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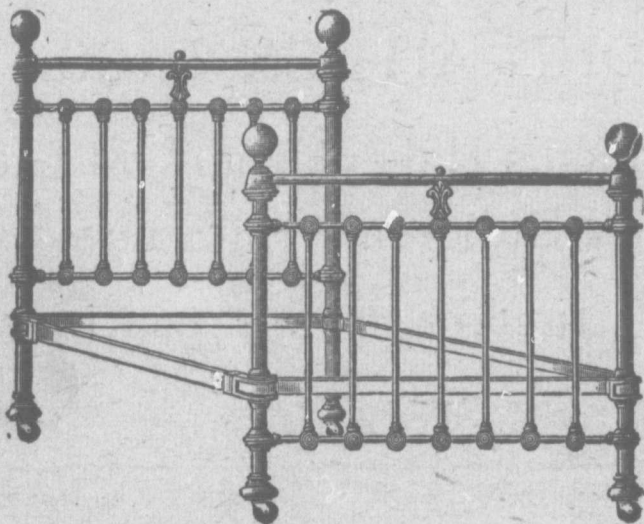
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ZODIACAL SIGNS.

Aries, the Ram, Head and Face.



HERCHEL'S WEATHER TABLE.

For foretelling the Weather through all the lunations of the Moon forever.

| the New Moon, the first quarter, the full Moon, or the last quarter happens | IN SUMMER.             | IN WINTER.                                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Between midnight and two in the morning                                     | Fair                   | Hard frost, unless the wind be S. or W.       |
| — 2 and 4 morning                                                           | Cold, frequent showers | Snow and stormy.                              |
| — 4 and 7 "                                                                 | Rain                   | Rain.                                         |
| — 6 and 8 "                                                                 | Wind and rain          | Stormy.                                       |
| — 8 and 10 "                                                                | Changeable             | Cold, rain if the wind be west, snow if east. |
| — 10 and 12 "                                                               | Frequent showers       | Cold and high wind.                           |
| — 12 noon and 2 p.m.                                                        | Very rainy             | Snow and rain.                                |
| — 2 and 4 p.m.                                                              | Changeable             | Fair and mild.                                |
| — 4 and 6 "                                                                 | Fair                   | Fair.                                         |
| — 6 and 8 "                                                                 | { Fair, if wind N.W.   | Fair and frosty, if wind north or north-east. |
| — 8 and 10 "                                                                | { Rainy, if S. or S.W. | Rain or snow, if S.S. W.                      |
| — 10 and midnight                                                           | Fair                   | Fair and frosty.                              |

Observations.—1. The nearest the time of the moon's change, the first quarter full and the last quarter, are to midnight, the fairer will be the weather during the seven days following.

2. The space of this calculation occupies from 10 at night till 2 next morning.

3. The nearer to mid-day or noon the phases of the Moon happen the more foul or wet weather may be expected during the next seven days.

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

5. The Moon's change, first quarter, full, and last quarter, happening during six of the afternoon hours, i. e., from four to ten, may be followed by fair weather.



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**BANK HOLIDAYS IN ONTARIO.**

Every Sunday, New Year's Day, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, The Queen's Birthday, Labor Day, Christmas Day, and any day appointed by Royal Proclamation as a General Fast or Thanksgiving Day.

**BANK HOLIDAYS IN QUEBEC.**

New Year's Day, Epiphany, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Ascension Day, Queen's Birthday, Dominion Day, Labor Day, Conception Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas.

**CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.**

|                                 |    |                                |        |
|---------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|--------|
| Dominical or Sunday letter..... | A  | Roman Indiction .....          | 12     |
| Golden Number .....             | 19 | Julian Period.....             | 6812   |
| Epact or Moon's Age .....       | 18 | Diocletian Era.....            | 1615   |
| Solar Cycle.....                | 4  | Dominion Day, 33rd year begins | July 1 |

**MOVABLE FESTIVALS.**

|                           |       |    |                      |       |    |
|---------------------------|-------|----|----------------------|-------|----|
| Septuagesima Sunday.....  | Jan.  | 29 | Low Sunday .....     | April | 9  |
| Quinquagesima Sunday..... | Feb.  | 12 | Rogation Sunday..... | May   | 7  |
| Ash Wednesday.....        | "     | 15 | Ascension Day .....  | "     | 11 |
| Quadragesima.....         | "     | 19 | Whit Sunday.....     | "     | 21 |
| Palm Sunday.....          | March | 26 | Trinity Sunday ..... | "     | 28 |
| Good Friday .....         | "     | 31 | Corpus Christi.....  | June  | 1  |
| Easter Sunday .....       | April | 2  | Advent Sunday.....   | Dec.  | 3  |

**HOLIDAYS OBSERVED IN PUBLIC OFFICES.**

|                    |       |    |                             |       |    |
|--------------------|-------|----|-----------------------------|-------|----|
| Circumcision.....  | Jan.  | 1  | Her Majesty's Birthday..... | May   | 24 |
| Epiphany.....      | "     | 6  | Dominion Day.....           | July  | 1  |
| Ash Wednesday..... | Feb.  | 15 | Labor Day.....              | Sept. | 4  |
| Good Friday.....   | March | 31 | All Saints' Day.....        | Nov.  | 1  |
| Easter Monday..... | April | 3  | Immaculate Conception... .. | Dec.  | 8  |
| Ascension Day..... | May   | 11 | Christmas Day .....         | "     | 25 |

**ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1899.**

During this year there will be five eclipses, three of the Sun and two of the Moon.

I.—A partial eclipse of the Sun January 11th, invisible over Canada, visible to the extreme northwestern portion of Alaska, and to the greater portion of the North Pacific Ocean.

II.—A partial eclipse of the Sun June 8th, not visible over Canada. Visible to Great Britain, France, Germany, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, and all the polar regions.

III.—A total eclipse of the Moon June 23rd, not visible over Canada. Visible generally:—The beginning in the eastern portions of Asia and throughout the Pacific Ocean, and the western portions of North America; and the end, in Asia, the middle and western Pacific Ocean, and the eastern portions of Africa.

IV.—An annular eclipse of the Sun December 2nd, invisible over Canada. Visible to a portion of New Zealand, the extreme southwestern part of Australia, and to a great portion of the South Pacific and Indian oceans—the line of annulus passes almost exactly through the South Pole.

V.—A partial eclipse of the Moon December 16th, visible at Montreal; and the beginning visible generally throughout the eastern portion of North America, Europe, Asia, and Africa; and the ending generally throughout the whole of North America, South America, Europe, and Africa. Moon enters penumbra, Montreal mean time, 5h. 39m. evening; enters shadow (beginning of eclipse) 6h. 51m. evening; middle of eclipse 8h. 32m. evening; leaves shadow (end of eclipse) 10h. 13m. evening; leaves penumbra 11h. 25m. evening.

1st Month.

**JANUARY, 31 Days.**

Begins on Sunday.

| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax. | Quebec.   | Montreal. | Ottawa.   | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D. | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| Least Quarter..... | 4  | 11 7 ev. | 10 37 ev. | 10 27 ev. | 10 19 ev. | 10 5 ev.  | 9 58 ev.  |
| New Moon.....      | 11 | 6 36 ev. | 6 6 ev.   | 5 56 ev.  | 5 48 ev.  | 5 34 ev.  | 5 27 ev.  |
| First Quarter..... | 18 | 0 22 ev. | 11 52 mo. | 11 42 mo. | 11 34 mo. | 11 20 mo. | 11 13 mo. |
| Full Moon.....     | 26 | 3 20 ev. | 2 50 ev.  | 2 40 ev.  | 2 32 ev.  | 2 18 ev.  | 2 11 ev.  |

| DAYS. |       | Montreal and the Prov. of Quebec. |           | Toronto and the Prov. of Ontario. |           | Halifax, New Bruns. & Nova Scotia |           | The Dominion.    |                       |                 |
|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| M.    | Week. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. South. | Sun on Meridian |
|       |       | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.        |
| 1     | Sun.  | 7 41                              | 4 28      | 7 34                              | 4 35      | 7 40                              | 4 29      | 19 2             | 22 59                 | 12 3 53         |
| 2     | Mon.  | 41                                | 29        | 34                                | 36        | 40                                | 30        | 20 2             | 22 54                 | 4 21            |
| 3     | Tues. | 41                                | 30        | 34                                | 37        | 40                                | 30        | 21 2             | 22 48                 | 4 49            |
| 4     | Wed.  | 40                                | 31        | 34                                | 38        | 39                                | 31        | 22 2             | 22 42                 | 5 16            |
| 5     | Thur. | 40                                | 32        | 34                                | 39        | 39                                | 33        | 23 2             | 22 35                 | 5 43            |
| 6     | Fri.  | 40                                | 33        | 33                                | 40        | 39                                | 34        | 24 2             | 22 28                 | 6 09            |
| 7     | Sat.  | 39                                | 34        | 33                                | 41        | 39                                | 35        | 25 2             | 22 21                 | 9 35            |
| 8     | Sun.  | 7 39                              | 4 35      | 7 33                              | 4 42      | 7 38                              | 4 36      | 26 2             | 22 13                 | 12 7 10         |
| 9     | Mon.  | 39                                | 36        | 33                                | 43        | 38                                | 37        | 27 2             | 22 04                 | 7 26            |
| 10    | Tues. | 38                                | 37        | 32                                | 44        | 38                                | 38        | 28 2             | 21 55                 | 7 50            |
| 11    | Wed.  | 37                                | 38        | 32                                | 45        | 37                                | 39        | 29 2             | 21 46                 | 8 14            |
| 12    | Thur. | 37                                | 40        | 32                                | 46        | 37                                | 40        | 0 7              | 21 36                 | 8 38            |
| 13    | Fri.  | 36                                | 41        | 31                                | 47        | 37                                | 41        | 1 7              | 21 26                 | 9 00            |
| 14    | Sat.  | 36                                | 42        | 31                                | 48        | 36                                | 42        | 2 7              | 21 16                 | 9 22            |
| 15    | Sun.  | 7 35                              | 4 43      | 7 30                              | 4 49      | 7 36                              | 4 43      | 3 7              | 21 05                 | 12 9 44         |
| 16    | Mon.  | 35                                | 44        | 30                                | 50        | 35                                | 44        | 4 7              | 20 53                 | 10 04           |
| 17    | Tues. | 34                                | 46        | 29                                | 52        | 34                                | 46        | 5 7              | 20 42                 | 10 24           |
| 18    | Wed.  | 33                                | 48        | 29                                | 53        | 34                                | 47        | 6 7              | 20 29                 | 10 44           |
| 19    | Thur. | 32                                | 49        | 28                                | 55        | 33                                | 49        | 7 7              | 20 17                 | 11 02           |
| 20    | Fri.  | 31                                | 51        | 27                                | 56        | 32                                | 50        | 8 7              | 20 04                 | 11 20           |
| 21    | Sat.  | 30                                | 52        | 26                                | 57        | 31                                | 51        | 9 7              | 19 51                 | 11 37           |
| 22    | Sun.  | 7 29                              | 4 54      | 7 25                              | 4 59      | 7 30                              | 4 52      | 10 7             | 19 37                 | 12 11 53        |
| 23    | Mon.  | 28                                | 55        | 24                                | 5 00      | 30                                | 53        | 11 7             | 19 23                 | 12 08           |
| 24    | Tues. | 27                                | 56        | 23                                | 02        | 29                                | 55        | 12 7             | 19 09                 | 12 23           |
| 25    | Wed.  | 26                                | 57        | 22                                | 03        | 28                                | 56        | 13 7             | 18 54                 | 12 36           |
| 26    | Thur. | 25                                | 58        | 21                                | 04        | 27                                | 58        | 14 7             | 18 39                 | 12 49           |
| 27    | Fri.  | 24                                | 59        | 20                                | 05        | 26                                | 59        | 15 7             | 18 23                 | 13 01           |
| 28    | Sat.  | 23                                | 5 01      | 19                                | 06        | 25                                | 5 00      | 16 7             | 18 08                 | 13 13           |
| 29    | Sun.  | 7 23                              | 5 03      | 7 18                              | 5 08      | 7 25                              | 5 01      | 17 7             | 17 52                 | 12 13 23        |
| 30    | Mon.  | 22                                | 04        | 17                                | 10        | 24                                | 03        | 18 7             | 17 35                 | 13 33           |
| 31    | Tues. | 21                                | 06        | 16                                | 11        | 23                                | 05        | 19 7             | 17 19                 | 12 42           |

**CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.**

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- 1 Milder, variable.
  - 2 Rough, stormy.
  - 3 Clear and cold.
  - 4 Frosty, fair.
  - 5 Clouds.
  - 6 Unsettled.
  - 7 Dismal, gloomy day.
  - 8 Heavy fog.
  - 9 Colder, snow.
  - 10 General, snow.
  - 11 Cold day.
  - 12 Clouds.
  - 13 Threatening.
  - 14 Rain and snow.
  - 15 Change.
  - 16 Fair.

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- 17 Cloudy, snow.
  - 18 Heavy snow.
  - 19 Cloudy.
  - 20 Changeable.
  - 21 Milder.
  - 22 Dark, cloudy day.
  - 23 Colder, windy.
  - 24 Fair.
  - 25 Showers.
  - 26 Unsettled.
  - 27 Milder.
  - 28 Change.
  - 29 Heavy fog.
  - 30 Cloudy.
  - 31 Frosty, clearing.

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MEMORANDUM FOR JANUARY.

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- 1 It was an awful cold day
- 2 A very fine day had a skate to-day
- 3 very cloudy and looks like snow
- 4 pouring rain all day
- 5 a very fine day
- 6 Big snow storm from East
- 7 clear and cold with high west wind
- 8 cloudy and looks like snow
- 9 a very raw day
- 10 cold day so below zero
- 11 a very frosty day
- 12 a cold day
- 13 a very fine day looks like snow
- 14 a very wet day / no snowing
- 15 a soft day whole day has been
- 16 a fine sunny day
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2nd Month. **FEBRUARY, 28 Days.** Begins on Wednesday.

| Moon's Phases.      |      | Halifax.       | Quebec.        | Montreal.      | Ottawa.        | Toronto.       | London.        |
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| Last Quarter.....   | D. 3 | h. m. 1 10 ev. | h. m. 0 40 ev. | h. m. 0 30 ev. | h. m. 0 22 ev. | h. m. 0 08 ev. | h. m. 0 01 ev. |
| New Moon.....       | 10   | 5 18 mo.       | 4 48 mo.       | 4 33 ev.       | 4 30 mo.       | 4 16 mo.       | 4 09 mo.       |
| First Quarter ..... | 17   | 4 38 mo.       | 4 8 mo.        | 3 58 mo.       | 3 50 mo.       | 3 36 mo.       | 3 29 mo.       |
| Full Moon .....     | 25   | 10 2 mo.       | 9 32 mo.       | 9 22 mo.       | 9 14 mo.       | 9 0 mo.        | 8 53 mo.       |

| M. | Week. | Montreal and the Prov. of Quebec. |           | Toronto and the Prov. of Ontario. |           | Halifax, New Bruns. & Nova Scotia |           | The Dominion.    |                       |                  |
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| 1  | Wed.  | 7 20                              | 5 08      | 7 15                              | 5 12      | 7 22                              | 5 06      | 20 7             | 17 01                 | 12 13 50         |
| 2  | Thur. | 19                                | 09        | 14                                | 13        | 21                                | 08        | 21 7             | 16 44                 | 13 57            |
| 3  | Fri.  | 18                                | 11        | 13                                | 14        | 19                                | 09        | 22 7             | 16 27                 | 14 03            |
| 4  | Sat.  | 17                                | 12        | 12                                | 16        | 18                                | 11        | 23 7             | 16 09                 | 14 09            |
| 5  | Sun.  | 7 16                              | 5 14      | 7 11                              | 5 18      | 7 17                              | 5 12      | 24 7             | 15 51                 | 12 14 14         |
| 6  | Mon.  | 14                                | 15        | 10                                | 19        | 16                                | 13        | 25 7             | 15 32                 | 14 18            |
| 7  | Tues. | 13                                | 17        | 09                                | 20        | 14                                | 15        | 26 7             | 15 13                 | 14 21            |
| 8  | Wed.  | 12                                | 18        | 07                                | 22        | 13                                | 16        | 27 7             | 14 54                 | 14 24            |
| 9  | Thur. | 10                                | 19        | 06                                | 23        | 11                                | 18        | 28 7             | 14 35                 | 14 26            |
| 10 | Fri.  | 09                                | 21        | 05                                | 24        | 10                                | 19        | 0 3              | 14 16                 | 14 27            |
| 11 | Sat.  | 07                                | 22        | 04                                | 26        | 09                                | 20        | 1 3              | 13 56                 | 14 27            |
| 12 | Sun.  | 7 06                              | 5 24      | 7 03                              | 5 27      | 7 07                              | 5 22      | 2 3              | 13 36                 | 12 14 26         |
| 13 | Mon.  | 04                                | 25        | 02                                | 29        | 06                                | 23        | 3 3              | 13 16                 | 14 25            |
| 14 | Tues. | 02                                | 27        | 01                                | 30        | 04                                | 25        | 4 3              | 12 56                 | 14 23            |
| 15 | Wed.  | 01                                | 28        | 6 59                              | 31        | 03                                | 26        | 5 3              | 12 35                 | 14 20            |
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| 23 | Thur. | 48                                | 40        | 47                                | 43        | 50                                | 37        | 13 3             | 9 44                  | 13 31            |
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| 25 | Sat.  | 45                                | 43        | 43                                | 47        | 46                                | 40        | 15 3             | 9 00                  | 13 12            |
| 26 | Sun.  | 6 44                              | 5 45      | 6 41                              | 5 48      | 6 45                              | 5 41      | 16 3             | 8 37                  | 12 13 02         |
| 27 | Mon.  | 43                                | 46        | 39                                | 49        | 43                                | 42        | 17 3             | 8 15                  | 12 52            |
| 28 | Tues. | 41                                | 48        | 37                                | 50        | 41                                | 44        | 18 3             | 7 52                  | 12 40            |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| D                   | D                  |
| 1 Cold day.         | 15 Snow storms.    |
| 2 Raw, windy day.   | 16 Change.         |
| 3 Variable.         | 17 Clearing.       |
| 4 Stormy.           | 18 Pleasant day.   |
| 5 Equally rough.    | 19 Cloudy.         |
| 6 Very windy.       | 20 Sleet and snow. |
| 7 High winds, cold. | 21 Clouds.         |
| 8 Windy day.        | 22 Storm period.   |
| 9 Changeable.       | 23 Variable.       |
| 10 Deep snow.       | 24 Fair.           |
| 11 General, snows.  | 25 Rain and snow.  |
| 12 Milder.          | 26 Threatening.    |
| 13 Pleasant.        | 27 Unsettled.      |
| 14 Showers.         | 28 Bad day.        |

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MEMORANDUM FOR FEBRUARY,

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3rd Month.

