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MOON'S CHANGES.

First Quarter 3rd day, 10h. 12.5m., a. m., N. E. (below horizon.)
Full Moon 10th day, 5h., 17.7m., a. m., W.
Last Quarter 18th day, 2h., 26.0m., a. m., S. E.
New Moon 25th day, 5h., 42.1m., a. m., N. E. (below horizon.)

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Day's
M	rises	sets	water	len ^h
1 Wednesday	7 28 4	8 11 44	1 51	8 41
2 Thursday	30	9 16	2 34	39
3 Friday	31	9 0	4 3	38
4 Saturday	32	9 1	4 23	37
5 Sunday	33	9 1	4 5	36
6 Monday	34	8 1	5 9	35
7 Tuesday	35	8 2	5 33	34
8 Wednesday	36	8 2	5 7	33
9 Thursday	37	8 3	9 10	31
10 Friday	38	8 4	11 9	30
11 Saturday	39	8 4	5 8	29
12 Sunday	40	8 5	5 4	28
13 Monday	41	8 6	5 11	27
14 Tuesday	42	8 8	4 57	26
15 Wednesday	43	9 9	10 1	25
16 Thursday	44	9 10	27 2	25
17 Friday	44	9 11	39 3	25
18 Saturday	45	10	10 4	25
19 Sunday	46	10 0	51 5	24
20 Monday	46	10 2	2 02	24
21 Tuesday	47	11 3	12 7	23
22 Wednesday	47	12 4	22 8	23
23 Thursday	48	13 5	28 9	23
24 Friday	48	13 6	31 10	23
25 Saturday	48	14 7	29 11	23
26 Sunday	49	15 8	20 12	23
27 Monday	49	15 9	5 1	23
28 Tuesday	49	16 7	47 0	23
29 Wednesday	49	16 10	16 0	23
30 Thursday	49	17 10	50 1	23
31 Friday	7 49	17 11	12 2	0 28

POTATO BAGS!

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5,000 Shipping Bags.

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Nov. 27, 1886—1w eod.



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GENERAL

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July 15—dly wky

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Jan 17, '86—8mo eod

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SELL OFF

MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

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Nov. 13th, 1886—3 mos eod

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Buy Your

FALL BOOTS

—AT—

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Ch'town, Sept. 2, 1886.

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1 CASE BIRD CAGES,

FROM \$1.00, UP.

SIMON W. GRABBE,

Sign of the Store, Walker's Corner. Ch'town, Nov. 23, '86—2wks 2 aw

NOTICE.

We have to request the immediate payment of All Amounts due the late firm of Geo. Davies & Co.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Nov. 23, 1886—2aw wky 21

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the Subscriber are hereby notified that all accounts unpaid after the 15th day of DECEMBER next, will be handed into his attorney for immediate collection.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Ch'town, Nov. 25, 1886—dy & wky

"Nothing Injurious."



MAYNARD BOWMAN, DOMINION ANALYST, Halifax, N. S.

Dec. 2, 1886.

THE PLACE

TO BUY ALL YOUR

Dry Goods

CLOTHING

—IS—

Where Everything is Cheap.

COME AND SEE THE

B-A-R-G-A-I-N-S

that we offer in ALL KINDS of

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING.

GEO. E. FULL,

Sign of "RED LION," QUEEN STREET. Nov. 12, 1886.

Notice to Debtors.

All persons indebted to the undersigned for Book Accounts, Notes of Hand or otherwise, are hereby notified that all amounts over due must be paid in full, on or before the 15th DECEMBER next.

All amounts unpaid at that date will be sued for without respect to persons.

P. S.—Oats taken at market price. A. HORNE & CO., Upper Queen Street. Ch'town, Nov. 17, 1886—dly wky 11

The Shortening Days.

