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MOON'S CHANGES.

First Quarter, 8th day, 2h., 30.0m., a.m., N.W. below horizon.
Full Moon, 15th day, 2h., 29.7m., a.m., S.W. Third Quarter, 21st day, 5h., 40.6m., p.m., N. (below horizon).
New Moon, 29th day, 1h., 7.1m., p.m., S.W.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Day's
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2 Thursday	49	4 16 19	15	
3 Friday	48	6 7 1 0	18	
4 Saturday	47	7 27 39	0 14	20
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6 Monday	43	9 23 2 12	25	
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9 Thursday	39	13 11 35 5 16	34	
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CHARLOTTETOWN.

Local and Other Items.

EARLY.—Strawberry plants are in full bloom throughout the country.

CIVIC.—The City Council and Boards of Health will meet to-morrow evening.

NO NAME.—Our correspondent "One of the People" has not favored THE EXAMINER with his name in confidence.

SCOTT ACT REPEAL.—A petition, asking for the repeal of the Scott Act, is in circulation in Fredericton.

RET NOT YOUR LIFE AWAY.—Because your hair is gray, while young, as you can stop all grayness and can beautify the hair with Hall's Hair-Renewer and be happy.

ABDALLAH AGAIS.—We understand that Mr. Andrew E. Murphy, of this city, has sold his Abdallah mare, "Sister" to Rev. E. Boyd, of Magdalen Islands, for the handsome sum of \$300.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.—At St. John, on Saturday afternoon, a five-year-old boy named Stanley Crawford, jumped on a passing sloop for a ride, and, while trying to get off, fell under the wheels and was crushed to death.

THE CROPS SUFFERING.—Complaints are coming from the farmers in parts of Indiana and Central Illinois about the need of rain. If the drought continues many days, the crops will suffer seriously. The rainfall is much below the spring average.

RHEUMATISM IS CAUSED BY AN ACID IN THE BLOOD; therefore, external treatment affords no permanent relief. To eliminate the poison and make a thorough cure of the disease, nothing is so efficient as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Give it a trial. Price \$1. Worth \$5 a bottle.

SUDDEN DEATH.—George Anderson a Moncton piano tuner was found dead in his bed, at that place, on Sunday morning. He had been ill a few days, having contracted a cold while working in his shop without fire. He was about on Saturday and late on Sunday night, but when his bedside was visited early on Sunday morning he was dead.

A GROWING INDUSTRY.—The Record reports that the annual meeting of the Amherst boot and shoe company will be held on the 28th. The directors will be able to show a highly gratifying statement of the business of the past year. The sales for the year will be \$375,000, against \$325,000 the previous year, and the dividend will be at least equal to that of last year. The factory employs 180 persons, and works full time constantly. It has grown to its present dimensions principally within the past few years.

THREE OF A KIND.—The Agriculturalist says: Mr. Neil McQuarrie's mare Belle, by All Right, 5817, dam the noted mare Belle Robinson, by old Bush Messenger, dam by old Flying Frenchman, from a Saladin mare, dropped a very fine, large and solid bay filly, by Administrator, 357, on the 10th inst. The filly is eligible for registration. We congratulate Mr. McQuarrie. Mr. Harry Craswell's Bush Messenger mare has dropped a fine Administrator filly. Mr. Layton McCabe's Alexandra, Lot 49, Kentucky Bill mare, dropped a beautiful Administrator filly a few days since.

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING.—Advises from Fredericton report a very severe storm of thunder and lightning there on Sunday. The lightning struck the wires of the telephone system connecting the city with the other side of the river, and all the telephone bells in the affected locality gave a sharp ring, since which time they have been useless. One or two telephones were completely shattered. The fluid also entered the central office in the city with a loud report, breaking the switchboard and severely alarming the operator, who fortunately escaped unhurt.

Personal.

It is reported that Sir Charles Russell's fee for acting as counsel for the Parnellites is \$10,000.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt says the thirty thousand men employed to coerce Ireland ought to be at the disposal of Lord Wolseley to increase the army.

Mrs Langtry is the third of her sex who has ever asked for naturalization in the United States. The first time that a woman made the application was in 1872.

There is in the poorhouse of Albany, Ga., a negro who says he is 122 years old, and that he used to see George Washington often, and "hist my hat and say howdo to him."

The Queen appears to be in excellent health, and during her brief stay in London is enjoying the magnificent weather and giving Londoners a chance of seeing her by taking frequent drives.

News Notes

The commander of the British cruiser Rapid has hoisted the British flag over the Suwarow Island, in the Southern Pacific Ocean, north-west of the Cook Islands.

