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Being the first after Bissextile or Leap Year, and until the 20th June, the Thirty-sixth Year of the Reig<sup>n</sup> of Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

Calculated for the Meridian of Montreal, in Latitude  $45^{\circ} 30' 26''$  North, and Longitude  $73^{\circ} 24' 22''$  West, from the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, but arranged so as to serve without essential variation for all parts of the Dominion of Canada.

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### EXPLANATION OF CALENDAR PAGES.

The Publisher of this Almanac, with a view to increase its circulation and usefulness, has adapted its calculations for the whole country. The Moon's changes are given for five different places, viz.: Quebec, Montreal, Kingston, Toronto, and London. The rising and setting of the Sun are given for Montreal and Toronto. The rising and setting of the Moon are given with sufficient exactness for all practical purposes. The weather prognostications are again calculated according to the table of the celebrated Dr. Herschel; and for extraordinary accuracy Miller's Almanac retains its wonderful popularity.

### CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical Letter.....	E	Julian Period.....	6586
Golden Number.....	12	Jewish Year commencing 30th	
Jewish Lunar Cycle.....	9	September.....	5634
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Solar Cycle.....	6	Mohamedan Year.....	1290

### MOVABLE FESTIVALS.

Septuagesima Sunday.....	February	9	Easter Sunday.....	April	13
Sexagesima ".....	"	16	Low Sunday.....	"	20
Quinquagesima ".....	"	23	Rogation Sunday.....	May	18
Ash Wednesday.....	"	26	Ascension Day.....	"	22
Quadragesima Sunday.....	March	2	Whit Sunday.....	June	1
Mid-Lent Sunday.....	"	23	Trinity Sunday.....	"	8
Palm Sunday.....	April	6	Corpus Christi.....	"	12
Good Friday.....	"	11	Advent Sunday.....	November	30

### HOLIDAYS OBSERVED AT PUBLIC OFFICES.

Circumcision.....	January	1	Corpus Christi.....	June	12
Epiphany.....	"	6	St. Peter and St. Paul.....	"	29
Annunciation Virg. Mary.....	March	25	All Saints Day.....	Nov	1
Good Friday.....	April	11	Conception of the Blessed Virgin		
Ascension Day.....	May	22	Mary.....	December	8
Queen's Birth Day.....	"	24	Christmas Day.....		25

### BANK HOLIDAYS IN ONTARIO.

Sundays, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, The Queen's Birth Day, and each day appointed by Royal Proclamation as a general fast, or thanksgiving day.

### ECLIPSES DURING THE YEAR 1873.

There will be four Eclipses this year in the following order:—

I. On the 12th of May, there will be a total Eclipse of the Moon. It will

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A Household Necessity, Dr. Colby's Pills.



be partial and briefly visible in Montreal, beginning about 15 minutes before 8 in the morning. The Moon will set Eclipsed and thus pass out of view.

II. On the 26th of May the Sun will rise partially Eclipsed. The Eclipse will end about ten minutes after Sunrise.

III. On the 4th of November there will be total Eclipse of the Moon, not visible in these parts.

IV. On the 19th of November, there will be a partial Eclipse of the Sun, but not visible in Canada

Aries, the ram, Head and Face.

Gemini,  
Arms.



Taurus,  
Neck.

Leo,  
Heart.

Cancer,  
Breast.

Libra,  
Reins.

Virgo,  
Bowels.

Sagittarius,  
Thighs.

Scorpio,  
Secrets.

Aquarius,  
Legs.

Capricornus,  
Knees.

Pisces, Feet,

EQUINOXES AND SOLSTICES.

	d.	h.	m.		d.	h.	m.
Vernal Equinox begins.....	March	20	7	44 mo. continues	92	20	33
Summer Solstice begins.....	June	21	4	17 mo. "	93	14	10
Autumnal Equinox begins.....	Sept.	22	6	27 ev. "	89	17	57
Winter Solstice begins.....	Decr.	21	0	24 ev. T. year	365	5	39

APPEARANCES OF THE PLANETS.

Venus will be Evening Star until the 5th of May, and after that date a Morning Star. Mars will be a Morning star until the 17th of January, and after that date an Evening Star. Jupiter will be an Evening Star until the 4th of September, and after that date a Morning Star. Saturn will be seen as a Morning Star from 13th of January to 22nd April, and until January 13 as an Evening Star, and also after 22nd April.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Burns.

Dr. Colby's Pills are recommended by Medical Men.

1st Month. **JANUARY, 31 Days.** Begins on Wednesday.

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.	Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
First Quarter.....	D. 5	h. m. 4 39 ev.	h. m. 4 33 ev.	h. m. 4 21 ev.	h. m. 4 9 ev.	h. m. 4 1 ev.
Full Moon.....	13	11 35 mo.	11 29 mo.	11 17 mo.	1 5 mo	0 57 mo.
Third Quarter.....	21	8 43 ev.	8 37 ev.	8 25 ev.	8 13 ev.	8 5 ev.
New Moon.....	28	0 39 ev.	0 33 ev.	0 17 ev.	0 9 ev.	0 1 ev.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.				
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.			D.	h.	m.	s.	
1	Wed.	7 47	4 21	7 40	4 28	22 59	7 38	1	12	4	5	Calendar, Aspects, &c. <i>Circumcision.</i> Weather somewhat severe. Changeable throughout the month. Look for snow.
2	Thu.	47	22	40	29	22 53	8 56	9	12	7	37	
3	Fri.	47	23	40	30	22 48	10 12	17	12	10	32	
4	Sat.	48	24	39	31	22 41	11 25	25	12	12	48	
5	E.	7 46	4 25	7 39	4 22	22 35	Morn.	2nd Sunday after Christm's <i>Epiphany.</i>				
6	Mon.	46	26	39	33	22 27	0 34	Steadily cold and snow.				
7	Tues.	45	29	39	34	22 20	1 48	Wind and sleet.				
8	Wed.	45	29	39	35	22 12	2 49	Uncomfortably stormy.				
9	Thu.	45	30	38	36	22 3	3 56	Tendency to change.				
10	Fri.	44	31	38	37	21 54	4 58	Remains very unsettled.				
11	Sat.	44	32	38	38	21 25	6 1					
12	E.	7 44	4 33	7 38	4 40	21 35	Rises.	1st Sunday after Epiphany.				
13	Mon.	43	34	37	41	21 25	4 46	Cold high winds,				
14	Tues.	42	35	37	42	21 15	5 46	Middle of month varying.				
15	Wed.	42	37	37	43	21 4	6 47	No promise of settling.				
16	Thu.	40	38	36	44	20 52	7 47	Discomfort without and				
17	Fri.	40	39	36	45	20 41	8 47	Dull all round. Cold.				
18	Sat.	39	41	35	46	20 28	9 47	Very severe frost.				
19	E.	7 39	4 42	7 35	4 48	20 16	10 48	2nd Sunday after Epiphany.				
20	Mon.	38	43	33	49	20 3	11 50	Weather becomes milder.				
21	Tues.	37	45	33	50	19 50	Morn.	Some prospect of change.				
22	Wed.	36	46	32	52	19 36	0 56	Tendency to thaw but very unsettled.				
23	Thu.	35	47	31	53	19 22	2 4					
24	Fri.	34	49	31	54	19 7	3 17	Quite a drifting season.				
25	Sat.	33	51	30	56	18 53	4 20	<i>Conversion of St. Paul.</i>				
26	E.	7 33	4 52	7 29	4 57	18 38	5 41	3rd Sunday after Epiphany.				
27	Mon.	32	53	28	58	18 21	6 45	Terribly stormy and very				
28	Tues.	31	54	26	5 00	18 6	Sets.	Unpleasant travelling.				
29	Wed.	31	56	25	1	17 50	6 29	Roads blocked in many				
30	Thu.	30	58	24	3	17 34	7 50	parts of Quebec.				
31	Frid.	28	5 00	23	5	17 17	9 7	Month ends fiercely.				

**JANUARY.**—You cannot plough this month, but you may consider what we have to say about subsoil ploughing. The subsoil plough should be used in spring, following in the furrow of the breaking plough; loosening the soil six or eight inches deeper. The breaking plough should turn the soil up six inches deep, making the entire loose ground twelve or fourteen inches deep. A crop of corn is best to grow on the sod, and the effect of subsoiling will be seen in the crop by the time it is two feet high. The heat of the sun and the exposure of the soil to the air, together with the presence of the corn-roots, prepare the subsoil for turning up to the surface. The next spring, plough the field so as to place one-half of the subsoil on the surface. At the next ploughing all this loosened subsoil can be turned to the surface.

Jacobs's Rheumatic Liquid Cures Frost Bites.  
Use Dr. Colby's Pills for Torpid Liver.

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Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Sprains.  
Purify the blood by using Dr. Colby's Pills.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.		Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
	D.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
First Quarter.....	4	5 18 mo.	5 12 mo.	5 00 mo.	4 48 mo.	4 40 mo.
Full Moon.....	12	6 45 mo.	6 39 mo.	6 27 mo.	6 15 mo.	6 7 mo.
Third Quarter.....	20	6 35 mo.	6 29 mo.	6 17 mo.	6 5 mo.	5 57 mo.
New Moon.....	26	10 34 ev.	10 28 ev.	10 16 ev.	10 4 ev.	9 54 ev.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.			
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	South.	R. & S.	D.	h. m.	s.	
1	Sat.	7 27	5 1	7 22	5 1	17 0	10 17				Calendar, Aspects &c. Month opens hard.
2	E.	7 26	5 2	7 21	5 2	16 43	11 31				4th Sunday after Epiphany.
3	Mon.	25	3	20	3	16 25	Morn.				Purification of Virgin Mary.
4	Tues.	23	5	19	4	16 7	0 40				Very severe weather.
5	Wed.	22	6	17	5	15 49	1 48				Continues rough and will
6	Thu.	20	8	16	6	15 31	2 52				remain stormy some days.
7	Fri.	19	9	16	8	15 12	3 55				Clouds heavy. Snow & blow
8	Sat.	18	11	14	9	14 53	4 54				No signs of rest at all.
9	E.	7 17	5 13	7 13	5 11	14 34	5 44				Septuagesima Sunday.
10	Mon.	16	14	12	13	14 14	6 26				Wind very changeable.
11	Tues.	14	18	11	14	13 54	Rises.				If N. or N. E. fair & frosty.
12	Wed.	13	17	9	16	13 35	5 40				Wind, if S. or S. W. Snow.
13	Thu.	11	18	7	17	13 14	6 40				Very cold rains out West.
14	Fri.	9	19	6	18	12 54	7 41				ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.
15	Sat.	8	20	4	19	12 33	8 41				Busy times at Post Office.
16	E.	7 6	5 22	7 2	6 20	12 13	9 43				Sexagesima Sunday.
17	Mon.	4	24	1	22	11 52	10 45				Cold for travelling, better be
18	Tues.	3	25	6 59	24	11 31	11 52				careful. Heavy snows and
19	Wed.	1	27	53	25	11 9	Morn.				more severe cold make it
20	Thu.	7 00	28	57	27	10 48	1 1				unpleasant and unsafe for
21	Fri.	6 59	30	55	28	10 26	2 11				outdoor exercise.
22	Sat.	57	31	54	30	10 4	3 21				Look out for change.
23	E.	6 55	5 33	6 54	6 31	9 42	4 30				Quinquagesima Sunday.
24	Mon.	53	34	50	33	9 20	5 23				ST. MATTHIAS.
25	Tues.	51	35	48	34	8 58	6 10				Unsteady weather to-day.
26	Wed.	49	37	47	35	8 35	Sets.				ASH WEDNESDAY.
27	Thu.	47	39	45	37	8 15	6 38				The month ends a little more
28	Fri.	46	39	43	39	7 50	7 55				calmly, but not steady.

FEBRUARY.—As soft or bituminous coal is becoming more extensively used, especially in our large towns or cities; we think it worth while to say that the soot of this coal is exceedingly valuable as a fertilizer. None of it should be lost. It accumulates rapidly in chimneys, and must be often removed. Among other things it contains carbonate of lime and magnesia; sulphate and acetate of lime; phosphate of lime; acetate of ammonia, and charcoal powder. It is enough to mention these in proof of the fertilizing qualities of soot. In Europe it has been used for many years as a top-dressing to all crops, and has a specially beneficial effect in grass, wheat and oats. The turnip fly, and the caterpillar, which eats the cabbages, have a great dislike to it. It is best applied before rain sets in, but in dry weather should be used with caution as to quantity, not more than four bushels an acre, in repeated applications.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Diarrhoea.  
Dr. Colby's Pills are Sugar-Coated.

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Strengthen the Digestive Organs by using Colby's Pills.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.		Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
	D.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
First Quarter.....	5	8 37 ev.	8 31 ev.	8 19 ev.	8 7 ev.	7 59 ev.
Full Moon.....	14	0 56 mo.	0 50 mo.	0 38 mo.	0 26 mo.	0 18 mo.
Third Quarter.....	21	5 28 ev.	5 26 ev.	5 14 ev.	5 2 ev.	4 58 ev.
New Moon.....	28	8 2 mo.	8 00 mo.	7 48 mo.	7 33 mo.	7 35 mo.

