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MOON'S CHANGES.
Full Moon, 6th day, 2h., 35.1m., p. m., N. E.
below horizon.
Last Quarter, 14th day, 0h., 52.1m., a. m., E.,
below horizon.
New Moon, 20th day, 4h., 48.5m., p. m., W
First Quarter, 28th day, 5h., 20.0m., a. m., S

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Day's
	rises	sets	rises	water
1 Saturday	6 41	5 44	0 40	7 0 11 3
2 Sunday	49	45	1 37	7 57 6
3 Monday	38	46	2 37	8 45 8
4 Tuesday	37	47	3 41	9 28 10
5 Wednesday	33	48	4 46	10 6 12
6 Thursday	34	49	5 52	10 30 15
7 Friday	32	50	6 58	11 12 18
8 Saturday	30	51	8 5	11 4 21
9 Sunday	29	52	9 15	11 10 24
10 Monday	27	54	10 24	0 51 27
11 Tuesday	25	55	11 35	1 3 30
12 Wednesday	23	56	morn	2 14 33
13 Thursday	22	58	0 47	3 1 36
14 Friday	20	59	1 51	4 18 39
15 Saturday	18	6 0	3 2	6 1 42
16 Sunday	16	2 3	5 7	7 28 45
17 Monday	13	3 4	4 43	8 34 50
18 Tuesday	11	5 5	5 20	9 26 54
19 Wednesday	9	6 5	5 52	10 11 57
20 Thursday	8	8 6	6 18	10 49 12 0
21 Friday	6	9 6	6 43	11 28 21 3
22 Saturday	5	10 7	7 6	morn 2 3
23 Sunday	2	11 7	7 3	0 1 9
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25 Tuesday	5	14 8	8 24	1 14 15
26 Wednesday	5	15 9	2 1	56 18
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29 Saturday	5	19 11	4 53	28 31
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Ottawa Letter.

OPPOSITION TACTICS—DUTY ON GRAINS AND SEEDS—QUEEN SQUARE FENCE—THE THIRD PARTY ON THE RAMPAGE.

(Special correspondence of The Examiner.)

Too much time has been occupied this week in discussing resolutions emanating from the Opposition, which, while they apparently favored the farmer and miner, were but a thinly-disguised attack upon the National Policy. Knowing that it is intended to make some change in the tariff, the Opposition see their opportunity of making a little capital for themselves by forestalling the action of the Government, and moving for the removal of duties on certain articles of the free list. The Government, of course, will not permit their hand to be forced, and therefore vote the resolutions down—though next day, possibly, they may bring down a precisely similar proposition. The game of the Opposition is easily seen through. They will first attempt to persuade the people that the Government refuse to lower the duties; then, should it happen, when the tariff changes are introduced, that these taxes are reduced or removed, they will claim the credit of having forced the Government to the steps. It is unnecessary to say that the debate was a most unprofitable one; no new arguments were advanced; the same speakers occupied the floor and repeated the same dreary speeches which either themselves or others in the Grit ranks have delivered at intervals since 1880.

The first assault was conducted by Mr. McMillan, of Huron, who moved the House into committee to consider the following resolution:—"That it is expedient to remove the duty on and place on the free list all grains and seeds which do not ripen in Canada, but which are now largely imported and sown for the production of food for cattle under the system of feeding called soiling and ensilage, now largely adopted by the farmers of Canada."

The Minister of Customs explained that the Government, in considering the question, had been met by this difficulty, that seeds which ripened in British Columbia would not ripen in Ontario, and what would ripen in the Niagara district would not ripen in P. E. Island. So unimportant, however, was the matter, that the duty amounted to only one cent upon every seven tons.

As some of the information elicited during the debate may be of value to our farmers, I summarize it as briefly as possible.

