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ALMANAC FOR MARCH, 1886.

MOON'S CHANGES.

New Moon 5th day, 5h. 51.8m. p. m. W.  
First Quarter 13th day, 9h. 47 a. m. E.  
Full Moon 20th day, 12h. 14.2m. a. m. S.  
Last Quarter 27th day, 6h. 31.7m. a. m. S.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	High water	Days in month
1 Monday	4 43 54	4 10 8	11 18	10 58	1
2 Tuesday	4 42	4 49	8 59	11 1	2
3 Wednesday	4 40	4 52	9 37	4	3
4 Thursday	38	4 56	10 14	8	4
5 Friday	36	4 6	10 46	11	5
6 Saturday	34	4 6	11 18	14	6
7 Sunday	32	5 7	11 50	18	7
8 Monday	30	5 7	12 22	21	8
9 Tuesday	29	5 8	1 0	24	9
10 Wednesday	27	5 8	0 58	27	10
11 Thursday	25	5 9	2 38	31	11
12 Friday	22	5 10	4 24	35	12
13 Saturday	21	5 10	5 1	38	13
14 Sunday	19	6 11	4 37	41	14
15 Monday	17	6 11	5 6	44	15
16 Tuesday	15	6 11	5 43	47	16
17 Wednesday	13	6 12	6 15	50	17
18 Thursday	11	6 12	6 47	54	18
19 Friday	9	6 13	7 19	57	19
20 Saturday	7	6 13	7 51	60	20
21 Sunday	5	6 14	8 23	63	21
22 Monday	3	6 14	8 55	66	22
23 Tuesday	1	6 15	9 27	69	23
24 Wednesday	0	6 15	10 0	72	24
25 Thursday	58	12 11	10 30	14	25
26 Friday	56	12 10	11 0	17	26
27 Saturday	54	12 9	11 30	20	27
28 Sunday	52	12 8	12 0	23	28
29 Monday	50	12 7	12 30	26	29
30 Tuesday	48	12 6	1 0	29	30
31 Wednesday	46	12 5	1 30	32	31

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EACH PLUG OF THE  
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None Other Genuine.  
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Feb. 8, 1886—cod wkly

**REMOVAL.**  
MACMILLAN'S COAL OFFICE has been  
Removed to foot of PRINCE STREET.  
A Large Assortment of  
**HARD AND SOFT  
COAL**  
Kept Constantly on Hand.  
**R. McMILLAN.**  
Dec. 24—3m cod & wkly

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## CASH SALE! CHEAP SALE!

**BIG SALE OF DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING, HATS, &c.,**  
at L. E. PROWSE'S. Now is the time to buy! Big discounts on Dress Goods, Cashmere, Merino, Flannels, Feathers, Laces, Embroidery, Gloves, &c.

## HATS, HATS,

Largest Stock in the City; Lowest Figures in the Dominion. Come and see the Cheap Goods.

## L. E. PROWSE,

Sign of the BIG HAT, 74 Queen Street.

Ch'town, Feb. 16, '86—cod wkly

## J. H. MYRICK & CO.,

Wholesale and retail dealers in CANNED GOODS, FLOUR, TEA, GROCERIES, &c. also; PORK, LARD, HAMS and FISH of all kinds, Grafton Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

In our Fish Market we offer CODFISH—boneless, dried, pickled; HERRING, MACKEREL, SHAD—pickled; DIGBY HERRING.  
In Canned Fish we offer SALMON, FINNAN HADDIES and LOBSTERS. We wish to direct special attention to our

**Fresh Salmon and Codfish,**  
which we receive and have on sale every day.

Our GROCERIES will be found fresh and reliable and our stock is complete in all departments. Our prices will compare favorably with those of the best grocers.  
PORK, BACON, SUGAR-CURED HAMS, LARD, FRESH BEEF, CORNED BEEF and SAUSAGES. Our SAUSAGES are fresh made every morning, from the best material.  
By dealing with us house-keepers can obtain everything they require in the house-keeping line without trouble or unnecessary running around.  
Orders by mail or telephone will receive prompt attention.

## J. H. MYRICK & CO.,

Fish Market, Grafton Street.

Charlottetown, Feb. 9, 1886—1 mo cod

## JOHN MACLEOD & CO., MERCHANT TAILOR.

WE are offering the balance of our winter goods at lower prices than have ever been offered the public.

A lot of Men's and Youth's Overcoats from \$5 to \$8, worth from \$8 to \$14

Overcoats made to order, from \$12 to \$18, worth from \$18, to \$24.