A wealthy old farmer named Stephen Bates, of Danbury, Conn., horsewhipped three factory girls who crossed his land the other evening, and only escaped lynching by employees of the factory, through the intercession of the girls whom he attacked.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

SYMPTOMS.—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; moist at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulcers, and in most cases remove the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia, Oct 12 6m dr

Mamma (to her little boy). "Now, Bessie, if you'll be good and go to sleep, mamma'll give you one Dr. Ayer's nice sugar-coated Cathartic Pills, next time you need medicine. Bessie, smiling sweetly, dropped off to sleep at once."

City Council Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Councillor Byrne was not in his place. His Honor the Recorder was also absent. After the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted, and the payment of a number of bills confirmed, the transaction of regular business was proceeded with.

TENDERS.

Councillor Eden submitted the tenders received for the removal of the old Engine House on King Street to the lot adjoining the City Hall. But two tenders had been received. One was from Michael Egan, offering to do the work for \$330, and the other from Angus DesRoche, for \$250. Both were held over until next meeting of Council.

Mayor Haviland submitted the three tenders received for the purchase of the \$3500 City Debentures, advertised for sale. The first read was from E. H. Norton, offering 105 per cent for the whole amount, the second from Henrietta F. May, offering 106 1/2 for \$1000, and the third from J. C. McIntosh, of Halifax, offering 106 1/2 for the whole \$3500. The tender of Mrs. May was accepted for \$1000, and that of Mr. McIntosh for the remaining \$2500.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Charles Palmer, chairman of the Hillsborough Square Committee, intimated that they were ready to go to work at once, and asked for the necessary authority. Their intention was to put up a wire fence to protect the grass, and to decorate the mound in the centre of the square with small trees, &c. Laid on the table.

F. L. Hazard notified the Board on behalf of John Murphy, pump contractor, that, as his tender had been accepted, the City was liable for the amount of his contract (\$320), and that he was fully prepared to go on with the work.

The minutes of last meeting showed that Mr. Murphy's tender had not been accepted, but had been referred to the Finance Committee. The letter was laid on the table.

The petition of the policemen asked that each member of the force be provided with a helmet and one pair of pants for summer wear. Referred to Police Committee.

SUPERINTENDENT OF VACCINATION.

Mayor Haviland called the attention of the Board to the necessity of appointing a superintendent of vaccination, as provided for by statute. His Worship explained that the law was very strict with reference to vaccination, providing that no child or any other person could attend the public schools unless that operation had been performed.

THE HEALTH OFFICER REPORTS.

Dr. Johnson, Health Officer, at the request of the Mayor who had several interviews with him on the subject of the infectious diseases alleged to be now prevalent in the city, briefly addressed the Board. He explained that he had visited the family of Mr. Reid, on Richmond Street, and found that there had been three cases of scarletina there. The first case—that of the eldest girl—had been nursed by the mother and had recovered without any regular medical attendance. The second case was that of a boy between one and two years of age, who died, after passing through the first stages of the disease. The third case was that of an infant, who died after a few hours illness. The house was now being thoroughly disinfected in order to remove all danger of infection. He also visited the house of Charles Davy, on the corner of Hillsborough and Kent streets. There he found that five cases had occurred in the family. Two of the patients had died and three were now ill. The first case was thought to be one of suppressed scarletina by the medical man in attendance. The second case was supposed to be diphtheria. The victim had a severe sore throat with very little rash. The remaining cases were unquestionably scarletina with severe sore throat. He had also heard of three other cases of simple scarletina in the city. He thought the disease was sufficiently prevalent just now to cause the Board of Health to take immediate steps for its suppression. The Board should require every householder or the attending physician to report every case of diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, measles, and all this class of infectious diseases to the Health Officer, in order that he might take steps to prevent their spreading. The Provincial Board of Health for New Brunswick had rules and regulations drawn up for the guidance of the Health Officer, and he thought that the same thing should be done here at once.

In answer to a question of Councillor Horne's, the Health Officer stated that there would be little or no difficulty in the Board's tracing the origin of every new epidemic if they had the information they should have from the householder or physician. In many instances, however, a medical man was not called in at all—as in the Reid case—because the disease was not considered serious. But one case of mild scarlet rash might be the means of causing several cases of malignant scarletina or fever. He was strongly of opinion that rules compelling the householder or physician to report all such cases should be drawn up at once, and rigidly enforced.

In answer to Councillor Davison, the Health Officer further stated that he saw nothing like diphtheria in Davy's house. Two members of the family—a boy and a girl—were not allowed into the house. There was no danger of taking scarletina from passing an infected person on the street. The great danger was in going into infected houses. Under no circumstances should this be done.

It was decided to hold a meeting of the Board of Health on Wednesday evening, to take action in the matter.

QUEEN SQUARE AND THE BOLGER DRAIN.