One acre will grow from 25 to 30 tons of ensilage, and less than 5 tons of ensilage will feed a cow for 200 days. If the ground is properly prepared, the crop will grow even better in dry than in wet seasons. Prof. Robertson says the best corn for ensilage is our Indian corn, provided the land is properly cultivated. The best results are obtained from planting in drills, seven inches apart, three pecks of corn being required for the acre. Frank Morris, the father of the silo system in the United States, had stated to Dr. Bergin that he had large farms in Maryland and immense tracts under corn in Texas and Georgia, and the result of his experience was that the corn of the climate in which the silo was to be used, was the corn which was best adapted for the purpose. Southern corn would not ripen in the north, and would not produce the same amount of juice or the same amount of sugar as the corn of this country, because of the short season and our northern climate.

Mr. McMillan's motion was rejected by 84 to 69.

A whole afternoon was spent in discussing a motion of Mr. Platt, "that machinery designed for use in mining operations should not be subject to Customs duty when imported into Canada for mining purposes." This proposition was warmly supported by the British Columbia members, one of whom offered an amendment that the debate be adjourned until after the proposed tariff changes are laid before the House. This was carried upon a vote of 109 to 77.

In Committee of Supply, upon a vote of \$110,000 for Cape Tormentine harbor, the Minister of Public Works being interrogated by Mr. Davies, gave the following information:—"The last contract for the Cape Tormentine pier amounted, at schedule rates, to \$169,000. The contractor was Edward Murphy, of Toronto. Contract to be completed by 28th October, 1890, but he feared it would go beyond that date. The new pier is being built on the site of the old one, and it is expected to obtain 16 feet of water. The Minister could not say what it would cost to build the pier on the Island side, but would give all the information he could later on."

Mr. Davies also brought to the notice of the House the matter of the fence around the Post Office in Charlottetown, and obtained a response from the Minister of Public Works that he would make a note of it. I understand that the plan and specification of a fence for Queen Square have been decided on—cedar posts with chain and woven wire, to cost between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

A desultory discussion took place upon sundry grants for the erection of public buildings in the Provinces, the irrepressible McMullen taking the leading part, when shortly before midnight the Hon. Peter Mitchell arrived upon the scene in full evening dress, for he had been dining out, as was soon made evident. The question before the House being a grant to build a post office somewhere, Mr. Mitchell considered it a fitting time to enquire of the Minister of Marine whether—Here several members called out, "He is not here." "Where is he?" asked Peter. "He is in Washington," was returned. "What is in the d—l is he doing there?" "He is looking after the fishery business." "Well, d—d little good he'll do anyway." Mr. Mitchell then turned his attention to the Minister of Public Works, of whom he asked if it was

intended to vote a sum for deepening the Miramichi River. He proceeded to add that he had a great respect for Sir Hector Langevin, when Mr. Welsh interjected the remark that it was more than he had. Mr. Mitchell continued that he was sorry to see Sir Hector in such d—d bad company. Mr. Chairman (Deputy Speaker Wood) here took a hand in, and insisted that Mr. Mitchell should withdraw so objectionable an expression. With the best grace in the world Mr. Mitchell complied, adding, however, that in his opinion, since Mr. Wood's elevation to the Deputy Speaker-ship, he was putting on a h—ll of a lot of airs.

Certain things that the Government do not intend to do: To reduce to the postage on registered letters; to relieve merchants and others who use weights and measures of inspection fees; to introduce an Insolvency Act.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Political Ingratitude.