**MARCH, 31 Days.**

Begins on Wednesday.

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| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax.  | Quebec.   | Montreal. | Ottawa.   | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D. | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| Last Quarter ..... | 4  | 11 53 ev. | 11 23 ev. | 11 13 ev. | 11 5 ev.  | 10 51 ev. | 10 44 ev. |
| New Moon.....      | 11 | 3 39 ev.  | 3 9 ev.   | 2 59 e..  | 2 51 ev.  | 2 37 ev.  | 2 30 ev.  |
| First Quarter..... | 18 | 11 10 ev. | 10 40 ev. | 10 30 ev. | 10 22 ev. | 10 8 ev.  | 10 1 ev.  |
| Full Moon.....     | 27 | 2 04 mo.  | 1 34 mo.  | 1 24 mo.  | 1 16 mo.  | 1 2 mo.   | 0 55 mo.  |

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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. South. | Sun on Meridian. |
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| 1  | Wed.  | 6 39                              | 5 49      | 6 35                              | 5 51      | 6 39                              | 5 45      | 19 3             | 7 29                  | 12 12 28         |
| 2  | Thu.  | 37                                | 50        | 33                                | 52        | 38                                | 46        | 20 3             | 7 06                  | 12 16            |
| 3  | Fri.  | 35                                | 51        | 31                                | 53        | 36                                | 48        | 21 3             | 6 43                  | 12 03            |
| 4  | Sat.  | 33                                | 53        | 29                                | 55        | 34                                | 49        | 22 3             | 6 20                  | 11 50            |
| 5  | Sun.  | 6 31                              | 5 54      | 6 27                              | 5 56      | 6 32                              | 5 50      | 23 3             | 5 57                  | 12 11 37         |
| 6  | Mon.  | 29                                | 55        | 25                                | 57        | 31                                | 52        | 24 3             | 5 34                  | 11 23            |
| 7  | Tue.  | 27                                | 57        | 24                                | 59        | 29                                | 53        | 25 3             | 5 11                  | 11 08            |
| 8  | Wed.  | 25                                | 58        | 22                                | 6 00      | 27                                | 54        | 26 3             | 4 47                  | 10 53            |
| 9  | Thu.  | 23                                | 6 00      | 20                                | 01        | 25                                | 56        | 27 3             | 4 24                  | 10 38            |
| 10 | Fri.  | 21                                | 01        | 18                                | 02        | 23                                | 57        | 28 3             | 4 00                  | 10 23            |
| 11 | Sat.  | 19                                | 02        | 16                                | 03        | 22                                | 58        | 29 3             | 3 37                  | 10 07            |
| 12 | Sun.  | 6 17                              | 6 03      | 6 14                              | 6 04      | 6 20                              | 5 59      | 0 9              | 3 13                  | 12 9 51          |
| 13 | Mon.  | 15                                | 04        | 12                                | 06        | 18                                | 6 01      | 1 9              | 2 49                  | 9 34             |
| 14 | Tue.  | 13                                | 06        | 11                                | 07        | 16                                | 02        | 2 9              | 2 26                  | 9 18             |
| 15 | Wed.  | 11                                | 07        | 09                                | 08        | 14                                | 03        | 3 9              | 2 02                  | 9 01             |
| 16 | Thu.  | 09                                | 08        | 08                                | 10        | 12                                | 05        | 4 9              | 1 38                  | 8 44             |
| 17 | Fri.  | 07                                | 10        | 06                                | 11        | 10                                | 06        | 5 9              | 1 15                  | 8 26             |
| 18 | Sat.  | 06                                | 11        | 04                                | 12        | 09                                | 07        | 6 9              | 0 51                  | 8 09             |
| 19 | Sun.  | 6 04                              | 6 13      | 6 02                              | 6 14      | 6 07                              | 6 08      | 7 9              | 0 27                  | 12 7 51          |
| 20 | Mon.  | 02                                | 14        | 00                                | 15        | 05                                | 10        | 8 9              | 0 04                  | 7 33             |
| 21 | Tue.  | 00                                | 15        | 5 59                              | 16        | 03                                | 11        | 9 9              | North                 | 7 15             |
| 22 | Wed.  | 5 58                              | 16        | 57                                | 17        | 01                                | 12        | 10 9             | 0 44                  | 6 57             |
| 23 | Thu.  | 56                                | 18        | 55                                | 18        | 5 59                              | 13        | 11 9             | 1 07                  | 6 38             |
| 24 | Fri.  | 54                                | 19        | 53                                | 19        | 57                                | 15        | 12 9             | 1 31                  | 6 20             |
| 25 | Sat.  | 52                                | 20        | 51                                | 20        | 56                                | 16        | 13 9             | 1 55                  | 6 01             |
| 26 | Sun.  | 5 50                              | 6 21      | 5 49                              | 6 22      | 5 54                              | 6 17      | 14 9             | 2 18                  | 12 5 43          |
| 27 | Mon.  | 48                                | 23        | 47                                | 23        | 52                                | 18        | 15 9             | 2 42                  | 5 24             |
| 28 | Tue.  | 47                                | 24        | 45                                | 24        | 50                                | 20        | 16 9             | 3 05                  | 5 06             |
| 29 | Wed.  | 45                                | 26        | 43                                | 25        | 48                                | 21        | 17 9             | 3 28                  | 4 47             |
| 30 | Thu.  | 43                                | 27        | 42                                | 26        | 46                                | 22        | 18 9             | 3 52                  | 4 29             |
| 31 | Fri.  | 41                                | 28        | 40                                | 27        | 44                                | 23        | 19 9             | 4 15                  | 4 11             |

**CALENDAR; WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.**

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- 1 Pleasant.
- 2 Rain, sleet, snow.
- 3 Stormy.
- 4 Dismal weather.
- 5 Clouds.
- 6 Change.
- 7 Moderating, fair.
- 8 High March winds.
- 9 Stormy, cold.
- 10 Clear.
- 11 Clear and cold.
- 12 Blustry, cold.
- 13 Moderating.
- 14 Mild.
- 15 Rough day.
- 16 Stormy, March-like.

- D.
- 17 Snow squalls.
- 18 Clearing.
- 19 Fair day.
- 20 Rain.
- 21 Damp, gloomy times.
- 22 Foggy, gloomy, rainy.
- 23 Colder, stormy.
- 24 Clouds.
- 25 Fair.
- 26 Moderate.
- 27 Clouds, windy.
- 28 Snow.
- 29 Snow storms.
- 30 Cloudy, damp.
- 31 Soft, slushy.

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| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax. | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.  | Toronto. | London.   |
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|                    | D. | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     |
| Last Quarter.....  | 3  | 7 42 mo. | 7 12 mo. | 7 2 mo.   | 6 54 mo. | 6 40 mo. | 6 33 p.m. |
| New Moon.....      | 10 | 2 7 mo.  | 1 37 mo. | 1 27 mo.  | 1 19 mo. | 1 5 mo.  | 0 58 mo.  |
| First Quarter..... | 17 | 6 29 ev. | 5 59 ev. | 5 49 ev.  | 5 41 ev. | 5 27 ev. | 5 20 ev.  |
| Full Moon.....     | 25 | 3 8 ev.  | 2 38 ev. | 2 28 ev.  | 2 20 ev. | 2 6 ev.  | 1 59 ev.  |

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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. North. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |       | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min              | h. m. s.         |
| 1  | Sat.  | 5 40                              | 6 29      | 5 39                              | 6 28      | 5 43                              | 6 25      | 20 9             | 4 38                  | 12 3 53          |
| 2  | Sun.  | 5 38                              | 6 31      | 5 37                              | 6 29      | 5 41                              | 6 26      | 21 9             | 5 01                  | 12 3 35          |
| 3  | Mon.  | 36                                | 32        | 35                                | 30        | 39                                | 27        | 22 9             | 5 24                  | 3 17             |
| 4  | Tues. | 34                                | 33        | 34                                | 32        | 37                                | 28        | 23 9             | 5 47                  | 2 59             |
| 5  | Wed.  | 32                                | 34        | 32                                | 33        | 35                                | 29        | 24 9             | 6 10                  | 2 42             |
| 6  | Thur. | 30                                | 35        | 30                                | 34        | 34                                | 31        | 25 9             | 6 33                  | 2 24             |
| 7  | Fri.  | 28                                | 37        | 28                                | 35        | 32                                | 32        | 26 9             | 6 55                  | 2 07             |
| 8  | Sat.  | 26                                | 38        | 27                                | 37        | 30                                | 33        | 27 9             | 7 18                  | 1 50             |
| 9  | Sun.  | 5 24                              | 6 39      | 5 25                              | 6 38      | 5 28                              | 6 34      | 28 9             | 7 40                  | 12 1 34          |
| 10 | Mon.  | 22                                | 40        | 23                                | 39        | 26                                | 36        | 0 4              | 8 02                  | 1 17             |
| 11 | Tues. | 20                                | 42        | 22                                | 40        | 25                                | 37        | 1 4              | 8 24                  | 1 01             |
| 12 | Wed.  | 19                                | 43        | 20                                | 41        | 23                                | 38        | 2 4              | 8 46                  | 0 45             |
| 13 | Thur. | 17                                | 45        | 18                                | 42        | 21                                | 39        | 3 4              | 9 08                  | 0 30             |
| 14 | Fri.  | 15                                | 46        | 16                                | 44        | 19                                | 40        | 4 4              | 9 30                  | 0 15             |
| 15 | Sat.  | 13                                | 47        | 15                                | 45        | 18                                | 42        | 5 4              | 9 51                  | 0 00             |
| 16 | Sun.  | 5 11                              | 6 48      | 5 13                              | 6 46      | 5 16                              | 6 43      | 6 4              | 10 13                 | 11 59 46         |
| 17 | Mon.  | 10                                | 50        | 11                                | 48        | 14                                | 44        | 7 4              | 10 34                 | 59 32            |
| 18 | Tues. | 08                                | 51        | 10                                | 49        | 13                                | 45        | 8 4              | 10 55                 | 59 18            |
| 19 | Wed.  | 07                                | 52        | 09                                | 50        | 11                                | 47        | 9 4              | 11 15                 | 59 05            |
| 20 | Thur. | 05                                | 53        | 07                                | 51        | 09                                | 48        | 10 4             | 11 36                 | 58 52            |
| 21 | Fri.  | 03                                | 54        | 05                                | 52        | 08                                | 49        | 11 4             | 11 56                 | 58 39            |
| 22 | Sat.  | 02                                | 56        | 04                                | 53        | 06                                | 50        | 12 4             | 12 17                 | 58 27            |
| 23 | Sun.  | 5 00                              | 6 57      | 5 02                              | 6 55      | 5 05                              | 6 51      | 13 4             | 12 37                 | 11 58 15         |
| 24 | Mon.  | 4 59                              | 58        | 01                                | 56        | 03                                | 53        | 14 4             | 12 56                 | 58 04            |
| 25 | Tues. | 57                                | 59        | 4 59                              | 57        | 02                                | 54        | 15 4             | 13 16                 | 57 53            |
| 26 | Wed.  | 56                                | 7 01      | 58                                | 58        | 00                                | 55        | 16 4             | 13 35                 | 57 43            |
| 27 | Thur. | 54                                | 02        | 56                                | 59        | 4 59                              | 56        | 17 4             | 13 55                 | 57 33            |
| 28 | Fri.  | 52                                | 04        | 55                                | 7 00      | 57                                | 57        | 18 4             | 14 13                 | 57 24            |
| 29 | Sat.  | 50                                | 05        | 53                                | 01        | 56                                | 59        | 19 4             | 14 32                 | 11 57 15         |
| 30 | Sun.  | 4 48                              | 7 06      | 4 52                              | 7 02      | 4 54                              | 7 00      | 20 4             | 14 51                 | 11 57 07         |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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- 1 Stormy day.
  - 2 Clouds.
  - 3 Showery.
  - 4 Colder.
  - 5 Fine day.
  - 6 Moderate.
  - 7 Frosty, cold.
  - 8 Unsettled period.
  - 9 Milder.
  - 10 Unsettled.
  - 11 Clouds, warmer.
  - 12 Thunder, rain.
  - 13 Thunder shower.
  - 14 Stormy, cloudy.
  - 15 Colder.

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- 16 Clear, mild.
  - 17 Stormy, snow.
  - 18 Snow storms.
  - 19 Unsettled, rainy.
  - 20 Clouds.
  - 21 Variable.
  - 22 Clearing.
  - 23 Warmer.
  - 24 Thunder storm.
  - 25 Windy, squally.
  - 26 Fair.
  - 27 Warmer.
  - 28 Clouds.
  - 29 Rain or snow.
  - 30 Damp, foggy.

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- 6 Johnny has given the lower form let Ponghas
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- 10 We sent 125 to schoolmaster church
- 11 Mr Phaden had a Sale to Day
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- 17 J. M. Fouts went to New York
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- 19 Willie went to Cornwall to Day
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- 24 John came to the Village to Day
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- 26 Willie went to see Jean Graham
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| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax. | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.  | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D. | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| Last Quarter.....  | 2  | 1 33 ev. | 1 03 ev. | 0 53 ev.  | 0 45 ev. | 0 31 ev.  | 0 24 ev.  |
| New Moon.....      | 9  | 1 25 ev. | 0 55 ev. | 0 45 ev.  | 0 37 ev. | 0 23 ev.  | 0 16 ev.  |
| First Quarter..... | 17 | 0 59 ev. | 0 29 ev. | 0 19 ev.  | 0 11 ev. | 1: 57 mo. | 11 50 mo. |
| Full Moon.....     | 25 | 1 35 mo. | 1 05 mo. | 0 55 mo.  | 0 47 mo. | 0 33 mo.  | 0 26 mo.  |
| Last Quarter.....  | 31 | 6 41 ev. | 6 11 ev. | 6 01 ev.  | 5 53 ev. | 5 39 ev.  | 5 32 ev.  |

