Sat	☿ Jupiter sets	Oh, 3' a. m.	6	21	6	13	8	32.5
9	E	4th Sun. in Lent.	Mid. Lent Sun.	6	20	6	12	4	45.7
10	Mo	☽ ☿.		6	18	9	8	5	29.4
11	Tu			6	16	6	5	4	15.4
12	We	Greg. Mar.		6	15	6	5	22	49.3
13	Th	☿ Jupiter sets	11h 45' p. m.	6	13	6	sets	20	20.3
14	Fri			6	12	6	7	17	57.3
15	Sat		<i>high wind and falling weather</i>	6	10	6	3	30	17.8
16	S	5th Sun. in Lent.	☿ gr. elong.	6	9	6	9	45	8.9
17	Mo			6	7	6	10	58	14.9
18	Tu	Edw. K of West. Sax.		6	6	6	10	28	10.3
19	We	☿ sets	11h 28' p. m.	6	4	6	0	14	11.1
20	Th	☽ perigee.		6	3	6	1	23	27.1
21	Fri	Benedict.	☉ enters ♉	6	1	6	2	23	12.0
22	Sat			6	0	6	3	14	25.2
23	E	6th Sun. in Lent.	Palm Sun.	5	58	7	37	5	39.0
24	Mo			5	56	7	4	9	23.3
25	Tu	Annan. b.V. Mary.	♁ ♁.	5	54	7	4	32	11.1
26	We			5	53	7	5	0	29.1
27	Th			5	51	7	5	0	57.1
28	Fri	Good Friday.	<i>clear and pleasant at this time</i>	5	50	7	4	3	17.7
29	Sat			5	49	7	3	43	11.8
30	E	Easter Day.		5	47	7	10	2	13.8
31	Mo	Easter Monday.		5	46	7	11	8	26.9
				5	45	7	10	18	23.5

Jan 11^o 11^o 1/2
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into consideration, that this latter manure is not treated with any skill and judgment, it will not seem surprising, that the culture of white crop has never been carried here to any extent, since we have despised and neglected the only means of creating them.

Nature of Manure.—Excrementitious matter may either be the remains of animal substances only, as that of the carnivorous tribes—or of vegetables only, as that of the domestic and working cattle—or a mixture of both, as that of men, dogs, or cats. The first is the richest, the second the poorest, and the third occupies an intermediate place between the two: and the cause of this is obvious without any laboured demonstration. Flesh is clearly elaborated from vegetable food, and, as it were, contains its substance concentrated into small space, just as ardent spirit does the essence of grain. The beast of prey, therefore, that lives on flesh, must discharge a richer matter than that which is sustained solely by vegetation.

The 2^o Snow Storm

1823

APRIL hath 30 Days.

Now April comes, and
 Joyous, th' impatient husbandman perceives
 Relenting nature, and his lusty steers
Thy Drives from their stalls to where the well us'd plough
 Lies in the furrow, loosened from the frost.

Last Quarter, 3d day, 10h. 56m. morning
 New Moon, 11th day, 2h. 34m. morning
 First Quarter, 17th day, 9h. 35m. afternoon
 Full Moon, 25th day, 2h. 45m. morning

M/W	DD	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	S.	pl	Full Sea	dec.	N
1	Tu	Easter Tuesday. ☽ □.	5	43	10	7	20	10	46	4.16
2	We	☽ apogee.	5	41	7	1	1	11	27	4.42
3	Th	Rich. Bp. of Chich.	5	39	7	1	43	13	0	5.5
4	Fri	St. Ambrose.	5	38	7	2	19	25	1	5.23
6	Sat		5	30	7	2	51	22	2	5.40
6	E	1st Sun. after Easter. ☽ Low Sun.	5	35	7	3	13	20	3	6.13
7	Mo	<i>pleasant weather at this time</i>	5	33	7	3	26	1	59	6.36
8	Tu		5	32	7	3	55	15	5	6.58
9	We		5	30	7	4	23	25	6	7.21
10	Th		5	29	7	sets	7	7	1	7.43
11	Fri		5	27	7	7	36	26	7	8.5
12	Sat	<i>expect falling weather</i>	5	26	7	8	52	18	17	8.27
13	E	2d Sunday after Easter.	5	24	7	10	9	24	9	8.49
14	Mo	☽ perigee.	5	23	7	11	20	11	9	9.11
15	Tu		5	21	7	morn.	23	10	36	9.33
16	We	☽ stat.	5	20	7	0	24	11	33	9.54
17	Th		5	18	7	1	15	22	12	10.15
18	Fr.		5	16	7	1	68	0	41	10.36
19	Sat	Alphege.	5	15	7	2	31	20	2	10.57
20	E	3d Sunday after Easter. ☽ enters ♄.	5	13	7	2	66	13	26	11.18
21	Mo		5	12	7	3	16	17	4	11.39
22	Tu		5	11	7	3	42	5	25	11.59
23	We	St. George. K. George 4th b. D.K.	5	10	7	5	68	13	6	12.19
24	Th		5	8	7	4	18	26	6	12.39
25	Fri	St. Mark. Duch. of Gloucester b.	5	7	7	rises.	11	7	21	12.59
26	Sat		5	5	7	9	0	21	7	13.10
27	E	4th Sunday after Easter.	5	3	7	10	2	1	30	13.39
28	Mo		5	2	7	11	0	16	9	13.57
29	Tu	♀ ♃. ♀ 95 ¹ / ₂ north of ♃. ♂ ♄ sup	5	1	7	11	48	26	9	14.16
30	We	☽ apogee.	5	0	7	morn.	10	20	10	14.35

found to be vastly more fertilizing, bulk for bulk, than the best barn-yard manure. The urine of all animals is a strong and effective stream of putrescible matter, which should be carefully collected and conveyed to earth prepared to absorb it.

Climate of Nova-Scotia.—The spring opens in April and during that month oats and wheat are committed to the earth; In May Indian corn are planted, and this latter root will yield a full crop although postponed to the twentieth June: barley and buckwheat are sown in the end of May or early in June: and turnips are usually drilled not sooner than the sixteenth, nor later than the twenty sixth of July. Our reaping begins in August and is finished in September; October is occupied in lifting potatoes; and November in securing the turnips. During the whole autumn: from the beginning of September to that of December, we are blessed with a delightful tract of weather—the

The 15 grassm. and husbandry
 MAY hath 31 Days. *Gottsch* 1823

Come gentle Spring! ethereal mildness! come;
 And from the bosom of you dropping cloud,
 While music wakes around, veiled in a shower
 Of shadowing roses on our plains descend.

Jan 17
Jan 21
Husbandry
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Wat Last Quarter, 3d day, 5h. 24m. morning
 New Moon, 10th day, 11h. 59m. morning
 First Quarter, 17th day, 3h. 18m. morning
 Full Moon, 24th day, 4h. 53m. afternoon

M	W	D	D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	⊙	S.	D	D	Full	⊙'s
										Sea	dec.N
1	Th			St. Philip and St. James.	4	58	80	27	21	11	9.14.55
2	Fri			<i>pleasant weather</i>	4	56	80	58	58	11	58.15.11
3	Sat			Inv. of Cross.	4	55	81	27	15	0	51.15.29
4	E			1st Sun. after East. Rog. Sun.	4	53	81	53	27	2	0.15.47
5	Mo				4	52	82	10	3	3	17.16.4
6	Tu			John Evan. ante port. Lat.	4	51	82	31	23	4	13.16.21
7	We				4	50	82	52	7	5	9.16.38
8	Th			Ascension Day. Holy Thursday.	4	49	83	18	20	5	58.16.53
9	Fri				4	48	83	46	8	6	33.17.11
10	Sat			<i>look for rain</i>	4	47	8	sets	19	7	26.17.27
11	E			Sun. after Ascen. D ♄.	4	45	89	8	11	8	19.17.43
12	Mo			D ♄. D perigee.	4	44	8	10	13	16	58.17.58
13	Tu				4	43	8	11	11	9	43.18.14
14	We				4	42	8	11	56	18	10.33.18.28
15	Th				4	40	8	morn.	11	24	18.43
16	Fri				4	39	8	0	34	10	11.53.18.57
17	Sat				4	38	8	1	3	0	22.19.11
18	E			Whit Sunday	4	37	8	1	26	14	1.32.19.25
19	Mo			Whit Monday.	4	36	8	1	47	27	5.19.38
20	Tu			Whit Tuesday.	4	35	8	2	22	3	48.19.51
21	We			☉ enters II.	4	34	8	2	30	23	4.58.20.3
22	Th			Prs. of Homburg h.	4	33	8	2	53	24	3.40.20.16
23	Fri			<i>pleasant weather</i>	4	32	8	3	18	16	2.20.28
24	Sat				4	31	8	3	50	17	0.20.39
25	E			Trinity Sunday.	4	30	8	3	riser	12	7.38.20.50
26	Mo			Aug. 1st Abp. of Cant.	4	29	8	9	42	24	3.15.21.1
27	Tu			Ven. Bede. D ♄. D apogee.	4	28	8	10	20	25	3.52.21.12
28	We			♄ gr elong.	4	27	8	10	58	18	9.29.21.22
29	Th			K. Charles II. restored.	4	26	8	11	25	10	3.21.32
30	Fri				4	25	8	11	51	12	10.41.21.41
31	Sat			<i>growing showers</i>	4	25	8	morn.	24	11	20.21.50

sky serene and unclouded—the roads dry—and the plough may be in perpetual motion.