Men's Heavy Shirts, Underwear, Fur Caps, Gloves, &c at the same rates.

Worsted and Tweed Suits at very low prices.  
Island Tweed Suits from \$10 to \$12.

**JOHN MACLEOD & CO.**  
Ch'town, Feb. 9, 1886—1f cod wkly

## EVERYONE CAN

call and examine the largest stock of Household Furniture, &c., &c., ever shown in Charlottetown, and also discover that they can

**SAVE MONEY**

and get Good, Reliable Home-made Goods of undisputed value, fine finish and good honest workmanship

**BY BUYING**

Staple Furniture, Bedding, Mattresses, Fancy Goods (for Xmas), Picture Frames and Moulding, Mantle-mirrors and Mirror-plates, Bagatelle Boards, Handsome Oil Paintings, Framed Chromos, and One Thousand and One other articles,

**FROM**

THE P. E. ISLAND FURNITURE WAREHOUSES,  
**MARK WRIGHT & CO.**

Ch'town, Dec. 3, '85—cod wkly

## BOOK-BINDING, PAPER-RULING

—AND—  
**BLANK-BOOK MAKING,**

**OVER BOREHAM'S BOOT & SHOE STORE**

ALL kinds of BOOK BINDING executed at Lowest Prices and with Quick Despatch. Ruling, Numbering and Perforating for the Trade promptly attended to. BLANK BOOKS A SPECIALTY.  
A Share of Patronage Solicited.

**JAMES D. TAYLOR,**  
QUEEN SQUARE.  
Ch'town, Feb. 23, '86.

## ADAMSON'S BOTANIC COUGH BALSAM

SAFE.  
SURE.  
PROMPT.  
25 Cts.  
A WONDERFUL REMEDY

Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam.  
It is as pleasant as honey. Coughs, Colds, and Asthma, which lead to Consumption, have been speedily cured by the use of ADAMSON'S BALSAM after all other medicines have failed. Sufferers from either recent or chronic coughs or bronchial affections, can resort to this great remedy, confident of obtaining speedy relief. Do not delay, get it at once.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.  
Bottled at St. Stevens, N. B., by the proprietors,  
F. W. KISSMAN & CO., DRUGGISTS,  
302 4TH AVE., N. Y.

## TENDERS.

CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.  
SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of March next, for the placing and maintaining of

**Sixty Frost-Proof Hydrants,**

having a pressure of not less than sixty pounds to the square inch, for fire and civic purposes, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the City Clerk's office.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,  
A. H. MACPHERSON,  
City Clerk.

Feb. 23—3w cod

## Fish Sale.

50 quintals CHOICE CODFISH,  
20 do HAKE,  
50 barrels LABRADOR HERRING,  
10 do CANNED SALMON,  
10 do LOBSTERS,  
10 do MACKEREL.

FOR SALE BY  
HORACE HASZARD.  
Ch'town, March 6—1mo cod

## WE HAVE SOLD

NEARLY ALL OUR

## Stem-Winding Rockford Watches,

which are giving good satisfaction, and as the Company, in the interest of the public, say they will not send any watches by mail, we shall defer getting a full supply until we can safely do so by express.

In the meantime we have several Key-Winding Rockford Watches on hand, accurately timed, and purchasers of any of these can have the privilege of exchanging for a Stem-Winder, when they arrive.

In stock, a nice assortment of Waltham & Elgin Watches, in heavy silver or gold-filled cases.

## E. W. TAYLOR

CAMERON BLOCK.  
Charlottetown, March 5, '86.

## Herring. Herring.

200 Bbls. No. 1 FAT HERRING.  
200 Half-barrels do  
50 Quarters do do  
50 Quintal CODFISH, cheap for cash or trade.

DAVID SMALL.

## COTTON DUCK—COTTON DUCK

Notice to Shipowners & Builders.

THE Subscriber now offers to the trade, Yarmouth Cotton Duck, at manufacturer's prices. Has on hand a supply of light and heavy ducks.

DAVID SMALL, Agent,  
Hyndman's Buildings, Corner Water and Queen Street.

Ch'town, Feb. 16—2w ky 2 mos

THIS is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business under the style and firm of A. KENNEDY & CO., has, on this first day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, been dissolved by expiration of time and by mutual consent.

Dated this first day of February, A. D. 1886.

Signed in the presence of, by all the parties, LEITH E. BRECKEN.

