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CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1896

New Moon, 6th day, 4h. 48m. a. m. First Quar, 13th day, 10h. 34m. a. m. Full Moon, 21st day, 4h. 48m. noon. Last quarter, 29th day, 11h. 8m. a. m.

Table with 4 columns: Day of Week, Sun rise, Sun set, High water. Rows for days of the week.

Musical Studio

Encouraged by the extensive patronage of the music loving public of this province...

FOR SALE.

In West Dalry, two and a half miles from the city, a farm containing 50 acres all clear, and in a high state of cultivation...

New Musical Studio.

Miss Katie McLean, Graduate of the Halifax Conservatory of Music, and Pupil of Mr. Potter, the Celebrated Austrian and Director of the Orphan Club, will open a class for Piano Instruction, and the Theory of Music...

P. E. Island Railway

On and after FRIDAY, 2nd July, 1896, the trains of this Railway will run daily Sundays excepted as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Trains Outward, Read down, STATIONS, Trains Inward, Read up. Lists routes to Charlottetown, North West, etc.

New Prices in Watches

We have lately received a nice assortment of

Silver Watches for Ladie's and Gentlemen,

which were bought right, and cannot fail to please in price. Call and inspect them.

W. N. TANTON'S

Great George Street, NEAR QUEEN SQUARE.

DO YOU WANT

Anything in the line of staple goods? If you do, the stock and prices at the Bargain Corner are unsurpassed in the city.

Thousands of yards of Tweeds.

Thousands of yards of Flannels.

Thousands of yards of Ginghams,

Thousands of Caps.

Thousands of Hats,

Thousands of Mitts and Gloves.

Thousands of Suits of Underwear.

Thousands of Shirts.

Trunks and Valises a specialty. Remember anything in the above lines are sold cheaper at the Bargain Corner than any place in the city.

McKay Woolen Company,

THE BARGAIN CORNER.

Advertisement for The Albert Toilet Soap Co., Montreal. Includes an illustration of a woman washing her face and text describing the soap's benefits.

Advertisement for John Newson Furniture. Text: 'We put this here because you'll see it. This is an invitation to look at our stock of Furniture. We'll be really glad to have you look, because the looker-of-to-day is to-morrow's buyer.'

Advertisement for 'The Empire' typewriter. Text: '100 Per Cent. Interest THAT IS GOOD, BUT SAVING AS MUCH AS TAAT IS BETTER THE "EMPIRE" TYPEWRITER Offers You Just That Advantage'

Advertisement for G.H. Taylor, Graduate Optician. Text: 'How is our Watch Keeping Time? A watch is a delicate piece of machinery, and to give satisfaction should not be kept going year after year without cleaning...'

LETTER FROM DR. HENDERSON.

Sir,—With your kind permission I will briefly refer to Mr. John Gill's silly effusion in your issue of the 27th September, which appeared in your esteemed paper of that date. He asks why you do not stay down at the house and try to do something to benefit the child? My reply to that is the fact that I remained almost continuously with the child in the hospital from the time I was summoned on the forenoon of the 8th August till within an hour of its death on the afternoon of that day!

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Advertisement for Royal Baking Powder. Text: 'ABSOLUTELY PURE' and 'ROYAL BAKING POWDER'.

AFRICAN TRADE.

