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CALENDAR FOR MAY, 1891.

MOON'S CHANGES.

Quarter	1st day	9h.	38.7 a.m.	W
New Moon	8th day	2h.	3.1m.	a. m.
1st Quarter	15th day	2h.	51.9m.	p. m.
Full Moon	23rd day	2h.	13.4m.	p. m.
3rd Quarter	30th day	2h.	42.1m.	p. m.

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

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Scientific Miscellany.

AVALANCHES.—Snow-slides play a greater part in shaping the Himalayas, according to Col. H. C. B. Tanner, an officer of the Indian Survey, than geologists generally suppose. This author has encountered four distinct kinds of avalanche. The first, and most common, is the precipitation of a mass of new snow from slopes too steep to retain more than a limited quantity. These occur generally in winter and early spring. The second kind of avalanche is the descent of old snow, loosened by the heat of the sun. They may be heard throughout the summer and autumn, and though usually not of great extent or weight, are dangerous from the unexpected and irregular manner in which they slide off. The third kind can only be seen when the mountains are of peculiar structure, and are really ice and not snow avalanches. They are of very constant occurrence in some localities, more particularly where small glaciers are situated high up on the crest of mountains, and are gradually pushed over the edge. The fourth kind was seen by Col. Tanner but once, and not known to have been described before. It is very curious, being the movement of billions of snowballs about the size of one's head, which, in a stream a mile and a half long, slowly wound down the upper part of an elevated valley in the Gilet-Darel mountains. How this form of avalanche originates, or how the snow is rolled up into the countless balls, is a mystery.

WEAPONS FOR TO-DAY.—The energy of modern artillery is something appalling, and threatens to destroy friend and foe together. A 67-ton gun on the British battleship Trafalgar was pointed directly ahead and fired with 6,300 pounds of slow-burning powder and a 1250-pound projectile. The blast produced by the rush of powder gas and the shots were so tremendous that the plates of the forecastle were forced in and the deck beams bent out of shape. A hint of what the effect might be on an enemy will be given at the Naval Exhibition, where will be shown a projectile that has been fired from a 110-ton gun. This remarkable shot is said to have been driven in succession through a 20-inch steel plate, 8 inches of iron, 20 feet of oak balks, 5 feet of granite and 11 feet of concrete, finally lodging at a depth of three feet in a mass of brick masonry.

AN INTERESTING EXPERIMENT.—A plantation of indiarubber was started by the government of Assam in 1873, in a forest at the foot of the Himalayas. Seedlings were planted in the forks of the trees, and by 1885 they had reached the ground. The trees were subsequently placed in beds 40 feet wide, protected by the surrounding forest. In 1890 the plantation extended over 406 acres, and contained 16,000 healthy plants, besides 84,000 seedlings. The experiment will not begin to be profitable until after several years more.

England is slow in discovering her resources. Though 40,000 tons of apatite have been imported yearly at great expense, geologists have just noticed that immense quantities of the mineral exist near London.

ANIMAL VOICES.—In an interesting paper on the voices of animals, Mr. J. G. Hodgson, an English elocutionist, stated that in the mammalia the general structure of the larynx is like that of man; the power and character of the sound depending on the different degrees of development of the vocal cords, and the peculiarity of structure of the vocal organs. The timbre or quality of voice is remarkably distinct in the different classes of animals, and also varies in those of the same class. Lions and tigers, with their magnitude of chest, make a roar that fills the ear with a sense of horror, the depth of voice giving to the mind the idea of an enormous being. The horse neighs in a descent on the chromatic scale without even omitting a semitone, being one of the most musically-voiced of animals. The ass brays in a perfect octave, and one of his ejaculations has been copied by Haydn in his seventy-sixth quartette with great success. The bark of the dog is an instance of a voice acquired by domestication, much as the trotting of the horse is an acquired movement. An ape, one of the Gibbons, produces an exact octave of musical sounds, ascending and descending the scale by half-tones, so that perhaps it alone of brute animals may be said to sing. The howling or preacher monkey of South America has a voice that can be heard two miles. The giraffe and the armadillo are voiceless, with no vocal cords. The chirp of the long-eared bat is said to be the most acute sound produced by any animal, and only five out of six persons can hear it. In reptiles the larynx is in a rudimentary condition. The crocodiles and caymen make a feeble roaring sound. One kind of frog has a sound bag, evidently acting as a resonance chamber, on each side of its mouth. The tortoise gives a mere snuffling sound. Snakes have no vocal cords, but produce a hissing by expulsion of air through the narrow opening in the glottis. Most fishes are mute. Insects, such as crickets, grasshoppers and bees, have been considered more musicians than singers, most of their wings or legs together or against their body, or by vibrations of their wings. A grasshopper of Brazil may be heard half a mile, which is "as if a man with a big voice could be heard over the world."

The first known weather record was kept by Walter Merle, for the years 1337 to 1354. A few photographic copies of the original Latin manuscript—now in the Bodleian Library—have just been made.

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K. D. C. for the Stomach.

Newfoundland Markets.

Messrs. Clift, Wood & Co., make the following remarks regarding present and future prospects of the Newfoundland market:—

OATS.—The stock is very light at present, and prices consequently rule very high, from 80 to 90 cents per bushel of 33 lbs., and as we do not anticipate a large import this spring, we are of opinion that these prices will be maintained.

POTATOES.—There is but a limited quantity here, most of which are this Island's produce. Present quotations are from \$1.80 to \$2 per barrel. Much will depend on the importation as to future prices. A certain quantity will be required for seed, and for any special qualities, such as roses, Beauty of Hebron, and such like, fancy figures will be given.

TURNS.—The very heavy duty on this root almost prohibit the importation, and consequently stocks are by no means heavy on hand. We quote \$1.60 per barrel.