Alternate Husbandry.—The great line of demarcation between the present and old courses of cropping consists in the invariable alteration of green and white crops. The best cultivators never take from the same field two corn crops in succession, but interpose between them either beans, carrots, or other green vegetables; or when the soil is a stubborn tenacious clay, and unsuited to the production of turnips, they have recourse to a summer fallow, recurring at as distant an interval as is compatible with the cleanness of the land. White crops are experienced to have an impoverishing, and green an enriching effect; and therefore the due and regular interchange of these preserves a sort of perpetual fertility, and affords every other year an opportunity of extirpating all weeds, and of subdividing and loosening the soil.

Art of Composting.—The whole art of composting, is to arrange the materials in alternate layers—to shake up the

W. Cary
London

*June 25 Sun High Water 10 1/2
3 Fri*
JUNE hath 30 Days.

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Moist, bright and green the landscape laughs around
Full swell the woods; their every music wakes,
Mix'd in wild concert with the warbling brooks
Increases, the distant bleating of the hills,
And hollow lows responsive from the vales.

Last Quarter, 1st day, 9h. 5m. afternoon
New Moon, 8th day, 7h. 34m. afternoon
First Quarter, 15th day, 11h. 9m. morning
Full Moon, 23d day, 7h. 49m. morning

M	W	D	D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	S.	D	D	Full	S
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1	E	1st	Sun. after Trin.	Nicomede.	4	23	8	10	11	20	7	21 58
2	Mo				4	24	8	0	29	18	0	51 22. 7
3	Tu				4	24	8	0	59	7	2	1 22. 15
4	We				4	23	8	1	11	14	3	23 22. 22
5	Th	Duke of Cumb. b.		Boniface.	4	22	8	1	36	26	4	34 22. 29
6	Fri				4	22	8	2	6	8	5	25 22. 36
7	Sat	♀ sets 10h 31m			4	21	8	2	43	27	6	22 22. 42
8	E	2d Sun. after Trin.			4	21	8	sets	Π	7	13	22. 48
9	Mo	♃ Perigee.			4	20	8	sets	55	27	8	12 22. 53
10	Tu	♄ ♃.			4	20	8	9	44	26	3	34 22. 59
11	We	St. Barnabas.	♀ stat		4	20	8	10	26	27	9	29 23. 3
12	Th				4	19	8	10	58	10	16	23. 7
13	Fri	♀ Venus sets 10h 29'			4	19	8	11	24	26	11	1 23. 11
14	Sat				4	19	8	11	46	11	48	23. 15
15	E	3d Sun. after Trin.			4	19	8	morn.	24	0	15	23. 18
16	Mo				4	18	8	0	8	0	37	23. 20
17	Tu	St. Alban.			4	18	8	0	29	20	2	17 23. 23
18	We				4	18	8	0	52	11	3	10 23. 25
19	Th	♀ Venus sets 10h 27'			4	17	8	1	14	15	4	8 23. 26
20	Fri	Tr. of Ed. K. of W. Sac.			4	17	8	1	48	27	5	7 23. 27
21	Sat				4	17	8	2	20	1	5	57 23. 28
22	E	4th Sun. after Trin.	⊙ enters ♃		4	17	8	3	4	21	6	36 23. 29
23	Mo				4	17	8	rises.	5	7	14	23. 27
24	Tu	Nat. of St. John Bap.	♃ ♄.	♃ Apogee	4	17	8	8	52	15	7	56 23. 27
25	We				4	18	8	7	23	27	3	27 23. 26
26	Th				4	18	8	9	47	9	4	4 23. 24
27	Fri				4	18	8	10	9	20	9	32 23. 22
28	Sat				4	18	8	10	28	10	10	23. 20
29	E	5th Sun. after Trin.	St Peter.		4	19	8	10	45	15	10	43 23. 17
30	Mo				4	19	8	11	7	27	11	19 23. 14

*June 27 Mon High Water 10 1/2
June 28 Tue High Water 10 1/2
June 29 Wed High Water 10 1/2
June 30 Thu High Water 10 1/2*

and dung with a hay fork that it may lie loosely,—to cover the top and sides with earth,—and to give it a sloping direction that it may cast off excessive moisture. Its height should never exceed four feet, or four and a half; and its breadth should be such, that a man on either side, may be enabled to fling the ingredients into the centre without trampling on the heap: for compression in all cases retards the putrefactive process. If the mass, after being compounded, is long in generating heat; urine, salt or even fresh water poured on the top slowly, that it may ooze downward, will bring it on rapidly. On the other hand, should the process advance with too great violence, which can be always known by keeping a stick in the middle, and drawing it out occasionally for trial, the fermentation must be retained by turning over the dung-hill, and mixing anew the ingredients.

Coal Ashes.—The ashes of pitcoal, which are to be procured abundantly in Halifax or in Pictou, from the preference given by the inhabitants to this species of fuel, have long been

*June 25 Sun High Water 10 1/2
June 26 Mon High Water 10 1/2
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June 29 Thu High Water 10 1/2
June 30 Fri High Water 10 1/2*

From brightening fields of ether fair disclos'd,
 Child of the sun, refulgent Summer comes,
 In pride of youth, and felt through nature's depth
 He comes attended by the sultry hours,
 And ever fanning breezes on his way.

*Jan 18
 from fig in
 Passiflora
 fruit*

Jan 7

First Quarter, 1st day, 9h. 17m. morning
 New Moon, 8th day, 2h. 26m. morning
 First Quarter, 14th day, 9h. 7m. afternoon
 Full Moon, 22d day, 11h. 14m. afternoon
 Last Quarter, 30th day, 6h. 36m. afternoon

M	W	D	D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	S.	D	D	Full	D's
											Sea	song,
1	Tu			<i>sultry and warm</i>	4	19	8	11	31	0	7	23 ^c 11
2	We			Vis. of B.V. Mary. H ♂	4	20	8	11	56	23	1	6 23. 7
3	Th			Trans. of St. Mar.	4	20	8	morn.	8	2	20	26. 2
4	Fri				4	20	8	0	80	21	3	45 22. 58
5	Sat			☽ stat.	4	21	8	1	6	11	5	33 22. 52
6	E			6th Sun. after Trin.	4	21	8	2	1	20	6	0 22. 47
7	Mo			☽ Perigee. ♀ Venus sets 9h 55'	4	22	8	sets	7	0	7	0 22. 41
8	Tu			☉ eclipsed invisible.	4	22	8	8	0	21	7	40 22. 35
9	We			<i>midling full tides</i>	4	23	8	6	47	8	80	22. 28
10	Th				4	23	8	9	14	21	9	10 22. 21
11	Fri			<i>thunder and rain at this time</i>	4	24	8	9	42	11	9	41 22. 15
12	Sat				4	25	8	10	4	19	10	27 22. 5
13	E			7th Sun. after Trin.	4	26	8	10	25	11	8	21 21. 67
14	Mo				4	27	8	10	49	16	11	56 21. 49
15	Tu			Switthin.	4	28	8	11	12	29	12	24 21. 40
16	We			☽ gr. elong	4	28	8	11	41	11	0	55 21. 30
17	Th			☽ S. ☽ 45 74' south of ☽	4	29	8	morn.	24	2	8	21. 26
18	Fri				4	30	8	0	17	3	23	21. 10
19	Sat			Venus sets 9h 31'	4	31	8	0	56	1	1	24 21. 0
20	E			8th Sun. after Trin. Marg. ret.	4	32	8	1	45	5	30	20. 49
21	Mo			☽ H. ☽ apogee.	4	33	8	2	40	12	6	15 20. 38
22	Tu			Magdalen. ☽ eclipsed visible.	4	34	8	3	40	24	6	54 20. 26
23	We			☉ enters ♈	4	35	8	rises	7	31	20	14
24	Th				4	36	8	10	18	8	12	20. 2
25	Fri			St. James.	4	37	8	30	3	8	35	19. 50
26	Sat			St. Anne. Dog days begin	4	38	8	3	49	12	9	6 19. 37
27	E			9th Sun. after Trinity.	4	39	8	9	11	24	9	36 19. 24
28	Mo				4	40	8	9	30	10	8	19. 10
29	Tu			<i>moderate weather</i>	4	41	8	9	55	26	10	41 18. 56
30	We				4	42	8	10	22	8	11	25 18. 42
31	Th				4	43	8	10	58	10	0	26 18. 28

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Passiflora blanda

Jan 28, 1823

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 recognized as eminently useful. For turnips they serve an excellent purpose, by encouraging a quick growth and hastening the tender plants beyond the ravages of the fly.