| DAYS. |       | Montreal and the Prov. of Quebec. |           | Toronto and the Prov. of Ontario. |           | Halifax, New Bruns. & Nova Scotia. |           | The Dominion.    |                       |                  |
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| 1     | Mon.  | 4 47                              | 7 07      | 4 50                              | 7 03      | 4 53                               | 7 01      | 21 4             | 15 09                 | 11 56 59         |
| 2     | Tues. | 46                                | 09        | 49                                | 04        | 51                                 | 02        | 22 4             | 15 27                 | 56 52            |
| 3     | Wed.  | 45                                | 10        | 48                                | 05        | 50                                 | 04        | 23 4             | 15 45                 | 56 46            |
| 4     | Thur. | 43                                | 11        | 47                                | 06        | 48                                 | 05        | 24 4             | 16 02                 | 56 40            |
| 5     | Fri.  | 42                                | 12        | 45                                | 07        | 47                                 | 06        | 25 4             | 16 19                 | 56 34            |
| 6     | Sat.  | 40                                | 13        | 43                                | 08        | 46                                 | 07        | 26 4             | 16 36                 | 56 29            |
| 7     | Sun.  | 4 39                              | 7 14      | 4 42                              | 7 09      | 4 44                               | 7 08      | 27 4             | 16 53                 | 11 56 25         |
| 8     | Mon.  | 37                                | 16        | 41                                | 10        | 43                                 | 09        | 28 4             | 17 09                 | 56 22            |
| 9     | Tues. | 36                                | 17        | 40                                | 11        | 42                                 | 10        | 29 4             | 17 25                 | 56 18            |
| 10    | Wed.  | 35                                | 18        | 39                                | 12        | 41                                 | 11        | 1 0              | 17 41                 | 56 16            |
| 11    | Thur. | 34                                | 19        | 37                                | 13        | 39                                 | 13        | 2 0              | 17 57                 | 56 14            |
| 12    | Fri.  | 33                                | 21        | 36                                | 14        | 38                                 | 14        | 3 0              | 18 12                 | 56 13            |
| 13    | Sat.  | 31                                | 22        | 35                                | 15        | 37                                 | 15        | 4 0              | 18 27                 | 56 12            |
| 14    | Sun.  | 4 30                              | 7 23      | 4 34                              | 7 16      | 4 36                               | 7 17      | 5 0              | 18 41                 | 11 56 12         |
| 15    | Mon.  | 29                                | 24        | 33                                | 17        | 35                                 | 18        | 6 0              | 18 55                 | 56 12            |
| 16    | Tues. | 28                                | 25        | 32                                | 18        | 34                                 | 19        | 7 0              | 19 09                 | 56 13            |
| 17    | Wed.  | 27                                | 26        | 31                                | 19        | 33                                 | 20        | 8 0              | 19 23                 | 56 14            |
| 18    | Thur. | 26                                | 27        | 30                                | 20        | 32                                 | 21        | 9 0              | 19 36                 | 56 16            |
| 19    | Fri.  | 25                                | 28        | 29                                | 21        | 31                                 | 22        | 10 0             | 19 49                 | 56 18            |
| 20    | Sat.  | 24                                | 29        | 28                                | 22        | 30                                 | 23        | 11 0             | 20 02                 | 56 21            |
| 21    | Sun.  | 4 23                              | 7 30      | 4 27                              | 7 23      | 4 29                               | 7 24      | 12 0             | 20 14                 | 11 56 25         |
| 22    | Mon.  | 22                                | 31        | 26                                | 24        | 28                                 | 25        | 13 0             | 20 26                 | 56 29            |
| 23    | Tues. | 21                                | 32        | 25                                | 25        | 27                                 | 26        | 14 0             | 20 38                 | 56 34            |
| 24    | Wed.  | 20                                | 33        | 24                                | 26        | 27                                 | 27        | 15 0             | 20 49                 | 56 39            |
| 25    | Thur. | 19                                | 34        | 23                                | 27        | 26                                 | 28        | 16 0             | 21 00                 | 56 44            |
| 26    | Fri.  | 18                                | 35        | 22                                | 28        | 25                                 | 29        | 17 0             | 21 10                 | 56 50            |
| 27    | Sat.  | 18                                | 36        | 22                                | 29        | 24                                 | 30        | 18 0             | 21 20                 | 56 57            |
| 28    | Sun.  | 4 17                              | 7 37      | 4 21                              | 7 30      | 4 24                               | 7 31      | 19 0             | 21 30                 | 11 57 04         |
| 29    | Mon.  | 17                                | 38        | 21                                | 31        | 23                                 | 31        | 20 0             | 21 39                 | 57 12            |
| 30    | Tues. | 16                                | 39        | 20                                | 32        | 22                                 | 32        | 21 0             | 21 48                 | 57 20            |
| 31    | Wed.  | 16                                | 40        | 20                                | 33        | 22                                 | 33        | 22 0             | 21 57                 | 57 28            |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| 1 Fine day.             | 17 Clearing.      |
| 2 Cloudy.               | 18 Cool.          |
| 3 Cooler.               | 19 Cool winds.    |
| 4 Clear day.            | 20 Unsettled.     |
| 5 Warm.                 | 21 Thunder.       |
| 6 Thunder shower.       | 22 Rainy day.     |
| 7 Genial, pleasant.     | 23 Threatening.   |
| 8 Fine day.             | 24 Cloudy, dull.  |
| 9 Windy.                | 25 Change.        |
| 10 Warmer.              | 26 Warmer.        |
| 11 Stormy, strong wind. | 27 Sultry, close. |
| 12 Showers.             | 28 Windy, cooler. |
| 13 Windy day.           | 29 Thunder.       |
| 14 Change.              | 30 Clouds, fog.   |
| 15 Thunder.             | 31 Damp, foggy.   |
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MEMORANDUM FOR MAY.

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- 1 Willie came home to Day
- 2 from Jean Graham
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- 10 Willie went to Bella in Montana
- 11 harvest with Mrs. Joubert all night
- 12 Johnnie is sow grass to day
- 13 Willie got to Bella to night
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- 16 Johnnie planted potatoes in garden
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- 25 Johnnie brought down the buggy
- 26 Mary has a Colt to Day
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| Moon's Phases.     |       | Halifax.  | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.   | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| New Moon.....      | 8     | 2 06 mo.  | 1 36 mo. | 1 26 mo.  | 1 18 mo.  | 1 04 mo.  | 0 57 mo.  |
| First Quarter..... | 16    | 5 32 mo.  | 5 02 mo. | 4 52 mo.  | 4 44 mo.  | 4 30 mo.  | 4 23 mo.  |
| Full Moon.....     | 23    | 10 06 mo. | 9 36 mo. | 9 26 mo.  | 9 18 mo.  | 9 04 mo.  | 8 57 mo.  |
| Last Quarter.....  | 29-30 | 0 31 mo.  | 0 01 mo. | 11 51 ev. | 11 43 ev. | 11 29 ev. | 11 22 ev. |

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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. North. | Sun on Meridian. |
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| 1  | Thur. | 4 15                              | 7 41      | 4 20                              | 7 34      | 4 21                              | 7 34      | 23 0             | 22 05                 | 11 57 37         |
| 2  | Fri.  | 14                                | 42        | 19                                | 35        | 21                                | 35        | 24 0             | 22 13                 | 57 46            |
| 3  | Sat.  | 14                                | 43        | 19                                | 36        | 21                                | 36        | 25 0             | 22 21                 | 57 56            |
| 4  | Sun.  | 4 13                              | 7 44      | 4 19                              | 7 37      | 4 20                              | 7 37      | 26 0             | 22 28                 | 11 58 06         |
| 5  | Mon.  | 13                                | 45        | 19                                | 38        | 20                                | 38        | 27 0             | 22 34                 | 58 16            |
| 6  | Tues. | 12                                | 45        | 19                                | 38        | 19                                | 38        | 28 0             | 22 41                 | 58 27            |
| 7  | Wed.  | 12                                | 46        | 19                                | 39        | 19                                | 39        | 29 0             | 22 47                 | 58 38            |
| 8  | Thur. | 12                                | 46        | 18                                | 39        | 19                                | 39        | 0 4              | 22 52                 | 58 50            |
| 9  | Fri.  | 11                                | 47        | 18                                | 40        | 19                                | 40        | 1 4              | 22 57                 | 59 01            |
| 10 | Sat.  | 11                                | 47        | 18                                | 40        | 19                                | 40        | 2 4              | 23 02                 | 59 13            |
| 11 | Sun.  | 4 11                              | 7 48      | 4 18                              | 7 41      | 4 18                              | 7 41      | 3 4              | 23 06                 | 11 59 25         |
| 12 | Mon.  | 11                                | 48        | 18                                | 41        | 18                                | 41        | 4 4              | 23 10                 | 59 37            |
| 13 | Tues. | 11                                | 49        | 18                                | 42        | 18                                | 42        | 5 4              | 23 14                 | 59 50            |
| 14 | Wed.  | 11                                | 49        | 18                                | 42        | 18                                | 42        | 6 4              | 23 17                 | 12 0 01          |
| 15 | Thur. | 11                                | 50        | 18                                | 43        | 18                                | 42        | 7 4              | 23 19                 | 0 14             |
| 16 | Fri.  | 11                                | 50        | 18                                | 43        | 18                                | 43        | 8 4              | 23 22                 | 0 27             |
| 17 | Sat.  | 11                                | 51        | 18                                | 44        | 18                                | 43        | 9 4              | 23 24                 | 0 40             |
| 18 | Sun.  | 4 11                              | 7 51      | 4 18                              | 7 44      | 4 19                              | 7 44      | 10 4             | 23 25                 | 12 0 53          |
| 19 | Mon.  | 11                                | 51        | 18                                | 45        | 19                                | 44        | 11 4             | 23 26                 | 1 06             |
| 20 | Tues. | 11                                | 51        | 18                                | 45        | 19                                | 44        | 12 4             | 23 27                 | 1 19             |
| 21 | Wed.  | 12                                | 52        | 19                                | 45        | 19                                | 44        | 13 4             | 23 27                 | 1 31             |
| 22 | Thur. | 12                                | 52        | 19                                | 45        | 19                                | 44        | 14 4             | 23 27                 | 1 44             |
| 23 | Fri.  | 12                                | 52        | 19                                | 45        | 20                                | 44        | 15 4             | 23 26                 | 1 57             |
| 24 | Sat.  | 13                                | 52        | 20                                | 44        | 20                                | 44        | 16 4             | 23 25                 | 2 10             |
| 25 | Sun.  | 4 13                              | 7 52      | 4 20                              | 7 44      | 4 20                              | 7 44      | 17 4             | 23 24                 | 12 2 23          |
| 26 | Mon.  | 14                                | 52        | 21                                | 44        | 21                                | 45        | 18 4             | 23 22                 | 2 35             |
| 27 | Tues. | 14                                | 52        | 21                                | 44        | 21                                | 45        | 19 4             | 23 20                 | 2 48             |
| 28 | Wed.  | 15                                | 52        | 22                                | 43        | 22                                | 45        | 20 4             | 23 17                 | 3 00             |
| 29 | Thur. | 15                                | 51        | 22                                | 43        | 22                                | 44        | 21 4             | 23 14                 | 3 12             |
| 30 | Fri.  | 16                                | 51        | 23                                | 43        | 23                                | 44        | 22 4             | 23 10                 | 3 24             |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| D                  | D                     |
| 1 Pleasant.        | 16 Heavy rains.       |
| 2 Summer-like.     | 17 Thunder storms.    |
| 3 Sultry, warm.    | 18 Thunder.           |
| 4 Clouds, warm.    | 19 Stormy, thunder.   |
| 5 Thunder.         | 20 Thunder showers.   |
| 6 Showery.         | 21 Clear.             |
| 7 Thunder storms.  | 22 Clouds, rain.      |
| 8 Showers, cloudy. | 23 Rainy day.         |
| 9 Thunder.         | 24 Change.            |
| 10 Unsettled.      | 25 Clouds, rain.      |
| 11 Showery.        | 26 Thunder storms.    |
| 12 Clearing.       | 27 Thunder.           |
| 13 Fog.            | 28 Heavy rains.       |
| 14 Fair, cooler.   | 29 Rainy.             |
| 15 Damp, cloudy.   | 30 Thunder, clearing. |

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MEMORANDUM FOR JUNE.

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- 7 John went to Lancaster Harrier
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- 10 John went to Cornwall for Buck
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- 13 Spotted Cow has a calf
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- 17 John Foulds N.Y. died Saturday
- 18 F.R. Foulds, went to N.Y. this morning
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- 21 John working at the Roads
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- 24 George Smith died today
- 25 Sunday Mr. Fuldre sick
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- 30 F at Lancaster to Day

| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax. | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.  | Toronto. | London.  |
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|                    | D. | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.    |
| New Moon.....      | 7  | 4 17 ev. | 3 47 ev. | 3 37 ev.  | 3 29 ev. | 3 15 ev. | 3 08 ev. |
| First Quarter..... | 15 | 7 45 ev. | 7 15 ev. | 7 05 ev.  | 6 57 ev. | 6 43 ev. | 6 36 ev. |
| Full Moon.....     | 22 | 5 27 ev. | 4 57 ev. | 4 47 ev.  | 4 39 ev. | 4 25 ev. | 4 18 ev. |
| Last Quarter.....  | 29 | 8 28 mo. | 7 58 mo. | 7 48 mo.  | 7 40 mo  | 7 26 mo. | 7 19 mo. |

| DAYS. |       | Montreal and the Prov. of Quebec. |           | Toronto and the Prov. of Ontario. |           | Halifax, New Bruns. & Nova Scotia |           | The Dominion.    |                       |                  |
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| M.    | Week. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. North. | Sun on Meridian. |
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| 1     | Sat.  | 4 16                              | 7 51      | 4 23                              | 7 42      | 4 23                              | 7 44      | 23 4             | 23 06                 | 12 3 35          |
| 2     | Sun.  | 4 17                              | 7 51      | 4 24                              | 7 42      | 4 24                              | 7 44      | 24 4             | 23 02                 | 12 3 47          |
| 3     | Mon.  | 17                                | 50        | 24                                | 42        | 25                                | 44        | 25 4             | 22 57                 | 3 53             |
| 4     | Tues. | 18                                | 50        | 25                                | 41        | 25                                | 43        | 26 4             | 22 52                 | 4 09             |
| 5     | Wed.  | 18                                | 49        | 25                                | 41        | 26                                | 43        | 27 4             | 22 47                 | 4 20             |
| 6     | Thur. | 19                                | 49        | 26                                | 41        | 27                                | 43        | 28 4             | 22 41                 | 4 30             |
| 7     | Fri.  | 19                                | 48        | 27                                | 40        | 27                                | 42        | 29 4             | 22 35                 | 4 40             |
| 8     | Sat.  | 20                                | 48        | 28                                | 40        | 28                                | 42        | 0 8              | 22 28                 | 4 49             |
| 9     | Sun.  | 4 21                              | 7 47      | 4 28                              | 7 39      | 4 29                              | 7 41      | 1 8              | 22 21                 | 12 4 58          |
| 10    | Mon.  | 22                                | 47        | 29                                | 39        | 30                                | 41        | 2 8              | 22 13                 | 5 07             |
| 11    | Tues. | 23                                | 46        | 30                                | 38        | 30                                | 40        | 3 8              | 22 05                 | 5 15             |
| 12    | Wed.  | 24                                | 46        | 31                                | 38        | 31                                | 40        | 4 8              | 21 57                 | 5 23             |
| 13    | Thur. | 25                                | 45        | 32                                | 37        | 32                                | 39        | 5 8              | 21 49                 | 5 30             |
| 14    | Fri.  | 26                                | 44        | 33                                | 37        | 33                                | 38        | 6 8              | 21 40                 | 5 37             |
| 15    | Sat.  | 27                                | 43        | 34                                | 36        | 34                                | 37        | 7 8              | 21 30                 | 5 44             |
| 16    | Sun.  | 4 28                              | 7 42      | 4 35                              | 7 36      | 4 35                              | 7 36      | 8 8              | 21 21                 | 12 5 49          |
| 17    | Mon.  | 29                                | 41        | 36                                | 35        | 36                                | 35        | 9 8              | 21 11                 | 5 55             |
| 18    | Tues. | 30                                | 40        | 37                                | 35        | 37                                | 35        | 10 8             | 21 00                 | 5 59             |
| 19    | Wed.  | 31                                | 39        | 38                                | 34        | 38                                | 34        | 11 8             | 20 49                 | 6 04             |
| 20    | Thur. | 32                                | 38        | 39                                | 33        | 39                                | 34        | 12 8             | 20 38                 | 6 07             |
| 21    | Fri.  | 33                                | 37        | 40                                | 32        | 40                                | 33        | 13 8             | 20 27                 | 6 10             |
| 22    | Sat.  | 34                                | 36        | 41                                | 31        | 41                                | 32        | 14 8             | 20 15                 | 6 13             |
| 23    | Sun.  | 4 35                              | 7 35      | 4 42                              | 7 30      | 4 42                              | 7 31      | 15 8             | 20 03                 | 12 6 15          |
| 24    | Mon.  | 36                                | 34        | 43                                | 29        | 43                                | 30        | 16 8             | 19 50                 | 6 16             |
| 25    | Tues. | 37                                | 33        | 44                                | 28        | 44                                | 29        | 17 8             | 19 37                 | 6 17             |
| 26    | Wed.  | 38                                | 32        | 45                                | 27        | 45                                | 28        | 18 8             | 19 24                 | 6 17             |
| 27    | Thur. | 39                                | 31        | 46                                | 26        | 46                                | 27        | 19 8             | 19 11                 | 6 16             |
| 28    | Fri.  | 40                                | 30        | 47                                | 25        | 47                                | 26        | 20 8             | 18 57                 | 6 15             |
| 29    | Sat.  | 41                                | 29        | 48                                | 24        | 48                                | 24        | 21 8             | 18 43                 | 6 14             |
| 30    | Sun.  | 4 42                              | 7 28      | 4 49                              | 7 23      | 4 49                              | 7 23      | 22 8             | 18 28                 | 12 6 12          |
| 31    | Mon.  | 43                                | 27        | 50                                | 22        | 51                                | 21        | 23 8             | 18 14                 | 6 09             |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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|--------------------|-------------------|---|--------------|
| D                  | 1 Unsettled.      | D | 17 Clearing. |
| 2 Threatening.     | 18 Windy day.     |   |              |
| 3 Rain.            | 19 Change.        |   |              |
| 4 Clouds.          | 20 Cloudy, rainy. |   |              |
| 5 Thunder.         | 21 Damp day.      |   |              |
| 6 Thunder storms.  | 22 Clearing.      |   |              |
| 7 Storms, thunder. | 23 Unsettled.     |   |              |
| 8 Thunder showers. | 24 Thunder.       |   |              |
| 9 Change.          | 25 Showers.       |   |              |
| 10 Showers.        | 26 Showery.       |   |              |
| 11 Damp, foggy.    | 27 Unsettled.     |   |              |
| 12 Rainy day.      | 28 Clearing.      |   |              |
| 13 Clouds.         | 29 Thunder.       |   |              |
| 14 Rain.           | 30 Change.        |   |              |
| 15 Showery.        | 31 Variable.      |   |              |
| 16 Changeable.     |                   |   |              |

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MEMORANDUM FOR JULY.

