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MOON'S CHANGES.  
New Moon, 1st day, 6h., 48.5m., p. m., W., below horizon.  
First Quarter, 9th day, 1h., 46.1m., p. m., S. E.  
Full Moon, 17th day, 7h., 35.3m., a. m., W.  
Last Quarter, 24th day, 2h., 44.8m., a. m., E.  
New Moon, 31st day, 7h., 24.4m., a. m., E.

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

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you are sure of getting the very best satisfaction when leaving  
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## D. A. BRUCE, CUSTOM TAILOR.

Charlottetown, March 13, 1889

## THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MARCH 22, 1889.

### The Provincial Accounts.

In the Provincial Auditor's report for  
1888, we have, as usual, a very clear state-  
ment of the Public accounts. The receipts  
and expenditures of the past year were as  
follow:—

RECEIPTS.	
Subsidy from Dominion Govern- ment.....	\$193,529 77
Refunds from Dominion Govern- ment.....	6,471 15
Public Lands.....	35,202 43
Provincial Secretary, fees received .....	925 20
Prothonotary.....	2,129 13
Registrar of Deeds.....	4,498 25
County Courts.....	1,942 24
Hospital for the Insane.....	1,124 44
Prince of Wales College.....	73 50
Private Bills.....	53 00
Peddlers' Licenses.....	520 00
Fines and Penalties.....	403 80
Vendors' Licenses.....	345 00
Ferries (Southport, West River and Rocky Point).....	5,629 33
Miscellaneous.....	331 39
Total Receipts.....	\$254,208 63

  

EXPENDITURES.	
Administration of Justice.....	\$21,512 55
Boards of Health.....	728 00
Education.....	108,918 70
Elections.....	499 32
Hospital for the Insane, Mainte- nance, &c.....	17,944 43
Legislation.....	12,780 70
Public Works.....	81,841 66
Other Services.....	36,314 14
Total Expenditure.....	\$279,939 40

Showing a deficit of.....\$25,730 77

The deficit for the year is, therefore,  
\$25,730.77; and the balance against the  
Province has been increased to \$214,661.66.

It will be noted that only the sum of  
\$6,471.15 was refunded by the Dominion  
in the course of the past year; and \$46,479  
of this was on account of land purchase;  
while the balance (\$6,124.36) was on ac-  
count of Sir Robert Hodgson's retiring al-  
lowance.

The explanation of the Premier as  
to the claims of the Province upon the Do-  
minion, and the prospects of "realizing"  
them, will be looked forward to with inter-  
est; for the people, however averse to  
present taxation, will not approve a suc-  
cession of deficits unless they are fully per-  
suaded that the increasing balance against  
the Province will be met by a refund from  
the Dominion exchequer.

In the meantime, attention may well be  
directed to some details of the accounts.

It will have been observed that the pub-  
lic works carried on in the year cost \$81-  
841.66. Of this amount \$3,839.78 were  
expended in the repair and refurbishing of  
public buildings, \$19,263.68 on the public  
ferries, \$3,180.12 in the repair of ferry  
wharves, 3,390 as subsidies to packets,  
\$24,179.95 on the construction and repair  
of bridges, \$18,473.62 on roads, \$2,793.79  
as salaries of supervisors, and \$833.12 for  
rights of way. We have no doubt—the  
country will have no doubt—that these  
amounts were expended under Mr. Bent-  
ley's supervision with "a due regard to  
economy."

The operation of the ferry boats by the  
Government, has not, it will be learned  
with regret, proved financially successful.  
The total amount received from Southport,  
West River and Rocky Point Ferries was  
\$5,629.33, while the expenditures were as  
follows:—  
Steamers Elfin and Southport, re-  
pairs, wages, fuel, etc.....\$12,275 00  
Ferry House, Southport..... 75 80  
Row Boat, Southport..... 20 63  
Floats..... 455 16  
Electric Lights, Prince Street  
Wharf..... 120 58  
Ticket Office, repairs, etc..... 9 10  
Sail Boat, Rocky Point..... 344 31  
Rocky Point, Rent of Pownal  
Wharf..... 324 00

This unsatisfactory result may be due in  
part to the unfavorable weather of last  
year and extraordinary expenditures for  
repairs. Perhaps the result of the opera-  
tions of this year will be more favorable.

Of the large amount expended for educa-  
tion \$97,187.42 were paid to district teach-  
ers, and \$2,000 were distributed as a bonus.  
The salaries of the Professors of Prince of  
Wales College amount to \$3,800, the two  
school inspectors to \$1,600, and the officials  
of the department, with travel-  
ling expenses, cost only \$2,138.49.

There is no evidence of extravagance.  
It is hard to see how this expenditure can  
be materially lessened. The bonus which  
—when divided among all the teachers now  
entitled to participate in it—is of very lit-  
tle value to any one, might, perhaps, be  
saved and the expenditure of \$464.50, paid  
as scholarships is not now required. But,  
apart from these two items, the amount  
paid on account of education cannot, evi-  
dently, be curtailed without reducing the  
efficiency of the schools or doing injustice  
to the teachers. If fees were charged for  
the higher education imparted, the Govern-  
ment would, however, be recouped for part  
of the outlay.  
Legislation cost \$12,780.70—of which  
\$4,227.78 was paid on account of the Legis-

## Local and Other Items.

MAILS.—The foreign mail arrived here at  
3.15 this afternoon.

SPURIOUS COIN.—Spurious 50 cent pieces  
are now in circulation in Nova Scotia and  
Cape Breton.