Collection of Manures.—In the English barn-yards a pit is opened, varying from two to three feet in depth, and proportioned to the size of the area; paved either at bottom with flag stones, or coated with clay—The cow-house, the pig sty, the feeding stall, the stable are all so contrived; that the urine and vegetable juices, in the separate subdivisions flow inward, and empty themselves into this excavation. It is the common receptacle of all the dung made by the cattle, of the refuse of the kitchen, of the sweepings of the barn-floor, and in short, of all the waste of the farm.

First of all, a coating of the common mould, by most of the enlightened & scientific agriculturists, is spread all along the pavement of the pit, from 9 to 15 inches deep, according to the con-

22 1823

AUGUST hath 31 Days.

Now, flaming up the heavens, the potent sun
 Melts into limpid air the high rais'd clouds,
 And morning fogs that hover'd round the hills,
 In party-coloured bands; till wide unveil'd
 The face of Nature shines.

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 New Moon, 5th day, 9h. 39m. morning
 First Quarter, 13th day, 9h. 6m. morning
 Full Moon, 21st day, 2h. 26m. afternoon
 Last Quarter, 29th day, 2h. 3m. morning

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1	Fri			Lammass Day. ♀ gr elong	4	44	8	11	42	11	1	48	15	13
2	Sat				4	47	8	10	45	15	3	26	17	58
3	Mo			10th Sun. af. Trin.	4	48	8	9	45	29	4	51	17	42
4	Mo			D ♂.	4	49	8	1	52	25	5	56	17	27
5	Tu			D perigee	4	51	8	3	14	29	6	48	17	11
6	We			Trans. of our Lord. ☉ eclipsed invis.	4	52	8		sets	31	7	32	16	55
7	Th			Name of JESUS.	4	53	8	7	38	29	8	11	16	38
8	Fri				4	54	8	8	00	18	8	44	16	21
9	Sat				4	56	8	8	23	28	9	24	16	4
10	E			11th Sun. after Trin. St. Lawrence	4	57	8	3	45	29	9	15	15	47
11	Mo			♂ ♂ sup.	4	59	8	9	11	25	10	15	15	30
12	Tu			George IV. born, 1762.	5	0	7	9	39	11	11	15	15	12
13	We				5	1	7	10	13	21	11	14	14	54
14	Th				5	2	7	10	52	10	14	14	14	36
15	Fri			Assumption Day. harvest approaches	5	3	7	11	43	15	1	26	14	17
16	Sat			Duke York b.	5	5	7		morn.	27	3	6	13	58
17	E			12th Sun. after Trin. D.H. Dap. ♀	5	6	7	0	40	15	4	2	13	40
18	Mo				5	7	7	1	41	21	5	6	13	20
19	Tu				5	9	7	2	44	22	5	54	13	1
20	We			Duke of Clarence born. fine weather for harvest	5	10	7	3	50	14	6	40	12	41
21	Th				5	11	7		rises	26	7	19	12	22
22	Fri				5	13	7	3	56	27	7	44	12	2
23	Sat			☉ enters ♍	5	14	7	7	17	18	8	9	11	41
24	E			13th Sun. after Trin. St. Bartholomew.	5	15	7	7	38	18	40	11	11	21
25	Mo				5	17	7	8	2	17	9	13	11	1
26	Tu				5	18	7	8	29	8	9	49	10	40
27	We				5	19	7	9	3	13	10	26	10	19
28	Th			St. Augustine.	5	21	7	9	42	27	11	14	9	58
29	Fri			St. John Baptist beheaded.	5	22	7	10	40	10	17	9	37	
30	Sat				5	24	7	11	42	24	1	46	9	15
31	E			14th Sun. after Trin.	5	25	7		morn.	23	3	25	8	54

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 venience or fancy of the operator. On this the manure is laid, as it is brought by a wheel-barrow out of the different offices and stalls. When fermentation becomes violent, and this is indicated by the heat and strength of the vapour, the cleansing of ditches and roads, or, in want of these, common earth, are carted off from a considerable distance, and regularly spread over the dung-hil. The gases are thus absorbed and prevented from escaping; and recourse is had to this remedy, whenever the rapidity of the putrefactive process points out its necessity. From experience it is discovered, that the earthy materials which are thus added to the animal and vegetable substances, are impregnated with as nutritive virtues as the dung itself; and that they increase the bulk and value of the manure by their whole amount. Nay, so attentive are some farmers, that they empty their dungstead twice or thrice, during summer, cart the contents to the field for which they are destined as a dressing, and form there a new compost on

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 SEPTEMBER hath 30 Days.

The sun has lost his rays & his downward orb
 Shoots nothing now but animating warmth,
 Crown'd with the sickle and the wheaten sheaf,
 While Autumn, nodding o'er the yellow plain,
 Comes jovial on.

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New Moon, 4th day, 6h. 3m. afternoon
 First Quarter, 12th day, 2h. 31m. morning
 Full Moon, 20th day, 4h. 47m. morning
 Last Quarter, 27th day, 6h. 42m. morning

M	W	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	S.	R.	D.	S.	D.	Full	Sea	☉	☽
D	D		R.	S.	R.	S.	D.	S.	Sea		☉	☽
1	Mo	Quies. ☽ ☽.	5	20	7	10	54	23	1	48	0	32
2	Tu	London burnt, 1666. O. S. ☽ perigee	5	27	7	2	14	Q	5	48	8	11
3	We		5	29	7	3	31	23	6	30	7	49
4	Th	cool mornings and evenings.	5	30	7	sets	31	23	7	16	7	27
5	Fri		5	32	7	3	32	2	7	5	7	4
6	Sat	Dog days end. ☽ stat.	5	34	7	6	56	2	8	20	6	42
7	E	15th Sunday af. Trin. Enochus. ☽ ♀	5	35	7	7	23	20	9	2	6	20
8	Mo	Nat. of B. V. Mary	5	37	7	7	47	11	9	34	5	57
9	Tu	rain at this tim.	5	38	7	9	20	10	10	11	5	35
10	We		5	39	7	8	58	20	11	6	5	12
11	Th		5	41	7	9	43	7	11	50	4	49
12	Fri		5	43	7	10	35	20	0	26	4	26
13	Sat		5	44	7	11	32	0	0	58	4	4
14	E	16th Sun. after Trin. Holy Cross. Day	5	46	7	10	17	2	26	3	41	17
15	Mo		5	47	7	0	37	29	3	30	3	17
16	Tu	☽ stat.	5	49	7	1	38	1	4	46	2	54
17	We	Lambert.	5	50	7	2	44	23	5	30	2	34
18	Th	pleasant and agreeable weather	5	52	7	3	49	30	6	9	2	8
19	Fri		5	53	7	4	53	27	6	44	1	45
20	Sat	☽ stat.	5	55	7	rises	0	7	18	1	1	21
21	E	17th Sun. af. Trin. St. Matthew.	5	57	7	5	18	13	7	5	0	53
22	Mo		5	58	6	6	41	20	8	20	0	35
23	Tu	☉ enters ♌	6	0	6	7	14	8	9	1	0	11M
24	We	windy and rain.	6	1	6	7	53	23	9	40	0	12S
25	Th	☽ gr elong	6	3	6	8	40	11	10	20	0	36
26	Fri	St. Cyprian.	6	5	6	9	41	21	11	10	0	59
27	Sat	☽ 2.	6	6	6	10	51	0	9	21	1	23
28	E	18th Sun. after Trin. Q. of Wirt. b.	6	7	6	10	19	1	4	1	46	
29	Mo	St. Michael. ☽ perigee	6	9	6	1	7	Q	3	24	2	9
30	Tu	St. Jerome.	6	11	6	1	24	18	4	38	2	38

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 the same principles. A layer from the barnyard is first spread down in the form of an oblong square or parallelogram; above this is laid either earth, or the surface sward cut off by the spade; again, another layer of dung; and so on alternately, till it is raised to the height of 3 to 4 feet. The sides and top are then covered over with soil; and in this state a new fermentation takes place and all the gases are confined within the boundaries of the heap. In this manner the skilful occupier of land multiplies his manure, repairs the waste of decomposition, and exerts a philosophic control over the powers of fertility.