WASHINGTON, September 27.—In the course of an elaborate report on the Congo Free State, made on the department of state by United States Consul Mombou, who travelled for two years through the interior of that country, occur many interesting accounts of the methods of trading used by natives. The first market described is that at Leopoldville, on the Lower River, where twice a week 3,000 to 4,000 natives bring their produce to exchange for gunpowder and checked cloth, the only money in use being brass rods, which are cut in lengths eight inches long. At Banana Point the articles used for trade with the natives are red handkerchiefs, cloth, beads, oil silk, colored parasols, cheap knives, old Derby hats, rum and cognac. All these articles are made especially for the trade, and the standard of value is a piece of handkerchief, 24 feet long and three feet broad, valued at fifty cents. As a rule they will not touch money, regarding it as useless. At Yambing, one stone that for flintlock muskets was worth nine pounds of rubber. Food is ridiculously cheap, and a small egg cup full of blue beads will purchase food for one man for a week. At Kasouge, where a great market is held three times a week, the money is a square of woven palm fibre, and with six of these a man can get food enough to last him a week. Here salt is also used to purchase everything, and is practically the standard of value. Only in exceptional instances will any foreign coin be received in payment for articles, the natives being suspicious of it. Gold and silver cannot be forced upon the savages. The Congo State is said to be bankrupt, its expenditures more than doubling its receipts from domestic revenues, the advances from the Belgian treasury and King Leopold making up his deficit.

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PRIZE LIST.

The following is the balance of prize list for Prince County Exhibition:

- CARRIAGE HORSES. Stallion 4 years old and upwards, 1. H. E. Dawson, Augustine Cove; 2. Daniel McNeil, Summerside; 3. Wm J. Heffell Traveller's Rest. Stallion 3 years old, 1. John McPhee, Lower Freetown; 2. Charles Matthews, Alberton; 3. John Richards, Bideford. Stallion 2 years old, 1. E. C. Maxwell, Fortune Cove; 2. Geo. Eaman, Higgins Road. Colt 1 year old, 1. Edward England, Ellerslie; 2. Daniel Steele, Summerside; 3. Mrs B. Bowness, Montrose. Filly 3 years old, 1. B. W. Tanton, St. Eleanors; 2. Albert H. Gorrell, Fort Bell; 3. Frank Kelly, North Bedouque. Filly 2 years old, 1. Mabon Sivert, Freetown; 2. Jas Walker, Kelvin Grove; 3. Jas Brehaut, Summerside. Filly 1 year old, 1. T. E. Hogan, Fortune Cove; 2. John Roberts, Middleton; 3. John Lockhart, Harrington. Foal of 1895, 1. Albert Campbell, Freetown; 2. John Spangberghs, Miscouche; 3. Nelson Howatt, St. Eleanors. Mare with foal at foot, 1. Albert Campbell, Freetown; 2. Nelson Howatt, St. Eleanors; 3. Frank McKenzie, Summerside. Fair matched carriage horses, 1. Henry Cravel, St. Eleanors; 2. James Graham, Newton, Lot 26. Carriage mare or gelding no less than 15 hands high to be shown in harness on track, 1. Wesley Newcome, Bedouque; 2. James Sharp, Summerside; 3. John McLean, do. Judges—Harry A. Darby, Abram's Village; Thos Robins, Central Bedouque; Robert Mills, St. Eleanors.

NEEDLE WORK AND PAINTING.

- Best piece of bead or needle work, 1. Mrs Florence McLeod, Summerside; 2. Miss Fudge Benoit, do; 3. Miss Lullie Williams, Ellerslie. Best of painting, 1. Mrs W. H. Warren, Bedouque; 2. Helvis Pearl McIntyre, Summerside; 3. Miss Anna Square-briggs, do. Best painting in water colors, 1. Jennie W. Ross, Bedouque; 2. Miss Helen Jarvis, Summerside; 3. Annie McLeod, do. Crayon, 1. Janie B. McDonald, Hamilton; 2. Miss Ross, Summerside; 3. Miss Etta Russ, do. Judges—Annie Ross, North Bedouque; Mrs H. J. Kusse, Summerside; Mrs Geo Compton, St. Eleanors.

TEXTILE FABRICS, ETC.

