

CALENDAR FOR SEPT. 1903

Table with columns for Day of Week, Sun Rises, Sun Sets, Moon Rises, Moon Sets, High Water a.m., High Water p.m.

A REMARKABLE CENTENARIAN

The Memories of a Hundred Years Recalled

The Life of the Oldest Life Insurance Policy Holder in the World—He Was Born in 1803 at Stratford, Conn.

On the thirteenth day of this month there was celebrated by a family reunion at Egglewood N. J., the hundredth birthday of one of the most remarkable old men this country has ever produced.

JOHN BALL'S STATEMENT. More Proof that Dodd's Kidney Pills always Cure Lumbago by Taking the Uric Acid Out of the Blood.



THE WORLD'S OLDEST POLICY-HOLDER. Mr. Charles H. Booth, of Egglewood, N. J., one hundred years old September 13, 1903, is the world's oldest policy-holder.

fortune, and rose, in course of time to control the once well known house of Booth & Tuttle, later Booth & Co. He remained in business until about seventy years of age, when he retired to his comfortable home at Egglewood, where he has ever since lived in good health and spirits.

The country was new when he first saw the light of day; Washington had been dead but four years and the Louisiana Purchase had just been made.

This policy, No. 22, in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, was taken out just a week after the founding of the Company and is still in force, sixty years after its issue—a most remarkable record.

He remembers as a man of forty-three the Mexican War, which seems like ancient history to the younger generation.

They do not by any means miss the Exhibition. The excursion rates will be low and you should see it.

SAILORS ROASTED IN ALCOHOL FIRE

An Explosion on U. S. Cruiser Olympia Kills Two

The Jack Tars had a Barrel of Fire-water Concealed in the Navy Yard, but it was Discovered and Taken on Deck.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 13.—Lieut. Commander Van Dozer, executive officer of the cruiser Olympia, today gave out an official statement of the facts attending the explosion of a barrel of alcohol on the cruiser's deck last night, causing the death of Corporal J. S. Yerkes, U. S. M. C., of Philadelphia, and of Apprentice Seifert, and the serious injury of Third-Class-Master-at-Arms Caster and Apprentice Shavey.

Lieut. Commander Van Dozer Says:—"The entire crew of the Olympia were returning aboard after forty hours' shore liberty, when a five gallon water breaker full of alcohol was discovered in the forward turret. The executive officer at once ordered a thorough search of the ship and yard in her vicinity.

"This tank being full, the barrel was carried forward by Corporal Yerkes, Seifert, Shavey and Caster. In the meantime the crew was called to quarters and every man accounted for.

"They had scarcely begun when, in a manner yet to be ascertained, the fumes of the spirits became ignited and exploded with terrific force. Both ends of the barrel were blown out, followed by a torrent of burning alcohol that spread in a flood of flames over the forward main deck.

"Yerkes was struck in the head by a stove from the barrel and fell into the burning mass. He was roasted to death. The other men were struck by flying fragments of the barrel, but were knocked away from the centre of the fire, and thus two of them escaped fatal injury, but Seifert was horribly burned and he has since died."

Faulty Kidneys Imperil Life.

Don't Experiment With Cheap, Dangerous Nostrums. Get the Unfailing Sure Cure

FERROZONE

Thousands are kept in perfect health and free from kidney complaints by Ferrozone. Among those who speak in the most laudatory terms of Ferrozone is Mr. Chas. F. Olive, of the Gazette, St. John, N. B. "For several years I have had kidney trouble," says Mr. Olive, "until quite recently I suffered torture. A few months ago my condition assumed a very serious form. I consulted several city doctors, used different pills, but without the slightest benefit. I suffered from an intense pain in the groin, and the increasing seriousness of my trouble prompted me to try Ferrozone. It gave me quick relief, and a half-a-dozen boxes cured me for disordered kidneys."—Chas. F. Olive.

PEARY FREE TO SEEK THE POLE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Orders granting three years leave of absence to Commander Peary, of the United States navy, beginning April 1 next, have been issued today. He will start on his dash for the North Pole July 1 next.

THEFT OF ALCOHOL.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 12.—In an attempt to steal a quantity of alcohol from the cruiser Olympia, in dry dock at the Norfolk navy yard to-night, one barrel of the fluid evaporated. Two men were killed outright and a master at arms is missing.

ANOTHER COTTON MILL DOWN.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 12.—The Sagamore Mills operating 90,000 spindles, employing 900 hands and paying weekly wages of about \$300 will shut down next week. This increases the number of mills to be closed next week from seven to nine and the idle spindles from 30,000 to 39,000.

Fit-Reform READY TAILORED CLOTHES

Fall Fashion Foibles.

Fall styles are ready. "FIT-REFORM" WARDROBES are style expositions, these days. Everything is here that Dame Fashion approves—that good taste commends. Rich, elegant Woolsens that Scotland Sends us—the ever popular English Cheviots—Friezes and Coatings from the Emerald Isle—Choicest Domestic—well, stop in and see for yourself just what is proper for fall wear—and the changes in style since last season. It's an invitation we hope you will accept. It implies no obligation to purchase. These are looking-around-days for most men, and most men won't overlook "FIT-REFORM" WARDROBES—where new styles, proper styles, exclusive styles make their debut to Canadian men. Suits and Overcoats, \$12 to \$30. Trousers, \$3, \$4, \$5 and \$6.