M. Week.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	South.	R. & S.	D.	h. m. s.	
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1	Sat.	6 44	5 42	6 42	5 44	7 23	0 0	<b>ST. DAVID'S DAY.</b>
2	E	6 42	5 43	6 41	5 45	7 5	10 23	<i>1st Sunday in Lent.</i>
3	Mon.	40 44	39 48	40 44	39 48	6 42	11 33	March begins to exhibit its
4	Tues.	39 45	37 47	39 45	37 47	6 19	Morn.	old character for many
5	Wed.	37 47	35 49	37 47	35 49	5 55	0 43	variations of wind & wea.
6	Thu.	36 48	34 49	36 48	34 49	5 32	1 47	There has been thaw, but
7	Fri.	34 49	32 50	34 49	32 50	5 9	2 49	now has come frost with
8	Sat.	31 51	31 51	31 51	31 51	4 46	3 44	prospect of continued cold.
9	E.	6 29	5 53	6 29	5 53	4 42	4 27	<i>2nd Sunday in Lent.</i>
10	Mon.	27 54	27 55	27 55	27 55	3 59	5 3	Very unstable to-day.
11	Tues.	25 55	25 56	25 56	25 56	3 35	5 37	No settled aspects. All
12	Wed.	24 56	23 57	24 56	23 57	3 11	6 4	through the middle days
13	Thu.	22 58	22 58	22 58	22 58	2 48	Rises.	of the month the wind and
14	Fri.	20 59	20 59	20 59	20 59	2 24	6 34	weather are variable and
15	Sat.	18 6 1	18 6 1	18 6 1	18 6 1	2 1	7 36	unreliable.
16	E.	6 16	6 2	6 16	6 2	1 37	8 40	<i>3rd Sunday in Lent.</i>
17	Mon.	14 3	15 3	14 3	15 3	1 13	9 44	<b>ST. PATRICK'S DAY.</b>
18	Tues.	12 4	12 4	12 4	12 4	0 49	10 52	A brilliant spell of warm
19	Wed.	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	0 26	Morn.	sunshine, but clouds arise.
20	Thu.	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	0 2	0 1	Rain is coming, mixed with
21	Fri.	7 8	8 8	7 8	8 8	N. 21	1 11	sleet and snow.
22	Sat.	5 9	5 9	5 9	5 9	0 44	2 18	Heavy wind and cold.
23	E.	6 2	6 11	6 3	6 11	1 8	3 15	<i>4th Sunday in Lent.</i>
24	Mon.	1 12	1 12	1 12	1 12	1 31	4 4	Changeable.
25	Tues.	5 59	6 00	5 59	6 00	1 55	4 43	<i>Annunciation of V. Mary.</i>
26	Wed.	57 15	5 58	57 15	5 58	2 19	5 16	You may look out for cold
27	Thu.	55 16	56 16	55 16	56 16	2 42	Sets.	rains if wind be west.
28	Fri.	53 17	54 17	53 17	54 17	3 6	6 43	Some frost again and snow
29	Sat.	52 18	53 18	52 18	53 18	3 29	7 57	if wind be east.
30	E.	5 50	6 20	5 51	6 20	3 52	9 10	<i>5th Sunday in Lent.</i>
31	Mon.	47 21	50 21	47 21	50 21	4 15	10 24	Not unpleasant ending.

MARCH.—Respecting frequent ploughing for wheat, a practical farmer says: If any one will break his ground deeply and thoroughly two or three times during the spring and summer, the extra amount of wheat per acre will pay for ploughing, and leave a handsome profit besides. I have tested this practice several times with most satisfactory results. A field of sixteen acres I broke in spring, and ploughed the half again on the twentieth of June. On the first of September, following, I ploughed again the entire field, and sowed in wheat. The half that had only received a single ploughing yielded 13 bushels and 18 pounds; the half that had received three breakings yielded per acre 23 bushels and 40 pounds. At one dollar a bushel this would pay for the extra ploughing, and leave a net extra profit of six dollars per acre besides.

Jacobs's Rheumatic Liquid Cures Rheumatism.  
 Dr. Colby's Pills can be used by the most delicate.

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Moon's Phases.		Quebec.		Montreal.		Kingston.		Toronto.		London.		
	D.	h.	m.	h.	m.	h.	m.	h.	m.	h.	m.	
First Quarter.....	4	1	48	3v.	1	42	ev.	1	30	ev.	1	18
Full Moon.....	12	5	3	ev.	4	57	ev.	4	45	ev.	4	23
Third Quarter.....	20	1	0	mo.	0	54	mo.	0	42	mo.	0	30
New Moon.....	26	5	54	ev.	5	48	ev.	5	36	ev.	5	24

  

M. Week.	PAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	North.	R. & S.	D.	h.	m. s.
1	Tues.	5 46	6 22	5 47	6 21	4 39	11 34	1	12	3 43
2	Wed.	45	23	46	22	5 2	Morn.	9	12	1 28
3	Thur.	42	24	44	23	5 25	0 38	17	11	59 25
4	Fri.	41	25	42	24	5 48	1 28	25	11	57 47
5	Sat.	39	27	40	25	6 10	2 24	Calendar Aspects, &c.		
6	Sun.	5 37	6 29	5 38	6 27	6 33	3 6	ALL FOOLS' DAY, so called.		
7	Mon.	35	30	36	28	6 56	3 40	There will be rain and all the aspects about these days are stormy & unset.		
8	Tues.	33	31	35	29	7 18	4 8	Wind and rain.		
9	Wed.	32	32	33	31	7 40	4 31	6th Sunday in Lent.		
10	Thur.	30	33	31	32	8 3	4 54	Monday before Easter.		
11	Fri.	28	34	30	33	8 25	Rises.	Tuesday before Easter.		
12	Sat.	26	36	28	34	8 47	6 29	Wednesday before Easter.		
13	Sun.	5 24	6 37	5 26	6 35	9 8	7 35	Holy Thursday.		
14	Mon.	22	38	24	36	9 30	8 43	GOOD FRIDAY.		
15	Tues.	20	40	22	37	9 51	9 53	Easter Even.		
16	Wed.	18	42	21	39	10 13	11 2	Easter Sunday.		
17	Thur.	17	43	19	40	10 34	Morn.	Monday in Easter week.		
18	Fri.	15	44	17	41	10 55	0 12	Tuesday in Easter week.		
19	Sat.	13	45	16	42	11 16	1 15	We shall have fair weather, Mild and pleasant days.		
20	Sun.	5 11	6 47	5 14	6 44	11 38	2 1	Cold and chilly nights.		
21	Mon.	10	48	13	45	11 57	2 41	Very changeable season.		
22	Tues.	8	49	11	46	12 17	3 16	1st Sunday after Easter.		
23	Wed.	6	50	9	47	12 37	3 45	Not unpleasant, and rather favorable for work.		
24	Thur.	5	51	8	48	12 57	4 11	St. GEORGE'S DAY.		
25	Fri.	3	53	7	49	12 16	4 35	Very fine day.		
26	Sat.	2	55	5	51	13 35	Sets.	St. MARK'S DAY.		
27	Sun.	5 00	6 56	5 4	6 52	13 55	8 10	Comfortably warm and fine.		
28	Mon.	4 58	57	2	53	14 14	9 12	2nd Sunday after Easter.		
29	Tues.	55	58	5	54	14 32	10 25	The last days of April all promise to be fair and fine, with light breezes.		
30	Fri.	55	59	5	55	14 51	11 23			

APRIL.—That it is possible to cut timothy too close seems quite clear, especially in a dry, hot climate. This is particularly the case when the cutting is done with a mower, which is now very general. The bulb having been shaded in its growth by the tall grass is suddenly laid bare to the rays of the hot sun in July and August, which dries every particle of moisture in it, consequently, when rain comes the bulb has lost its germinating power. It was noticed that, when a small portion of a meadow was cut down with a cradle for seed, that the growth of grass during the fall was far greater, and also that the timothy is a great deal heavier on that part than alongside where it was mown close with the machine. This being the case, the value of machinery is, by so much depreciated, and the cradle is to be preferred.

Jacobs' Liquid has been before the Public for 20 years.  
One of Colby's Pills will often prove sufficient.



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No person should be without Jacobs' Liquid.  
Dr. Colby's Pills restore the appetite.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.		Montreal.		Kingston.		Toronto.		London.	
	D.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
First Quarter.....	4	4 45 mo.	4	45 mo.	7	29 mo.	7	27 mo.	7	15 mo.
Full Moon.....	12	6 27 mo.	6	24 mo.	6	12 mo.	6	00 mo.	5	52 mo.
Third Quarter.....	19	6 14 mo.	6	6 mo.	5	54 mo.	5	42 mo.	5	36 mo.
New Moon.....	26	4 32 mo.	4	26 mo.	4	14 mo.	4	2 mo.	3	54 mo.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.		The Moon.		Sun on Meridian.		
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	North.	R. & S.	D.	h. m. a.	D.	h. m. a.	
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1	Thur.	4 54	7 00	4 58	6 56	15 9	Morn.	1	11 56	54	St. Philip and St. James.	
2	Fri.	53	1	57	15 27	0 19	0 19	9	11 56	14	May opens quietly and	
3	Sat.	51	3	55	59	15 45	1 2	17	11 56	9	warm, but is changeable.	
4	E.	4 50	7 4	4 54	7 00	16 2	1 38	25	11 56	41	3rd Sunday after Easter.	
5	Mon.	49	5	53	1	16 19	2 10				Fine weather for outdoor	
6	Tues.	47	47	51	2	16 36	2 35				work, several fine days.	
7	Wed.	45	8	49	3	16 53	2 58				No special change to note.	
8	Thur.	43	9	48	4	17 9	3 20				Fine prospects for the farm.	
9	Fri.	42	10	47	5	17 25	3 39				Let not the garden be neglected. Now is the time.	
10	Sat.	41	11	46	6	17 41	4 0					
11	E.	4 40	7 12	4 44	7 7	17 57	4 22				4th Sunday after Easter.	
12	Mon.	39	13	43	8	18 12	4 44				Through this moon's quart'r	
13	Tues.	37	15	42	10	18 27	Rises.				we may look for very un-	
14	Wed.	36	16	41	12	18 41	10 3				settled weather.	
15	Thur.	35	17	40	12	18 55	11 8				A little more settle.	
16	Fri.	34	18	39	13	19 9	11 50				Weather quite warm.	
17	Sat.	33	19	38	14	19 23	Morn.				Every body out to work.	
18	E.	4 32	7 20	4 37	7 15	19 36	0 44				5th Sunday after Easter.	
19	Mon.	31	21	36	16	19 49	1 19				We shall have rain and it	
20	Tues.	30	22	35	17	20 2	1 47				is needed, but in some parts	
21	Wed.	29	23	34	18	20 14	2 14				it will be heavy.	
22	Thur.	28	24	33	19	20 26	2 38				ASCENSION DAY.	
23	Fri.	27	25	32	20	20 38	3 2				Changeable days and very	
24	Sat.	27	27	32	21	20 49	3 28				cool nights.	
25	E.	4 26	7 28	4 31	7 22	21 00	Sets.				Sunday after Ascension.	
26	Mon.	25	29	31	23	21 10	8 2				The New Moon comes with	
27	Tues.	24	30	30	24	21 20	9 9				prospect of rainy days.	
28	Wed.	23	31	29	25	21 30	10 8				But the weather will be	
29	Thur.	22	32	28	26	21 39	10 56				quite unsteady for a day.	
30	Fri.	21	33	28	26	21 48	11 37				Now it is settling down for	
31	Sat.	20	34	27	27	21 57	Morn.				steady warm weather.	

MAY.—Thistles are a nuisance, everybody admits it. The law condemns them, and the man who allows them to grow without taking proper means to destroy them is much to be blamed. We have passed field after field of oats, peas and wheat shamefully bestudded with thistles going to seed. Thistle-down wafting in all directions is not a pleasant sight, and the wonder is how the farmer can bear this pest of his toil. Surely all should agree to put down the wretched weed, known as the Canada thistle. And there must be concurrence in effort. It will not suffice that one man shall go to work at this evil. His neighbor must do the same. The seeds are exceedingly prolific. We have seen 150 plants to one square foot, and therefore the greater the reason for united effort to destroy the destroyer of our best productions.

Almost every dealer keeps Jacobs' Liquid.  
Dr. Colby's Pills are recommended for Billiousness.

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Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid for Coughs.

Severe sickness is often prevented by timely use of Colby's Pills.

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.	Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto	London.
First Quarter.....	d. 3	h. m. 84 mo.	h. m. 1 25 mo.	h. m. 1 13 mo.	h. m. 1 1 mo.	h. m. 0 53 mo.
Full Moon.....	10	5 13 ev.	5 7 ev.	4 55 ev.	4 43 ev.	4 35 ev.
Third Quarter.....	17	10 44 mo.	10 35 mo.	10 26 mo.	10 14 mo.	10 6 mo.
New Moon.....	24	4 24 ev.	4 18 ev.	4 6 ev.	3 54 ev.	3 46 ev.

M. Week.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	North.	R. & S.	D.	h. m. s.	
	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	Deg. Min.	h. m.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.		
1 E.	4 20	7 34	4 27	7 28	22 5	0 10	WHITSUNDAY.		
2 Mon.	20	36	27	29	22 13	1 38	Monday in Whitsun-week.		
3 Tues.	19	37	26	30	22 21	1 1	Tuesday in Whitsun-week.		
4 Wed.	19	37	25	31	22 28	1 23	With the Moon's change		
5 Thur.	18	38	25	31	22 34	1 42	there will come w. weat'r		
6 Fri.	18	38	24	31	22 41	2 2	Not unpleasant but it is now		
7 Sat.	17	39	24	32	22 47	2 23	changeable.		
8 E.	4 17	7 40	4 24	7 32	22 52	2 49	TRINITY SUNDAY.		
9 Mon.	17	40	24	33	22 57	Rises.	Some distant thunder and		
10 Tues.	17	41	24	34	23 2	7 46	some heavy showers.		
11 Wed.	17	42	24	34	23 6	8 57	St. Barnabas' Day.		
12 Thur.	16	42	24	35	23 10	9 54	Warm, very warm for June.		
13 Fri.	16	43	24	36	23 14	10 43	Not at all settled.		
14 Sat.	16	43	23	36	23 17	11 21	Not very hot to-day.		
15 E.	4 16	7 44	4 23	7 37	23 19	11 52	1st Sunday after Trinity.		
16 Mon.	16	44	23	37	23 22	Morn.	Pretty much throughout		
17 Tues.	16	44	23	37	23 24	0 20	this week, there will be		
18 Wed.	16	45	23	38	23 25	0 43	showery weather. Rains		
19 Thur.	16	46	23	39	23 26	1 7	not heavy but frequent;		
20 Fri.	16	46	23	39	23 27	1 31	and not very agreeable for		
21 Sat.	16	46	23	39	23 27	1 58	outdoor work.		
22 E.	4 16	7 47	4 24	7 39	23 27	2 30	2nd Sunday after Trinity.		
23 Mon.	17	47	24	40	23 26	3 9	Very fine day.		
24 Tues.	17	47	25	40	23 25	Sets.	Nativ. of St. John Baptist.		
25 Wed.	18	47	25	40	23 23	8 52	This part of the month re-		
26 Thur.	18	47	25	39	23 22	9 33	mains fine and warm.		
27 Fri.	18	46	26	39	23 19	10 9	Some thunder storms.		
28 Sat.	19	46	26	39	23 17	10 39	Unsteady wind.		
29 E.	4 19	7 46	4 27	7 39	23 14	11 4	3rd Sunday after Trinity,		
30 Mon.	20	46	27	39	23 10	11 26	and St. PETER'S.		