Sir,—The debate on the bill introduced by D'Alton McCarthy to abolish the French language in the Northwest Territories is ended. As the Government, led by Sir John, opposed the bill, it is certainly a great triumph for him, the vote in the House standing 99 of a majority for the Government. For weeks after the last Dominion election the Grits claimed that the Government had only one of a majority. That majority must have grown pretty well since then to be now only one less than a hundred. On analysing the vote on this dual language question we find that five of our Island M. P.'s voted against the Government. At last election the French vote of Rollo Bay and New Zealand was almost unanimous for the Grit candidates. In return for that vote, Dr. Robertson has shown his ingratitude by joining Dalton McCarthy, Charlton, O'Brien, and other anti-French agitators in their crusade against the Jesuits and the French language. Only for the Acadian support he received, Dr. Robertson would have been badly left last election. And in this, one of the gravest questions that ever came before parliament—the use of the French language beyond the province of Quebec—the writer paid them \$500 for what lumber they had hauled in five weeks without any team whatever. From the 10th to the 31st of January this winter they hauled 600 pieces to the bows that scaled twelve to the thousand. The largest log hauled by them (two men and a sixteen-year old boy) was 18 feet long and 36 inches at the top, white spruce, scaling nearly 1000 feet. The next longest was 22 feet long and 18 inches at the top. Mr. Boyd has engaged them to haul his boom logs. He will want 400 pieces. As these pieces are 30 feet long and 11 inches at the top, I think the Bosses are fully justified in claiming the cake as being the champion strong men. Some of the logs were hauled 400 yards and were all white spruce which weigh about 25 per cent. more than black.

Champion Strong Men.

A MARVELLOUS STORY OF STRENGTH—HAULING THEIR OWN LUMBER WITHOUT THE AID OF HORSES

The Fredericton *Gleaner's* Elmunston correspondent writes: The champion strong men of New Brunswick are the Bosse family of St. Jacques, Madawaska. They lumber every winter on a small scale, and the present winter are hauling for James Boyd, of Tay Creek, on Blue River. They haul all their lumber without any horses, the three brothers comprising the team. Four years ago the writer paid them \$500 for what lumber they had hauled in five weeks without any team whatever. From the 10th to the 31st of January this winter they hauled 600 pieces to the bows that scaled twelve to the thousand. The largest log hauled by them (two men and a sixteen-year old boy) was 18 feet long and 36 inches at the top, white spruce, scaling nearly 1000 feet. The next longest was 22 feet long and 18 inches at the top. Mr. Boyd has engaged them to haul his boom logs. He will want 400 pieces. As these pieces are 30 feet long and 11 inches at the top, I think the Bosses are fully justified in claiming the cake as being the champion strong men. Some of the logs were hauled 400 yards and were all white spruce which weigh about 25 per cent. more than black.

News Notes.

The Montreal *Witness* remarks that there seems to be no room for doubt that the position of the American farmer as a class is very far from being a satisfactory one, and that the great apparent prosperity of the United States, when probed to the quick, based upon the poverty of the most important class of producers in the community.

A German authority places the war expenditure of France at 5,082,000,000 marks per annum. Germany expends only 2,430,000,000 marks. France's expenditure is drawn from a population of 38,220,000; Germany relies on 46,900,000 to provide her military chest. On this basis it looks as if Germany could stand the strain of preparation longer than her rival.

The *Law Quarterly Review* pays a high compliment to Dr. Bournot, Sir Frederick Pollock, the distinguished jurist, who has charge of that periodical, pronounces Dr. Bournot's lectures before the students of Toronto university a masterly exposition of the federal system in Canada. The *Review* places special stress on the second lecture as a lucid explanation of the difficulties encountered in the operation of federal government, which, nevertheless, has on the whole been a decided success.

"Not many men know how to behave when they give a minister his fee for marrying them," said the Rev. Robert Collyer, a few nights ago. "It seems to embarrass them for some reason. I remember once out in Indiana that a man whom I had just united in marriage to a very comely young woman gave me \$10 for the fee. As he did so he blushed and stammered. Then he said with perfect candor: 'I would like to give you more, doctor, and—I will next time.' His bride overheard him, and looked at him in a queer way, but he evidently did not realize what he had said in his embarrassment."—N. Y. Sun.

First come, first served—Do not wait until the warm weather will force you to get a Spring Suit, get one now and be ready. Fairbanks, McLeod & McKenzie. mch8