Lime, as a manure—No investment of capital pays with a more liberal return than the purchasing of lime to cumbrous soils; and the reason of this is palpable and of satisfactory elucidation. Their grand fault lies in their coherence, and proneness to cake and consolidate after rains. A mixture of sand would to a certain extent rectify this defect, but lime does it more effectually.

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30 miles in 14 days to the west
Paris, London and Marseille
 1823 OCTOBER hath 31 Days.

The pale descending year, yet pleasing still,
 A gentler mood inspires; for now the leaf
 Incessant ruffles from the mournful trees,
 Oft startling such as, studious, walk below,
 And slowly circles thro' the waving air.

M New Moon, 4th day, 4h. 27m. morning
 First Quarter, 11th day, 9h. 53m. afternoon
 Full Moon, 19th day, 5h. 57m. afternoon
 Last Quarter, 26th day, 3h. 39m. afternoon

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												Sea	dec. 8.	
1	We	Remigius.	☿	☐. ☿ rises 10h 33'	6	12	6	2	3	11	5	34	2° 56'	
2	Th	Saturn south	2h 56'		6	14	0	3	5	10	6	20	3. 19	
3	Fri	☿ ☐.		<i>pleasant weather</i>	6	15	6	5	11	7	3	3. 43		
4	Sat				6	17	6	sets	14	7	38	4. 6		
5	E	19th Sun. after Trin.			6	18	6	5	5	6	28	8	4. 29	
6	Mo	Faith.			6	20	6	6	26	11	3	43	4. 52	
7	Tu	Jupiter rises	10h 13'		6	21	6	7	1	24	9	27	5. 15	
8	We			<i>perhaps rain</i>	6	23	6	7	4	5	10	1	5. 38	
9	Th	St. Denys.			6	24	6	8	3	5	19	10	54	6. 1
10	Fri	♀ ☉ inf.			6	26	6	9	3	2	17	11	39	6. 24
11	Sat				6	27	6	10	3	3	14	9	4	6. 47
12	E	20th Sunday after Trinity.		☽ Apogee.	6	29	6	11	2	5	25	0	29	7. 10
13	Mo	Trns. of K. Edw. Con.			6	30	6	morn.	3	1	47	7	7. 32	
14	Tu	Jupiter rises	9h 52'		6	32	6	0	4	1	49	2	51	7. 55
15	We				6	33	6	1	4	6	4	2	8. 17	
16	Th			<i>clear and pleasant</i>	6	35	6	3	1	13	4	58	8. 40	
17	Fri	Etheldred.			6	36	6	3	5	4	26	5	41	9. 2
18	Sat	St. Luke.			6	38	6	4	5	9	6	25	9. 24	
19	E	21st Sunday after Trinity.			6	40	6	6	9	2	27	1	9. 46	
20	Mo	♀ ☉ inf.			6	42	6	riser	8	7	36	10.	7	
21	Tu	Saturn south	1h 46'		6	43	6	5	6	9	19	3	10	10. 29
22	We			<i>windy and rain</i>	6	45	6	6	4	8	11	4	51	10. 50
23	Th			<i>perhaps snow</i>	6	46	6	7	4	3	18	9	35	11. 12
24	Fri	☉ enters ♍	☽ perigee.		6	48	6	3	5	3	20	13	11. 33	
25	Sat	Crispin.	☽ ☿.		6	49	6	10	5	16	11	24	11. 54	
26	E	22d Sun. after Trin.			6	50	6	11	2	0	0	22	12. 15	
27	Mo				6	52	6	morn.	14	1	41	41	12. 35	
28	Tu	St. Simon and St. Jude.	☿ stat.		6	53	6	9	3	1	28	3	11	12. 55
29	We	♀ stat.			6	55	6	1	5	0	4	11	13. 16	
30	Th				6	56	6	3	2	26	5	11	13. 36	
31	Fr		☽ ☿.		6	57	6	0	1	14	2	6	4	13. 55

ally; for it not only causes and multiplies interstices in the soil, rendering it loose and friable, but it imparts likewise the other beneficial effects which result from its application.

On dry and light land, from one to two hundred bushels of shells are accounted a sufficient dose; on heavy loams as much as three hundred have been used; while on clays and stiff marshes, some cultivators have gone the length of four hundred, and deemed this quantity neither dangerous nor excessive.

Limestone, during the process of burning, loses nearly one half of its specific weight—as a ton of lime stone put into the kiln diminishes to eleven cwts. when drawn from it. The shells should be removed immediately, for such is their affinity to carbonic acid, that they begin to attract it greedily from the atmosphere, and in a short time, will be nearly as heavy as at first. Neither should they be slaked, till they are carried to the field for which they are destin-

How clear the cloudless sky ! how deeply ting'd
 With a peculiar blue ! the ethereal arch
 How swell'd immense ! amid whose azure thrond
 The radiant sun how gay ! how calm below,
 The gilded earth !

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New Moon, 2d day, 5h. 26m. afternoon
 First Quarter, 11th day, 6h. 38m. afternoon
 Full Moon, 18th day, 5h. 7m. morning
 Last Quarter, 24th day, 11h. 19m. afternoon

*The 17th
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M	W	D	D	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	☉	S.	R.	D.	D.	Full	☽
											Sea	Dec. 8.
1	Sat	All Saints.	♀	stat.	6	59	6	26	23	0	37	14
2	E	23d Sun. after Trin.		All Souls.	7	0	5	sets.	m	7	18	14
3	Mo	Prs. Sophia b.			7	2	5	5	1	10	7	54
4	Tu	♄ gr elong			7	3	5	4	2	9	5	30
5	We	Powder Plot 1605.		<i>perhaps rain</i>	7	4	5	6	28	15	9	30
6	Th	Leonard,			7	6	5	7	26	27	9	7
7	Fri	D H. ♀ Venus rises 4h 5'			7	7	5	8	28	10	27	16
8	Sat	Prs. Aug. Sophia born.	♃	apogee.	7	8	5	9	21	21	11	10
9	E	24th Sun. af. Trin.			7	9	5	10	32	11	58	16
10	Mo				7	10	5	11	33	14	0	25
11	Tu	St. Martin.			7	11	5	morn.	26	0	49	17
12	We				7	12	5	0	39	2	1	55
13	Th	Britius. ♃ ♄.	♀	Venus rises 3h 55'	7	13	5	1	39	21	3	10
14	Fri			<i>pleasant weather</i>	7	15	5	2	44	4	3	18
15	Sat	Machutus.			7	16	5	3	51	17	5	00
16	E	25th Sunday after Trinity.			7	17	5	0	5	5	48	18
17	Mo	Hugh Bish. of Liu.			7	19	5	6	13	14	6	3
18	Tu				7	20	5	rises	28	7	14	19
19	We	♀ rises 3h 40'			7	21	5	5	31	11	7	58
20	Th	Edmund K. and Mart.	♃	Perigee.	7	22	5	6	39	21	8	42
21	Fri	♃ ♃.		<i>blustering and cold</i>	7	23	5	7	54	9	31	19
22	Sat	Cecilia. ☉ enters ♄			7	24	5	9	14	26	10	16
23	E	26th Sun. af. Trin. St. Clements.			7	25	5	10	25	11	7	20
24	Mo				7	26	5	11	40	25	0	1
25	Tu	Catharine. ♀ rises 3h 34'			7	28	5	morn.	11	1	5	20
26	We				7	29	5	0	58	23	2	23
27	Th			<i>looks like snow</i>	7	20	5	2	1	3	29	21
28	Fri				7	31	5	3	10	20	4	36
29	Sat				7	32	5	4	21	17	5	27
30	E	Advent Sunday. St. Andrew.			7	33	5	5	39	16	6	11

ed; as the eleven cwts. when reduced to powder, will increase to about twenty three, and from the absorption of the water, will become heavier by the whole of its weight. These calculations are founded on the data furnished by pure lime, but if there be a mixture of sand or clay in the native rock, this conclusion will be proportionably affected.

Lime should not only be laid on the surface, but intimately mixed with the soil. It is on this account, that a double preparation should take place before its mixture—it should itself be slaked and brought into a powdery state; and the land should be well pulverized. The two bodies will be then susceptible of a close and entire union among their respective particles, and will exert on each other a reciprocal influence and activity.

As an exuberant dose of lime is pernicious, so any quantity, whether great or small, is useless on poor and

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See, Winter comes, to rule the varied year,
Sullen and sad, with all his rising train,
Vapours, and clouds and storms ; while vital heat,
Light, life and joy, the dubious day forsake.