The amateur astronomer will find a source of unending interest in observing the apparent movements of the sun. During October the days continue to lessen rapidly; on the 1st the sun rises at 5.41 a. m., and sets at 5.26 p. m., making the length of the day eleven hours forty-five minutes. On the 31st the sun rises at 6.17 a. m., and sets at 4.38 p. m., making the length of the day ten hours thirty-one minutes. The amount of the day's decrease in October is therefore one hour twenty-four minutes. Thus on the last day of the month the days are nearly an hour and a half shorter than they were at its commencement. It is not strange that the remark is often made, "How short the days are!" The sun's position in the heavens gives another indication of the season's advance. Observers will readily note that the sunrise and sunset points seem to move rapidly southward. On the 1st the sun's declination is 3 degrees 21 south; on the 31st it is 14 degrees 16 south. The sun therefore advances 10 degrees 55 on his southern course during the month. The further the sun moves to the south the shorter is the circuit he makes in the heavens and the less is his meridian altitude. The days will decrease, and the sun will each day be lower in the heavens until the winter solstice, when the sun reaches his extreme southern declination and turns his face slowly northward. Those who watch closely the movements of the great luminary, so complex in appearance, so simple in reality, will more fully comprehend his sovereign sway over the brotherhood of planets, who shine in his borrowed light, yield unswervingly to his all-powerful influence, and reflect every pulsation of his huge mass. —Providence Journal.

A Fine Example.

Says the Nashville Union: "There used to be a pious old deacon of McKenzie church, who was continually whistling, although nobody was ever known to hear him. He was a fat, happy-looking old gentleman; and he used to walk with a slow, rolling gait, which, in a shorter man and one of quicker movements, would have degenerated into a waddle. He walked with his hands behind him, and his lips pursued into the attitude of a perpetual whistler. Thus he would roll along the quiet streets of the town where he passed his peaceful life, ever with the whistle just about to emerge from his lips, but still it never escaped. When he was very young, his schoolmates, his sweethearts, and later, his wife and his brethren and sisters in the church, his neighbors, his children and his grand-children at the early stage of their acquaintance with him, waited for the time—whether it was Yankee Doodle or Old Dan Tucker, or Rock of Ages, no one could ever tell; for they all waited in vain; all were disappointed; he died and made no sound. Doubtless there was a tune in his mind of so rollicking and worldly a character that his position in the church would not allow him to let it go forth to set a bad example to the young. And so he heroically restrained the worldly desire and went down to the grave with the pucker upon his lips and the world none the worse for his having whistled all to himself.

What True Merit Will Do.

The unprecedented sale of Boeck's German Syrup within a few years has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung troubles. It acts on an entirely different principle from the usual prescriptions given by physicians, as it does not dry up a Cough and leave the disease still in the system, but on the contrary removes the cause of the trouble, heals the parts affected, and leaves them in a purely healthy condition. A bottle kept in the house for use when these diseases make their appearance, will save doctor's bills and a long spell of serious illness. A trial will convince you of these facts. It is positively sold by all druggists and general dealers in the land. Price 75 cents, large bottles.

Rewarding Individual Merit.

Queen Victoria has created a new naval military order for "rewarding individual instances of meritorious and distinguished services in war. It is to be called the "Distinguished Service Order," and to consist of the sovereign and such members as she shall appoint. Actual holders of commissions are alone eligible, and the nominations are expressly confined to persons mentioned by name by admiral or commander-in-chief in despatches "for meritorious or distinguished service in the field or before the enemy." The appointments are to be by warrant, under the sign-manual, and countersigned by a secretary of state.

Didn't know it was Loaded.

Ernest Winslow, the eleven-year-old son of Nelson Winslow, of Falmouth, Maine, was playing with a gun which was loaded with shot, last week. He playfully pointed the gun at his mother, supposing it was not loaded, when the gun went off and some of the shot struck Mrs. Winslow in the stomach, inflicting serious injury, and some penetrated the bowels, rendering the case one of still greater danger. Mrs. Winslow is about thirty years of age.

Two rival belles met at a masquerade ball one evening last week. "How well you look under the gas light," said one to the other. "And how charming you look in the dark," was the courteous reply.

The Boston democrats have nominated Hugh O'Brien for mayor for the fourth time, and he will doubtless be elected although the labor candidate will probably draw several thousand votes from the democracy. The election occurs December 14th.

A Wiggins Letter.

HE PREDICTS EARTHQUAKES IN NEW ENGLAND AND CANADA.