JUNE.—It is not the most pleasant of subjects, but we cannot forbear saying a few words on the value of night soils. We have the authority of Leibig for stating that in the fortress of Rastadt and in the soldier's barracks of Baden, the privies are so constructed that the seats open, through wide funnels, into casks fixed upon carts. By this means the whole of the excrement, both fluid and solid, is collected without any loss. When the casks are full, they are replaced by empty ones. The farmers around these garrison towns know the value of this matter for fertilizing effects, for they are willing to pay a certain sum for every full cask, which not only pays the original outlay, but also the annual cost of repairs, &c., and leaves a handsome profit besides. There is also a cleanly side to this subject, upon which we need not expatiate.

Thousands testify to the efficacy of Jacobs' Liquid.  
Perfect Digestion means perfect health, and is secured by using Colby's Pills.

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Jacobs' Liquid for external and internal use.

Three of Colby's Pills are a medium dose.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.	Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
First Quarter.....	2 6 22 ev.	h. m. 6 16 ev.	h. m. 6 4 ev.	h. m. 5 52 ev.	h. m. 5 44 ev.
Full Moon.....	10 1 46 mo.	1 40 mo.	1 28 mo.	1 16 mo.	1 8 mo.
Third Quarter.....	16 4 10 ev.	4 4 ev.	2 52 ev.	3 40 ev.	3 32 ev.
New Moon.....	24 5 46 mo.	5 40 mo.	5 28 mo.	5 16 mo.	5 8 mo.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.			D.	h. m. s.	
		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	Deg. Min.	h. m.			
1	Tues.	4 20	7 46	4 27	7 39	23 6	11 46	Calendar, Aspects, &c.		
2	Wed.	21 46	28 39	26 52	26 52	22 57	Morn.	The indications at present are toward a very warm season. There will be a heavy thunder storm out W., sp'ing eastward & N.		
3	Thur.	22 46	29 39	22 57	22 57	22 57	0 6			
4	Fri.	23 45	30 38	22 52	22 52	22 52	0 27			
5	Sat.	23 45	30 38	22 46	22 46	22 46	0 48			
6	E.	4 24	7 44	4 30	7 38	22 40	1 14	4th Sunday after Trinity.		
7	Mon.	4 25	44 31	38 22	34 21	22 34	1 48	Str'g heat with g. humidity.		
8	Tues.	26 44	32 38	22 27	2 30	22 27	2 30	Heat and thunder storms.		
9	Wed.	26 43	33 37	22 20	2 20	22 20	Rises.	Settled and fair.		
10	Thur.	27 43	34 36	22 13	8 34	22 13	8 34	Beautifully clear and fine.		
11	Fri.	27 43	34 36	22 6	9 18	22 6	9 18	Some considerable heat.		
12	Sat.	28 42	34 36	21 57	9 52	21 57	9 52	Cloudy and changeable.		
13	E.	4 28	7 41	4 35	7 35	21 48	10 22	5th Sunday after Trinity.		
14	Mon.	29 41	36 34	21 39	10 47	21 39	10 47	Very warm day.		
15	Tues.	30 41	37 34	21 30	11 11	21 30	11 11	Fine haying time, hot.		
16	Wed.	31 40	38 34	21 20	11 36	21 20	11 36	Threatening aspects, but there will no very decided change until the period of New Moon.		
17	Thur.	32 39	39 33	21 10	Morn.	21 10	Morn.			
18	Fri.	33 38	40 32	21 00	0 2	21 00	0 2			
19	Sat.	34 37	41 31	20 49	0 33	20 49	0 33			
20	E.	4 35	4 36	4 42	7 30	20 38	1 8	6th Sunday after Trinity.		
21	Mon.	35 35	43 29	20 26	1 49	20 26	1 49	Cloudy and changeable.		
22	Tues.	37 34	43 29	20 14	2 36	20 14	2 36	Very warm and dry.		
23	Wed.	38 33	44 28	20 2	3 33	20 2	3 33	With the New Moon to-morrow there comes steady St. James' cooling (rain, showers thr'out the wk.		
24	Thur.	39 32	46 27	19 50	Sets.	19 50	Sets.			
25	Fri.	40 31	46 26	19 37	8 40	19 37	8 40			
26	Sat.	41 30	47 25	19 24	9 6	19 24	9 6			
27	E.	4 42	4 39	4 48	7 24	19 10	9 30	7th Sunday after Trinity.		
28	Mon.	42 28	49 23	18 56	9 50	18 56	9 50	No special change.		
29	Tues.	44 27	50 22	18 42	10 9	18 42	10 9	Steady and warm.		
30	Wed.	46 26	51 21	18 28	10 29	18 28	10 29	The month will end without special change.		
31	Thur.	47 25	52 20	18 13	10 50	18 13	10 50			

JULY.—Buckwheat ploughed in and under the surface of soil has by long experience been proved a certain means of fertility. It is in many places better than clover, for it will grow where clover will not, that is on poor sandy soils. It has been recommended to plough and harrow the land fine and mellow, then saturate the buckwheat with stale chamber lye, or greasy pickle from the mackerel barrel, then dry with hickory ashes, a peck or half a bushel to every bushel of buckwheat. After the buckwheat is a few inches high, sow a bushel of gypsum to the acre toward evening. This will cause greater growth. In case the soil is very dry at seeding time, it is best not to sow the prepared seed in the morning, but toward evening; let it lie all night, then harrow it and roll it early in the morning while the soil is wet with dew.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Lameness.  
Buy a Box of Colby's Pills in case of need.

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No Liniment can compare with Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid.  
S. J. Foss & Co., Sherbrooke, Proprietors Colby's Mills.

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.	Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
First Quarter.....	D. 8	h. m. 9 41 mo.	h. m. 9 35 mo.	h. m. 9 22 mo.	h. m. 9 11 mo.	h. m. 9 3 mo.
Full Moon.....	14	11 53 ev.	11 47 ev.	11 35 ev.	11 23 ev.	11 15 ev.
Third Quarter.....	22	8 42 ev.	8 36 ev.	8 24 ev.	8 12 ev.	7 4 ev.
New Moon.....	30	11 0 ev.	10 54 ev.	10 42 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 22 ev.
First Quarter.....	1	9 4 mo.	8 53 mo.	8 46 mo.	8 34 mo.	8 26 mo.

M. Week.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	North.	R. & S.	D.	h.	m. s.
1 Fri.	4 48	7 24	4 54	7 18	17 58	11 14	1	12	6 2
2 Sat.	50	22	55	17	17 43	11 45	9	12	5 12
3 Sun.	57	14	1	10	16 5	7 49	17	12	3 46
4 Mon.	58	12	2	8	15 48	8 22	25	12	1 43
5 Tues.	4 51	7 21	4 56	7 16	17 27	Morn.	Calendar, Aspects, &c.		
6 Wed.	52	20	57	15	17 11	0 19	Changeable weather remains unsettled.		
7 Thurs.	55	17	59	13	16 39	2 5	8th Sunday after Trinity. You may expect rain, but the general aspects are unsettled and variable.		
8 Fri.	56	16	5 00	12	16 22	Rises.	A heavy thunder storm is gathering, and bursts in the North East.		
9 Sat.	57	14	1	10	16 5	7 49	9th Sunday after Trinity. Considerable damage done by a Westerly hurricane.		
10 Sun.	58	12	2	8	15 48	8 22	Thunder and hail, with heavy rain.		
11 Mon.	4 59	7 11	5 3	7 7	15 30	8 48	Not so hot in August as last year, ac'g'ing to the sign.		
12 Tues.	5 1	9	5	5	15 12	9 14	10th Sunday after Trinity. Harvest progressing and almost completed, but not on the whole equal to the average of the last three years. In some few places harvest more productive.		
13 Wed.	5 2	8	6	4	14 54	9 39	11th Sunday after Trinity. 24th. Also St. Bartholomes. The signs at present are for rain and wind.		
14 Thurs.	3	7	7	3	14 36	10 4	Changeable for a day or two Rain and wind.		
15 Fri.	4	5	8	1	14 18	10 33	Light wind and cool nights.		
16 Sat.	5	3	9	6 59	13 59	11 7	12th Sunday after Trinity.		
17 Sun.	6	2	10	58	13 40	11 48			
18 Mon.	5 7	7 1	5 11	6 57	13 21	Morn.			
19 Tues.	6	6 59	12	56	13 2	0 32			
20 Wed.	9	57	13	54	12 42	1 26			
21 Thurs.	11	55	14	52	12 22	2 26			
22 Fri.	12	54	16	50	12 2	3 28			
23 Sat.	13	52	17	49	11 42	Sets.			
24 Sun.	14	50	18	47	11 22	7 34			
25 Mon.	5 15	6 48	5 19	6 46	11 1	7 55			
26 Tues.	18	46	20	44	10 41	8 14			
27 Wed.	19	45	21	43	10 20	8 34			
28 Thurs.	20	43	22	40	9 59	8 54			
29 Fri.	21	41	24	38	9 35	9 17			
30 Sat.	22	40	25	37	9 16	9 42			
31 Sun.	23	38	26	36	8 55	10 14			

**August**—Cholera has been subject of late to a form of disease, about which there has been a difference of opinion. It is undoubtedly influenza, and is caused by exposure to damp and cold during an enfeebled state of the system. With care, fatality may be prevented. Warm gruel or bran, middlings or oatmeal, are of service, but a warm stable is necessary. Worms seem to be one of the last results of the disease, and are found in the air passages and in the lungs. A similar disease was found among lambs, but was cured by a little warm gruel, with a few drops of peppermint water fed to them with a spoon. The disease was prevalent among young stock in England, but readily yielded to the generous treatment we have suggested. Prevention is better than cure. Let the young stock have kind and careful treatment.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid put up by S. J. Foss & Co., Sherbrooke.  
No family should be without Colby's Pills.

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Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid is a trade mark. Jacobs' Liquid is the best Liniment.  
Dr. Colby's Pills cure Constipation. Dr. Colby's Pills cure Indigestion;

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.		Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
	D.	h.	m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
Full Moon .....	6	4	21 ev.	4 15 ev.	4 3 ev.	8 43 ev.	8 43 ev.
Third Quarter .....	13	10	53 mo.	10 47 mo.	10 35 mo.	10 23 mo.	10 15 mo.
New Moon .....	21	1	3 ev.	0 57 ev.	0 45 ev.	0 33 ev.	0 25 ev.
First Quarter .....	29	10	8 mo.	10 2 mo.	9 50 mo.	9 38 mo.	9 30 mo.

DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		
	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	North.	E. & S.	P.	h. m. a.	
M. Week.									
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Calendar, Aspects, &c.									
1	Mon.	5 26	6 34	5 28	6 32	8 12	11 48	Changing to cooler weath'r	
2	Tues.	28	32	30	29	7 50	Morn.	Somewhat sultry but the	
3	Wed.	29	30	30	28	7 28	0 52	nights are quite cool.	
4	Thur.	30	28	32	28	7 6	2 10	Pleasant and agreeable.	
5	Fri.	31	27	33	25	6 43	3 31	Not so pleasant, but the	
6	Sat.	32	24	34	23	6 21	Rises.	signs are favorable.	
7	E.	5 33	6 23	5 35	6 23	5 59	7 14	13th Sunday after Trinity.	
8	Mon.	35	21	35	20	5 35	7 40	Fair weather and settled.	
9	Tues.	36	19	37	18	5 13	8 5	Continues clear and cool.	
10	Wed.	37	17	38	16	4 51	8 33	Beautiful day.	
11	Thur.	39	16	39	15	4 28	9 5	Cool wind with rain, but	
12	Fri.	39	14	40	13	4 5	9 45	not heavy nor will it	
13	Sat.	40	12	41	11	3 42	10 29	continue for long.	
14	E.	5 42	6 10	5 43	6 9	3 19	11 20	14th Sunday after Trinity.	
15	Mon.	43	7	43	8	2 56	Morn.	Now changeable with fre-	
16	Tues.	44	6	45	7	2 33	0 19	quent showers.	
17	Wed.	45	4	46	5	2 9	1 21	Cool and some high winds.	
18	Thur.	46	2	47	3	1 46	2 22	Still showery and very un-	
19	Fri.	48	6 00	48	2	1 23	3 25	settled season.	
20	Sat.	49	5 57	49	5 59	0 59	4 25	Quite a cool day.	
21	E.	5 50	5 56	5 50	5 56	0 36	Sets.	15th Sunday after Trinity.	
22	Mon.	51	54	52	54	0 13	6 40	21st. Also St. Mathew.	
23	Tues.	52	52	52	52	S. 10	6 59	We anticipate consider-	
24	Wed.	54	50	53	50	0 33	7 21	able rain about these days.	
25	Thur.	55	48	54	49	0 57	7 45	Quite cool and windy.	
26	Fri.	55	46	55	47	1 20	8 15	No decided change.	
27	Sat.	57	45	57	45	1 43	8 52	Pleasant day.	
28	E.	5 59	5 43	5 59	5 43	2 7	9 37	16th Sunday after Trinity.	
29	Mon.	6 00	40	6 00	40	2 30	10 35	St. Michael and all Angels.	
30	Tues.	2	38	1	39	2 54	11 46	Month ends cool and damp.	