- 7 yards full dressed black cloth, 1. Mrs Wm Howard, Margate; 2. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose; 3. Mrs Herbert Hogg, Kensington. 7 yards full dressed grey cloth, 1. John A. Dawson, Augustine Cove; 2. Mrs David Walker, Kelvin Grove; 3. Mrs S. N. Dawson, N. Tryon. 10 yards women's wear, 1. Mrs Wm B. Cameron, Albany; 2. Mrs John B. Donah, do; 3. Mrs John A. Dawson, Augustine Cove. 10 yards mixed fabric, 1. Mrs Benj McLeod, Kensington; 2. Janie Matthews, Albany; 3. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. 7 yards fancy shirting, 1. Mrs Allen McLeod, Lot 16; 2. Mrs Wm B. Donah, do; 3. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. 10 yards white flannel, 1. Mrs Allen McLeod, Lot 16; 2. Mrs John D. Morrison, Daruley; 3. Miss Dunbar, Alma, Lot 3. 10 yards white flannel plain, 1. Mrs Robt Aspin, Hamilton; 2. Mrs John D. Morrison, Daruley; 3. Mrs Norman Ramsay, Hamilton. 10 yards wool carpeting, 1. Emma Reeves, Lower Freetown; 2. Mrs Allen McQuarrie, Searlestown; 3. Alice S. Schurman, North Charlton. Lady's shawl, 1. Mrs Francis Beirato, Muddy Creek; 2. Mrs Peter Cameron, Richmond; 3. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. Pair horse rugs, 1. Mrs Clas Schurman, Searlestown; 2. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. Pair blankets, 1. Mrs John D. Morrison, Daruley; 2. Mrs Robt Aspin, St. Eleanors; 3. Mrs Norman Ramsay, Hamilton. Single counterpane, 1. Mrs Phillip Callbeck, Bedouque; 2. Miss H. B. Dunbar, Alma; 3. Miss Mary A. McLean, McLaughlin's Road. Wool hearth rug, 1. Mrs Norma Ramsay, Hamilton; 2. Miss Dunbar, Alma; 3. Mrs E. M. Montgomery, New Annapolis. Hearth rug any material, 1. Annie Murray, St. Eleanors; 2. Mrs W. B. Donald, Daruley; 3. Miss Dunbar, Alma. Pair of door mats, 1. Miss Dunbar, Alma; 2. Mrs Peter Cameron, Richmond; 3. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. Half dozen linen towels, 1. Mrs Jno A. Murray, St. Eleanors; 2. Jane T. Mutart, St. Eleanors. One linen table cloth, 1. Mrs Robt Acon, St. Eleanors; 2. Mrs Wm Crozier, Malpeque; 3. Mrs Allen McLeod, Lot 16. Pair linen sheets, 1. Mrs Holland Leard, Summerside; 2. Mrs John A. Murray, St. Eleanors; 3. Jane T. Mutart, do. Pair men's drawers, 1. Mrs J. Adam Morrison, Tryon; 1. Mrs D. J. Thompson, do; 3. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose. Pair men's undershirts, 1. Mrs Michael Quigley, Montrose; 2. Miss Edith Quigley, do. 2 pairs men's socks, 1. Gerrie Blackmore, Middleton; 2. Mrs Joseph Blackmore, do; 3. Mrs Herbert Hogg, Kensington. 2 pair men's stockings, 1. Mrs Benj Beirato, Malpeque; 1. Mrs Wm Gardner, Central Bedouque; 3. Mrs Norman Ramsay, Hamilton. 2 pairs winter gloves, 1. Mrs B. Montgomery, New Annapolis; 2. Mrs Peter Cameron, Richmond. 2 pairs mitts, 1. Mrs Wm A. Beirato, Muddy Creek; 2. Miss Dunbar, Alma. Best collection of hand knit goods, 1. Mrs A. Walsh, Summerside; 2. Mrs Wm A. Beirato, Muddy Creek; 3. Emma Reeves, Lower Freetown. Judges—Mrs Henry Seales, Mrs Allen McLeod, Mrs Allen McQuarrie.

ENTERED.