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New moon, 2d day, 9h. 22m. morning
First Quarter, 10th day, 2h. 42m. afternoon
Full moon 17th day, 5h. 36m. afternoon
Last Quarter, 24th day, 9h. 4m. morning

M	W	Feasts, Festivals, Weather, &c.	R.	☉	☽	☽	Full	☉'s
D.	D.		S.	S.	S.	S.	Sea	rec. S.
1	Mo	♀ rises 3h 30'	7	34	5	0	53	21 44'
2	Tu	<i>expect falling weather.</i>	7	35	5	sets	7	32 21. 53
3	We		7	35	5	5	23	8 10 22. 2
4	Th	♃ ♄.	7	36	5	6	8	46 22. 11
5	Fri		7	37	5	7	11	17 9 12 23. 19
6	Sat	Nicholas. ☽ Apogee.	7	37	5	8	15	29 9 51 22. 27
7	E	2d Sunday in Advent. ♀ rises 3h 31'	7	38	5	9	18	31 10 51 22. 34
8	Mo	Con.B.V.Mary.	7	38	5	10	20	22 11 8 22. 41
9	Tu		7	39	5	11	13	21 11 52 22. 47
10	We	<i>windy and rain</i>	7	40	5	morn.	16	0 15 22. 58
11	Th	<i>at this time</i>	7	40	5	14	29	0 29 22. 58
12	Fri		7	40	5	1	27	7 1 44 23. 3
13	Sat	Lucy. ♀ ♄ sup. ♀ rises 3h 32'	7	41	5	2	33	24 3 3 23. 8
14	E	3d Sunday in Advent.	7	41	5	3	42	8 4 1 23. 12
15	Mo		7	41	5	4	57	22 5 4 23. 16
16	Tu	<i>pleasant and agreeable weather</i>	7	41	5	6	12	11 6 2 23. 19
17	We		7	42	5	rises	21	6 54 23. 21
18	Th	♃ ♄. ☽ perigee. <i>pretty full tides</i>	7	42	5	23	27	7 45 23. 24
19	Fri	♄ gr elong	7	42	5	6	40	21 3 32 23. 25
20	Sat	♀ rises 3h 37'	7	42	5	8	1	36 9 10 23. 27
21	E	4th Sunday in Advent. St. Thomas. ♄ ☐	7	42	5	9	20	21 9 57 23. 27
22	Mo	☉ enters ♍	7	42	5	10	34	7 10 37 23. 28
23	Tu		7	42	5	11	44	19 11 17 23. 28
24	We		7	42	5	morn.	0	11 23. 27
25	Th	Christmas Day.	7	42	5	0	51	17 1 10 23. 26
26	Fri	St. Stephen. ♀ rises 3h 41'	7	42	5	2	10	2 38 23. 24
27	Sat	St. John.	7	42	5	3	12	13 3 37 23. 22
28	E	1st Sunday after Chris. Innocents. ♃ ♄	7	42	5	4	22	25 4 22 23. 20
29	Mo		7	41	5	24	1	5 24 23. 17
30	Tu	<i>cold weather ends the month</i>	7	41	5	6	20	20 6 20 23. 13
31	Fri	Silvester.	7	41	5	7	11	12 6 11 23. 9

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exhausted land. It is an undoubted fact that when a field has been worn out by continued cropping, it is in vain to lime it for the purpose of restoring the powers of fertility. Dung, in this case, would be beneficial ; but calcareous earth is hurtful and ineffective. It lies dormant in the soil, either till putrescent manure is added, or till rest and time have replenished the natural herbage, on both of which it begins quickly to operate.

On the application of lime it has been found, that the succeeding crop receives more benefit from a warm than a cold summer ; that grain of all sorts is later in ripening, because from the increased action of atmospheric absorption the land is kept cool and a more vigorous growth communicated to the plants ; and lastly, that wheat on limed fallows seldom appears superior, until the weather becomes hot in June.

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Directions for coming into Halifax Harbour, taken from the printed Directions in the Custom-House at Halifax.

SAMBRO Island and Light House is in latitude 44 deg. 30 min. N. and longitude 63 deg. 32 min. W.

From the westward, bring the light to bear N. E. ; if it bears more easterly stretch to the southward till it bears N. E. and as much more northerly as you please, there being no shoal or ledge to the southward; then keep it open on your larboard bow; give it more than a mile and a half birth, as much more as you please.

Note—The western ledges lie from the light S. W. distant two miles, the other W. S. W. about one league; the eastern ledges lie in a range nearly, some above water; the outermost one mile and a half from the light, bearing from it E. N. E.

When the light bears north, distant about 2 miles, run N. E. 4 miles, then north will carry you to Chebucto Head, at a proper distance clear of all danger.

When a breast of Chebucto Head, run N. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. for the south point of George's Island.

When within half a mile of George's Island, you may enter the harbour west of it in 12 fathoms, or east of it in 15.

In passing between Sandwich point and Meagher's beech, run nearest the point, to shun a shoal which runs off S. W. from the beach.

There is also a shoal lying one mile south of Sandwich point.

Coming from the eastward, run for the light, and you cannot fail seeing Chebucto Head as you open Halifax harbour; the light being 4 miles distant from the Head to the S. W.

Signals made at Fort George when Vessels are coming into Harbour.

- One ball close for one square rigged vessel
- One ball half hoisted, for two do
- Two balls close, for three do
- Two balls separated, for four do
- A pendant of any colour, for five do
- A do under a ball, for six do
- A do over a do half hoisted for 7 do
- A do under 2 do close, for 8 do
- A do between 2 do separated, for 9 do
- A flag of any colour, for 10 or more do

[The above are hoisted at the east or west yard-arm, according to the quarter the vessel first appears in, with the addition of a ball at the centre of the yard until the vessels can be seen, when one or more of the following descriptive colours will be hoisted at the mast head.]

A Union for a Flag Ship, with or without a Squadron.

Do with a Red Pendant over it, for a Two-decker

Do with a blue Pendant over it, for a Frigate.

Do with a white Pendant over it, for a small armed Vessel

A red Flag pierced white for a Packet

A blue Pendant for a Merchant ship

A red Pendant for a merchant brig.

A white Pendant for a Topsail Schooner or Sloop

Blue and white Flag horizontally divided, Neutral Fleet

White and blue Pendant, Neutral Man of War

Blue Flag, Neutral Merchant Ship

A red, white and blue Flag, an Enemy's fleet

A red, white and blue pendant, an Enemy's man of war.

A red Flag, an Enemy's Merchantman

An Union Jack over Neutral or Enemy's Signals; vessel is detained or prize

A white Flag over any Signal; Vessel bears a Flag of Truce

A Ball at the mast head—Vessel is on shore or in distress: should immediate aid be necessary, guns to be fired.

EXPLANATION OF SIGNALS,

Made on the Ensign Staff at Fort George, to denote the Port which vessels entering the Harbour of Halifax have arrived from.

No 21. 33 Jan 2 19 3. 2
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- A red Flag from Great Britain
 - A red-and-white do the Mediteranean
 - A red Pendant, the Continent of Europe
 - A white-and-red Pendant, Madeira, Canary or Western Isles
 - A blue Flag, West Indies
 - A blue Pendant, Bermudas, Bahamas or Turk's Islands
 - A blue-and-white Flag, United States
 - A white Flag, Newfoundland
 - A red-and-white Flag, horizontally divided, Quebec, or Gulf of St. Lawrence.
 - A blue-and white Flag, horizontally divided, New-Brunswick, or Bay of Fundy
 - A white-and-blue Pendant—Vessel has an English Mail on board
 - A white Pendant—Coasts of Nova-Scotia
- Repeats from Out-Posts at Fort George.*
- For a square rigged vessel—two balls of a size.
 - A ship—A large ball at the end of the yard, with a small in the centre.
 - A brig—a small ball at the end of the yard, with a large ball in the centre.
 - A Lozenge in the centre, close up—a sloop or schooner.
 - Do. do. half hoisted—two or more schooners

MERCHANTS' PRIVATE SIGNALS PORT OF HALIFAX.