SEPTEMBER.—We are glad to know that our farmers are alive to the value of a good orchard. In respect to the proper time for planting there are differences of opinion. If the soil is light and moderately dry, and the locality not too far north, trees may be safely planted in the fall, provided they are of the most hardy kind, such as apples, pears and plums. Taking all things into consideration we prefer early spring to Autumn. But the trees should always be dug up in the autumn and transported to the place where they are to be planted, and then carefully heeled in. It may be well enough to cover the entire stems with earth, if received very late in the season. In heeling in the roots, the roots should be covered quite deep, so that at least a foot or more of the stems will be covered. If there is any danger from frost, shade the trees with evergreens.

No one who knows it will be without Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid.  
Dr. Colby's Pills a radical Cure for Disease of the Bowels.

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Buy it, try it, and you'll like it, Jacobs' Liquid.

Dr. Colby's Anti-Costive and Tonic Pills.

Moon's Phase.	Quebec.		Montreal.		Kingston.		Toronto.		London.	
	D.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
Full Moon.....	6	0 43 mo.	0 37 mo.	0 25 mo.	0 13 mo.	0 5 mo.	0 5 mo.	0 5 mo.	0 5 mo.	0 5 mo.
Third Quarter.....	13	1 37 mo.	1 31 mo.	1 19 mo.	1 7 mo.	1 7 mo.	1 7 mo.	1 7 mo.	1 7 mo.	1 7 mo.
New Moon.....	21	6 7 mo.	6 1 mo.	5 49 mo.	5 37 mo.	5 29 mo.	5 29 mo.	5 29 mo.	5 29 mo.	5 29 mo.
First Quarter.....	28	7 22 ev.	7 16 ev.	7 4 ev.	6 52 ev.	6 44 ev.	6 44 ev.	6 44 ev.	6 44 ev.	6 44 ev.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		Calendar, Aspects, &c.
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.			D.	h. m. s.	
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1	Wed.	6 3	5 37	6 2	5 38	3 17	Morn.			October opens pleasantly.
2	Thur.	4	35	3	36	3 40	1 3			No material change.
3	Fri.	5	33	4	34	4 3	2 22			Some high winds, cloudy.
4	Sat.	7	31	5	33	4 27	3 42			Cool and fine.
5	E.	6 8	5 30	6 6	5 32	4 50	Rises.			17th Sunday after Trinity.
6	Mon.	9	27	7	29	5 13	6 2			There will be fair weather,
7	Tues.	11	25	8	27	5 36	6 30			and pleasant breezes for
8	Wed.	12	24	9	26	5 59	7 11			some days. The nights
9	Thur.	12	21	10	24	6 22	7 38			are cool, but still on the
10	Fri.	14	20	11	22	6 44	8 19			whole the week has been,
11	Sat.	15	19	12	20	7 7	9 11			and will be very seas'ble.
12	E.	6 16	5 17	6 14	5 19	7 30	10 8			18th Sunday after Trinity.
13	Mon.	18	14	15	17	7 52	11 10			Some frost has been felt.
14	Tues.	20	12	16	15	8 14	Morn.			The gardens show it, and
15	Wed.	21	9	17	13	8 37	0 13			the foliage looks as though
16	Thur.	23	5	19	12	8 59	1 16			winter was coming, but
17	Fri.	24	5	20	9	9 21	2 15			the weather is pleasant.
18	Sat.	25	4	21	8	9 43	3 17			St. Luke the Evangelist.
19	E.	6 26	5 2	6 22	5 6	10 5	4 16			19th Sunday after Trinity.
20	Mon.	23	1	24	5	10 26	5 16			Approaching storms.
21	Tues.	23	4 59	25	3	10 48	Sets.			Some high winds & heavy
22	Wed.	31	57	27	2	11 9	6 50			rains. No change in the
23	Thur.	32	55	28	4 59	11 30	6 17			better in some days.
24	Fri.	33	53	29	58	11 51	6 50			A little more settled, but
25	Sat.	35	52	30	57	12 12	7 32			continues changeable.
26	E.	6 36	4 50	6 31	4 56	12 32	8 27			20th Sunday after Trinity.
27	Mon.	38	49	32	54	12 53	9 34			This day will be cool & dry.
28	Tues.	39	47	33	53	13 13	10 47			St. Simon and St. Jude.
29	Wed.	41	46	35	52	13 38	Morn.			Look for the winds quarter.
30	Thur.	42	46	38	52	13 53	0 3			Fair if wind North West.
31	Fri.	43	45	40	48	14 12	1 20			Rainy if S. or South West.

OCTOBER.—A practical farmer, on the subject of sowing grass seeds, says he has always raised better crops, that is, got a better stand by sowing his grass-seed early in March, upon land in winter wheat or rye, rolling it and plastering it well. He has tried sowing timothy in the fall in land that had borne a crop of winter grains, harvested early, ploughed and harrowed, and the timothy brushed in. In this way an excellent crop of timothy grass has been obtained, paying for any loss that might be sustained from not sowing again with grain, either in the fall or spring. Much, however, depends on the character of the season. If the land is to be kept for meadow, he would never sow timothy with clover. If anything is sown with clover he would prefer orchard grass, because it is fit about the same time.

No stock of medicines complete without Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid.  
The formula for Dr. Colby's Pills is invaluable.

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Do not be put off with any imitation of Jacobs' Liquid.  
Those who use Colby's Pills recommend them to their friends.

Moon's Phases.		Quebec.		Montreal.		Kingston.		Toronto.		London.	
	D.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
Full Moon.....	4	11	0 mo.	10 39 mo.	10 42 ev.	7 42 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 18 ev.	10 22 mo.	10 22 mo.
Third Quarter.....	11	7	0 ev.	7 54 ev.	7 42 ev.	7 42 ev.	7 30 ev.	7 30 ev.	7 18 ev.	7 22 ev.	7 22 ev.
New Moon.....	19	10	48 ev.	10 42 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 30 ev.	10 18 ev.	10 10 ev.	10 10 ev.	10 10 ev.
First Quarter.....	27	8	25 mo.	8 19 mo.	8 7 mo.	8 7 mo.	2 56 mo.	2 56 mo.	2 48 mo.	2 48 mo.	2 48 mo.

DAYS.		Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.		The Moon.		Sun on Meridian.		
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2	Sun.	6 46	4 42	6 43	4 45	14 50	3 53	9	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
3	Mon.	6 48	4 40	6 44	4 44	15 9	5 9	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
4	Tues.	6 49	4 39	6 45	4 43	15 23	6 26	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
5	Wed.	6 51	4 37	6 47	4 41	15 46	Rises.	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
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7	Fri.	6 54	4 34	6 49	4 39	16 22	6 57	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
8	Sat.	6 55	4 32	6 50	4 38	16 40	7 54	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
9	Sun.	6 56	4 31	6 51	4 36	16 57	8 58	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
10	Mon.	6 57	4 29	6 53	4 36	17 14	10 1	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
11	Tues.	6 58	4 28	6 54	4 34	17 30	11 4	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
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14	Fri.	7 3	4 26	6 58	4 31	18 18	1 6	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
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22	Sat.	7 14	4 18	7 8	4 25	20 12	6 21	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
23	Sun.	7 16	4 18	7 10	4 24	20 25	7 25	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
24	Mon.	7 17	4 17	7 11	4 24	20 37	8 38	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
25	Tues.	7 18	4 16	7 12	4 23	20 44	9 53	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25
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30	Sun.	7 25	4 13	7 18	4 19	21 42	2 48	17	11 44 1	17	11 45 14	25

Calendar, Aspects, &c.  
ALL SAINTS DAY.

21st Sunday after Trinity.

This month opens roughly.

Frequent cold rains.

Some frost at nights.

High winds and heavy rains

over a great part of Que-

bec and Ontario.

22nd Sunday after Trinity.

Fair and frosty.

Cold and fine.

Tendency to change.

Cloudy all round.

The rain comes down in ter-

rents. Wind in places.

23rd Sunday after Trinity.

We shall have cold & frost.

In the East there will be

considerable snow, but in

the West there will be cold

rain and wind.

Changeable aspects.

24th Sunday after Trinity.

Cold and frosty.

Softer weather, but the as-

pects are settling toward

an early winter. The

month ends dull and cold.

Not a pleasant day.

AD. SUND. & ST. ANDREW.

NOVEMBER.—Of breeding stock for the dairy, Mr. Nimmo, who flourishes near Napanee, says, he had thorough-bred Ayrshires, and short-horns, but he believed the best breed for the dairy was obtained by crossing common Canadian cows with thorough-bred Durhams. He deprecates pure-bred for the Dairy, and recommends crosses of thorough-breeds of good milking families, or the best milkers of common Canadian cows. Mr. Nimmo has had much experience in raising stock. A cross between a good native cow and a pure-bred Durham, and then crossed with an Ayrshire produced excellent milkers. He had seven cows which yielded 7,800 pounds of milk during 1870. Cows must have plenty of good food and an abundance of good water. One cow well fed and cared for, is better than three poorly treated.

The Liniment of the 19th Century, Jacobs' Liquid.

Dr. Colby's Pills cure Dysentery. Dr. Colby's Pills are painless in operation.

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Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Diphtheria. Call for Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid.

Dr. Colby's Pills are put up in boxes containing 25.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.	Montreal.	Kingston.	Toronto.	London.
Full Moon .....	D. 3 h. m. 11 32 ev.	h. m. 11 26 ev.	h. m. 11 14 ev.	h. m. 11 2 ev.	h. m. 10 54 ev.
Third Quarter .....	11 5 6 ev.	5 00 ev.	4 48 ev.	4 36 ev.	4 28 ev.
New Moon .....	19 2 1 ev.	1 54 ev.	1 43 ev.	1 31 ev.	1 23 ev.
First Quarter .....	26 11 17 mo.	11 11 mo.	10 59 mo.	10 47 mo.	10 39 mo.

M. Week.	DAYS.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat.	The Moon.	Sun on Meridian.		Calendar, Aspects, &c.
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1	Mon.	7 26	4 12	7 19	4 19	21 51	4 3			Opens with cold blasts from the North West. Changing Easterly and prospect of heavy downfalls of snow in the East. Still in the W. the winter has not set in.
2	Tues.	28	12	21	19	22 0	5 17			
3	Wed.	28	12	21	19	22 9	Rises.			
4	Thur.	29	11	22	18	22 17	4 45			
5	Fri.	30	11	24	18	22 25	5 39			
6	Sat.	31	11	25	17	22 32	6 39			
7	E.	7 32	4 11	7 26	4 17	22 39	7 45			2nd Sunday in Advent.
8	Mon.	33	11	27	17	22 45	8 49			Generally cold and frosty.
9	Tues.	33	11	28	18	22 51	9 52			Pleasant for the season.
10	Wed.	35	11	28	18	22 57	10 53			Changeable and gloomy.
11	Thur.	35	11	29	18	23 2	11 44			Rain or snow.
12	Fri.	36	11	30	18	23 6	Morn.			Snow and cold.
13	Sat.	37	11	31	18	23 11	0 53			Rather severe for the season.
14	E.	7 38	4 11	7 32	4 18	23 14	1 53			3rd Sunday in Advent.
15	Mon.	39	12	32	18	23 17	2 56			Wintry, blasts. The cold has increased by several degrees, but about now the weather will be very changeable. Decidedly settling for hard frost.
16	Tues.	39	12	33	19	23 20	4 1			
17	Wed.	40	12	33	19	23 22	5 9			
18	Thur.	41	12	34	20	23 24	6 19			
19	Fri.	42	13	34	20	23 26	Sets.			
20	Sat.	42	13	36	20	23 26	5 13			
21	E.	7 43	4 14	7 36	4 20	23 27	6 25			4th Sunday in Advent.
22	Mon.	43	15	37	21	23 27	7 41			21st. St. Thomas' Day.
23	Tues.	44	15	37	21	23 26	8 58			REMEMBER THE POOR.
24	Wed.	44	16	38	22	23 25	10 14			The day is dull and cold.
25	Thur.	45	16	38	22	23 24	11 27			CHRISTMAS DAY.
26	Fri.	45	17	38	24	23 22	Morn.			St. Stephens Day.
27	Sat.	45	18	38	24	23 19	0 40			St. John the Evangelist.
28	E.	7 45	4 18	7 39	4 25	23 16	1 51			1st Sunday after Christmas.
29	Mon.	46	18	39	25	23 13	3 5			Cold, with high winds.
30	Tues.	47	19	39	26	23 9	4 16			Continues cold and blustery
31	Wed.	48	20	39	27	23 5	5 29			Hard frost and stormy.

DECEMBER.—It will do no harm and may do good to repeat our oft-given advice to farmers old or young, but especially the young in respect to the careful reading of good books treating on the many topics of Agriculture and Horticulture. Money spent on useful works is not wasted. Besides the pleasure of study, there are many profitable results arising from careful study. In the works of the best authors you have the collated results of knowledge tested by experience. Book learning is not to be despised in these days, and it is a pleasing fact that the literature of farming is greatly on the increase. There are also many valuable periodicals published in the interest of agriculture, and in every farm-house there should be found one or more of these.

All who use Jacobs' Liquid recommend it.  
Dr. Colby's Pills are a mild but certain Cathartic.

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Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Burns.

Dr. Colby's Pills are patronized by the Medical Profession.

## The Royal Family.

### THE QUEEN.

VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, &c., Queen, Defender of the Faith. Her Majesty was born at Kensington Palace, May 24, 1819; succeeded to the throne June 20, 1837, on the death of her uncle, King William IV.; was crowned June 28, 1838; and married February 10, 1840, to his late Royal Highness Prince Albert. Her Majesty is the only child of his late Royal Highness Edward Duke of Kent, 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 November 21, 1840; and married to his Royal Highness Frederick William of Prussia, January 25, 1858, and has issue five sons and three daughters.