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- 1 Finlay McDermid burned to Day
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- 20 We got a paper from Walker Fowles
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- 22 We got 500 strings from A. M. Sullivan
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- 26 Jean Graham comes here to Day
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- 31 Jean Graham very sick

| Moon's Phases.     |      | Halifax. | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.   | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D.   | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| New Moon.....      | 6    | 7 34 mo. | 7 04 mo. | 6 54 mo.  | 6 46 mo.  | 6 32 mo.  | 6 25 mo.  |
| First Quarter..... | 14   | 7 40 mo. | 7 10 mo. | 7 00 mo.  | 6 52 mo.  | 6 38 mo.  | 6 31 mo.  |
| Full Moon.....     | 20-1 | 0 31 mo. | 0 01 mo. | 11 51 ev. | 11 43 ev. | 11 29 ev. | 11 22 ev. |
| Last Quarter.....  | 27   | 7 43 ev. | 7 13 ev. | 7 03 ev.  | 6 55 ev.  | 6 41 ev.  | 6 34 ev.  |

| M. | Week. | Montreal and the Prov. of Quebec. |           | Toronto and the Prov. of Ontario. |           | Halifax, New Bruns. & Nova Scotia. |           | The Dominion.    |                       |                  |
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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                         | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. North. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |       | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                              | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.         |
| 1  | Tues. | 4 46                              | 7 26      | 4 51                              | 7 21      | 4 52                               | 7 20      | 24 8             | 17 59                 | 12 6 06          |
| 2  | Wed.  | 46                                | 25        | 52                                | 20        | 53                                 | 19        | 25 8             | 17 43                 | 6 02             |
| 3  | Thur. | 47                                | 24        | 53                                | 19        | 54                                 | 18        | 26 8             | 17 28                 | 5 57             |
| 4  | Fri.  | 48                                | 23        | 54                                | 18        | 55                                 | 16        | 27 8             | 17 12                 | 5 52             |
| 5  | Sat.  | 50                                | 21        | 55                                | 17        | 56                                 | 15        | 28 8             | 16 54                 | 5 46             |
| 6  | Sun.  | 4 51                              | 7 19      | 4 56                              | 7 15      | 4 57                               | 7 14      | 0 2              | 16 39                 | 12 5 40          |
| 7  | Mon.  | 52                                | 18        | 57                                | 14        | 58                                 | 13        | 1 2              | 16 23                 | 5 33             |
| 8  | Tues. | 53                                | 16        | 58                                | 13        | 5 00                               | 11        | 2 2              | 16 06                 | 5 26             |
| 9  | Wed.  | 54                                | 14        | 59                                | 11        | 01                                 | 10        | 3 2              | 15 48                 | 5 18             |
| 10 | Thur. | 56                                | 13        | 5 00                              | 10        | 02                                 | 09        | 4 2              | 15 31                 | 5 09             |
| 11 | Fri.  | 57                                | 11        | 01                                | 09        | 03                                 | 08        | 5 2              | 15 13                 | 5 00             |
| 12 | Sat.  | 58                                | 09        | 02                                | 07        | 04                                 | 05        | 6 2              | 14 55                 | 4 50             |
| 13 | Sun.  | 4 59                              | 7 08      | 5 03                              | 7 06      | 5 05                               | 7 04      | 7 2              | 14 37                 | 12 4 40          |
| 14 | Mon.  | 5 00                              | 07        | 05                                | 04        | 06                                 | 02        | 8 2              | 14 19                 | 4 29             |
| 15 | Tues. | 02                                | 06        | 06                                | 03        | 08                                 | 6 01      | 9 2              | 14 00                 | 4 17             |
| 16 | Wed.  | 03                                | 04        | 07                                | 01        | 09                                 | 59        | 10 2             | 13 41                 | 4 05             |
| 17 | Thur. | 04                                | 02        | 08                                | 00        | 10                                 | 57        | 11 2             | 13 22                 | 3 53             |
| 18 | Fri.  | 05                                | 00        | 09                                | 6 58      | 11                                 | 56        | 12 2             | 13 03                 | 3 39             |
| 19 | Sat.  | 06                                | 6 58      | 10                                | 56        | 12                                 | 54        | 13 2             | 12 43                 | 3 26             |
| 20 | Sun.  | 5 07                              | 6 56      | 5 11                              | 6 55      | 5 13                               | 6 53      | 14 2             | 12 23                 | 12 3 12          |
| 21 | Mon.  | 09                                | 54        | 12                                | 53        | 15                                 | 51        | 15 2             | 12 03                 | 2 57             |
| 22 | Tues. | 10                                | 52        | 14                                | 51        | 16                                 | 49        | 16 2             | 11 43                 | 2 42             |
| 23 | Wed.  | 11                                | 51        | 15                                | 50        | 17                                 | 48        | 17 2             | 11 23                 | 2 27             |
| 24 | Thur. | 13                                | 49        | 16                                | 48        | 18                                 | 46        | 18 2             | 11 03                 | 2 11             |
| 25 | Fri.  | 14                                | 48        | 17                                | 46        | 19                                 | 44        | 19 2             | 10 42                 | 1 54             |
| 26 | Sat.  | 15                                | 46        | 18                                | 45        | 20                                 | 42        | 20 2             | 10 21                 | 1 38             |
| 27 | Sun.  | 5 16                              | 6 44      | 5 19                              | 6 43      | 5 21                               | 6 41      | 21 2             | 10 00                 | 12 1 21          |
| 28 | Mon.  | 18                                | 42        | 21                                | 41        | 23                                 | 39        | 22 2             | 9 39                  | 1 03             |
| 29 | Tues. | 17                                | 41        | 22                                | 39        | 24                                 | 37        | 23 2             | 9 18                  | 0 46             |
| 30 | Wed.  | 19                                | 40        | 23                                | 37        | 25                                 | 35        | 24 2             | 8 56                  | 0 28             |
| 31 | Thur. | 21                                | 39        | 24                                | 36        | 26                                 | 31        | 25 2             | 8 34                  | 12 0 09          |

**CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.**

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| D               | D                       |
| 1 Cloudy.       | 17 Thunder storms.      |
| 2 Dismal, dull. | 18 Warm day.            |
| 3 Rainy day.    | 19 Clear, hot day.      |
| 4 Cloudy.       | 20 Showers, sultry.     |
| 5 Clearing.     | 21 Great heat, showers. |
| 6 Windy, clear. | 22 Sweltering.          |
| 7 Fine day.     | 23 Sultry.              |
| 8 Warmer.       | 24 Heavy rains, floods. |
| 9 Sultry, hot.  | 25 Foggy, damp.         |
| 10 Clear, warm. | 26 Sultry, hot day.     |
| 11 Windy.       | 27 Change.              |
| 12 Change.      | 28 Windy day.           |
| 13 Variable.    | 29 Clouds.              |
| 14 Thunder.     | 30 Unsettled.           |
| 15 Rainy day.   | 31 Changeable.          |
| 16 Heavy rains. |                         |

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1 Donald Mc Intyre died today  
2 John was at Lancaster with Reg  
3 Donald Mc Intyre was buried at Mount

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7 Jean Graham went home today yesterday

8 JF went to Lancaster with Jean Graham

9 Victor sick today yesterday

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11 JF at Hay at Dan Mc Arthur farm

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14 John Mc Callum and B M Smith buried

15 Sold 9 Seals 56 1/2 17 Dollars

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17 Sent 1 Dollar for Willness

18 John R Smith Widow buried 50 rd

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21 Foulds wife is not well

22 John is done of the Harvest

23 John gave two dollars for rent to D M Martin

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26 got a letter & paper from W F Connors

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28 got a letter & photograph from A F Kimey

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9th Month.

SEPTEMBER, 30 Days.

Begins on Friday.

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| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax.  | Quebec.   | Montreal. | Ottawa.   | Toronto.  | London.   |
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|                    | D. | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| New Moon.....      | 4  | 11 19 ev. | 10 49 ev. | 10 39 ev. | 10 31 ev. | 10 17 ev. | 10 10 ev. |
| First Quarter..... | 12 | 5 35 ev.  | 5 05 ev.  | 4 55 ev.  | 4 47 ev.  | 4 33 ev.  | 4 26 ev.  |
| Full Moon.....     | 19 | 8 17 mo.  | 7 47 mo.  | 7 37 mo.  | 7 29 mo.  | 7 15 mo.  | 7 08 mo.  |
| Last Quarter.....  | 26 | 10 49 mo. | 10 19 mo. | 10 09 mo. | 10 01 mo. | 9 47 mo.  | 9 40 mo.  |

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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. North. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |       | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.         |
| 1  | Fri.  | 5 22                              | 6 37      | 5 25                              | 6 34      | 5 27                              | 6 32      | 26 2             | 8 13                  | 11 59 51         |
| 2  | Sat.  | 23                                | 35        | 26                                | 32        | 28                                | 30        | 27 2             | 7 51                  | 59 32            |
| 3  | Sun.  | 5 24                              | 6 33      | 5 28                              | 6 30      | 5 30                              | 6 28      | 28 2             | 7 29                  | 11 59 13         |
| 4  | Mon.  | 26                                | 31        | 29                                | 28        | 31                                | 26        | 29 2             | 7 07                  | 58 54            |
| 5  | Tues. | 27                                | 29        | 30                                | 26        | 32                                | 24        | 0 6              | 6 44                  | 58 34            |
| 6  | Wed.  | 28                                | 27        | 31                                | 24        | 33                                | 23        | 1 6              | 6 22                  | 58 14            |
| 7  | Thur. | 29                                | 25        | 32                                | 22        | 34                                | 21        | 2 6              | 6 00                  | 57 54            |
| 8  | Fri.  | 30                                | 23        | 33                                | 21        | 35                                | 19        | 3 6              | 5 37                  | 57 34            |
| 9  | Sat.  | 32                                | 22        | 34                                | 19        | 37                                | 17        | 4 6              | 5 14                  | 57 13            |
| 10 | Sun.  | 5 33                              | 6 25      | 5 35                              | 6 17      | 5 38                              | 6 15      | 5 6              | 4 52                  | 11 56 52         |
| 11 | Mon.  | 34                                | 18        | 37                                | 16        | 39                                | 13        | 6 6              | 4 29                  | 56 32            |
| 12 | Tues. | 35                                | 16        | 38                                | 14        | 40                                | 11        | 7 6              | 4 06                  | 56 11            |
| 13 | Wed.  | 36                                | 14        | 39                                | 12        | 41                                | 10        | 8 6              | 3 43                  | 55 49            |
| 14 | Thur. | 38                                | 12        | 40                                | 10        | 42                                | 08        | 9 6              | 3 20                  | 55 28            |
| 15 | Fri.  | 39                                | 10        | 41                                | 08        | 44                                | 06        | 10 6             | 2 57                  | 55 07            |
| 16 | Sat.  | 40                                | 08        | 42                                | 07        | 45                                | 04        | 11 6             | 2 34                  | 54 46            |
| 17 | Sun.  | 5 41                              | 6 06      | 5 43                              | 6 05      | 5 46                              | 6 02      | 12 6             | 2 11                  | 11 54 25         |
| 18 | Mon.  | 42                                | 04        | 44                                | 03        | 47                                | 00        | 13 6             | 1 47                  | 54 03            |
| 19 | Tues. | 44                                | 00        | 45                                | 01        | 48                                | 58        | 14 6             | 1 24                  | 53 42            |
| 20 | Wed.  | 45                                | 58        | 46                                | 00        | 50                                | 56        | 15 6             | 1 01                  | 53 21            |
| 21 | Thur. | 46                                | 56        | 47                                | 58        | 51                                | 55        | 16 6             | 0 37                  | 53 00            |
| 22 | Fri.  | 47                                | 54        | 49                                | 56        | 52                                | 53        | 17 6             | 0 14                  | 52 39            |
| 23 | Sat.  | 48                                | 53        | 50                                | 54        | 53                                | 51        | 18 6             | South.                | 52 18            |
| 24 | Sun.  | 5 50                              | 5 51      | 5 51                              | 5 52      | 5 54                              | 5 49      | 19 6             | 0 33                  | 11 51 57         |
| 25 | Mon.  | 51                                | 49        | 52                                | 50        | 56                                | 47        | 20 6             | 0 56                  | 51 36            |
| 26 | Tues. | 52                                | 47        | 54                                | 48        | 57                                | 45        | 21 9             | 1 20                  | 51 16            |
| 27 | Wed.  | 53                                | 45        | 55                                | 46        | 58                                | 43        | 22 6             | 1 43                  | 50 56            |
| 28 | Thur. | 56                                | 44        | 56                                | 44        | 59                                | 41        | 23 6             | 2 06                  | 50 36            |
| 29 | Fri.  | 56                                | 43        | 57                                | 42        | 6 00                              | 39        | 24 6             | 2 30                  | 50 16            |
| 30 | Sat.  | 57                                | 41        | 58                                | 41        | 02                                | 38        | 25 6             | 2 53                  | 49 56            |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| D                | D                       |
| 1 Warm.          | 16 Warmer.              |
| 2 Sultry day.    | 17 Threatening.         |
| 3 Threatening.   | 18 Rain.                |
| 4 Rains.         | 19 Damp, dull day.      |
| 5 Change.        | 20 Variable.            |
| 6 Clear.         | 21 Clear.               |
| 7 Cool.          | 22 Fine day.            |
| 8 Windy day.     | 23 Changeable.          |
| 9 Much warmer.   | 24 Cooler.              |
| 10 Sultry, rain. | 25 Brilliant.           |
| 11 Clouds.       | 26 Fine Autumn weather. |
| 12 Frosty, cool. | 27 Frosty, cool.        |
| 13 Clouds, rain. | 28 Clouds.              |
| 14 Cloudy day.   | 29 Thunder.             |
| 15 Rainy.        | 30 Warm.                |

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- 4 JF got potatoes from lower farm
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- 6 JF Drawing truck from General chum
- 7 frost this morning
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- 16 it was frost this morning
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- 20 Aunt Foulds and son Mr (Gregg) (Horne)
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- 22 JF got 2 load of corn from farm
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- 27 Sent 5 Dollars to the Minister fund
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| Moon's Phases.     |    | Halifax. | Quebec.  | Montreal. | Ottawa.  | Toronto. | London.  |
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|                    | D. | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.    |
| New Moon.....      | 4  | 3 00 ev. | 2 30 ev. | 2 20 ev.  | 2 12 ev. | 1 58 ev. | 1 51 ev. |
| First Quarter..... | 12 | 1 56 mo. | 1 26 mo. | 1 16 mo.  | 1 08 mo. | 0 54 mo. | 0 47 mo. |
| Full Moon.....     | 18 | 5 51 ev. | 5 21 ev. | 5 11 ev.  | 5 03 ev. | 4 49 ev. | 4 42 ev. |
| Last Quarter.....  | 26 | 5 26 mo. | 4 56 mo. | 4 46 mo.  | 4 38 mo. | 4 24 mo. | 4 17 mo. |

