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MOON'S CHANGES.  
New Moon, 5th day, 10h, 21.7m. a. m., S. E.  
First Quarter 12th day, 1h, 14.6m., a. m., N. W.  
(below horizon.)  
Full Moon 19th day, 5h, 56.4m., p. m., E.  
Last Quarter, 27th day, 9a., 53.1m., p. m., N. E.  
(below horizon.)

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Day's
	rises	rises	(water)	length
1 Monday	6 35 36	0 58	7 40	11 33
2 Tuesday	5 34 2	0 8 35	8 35	29
3 Wednesday	6 32 3	0 9 23	9 23	26
4 Thursday	8 31 4	34 10 6	10 22	22
5 Friday	9 28 5	50 10 45	11 19	19
6 Saturday	10 26 7	7 11 24	12 16	16
7 Sunday	12 24 8	26 12 12	1 12	12
8 Monday	13 22 9	44 0 5	2 9	9
9 Tuesday	14 20 10	59 0 46	3 6	6
10 Wednesday	16 18 11	8 1 34	4 2	2
11 Thursday	17 16 12	8 2 28	5 0	0
12 Friday	18 14 2	0 3 32	5 56	56
13 Saturday	20 13 2	32 4 50	6 53	53
14 Sunday	21 11 3	18 6 17	7 50	50
15 Monday	23 9 3	32 7 28	8 46	46
16 Tuesday	24 7 4	14 8 23	9 43	43
17 Wednesday	25 5 4	38 9 40	10 40	40
18 Thursday	27 4 5	1 9 43	11 37	37
19 Friday	28 2 5	24 10 17	12 34	34
20 Saturday	29 0 5	50 10 49	1 31	31
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27 Saturday	38 4 10	41 3 19	8 9	9
28 Sunday	39 4 11	47 4 9 8	9 6	6
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## Clerical Anecdotes.

NEXT to the proverbial Hibernian, clergymen have been more associated with wit and humor than other species of the genus homo. Bishops, priests, deacons, preachers, and even elders, have figured prominently and frequently in capital stories whose fun and merriment, if we except the last named, they have entered into with the keenest zest. Who that is familiar with the never-to-be-forgotten Reminiscences of the late Dean Ramsey, or reads the wit and humor columns of some of our ephemeral literature, is ignorant of this fact?

It is observable that by far the greater number of clerical anecdotes have reference, either remotely or immediately, to the sermon or catechetical instruction, while the remainder arise either from personal habits, surroundings, temperament, character or even personal appearance, of which last the following incident affords an amusing proof:—

It is related of a late amiable and saintly dignitary of the Church of England, whose facial features were not eminently prepossessing, that while walking along one of the principal streets of the metropolis on a certain occasion, a little girl of about ten years old suddenly ran up to him, and, to his astonishment, offered him an apple. The fruit was not refused, but as the child was entirely unknown to him, the reverend gentleman sought the reason which had prompted her to single him out of the crowd to be a recipient of her generosity. Her face was instantly suffused with a glow of mingled amusement and astonishment, and, having muttered something about the "big man monkey she had seen in the Zoo," she rushed away laughing merrily. This story was related to the writer on good authority, and it is said that the cleric referred to never lost an opportunity of telling it.

I have thought the anecdotes which follow might be interesting to the readers of THE EXAMINER.

A newly-fledged cleric had ascended the pulpit of a church in the West of England for the purpose of delivering an oration, and being of the "High Church" persuasion, having very carefully placed his manuscript on the pulpit desk, he turned to the east for the ascription. On regaining his original position he was horrified to find that the precious manuscript had mysteriously disappeared. The unfortunate youth was at his wits' end, and seemed to realize fully his painful position. He looked everywhere for the truant, not even, in his despair, forgetting the roof, but all to no purpose. The congregation had been silent, and, it must be said, amused spectators of the strange manner in which the sermon had disappeared, but no one possessed the courage to go to the relief of the much distressed preacher, until at length a rough countryman, to whom the situation had become intolerable, shouted out in startling tones: "Can't yer find'n, sir? He's in 'th' purty thing behind yer back!" meaning the academical hood in whose stiff, new folds the manuscript had been caught during the orientation of its owner. A painful experience, truly, but irresistibly funny for all that.

Clergymen, like other mortals, sometimes get "mixed," as the following batch of anecdotes pretty plainly indicate.

A highly cultured Maine clergyman one morning announced that his text might be found in the Gospel according to Acts! It was another Maine divine who brought a glowing period to a close by the startling statement that "thus Socrates drank the fatal wormwood!"

These, after all, were mere slips of the tongue, and happily totally devoid of irreverence. I doubt if as much could be said for the following:—A Yorkshire clergyman had been taking an eager part in a cricket match on Saturday and next morning thoughts of the stirring contest would creep in for much to the amusement of some hearers he said very solemnly, after reading the first lesson, "here endeth the first innings!" This brings to our mind an almost similar story which was told of a clergyman during the period when everyone was excited over Sullivan's opera "Pinafore," who as onished the worshippers in a London church with the following rendering of the tenth commandment:—

"Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his servant, nor his maid, nor his sisters, nor his cousins, nor his aunts," &c.