His Royal Highness ALBERT-EDWARD, PRINCE OF WALES, born November 9, 1841; married, March 10, 1863, Alexandra of Denmark (Princess of Wales), born December 1, 1844, and has issue three sons and three daughters.

Her Royal Highness Alice-Maud-Mary, born April 25, 1843, married to H. R. H. Prince Frederick Louis of Hesse, July 7, 1862, and has issue three daughters and two sons.

His Royal Highness Alfred-Ernest-Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, born August 6, 1844.

Her Royal Highness Helena-Augusta-Victoria, born May 25, 1846, married July 5, 1866, Prince Frederick Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, and has issue two sons and one daughter.

Her Royal Highness Louisa-Caroline-Alberta, born March 18, 1848, married March 23, 1871, to the Marquis of Lorne.

His Royal Highness Arthur-William-Patrick-Albert, K. G., born May 1, 1850.

His Royal Highness Leopold-George-Duncan-Albert, born April 7, 1853.

Her Royal Highness Beatrice-Mary-Victoria-Feodore, born April 14, 1857.

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Sir Isaac Newton's nephew was a clergyman. When he had performed the marriage ceremony for a couple he always refused the fee, saying, "Go your ways, poor wretches, I have done you mischief enough already."

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid. res Frost Bites.

Everybody uses or should use Dr. Colby's Pills.

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*Woods and Forests*.—L. A. Robitaille, superintendent.

*Sale of Lands, Eastern Section*.—L. D. Lemoine, and L. L. Rivard, secretaries.

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*Cadastral Office, Quebec*.—P. L. Morin, and Hector Leber, surveyors and draughtsmen.

*Crown Timber Agents*.—Ottawa, A. J. Russell, assistant commissioner; C. S. McNutt, agent. Montreal, C. E. Belle, agent. Three Rivers, A. Dubord, agent. Chicoutimi, G. Duberger, agent. River du Loup *en bas*, C. T. Dubé, agent. Carleton, P. Q., J. N. Verge, agent, Quebec.

HE DINNA KEN.—Old Lord Alphinstone was asleep at church, while the minister, a very prosy preacher, was holding forth. At length the parson stopped, and cried, "Waukin, my Lord Alphinstone."—a grunt, and then, "I'm no' sleepin', minister."—"But ye are sleepin'." I wager ye dinna ken what I said last."—"Ye said, 'Waukin, my Lord Alphinstone.'"—"Aye, aye, but I wager ye dinna ken what I said last afore that."—"I wager ye dinna ken yoursel'."

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Sprains.

Dr. Colby's Anti-Costive and Tonic Pills cure Piles.

## PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

## SEAT OF GOVERNMENT—FREDERICTON.

*Lieutenant Governor.*—Hon. L. A. Wilmot, D.O.L.

*Executive Council.*—Hon. John J. Fraser, president, York; hon. G. E. King, St. John; hon. Wm. M. Kelly, Northumberland; hon. George L. Hatheway, York; hon. Benjamin Stephenson, Charlotte; hon. Angus McQuinn, Westmorland; hon. J. H. Crawford, St. John; hon. George W. White, Carleton; F. A. H. Stratton, clerk.

## NOVA SCOTIA.

## SEAT OF GOVERNMENT—HALIFAX.

*Lieutenant Governor.*—Major Gen. Sir CHARLES HASTINGS DOYLE, K C.M.G.

*Executive Council.*—Hon. W. Annand, treasurer; hon. Henry W. Smith, attorney-general; hon. W. B. Vail, provincial secretary; hon. Wm. Garvey, commissioner of Mines and Works, hon. E. P. Flynn, commissioner of crown lands.

Hon. R. A. McHaffey, hon. J. Fergusson, hon. Robert Robertson, hon. James Cochran, members, without office.

## PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

His Honor Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson, lieutenant governor  
Kildore C. Robinson, private secretary.

*EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.*—Hon. James C. Pope, president; hon. Thomas Heath Haviland, hon. F. D. St. Croix Brecken, hon. Andrew A. McDonald, hon. George W. Howland, hon. Lemuel C. Owen, hon. Emmanuël McEachen; hon. James Duncan; hon. William Richards, hon. Charles Desbrisay, clerk; William C. DesBrisay.

## NEWFOUNDLAND.

*Lieutenant Governor.*—His Excellency Stephen J. Hill, C.B.; private secretary, Captain Shea, R.A.; colonial aide-de-camp, Edward L. Jarvis, Esq.

*EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.*—Hons. Charles F. Bennett, (Premier), James S. Clift, Thomas Talbot; Thomas Glen, receiver-general; Major Renouf, surveyor-general and chairman of Board of Works; Joseph T. Little, attorney general; J. L. Roonan, acting colonial secretary and clerk of Executive Council.

## PROVINCE OF MANITOBA.

## SEAT OF GOVERNMENT—FORT GARY.

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF MANITOBA AND NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES—

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

*President.*—Hon. James McKay.

*Attorney-General.*—Hon. H. J. Clarke, Q.C.

*Provincial Secretary.*—Hon. Thomas Howard.

*Provincial Treasurer.*—Hon. Mark A. Girard.

*Commis. Public Work and Agricultur.*—Alfred Boyd, Henry Bouthilier, Clerk.

What is the principal difference between the swallow and the cat—It is an admitted fact that one swallow does not make a summer, but one cat can make a spring.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Diarrhoea. Call for Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid  
Dr. Colby's Anti-Costive and Tonic Pills cure Pimples.

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## PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEAT OF GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA, V. I.

*Lieutenant Governor.*—Hon. Joseph W. Trutch.*Private Secretary.*—

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.—Hon. Charles Good, provincial secretary; \_\_\_\_\_, provincial treasurer; hon. B. W. Pearse, chief commissioner lands and works; hon. John F. McCreig, attorney-general; \_\_\_\_\_, clerk.

## EMIGRATION DEPARTMENT.

*Quebec.*—L. Stafford, agent; A. Stein, assistant.*Montreal.*—J. J. Daley, agent.*Ottawa.*—W. J. Wills, agent.*Kingston.*—R. Macpherson, agent.*Toronto.*—J. A. Donaldson, agent.*Hamilton.*—R. H. Rae, agent.*St. John, N.B.*—Robert Shives.*Chatham, Miramichi, N.B.*—Wm. Dickinson.*Halifax, N.S.*—E. Clay.*Fort Garry.*—G. McMichen, resident agent.*North West Territory.*—J. A. N. Provencher.

**GRAFTING WAX.**—This is an article that every farmer should keep on hand, ready for use whenever needed, for it is valuable for various other purposes besides that of grafting. Wounds made in pruning large trees will heal over much sooner if coated with this wax, and if a piece of bark is accidentally stripped from a tree, the place should be covered over with it, and the wood will remain sound and healthy underneath. There are several recipes for preparing this wax, and I found the following better than any other one tried: Melt in a basin one pound of tallow, two pounds of beeswax and four pounds of rosin; stir well together and keep in a cool place in the dish in which it was melted. If beeswax is a very costly item, one-third less quantity can be used. This wax is most excellent for sealing the corks of bottles whose contents are desired to be air-tight, and for covering cloths to tie over preserved jars. It can be melted over when required for use, and it will spread with a knife upon bandages, &c.; is the best sealing wax that can be used for many purposes.

**DON'T CROWD YOUR FOWLS.**—Poultry will pay better than any other description of stock for the amount of capital, &c., employed. The great error is in putting too many together. People having tolerably clear views on most subjects, will make this mistake with regard to fowls. They would not think of living with a family of children in a tenement house among others of the same description, although there was a range unlimited, for though the strongest might keep clear of the many in the day, there would be the pecking and crying of little ones, and the fuss between mothers, and every now and then a row between the males, just the same as at the chief night resort of the poultry. Poultry won't pay when made a secondary consideration to everything else. A lot of old sows and pigs perhaps have access to some of the favorite resorts of the chickens; is it likely the companionship will be profitable? Dogs known to be doubtful in the knowledge that they should not eat eggs or young chickens and ducks, are not apt to aid in increasing the numbers; but poultry stand comparatively low in estimation, excepting at mealtimes.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid is the best Liniment.

Dr. Colby's Anti-Costive and Tonic Pills are the best.

## RATES OF POSTAGE.

Postage on all matter transmissible by Post—within Canada—to Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, Great Britain, France and the United States.

Description of matter.	Between any place in Canada and to Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland.	To Great Britain by Canadian Steamer.	To Great Britain by Steamer sailing from New York.	To France by Canadian Steamer.
Letters.....	3 cts. per ½ oz.	6 cts. per ½ oz.	8 cts. per ½ oz.	10 cts. per ½ oz.
Books.....	1c. per oz., payable in advance by postage stamp.	British Book Post (a)...	9 cents per 4 oz.	French Book Post Do. Do.
Cartes de visite.....	Do.	Do.	Do.	
Circulars—Printed.....	1c. each when sent singly.	Do.	Cannot be sent by above Steamer.	Do. Do.
Handbills.....	1c. per oz., payable in advance by postage stamp.	Do.		
Lithographed Letters and Circulars.....	1c. each when sent singly or 1c. per oz.	Do.	As by Can. Steamer. (cov'g Can. postage only) subject on delivery to 1d. stg. each	By Cunard Steamer, 7c. French Book Post.
Newspapers, Canadian.....	Once a week 5c. a qr.* Twice " 10 " Thrice " 15 " Daily " 30 "	{ At commuted rate if from office of Publication		
Newspapers, transient.....	2 cents each.	2 cents each.		
Pamphlets and occasional publications " Parcel Post" packages.....	1 cent per ounce. See rates, &c. in margin.	British Book Post (a)...	Do. Do.	(b) Do. Do.
Patterns of Merchandise for sale.....	1 cent per ounce.	British Book Post (a)...		
Periodicals.....	1c. per 4 ozs., whether package contains 1 or more Nos.	2c. each No., if published in Canada; British Book Post, if Foreign.	9 cents per 1 oz.	Do. Do. Do.
Photographs in Cases.....	Parcel Post (c).	British Book Post (a)...	Do. Do.	Do.
Do in Albums.....	Do.	Do.		
Prices current.....	1c. per oz., payable in advance by postage stamp.	2 cts. each, or in bulk at British Book Post (a)...	2 cents each	Do.
Printers' Proofs, book and newspaper.....				

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Diphtheria. Use Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid. Use Colby's Pills for all diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Manuscript, maps, &c.....	Do.	British Book Post (a)...	Do.
Printed Matter—of the same character as Circulars, Handbills, &c.....	Do.	Do.	Do.
Samples of Merchandise (see Patterns)	Do.	Do.	Do.
School Returns—Half-yearly.....	Do.	Do.	Do.

Manuscript, maps, &c.....	Do.....	British Book Post (a).....	Do.
Printed Matter—of the same character as Circulars, Handbills, &c.....	Do.....	Do.....	Do.
Samples of Merchandise (see Patterns)	Do.....	Do.....	Do.
School Returns—Half-yearly.....	Do.....	Do.....	Do.
School Returns—by school Trustees to Superintendent, even although filled up in writing.....	1 cent each.....	Do.....	Cannot be sent by Packet from New York.....
Seeds, &c.—samples of, including Cut- tings, Bulbs, Roots, Scions, or Grafts	1 cent per ounce.....	Do.....	
Parliamentary Papers.....	Free from House of Parliament, or if sent by members during recess.....	Do.....	Do.
Petitions and addresses to Provincial Legislatures, votes and proceedings and other papers printed by order of said Legislatures.....	Free to or from places where Session is held.	Do.....	Do.

NOTE.—The postage upon all matter referred to in the above table must be prepaid by postage stamps. Unpaid books are sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Description of matter.	To the United States.	Description of matter.	To United States.
Letters.....	6 cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.	Do. in albums.....	Do.
Books.....	1 cent per ounce.	Prices Current.....	Do.
Cartes de Visite.....	Do.	Printer's Proofs, book and newspaper manuscript, maps, &c.....	1 cent per ounce.
Circulars—Printed.....	Do.	Printed Matter of the same character as Circulars, Handbills, &c.....	Do.
Handbills.....	Do.	Samples of Merchandise. (See Patterns)	Do.
Lithographed Letters and Circulars.....	Same as between places in Canada subject on de- livery to American post- age.	School Returns—Half-yearly.....	Do.
Newspapers, Canadian.....		Do.	School Returns—by School Trustees to Superintendent, even although filled up in writing.....
Newspapers, transient.....	Do.	Seeds, &c., samples of, (including Cut- tings, Bulbs, Roots, Scions or Grafts)	Do.
Pamphlets, almanacs, and other annual Publications.....	Do.	Parliamentary Papers.....	Same as between places in Canada.
"Parcel Post" packages.....	1 cent per ounce.		
Patterns of Merchandise for sale.....	Letter rate.		
Periodicals.....	Same as between places in Canada.		
† Photographs in cases.....	Do.		

\* Commuted Rate prepayable by Subscriber or Publisher.

† Photographs in cases containing glass cannot be sent by post.

Between 2 lbs. and 2½ lbs. 62½ cents,  
 " 2½ lbs. and 3 lbs. 75 " "  
 " 3 lbs. and 3½ lbs. 87½ " "  
 " 3½ lbs. and 4 lbs. \$1.00 "

Registration Fee, 5 cents.

Parcels sent by Post may contain books, daguerreotypes, photographs, printer's proofs and copy, military returns, states and rolls containing written figures and signatures, returns, deeds, legal papers, and all transmissions of a like character, not being strictly letters.

#### REGISTRATION

No Letter, Book, Parcel, or Packet of any kind whatever, can in any case be received for registration unless before its departure the registration fee are fully paid. The postage and registration fee should in all cases be paid by postage stamps.

A Book Packet may contain any number of separate books, publications, works of literature and art, almanacs, maps or prints, photographs, daguerreotypes, when not on glass, or in frames containing glass; any quantity of paper, vellum or parchment, (to the exclusion of letters;) and the books, maps, papers, &c., may be either written, printed or plain, or any mixture of the three; and may be either British, Colonial or Foreign.