- RED, &c.*
- J. & M. Tobin. A red flag crossed white
 - Geo Grassie & Co Do crossed white diagonally
 - Deblois & Mitchell A ditto centre a white square
 - Henry Ford & Co Do centre letter F.
 - Alexander Mitchell Do centre 2 blue balls in a white square
 - James Fraser & Co red and white flag, red next the mast,
 - Forsyth, Black & Co red and white flag, red uppermost,
 - John Brown Do centre letter B
 - Hartshorne, Boggs & Co A chequered flag, red and white, red uppermost.
- BLUE, &c.*
- William Story A blue Petre
 - J W. Morris A blue Petre, centre a blue ball
 - A Cunard & Son blue flag, centre a star
 - Belcher Binney & Co Do crossed white
 - Wm. Pryor blue and white flag, blue uppermost
 - R. Harney Do blue, red, white, yellow striped, blue uppermost, centre R H
 - Collins & Allison A blue Burgee
 - Peter Grant A blue do centre letter G
 - John Clark A blue do crossed white diagonally
 - T & L Piers A yellow flag, centre a blue ball
- GREEN, &c.*
- Law. Doyle A green burgee, centre a harp
- WHITE, &c.*
- Richard Tremain Do crossed red
 - John Starr Do centre a star
 - Charles Harris Ditto centre a red square
 - John Tremain Ditto with blue cross
 - J Lyons Red and white-flag, white uppermost
 - G N Russell ~~at~~ white and blue flag, white next the mast
 - Wm. Strachan White red and white do white next do
 - Fredk Major White red and white flag, white uppermost
 - Wm. M'Hegron A white burgee with a blue fly
 - W. K. Reynolds Ditto with a red cross

The above signals are worn at the main. Upon a vessel arriving in sight from the Light House so wearing her signal, a similar one is hoisted on the Telegraph Staff, or at the yard arm of the Signal Staff at Fort George, with a Pendant under it, descriptive of the class of vessels she belongs to.

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ON THE REGISTRY OF ENGLAND.

No 188, called St Andrew, held at Halifax, first Tuesday in the month,
No 265, called St John, held at Halifax, first Monday in ditto.

ON THE REGISTRY OF NOVA SCOTIA.

- No 1, called Union, held at Halifax, 2d Monday in the month,
No 2, called Virgin, held at Halifax, 4th Monday, ditto
No 3, called Parr, held at Shelburne, 2d, Thursday, ditto
No 6, called Digby, held at Digby, 1st Tuesday, ditto
No 7, called Temple, held at Guisborough, 1st Tuesday, ditto
No 9, called Chester, held at Chester, 1st Tuesday ditto
No 10, called Hiram, held at Shelburne, 2d Monday ditto
No 11, called St George, held at Cornwallis 1st Monday do
No 19, called St George, held at Mangerville, N B 2d Tuesday, do
No 22, called Solomon, held at Fredericton, N B 1st Tuesday after Full Moon,
No 25, called Annapolis Royal Lodge, held at Annapolis Royal, the 2d Tuesday in the month,
No 26, called St John, held at Charlotte town, P E Island 2d Tues. do
No 27, called Hibernia, held at Liverpool, 2d Tuesday do
No 28, called Harmony, held at Sydney, C B 1st Wednesday ditto
No 29, called St John held at St John, N B
No 31, called Midian, held at Kingston, N B 2d Tuesday do
No 32, called Wentworth, held at Yarmouth, 2d Tuesday do
No 34 called Orphan's Friend, held at St Stephen's, N B 2d Wednesday after every Full Moon
No 35, called new Caledonian, held at Pictou, 2d Tuesday
No 36, called Newport, held at Newport, 1st Tuesday af. every full moon
No 37, called Eastern Star, held at St Andrews
No 38, called Union, held at St John, N Brunswick
No 39, called Royal Standard, in the Royal Artillery, 2d Tuesday in the Month,
No 40, called Musquodoboit, held at Musquodoboit every Tuesday before the Full Moon.
No 41, called Regent, held at Dorchester, first Monday in the Month.
No 45, called Fort Edward Lodge, at Windsor.

TO TRAVELLERS ;

For the information of Travellers between Windsor and Parrsborough, &c. THE Parrsborough Packet sails regularly between Windsor and Parrsborough every week, from the 1st April to Christmas, viz. it leaves Parrsborough on Monday, wind and weather permitting so as to be at Wind-or on Tuesday; and will sail from thence the first high water that happens at or after eight o'clock in the morning of that day: the Packet frequently goes twice or three times a week when business requires it.

Time of going through the Falls.

THE Falls are level (or still water) about three hours and an half on the Flood, and about two hours and an half on the ebb, which makes it passable four times in 24 hours, about 10 or 15 minutes each time. No other rule can be given, as much depends on the floods in the river St. John, and the time of high water or full sea, which is often hastened by winds, and in proportion to the height of them.

Roads to the principal Towns in the Province, from Halifax, with the names of Innkeepers.

<i>From Halifax to Sackville Bridge</i>	M	Hargrave's, Shelburne	10	Holland's	1
Smith's	5	Whole distance	16	— Summerfield Inn	2
Springfield	5	<i>From Halifax to Lunenburg.</i>	16	Hall's	2½
Eglinton	3	To Nine-mile house	9	Key's	6
Pence's farm	4	Hamishe's, head of St.	9	M'Keen's	3½
Wood's	5	Margaret's bay	22	Andrew's, Gay's river	3
Montague-house	6	Church's, Chester	16	Mason's	1½
Windsor	8	Crandle's, head of Chester basin	16	Wallace's	5
Ferry at Falmouth	3	Zwicker's, head of Mahone bay	15	Gourley's	3
Half-way River	5	Heckman's	6	Polly's	3½
Bishop's farm	7	Whole distance	73	Clark's	7½
Fowler's	3	<i>From Lunenburg to Liverpool.</i>	73	E. Witter, Truro	6½
Peck's	7	To Marguir's ferry, Lake have river	1	Blanchard's	2
Ingles' farm	4	Drew's Inn	11	R. Dickson, Onslow	4
Marshall's	5	Conrod's ferry, Port Medway	6	— R. Fleming, Londy	3
Aylsford township bd'y	6	M'Vicar's Inn	3	J. Flemming's	2
Buskirk's	6	Bull's Inn, Herring Cove	8	Widow M'Kim's	5
Clermont (seat of late Bishop Nova-Scotia)	1	M'Lean's, Liverpool	2	Harrison's	6
Dodge's farm	7	Whole distance	34	Sutherland's	4
Leonard's farm	11	<i>To Cumberland via Parrsborough.</i>	34	Purdy's	7
Hick's ferry	6	Windsor	45	7 River Philip, Donkin	9
Annapolis ferry	15	Parsboro' (by water)	13	7 Chapman's	9
Whole distance	132	Crane's	30	Amherst Morse's	16
<i>From Annapolis to Shelburne.</i>		Lewis's	9	Fort Cumberland,	
<i>From Annapolis to Clement's Church</i>	9	Moore's	4	Wetherhead's	7
Bear-river bridge	8	Comau's, Clare	9	Whole distance	136½
Read & Co. Digby	9	Terriau's Montagan Cove	10	<i>To Pictou.</i>	
Everet's, Weymouth road	13	Devaud's, Salmon R.	10	34 Dickson's, Truro	52
Cosman's, Weymouth Church	6	Corning, beaver river	4	Archibald Salmon R.	14
Journie's, Sissibo R.	4	Parry's Yarmouth-Lakes	8	Stewarts'	9
Comau's, Clare	9	Smith & Richan's, Yarmouth Church	5	M'Connell's	3
Terriau's Montagan Cove	10	Blauvelt's, Tuskett village	10	M'George, Pictou	10
Devaud's, Salmon R.	10	Nicherson's, Apubti River	8	Whole distance	98
Corning, beaver river	4	Sinney's, Apubti bay	5	30 <i>To Pictou, via Musquodobit.</i>	
Parry's Yarmouth-Lakes	8	Larkin's, Pubnico R.	10	9 Dartmouth ferry	1½
Smith & Richan's, Yarmouth Church	5	Kendrick's, Barrington	13	1 Preston, Bradley's	6
Blauvelt's, Tuskett village	10	Powell's, Clyde river	5	8 Putnam's farm	5
Nicherson's, Apubti River	8			4 Hart's	5
Sinney's, Apubti bay	5			5 M'Keen's	11
Larkin's, Pubnico R.	10			7 Leckie's	13
Kendrick's, Barrington	13			2 Robert Archibald's*	4
Powell's, Clyde river	5			Robert Geddes'	4
				7 Heney's	4
				— Dunbar's, W. branch E. river, Pictou	26
				W. M'Kays	7
				John Fraser's	3
				Across the harbour to	
				9 Walmsly court-house	1
				3 Whole distance	95½
				*Cross Roads from Ar-	
				2 Chibald's to Scott's	20

<i>From Halifax to Antigonish,</i>	Pictou	4	<i>Road by the Gulf shore.</i>
To Blanchard's W. River, Pictou	Sutherland's	7	To Ferguson's
Archibald's, middle River, Pictou	92 Smith's Merigomish	6	Priest M'Donald's
Campbell's East River,	5 Ferguson's	7	Symonds', Antigonish
	5 Symonds', Antigonish	16	
	whole distance	137	Whole distance
			145

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HOLIDAYS AT THE PUBLIC OFFICES.