An "earthquake reception" is to be given in Macon, Dec. 10, and in the hope of adding to its interest, some one wrote to Wiggins, the weather prophet, saying:

DEAR SIR,—I write this, as you will perceive from Macon, Ga., an aristocratic city, filled with people of culture and refinement. It is one of the cities which you were incoincidentally quoted as predicting would be destroyed by earthquake on Sept. 29. One of the popular clubs (Phi Delta Theta Social Club of Mercer University) of the city intend giving a novel entertainment, namely, an "earthquake reception." The members wish an autograph letter from you to be read at the reception. If you will be so kind as to reply to this, you will confer a great favor upon us, and your letter will add greatly to our entertainment.

Mr. Wiggins replied: I thank you for your kind favor of the 14th inst., and should be pleased to contribute to your "earthquake entertainment" if I knew what course to take either for the amusement or education of your members. My chief anxiety, however, is to avoid anything that can be constituted into a "seate," for I have a great many friends in the South, and would not again be the cause of frightening them for all the world. As I cannot be at the meeting, I send my photograph as my representative. As to my views you will find them fully expressed in my letters to the Albany (N. Y.) Times in reply to Proctor. Mrs. Wiggins wishes me to thank you for the kind reference to her, and sends you copies of her letters to His Lordship, the Bishop of Ontario. Again thanking you for your letter, I beg to remain, yours sincerely, E. Stone Wiggins.

P. S.—Glad you are over the earthquakes. Eastern Canada and the New England states will have their turn next.

E. S. W.

The correspondence of Mrs. Wiggins is in pamphlet form, entitled "Marriage of a Deceased Wife Sister."

How it Was Settled.

John B. Humphrey and Henry Mitchell loved Sadie Hammel. All were young, and Sadie was pretty; and all live in Sacramento county, Cal. The girl couldn't decide, after two years of courtship, which of the young farmers she preferred, and finally they agreed to play a freeze-out at poker for Sadie's hand. She agreed to this and the other evening they drove into Sacramento, and while the girl held the horses, the young fellows went into a saloon, took a drink, called for a new pack of cards and fifty chips, and sat down to the freeze out. Luck ran Humphrey's way and he soon raked in the chips. Then they took another drink, and John went out and drove home with Sadie, and Henry sought consolation in Sacramento whiskey. He is to stand up with John at the wedding.

Carrying the Mails.

The Cunard line has had the contract for carrying the mails between England and America for nearly fifty years. One dollar a pound was paid for the carriage of letters across the ocean, while under the postal union treaty the North German Lloyd's carried them at 30 cents a pound. Under the contract just now expiring the British post office has been paying half a million dollars per annum for carrying the mails to America, and nearly all this has fallen to the Cunard company.

A Close Call.

On Saturday last, a man named Samuel St. Laurent had a hair breadth escape from a shocking accident on the line of the Intercolonial at St. Flavie. He was attempting to board a train while in motion when he slipped and fell. Luckily he fell outwards and away from the track—one of his feet just touching the rail. The boot on it was completely torn off by the passing car, but without injuring Mr. St. Laurent in any way.

Women's Names.

Charles Dudley Warner insists that women shall call themselves by their own names, instead of their husbands. For instance if Mary Green marries Richard Roe, she is not properly Mrs. Richard Roe, but Mary Green Roe. The correct way would be to give a girl at baptism only one name besides that of her family, as simply Mary Green. When she marries she has only to add the name of her husband—Mary Green Roe. That is the correct thing in women's names.

Special Notices.

'Tis as wise for the rich as the poor to save. Negligent wastes when the chances they have —Miller's Sifter.
ONE CASE Men's Black Bear Coats opened to-day.—Beer Bros. 21—dec2
AMERICAN rubbers and overshoes at Dorsey Goff & Co's. oct 22 ff
A SPLENDID show of Lamps at W. P. Colwill's. nov 24 3wks dy
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KEEP your feet warm. A superior lot of Felt Boots at Dorsey Goff & Co's. oct 22 ff
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CALL and see the splendid lot of Bohemian Glass in Amber, Ruby, Rosas, Amberins Rose and Amber, also, a new lot of Hall and Library Lamps, cheap, at W. P. Colwill's. nov 24 3wks dy