BUTTER.—The butter at present offered for sale here is only of medium quality, and a really good article will bring paying prices. We must again refer to the heavily salted condition of the butter received from Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. The quality last year was exceedingly poor, and indeed, it is easy to understand why oleo, of good quality and uniform, should have taken the place of butter for fishing supplies.

PORK, FLOUR, ETC.—Prices for these provisions depend entirely on quotations from the markets of the United States and Canada.

CATTLE, SHEEP, ETC.—The importations of cattle so far have brought high figures, costing the butchers from 12 to 14 cents per lb. Sheep have sold from \$8 to \$12. As we understand that cattle are very scarce in Nova Scotia and P. E. Island prices here will keep high for some time to come.

HAY.—This article has been exceedingly scarce lately and selling at famine prices, as high as \$40.00 per ton being given in some cases. We hear of a large cargo daily expected, after arrival of which prices will be much lower, rule from \$22.00 to \$24.00 per ton of 2,240 lbs. Quotations for this article depend entirely on the supply.

LUMBER AND SHINGLES.—We expect some demand for 1-inch Spruce Board, and 2, 2 1/2, and 3-inch plank. The market is well supplied with cedar shingles, as a large importation came forward last season, a quantity of which is still on hand.

GENERAL REMARKS.—The Seal Fishery this spring has been the best for many years, the steamer, in almost every case, bringing in full fares. Although oil remains low, the price of skins has advanced, and the result of the fishery have been fairly successful. This will, no doubt, give an impetus to commerce; and should the cod-fishery this season be an improvement on late years, we may reasonably expect to see trade in general much brisker than heretofore. We therefore anticipate the imports this year to be fully up to the average, and hope to obtain paying prices for all good consigned to our care.

Canada's Premier.

The New York Press says: "Sir John A. Macdonald, the able Premier of the Dominion of Canada, is in a condition of ill-health, which at his advanced age is giving his followers great concern. It was his dominating personal force alone which saved the Government from defeat in the late elections in Canada, and his loss would bring the deluge which has been so long avoided by his skillful manipulation, and cut Canada off from England, either by separation and an independent government or by annexation to the United States. There is no public man in Canada who rises anywhere near to his stature in intellect and capacity for government, and the anxiety of his friends can, therefore, be fully appreciated."

The Press has been misled by the Ottawa Munchausen. It is quite true that Sir John was indisposed for a few days as a result of an attack of the grip, but he is now in excellent health and spirits. The Press' estimate of the veteran Premier's "intelligence and capacity for government" is, however, about correct.

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THE BRIG. HATTIE LOUISE is at Summerside discharging the balance of her cargo of sugar and molasses. She will be loaded at that place with oats and horses for the West Indies by Mr. A. M. Wright.

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IMPROVEMENT.—The store on Queen Street, lately occupied by A. L. Brown, is being thoroughly overhauled. The floors will be raised and a large plate glass front added. It will, when finished, be one of the finest places of business in the city.

COMMITTED FOR CONTEMPT.—Mr. George A. Davis, a St. John lawyer and ex-alderman, was committed to jail a few days ago by Civil Court Judge Ritchie, for abusive language. The commitment is for 24 hours, the full time for which the judge has power to commit.

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JOURNALISM.—The published story of the sale of the Pictou News to the Standard is denied by the News. It says the News has not been sold to the Standard Publishing Co., but to Mr. Drummond of the Stellarton Journal. The plan, however, has been sold to the Standard Company.

FREE PLANTING.—The Summerside Pioneer says: Some 40 or 50 trees were planted by the boys of the public schools here in the playgrounds on Friday afternoon last, after which all partook of lunch in the hall of the Davies School, which was served by the young lady pupils. The afternoon was a most enjoyable one.

PRINCE OF WALES COLLEGE.—The closing exercises of the Academic year of the Prince of Wales College will be held in the Philharmonic Hall on Friday evening, 29th inst., at 8 o'clock, precisely. The students will sing some choruses under the leadership of their instructor, Rev. Professor Lloyd. The public are cordially invited to be present. Notes of invitation will not be issued this year.

THE OLD, OLD STORY.—Two young men lately went out to Missoula to seek their fortunes, one of them being from the north end. His family received a letter from him a few days ago, in which he writes: "We have tried for employment in Butte, Helena, Missoula and a few other cities and have left in disgust. We are now going to British Columbia." This young man also stated that there were hundreds of unemployed looking for work in the cities they visited in the States.—St. John Sun.

BIBLE READINGS.—When there are so many books of indifferent merit asking attention and patronage, it is especially gratifying to note such publications as the new book, "Bible Readings for the Home Circle." This fine octavo volume contains 616 pages, and is beautifully illustrated. Its topical method of scripture study, historical citations when prophecy is involved, numerous selections from the best poetical writer relating to Bible themes, referring also to a wide range of biblical authorities, make up all in all a first class book, and one that should find its way into the homes of all those who appreciate good literature.

LATE BISHOP BINNEY'S ESTATE.—It was reported found town on Saturday that the investments in connection with the estate of the late Bishop Binney had realized beyond expectations, so much so that the estate is said to be worth one million dollars. Dr. Partridge was interviewed by a reporter on the subject. He said he had heard the report from presumably good authority and thought it likely to be true. C. B. Bullock, who is one of the executors of the estate, said that he did not know how the late Bishop's accounts stood in the old country, as his co-executors live that part of the estate in their hands. Mr. Bullock said the news regarding the large advance in the value of the estate came from a Halifax bank cashier. Mr. Bullock heard nothing direct.—Hx. Herald.

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J. W. BRAKENRIDGE, B. C. L.,
Acting Secretary,
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