A. KENNEDY,  
WM. RUSSELL,  
ROBT. McLAURIN.

The business formerly carried on by the above partnership will be continued by the undersigned, under the name, style and firm of A. KENNEDY & CO., who will satisfy all the liabilities of the late firm, and who are authorized to collect all debts and amounts due the late firm.

A. KENNEDY,  
ROBT. McLAURIN.

Feb. 24—dly 3wks law

## THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

Carefully Collected by "The Examiner's" Reporters.

Smallpox prevails in Japan.

The United States colleges contain 18,000 female students.

The weather in Vienna is so cold that travelling in the open air is almost impossible.

A Connecticut paper enriches the language with "recentmost." It means the latest.

Dakota has not yet succeeded in getting into the Union, but she has got all her weather in.

The first radish and lettuce of the season have made their appearance in the Bangor, Me., market.

Rumors have reached Hong Kong respecting a conspiracy to overthrow the Mikado's Government in Japan.

John P. Hildreth, town treasurer of Stowe, Mass., is missing, leaving \$20,000 deficiency in his accounts.

William Monks, charged with manslaughter in the killing of William Shrimpton, in London, Ont., has been acquitted.

The manufacturers of Rhode Island have combined and subscribed a fund of \$1,000,000 to fight the labor organizations.

According to careful calculations made by a stenographer, ordinary every-day English speech employs only about 1,200 words.

General Butler is said to be growing old, simply because he addresses good-looking girls on the witness stand as "My darling."

The Apaches prefer death to any treaty with the American Government. If they were only Chinese they might get death and a treaty, both.

A fresh outbreak of hog cholera has been discovered on a farm near Putnamville, East Middlesex, and the place has been put under quarantine.

A silver dollar, bright and untarnished, was found lodged in the intestines of a large black bass which was recently caught in a mountain stream in Idaho.

The gasperaux fishermen are getting their boats and nets in readiness for the fishing, which will commence in two or three weeks.

Distressingly cold weather prevails in Paris, and the hospitals are overflowing with persons who have been frostbitten in the streets.

The traffic receipts of the Canadian Pacific railway for the week ending March 7th were \$131,000, an increase of \$24,000 over the corresponding week last year.

A cave of wolves was discovered recently near Lawrence, Kansas, and a large party of men gathered and shot one hundred of the animals.

The Roman Catholic Church at St. Denis, Que., was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday last. There is an insurance of \$3,400.

Mrs. Gummow, the demented wife of a farmer at Scales Mound, Ill., set fire to her bed clothes, stepped into the flames and was burned to death.

John W. Mackay, the bonanza millionaire, declares that "money is an accident." Perhaps it is. Still, it is an accident which a man can generally insure himself against by entering journalism.

A dentist who has received a compensation, which he regards as insufficient, ironically asks his client if he intended the fee for his servant. "No, monsieur," replied the other, "it is for both of you."

Colin Simon, the young and accomplished daughter of David Simon, a Jewish feed and flour merchant of Chicago, has eloped with and married DeForest Smith, a street car conductor.

A Pittsburg journalist says: "I started to walk over the Allegheny one day when a highwayman stopped me and demanded a cent." Wonder how the highwayman knew his victim was a newspaper man?

The Queen has promised to "assume the personal care" whatever that pledge amounts to, of the children of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, while the latter are absent in India, until 1888.

The death of Emille Bonnin, thirteen years of age, is reported in Paris from over brain work in a private seminary, and fear induced by the repeated punishments she received to make her more studious.

In a railway accident between Monte Carlo and Mentone, two carriages were rolled down a cliff 125 feet high into the sea, and though they were filled with passengers only three and the guard were killed.

A self-styled "lady of title" in England suggests that during Lent well-to-do people eat nothing but bread and cheese, and give the money saved by such self-denial to a fund for providing food for the unemployed.

The Belfast (Ireland) Presbyteries have adopted a series of resolutions, expressing loyalty to the Queen, favoring land reform, upholding ownership and reduced rents, and opposing local government in any shape.

Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke married a Miss Shell for his first wife; a lovely Irish woman. The baronet is the owner of the *Athenaeum* and of the *Gardener*, both of which papers were started by his father, the first baronet.

After the unusual frost in the recent cold wave in Florida, the colored people explained the amazing phenomenon of washing frozen stuff on the line by deciding "the good Lord starched all de clothes for us in de night."

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Statute Labor Act.

Sir,—I wish to direct the attention of the proper parties to the necessity of a change in our Statute Labor Act, and more particularly so in reference to Georgetown.