Book Packets must be open at both ends, or both sides.

#### (c) PARCEL POST.

Under ½ lb. . . . . 11½ cents.  
 Between ½ lb. and 1 lb. . . . . 25 " "  
 " 1 lb. and 1½ lb. . . . . 37½ " "  
 " 1½ lb. and 2 lb. . . . . 50 " "

#### (a) BRITISH BOOK POST.

Under 1 ounce. . . . . 2 cents.  
 Between 1 and 2 ounces. . . . . 4 " "  
 " 2 and 4 " . . . . . 6 " "  
 " 4 and 8 " . . . . . 12 " "  
 " 8 oz. and 12 oz. . . . . 18 " "  
 " 12 oz. and 1 lb. . . . . 23 " "  
 " 1 lb. and 1½ lb. . . . . 30 " "  
 " 1½ lb. and 2 lb. . . . . 36 " "

#### (b) FRENCH BOOK POST.

Under 2 ounces. . . . . 4 cents.  
 Between 2 and 4 ounces. . . . . 2 " "  
 " 4 and 8 " . . . . . 16 " "  
 " 8 and 12 " . . . . . 24 " "  
 " 12 to 1 lb. . . . . 32 " "  
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Jacobs' Rheumatic Iodine Cures Rheumatism.  
 The best remedy known for Summer Complaint, Colic's Pills,



## MONEY ORDERS.

Every money order office in Canada issues money orders on every other money order office in Canada as well as on every money order office in the United Kingdom. Every money order office in the United Kingdom also issues money orders on every money order office in Canada.

## MONEY ORDERS IN ONTARIO AND QUEBEC.

All the money order Post Offices in Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick are authorized to draw money orders on each other for any sum up to \$100, and for as many orders of \$100 each, as the applicant may require, upon the following terms, viz., in Ontario and Quebec,

On Orders up to \$10.....	5 cents.
“ over \$10 and up to \$20...10	“
“ over \$20 “ \$40...20	“
“ over \$40 “ \$60...30	“
“ over \$60 “ \$80...40	“
“ over \$80 “ \$100...50	“

## MONEY ORDERS ON THE UNITED KINGDOM.

The money order offices throughout the Dominion also draw upon all the money order offices in England, Ireland and Scotland, and the Channel Islands, for any sum up to £10 sterling, and grant as many orders for £10 sterling each as may be needed to make up the amount to be remitted. The terms are as under:

On Orders up to £2 .....	25 cents.
“ over £2 and up to £5... 50	“
“ over £5 “ £7... 75	“
“ over £7 “ £10... 1.00.	

## MONEY ORDERS ON THE LOWER PROVINCES.

The money order offices in Canada draw also upon all money order offices in Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland. Orders, like those of the United Kingdom, are made payable in sterling money, and for sums up to £10 sterling. The terms are:

For orders upon the Lower Provinces the same rates of commission as upon money orders drawn by Ontario or Quebec upon offices within those Provinces.

For money orders on the other Provinces the terms are:

For orders up to £5, 25 cents.  
“ over £5 and up to £10, 50 cents.

No half cents can be introduced into orders.

No money order exceeding \$100 in amount can be granted in any office in Canada; but Postmasters are at liberty to grant two or more orders for \$100, or for any lesser sum.—They cannot, however, grant two or more orders for sums of or under \$30 on the same day to the same applicant in favor of the same payee.

## SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.

The Postmaster General will receive at any of the Post Office Savings Banks, deposits paid to the postmasters by persons wishing to place their money in the Government Savings Banks.

“Faix!” said a humorous Irishman the other day in the petroleum diggings, “ye may call Amerikey a contenen if ye plaze, but to my thinkin’, it’s a beautiful oil-land (island).”

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid for Colds. Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid for Coughs.  
Dr. Colby's Pills are Anti-Costive and Anodyne.

2. The direct security of the Dominion is given by the Statute for all deposits made.

3. Any person may have a deposit account. Any deposits will be received daily, during the ordinary hours of post office business, of any number of dollars, from \$1 up to \$300, the total amount which can be received from a depositor in any one year, except in cases to be specially authorized by the Postmaster General.

4. The postmasters of the offices named will act as agents for the receipt of the money deposited for transmission to the Postmaster-General, and for the payment by the Postmaster-General of money withdrawn by depositors. They will also furnish all information with respect to the mode of depositing or withdrawing money.

5. Each depositor will be supplied with a pass-book, and the sums paid in, or withdrawn, will be entered therein by the postmaster receiving or paying the same. In addition, a direct receipt for each amount paid in, will be sent to the depositor, from the Postmaster-General, and the Postmaster-General will issue a cheque, payable at any Post Office Savings Bank desired, for any sum withdrawn.

6. Every depositor's account will thus be kept with the Postmaster-General, and a depositor may pay into his or her account with the Post Office Savings Bank, at any of the Savings Bank Post Offices which at the time may best suit his convenience, and may exercise the same choice in drawing out money, subject only to the obligation of producing the pass-book, in proof of identity—whenever paying in or drawing out money.

7. Interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum will be allowed on deposits lying in the ordinary deposit accounts, but when a depositor has \$100 deposited, he or she may request the Postmaster-General to transfer the sum to a special account, and will then receive certificate of such special \$100 deposit, bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

#### THE STAMP ACTS.

These Acts impose a duty on every promissory note, draft, or bill of exchange, not exceeding \$25, 1 cent; not exceeding \$50, 2 cents; less than \$100, 3 cents; *not less than* \$100, if executed singly, 3 cents per \$100 or fraction thereof; if executed in duplicate, 2 cents per \$100, or fraction thereof on each part; if executed in more than two parts, 1 cent per \$100, or fraction thereof on each part.

Any interest payable with the note at maturity must be counted as part thereof. The duty is to be paid by *bill stamp*, on which the date is to be written. Bank notes, checks, and money orders are exempt. These Acts impose heavy penalties for violation.

THE LATE PROFESSOR MAPES did a great work. He showed that the result of a slight deepening of the arable soil would bring more to American farming every year than the total cost of carrying on the Federal Government! He was the pioneer of enlightened American agriculture, and in its future history he will always hold his place. It will never cease to be true that he was the first American who set his countrymen to thinking and studying earnestly about the capacities of their soil. Here his chief glory lies. It was for long years his darling theme, in a thousand addresses and articles; in daily conversation and correspondence with farmers from all sections; in helping to form and build up the American Institute, and Farmers' Club and agricultural societies; in inspiring young men with a love for soil-culture and in opening to them head, heart, home and purse—these were among the charming pursuits of his noble life.

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid for Pain in the Side.

Dr. Colby's Pills impart Tone and Vigor to the Digestive Organs.

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## COURT OF JUSTICE.

## PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—Hon. J. F. Duval, Chief Justice; René E. Caron, L. T. Drummond, William Badgley, S. C. Monk, Puisné Judges.

COURT IN APPEAL AND ERROR.—Montreal, 11th to 22nd March, June, September and December; Quebec, 1st to 8th March, June, September and December.

COURT OF CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.—Montreal, 24th March and 24th September; Quebec, 27th April and 27th October; Three Rivers, 4th April and 5th October; Sherbrooke, 6th March and 1st October; Arthabaska, 19th February and 4th November; Beauharnois, 2nd March and 29th November; St. Hyacinthe, 1st May and 1st December; St. Johns, 22nd May, and 12th December; St. Scholastique, 7th March and 2nd July; Aylmer, 21st January and 1st July.

Terms to continue till the business is closed. Extraordinary terms may be held by proclamation.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Jurisdiction for sums exceeding \$200. Hon. Wm. Collis Meredith, Chief Justice; Hon. Charles Mondelet, Hon. Peter Winter, Hon. Andrew Stewart, Hon. T. J. J. Loranger, Hon. Aimé Lafontaine, Hon. Jos. N. Bossé, Hon. Robert McKay, Hon. Fred. W. Torrance, Hon. L. V. Scotte, Hon. A. Polette, Hon. Jean T. Taschereau, Hon. Jos. U. Beaudry, Hon. Ls. E. N. Casault; Hon. Thomas K. Ramsay, Assistant Judge, Hon. J. A. Berthelot, Hon. F. J. Johnson, Hon. C. Dunkin.

## TERMS.

MONTREAL.—Hochelaga, Jacques Cartier, Laval, Vaudreuil, Soulanges, Laprairie, Chambly, Verchères, and City of Montreal. Held at Montreal from 17th to 27th of every month, except January, July, and August.

QUEBEC.—Portneuf, Quebec, Montmorenci, Levy, Lothinière and city of Quebec. Held at Quebec from 1st to 5th of every month, except January, July, and August.

OTTAWA.—Ottawa and Pontiac. Held at Aylmer from 13th to 19th February, June, and November.

THREE RIVERS.—Maskinongé, St. Maurice, (including city of Three Rivers), Champlain and Nicolet. Held at Three Rivers from 28th March to 3rd of April, 28th June to 4th July; 28th September to 4th October.

ST. FRANCIS.—Richmond (including town of Sherbrooke), Wolfe, Compton, and Stanstead. Held at Sherbrooke from 20th to 26th February, May, October, and December.

TERREBONNE.—Argenteuil, Two Mountains, and Terrebonne. Held at St. Scholastique, from 13th to 19th February, May, and October.

JOLIETTE.—L'Assomption, Montcalm, and Joliette. Held at Joliette from 16th to 22nd February, 28th June to 4th July, 16th to 22nd October.

"Papa," said a boy, "what is punctuation?" "It is the art of putting stops, child." "Then I wish you'd go down into the cellar and punctuate the beer barrel, as the cider is running all over the floor."

Should every one have a bottle of Jacobs' Liquid ready.

Dr. Colby's Pills are approved by all Physicians who have seen the formula.

**RICHELIEU.**—Richelieu, Yamaska, and Berthier. Held at Sorel from 13th January and May, 3rd to 19th October.

**ARTHABASKA.**—Megantic, Arthabaska and Drummond. Held at Arthabaska from 12th to 18th February, 18th to 24th May, 28th October to 30th November.

**BEDFORD.**—Shefford, Missisquoi and Brome. Held at Nelsonville from 10th to 15th February, 23rd to 28th April, 10th to 15th October.

**ST. HYACINTHE.**—St. Hyacinthe, Bagot and Rouville. Held at St. Hyacinthe from 22nd to 28th February, June and November.

**IBERVILLE.**—St. Johns, Napierville and Iberville. Held at St. Johns from 16th to 21st March, June and November.

**BEAUHARNOIS.**—Huntingdon, Beauharnois and Chateaugay. Held at Beauharnois from 16th to 21st March, 30th May to 4th June, and 23rd to 28th November.

### CIRCUIT COURTS.

JURISDICTION FOR SUMS NOT EXCEEDING \$200.

**MONTREAL DISTRICT.**—Montreal Circuit, Montreal, 10th to 15th of every month, except January, July and August.

Vaudreuil County, Vaudreuil, 1st to 5th of March, July and November.

Soulanges County, Coteau Landing, 6th to 10th March, 6th to 9th July, 6th to 10th November.

**QUEBEC DISTRICT.**—Quebec Circuit Court, 16th to 21st January and June and 20th to 25th of every month except July and August.

Verchères County, Verchères, 1st to 5th February, May and October.

**THREE RIVERS DISTRICT.**—Three Rivers Circuit, Three Rivers, 7th to 12th March, June, September and December.

**OTTAWA DISTRICT.**—Ottawa Circuit, Aylmer, 7th to 12th February, June and November.

Ottawa County, (2nd), Papineauville, 7th to 10th January, May and September.

Pontiac Circuit, Portage du Fort, 2nd to 7th March, 20th to 25th June, and 3rd to 8th November.

**TERREBONNE DISTRICT.**—Terrebonne Circuit, St. Scholastique, 7th to 12th February, May and October.

Terrebonne County, St. Jérôme, 2nd to 6th February, May and October.

Argenteuil County, Lachute, 12th to 16th January, 25th to 29th May, and 12th to 16th September.

**RICHELIEU DISTRICT.**—Richelieu Circuit, Sorel, 7th to 12th January and May, 27th September to 2nd October.

Berthier Circuit, Berthier, 20th to 24th January and May, and 21st to 25th September.

Yamaska County, St. François, 24th to 28th February, 1st to 5th June, and 4th to 8th November.

**BEDFORD DISTRICT.**—Bedford Circuit, Nelsonville, 5th to 9th February, 18th to 22nd April, and 5th to 9th October.

A lady wished a seat in a crowded hall. A handsome gentleman brought her a chair. "You are a jewel," said she. "Oh no, I am a jeweller; I have just set the jewel."

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid is all that it is recommended.

Dr. Colby's Pills remove Pimples by Purifying the Blood.

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Brome County, Knowlton, 26th to 30th January, 10th to 14th April, and 26th to 30th September.

Shefford County, Waterloo, 21st to 25th January, 5th to 9th April, and 21st to 25th September.

Missisquoi County, (2nd), Bedford, 1st to 3rd February, 15th to 17th April, and 1st to 3rd October.

ST. HYACINTHE DISTRICT.—St. Hyacinthe Circuit, St. Hyacinthe, 22nd to 27th January, March and October.

Rouville County, Marieville, 15th to 19th February, May and October.

IBERVILLE DISTRICT.—Iberville Circuit, St. Johns, 11th to 15th March, June and November.

Napierville County, Napierville, 1st to 5th March, June and November.

Iberville County, Iberville, 6th to 10th March, June and November.

BEAUHARNOIS DISTRICT.—Beauharnois Circuit, Beauharnois, 11th to 15th March, 25th to 29th May, and 18th to 22nd November.

Chateauguay County, St. Martin, 1st to 4th March, 15th to 18th May, and 7th to 10th November.

Huntingdon County, Huntingdon, 6th to 8th March, 30th to 22nd May, and 12th to 14th November.