First January, New-Year's Day. Thirteenth do. King Charles Martyr.
Thirtieth do. George 4th's accession. Seventeenth March, St. Patrick.—
Twenty-fifth do. Lady Day. Twenty-third April, St. George. Twenty-
fourth April, King's Birth Day. Twenty-ninth May, Restoration King
Charles II. Twenty-fourth do. Saint John. Nineteenth July, George IV.
erowned. Twenty-ninth September, Michaelmas Day. Fifth November,
Gun Powder Plot. Thirteenth do St. Andrew. Twenty-fifth December,
Christmas Holidays—Good Friday. Easter Monday. Easter Tuesday.
Whit Monday. Whit Tuesday.

Firewardens of the town of Halifax.

Richard Tremain, Esq. Chairman.
South Suburbs—Edward Pryor; Frederic Major, and C. R. Fairbanks.
St Peter's Ward—John Albro; Henry Yeomans, and Rufus Fairbanks.
St. Mathew's Ward—Jonathan Tremain and Lawrence Hartshorne, jun.
Saint Paul's Ward—G. N. Russell, and W. A. Black. County Court House
Ward—Thomas Boggs and William Minns. St. John's Ward—John Liddell, John Clark and Joseph Allison.
North Barrack Ward—Michael To-

bin and S. W. Deblois. North Suburbs—Hon Enos Collins, John Starr, James N. Shannon and Samuel Cuard.

Committee of the Fire Wardens appointed to manage and direct at Fires.
Richard Tremain, Thomas Boggs, Hon Enos Collins, John Albro, John Starr, Edw Pryor, jun. John Clark, and Rufus Fairbanks.

Edward Pryor and John Clark to superintend and direct the axe-men.

Fire Engine Company for the Town of Halifax.

First Division—Nicholas Le Can, Captain; David Hutton, Lieutenant; William Patterson; Henry Hill; John Johnston; Duncan Alexander; John Partis; Henry Manson; John Farquhar; Thomas Mackie; John Mitchell; James Carter; Thos. Pallister; Wm. J. Rogers; Wm Kerr; Wm Galwell; Donald McLennan; Timothy Connors; Wm Barnett; Wm Murray; Arthur Oakley.

Second Division—James Smith, lieutenant; Joel Martin; James Carmichael; Edward Sturmy; Thomas Cassidy; James Hunter; James Irwin; Jno. Drilio; John Harvey; Andrew Crawford; Geo Brockley; James Bell.

Third Division—James Dechman, Lieutenant; Wm Murphy; Wm. Varge; Robert Penny; Henry Spike; James Bricken; John Benzie; John Wilson.

Fourth Division—Joseph O'Brien, Lieutenant; Michael Byron; Elias Cabbott, sec'y; George Little; John West; Thomas Parker; Robert Norris.

Axe Fire Men for the Town of Halifax.

William Fenerty, captain; Michael Creamer, lieutenant; George Jost; Peter Hall, John Lusham, John McNeal, Robert Richardson, Colin McKinzie, Errol Boyd, John Longard, Edward Longard, Thomas McKie, Sam Vickers, John McKinzie, William Marvin, James Grant, William Johnson, William Strickland, John Meteler, Henry Miller, John Sheffer, George Booth, James McNutt, William Rose, William Grant, Matthew Lownds, David Crowl, Thos Vickers, Nicholas Wright, Thomas Lownds.

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Honourable the Right Rev. Robert, Lord Bishop of Nova-Scotia, New-Brunswick, and their dependencies; Rev. John Inglis, D. D. Ecclesiastical Commissary and Rector of St. Paul's; J. T. Twining A. M. Curate of St. Paul's. Benjamin G. Gray Missionary to Germans, Halifax; C. Inglis, Dartmouth; J. Parsons, Sackville; C. Porter, Newport; W. C. King, Windsor; W. Cochran, D. D., Falmouth; F. Salt, A. M. Prin Acad. Windsor; R. Norris, Cornwallis; E. Gilpin, Aylesford; A Gilpin, Wilmot; G. Best, Granville; J. Millidge, Annapolis; R. Veits, Digby; T. A. Grantham, Yarmouth; T. Rowland, Shelburne; W Twining, Liverpool; R. Aitkin, Lunenburg; C. Weeks, Manchester; C. Milner, Westmoreland; J Shreeve, Chester; H. Binney, Sydney; J. Burneyate, travelling missionary, Truro; W. Gray, Cumberland; G. Morris, Rawdou; Parrsboro.

Methodist Missionaries in the Nova-Scotia District.

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Liverpool, Rev Wm Temple,	Lunenburg and Petit Reviere, Geo. Orth.
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Windsor, Rev Geo Jackson,	
Morton, Rev Samsen Busby.	
Farrsborough, Rev Robt. H. Crane,	

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Presbytery of Truro.
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 Truro, Rev. John Waddel
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 Douglas, Rev T S Crowe
 Economy, Rev Andrew Kerr.
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 East-River, (Pictou) Rev James
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 Shelburne, Rev. Mathew Dripps
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Mail Days.

The Eastern and St. John's, N. B. Mail arrives in Halifax on Monday at
 11 o'clock, a. m. and leaves do. Thursday at 12 a. m.
 Western do. arrives on Monday at 11 o'clock, a.m. and leaves do. Tuesday,
 at 12 a.m.

Counsellors and Attornies residing in the province.

Nicholas P Olding, Pictou; Colin Campbell, Shelburne; Thomas Ritchie,
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 Cape Breton, acting proth. & clk. crown, Chas E Leonard, Esq.; Ebenezer
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 Queen's Co.; Henry S Stafford, Lunenburg; George Dill, dis. Colchester;
 James Skinner, Pictou; Silas Morse, Cumberland; Alex M'Donald, Anti-
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in the Country, on Actions depend-
ing in the Supreme Court.

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King's co. S Denison, Sam L Allison
Windsor, Patrik Wright
Shelburne, G Campbell & Robt Bingay
Cumberland, C Barker, Thos. Roach
Lunenburg, F J Rudolf, H S Stafford
Colchester, J Fulton & Geo Dill
Queen's Co. Jas Rogers
Sydney, Alex M'Donald & W Taylor
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Hon. R J Uniacke, Adv Gen.
S B Robie, Esq. Sol Gen
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Hon C Morris, Dep Registrar
James Patnam, Esq. Marshal
Stephen S Delbois, Dep Mar
Mr S Greenwood, Messenger

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Right Revd Lord Robert, Bishop of
Nova Scotia
Hon'ble Sampson S Blowers, Michael
Wallace, Charles Hill, R J Uniacke,
Charles Morris, James Stewart, T W
Jedery, John Black, Brenton Hal-
burton, H N Binney and Eos Collins.

Sittings of the Supreme Court.

At Halifax, on the 2d Tuesday of Jan-
uary, 1st Tuesday of April, 2d Tues-
day of July, and the 2d Tuesday of
October.

At Picton, on the last Tuesday of
May, and 3d Tuesday of Sept.

At Truro, on the 1st Tuesday of
June, and 4th Tuesday of Sept.

At River Philip. (Cumberland) on
the 2d Tuesday of June.

At Lunenburg, on the last Tuesday
of June.

At Liverpool, on the 1st Tuesday
of July.

At Shelburne, on the 2d Tuesday of
July.

At Windsor, on the last Tuesday of
May, and 4th Tuesday of Sept.

At Horton, on the 1st Tuesday of
June, and 3d Tuesday of Sept.

At Annapolis, on the 2d Tuesday
of June, and 2d Tuesday of Sept.

At Dorchester, on the 2d Tuesday
of Sept.

At Arichat, on the 1st Tuesday of
Sept.

At Sydney, Cape Breton, on the
last Tuesday of Aug.

Inferior Court of Common Pleas.

At Halifax, on the 2d Tuesday of
March, June, Sept. and Dec.

At Annapolis, on the 3d Tuesday
April, and the 1st Tuesday of Nov.

At Digby, in the Town Plot of Dig-
by on the 3d Tuesday of June, and
3d Tuesday of Dec.

At Lunenburg, on the 2d Tuesday
of April, and the 2d Tuesday of Oct.

At Horton, on the 2d Tuesday of
April, and the 2d Tuesday of Oct.

At Liverpool, on the 2d Tuesday
of April, and 2d Tuesday of Nov.

At Tusket Village, on the 1st Tues-
day of April, and last Tuesday of Oct.

At Amherst, on the last Tuesday
of April, and 1st Tuesday of Nov.
in June, and last Tuesday of Oct.

At Shelburne, on the 1st Tuesday
of Oct and 1st Tuesday of April.

District of Colchester & Picton, the
day after the adjournment of the S. C.

At Windsor, on the 1st Tuesday of
January, and the last Tuesday of July.