THE STANLEY arrived at Georgetown from  
Pictou at 1.15 to-day. She left Pictou at  
7.15 this morning.

Did you notice that fine head of hair at  
church last Sunday? That was Mrs. B.—  
She never permits herself to be out of Hall's  
Hair Renewer.

A GOOD MEMBERSHIP.—The St. John Board  
of Trade numbers 151 members, 116 joined  
at the last meeting. The fee was reduced  
from \$20 to \$10.

"Ayer's Medicines have been satisfactory  
to me throughout my practice, especially  
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which has been used  
by many of my patients, one of whom says he  
knows it saved his life."—F. L. Morris, M. D.  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

A SPECIMEN BRICK.—The seventh brick of  
gold obtained in the Northrup gold mine—  
the result of 20 days' crushing from about 80  
tons of quartz—is the second largest of the  
lot, weighing 179 ounces, valued at \$3,500.  
The mine is evidently a bonanza to the gentle-  
men interested in it.

That tired, debilitated feeling, so peculiar  
to Spring, indicates depraved blood. Now is  
the time to prove the beneficial effects of  
Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It cleanses the system,  
restores physical energy, and infuses new life  
and vigor into every fibre of the body.

LIQUOR WAR.—There is a bitter fight be-  
tween the liquor dealers and the temper-  
ance people at Springhill, N. S. Three  
liquor dealers have skipped. Three are in  
jail awaiting trial. Four hundred dollars  
was subscribed in two days to continue the  
contest.

VALUABLE HORSE.—The Truro Guardian  
reports that Mr. James Dover, (formerly of  
Charlottetown) has just purchased a splendid  
Claydesdale stallion in Ontario. The animal  
is a capital specimen of his breed, and a  
valuable addition to the fine stock of horses al-  
ready owned in Nova Scotia.

WHY SHE OBJECTED.—A woman from  
the old country, living at Springhill, N. S.,  
and whose acquaintance with cream must  
have been slight, stopped dealing with a cer-  
tain milkman, the other day, because "there  
was too much grease on the top of his milk  
after standing all night." So says the  
News.

KILLED INSTANTLY.—A fatal logging ac-  
cident occurred on Wednesday last at Diligent  
River, N. S., by which a young man named  
Thomas Joice, lost his life. Joice, who was  
hauling timber, in some way upset his  
load, and a heavy stick of timber swinging  
around struck him in the breast, killing him  
instantly.

THE MINING BOOM.—The Springhill, N. S.,  
News says:—All the pits worked on Monday  
last, and there was 2,300 tons of coal raised.  
On Tuesday the east slope was idle, and the  
amount shipped in 10½ working hours of that  
day was 2,796 tons, or 4 tons short of 2,800.  
This, we think, bears the record for coal ship-  
ments in the same period of time.

A UNANIMOUS INVITATION.—On Tuesday  
evening last the third quarterly official meet-  
ing of the Montague Methodist Circuit was  
held in the Montague Church, and was more  
largely attended than any former meeting  
since the Rev. John Goldsmith became pastor,  
two years ago. An unanimous invitation was  
given Mr. Goldsmith to remain a third year.  
A social gathering took place at the parson-  
age on the 11th inst., when a purse containing  
a respectable amount, and many useful articles  
were presented to Mr. Goldsmith.

WANTED TO BREAK THE BANK.—A Nova  
Scotia exchange reports that half a dozen  
students got themselves into serious trouble  
at the business college, Halifax, on Friday  
last, by the discovery of a plot to break the  
school bank by devious methods, their inten-  
tion being to get all the "cash" into their  
hands. It is said that some of them used the  
names of schoolmates on their paper and ad-  
opted other means that would be considered  
illegal in the business community, to get at the  
funds.

A CHEERING MESSAGE.—The Speaker of  
the Colorado legislature has just received the  
following cheerful message:  
"To THE SPEAKER: If you don't adjourn  
within ten days the den of thieves over which  
you preside, and the Senate, will be blown up  
with dynamite. This is no bluff, but straight  
goods."  
JOHN F. PALMER.

P. S.—The people can stand so much, but  
not too much. J. F. P."

SOME OF OUR SENATORS.—According to an  
exchange, the Senate of Canada contains  
twenty-three members over seventy years of  
age, six of them reaching eighty and over.  
Three of these have seen eighty-five winters.  
In the matter of longevity, the Maritime Pro-  
vinces are distinguished. No less than twelve  
of the twenty-three hail from the shores of  
the Atlantic, as follows: Hon. Messrs.  
Almon, 73; Archibald, 76; Botsford, 85; Dickey,  
77; Glazier, 80; Grant, 75; Montgomery, 81;  
Lewin, 77; Macfarlane, 71; Montgomery, 81;  
O'Dell, 78; Wark, 85; whose combined ages total  
932 years, or an average of 78 or thereabouts.

THE SEAL FISHERY A FAILURE.—Ad-  
vices from Bird Rock, Gulf of St. Lawrence,  
say that light, loose packed ice is to be  
seen everywhere. The Newfoundland seal-  
ers Panther and Mastiff were cruising  
around, but no seals were in sight. These  
were the first sealers reported in the gulf  
this season. They left Cape Ray on the  
8th inst. A report from Natashquan and  
Blanc Sablon announce that the seal fish-  
ery has been a failure this winter in con-  
sequence of storms. Many nets have been  
broken, constituting a serious loss for poor  
people resident on the coast. The number  
of seals taken this season is only a quarter  
of last year.