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|    |        | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                         | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. South. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |        | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                              | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.         |
| 1  | Sun.   | 5 59                              | 5 39      | 5 59                              | 5 40      | 6 03                               | 5 36      | 26 6             | 3 16                  | 11 49 37         |
| 2  | Mon.   | 6 00                              | 5 37      | 6 00                              | 5 38      | 6 04                               | 5 34      | 27 6             | 3 40                  | 49 18            |
| 3  | Tues.  | 6 01                              | 5 35      | 6 01                              | 5 36      | 6 05                               | 5 32      | 28 6             | 4 03                  | 49 00            |
| 4  | Wed.   | 6 03                              | 5 34      | 6 02                              | 5 34      | 6 07                               | 5 30      | 29 6             | 4 26                  | 48 42            |
| 5  | Thur.  | 6 04                              | 5 32      | 6 04                              | 5 32      | 6 08                               | 5 28      | 20 9             | 4 49                  | 48 24            |
| 6  | Fri.   | 6 05                              | 5 30      | 6 06                              | 5 30      | 6 09                               | 5 27      | 1 9              | 5 12                  | 48 06            |
| 7  | Sat.   | 6 06                              | 5 28      | 6 07                              | 5 29      | 6 10                               | 5 25      | 2 9              | 5 35                  | 47 49            |
| 8  | Sun.   | 6 08                              | 5 26      | 6 08                              | 5 27      | 6 12                               | 5 23      | 3 9              | 6 58                  | 11 47 32         |
| 9  | Mon.   | 6 09                              | 5 25      | 6 09                              | 5 25      | 6 13                               | 5 21      | 4 9              | 6 21                  | 47 16            |
| 10 | Tues.  | 6 11                              | 5 23      | 6 10                              | 5 23      | 6 14                               | 5 19      | 5 9              | 6 44                  | 47 00            |
| 11 | Wed.   | 6 12                              | 5 21      | 6 11                              | 5 22      | 6 15                               | 5 18      | 6 9              | 7 07                  | 46 45            |
| 12 | Thur.  | 6 13                              | 5 19      | 6 12                              | 5 20      | 6 17                               | 5 16      | 7 9              | 7 29                  | 46 30            |
| 13 | Fri.   | 6 15                              | 5 17      | 6 14                              | 5 18      | 6 18                               | 5 14      | 8 9              | 7 52                  | 46 16            |
| 14 | Sat.   | 6 16                              | 5 16      | 6 15                              | 5 16      | 6 19                               | 5 12      | 9 9              | 8 14                  | 45 02            |
| 15 | Sun.   | 6 18                              | 5 14      | 6 17                              | 5 14      | 6 20                               | 5 11      | 10 9             | 8 36                  | 11 45 48         |
| 16 | Mon.   | 6 19                              | 5 12      | 6 18                              | 5 13      | 6 22                               | 5 09      | 11 9             | 8 59                  | 45 35            |
| 17 | Tues.  | 6 20                              | 5 10      | 6 19                              | 5 12      | 6 23                               | 5 07      | 12 9             | 9 21                  | 45 23            |
| 18 | Wed.   | 6 21                              | 5 08      | 6 20                              | 5 10      | 6 24                               | 5 06      | 13 9             | 9 42                  | 45 11            |
| 19 | Thurs. | 6 23                              | 5 07      | 6 22                              | 5 08      | 6 26                               | 5 04      | 14 9             | 10 04                 | 45 50            |
| 20 | Fri.   | 6 24                              | 5 05      | 6 23                              | 5 07      | 6 27                               | 5 02      | 15 9             | 10 26                 | 44 40            |
| 21 | Sat.   | 6 25                              | 5 03      | 6 24                              | 5 05      | 6 29                               | 5 01      | 16 9             | 10 47                 | 44 30            |
| 22 | Sun.   | 6 26                              | 5 01      | 6 25                              | 5 04      | 6 30                               | 4 59      | 17 9             | 11 08                 | 11 44 41         |
| 23 | Mon.   | 6 28                              | 5 00      | 6 27                              | 5 02      | 6 31                               | 4 58      | 18 9             | 11 29                 | 44 33            |
| 24 | Tues.  | 6 29                              | 4 58      | 6 28                              | 5 01      | 6 33                               | 4 56      | 19 9             | 11 50                 | 44 25            |
| 25 | Wed.   | 6 31                              | 4 57      | 6 29                              | 5 00      | 6 34                               | 4 54      | 20 9             | 12 11                 | 44 18            |
| 26 | Thur.  | 6 32                              | 4 55      | 6 30                              | 4 58      | 6 35                               | 4 53      | 21 9             | 12 32                 | 44 02            |
| 27 | Fri.   | 6 33                              | 4 53      | 6 31                              | 4 57      | 6 37                               | 4 51      | 22 9             | 12 52                 | 43 56            |
| 28 | Sat.   | 6 35                              | 4 52      | 6 33                              | 4 55      | 6 38                               | 4 50      | 23 9             | 13 12                 | 43 42            |
| 29 | Sun.   | 6 36                              | 4 50      | 6 34                              | 4 53      | 6 39                               | 4 49      | 24 9             | 13 32                 | 11 43 48         |
| 30 | Mon.   | 6 38                              | 4 49      | 6 35                              | 4 51      | 6 41                               | 4 47      | 25 9             | 13 52                 | 43 45            |
| 31 | Tues.  | 6 39                              | 4 47      | 6 36                              | 4 50      | 6 42                               | 4 46      | 26 9             | 14 12                 | 43 42            |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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|----------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| D              | 1 Windy, Fall-like. | D                  | 17 Dull day.       |
| 2 Cooler.      | 3 Brilliant.        | 4 Fine and clear.  | 5 Pleasant day.    |
| 6 Change.      | 7 Rainy day.        | 8 Foggy, damp.     | 9 Variable.        |
| 10 Changeable. | 11 Warmer.          | 12 Blustery frost. | 13 Rainy.          |
| 14 Damp day.   | 15 Cloudy.          | 16 Cloudy, dull.   |                    |
|                |                     |                    | 17 Dull day.       |
|                |                     |                    | 18 Change.         |
|                |                     |                    | 19 Warmer.         |
|                |                     |                    | 20 Rainy.          |
|                |                     |                    | 21 Threatening.    |
|                |                     |                    | 22 Stormy, snow.   |
|                |                     |                    | 23 Rain or snow.   |
|                |                     |                    | 24 Change.         |
|                |                     |                    | 25 Foggy.          |
|                |                     |                    | 26 Unsettled.      |
|                |                     |                    | 27 Threatening.    |
|                |                     |                    | 28 Clearing, fine. |
|                |                     |                    | 29 Warmer.         |
|                |                     |                    | 30 Pleasant day.   |
|                |                     |                    | 31 Brilliant.      |

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MEMORANDUM FOR OCTOBER.

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- 4 *John McDonald from Hamilton was here*
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- 7 *Mrs Ritchie died today 100 years*
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- 10 *Col Donald Mc Gregor got a gold watch at Klondike*
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- 15 *John Foulds senr Birth day 70 years*
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- 24 *J F taken in his Mangle Mantles*
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- 28 *John Shusholm Widow N B died*
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- 31 *Peter Conroy going to Colorado*

| Moon's Phases.      | Halifax. |          | Quebec.  |          | Montreal. |          | Ottawa.  |       | Toronto. |       | London. |  |
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|                     | D.       | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m.     | h. m.    | h. m.    | h. m. | h. m.    | h. m. | h. m.   |  |
| New Moon .....      | 3        | 6 13 mo. | 5 43 mo. | 5 33 mo. | 5 25 mo.  | 5 11 mo. | 5 04 mo. |       |          |       |         |  |
| First Quarter ..... | 10       | 9 21 mo. | 8 51 mo. | 8 41 mo. | 8 33 mo.  | 8 19 mo. | 8 12 mo. |       |          |       |         |  |
| Full Moon .....     | 17       | 6 05 mo. | 5 35 mo. | 5 25 mo. | 5 17 mo.  | 5 03 mo. | 4 56 mo. |       |          |       |         |  |
| Last Quarter .....  | 25       | 2 21 mo. | 1 51 mo. | 1 41 mo. | 1 33 mo.  | 1 19 mo. | 1 12 mo. |       |          |       |         |  |

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|    |       | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                         | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. South. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |       | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                              | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.         |
| 1  | Wed.  | 6 41                              | 4 46      | 6 38                              | 4 49      | 6 43                               | 4 44      | 27 9             | 14 31                 | 11 43 41         |
| 2  | Thur. | 42                                | 44        | 40                                | 47        | 45                                 | 43        | 28 9             | 14 10                 | 43 40            |
| 3  | Fri.  | 44                                | 43        | 41                                | 46        | 46                                 | 41        | 0 3              | 15 09                 | 43 40            |
| 4  | Sat.  | 45                                | 41        | 42                                | 45        | 47                                 | 40        | 1 3              | 15 28                 | 43 41            |
| 5  | Sun.  | 6 47                              | 4 40      | 6 44                              | 4 44      | 6 49                               | 4 39      | 2 3              | 15 46                 | 11 43 43         |
| 6  | Mon.  | 48                                | 39        | 45                                | 43        | 50                                 | 38        | 3 3              | 16 04                 | 43 45            |
| 7  | Tues. | 50                                | 38        | 46                                | 42        | 51                                 | 36        | 4 3              | 16 22                 | 43 49            |
| 8  | Wed.  | 51                                | 37        | 47                                | 41        | 53                                 | 35        | 5 3              | 16 39                 | 43 53            |
| 9  | Thur. | 53                                | 35        | 48                                | 40        | 55                                 | 34        | 6 3              | 16 56                 | 43 58            |
| 10 | Fri.  | 54                                | 34        | 50                                | 39        | 56                                 | 32        | 7 3              | 17 13                 | 44 04            |
| 11 | Sat.  | 55                                | 33        | 51                                | 37        | 6 58                               | 31        | 8 3              | 17 30                 | 44 10            |
| 12 | Sun.  | 6 57                              | 4 31      | 6 53                              | 4 36      | 6 59                               | 4 30      | 9 3              | 17 46                 | 11 44 18         |
| 13 | Mon.  | 58                                | 30        | 54                                | 35        | 7 00                               | 29        | 10 3             | 18 02                 | 44 26            |
| 14 | Tues. | 7 00                              | 29        | 55                                | 34        | 02                                 | 28        | 11 3             | 18 18                 | 44 35            |
| 15 | Wed.  | 01                                | 28        | 56                                | 33        | 03                                 | 27        | 12 3             | 18 34                 | 44 45            |
| 16 | Thur. | 02                                | 27        | 57                                | 32        | 04                                 | 26        | 13 3             | 18 49                 | 44 56            |
| 17 | Fri.  | 03                                | 26        | 59                                | 31        | 05                                 | 25        | 14 3             | 19 03                 | 45 08            |
| 18 | Sat.  | 04                                | 25        | 7 01                              | 30        | 07                                 | 24        | 15 3             | 19 18                 | 45 20            |
| 19 | Sun.  | 7 06                              | 4 24      | 7 02                              | 4 29      | 7 06                               | 4 23      | 16 3             | 19 32                 | 11 45 34         |
| 20 | Mon.  | 08                                | 23        | 03                                | 28        | 09                                 | 22        | 17 3             | 19 45                 | 45 48            |
| 21 | Tues. | 09                                | 22        | 04                                | 28        | 11                                 | 21        | 18 3             | 19 59                 | 46 03            |
| 22 | Wed.  | 10                                | 22        | 05                                | 27        | 12                                 | 21        | 19 3             | 20 12                 | 46 18            |
| 23 | Thur. | 12                                | 21        | 07                                | 27        | 13                                 | 20        | 20 3             | 20 24                 | 46 35            |
| 24 | Fri.  | 13                                | 21        | 08                                | 26        | 15                                 | 19        | 21 3             | 20 37                 | 46 52            |
| 25 | Sat.  | 14                                | 20        | 09                                | 26        | 16                                 | 19        | 22 3             | 20 49                 | 47 11            |
| 26 | Sun.  | 7 15                              | 4 20      | 7 10                              | 4 25      | 7 17                               | 4 18      | 23 3             | 21 00                 | 11 47 39         |
| 27 | Mon.  | 16                                | 19        | 11                                | 25        | 18                                 | 18        | 24 3             | 21 11                 | 47 49            |
| 28 | Tues. | 18                                | 19        | 13                                | 24        | 19                                 | 17        | 25 3             | 21 22                 | 48 10            |
| 29 | Wed.  | 19                                | 18        | 14                                | 24        | 21                                 | 17        | 26 3             | 21 32                 | 48 31            |
| 30 | Thur. | 20                                | 18        | 14                                | 24        | 22                                 | 17        | 27 3             | 21 42                 | 48 53            |

CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| D                    | D                      |
| 1 Cold, frosty.      | 16 Colder.             |
| 2 Cold, Winter-like. | 17 Cold day.           |
| 3 Rough, windy day.  | 18 Clearing.           |
| 4 Cloudy.            | 19 Changeable.         |
| 5 Dull, damp day.    | 20 Windy.              |
| 6 Rain or snow.      | 21 Stormy day.         |
| 7 Unsettled.         | 22 Much wind.          |
| 8 Clouds.            | 23 Change.             |
| 9 Variable.          | 24 Damp, disagreeable. |
| 10 Damp, wet day.    | 25 Clearing.           |
| 11 Unsettled.        | 26 Change.             |
| 12 Blustry, cool.    | 27 Rainy.              |
| 13 Windy.            | 28 Clear.              |
| 14 General frost.    | 29 Fine day.           |
| 15 Change.           | 30 Clouds.             |

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2 (of) Johnnie Gowen Brock her leg

3 It is hard frost this 2 or 3 nights

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8 They are shingling the wood shed

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11 It is snowing pretty heavy this afternoon

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13 changed the stoves to day

14 (of) Johnnie Gowen went to work on hill

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17 Charles Shannon got snowed to day

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19 Georgia Pike died in Cornwall to day

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29 Johnny killed a Pig to Day

30 Ben Clark Dead took a Palliate Shrub

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|                    | D. | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     | h. m.     |
| New Moon .....     | 2  | 8 34 ev.  | 8 04 ev.  | 7 54 ev.  | 7 46 ev.  | 7 32 ev.  | 7 25 ev.  |
| First Quarter..... | 9  | 4 49 ev.  | 4 19 ev.  | 4 09 ev.  | 4 01 ev.  | 3 47 ev.  | 3 40 ev.  |
| Full Moon .....    | 16 | 9 17 ev.  | 8 47 ev.  | 8 37 ev.  | 8 29 ev.  | 8 15 ev.  | 8 08 ev.  |
| Last Quarter ..... | 24 | 11 43 ev. | 11 13 ev. | 11 03 ev. | 10 55 ev. | 10 41 ev. | 10 34 ev. |

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|    |        | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                        | Sun Sets. | Sun Rises.                         | Sun Sets. | Moon's Age Noon. | Sun's Declina. South. | Sun on Meridian. |
|    |        | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                             | h. m.     | h. m.                              | h. m.     | D. Fr.           | Deg. Min.             | h. m. s.         |
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CALENDAR, WEATHER FORECAST, ETC.

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| 2 Variable.            | 18 Clouds.            |
| 3 Threatening.         | 19 Cold, raw day.     |
| 4 Damp day.            | 20 Wintry, cold.      |
| 5 Change.              | 21 Change.            |
| 6 Unsettled.           | 22 Variable.          |
| 7 Moderating.          | 23 Milder.            |
| 8 Dark, cloudy period. | 24 Snow.              |
| 9 Change.              | 25 Rain, sleet, snow. |
| 10 Windy, rough.       | 26 Unsettled.         |
| 11 Cold, blustry day.  | 27 Damp day.          |
| 12 Change.             | 28 Windy, cold.       |
| 13 Frosty, clear.      | 29 Changeable.        |
| 14 Cloudy, snow.       | 30 Bad day.           |
| 15 Snow storms.        | 31 Cloudy, damp.      |
| 16 Squally, cold.      |                       |

1 Paid taxi 28 Dollars 50 cents  
 2 James 20 x 11 Dollars 0.50 cents  
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 4 2 inches snow this morning  
 5 Took the Hagen home last night  
 6 The Wrenbury still in at the farm  
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 9 Belle Wrenbury got a little girl  
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## THE QUEEN AND ROYAL FAMILY.

Her Majesty ALEXANDRINA VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, &c., Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India (in India, Shri Shri Rani Victoriae, Kaiser-i-Hind). Her Majesty was born at Kensington Palace, 24th May, 1819; succeeded to the throne 20th June, 1837, on the death of her uncle, King William IV.; was crowned 28th June, 1838; and married 10th February, 1840, to His late Royal Highness Francis Albert Augustus Charles Emmanuel, PRINCE CONSORT, Duke of Saxony, Prince of Cobourg and Gotha, who was born 6th August, 1819; died 14th December, 1861. Her Majesty is the only child of His late Royal Highness Edward, Duke of Kent, fourth son of King George III. The children of Her Majesty are:—

Her Royal Highness Victoria Adelaide Mary Louisa, Princess Royal of England and Prussia, born 21st November, 1840, and married to His Royal Highness William, the late Emperor of Germany, 25th January, 1858, and has issue living, three sons and four daughters.

His Royal Highness Albert Edward, PRINCE OF WALES, Duke of Saxony, Cornwall and Rothesay, Earl of Dublin, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.S.I., K.T.S., G.C.B., P.C., general, colonel of the 10th Hussars, and colonel-in-chief of the Rifle Brigade, born 9th November, 1841; married 10th March, 1863, to the Princess, Alexandra Caroline Mary Charlotte Louisa Julia, born 1st December, 1844, eldest daughter of the King of Denmark, and has issue His Royal Highness Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward, born 8th January, 1864; died 14th January, 1892; His Royal Highness Prince George Frederick Ernest Albert, born 3rd June, 1865; married 6th July, 1893, to Princess May of Teck; Her Royal Highness Princess Louisa Victoria Alexandra Dagmar, born 20th February, 1867; married 27th July, 1889, to Alexander, Earl of Fife; Her Royal Highness Princess Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary, born 6th July, 1868; Her Royal Highness Princess Maud Charlotte Mary Victoria, born November 26, 1869; and His Royal Highness Prince Alexander John C. Albert, born 6th April, 1871; died 7th April, 1871.

Her Royal Highness Alice Maude Mary, born 25th April, 1843; married His Royal Highness Prince Frederick Louis of Hesse, 1st July, 1862; died 14th December, 1878; issue living, four daughters and one son.

His Royal Highness Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, born August 6, 1844; married the Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, January 9, 1874, and has issue a son and four daughters.

**JANUARY.**—If we are going to have eggs in paying quantities, we must see that our fowls are properly housed, which means that the house should be warm, clean and large enough for the flock. It should be so warm that water will freeze but little even during the coldest weather. We prefer to do without artificial heat, but would not hesitate to use it during a very cold period rather than allow our birds to stop laying, as they surely will when they become very cold. If you use artificial heat, do not allow the building to get over 45°. We have found from 40° to 45° to be about right when heated artificially. Keep the poultry house just as clean as you keep the cows' stable. At least six square feet of floor space should be allowed for each bird. This floor space will do very well if you keep the flock divided into from 15 to 20 in each flock, but if you have say fifty in one flock, they should have a building 20x25 ft. for best results. One of the great secrets for obtaining winter eggs in paying quantities is to have the proper bird as to size, health, etc. No late hatched pullets or old hens will do anything in the winter except eat, and you cannot afford to have drones in the flock. You can very easily tell at this time of the year all birds that are likely to lay soon. The old hens will now be pale looking (I take for granted that you have the whole flock in good health) and not well moulted. Get rid of these as well as the late pullets at once; they will be quite small, and quite likely little more than skin, bone and feathers. Keep only those that are in full plumage,



Her Royal Highness Helena Augusta Victoria, born May 25, 1846; married to His Royal Highness Prince Frederick Christian Charles Augustus of Schleswig-Holstein, Sonderburg-Augustenburg, July 5, 1866, and has issue living, one son and two daughters.