ENTERPRISE AMONG THE LITTLE FOLKS.—We once visited at a farmer's house, where we were struck with the uncommon luxuriance of a grape vine which was loaded down with clusters of fruit. "That is the children's missionary grape vine," said the lady of the house. "They take care of it entirely for the missionaries. And there is their Sunday-school apple tree; and yonder is their little patch of Freedmen's pop-corn; and this is old Aunt Judy's strawberry bed. They all belong to the children—nobody else ever touches them,—and the pleasure they contrive to get out of it is about equal to the profit, though that is considerable." Now, with many children, especially in the country, we know it is a serious question how they shall earn the money for their little benevolent enterprises without going to father or mother for it, and we suggest this as one way. For instance, a little girl might have a strawberry bed, which an hour or two's faithful work each morning would keep in complete order, or a row of currant or raspberry bushes, or a grape vine, which she should attend to herself and the profits of which should be her own. As for the boys, of course, they will strike out for something more ambitious, if they have the space and the time; but even they need not disdain a small spot of earth when a large one cannot be had. Some one has said that all of Adam's descendants inherit his love of gardening, and, from the longing that seems to seize everybody just now to be turning over the fresh earth with hoe and spade, we should think the saying might be true. But one thing must be remembered, and that is that it isn't best to begin an enterprise of this kind unless you are sure you have perseverance enough to carry it through. By-and-by the novelty will have worn off, and in the warm midsummer days it may be something of a task to keep the little garden fresh and in good order; it may seem such a long time to wait before you can receive the fruits of it that you will grow tired and neglectful, and if you feel that your patience and your zeal are not sufficient don't have anything to do with it, for, of all things a neglected garden is one of the most solemn.

"Charley, have you been doing anything to the piano while I was out? Some of the keys won't work at all." "No, ma, I didn't do anything to it; but Tom said there was a mouse in it, so I got him to hold up the top while I put the cat and dog in to catch it, and they made such an awful row I thought sure the mouse was a goner; but if the old thing won't work, perhaps the mouse is in there yet."

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## PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

## COURTS.

*Courts of Law and Equity.*

**COURT OF ERROR AND APPEAL.**—Constituted for the hearing of appeals in civil cases from the Courts of Queen's Bench, Chancery and Common Pleas; and appeals in criminal cases from the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas. From the judgment of this Court, an appeal lies to Her Majesty in Privy Council, in cases over £1,000, or where annual rent, fee, or future rights of any amount, are effected. Judges—Hon. Wm. H. Draper, C.B., Chief Justice of the Court of Error and Appeal in Ontario; Hon. Wm. Buell Richards, Chief Justice of Ontario; Hon. John Godfrey Spragge, Chancellor of Ontario; Hon. John H. Hagarty, D.C.L., Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas; Hon. J. Curran Morrison, Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench; Hon. Adam Wilson, Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench; Hon. Oliver Mowat, Vice-Chancellor; Hon. John W. Gynne, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas; Hon. Thomas Galt, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas; Hon. Samuel H. Strong, Vice-Chancellor.

**COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.**—The jurisdiction of this Court extends to all manner of actions, causes and suits, criminal and civil, real, personal and mixed, within Ontario, and it may proceed in such, by such process and course as are provided by law, and as shall tend with justice and despatch to determine the same; and may hear and determine all issues of law, and also with the inquest of twelve good and lawful men (except in cases otherwise provided for) try all issues of fact, and give judgment, and award execution, thereon, and also in matters which relate to the Queen's Revenue (excluding the condemnation of contraband or smuggled goods) as may be done by Her Majesty's Superior Courts of Law in England. Chief Justice—Hon. William Buell Richards. Puisne Judges—Hon. Joseph C. Morrison, and Hon. Adam Wilson. Clerk of the Crown and Pleas—Robert G. Dalton. Reporter—Chris. Robinson, Q.C.

**COURT OF CHANCERY.**—This Court has the like jurisdiction as the Court of Chancery in England, in cases of fraud, accident, trusts, executors, administrators, co-partnerships, account, mortgages, awards, dower, infants, idiots, lunatics and their estates, waste, specific performance, discovery, and to prevent multiplicity of suits, staying proceedings at law prosecuted against equity and good conscience, and may decree the issue, repeal or avoidance of letters patent, and generally the like powers which the Court of Chancery in England possesses to administer justice in all cases in which there is no adequate remedy at law. Chancellor—Hon. John G. Spragge. Vice-Chancellors—Hon. Oliver Mowat and Hon. Samuel H. Strong. Judges' Secretary—T. W. Taylor. Special Examiners—John Hector, Q.C., and James H. Esten. Registrar and Reporter—Alex. Grant. Clerk of Records and Writs—Arthur Holmested.

**COUNTY COURTS.**—Presided over by a resident Judge in each county. Their jurisdiction extends to all personal actions where the debt or damages claimed do not exceed £50; and to all suits relating to debt, covenant or contract, where the amount is ascertained by the acts of the parties or signature of the defendant, to £100; and to all bail bonds and recogni-

**HOUSEWIFERY.**—An ancient art, said to have been fashionable among young girls and wives, now entirely out of use, or practised only by the lower orders.

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zances of bail given in the County Court, to any amount; but not to cases involving the title to lands, validity of wills, or actions for libel, slander, crim. con., or seduction. An appeal lies to either of the Superior Courts of Law.

**SURROGATE COURTS.**—The jurisdiction of these Courts relates to all testamentary matters and causes, and to the granting or revoking of probate of wills, and letters of administration of the effects of deceased persons having estate or effects in Ontario, and all matters arising out of or connected with the grant or revocation of probate or administration, subject to an appeal to the Court of Chancery. The County Judges are also Judges of the Surrogate Courts. Chief Surrogate Clerk at Toronto. Sir J. L. Robinson, Bart.

**COURTS OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**—The County Judge in each county holds a Court of General Sessions in his county semi-annually on the second Tuesday in June and December, except in the County of York, in which county said Court is held three times, commencing on the second Tuesday in March, June and December, for the trial of cases of felony and misdemeanor, but treason and capital felonies are exempt from their jurisdiction.

*Terms of the Courts.*

**COURT OF ERROR AND APPEAL.**—This Court holds its sittings twice a year at Toronto, in the months of January and June, upon such days as it may by rule or order from time to time appoint, and may adjourn such sitting from day to day, or for any such longer period as it may deem expedient, and may also appoint days for giving judgment or for disposing of business as in its discretion it shall see fit.

**LAW TERMS.**—Hilary begins first Monday in February, and ends Saturday of the ensuing week; Easter begins third Monday in May, and ends Saturday of the second week thereafter; Michaelmas begins third Monday in November and ends Saturday of the second week thereafter. By the Act 29 and 30 Vic. cap 40, Trinity Term, hitherto commencing on the Monday after the 21st August, is abolished; but the same statute gives power to the Court of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, at their discretion, to hold sittings in banc in time of vacation (except long vacation), by virtue of a rule or order of the Court, respectively to be made in or out of term, for the hearing of such special cases or rules for new trials as shall be named in a list to be attached to any such rule or order, and for giving of judgments in cases previously argued, and for disposing of such other business as the Court in its discretion shall see fit. Notice of such rules to be given in form and manner prescribed by the Act, six clear days before the day appointed.

**CHANCERY TERMS.**—*Examination Terms.*—From 1st Tuesday of February to the Saturday after the 2nd Tuesday of April; and from 1st Tuesday of September to the Saturday after 1st Tuesday of November. *Hearing Terms.*

—From 4th Monday in April until Saturday of the following week and from 3rd Monday in November until Saturday of the following week, The Court also sits every Tuesday (except during the regular vacations) throughout the year, for hearing motions for Decrees, motions for or to dissolve special injunctions, and appeals from the reports of the Master or Deputy Masters.

**COUNTY COURT TERMS.**—The several County Courts in Ontario hold four terms in each year, to commence on the first Monday in January, April, July and October.

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An infamously old bachelor being asked if he ever witnessed a public execution replied, 'No, but I once saw a marriage.'

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## BANKS IN CANADA, WITH THEIR AGENCIES.

PLACES.	NAMES OF BANKS.	OFFICERS.
Almonte.....	Merchants.....	F. A. W. Lister, agent.
Arnprior.....	B. N. America.....	Patrick Robertson, agent.
Barrie.....	Bank of Commerce.....	W. Manson, int. manager.
	Toronto.....	D. Campbell, manager.
Barkerville, B. C.....	B. N. America.....	G. M. Morris, agent.
Beauharnois.....	Merchants.....	A. DeMartigny, agent.
Belleville.....	Montreal.....	R. Richardson, manager.
	Royal Canadian Bank.....	W. E. Dean, manager.
	Merchants of Canada.....	Andrew Thomson, manager.
Berlin.....	do.....	R. N. Rodgers, agent.
Bowmanville.....	ONTARIO.....	D. Fisher, cashier.
Brantford.....	B. N. America.....	A. Robertson, manager.
	Bank of Commerce.....	J. H. Plummer, manager.
	Montreal.....	S. Read, manager.
Brockville.....	Montreal.....	H. E. Knowles, acting manager.
Brampton.....	Merchants.....	Charles Crookall, agent.
Collingwood.....	do.....	J. McMaster, manager.
Chatham, Ont.....	Royal Canadian.....	R. C. Fitzgerald, manager.
	Bank of Commerce.....	W. S. Ireland, manager.
Clinton.....	Royal Canadian.....	M. Lough, agent.
Cobourg.....	Montreal.....	C. Brough, manager.
	Toronto.....	J. H. Roper, manager.
Cornwall.....	Montreal.....	Nell McLean, agent.
Cowansville.....	Eastern Townships.....	W. J. Briggs, manager.
Dundas.....	Bank of Commerce.....	C. S. Rumsey, agent.
Dunnville.....	B. N. America.....	R. Steven, agent.
Elora.....	Montreal.....	W. P. Newman, agent.
	Merchants.....	William Kinsley, agent.
Fergus.....	Montreal.....	G. D. Ferguson, agent.
	Merchants.....	
Fredericton, N.B.....	Merchants.....	
	B. N. America.....	J. G. Orchard, agent.
Gananoque.....	Merchants.....	
Galt.....	Bank of Commerce.....	G. H. Patterson, manager.
	Merchants of Canada.....	William Cook, manager.
	Royal Canadian.....	J. Cavers, manager.
Goderich.....	Montreal.....	J. H. Finlay, acting agent.
	Bank of Commerce.....	A. M. Ross, manager.

A BRAVE SPIRIT.—Young man, be brave! Many people imagine that courage is confined to the field of battle. There could be no greater mistake. Even contention with men, unavoidable contentions, are not by any means limited to public battle-fields. And there are other struggles in private life—struggles with adverse circumstances—struggles, it may be, with habits or appetites or passions—all of which requires as much of courage, and more of perseverance, than the brief, exciting encounter of battle. Enough to struggle against, enough to contend with, enough to overcome, lies in the way of a young man. It may be one kind of difficulty, or it may be another, but plenty of difficulty of some kind every young man just starting in life may be sure that he will find. And the essential thing about it to him is, whether he will be a coward, and succumb, or what the Indians so significantly term, "a brave." He who never falters, no matter how adverse the circumstance, always enjoys within himself the consciousness of a perpetual spiritual triumph of which nothing can deprive him.

BOILING THE MATE.—"Are you the mate?" said a man to the Irish cook of a vessel lying in port. "No," said he, "but I'm the man that boils the mate (meat)."

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Guelph.....	Montreal .....	J. Robertson, manager.
	Ontario.....	E. Morris, manager.
	Bank of Commerce.....	G. W. Sandilands, manager.
Halifax, N.S.....	Montreal.....	E. C. Jones, agent.
	B. N. America.....	James Goldie, manager.
Hamilton.....	B. N. America.....	James Robertson, manager.
	Montreal.....	A. Macnider, manager.
	Merchants of Canada.....	James Bancroft, manager.
	Royal Canadian.....	W. G. Crawford, manager.
	Bank of Commerce.....	C. R. Murray, manager.
Ingersoll.....	Niagara District.....	C. E. Chadwick, agent.
	Merchants of Canada.....	C. H. Sorley, agent.
Kingston.....	B. N. America.....	Jeffery Penfold, manager.
	Montreal.....	R. M. Moore, manager.
	Merchants of Canada.....	J. G. Macdonald, manager.
Kincardine.....	do. do.....	W. S. Small, agent.
Lindsay.....	Ontario.....	S. A. McMurtry, manager.
	Merchants.....	William Hamilton, agent.
	Montreal.....	H. Dunsford, agent.
London.....	Bank of Commerce.....	E. W. Syer, manager.
	B. N. America.....	Thomas Corsan, manager.
	Montreal.....	F. A. Despard, manager.
	Merchants of Canada.....	W. F. Harper, manager.
	Molsons.....	Joseph Jeffery, manager.
Mitchell.....	Merchants.....	R. D. Freeman, agent.
Monckton, N.B.....	B. N. America.....	O. Weir, agent.
Montreal.....	MONTREAL.....	R. B. Angus, general manager.
		T. K. Christian, branch manager.
	CITY.....	F. McCulloch, cashier.
	DU PEUPLE.....	A. A. Trottier, cashier.
	MOLSONS.....	F. W. Thomas, cashier.
	JACQUES CARTIER.....	H. Cotté, cashier.
	MERCHANTS OF CANADA.....	Jackson Rae, cashier.
	Exchange Bank of Canada.....	R. A. Campbell, cashier.
	City & District Savings Bank.....	E. J. Barbeau, manager.
	B. N. America.....	E. R. Grindley, manager.
	Quebec.....	J. B. Renny, manager.
	Bank of Commerce.....	W. Simpson, manager.
	Metropolitan.....	A. S. Hincks, cashier.
	Toronto.....	Duncan Coulson, manager.