First—We have a staff of Overseers for Georgetown, four in number, who are appointed by the Supervisor, under the present Act, to collect commutation money and oversee the performance of statute labor of persons willing to commute or perform. Some of this work is done late in the month of July, which I consider too late for street or road repairing. But this is not the worst feature in the Act. There is in Georgetown, as well as other parts of the Island, a number of persons who are never willing to perform statute labor or pay their road tax—and the Overseer has not the slightest power, by the present Act, to compel such persons to pay. He holds back (trying to get them to pay or work) until late in August or September, when he has to send the returns to the Supervisor with those persons' names marked unpaid. The Supervisor then goes to those persons to collect this amount, and it is late in November or December before he gets it collected. He then attempts, between rainstorms and snowdrifts, to lay out the money he has collected, by getting muck hauled into the streets and roads, which I consider is so much money thrown away; and not only is it thrown away, but the hard road or street bed is destroyed by putting such wet muck on them so very late in the wet season of the year. And in many cases, parties sent by the Supervisor at this late season go on to the street sides for this wet material, where money has been expended by the Assessors in the earlier part of the year, thereby defacing the streets and leaving them in a worse state than they found them.

Now, sir, Georgetown has a Board of Assessors, composed of six members, with a Chairman at their head, whose duty it is to levy certain taxes and expend certain moneys for the improvement of the town and convenience of the public, such as repairs on streets, bridges, drains, pumps, etc. This they do to the best of their ability, no one will deny, considering the very limited amount at their disposal.

I would therefore suggest that a clause be inserted in the Georgetown Local Assessment Act, empowering the Chairman of the Assessors to compel all parties liable to work or commute to him instead of the present alternative of paying to the Supervisor at so late a season, and have the money expended in connection with the Georgetown Local Assessment, and also, that the amount of commutation money be reduced to fifty cents a head instead of seventy-five cents, as at present; for I feel confident that if the two amounts were collected and laid out together the work could be done earlier in the season, and more work accomplished for less money than at present, and more benefit would be derived.

Yours,  
JOHN LAVERS.

Georgetown, March 16th, 1886.

## The Union Mutual Life Insurance Company.

GRATIFYING PROGRESS OF LIFE INSURANCE ON SOUND, WELL TRIED PRINCIPLES.

During the past five years the cash assets of this popular and substantial Eastern Life company have nearly doubled. In its January statement, the Union Mutual shows total assets of \$6,119,547, of which no less than \$700,000 is policyholders' surplus, by the legal standard of the state of New York. Here is certainly margin enough to suit the most fastidious or timid policy holder. And the figures prove conclusively that no contingency whatever attaches to the absolute security of all who are fortunate enough to hold a Union Mutual policy. During 1885 the company paid its policyholders \$819,677 for death claims, matured and discounted endowments, surrendered policies and dividends. And since its organization, the Union Mutual Life has paid to its policyholders the enormous aggregate of \$21,653,156. Obviously, this is a record to be proud of and deserving of special mention as indicating exceptionally liberal treatment to this company's patrons and members. The year 1886 opens most encouragingly for the Union Mutual, showing an advance in business which, for January and February, is the largest, for those two months, of any January and February during the ten years the present management, under John E. DeWitt, has administered the company's affairs. The record is as follows, of the new policy issues.

Year.	Policies.	Amount.
Jan. 1877.....	13	\$19,125
" 1878.....	120	289,763
" 1879.....	106	229,810
" 1880.....	367	251,847
" 1881.....	124	180,410
" 1882.....	134	220,189
" 1883.....	185	246,207
" 1884.....	141	222,644
" 1885.....	117	265,780
" 1886.....	158	407,275

Year.	Policies.	Amount.
Feb. 1877.....	13	\$19,125
" 1878.....	219	507,911
" 1879.....	160	224,877
" 1880.....	116	180,118
" 1881.....	96	182,899
" 1882.....	145	263,624
" 1883.....	179	292,254
" 1884.....	142	301,709
" 1885.....	125	276,791
" 1886.....	155	457,467

This is a most creditable report of progress upon which the managers and agents of the Union Mutual are to be congratulated. That the year, so well begun, will show even greater progress in the accumulation of new business and increase of popularity for the company can hardly be doubted.—N. Y. Commercial Bulletin.

Prof. J. T. Mellich, Charlottetown, is Manager of this Company for the Island.

REPAIRING.—All kinds of Rubbers and Boots mended at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. Is 11 ft.