- Oct. 2.—Wm Dunbar, Reid, Pugwash; Confederate, Landry, Pictou; Rhama, Henderson, Wallace; Swallow, Vanambler, Tidnish; Henry G. Ives, Heighton, Chatham; Festy, Bethel, Halifax; ss Bonavista, Fraser, Sydney; ss Halifax, Pye, Boston. CLEARED. Oct. 2.—Wm Dunbar, Reid, Pugwash; Rhama, Henderson, Pictou; Leonora, Jimmo, Chatham; Swallow, Vanambler, Tidnish; Festy, Bethel, Summerside; R. W. Smith, Forrest, Sydney; ss Bonavista, Fraser, Sydney; ss Halifax, Pye, Boston; Ethel Aggie, Phalen, West Point.

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Gloom

Of ill health, despondency and despair, gives way to the sunshine of hope, happiness and health, upon taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it gives renewed life and vitality to the blood, and through that imparts nerve strength, vigor and energy to the whole body. Hood's Sarsaparilla helped me wonderfully, changed sickness to health, gloom to sunshine. No pen can describe what I suffered. I was deathly sick, had sick headaches every few days and those terrible, despondent feelings, with heart troubles so that I could not get up and down stairs without clasping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." Mrs J. E. SMITH, Beloit, Iowa.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

- METHODIST. Prince Street—Prayer meeting at 10.15. Rev. W. J. Kirby at 11 a. m. and Rev. G. M. Campbell at 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30. Sacrament at close of evening service. Upper Prince St.—Prayer meeting at 10. Rev. G. M. Campbell at 11 a. m. and Rev. W. J. Kirby at 7 p. m. Evening topic, "Lost and Found." Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30. Epworth League at 3.30. Strangers cordially invited, comfortable seats provided. PRESBYTERIAN. 2506—Prayer meeting at 10.15. Rev. D. Sutherland, assisted by Rev. J. M. Macleod, of Vancouver, in communion service at 11 a. m. Rev. J. M. Macleod at 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30. St. James—Prayer meeting at 10. Rev. T. F. Fullerton at 11 and 7. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30. ROMAN CATHOLIC. First Mass, 7.30 a. m. Children's Mass, 9 a. m. High Mass at 10.30 o'clock. Vespers and Benediction, 7 p. m. CHURCH OF ENGLAND. St. Paul's—Morning prayer at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Holy Communion at 11. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30. Evening prayer at 7.15. Seats free and unappropriated. St. Peter's—Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Matins at 11 a. m. Catechism at 2.30 p. m. Evening at 7 p. m. All seats free and unappropriated. BAPTIST. Prayer meeting at 10.30. Rev. C. W. Corey at 11 and 7. Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class at 2.30. Strangers welcome and provided with comfortable seats. CHRISTIAN. Church, Upper Great George Street. Rev. Geo. Manford at 11 and 7. Morning topic, "Paul as a man of Prayer." Evening topic, "The Rich young Ruler." Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Y. S. C. E. Monday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A cordial invitation to all. SALVATION ARMY. Sunday Services at 7, 11, 3 and 8. Week night services.—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p. m. RAILWAY MEN. Gospel Meeting.—Remember the Gospel meeting in Philharmonic Hall Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the Railway men. Strangers always welcome. Lesson—Matt. 14.30, "Lord Save Me." Chestnut street Gaelic song at 4 p. m. ST. THOMAS CHURCH, LONG CREEK. Morning service and sermon by lay readers every Sunday at 11 a. m.—the Holy Communion on the fourth Sunday in each month—service and sermon by Rev. Mr. Andrews. Mr. Andrews will also conduct a service and deliver a sermon on the second Wednesday of each month.

Advertisement for Sunlight Soap Pictures Wrappers. Text: 'A pretty colored picture for every 12 "Sunlight" or every 6 "Life-Booy" Soap wrappers. These pictures are well worth getting. ADDRESS: Lever Bros., Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto.'

Advertisement for Furniture. Text: 'I am instructed by Mr. Ed. Carson, to sell by Auction, at his residence, Kent St. West, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, next, commencing at 11 o'clock a.m.—All his household effects, comprising Parlor, Dining Room, Hall, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture. R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.'