THE POETRY OF THE TABLE.—In the first place, a starched and smoothly-ironed table-cloth—which, if neatly folded after every meal, will look well for several days. Then flowers and ferns in flat dishes, baskets or small vases. A few pretty dishes will make the plainest table glow. A small bright colored platter for pickles, horse-radish, or jelly; a few pennies' worth of parsley or cress, mingled with small scraps of white paper daintily clipped, will cause a plain dish to assume the air of a French *entrée*. A platter of hash may be ornamented with an edging of toasted or fried bread cut into points, and a dish of mutton chops is more impressive with the bones stacked as soldiers stack their guns. A few slices of lemon with sprigs of parsley and slices of hard-boiled eggs, form a pretty garnish to many dishes. The basket of fruit—peaches, pears grapes, or apples—should be tastefully arranged and trimmed with leaves and flowers. The bowl of salad should be ornamented with the scarlet and orange flowers of the tropæolum, their piquant flavor adding zest to the lettuce with which they can be eaten.

"Boys," said a village pedagogue the other day, "what is the meaning of all that noise in school?" "It's Bill Sykes, sir, who is imitating a locomotive." "Come up here, William," said the schoolmaster; "if you are turned into a locomotive, it is high time you were switched off."

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	Ontario	John Smart, manager.	
	Union Bk. of Lower Canada	F. Nash, manager.	Pres
	Royal Canadian	William Sache, manager.	Quel
	Mechanics Bank	Alex. Molson, managing director.	
	Niagara District	Ontario Bank, agents.	
	Eastern Townships	Bank of Montreal, agents.	
Morrisburg	Molsons	G. K. Morton, manager.	
Mount Forest	Ontario	Geo. Hamilton, manager.	
Napance	Merchants	Alex. Smith, manager.	
	B. N. America	R. A. Leslie, agent.	
Newcastle, N.B.	Montreal	F. E. Winslow, agent.	
Newmarket	Merchants of Canada	J. Cawthrae, agent.	
Orangeville	Bank of Commerce	T. Y. Greet, manager.	Renfr
	Merchants	W. H. Scott, agent.	Sarni
Oshawa	Ontario	C. Holland, manager.	
Ottawa	B. N. America	A. C. Kelty, manager.	Seafor
	Union Bank of L. Canada	D. S. Eastwood, manager.	Sherb
	Montreal	A. Drummond, manager.	Simoc
	Quebec	H. V. Noel, manager.	
	Ontario	J. H. Woodman, manager.	
	Merchants	Thomas Kirby, manager.	Sorel.
Owen Sound	Molsons	Thomas J. Joy, manager.	
	Merchants of Canada	J. Pottenger, agent.	South
Paris	B. N. America	John Carnegie, agent.	Stanst
Pembroke	Quebec	J. Welker, agent.	St. An
	Merchants	Hector Fraser, agent.	St. Cat
Perth	Montreal	R. J. Drummond, acting agent.	
	Merchants of Canada	James Grey, agent.	
Peterborough	Ontario	G. E. Shaw, manager.	St. Joh
	Royal Canadian	W. M. Oglvie, agent.	St. Joh
	Toronto	J. M. Smith, manager.	
	Montreal	F. J. Tait, acting agent.	
	Bank of Commerce	J. A. Hall, manager.	
Pictou	Montreal	T. J. Stammers, agent.	St. Joh
Port Hope	Ontario	G. R. G. McViv, manager.	
	Toronto	A. Morgan Cosby, manager.	St. Hya
	Montreal	M. Heaton, agent.	St. Mar
Port Perry	Royal Canadian	A. Richardson, agent.	St. Step
	Ontario	A. C. Mowbray, manager.	

HOW TO GET ALONG.—“A Farmer's Son” writes:—“I wish you would give directions how to get along. I am poor, my parents are poor; I have to work hard, and want to know how other boys do who succeed.” The only way we ever found for getting along was to keep stepping; that is, don't lose one moment's time! We do not mean to say that a boy should take no recreation; but we do mean to say that no boy should take recreation thoughtlessly. He should always learn something. But this getting along is a very simple matter. It means persistent labor—with hands and head. It means that so long as you can find anything to do you should do it—not blindly and mechanically, but thoughtfully, teaching yourself by experience what is the best thing to do, and how to do it in the quickest and best way. Loafing, lounging, idleness, dreaming, wishing and worrying do not pay. The more a man does, the easier he does it and the more he can do. Just get the steam up, get a good purpose in your soul, and then work to accomplish that purpose as if your life depended upon your doing it in the best manner and shortest time. That is the only way we know of to get along.”

An old Dutch tavern-keeper had his third wife, and being asked of his views of matrimony, replied, “Vell, den, you see de first time I marries for love—dat wash goot; den I marries for beauty—dat wash goot too, about as goot as de first; but this time I marries for monish—and dis is better as both!”

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Frescott.	Merchants of Canada.	J. F. Harper, agent.
Quebec	QUEBEC	James Stevenson, cashier.
	LA BANQUE NATIONALE	F. Vezina, cashier.
	Bank of Commerce	Union Bank of L. C., agents.
	B. N. America	C. F. Smith, manager.
	Eastern Townships	Quebec Bank, agents.
	Montreal	J. Porteous, manager.
	City Bank	Daniel McGie, agent.
Renfrew	Du Peuple	Banque Nationale, agents.
	Toronto	Banque Nationale, agents.
	Union Bank of L. Canada	P. MacEwen, cashier.
	B. N. America	Thomas Watson, agent.
	Merchants	C. G. Morgan, agent.
Sarnia	Montreal	Hon. A. Vidal, agent.
	Bank of Commerce	F. W. Holmstead, manager.
Seaforth	Royal Canadian	M. P. Hayes, agent.
Sherbrooke	City Bank of Montreal	Wm. Addie, agent.
	Eastern Townships	Wm. Farwell, jun., cashier.
Simcoe	Bank of Commerce	H. Groff, agent.
	Montreal	F. F. Blackadder, agent.
Sorel	Merchants	A. A. Taillon, agent.
	Molsons	A. D. Duriford, acting manager.
Southampton	Merchants of Canada	A. Sproat.
Stanstead	Eastern Townships	A. P. Ball, manager.
St. Andrews, N.B.	B. N. America	J. S. Carnegie, agent.
St. Catharines	NIAGARA DISTRICT	C. M. Arnold, cashier.
	Quebec	W. T. Benson, manager.
	Bank of Commerce	H. C. Barwick, manager.
St. Johns, Q.	Merchants	W. L. Marler, agent.
St. John, N.B.	Montreal	W. Munroe, agent.
	B. N. America	T. Maclellan, manager.
	Quebec Bank	Bank of New Brunswick.
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St. Hyacinthe	Merchants	H. Barbeau, agent.
St. Marys	Montreal	E. Hillyard, agent.
St. Stephen, N.B.	B. N. America	J. S. Lockie, agent.
	Quebec	Bank of New Brunswick.
St. Thomas	Merchants of Canada	A. M. Crombie, agent.
	Molsons	Thomas Blakeney, manager.
	Montreal	J. Hogg, agent.
Stratford	Merchants of Canada	C. H. Ransom, agent.
	Royal Canadian	J. Young, agent.
Strathroy	Bank of Commerce	J. S. Small, manager.
Three Rivers	Quebec Bank	John McDougall, agent.
	Union Bank of L. C.	John V. Woolsey, agent.

GRASS SEEDS IN FALL.—Many of our farmers are going to be short of hay, and perhaps find that they have not seeded down enough this spring. Grass (timothy) may be sown in the fall. Work the land very fine and mellow towards the end of August. Spread finely composted manure; sow about six quarts timothy per acre; cover in with brush harrow; on light land roll; in the early spring, sow 4 quarts clover and you will have meadow to cut next summer. But remember the land must be clean and in good heart, and the finely commicated manure ought to be used.

"Ma, why is a postage stamp like a bad scholar?" "I can't tell, my son; why is it?" "Because it gets licked and put in a corner." "Susan, put that boy to bed."

"Make way, gentlemen," cried a fussy M.P. to some people in the park the other day; "make way, we are the representatives of the people." "Make way, yourself," replied a sturdy member of the throng, "we are the people themselves."

Jacobs' Rheumatic Liquid Cures Cramp.

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Tilsonburgh .....	Merchants .....	R. W. Cresswell, agent.
Toronto' ... ..	Molsons .....	R. J. Dallis, manager.
	BANK OF TORONTO .....	George Hague, cashier.
	BANK OF COMMERCE .....	H. S. Strathy, cashier.
	Merchants of Canada .....	Archibald Cameron, manager.
	Ontario .....	A. Fisher, manager.
	B. N. America .....	Samuel Taylor, manager.
	Montreal .....	W. J. Buchanan, manager.
	City Bank of Montreal .....	J. J. Macculloch, agent.
	Quebec .....	D. R. Wilkie, manager.
	Royal Canadian .....	T. McCracken, cashier.
Victoria, B.C. ....	B. N. America .....	H. A. Tuzo, manager.
	Montreal .....	Bank of British Columbia.
Waterloo, Ont. ....	Merchants .....	J. S. Meredith, agent.
Waterloo, Q. ....	Eastern Townships .....	W. G. Parmalee, manager.
Walkerton .....	Merchants .....	A. Sproat, agent.
Winnipeg, Manl. ....	Merchants .....	D. McArthur, agent.
	Ontario .....	Thomas Dow, manager.
Windsor, Ont. ....	Merchants of Canada .....	H. R. Morton, agent.
	Molsons .....	C. D. Grasset, manager.
Woodstock .....	Bank of Commerce .....	W. A. Sampeon, manager.
	Royal Canadian .....	J. M. Burns, manager.

**MONEY MADE BY FARMING.**—Much labor is done on farms that is not farming in its true sense. By such labor no money is ever made. A man may support himself and his family, keep out of debt, and have a few dollars in his pocket, by practicing the most stringent economy. If he is otherwise than industrious and sober, he is on the down grade with loose brakes and the end is not reached. But farming in its true sense, is a profession equal in dignity to that of law or medicine, and needs equal study, mental capacity, and intelligently directed labor to command success in it. The principle which underlies the practice of the true farmer, must be understood well, and a steady, consistent course of operation must be followed. Having thoroughly learned the nature and capacity of the soil he possesses, and chosen the rotation most suitable, and the stock to be most profitably kept upon it, he does not swerve from his chosen course, but in good and bad markets raises his regular crops, and keeps his land in regular increasing fertility. No special cry tempts or frightens him. He does not talk dairy this season and crops the next; but doubtless if any particular product be in demand, and brings a good price, he has some of it to sell, and reaps his share of the advantage. He saves as much money as some men make, by care and economy in purchasing and preserving tools, Seeds, manure, and machines; and his business habits and constant readiness, for all occasions, gives him reasonable security against the effects of adverse seasons and bad weather. Always prepared, he is never too late; always calm, he is never too soon, and thus, "taking Time by the forelock," he has the stern old tyrant at his command, and turns him at his will. He has no losses, and his gains are steady.

"Is that clock right over there?" asked a visitor the other day. "Right over there?" said the boy: "'taint nowhere else.

**A GOOD DEFINITION.**—A little girl in school gave as a definition of 'bearing false witness against your neighbor,' that 'it was when nobody did nothing and somebody went and told it.'

Why is an old man's house more easily entered than a young man's?—His gait is broken, and his locks are few.

**ONE WORD.**—"Sire, one word," said a soldier one day to Frederick the Great, when presenting to him a request for the brevet of lieutenant.—"If you say two," answered the king, "I will have you hanged."—"Sign," replied the soldier. The king stared, whistled, and signed.

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**SHALLOW PLOWING vs DEEP.**—I met the other day a man of middle age, half nurseryman, half farmer, who does a little of every kind of work, and, as the case often is, observes a great deal. He owns some forty acres of very rich, low-lying land, which had been poorly farmed by tenants for the five or six years previous to his taking personal possession. Adopting the commonly received notion among the progressive farmers of the age and time, he had come to the conclusion that the fault of his tenants had been that they had not plowed deep enough. So, in 1870, he set his boy to work and turned up the soil, six inches deep, nearly ruined his team, and grew ten bushels of corn to the acre. In 1871 he repeated the experiment and grew five. Last spring happening to fall in with Mr. Bogardus, the broom-corn man, a shallow plower and a man of independent thought and action, he was advised to try just as little plowing as possible. So he threw two light furrows together, planted his corn early, tended it carefully, and now he tells me he had, July 4th, corn up to his five feet shoulders, and such a promise for September as he had never seen. I am suggesting to myself whether our plow-makers, in their manufacture, have not rather consulted the demand which calls for a deep turning plow that will bury weeds and rubbish out of sight, than for an instrument which shall stir and aerate the soil. It is time for us to note the difference between stirring the soil and leaving it in place, so that the plant food will remain near to the surface where it is needed, and that illogical upheaval, which buries out of reach and out of sight that which the whole force of nature is bringing to the surface.—*Country Gentleman.*

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A MARKET FOR CANADIAN BUTTER.—The *Ingersoll Chronicle* concludes a series of articles on butter-making and the Canadian butter trade by strongly recommending the adoption of the cheese factory system, which was hitherto worked so well in that branch, incorporating with it the French method, or so much of it as could be made available. That Canadian dairymen are enterprising is fully exemplified in the rank which their cheese holds in the English market, being only a trifle lower than the finest States. We feel satisfied that if Canadian butter-makers would establish butter factories and make a fine article they would be amply rewarded. By adopting such a plan the system of forcing butter into the storekeepers' hand would soon work its own cure. Instead of being stored in impure cellars it would be taken to the factory, where it would be properly cared for by people who are experts in the trade, and would have their own interests as well as their patrons to spur them up to make the most of this very perishable article. Finest Normandy butter realizes 30c. per lb. and upwards in the London Market. And why cannot Canadians send an article home which would realise within 4c. of Normandy? They have the talent and the ground to work upon. A large quantity of our butter at present stored in England is only worth 8c. This state of things should bring a blush to every lover of his country, if only for pride's sake. When such a waste is allowed it not only impoverishes the individuals directly interested, but the country at large. This is in a great measure owing to the ruinous system now in vogue of manipulating our butter. If this system were done away with, butter-making would be the most lucrative branch of industry for our farmers to pay their attention to, for we can never overdo either the home or foreign market with fine butter.

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