SOLE AGENTS, PROWSE BROS., FIT-REFORM CLOTHING, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

WINNIPEG FORGER SENTENCED.

WINNIPEG, September 12.—F Burell, found guilty of forgery was sentenced yesterday by Judge Perdue to three years imprisonment.

A PRE-HISTORIC CASTLE.

BERLIN, September 12.—A prehistoric castle which is believed to have existed four hundred years before Christ has been brought to light near Cassel.

ADMIRAL COOK RETIRED.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Rear Admiral Francis A. Cook, who commanded the Brooklyn at Santiago, was retired today on his own application after forty years in service.

CHURCH 100 YEARS OLD.

WINDSOR, Sept. 11.—With the approach of autumn the little parish of St. John's Episcopal Church of Sandwich is making preparations for a fitting celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the oldest Protestant Church in this part of Canada.

PRINCE OF WALES MAY VISIT.

LONDON, September 12.—It is stated authoritatively that the Plymouth Navy yard that morning after the home fleet has completed its cruise which begins on October 18, the squadron commanded by Admiral H. K. Wilson will cross the North Atlantic as an escort. The person to be escorted is not given, but it is undoubtedly the Prince of Wales.

TRADE AND SHIPPING. PART OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

Sept. 15, ar. Danbar, Vanembar, Northport; Charlotte, Forest, Buctouche; S.I.S. Olivette, Turner, Bost. n. Marion Louise, Barnard, New York.

IF TORMENTED WITH CORNS.

Save yourself pain, worry and distress by using the never-failing Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. It is reliable and acts quickly.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

As there will be very few, almost none, of Island grown ripe tomatoes we are importing each week, and offer this week 10 lb lots at 35c. Secure your supply now as they will not be procurable at any price in a few weeks.—J. J. Gay & Son, 15 d 1 w 1 Pat. Ex.

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits to Special Measures

We believe we are the only Merchant Tailors in Charlottetown who make Ladies' Suits. The fit and finish given to garments made by us has been much admired. Mr. Ross our cutter and Miss Barr the finisher will spare no effort to maintain the high standard already attained by us in Ladies' Tailoring. We are showing the LATEST NOVELTIES for fall wear in Tweeds, Oxfords, and Black Goods at lower prices than you will find elsewhere.

D. A. BRUCE, MERCHANT TAILOR.

Our well-known standard of quality, workmanship and finish is represented in this assortment and sold at popular prices. We refer to our new German and Canadian coats.—Jas Paton & Co. 3d ft

Heavy all wool Oxford tweed 60c per yard at Oxford Woollen Mills Depot.—D. A. Bruce. 1d ft

Original and unique designs in all the new and popular materials, in new fall dress goods. Send for samples Jas Paton & Co. 3d ft

Every well dressed person should have a suit of all wool Tryon Tweeds. 12d 11

Judging from the increased volume of our business in all directions it is an obvious fact that our goods and prices are desirable features with judicious buyers. Jas Paton & Co. 3d ft

We have the exclusive sale in this city for the celebrated Boston Derby and Boston Tourist, stiff and soft American hats for men. These famous hats take the lead wherever shown. Many of Charlottetown's best dressed men are now wearing them. Weeks & Co., will be pleased to show them when you call for your hat. Weeks & Co., sole agents for "Boston Derby." 16 d 31

Commencing Saturday Sept. 12 Gay's stalls in the market will be open for business every day from 8.30 a. m. until 6, and Saturday until 10 at night. We direct special attention to green tomatoes which are almost a failure this season—buy them early don't procrastinate. We will have usual supply of onions wholesale and retail and cuts on 10 lb lots, also corn, small pickling onions, cauliflower, beans, cabbage, carrots, parsnips, turnips, beets, red peppers, ripe tomatoes, cucumbers. J. J. Gay & Son. 14 d 1 w & will

Oh! QUIT YOUR FOOLING.

And get your clothing, cloth, yarns, stockinette, etc from The Humphrey Clothing Store, Opera House Building. d 10 ft

Bruce Stewart & Co. Founders, Engineers, Machinists and Boiler-makers, Steam Navigation Co's Work, Charlottetown, P. E. Island, Phone 125.

PASTRY BISCUIT BEAVER FLOUR BREAD CAKE

Come to Halifax For the EXHIBITION.

Nova Scotia's Great Fair Will Open September 9th at Halifax. It Will be Great

In Agriculture and in Live Stock. In Manufactures and in Mining. In Horse Races and in Horse Shows. In Pyrotechnic Display and Vaudeville Specialties. Great by day and great by night.

They do not by any means miss the Exhibition. The excursion rates will be low and you should see it.

Come to Halifax For the EXHIBITION. J. E. WOOD, Manager and Sec'y, Halifax

Piles Dr. Chase's Ointment

COMING EVENTS.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. James Warburton, Mayor; H. M. Davison, City Clerk. The P. E. S. meets on the first Monday each month.