At Guysborough, in the County of
Sydney, the 2d Tuesday of Nov.

At Dorchester, in the county of
Sydney, on the 1st Tuesday of May.

At Shelburne, on the 1st Tuesday
of Oct. and 1st Tuesday of April.

At Sydney, Cape Breton, on the
2d Tuesday of Jan. and 2d Tuesday
of July.

At Arichat, on the 2d Tuesday of
Feb. and 2d Tuesday of Aug.

Sessions of the Peace.

At Halifax, on the first Tuesday of
March, 1st do of June, 1st do of sept.
and 1st do of Dec.

Lunenburg : 2d Tuesday of April,
and 2d do of Oct.

Horton : do do.

Liverpool : 2d Tuesday of April
and 2d do of Nov.

Barrington : 1st Tuesday of Nov.

Tusket Village : 1st Tuesday of A-
pril, and last do of Oct.

Amherst : on the last Tues. of April.

Dist. of Colchester and Picton: the
day after the adjournment of S. C.

Shelburne: the last Tuesday in
March, and last do. of Oct.

Windsor : 1st Tuesday of April, and
1st do. of Oct.

Guysboro' co. of Sydney : 1st Tues.
day of March, and 1st do Oct.

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Samuel Cunard, John Starr, John

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THE HERMITAGE.

Dear was to them the Hermitage
 Of this unplough'd, untrodden shore,
 Like birds all joyous from the cage,
 For man's neglect they lov'd it more.

The first pleasure carriage that ever came to Alesbury, brought a couple of young adventurers from one of the seaboard towns. It was when I was a boy and I well remember running down to the old Washington tavern in the town, with my satchel over my shoulder, to see the strangers; for in those days of peace and quietness, when the name of our village was scarcely known beyond a circle of twelve miles round, it was a rare thing to see new faces. The visitors proved to be a gentleman, apparently about twenty two, and one who looked several years younger, a beautiful female, probably not more than seventeen; I was then too young to fix my attention upon the glance of a sunny eye, or the wave of a glossy ringlet; but I well remember that our village beaux said he was not handsome, and said it so anxiously that it was evident that they felt themselves in danger of a rival; and that the little beauty was worshipped by every one of the fond mothers and rosy cheeked daughters of the village.

Nothing of their history, their parentage, their former place of residence or circumstances was known. Impertinent curiosity was, in those days, subjected to such rigid discipline whenever it appeared, by the common consent of the society of fathers, that it had its head; and a stranger had to conduct in a meritorious manner to be esteemed whatever might have been his previous situation. The behaviour of the young strangers was marked with so much modesty, their tempers appeared so amiable, and their whole deportment so winning, particularly that of the younger, that every tongue was soon let loose in their praise, even jealousy became liberal, and the Innkeeper's daughter was said to have had more female visitors, during the month they remained in Washington than she had for a whole year before.

At the end of the time however, the youngest stranger prepared to depart, and the eldest whose name was Gustavus, and who had spent much of his time in travelling through the country announced his intention of settling in the neighbourhood. He left Alesbury, however, with his companion, and was gone three days, at the expiration of which he returned alone, and shortly after having sold his carriage and some other little effects he purchased a small island in the river containing about sixty acres, three miles below us, on which he erected a neat cottage and commenced improving it with a spirit that seemed above his years.

He was beloved, and frequent parties were made up in the neighbourhood to assist him, so that in three months he had a charming residence in the bosom of the waters, to which he gave the name of the Hermitage. Perhaps it was not miscalled, but it was a delightful place. The cottage was in the centre of the island, and invisible for the trees that surrounded it; a gushing spring rose by the door and flowed in several channels to the river, the land was naturally meadow; and Gustavus at a small expense possessed a retired but an enviable home. He appeared to enjoy it, for

he was not to be seen any more at the village ; and one day his boat was discovered gliding with him in it to the western shore ; it remained there fastened to a tree three days and three nights. On the fourth day it returned and bore him to the rural retreat, he had prepared with a young and lovely female.

A variety of conjectures followed, but there was one which seemed to be strengthened by a thousand circumstances which had not heretofore been noticed—it was that the beautiful boy who had been his companion and friend—who had loved him and left him, was in reality the personage, who came to share his home dressed in her proper garb, and claiming to the relation of a fond and fervent friend the character of a wife.

Still the custom that forbid the prying scrutiny of curiosity, and that sought no further disclosures than such as were voluntarily made, prevailed. The strangers saw it and testified their gratitude by throwing off their reserve. They lived in constant intercourse with the villagers many years. The island became one of the best cultivated places in the country ; and while a large and lovely family of children grew up around them and a long residence endeared them to an extensive circle of acquaintance, the mysterious circumstances which took place at the time of their settlement were almost forgotten.

Gustavus might possibly, in the lapse of 15 or 16 years have become rich, but his object seemed constantly to be to attain simply to such an independence as would best promote his happiness.—He was industrious, frugal and managing ; keeping aloof from every hazardous speculation, he was nevertheless prompt to profit by every opportunity which afforded the certainty of profit ; and he denied himself none of the little delicacies and amusements of life, to save a trifling expense ; he, on the other hand expended nothing foolishly to gratify childish pride or capricious whim.

Go to the Hermitage when you would, every thing was in the neatest style, and you was sure to be entertained in the best manner—the most delicious fruit and the choicest pound cake, excellent cider, and plenty of nuts, and, what was even better than all, smiles that said as plain as smiles could say, “you are welcome,” always awaited you. Thus this amiable family secured and enjoyed independence and happiness, pure and without alloy.

At length, early in the spring of the sixteenth year of his residence at the Hermitage, Gustavus took a journey to the eastward ; it was the first time he had been from home any distance since his settlement among us. He remained abroad two months, and brought with him when he returned, a pale, sickly, dejected looking boy, wearing a bandage of mourning. A few days after several of the aged villagers went down to the island to spend an afternoon and an evening ; and when, after tea, the little circle was formed on the green before the cottage door, Gustavus laid aside flute and thus addressed himself to the company :—

“I am about to let you into the history of a portion of my life, with which you are acquainted ; this, gratitude prompted me to do long ago, but prudence forbid it : now the necessity of silence does not exist. You knew not sixteen years since, to whom you were
 “... of hospitality when my young friend and my

self received your welcome—we have lived happy with you—you know every incident of our lives since then, but you shall know more than this.

“My father was the wealthiest farmer in the country where he lived, and I was the eldest of two only sons. The parents of Matilda were our tenants; I became attached to her, and when I found the penalty of marriage with her was disinheritance, I chose to incur it. But persecution followed us not only from our home; it pursued us wherever we went, until in disguise we effected our escape hither, and found repose where the arm of parental severity could no longer search out our retreat. I know that I only confirm your conjectures when I add, that the friend who accompanied me when I first came to Alesbury now sits beside me—it was Matilda.

“My brother inherited the family estate, worth a hundred thousand at least—he increased his wealth by marrying a woman whose money was the only attraction she possessed; and while Matilda and myself were left to set out in life with but health and industry, he rolled in wealth. But mark the issue. He, my unfortunate brother died three months ago, a bankrupt, and broken-hearted; of a disease, the foundation of which was laid by intemperate habits. His estate passed into the hands of gamblers, sharpers, and horse-jockies; and his wife absconded with a million, and left behind this poor child, beggared and disgraced.—While I,” and he raised his eyes to heaven in thankful adoration as he said it, “am happy in the possession of a virtuous wife and family, and have all this,” pointing to his finely cultured lands and bleating flocks “besides.”

What a lesson for the proud and grasping! How often is virtue, and all the noble, and generous, and delightful feelings of our nature sacrificed at the shrine of wealth! and how often does that wealth prove a curse to those whom it has intended to bless.

Socizica, the Greek Robber.—From the year 1745 to 1760 the Turks were greatly annoyed on their Venetian frontier by a bandit of the name of Socizica, who had conceived an inveterate animosity against the Ottoman race, and made them the constant and exclusive objects of his marauding enterprizes. At length pursued on every side, and anxious for a short repose, Socizica retired with his family to Carlowitz, in the Austrian dominions, where he resided three years, distinguished during the whole period for the most irreproachable conduct.

While living here in peace, he was betrayed into the hands of a Turkish Pacha, who had most cruelly put to death one of his brothers, and his wife and children were soon after entrapped in the same manner. Fortune had not however, yet deserted Socizica. As the Turks were conducting him to Trannick, he contrived to make his escape from them, though he had still the mortification to see his family prisoners.

When his own safety was insured, he entered into a negotiation with the Pacha for the liberty of his wife and children, but in vain. All other methods failing he determined to write; and his letter is a curious specimen of social feeling, operating on a rugged and ardent disposition.—It was in these terms.