Her Royal Highness Louisa Carolina Alberta, born March 18, 1848; married to the Marquis of Lorne, eldest son of the Duke of Argyle, March 21, 1871.

His Royal Highness Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of Connaught and Strathern, born May 1, 1850; married Princess Louisa Margaret of Prussia, March 13, 1879, and has issue one son and two daughters.

His Royal Highness Leopold George Duncan Albert, Duke of Albany, born April 7, 1853; married April 22, 1882, Princess Helen of Waldeck; died March 29, 1884; issue a daughter born February 26, 1883, and a son born July 19, 1884.

Her Royal Highness Beatrice Mary Victoria Féodore, born April 14, 1857; married to His Royal Highness Prince Henry of Battenberg, July 23, 1885; died January 20, 1896; issue three sons and a daughter.

## DOMINION OF CANADA.

*Seat of Government—OTTAWA.*

### GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND STAFF

*Governor General*—His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir Gilbert John Elliot Murray-Kynnonmond, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; Baron Minto of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, etc., etc., Governor General of Canada.

#### STAFF.

*Governor General's Secretary and Military Secretary*.—Major L. B. Drummond.  
*Aides-de-Camp*.—Lieut. W. F. Lascelles and Lieut. J. H. O. Graham.

*DEPUTY GOVERNOR* (for signing Letters Patent, etc.).

*Clerk of the Privy Council*.—J. J. McGee.

are in good plump condition and are red about the face. We now come to the proper method of feeding. Have a variety of food on hand, as wheat, buck, wheat barley, oats, corn, turnips, potatoes, mangels, cabbage, cut clover and meat of some sort of green bones preferred. Every farmer has enough of these kinds of food to make sufficient variety. Feed mostly vegetables in the morning, as cooked potatoes mixed with crushed oats or some other kind of ground grain, turnips can be used for the potatoes or cut clover mixed and steamed with chopped grain. This will be enough variety. Feed this in troughs and only what they will eat up clean. Have the floor covered with from four to six inches of straw. The object of this is not so much to feed them as to get them to work. It has been clearly proven that a hen that stands about is not a profitable hen. The oftener you can get them to turn over the straw in a day the more eggs you will get. See that each fowl goes to roost with its crop well filled with grain every night. If you are giving them meat, cook it first, and give them all they will eat. If you are feeding ground green bones, you may give them all they will eat, and the more of this kind of food they get the more eggs they will lay and the less grain they will require. You must feed meat in some shape to take the place of the many worms and insects obtained during summer on a free range. Green bones or meat and vegetables, with very little grain, will produce more eggs in winter at less expense than an all grain diet, as is fed to too many hens on our farms. Do not neglect to keep grit before the fowls at all times, and see that they have access to a dust bath of road dust or coal ashes.

## GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Charles J. Jones, Chief Clerk.  
 William Campbell, W. H. Walker and A. F. Sladen, Clerks.  
 George Smith, Messenger.  
 Sergeant Rogers, Orderly.

## BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS.

John Thorburn, LL.D., Chairman ; A. D. Decelles, Peter LeSeur, Secretary.

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COMMANDING HER MAJESTY'S FORCES IN BRITISH  
NORTH AMERICA.

Lieut. Gen. Sir John Ross, K.C.B.

## GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING MILITIA OF CANADA.

Major General Hutton.

## PRIVY COUNCIL.

Premier and President of Privy Council, Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G.C.M.G. ; Minister of Justice, Hon. David Mills ; Minister of Trade and Commerce ; Hon. Sir Richard Cartwright, G.C.M.G. ; Postmaster-General, Hon. Wm. Mulock ; Secretary of State, Hon. R. W. Scott ; Minister of Finance, Hon. W. S. Fielding ; Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. Sir L. H. Davies, K.C.M.G. ; Minister of Railways and Canals, Hon. A. G. Blair ; Minister of Public Works, Hon. J. I. Tarte ; Minister of Militia and Defence, Hon. F. W. Borden, M.D. ; Minister of the Interior, Hon. Clifford Sifton ; Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Sydney A. Fisher ; without portfolios—Hon. R. R. Dobell ; Hon. C. A. Geoffrion. In the Ministry, but not in the Cabinet : Solicitor-General, Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick ; Minister of Customs, Hon. W. Patterson ; Minister of Inland Revenue, Hon. Sir Henry Joly de Lotbinière, K.C.M.G.

**FEBRUARY.**—It is possible to make a fine quality of cheese in winter. Strippers' milk is not so fine flavoured as milk from fresh cows, but there is no reason why cheese should have a sour flavour in winter more than any other time. Sour cheese is caused by leaving whey in the curd, which afterwards sours ; or by developing too much acid on the curd before drawing the whey, especially on curd that is not well cooked. There should not be over one eighth of an inch of fine strings on the hot iron when the whey is drawn. At that time the curd should be cooked firm enough that when a double hand full is pressed together in the hands and the pressure released, the curd will fall apart readily. Another test for a good cook is to hear it squeak between the teeth.

**MARCH.**—Oats are worth a scant 10 per cent. more than bran for feeding purposes, and yet it is possible that for horses, pigs and other animals with relatively small stomachs, oats would be worth more. Bran is very bulky, and it is sometimes difficult to get this class of animals to eat enough of it to produce the desired results. We think it better practice to cut the oats and peas for hay or silage rather than to let them ripen.

## CABINET MINISTERS OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

*Seat of Government—OTTAWA*

The Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G.C.M.G., Premier and President of Privy Council.

The Honorable Wm. Mulock, Q.C., Postmaster-General.

" J. Israel Tarte, Minister of Public Works.

" A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals.

" W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance.

" Sir L. H. Davies, K.C.M.G., Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

" Sir Richard Cartwright, G.C.M.G., Minister of Trade and Commerce.

" F. W. Borden, M.D., Minister of Militia and Defence.

" David Mills, Minister of Justice.

" Sydney A. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture.

" Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior.

" R. W. Scott, Secretary of State.

" Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, K.C.M.G., Minister of Inland Revenue.

" W. Patterson, Minister of Customs.

" R. R. Dobell (without portfolio)

" C. A. Geoffrion " "

## PROVINCE OF QUEBEC—POP. 1891, 1,488,535.

*Seat of Government—QUEBEC.*

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Louis Amédée Jetté.

*Private Secretary*, Edward Delpit.*Aide-de-Camp*, Capt. H. O. Sheppard.*Extra Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. H. A. Panet, R.C.A.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The Honorable F. G. Marchand, Premier and Provincial Treasurer.

" S. N. Parent, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

" F. G. W. Deschene, Commissioner of Agriculture.

" Horace Archambault, Attorney-General.

" J. E. Robidoux, Provincial Secretary.

" A. Turgeon, Commissioner of Colonization and Mines.

" Thos. Duffy, Commissioner of Public Works.

*Ministers without Portfolios*—The Hon. G. W. Stephens, The Hon. J. J. Guerin, M.D., The Hon. Joseph Shehyn.*Clerk of the Legislative Council*—Louis Fréchette.*Clerk of the Executive Council*—G. Grenier.

**APRIL.**—I had some experience this spring with a young mare that was inclined to kick when anything came in contact with her heels or hind legs. I took a good leather halter and put on her under the bridle, passed the halter strap between forelegs over the belly band, then put iron rings on end of halter strap. Then I tied a strong light rope around one hind leg just above ankle, passed it through the ring in halter strap back to the other hind leg and tied same as the first, so she had perfect freedom to walk. Then I hooked her to harrow, and when the single tree struck her heels in turning she kicked with a vengeance, which brought her head almost to the ground very suddenly; she has never kicked since to my knowledge—Stockman.

**MAY.**—Very few men succeed with late fall pigs. Cold weather is hard on young pigs, unless well protected. A late litter of pigs in the fall makes the spring litter from the same sow too late. Two litters a year is a heavy draft on

## PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.—POP. 1891, 2,114,321.

*Seat of Government—TORONTO.*

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Sir Oliver Mowat.

*Private Secretary*, Capt. H. Mowat.*Official Secretary*, Commander Fred. C. Law, R.N.R.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The Honorable A. S. Hardy, Q.C., K.C.M.G., Premier and Attorney-Gen'l.

" George William Ross, Minister of Education.

" W. Harty, Commissioner of Public Works.

" J. M. Gibson, Q.C., Commissioner of Crown Lands.

" Richard Harcourt, Provincial Treasurer.

" John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture and Registrar

" E. J. Davis, Provincial Secretary.

" E. H. Bronson, without portfolio.

*Clerk of Executive Council—J. R. Cartwright.**Clerk of Legislative Assembly—Charles Clark.*

## PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA. POP. 1891, 450,396.

*Seat of Government—HALIFAX.*

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable M. B. Daly., Q.C.

*Private Secretary and Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut.-Col. H. W. Clerke.*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. Col. G. J. Stewart.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The Honorable George H. Murray, Premier and Provincial Secretary.

" Charles E. Church, Commissioner of Public Works and Mines

" J. W. Longley, Attorney-General.

" Thomas Johnston,

" A. H. Comeau,

" Angus McGillivray,

" W. T. Pipes,

" Thomas R. Black,

} *Without office.**Clerk of the Executive Council—H. Crosskill.*" *Legislative Council—A. G. Troop.*" *House of Assembly—J. W. Ousely.*

## PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK. POP. 1891, 321,263.

*Seat of Government—FREDERICTON.*

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Abner Reid McClelan.

*Administrator*, Fred E. Barker, Q.C., D.C.L., Judge of the Supreme Court.*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. Col. John R. Armstrong.*Extra Aide-de-Camp*, Major Henry M. Campbell.

the vitality of the sow, and, unless she has a remarkable constitution, the pigs will be weakly, and, of course, unprofitable. In this climate the spring pigs should come in April or May, unless the provisions against cold are unusually good. A check in early growth can never be recovered, and it is not easy to keep pigs growing without check, even with the most favourable weather. On the whole the experience of breeders favors one litter a year, and that one as early in the spring as climate and surroundings permit.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

- The Honorable H. R. Emmerson, Premier and Minister of Public Works.  
 " L. J. Tweedie, Provincial Secretary.  
 " A. T. Dunn, Surveyor-General.  
 " Henry R. Emmerson, Chief Commissioner of Public Works.  
 " Albert S. White, Solicitor-General.  
 " C. H. LaBillois, Commissioner for Agriculture.  
 " L. P. Ferris—*Without office.*  
 " A. D. Richard—*Without office.*  
 Clerk of the Executive Council—F. A. H. Straton.  
 " Legislative Assembly—H. B. Rainsford.

## PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

POP. 1891, 109,078.

*Seat of Government*—CHARLOTTETOWN.

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

- The Honorable Geo. W. Howlan.  
*Private Secretary*, Vivian Doran.  
*Aides-de-Camp*, Lieut.-Col. F. S. Moore, D.A.G., and Capt. W. A. Weeks.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

- The Honorable Don. Farquharson, Premier and Attorney-General.  
 " Angus McMillan, Provincial Secretary-Treasurer and Commissioner of Public Lands.  
 " James R. McLean, Commissioner of Public Works.  
 " Peter Sinclair,  
 " A. McLaughlin,  
 " James Richards,  
 " Geo. Forbes, } *Without office.*  
 Clerk of the Executive Council—Arthur Newbery.

## PROVINCE OF MANITOBA AND KEEWATIN.

POP. 1891, 152,506.

*Seat of Government*—WINNIPEG.

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

- The Honorable John C. Patterson.  
*Secretary*, Chas. C. Patterson.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

- The Hon. Thomas Greenway, Premier, President of Council, Minister of Agriculture and Immigration, and Railway Commissioner.  
 " Robt. Watson, Minister of Public Works.  
 " John D. Cameron, Provincial Secretary and Municipal Commissioner.  
 " C. J. Mickle, Attorney-General and Land Commissioner.  
 " D. H. McMillan, Provincial Treasurer.  
 Clerk of the Executive Council—C. Graburn.

**JUNE.**—The question of the best breed of sheep for the American farmer will never be settled. There is no best breed. What is best for one farm might be worse for another. What might be a good breed for one farmer might be bad for another on the same farm. Tastes differ, and the breed a man likes best is likely to give him the best results. In sheep feeding aim to secure these three points: Mutton, of the best quality possible and as much as you can have on each single carcass, a good thick fleece, and fecundity. When these are obtained you have all that can reasonably be asked of one animal. Thousands of farmers

## PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. Pop. 1891, 98,173.

*Seat of Government*—VICTORIA.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Thos. R. McInnes.

*Private Secretary*, C. A. Jacobs.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The Honorable Chas. E. Semlin, Premier, Minister of Finance and Agriculture.

" Robert E. McKechnie, President of Council.

" Joseph Martin, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

" John Fred. Hume, Minister of Public Works.

" Col. James Baker, Provincial Secretary, Minister of Education and Mines.

*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly*.—Thornton Fell.

## NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES OF CANADA.

Pop. 1891, 98,967.

*Seat of Government*—REGINA.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Amédée E. Forget.

*Secretary*.—R. B. Gordon.*Premier and Attorney-General*.—Hon. F. W. G. Haultain.*Territorial Secretary*.—T. H. Ross.*Without Portfolios*.—H. Mitchell, C. A. Magrath, G. H. V. Bulyea.*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly*.—R. B. Gordon.*Clerk of Council*.—J. A. Reid.*Indian Commissioner*.—Hon. David Laird.

could raise early lambs at a profit were they not prejudiced and careless. Because it requires a little more care and thought than to raise them in a slipshod manner they neglect the opportunity and then say that "sheep are unprofitable." It is the careless and narrow-minded man who is unprofitable.

**JULY.**—August is the best time to cut and set cuttings from both currant and gooseberry plants. By cutting and setting early, roots will be formed so that the plants will winter well. All the leaves should of course be stripped from the cuttings before they are set, and they should be planted at an angle, so that the lower part of the cuttings will be in warm and moist soil. If the leaves are left on cuttings, they will continue to exhaust the moisture from the stalk, and this will set the leaves firmly to the stem. All trees may be easily transplanted so soon as the leaves have ripened so as to part easily from the stem.

**SEPTEMBER.**—Set out new strawberry plants as early as they can be obtained. When received, dip the roots in thick compost of dirt and manure water, and set at once, pressing the moist dirt firmly about the roots. The care given the fruits this season practically determines the product of the next. The strong raspberry canes must be stimulated by the removal of the weaker ones, and all the surplus cut away. Small growers of fruit should always look for a market near home, and depend upon that chiefly. It is only the large growers who can afford long shipments and the methods of commission buyers.

**OCTOBER.**—A correspondent writes that he can sell his milk in a neighboring town for five and six cents a quart the year round, and he enquires if he had better do it. We would rather say he had. We remember once that a woman refused to sell us milk for six cents a quart, because she wanted to make butter from the same, and butter was worth 25 cents a pound. It astonished the woman somewhat when we showed her that it required 12 quarts

## GENERAL POST OFFICE REGULATIONS.

FIRST CLASS MATTER.  
LETTERS.

Register all valuable letters.

In addressing letters add the name of the county in which the Post-Office addressed is situated; if to a city, add street and number.

Letters for the United States should bear the name of the State as well as that of the Post-Office.

A letter once posted becomes the property of the person to whom it is addressed, and must be forwarded according to its direction.

Letters containing gold or silver money, jewels or anything liable to Customs duties, cannot be forwarded to any country beyond the Dominion except to the United States.

Letters addressed to initials, or fictitious names, will not be delivered unless addressed in care of a resident or to some box in the Post-Office.

Letters bearing mutilated stamps, or stamps so soiled and defaced as to make it impossible for the sorting clerks to decide whether they have been used before or not, will be sent to the Postmaster General for his adjudication.

## POSTAGE.

*Letters addressed to places in Canada and United States,*  
3 cents per ounce or fraction thereof.

*Great Britain and all other European Countries,*  
3 cents per  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. or fraction thereof.

Letters addressed to places in the United States must be prepaid at least one full rate (3 cents), otherwise they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Partly prepaid Letters addressed to places in Canada will be forwarded to destination, subject on delivery to double the amount of postage remaining unpaid; and letters on which no postage has been prepaid will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

## RE-DIRECTED LETTERS.

Letters re-directed to places in Canada and the United States, without being taken out of the Post Office, are not liable to any additional postage.

## REQUEST LETTERS.

Letters for places in Canada, the United States and Newfoundland sent in Envelopes having printed thereon, on the address side, a REQUEST that the letters be returned to the sender if not delivered within a certain specified time, will be returned as requested if not delivered in the time stated; also address letters, by which are understood letters bearing on face or back the printed address of senders, will be sent back when they fail of delivery without a request for a return.