This, if true, is certainly shocking; but, if untrue, it affords a striking instance of the readiness of a certain section of society to place to the credit of the clergy, the preachers and upholders of reverence for divine things, every story which avors, however slightly, of the contrary.

While on the subject of sermons another very amusing incident may here find a place. An old parish clerk was courteously taking a church dignitary for kindly talking, on emergency, the service and sermon in a village church: "A worse preacher would have done us, sir," he said, "if we had known where to find him." A faithful and accurate description of the manner in which this very doubtful compliment was received by the dignitary in question, would form a fitting appendix to this grimly humorous story. We now give a few anecdotes in which bishops are the principal actors.

The late Bishop Blomfield, of London, was once caught napping while listening to a lengthy sermon. A companion seeing his lordship nodding, and fearing that he might snore, which would be quite inepiscopal, gave him an occasional nudge. When the discourse was ended, the Bishop shook his neighbor warmly by the hand and said, "One of the most awakening sermons I ever heard!"

A short time previous to the demise of the late lamented Bishop Jacobson, of Chester, it happened that on a particular occasion when his lordship was present at the Cathedral, that the sermon was preached by a clergyman whose "views" were not well known. At the conclusion of the

service when the Bishop was unrobing in the vestry, two of the Canons were discussing the merits of the discourse within hearing of His Lordship. One thought it was "rather high." "How strange," replied the other, "I considered it rather low!" The Bishop, on being appealed to for his opinion, quickly replied, with a merry twinkle in his eye, "I think it was rather long!"

The late Bishop Thirlwall, of St. David's, was deaf. It is said, however, that he thought little of his infirmity. Once when he was walking in the road, a friend who knew of the Bishop's infirmity, remarked, "It's wet, my Lord, Bishop." "Eh?" said His Lordship. "It's wet, my Lord." "Eh?" repeated the Bishop. The observation had to be repeated several times before the Bishop could catch A's meaning. "Strange how little one loses by being deaf!" he exclaimed.

Of late years it has become customary, when imparting religious instruction to the young, for the catechists, who are in most cases clergymen, to use a blackboard in order to illustrate their subject, and, by that means, make a more vivid impression of it upon the minds of the catechumens. But as, notwithstanding the fact that they are now-a-days expected to be encyclopedias, and able to do everything, clergymen are not always born artists, the blackboard has as frequently been used to the discomfort and confusion of the catechist as to the profit of the catechised. This is shown by the following anecdotes:—

The Rev. Mr. G— was, a few years ago, catechising a class of boys at Cowley, near Oxford, using a blackboard, and, if my memory serves me aright, for the first time. The subject was anything, but any way it happened that during the lesson it became necessary to present an illustration of a club on the blackboard. After very careful drawing the club was duly exhibited, and, it must be said, to the satisfaction of the clerical artist. The question was put to the class, "Now boys, what's that?" To the great astonishment as well as disappointment of the reverend catechist, the only response was a profound and prolonged silence. At last a small boy piped out in a shrill and squawky voice from a corner of the class, "Please, sir, that's a codfish!" Mr. G—'s discomfiture was complete; and when, afterwards, he related his experience to one he said that he then and there registered a vow that he would forever renounce and despise blackboards.

Similarly, another clerical catechist quite recently essayed to treat his children of the Sunday school to a blackboard exposition of the lesson. So, for a beginning, and by way of graphically illustrating his remarks, he took a piece of chalk and sketched a representation of two hearts joined together. "Now, then," he said, turning to the class, "what have I drawn?" "I know," called a very tiny boy on the front seat. "Well," the clergyman kindly said, "what is it?" The little boy shrieked out: "A termater!" Poor child, he meant a tomato.

Boys, particularly those who are correctly denominated small, are rarely eminent for mental lucidity on any subject; about the clergy and ecclesiastical matters generally they are usually densely ignorant. We will conclude this paper by furnishing a few amusing instances of such ignorance, whose accuracy is beyond suspicion.

At a recent clerical convention in New York a clergyman narrated a story of two boys in his district, one of whom said to the other, as a donkey passed by: "Do you know what that is?" "Why, yes," answered the other, "that's a donkey; I have seen lots of them in the 'Theological Gardens.'"

A boy who was asked to state in his examination paper what he knew about the Rev. John Wesley, wrote: "Wesley was the founder of the Wesleyan Chapel, who was afterwards called Lord Wellington; a monument was erected to him in Hyde Park, but it was taken down lately!"

It was another boy who stated that "Luther introduced Christianity a thousand years ago; his birthday was in November, 1884. He was once Pope; he lived in the time of the Rebellion of Worms."

REV. FRED. E. J. LLOYD.  
The Parsonage, Shigawake, P. Q., Canada,  
June 13, 1887.

Cornwall Notes.

Farmers are busy digging potatoes, which are said to be a fair crop, although somewhat damaged by rot.

Mr. Henry Drake has a fine new house almost completed.

Mr. Geo. Pethick has also been repairing his residence, which, with its newly shingled roof, is now quite attractive.

One of our esteemed citizens is expected to "hop the conjugal twig" soon with a young lady who lives on the hill. We wish them much joy.

Some of our young people who visited the Fair in Ch'town made the acquaintance of the pea under the nutshell trick; and we regret to say that a prominent teacher in our Sunday School lost a brand new five dollar bill at the gay and festive sport.

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