Councillor Morris informed the Board that at next meeting he would bring up the

matter of the regular donation to Queen Square, and would also try and do something in the matter of abolishing the celebrated Bolger nuisance. He thought it was high time something were done.

After some further discussion, Council adjourned until Wednesday evening next.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Cherry Valley Burial Trouble.

SIR,—Before the appearance of the Rev. Fred. E. J. Lloyd's letter, people were saying that there was no minister on the Island who would put the man on the back who dared to interrupt funeral solemnities. This letter, however, has been a cruel disappointment. But surely there is no other minister who would sanction such heartless conduct. Now, let us see whether or not churchwarden John Young "did perfectly right" in attempting to prevent the reading of the burial service on the 9th ult. The general custom of the Island with regard to funerals is that the friends of the deceased take their own ministers to their family plot, whether that minister is or is not the legal trustee of the burial-ground where the family plot is situated. A residence of some years on the Island has taught me that other ministers come freely into burial-grounds of which "I am advised that I am legal guardian and custodian." Sometimes I am acquainted before hand of what is intended to be done; sometimes nothing is said to me about the matter. Of course, the strict letter of the law is against such a practice. But the above is the custom of other ministers towards me, and of myself towards other ministers; and this has been the custom for some years at Cherry Valley. In accordance with this, during the last few years the Revs. George Harrison, B. D. McLeod, R. Opie (until the 9th ult.), and McLeod have gone into that burial-ground without let or hindrance. And if an attempt is now to be made to enforce any new rules, the ministers contiguous to Cherry Valley ought to be informed of them, so that they might see whether or not they ought to be obeyed.

Again, in reference to Cherry Valley burial-ground: It is a fact that it was used for many years as a Protestant burial-ground before the erection of the church, so that there is a distinction between this church and the yard. It is also a fact that when the Bishop consecrated the burial-ground he said, among other things: "This consecration is not intended to interfere with the rights of persons burying here as heretofore." There are plenty of persons yet living who heard the Bishop utter a sentiment similar to what I have just attributed to him.

If the interruption to the funeral service was intended as an insult to the Methodist Church, then, perhaps, there is no place where it would seem to be so undesired as at Cherry Valley. Pownal Methodist Church, within four miles, was opened regularly on the Lord's Day to the late Rev. Mr. Jenkins in which to baptize adherents of the Church of England and to conduct services according to its usages. Also, Cherry Valley people have been for long months together without any other ministrations than those rendered by the direct predecessors of the Rev. Mr. Opie, the clergyman insulted in his official capacity on the 9th ult. On several occasions his predecessors have been requested to visit the sick and to perform other spiritual offices to the members of the Church of England, (for there have been long months together when no rector of Cherry Valley and Georgetown was seen in their midst). Not only have they gladly accepted the services of Methodist clergymen, but a Methodist layman has had to officiate by reading the funeral service over the remains of one of their number.

Then, surely, the fact that the late Mrs. Irving—who remains very so lately dishonored—showed kindness and hospitality to the Rev. Mr. Stewart and other predecessors of the Rev. Mr. Lloyd, ought to have prevented officious interruption at her burial. A society for the prevention of cruelty to animals has been formed in Charlottetown—no doubt an excellent institution. But if we have a few more scenes similar to what occurred on the 9th ult., we shall need a society for the purpose of seeing that no officious person interferes with the decent burial of the dead. If Mr. Young had been "perfectly right" in interrupting the funeral service, a word of sympathy to the bereaved for such unusual proceedings might not have been out of place from the Rev. Mr. Lloyd. But the truth is, when Mr. Young interrupted the funeral services, he did what is contrary to Island usage, and to law, (at least this will be believed until a decision to the contrary is given), and what outrages the feelings of all right-thinking Christian people.

Yours respectfully,
GEORGE STEEL.

Pownal, May 9, 1889.

Boston Markets.

THURSDAY, MAY 9.

POTATOES.—Receipts past six days, 46,500 bush.; previous six days, 38,500. Choice eastern Rose and Helrons have been in light supply for the past week and prices have been ruling higher. At the close the range is from 60 to 65c.; the latter for fancy Houlton stock. Northern stock in full supply and selling slowly at easy prices. P. E. Island Chenangoes have been in heavy supply and some sales made at 50c., but are held at 53c. at the close with moderate sales.

EGGS.—Receipts for the week, 580 boxes, 59 bbls., 7,910 cases; last week 92 boxes, 190 bbls., 7,963 cases. The arrivals for the week have been moderate and there has been a steady demand for all choice fresh stock at gradually improving prices. The market closes from 1 1/2 to 2c. higher than last week, and quite firm at the advance. Eastern extras are scarce at 15c. Western selling well at 14 to 14 1/2c. as to grade. P. E. Island stock sold from Monday's boat at 13c. as the general price.