## LEGAL AND COMMERCIAL DOCUMENTS.

The Postage on Legal and Commercial Papers for the United States, Great Britain and all European countries is 5 cents for the first 10 oz., and 1 cent for every additional 2 oz. These Papers, when posted for delivery in Canada, must be prepaid at Letter or Parcel Post Rates—but Deeds and Insurance Policies may be sent if prepaid 1 cent per 2 oz.

## POST CARDS.

For Canada and the United States, one cent each. For Great Britain and all Postal Union Countries, two cents each. Reply Cards, for Canada only, two cents each. Nothing must be attached to a Post Card, nor must the Card be cut or defaced in any way.

or 26 pounds of her milk to make one pound of butter. And that she was using 72 cents worth of milk to make 25 cents worth of butter. There are a great many such figures in the dairy ranks, and the worst of it is that, unlike our friend, they do not take pains to find out whether they are right or wrong.

To attribute the lighter crops of the last few years altogether or mainly to exhaustion of soil fertility is, I submit, the result of laboring under a false impression. There are two other causes that in my opinion have much to do with it, viz., an unequal distribution of the rainfall and lack of sufficient labor, the last being the main cause both of the quality and the quantity of the help on most farms having deteriorated during the last ten years. Now, in reply to the question, how we can best secure the necessary fertilizing materials to maintain the producing capacity of our farms by making our farms grow them, I would say that the tillage is manure and so is shade.

## SECOND CLASS MATTER.

Newspapers and Periodicals published not less frequently than once a month, and posted from the office of publication for transmission to *regular subscribers* in Canada and the United States, are sent free of Postage, subject, however, to conditions laid down in Post Office Act; those addressed to subscribers in the United Kingdom are liable to a rate of 1 cent per 2 oz. *All specimen copies*, and all copies of publications published less frequently than once a month, must be prepaid 1 cent for each pound or fraction of a pound.

## THIRD CLASS MATTER.

Matter of this class must be so packed or put up as to be easily opened for examination, and there must be no correspondence enclosed.

## NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

All Drop Newspapers and Periodicals (for delivery where posted), and transient Newspapers and Periodicals posted for transmission to places in Canada and the United States, must be prepaid 1 cent per 4 oz. or fraction of 4 oz.—weighing not more than 1 oz. each they may be posted singly if prepaid  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent each.

## BOOKS, &amp;c., AND MISCELLANEOUS MATTER.

The postage on Books, Pamphlets, Circulars, Occasional Publications, etc., addressed to Canada is 1 cent per 4 oz.—to the United States, Great Britain and all European countries, 1 cent per 2 oz. The Postage on Printers' Proof Sheets, Maps, Prints, Drawings, Engravings, Lithographs, Photographs, Sheet Music, etc., addressed to Canada, the United States, Great Britain, or any European Country is 1 cent per 2 oz. School or College Examination Papers, distinctly marked as such, Municipal Assessment Rolls, Statute Labor Returns, and Municipal Returns in general may pass in Canada at the rate of one cent per two ounces. No Package must exceed 2 feet in length by 1 foot in width or depth. The limit of weight for Canada, the United States, and Great Britain is 5 lbs., except in case of a single book when 7 lbs. is allowed, for other Postal Union Countries 4 lbs.

Seeds, Cuttings, Bulbs, Roots and Scions, or Grafts, can only be sent to the United States as 5th Class Matter; when posted for delivery in Canada, the postage is 1 cent per 4 oz., and the limit of weight 5 lbs.

## PATTERNS AND SAMPLES.

*Actual Patterns and Samples of Merchandise*, not exceeding 24 ounces in weight, may be sent to any place in Canada for 1 cent per 4 oz. Goods sent in execution of an order, however small the quantity may be, or articles sent by one private individual to another, *not being actually Trade Patterns or Samples*, are not admissible as such. The limit of weight to the United Kingdom is *twelve ounces*, to the United States and any other European country *eight ounces*—postage, 2 cents for the first 4 oz., and 1 cent for every additional 2 oz.

## FOURTH CLASS MATTER. PARCELS.

Parcels should be plainly addressed, and there must be no correspondence enclosed. Parcels for Canada must be prepaid 6 cents per 4 oz. They must not exceed 5 lbs. in weight nor 2 feet in length by 1 foot in width or depth, and the sender's name should be written on the lower left hand corner.

Parcels not exceeding 7 lbs. in weight, nor 2 feet in length by 1 foot in width or depth, may be sent to the countries marked "A" or "B" in the Foreign Postage Table, and to a number of other places not mentioned. For full particulars apply at Post Office, or see Canada Official Postal Guide. The postage on parcels for the United Kingdom and for

**NOVEMBER.**—When the roots are pulled and topped they may be drawn at once if the weather is cool and the cellar for storage is small and well ventilated. But in warm weather, and where a large lot is to be stored in one place, it would be better to allow them to lie for a few days in heaps after they have been dug. Such a course would avoid the sweating process, which may work injury to the roots in the cellar. The roots may be carried into the cellar in baskets and the earth well shaken of them, for when much earth lodges in the roots at the bottom of the pile, they are pretty certain to grow or decay in part at least.

Eternal vigilance is the price of healthy hogs.

The dropping of the ear of corn is sweet music to the ear of hogs.

Corn is never so cheap that it profitably can be feed in the mud.

There is gold in barn-yard manure; the assayer can't find it but the crops can.

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Barbadoes is 25 cents a pound or fraction of a pound; on parcels to Newfoundland 15 cents per pound or fraction of a pound. A Customs Declaration of the contents and value of each parcel must be filled up at the Post Office by the sender. These parcels are forwarded by Canadian Contract Steamers only.

#### FIFTH CLASS MATTER.

Comprises such articles of general merchandise as are not entitled to any lower rate of postage. Postage 1 cent per oz., or fraction of an ounce. Limit of weight, 5 lbs.; of size, two feet in length by one foot in width or depth. Matter claiming to be 5th Class *must be open to inspection*, and there must be no correspondence enclosed. Packages of 5th Class Matter may be sent to the United States for the same prepayment as is required within the Dominion, but the contents will be liable to Customs inspection and collection of duty in the United States. Sealed tins containing fish, lobster, vegetables, meats, etc., if put up in a solid manner and labelled in such a way as to fully indicate the nature of their contents, may be sent as 5th Class Matter within the Dominion; but no sealed matter can be forwarded to the United States under this head. Liquids, oil and fatty substances may be sent to places in Canada and the United States as 5th Class, if put up in accordance with the ruling referring to such articles in the Canada Postal Guide for 1890, page XIV.

#### REGISTRATION.

All classes of matter addressed to places in Canada the United States, Newfoundland, Great Britain or any Postal Union Country may be registered for a fee of 5 cents for each article in addition to the Postage and letters may be registered to most of the countries not included in the Union.

Every article intended for registration *must be handed in at the wicket*, and a receipt obtained therefor; *on no account must it be dropped into a letter box*. The registration fee should be paid by registration stamp.

The sender of a registered article addressed to any Postal Union Country may entitle himself to a certificate as to the disposal of said article by the Postmaster at the office addressed, on prepayment of an additional fee of 5 cents.

Registered articles cannot be forwarded unless the postage and registration fee are paid in full.

*Registration stamps cannot be accepted in prepayment of postage.*

#### POST BANDS AND STAMPED ENVELOPES.

One cent post bands for newspaper or book packet wrappers, and one and three cent stamp envelopes are issued by the Department, and may be had at the stamp vendors.

#### PRIVATE POST CARDS.

Private Post Cards may be posted in Canada for delivery within Canada, under the following regulations. The material used to be ordinary card board not thicker than that used by the Department. Size not to exceed that of Official Card, nor to be less than 3½ inches long by 2½ inc. wide. The words Post Card to be written or printed on the address side of Card. Other regulations regarding Official Post Cards apply equally to Private Post Cards.

#### MATTER WHICH CANNOT BE FORWARDED BY POST.

Any explosive, dangerous or destructive substance, or anything likely to injure the mails or the person of any officer or servant of the Post Office.

#### POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.

Deposits from \$1 upwards, on which 3½ per cent. interest is allowed, will be received for transmission to the Central Office of the Post Office Savings Bank. Pass Books, and every information, to be had on application.

#### MONEY ORDER OFFICE.

In sending money by mail, it is always best to transmit by Money Order, if possible. If sent by letter, it should always be registered.

Money Orders issued and paid from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The man-afraid-of-his-cow is never a good milker, nor will the cow do her best for him.

It pays to fix the stables so that stock will not know winter has come, or won't care if it has.

November is the time to give thought to next year's seed corn; save the champion ears of the crop for this purpose.

**DECEMBER.**—Keep a slate or small note book in a handy place, and make a memorandum of little things that should be looked after as they occur to you. Make a list of odd jobs to be done on wet and stormy days. In line with this, pull out the sleighs, look them over, and have any repairs made that are necessary, so that they will be ready when wanted.

COMMISSION ON MONEY ORDERS.

Money Orders drawn by any Money Order Office in Canada on any other Money Order Office in the Dominion, is as follows:—

|                                  |                     |                                         |                     |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------|
| If not exceeding \$2.50 .....3c. |                     | Over \$40, not exceeding \$50 .....20c. |                     |
| Over \$2.50 " " \$5.....4c.      | " 50 " 60 ....24c.  | " 5 " 10.....6c.                        | " 60 " 75 .....28c. |
| " 5 " " 20.....10c.              | " 70 " 80 ....32c.  | " 10 " " 30.....12c.                    | " 80 " 90 .....36c. |
| " 20 " " 40.....15c.             | " 90 " 100.....40c. | " 30 " " 40.....15c.                    |                     |

No single Money Order, payable in the Dominion of Canada, can be issued for more than \$100; but as many of \$100 each may be given as the remitter requires.

The other Countries and British Colonies upon which Money Orders are granted are distinguished by an Asterisk (\*) in the subjoined table; the rates of Commission in all cases being as follows:—

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| If not exceeding \$10.....10c. |                      | Over \$30, not exceeding \$40..... 40c. |  |
| Over \$10 " " 20.....20c.      | " 40 " " 50.....50c. | " 20 " " 30.....30c.                    |  |

POSTAGE TABLE.

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|------|
|                                                                                                                         | ½ oz.        | each.       | 2 o .        | 2 oz.         |      |
| a*Aden (in Arabia), India Postal Agency.....                                                                            | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Algeria.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Argentine Republic.....                                                                                               | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| <i>Australia, South.....</i>                                                                                            | c 7          | —           | 2            | 2             | —    |
| a* " via Brindisi.....                                                                                                  | c 15         | —           | 3            | 3             | 15   |
| " " West, via Brindisi only.....                                                                                        | c 15         | —           | 3            | 6             | 15   |
| a*Austria-Hungary.....                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Bahamas.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Belgium.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Bermuda.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| aBorneo, North (British).....                                                                                           | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| Brazil.....                                                                                                             | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Cape Colony.....                                                                                                      | 1 2          | —           | 2            | 3             | 6d   |
| a*Ceylon.....                                                                                                           | 10           | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| aChili.....                                                                                                             | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| <i>China.....</i>                                                                                                       | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a* Hong-Kong and agencies of Hong-Kong, P. O. at Amoy, Canton, Foochow, Hankow Hoihow Ningpo, Shanghai, and Swatow..... | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| aColombia.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| *Panama (British Postal Agency).....                                                                                    |              |             |              |               |      |
| a*Cyprus.....                                                                                                           | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Denmark.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*East Indies (Dutch), etc.....                                                                                         | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a Java.....                                                                                                             |              |             |              |               |      |
| a*Egypt.....                                                                                                            | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| *Falkland Islands.....                                                                                                  | 10           | 2           | 2            | 1             | 5    |
| Faroe Islands.....                                                                                                      | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| <i>Fiji Islands.....</i>                                                                                                | c 7          | —           | 2            | 2             | —    |
| a*France.....                                                                                                           | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Gambia.....                                                                                                           | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Germany.....                                                                                                          | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |

Horse blankets are too cheap to let horses suffer for want of them.

It is best to prepare for a hard winter, even if it is expected to be mild one.

A handful of salt thrown into the stove will extinguish a burning in pipe or chimney.

The edges of the slough where the soil is rich is the ideal place for sun-flowers to grow.

As a rule the beef animal that is the best feeder furnishes the best feeding to its human devourer.

It is safe to doubt the virtue, the sincerity and usefulness of a man who finds it necessary to continue telling how virtuous, sincere and useful to the people he is.

Frequent changing systems of farming is poor policy; being induced to change them by the market prices of a single season or year is folly. The rolling stone gathers no moss, and the rolling farmer no lucre.

Good returners are better than good borrowers.

"Opportunity has hair in front; behind she is bald; if you seize her by the forelock, you may hold her, but if suffered to escape not Jupiter himself can catch her again.

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| Countries not included in the Postal Union are printed in <i>italics</i> .                                                                                          | Letter Rate. | Post Cards. | News-papers. | Book packets. | Reg. |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|------|
|                                                                                                                                                                     | ½ oz.        | each.       | 2 oz.        | 2 oz.         |      |
| a*Gibraltar.....                                                                                                                                                    | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| *Gold Coast.....                                                                                                                                                    | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Great Britain and Ireland.....                                                                                                                                    | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| bGreece.....                                                                                                                                                        | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Guadur (in Beloochistan).....                                                                                                                                     | 10           | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Guiana, British.....                                                                                                                                              | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| “ Dutch and French.....                                                                                                                                             | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| Honduras.....                                                                                                                                                       | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| * “ British (Belize).....                                                                                                                                           | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| *Iceland.....                                                                                                                                                       | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*India, British.....                                                                                                                                               | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Italy.....                                                                                                                                                        | 10           | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| *Japan.....                                                                                                                                                         | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| *Lagos.....                                                                                                                                                         | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| aLuxembourg.....                                                                                                                                                    | 10           | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Malta.....                                                                                                                                                        | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Mauritius.....                                                                                                                                                    | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| aMexico.....                                                                                                                                                        | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Muscat (in Arabia), India Postal Agency.....                                                                                                                      | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 7 d  |
| a*Natal.....                                                                                                                                                        | 10           | —           | 2            | 3             | 5    |
| a*Netherlands.....                                                                                                                                                  | 12           | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Newfoundland.....                                                                                                                                                 | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5 d  |
| <i>New South Wales</i> .....                                                                                                                                        | c 12         | —           | 2            | 3             | 7 d  |
| a* “ “ via Brindisi.....                                                                                                                                            | c 19         | —           | 3            | 6             | 15 d |
| <i>New Zealand</i> .....                                                                                                                                            | c 12         | —           | 2            | 3             | 7 d  |
| a* “ “ via Brindisi.....                                                                                                                                            | c 19         | —           | 3            | 6             | 7 d  |
| a*Norway.....                                                                                                                                                       | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| Persia.....                                                                                                                                                         | 10           | 2           | 2            | 1             | 5    |
| a* Bandar Abas, Bushire Jask and Linga (India Postal Agencies).....                                                                                                 | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| Peru.....                                                                                                                                                           | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| b*Portugal, including Azores and Madeira Islands.....                                                                                                               | 5            | —           | 2            | 3             | 15 d |
| <i>Queensland</i> (Australia).....                                                                                                                                  | c 12         | —           | 3            | 6             | 7 d  |
| * “ “ via Brindisi.....                                                                                                                                             | c 19         | —           | 3            | 6             | 7 d  |
| a*Roumania.....                                                                                                                                                     | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| Russia, including Finland.....                                                                                                                                      | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| * <i>St. Helena</i> .....                                                                                                                                           | 15           | —           | 3            | 3             | 7 d  |
| Sandwich Islands.....                                                                                                                                               | 5            | 2           | 1            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Seychelles Islands.....                                                                                                                                           | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Sierra Leone.....                                                                                                                                                 | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| bSpain.....                                                                                                                                                         | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Straits Settlements (Singapore, etc.).....                                                                                                                        | 10           | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| a*Sweden.....                                                                                                                                                       | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a*Switzerland.....                                                                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| <i>Tasmania</i> .....                                                                                                                                               | c 12         | —           | 2            | 3             | 15 d |
| a* “ “ via Brindisi.....                                                                                                                                            | c 19         | —           | 3            | 6             | 7 d  |
| bTurkey, European and Asiatic.....                                                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5 d  |
| a* Constantinople and Smyrna (British Postal Agencies).....                                                                                                         | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a* Bagdad and Basrah (India Postal Agencies).....                                                                                                                   | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| *United States of America.....                                                                                                                                      | 5            | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| Venezuela.....                                                                                                                                                      | 5            | 2           | 2            | 3             | 5 d  |
| <i>Victoria</i> (Australia).....                                                                                                                                    | c 12         | —           | 2            | 3             | 15 d |
| a* “ “ via Brindisi.....                                                                                                                                            | c 19         | —           | 3            | 6             | 7 d  |
| a*Zanzibar (India Postal Agency).....                                                                                                                               | c 10         | 2           | 2            | 2             | 5    |
| West India Islands, via New York:—                                                                                                                                  |              |             |              |               |      |
| a* British: Bahamas, Turk's Islands, Antigua, Barbadoes, Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, Montserrat, Nevis, St. Kitts, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Trinidad and Tobago..... | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| a* Danish: St. Croix, St. John and St. Thomas.....                                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| Spanish: Cuba.....                                                                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| Porto Rico.....                                                                                                                                                     | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |
| <i>Hayti and San Domingo</i> .....                                                                                                                                  | 5            | 2           | 1            | 1             | 5    |

\* Money Orders may be had on these countries.  
a Parcels may be sent to these countries.  
b Parcels may be sent to the principal places or ports in these countries.  
c Prepayment compulsory. d Only letters can be registered.

## COURTS OF JUSTICE.

## THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA

38 Victoria, Cap. 11.

The Hon. Sir Henry Strong, Kt., Chief Justice.

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|---------------------|------------------|
| " H. E. Taschereau, | } Puisné Judges. |
| " J. W. Gwynne,     |                  |
| " R. Sedgewick,     |                  |
| " G. E. King,       |                  |
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Robert Cassels, Q.C., Registrar ;

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## COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH,

## APPEAL SIDE.

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QUEBEC.—From the 1st to the 8th days of February, May, October and December, these days inclusive.

MONTREAL.—From the 15th to the 27th days of January, March, May, September and November, these days inclusive.

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## COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH,

## CROWN SIDE.

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## JUDICIAL CALENDAR.

## DISTRICT OF BEDFORD.

Court of Queen's Bench (Crown Side), 1st March and September.

Superior Court and District Circuit Court, 11th and eight following days (not including Saturdays) of each month, except July and August. Léonard & Noyes, Clerks Crown, P.S.C. and C.C.C.

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At Waterloo, County of Shefford, 26th, 27th and 28th of January, April, June and October. Ant. Audet, clerk.

At Farnham, County of Missisquoi, 29th and 30th of January, April, June and October. P. Bériau, clerk.

At Bedford, County of Missisquoi, 26th and 27th of February, May, September and November. John Gough, clerk.

At Knowlton, County of Brome, 28th and 29th of March, May, September and December. Joseph H. Brassard, clerk.

Sheriff of the District.—Chs. S. Cotton.

Resident Judge.—Hon. W. W. Lynch.

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L. W. Sicotte, Clerk of the Peace.

Ed. McMahon, C. R. Doucet and U. Lafontaine, Deputy Clerks of the Peace.

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*Under the Statutes of Canada, 32 and 35 Vic., chap. 35.*

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## ROMANCE OF A HAMMOCK.

Shady tree—babbling brook,  
 Girl in hammock—reading book;  
 Golden curls—tiny feet,  
 Girl in hammock looks so sweet.

Man rides past—big mustache,  
 Girl in hammock makes a "mash."

"Mash" is mutual—day is set,  
 Man and maiden—married get.

Married now a year and day,  
 Keeping house in Avenue A.  
 Red-hot stove—beefsteak frying,  
 Girl got married—cooking trying.

Cheeks all burning—eyes look red,  
 Girl got married—almost dead.  
 Biscuit burnt up—beefsteak cherry,  
 Girl got married—awfully sorry.

Man comes home—tears mustache,  
 Mad as blazes—got no cash.  
 Thinks of hammock—in the lane;  
 Wishes maiden—back again.  
 Maiden also—thinks of swing,  
 And wants to go back too, poor thing!

Hour of midnight—baby squawking!  
 Man in bare feet—bravely walking;  
 The baby yells—now the other  
 Twin, he strikes up—like his brother  
 Paregoric—by the bottle  
 Poured into—the baby's throttle.

Naughty tack—points in air,  
 Waiting some one's—foot to tear.

Man in bare feet—see him there!  
 O my gracious!—hear him swear!

Raving crazy—gets his gun  
 And blows his head off;  
 Dead and gone.

Pretty widow—with a book  
 In the hammock—by the brook.

Man rides past—big mustache;  
 Keeps on riding—nary "mash."

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## THE FROWARD DUSTER.

Ever since my uncle in California left me three hundred thousand dollars, I always wear a linen duster when I travel. I feel as though I could afford it, and society rather demands it of me. Well, the other day I climbed into a train and waited for it to start. By and by I reached into the capacious pockets of that duster, and, in an idle, vagrant kind of a moment, drew forth a *Police Gazette*, radiant with the usual astonishing display of all kinds of stockings in all manner of attitudes. Now, I never buy and I never read that journal, and I was amazed to find it in my pockets. I went down again and brought up a couple of beer tickets. Then I raked again, and found a piece of billiard chalk, several grains of coffee, and a bit of lemon peel. It seemed to me that my ordinarily well behaved and exemplary duster had evidently been out with the boys last night instead of reposing in the quiet of the coat-room. Curious to know just how far this iniquity went, I reached into another pocket, and found a corkscrew, three dice—reveling in the luxurious affluence of three aces apiece—and a pocker deck, containing four kings of spades. I was ashamed of that duster. Not only had it been out with the boys, but it had fallen among thieves, and was itself the meanest thief of the lot. I was almost afraid to examine the last pockets; but I finally sent down the grapple, and up it came with a whisky flask,—very empty, but very odorous. I began to wish the train would start, so that I might watch my opportunity and throw that duster, with all its manifold iniquities on its wicked head into the river. I stealthily felt under the bottle, finding a pair of brass knuckles. That settled it. My duster was irrevocably bad. I would wear it as far as the river or the first tunnel, and I would never wear it further. Would the train never start?

Just then a gentle hand touched my shoulder. I started and looked up, expecting to see a policeman. If I had been arrested on any charge—theft, burglary, murder, sheep-stealing, treason, anything—I should have given right in and gone along. I hadn't enough confidence in myself to deny anything. But when I looked up I saw a kind, tender face, and I heard the pleasant voice of a Methodist clergyman. "I beg you pardon," he said, "but I fear you and I have exchanged dusters.—I only noticed the change this moment, when I found some letters and lecture-tickets bearing your name in the pockets. The mistake was my own, I have no doubt; I am so very careless, and our dusters are so nearly alike."

I was so shocked that I didn't know what to say nor where to look, but I had just enough sense to say yes,—that it was my duster he held in his hands, that I couldn't find my own in the coat-room, and took the only one there was left. And then I gave to this good, innocent man the villainous, old, sin-dyed Philistine that had been corrupting my morals all the morning.

And then, to sit there and never to look around, but just to listen to that man's explanations of amazement and horror. First he found the billiard chalk. He didn't know what that was, so he only said "H'm!" Then he found the coffee grains—but he didn't exactly understand them and just said, "Ha!" Then he fished out the corkscrew, and he seemed to comprehend that in a general way, for he said, "What!" in a staccato of astonishment that elicited an encore from the entire audience. The poor man's "Merciful Heavens!" that greeted the appearance of the whiskey flask was drowned in a perfect torrent of applause and wild cries of "go on!" and "more!" And then when he pulled out the *Police Gazette* and the brass knuckles, he fell back into his seat with an inaudible gasp of horror, and the whole car full of people just rose as one man, and yelled and howled and stamped on their hats, and wanted to get out and tear out the bottom of the car and throw it into the Shenango River to express their feelings. I never saw so great enthusiasm over such a little thing. And the fainting clergyman came to me, holding the disreputable, character-destroying old gallows-bird of a duster in his trembling hand. "Sir," he said, with patient rebuke and pitiful appeal mingling in his tremulous utterance, "Sir ———"

But I steeled my heart against him, because I was as innocent as himself, and it was the pulpit and the rostrum for it.

"Go 'way," I said, ' don't bring it around here! Don't point that thing at me!' 'Taint mine! You claimed it yourself! Don't dare to charge me with it! Throw it under the cars! Burn it up! I won't have it! Don't you dare—

But the clergyman held it out towards me and raised his hand appealingly to Heaven. Just before the tableau began to tell with the jury, however, the porter came panting down the train. He had an innocent looking duster in his hands, with a package of Sunday-school papers bulging in one pocket, and a Moody hymn-book fluttering in the other.

"Gentlemen," he said, "de bar-keeper sent me down, and he said as how somebody had don' run away wid his duster; and he wants it sent back, or he will make it powerful lively for de man what took it ef he hav to come after it hisself.

That settled it. The clergyman took his own ulster and gave up the robe of unrighteousness to the ambassador. The man on the wood-box made a generally consolatory remark about the false and fatal strength of circumstantial evidence. The band played "Benny came back to the farm," and the train pulled off.

#### WORDS OF WISDOM FOR THE PEOPLE.

- If you would know what a dollar is worth, try to borrow one.  
 When the dog is down, every one is ready to bite him.  
 Gold is an idol worshipped in all climates without a single temple, and by all classes without a single hypocrite.  
 A good fame is better than a good face.  
 When fools go to market, pedlars make money.  
 When industry goes out of the door, poverty comes in at the window.  
 He who serves well need not be afraid to ask his wages.  
 He who has four and spends five, has no need of a purse.  
 He who buys wants a hundred eyes, and he who sells have but one.  
 A young man idle, an old man needy.  
 A good paymaster never wants workmen.  
 Who undertakes many things at once seldom does anything well.  
 A good wife and health are a man's best wealth.  
 A man can never thrive who has a wasteful wife.  
 A man of words and not of deeds is like a garden full of weeds.  
 It is no use hiding from a friend what is known to an enemy.  
 A lass that has many wooers oft fares the worst.  
 A wealthy man who obtains his wealth honestly and uses it rightly is a great blessing to the community.  
 One ploughs, another sows, who will reap no one knows.  
 Before you marry be sure of a house wherein to tarry.  
 Hear one man before you answer, hear several before you decide  
 A bridle for the tongue is a necessary piece of furniture.  
 Where you cannot climb over you must creep under.  
 Spending your money with many a guest empties the kitchen, the cellar and chest.  
 A handful of common sense is worth a bushel of learning.  
 Soft words, warm friends; bitter words, lasting enemies.  
 The two best books to a child are a good mother's face and life.  
 Another man's trade costs money.  
 Seek not to please the world, but your own conscience.  
 Truth—the open, bold, honest truth—is always the safest, for any one in any and all circumstances.  
 He that will not be counselled cannot be helped.  
 What children hear at home soon flies abroad.  
 As every thread of gold is valuable, so is every minute of time.

## HOUSEHOLD REMEDIES.

For bilious colic, soda and ginger in hot water. It may be taken freely.

Broken limbs should be placed in natural positions and the patient kept quiet until the surgeon arrives.

Nervous spasms are usually relieved by a little salt taken into the mouth and allowed to dissolve.

Hemorrhages of the lungs or stomach are promptly checked by small doses of salt. The patient should be kept as quiet as possible.

Sleeplessness, caused by too much blood in the head, may be overcome by applying a cloth wet with cold water to the back of the neck.

For freckles, two ounces of lemon juice, or half drachm of powdered borax; one dram sugar; mix and let stand in glass bottle several days, then rub on the face occasionally.

## HINTS FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

That cold rain water and soap will remove machine grease from washable fabrics.

That fish may be scaled much easier by first dipping them into boiling water for a minute.

That fresh meat beginning to sour will sweeten if placed out of doors in the cool air over night.

That milk which has changed may be sweetened or rendered fit for use again by stirring in a little soda.

That boiling starch is much improved by the addition of sperm or salt, or both, or a little gum arabic dissolved.

That a tablespoonful of turpentine boiled with your white clothes will greatly aid the whitening process.

That kerosene will soften boots and shoes that have been hardened by water, and will render them as pliable as new.

That thoroughly wetting the hair once or twice with a solution of salt and water will keep it from falling out.

That salt fish are quickest and best freshened by soaking in sour milk.

That one teaspoonful of ammonia to a teacup of water, applied with a rag, will clean silver or gold jewelry perfectly.

That salt will curdle new milk, hence in preparing porridge, gravies, etc. salt should not be added until the dish is prepared.

That paint stains that are dry and old may be removed from cotton or woolen goods with chloroform. It is a good plan to first cover the spot with olive oil or butter.

That clear boiling water will remove tea stains; pour the water through the stain and thus prevent its spreading over the fabric.

That charcoal is recommended as an absorber of gases in the milk room where foul gases are present. It should be freshly powdered and kept there continually, especially in hot weather, when unwholesome odors are most liable to infect the milk.

That by applying kerosene with a rag when you are about to put your stoves away for the summer will prevent them from rusting. Treat your farming implements in the same way before you lay them aside in the Fall.

That a good agency for keeping the air of the cellar sweet and wholesome is whitewash made of good white lime and water only. The addition of glue or size, or anything of this class, is only a damage by furnishing organic matter to speedily putridity. The use of lime in whitewash is not simply to give a white color, but it greatly promotes the complete oxidation of effluvia in the cellar air. Any vapors that contain combined nitrogen in the unoxidized form contribute powerfully to the development of disease germs.

## POISONS AND THEIR ANTIDOTES.

Always send for a physician. Save all fluids vomited, and articles of food and dishes used by the patient before taken ill. As a rule give emetics after poisons that cause sleepiness and raving. The stomach pump should only be used by skillful hands. Don't give tartar emetic; it is exceedingly depressive.

*Acids are antidotes for alkalies and vice versa.*

*Arsenic.*—Give 20 grains sulphate of zinc in a little warm water to produce vomiting, or a large tablespoonful of mustard in warm water. Meanwhile procure some *hydrated sesquioxide of iron*, and give a tablespoonful of it with water every five or ten minutes until six doses are taken. *Dialysed iron* is also efficient.

*Aqua Ammonia*, or hartshorn, if taken undiluted is a violent poison. Give *vinegar*, instantly, mixed with a little water; this acts by neutralization. Vegetable oils, in large quantities, furnish the next best antidote, the ammonia acting upon them to form soap.

*Aconite.*—Give an emetic of mustard or sulphate of zinc, instantly, then give stimulants, whiskey, brandy, gin or rum, etc.

*Acid.*—Nitric, Muratic or Sulphuric.—If either of these be swallowed, not a moment is to be lost. The best remedy is to fill the patient *FULL of calcined magnesia* stirred up in water to the consistency of very thin paste; or give half an ounce of soap shavings in a pint of water. If neither are at hand, give chalk or whiting in water, or even pound fine some of the white plastering from the wall and give in water.

*Belladonna*, Hyoscyamus, Stamonium and Conium are all narcotics, and the treatment is the same as for opium; *especially the strong coffee.*

*Cantharides* (Spanish flies).—Give large doses of sweet oil, sugar and water, or milk. To relieve the strangury and scalding of urine which it occasions, give camphor, 10 to 15 drop doses in water.

*Corrosive Subtimate* (bed-bug poison)—Mix up quickly the *whites of a dozen eggs* with a quart of cold water; give a cupful of the mixture every two minutes till the stomach can hold no more. If you have not eggs enough, use what you have and make up the deficiency with *milk*. Wheat flour mixed with water is good.

*Charcoal Gas*, Sulphuretted Hydrogen or Carbolic Acid Gas.—Use cold shower bath, and give aconite in drop doses in a spoonful of water. The effects of *coal gas* are best antidoted by copious draughts of vinegar and water.

*Oxalic Acid.*—Give *magnesia* in water as quickly as possible. When not to be had, use chalk, lime or saleratus. Soap suds or alkalies are of no use with this acid.

*Opium, Morphine and Laudanum.*—Use the stomach pump, if possible; if not, a powerful emetic, as sulphate of zinc; or give the mustard emetic and tickle the palate. If drowsiness comes on, take the patient into the open air, dash water into the face; *by all means keep him walking*. If once allowed to fall asleep, it may be impossible to arouse him. Strong coffee, taken hot, antidotes after the stomach has been emptied.

*Prussic Acid.*—This is the deadliest of all known poisons. One drop of the *pure acid* will cause instantaneous death. If any of its products be taken and the result is not immediately fatal, resort to the cold shower bath, inhalation of diluted *aqua ammonia* vapor, and give solution of carbonate of potash, 20 grains to a glass of water, or ammonia diluted with six times the bulk of water, freely.

*Sugar of Lead* (Acetate of Lead).—Give a ground mustard emetic; or, 20 grains sulphate of zinc in a glass of water; afterwards, large dose of Epsom Salts.

*Strychnine*, or *Nux Vomica*, are rapid and deadly poisons, generally proving fatal, in spite of treatment. If emetics are given and the stomach emptied quickly enough, and if the patient is not attacked with convulsions in two hours, he will generally be safe. An abundance of sweet milk is recommended, also strong coffee, as for opium poisoning.

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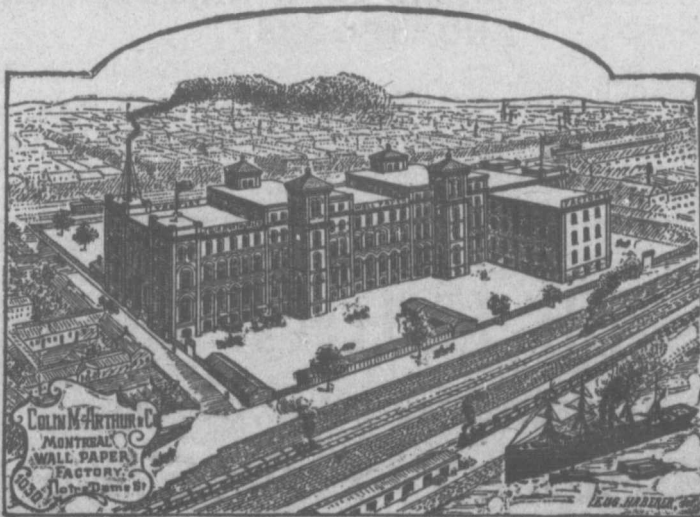
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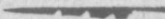
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