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Full Moon, 4th day, 5:1. 47.5m. p. m.  
Last Quarter 11th day, 10a. 16.7m. a. m.  
New Moon 18th day, 8a. 18.9m. p. m.  
First Quarter, 27th day, 9a. 41.9a. a. m.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Days
M.	rises	sets	rises	low
1 Wednesday	6 35	36 35	7 52	11 23
2 Thursday	5 34	4 26	8 43	29
3 Friday	6 32	4 57	9 26	26
4 Saturday	7 29	5 23	10 6	22
5 Sunday	9 25	6 30	10 46	19
6 Monday	10 6	6 41	11 27	16
7 Tuesday	12 24	7 24	12 18	12
8 Wednesday	13 22	8 14	1 5	9
9 Thursday	14 20	9 10	1 39	6
10 Friday	16 10	10 11	2 37	2
11 Saturday	17 16	11 16	3 38	10 59
12 Sunday	18 14	12 16	4 39	56
13 Monday	19 12	0 23	5 31	53
14 Tuesday	21 11	1 24	6 24	50
15 Wednesday	23 9	2 26	7 14	46
16 Thursday	24 7	3 40	8 9	43
17 Friday	24 5	4 43	9 48	40
18 Saturday	27 4	5 47	10 24	37
19 Sunday	28 2	6 49	10 58	34
20 Monday	29 0	7 50	11 32	31
21 Tuesday	31 4	8 48	12 02	27
22 Wednesday	32 26	9 44	0 6	24
23 Thursday	33 53	10 35	0 49	21
24 Friday	35 53	11 22	1 16	18
25 Saturday	38 48	0 40	2 42	12
26 Sunday	41 47	1 20	3 37	9
27 Monday	42 56	1 52	4 43	6
28 Tuesday	43 49	2 24	5 53	3
29 Wednesday	44 44	2 55	7 9	0
30 Thursday	45 42	3 24	8 9	9 59

THE RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

(Charlottetown Time.)

GOING WEST	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Charlottetown	6 47	9 12	4 27
Hunter River	7 47	10 55	5 47
Kensington	8 42	12 22	7 05
Summerside	9 07	12 57	7 37
Port Hill	10 30	4 12	
Alberton	12 05	6 57	
Tignish	12 42	7 47	
FROM WEST	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Tignish	2 02	6 47	
Alberton	2 40	7 57	
Port Hill	4 15	10 25	
Summerside	5 17	12 07	
Kensington	5 42	12 27	6 57
Hunter River	6 07	2 09	7 30
Charlottetown	7 02	3 25	8 47
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GOING EAST	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Charlottetown	4 17	7 02	
St. Peter's	5 22	8 37	
Mount Stewart	6 17	9 02	
St. Peter's	6 17	10 02	
Soaris	7 22	12 02	
Mount Stewart	8 32	9 07	
Cardigan	9 29	10 22	
Georgetown	10 47	10 47	
FROM EAST	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Soaris	6 47	2 17	
St. Peter's	7 52	4 00	
Mount Stewart	8 42	5 17	
Charlottetown	9 42	6 42	
Georgetown	10 42	7 27	
Cardigan	11 42	8 32	
Mount Stewart	12 42	9 42	

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**Milking Qualities of Cattle.**  
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The subject upon which I have chosen to read a short paper in connection with dairying is the milking qualities of the different herds of cattle. This being of so much importance to the community at large I need no apology for appearing before you, whom I have the honor of addressing to-night.

There are many breeds of cattle, which are kept in different parts of the world, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants with milk; but I shall refer only to those whose milking qualities we have all heard spoken of and of which most are to be found on this side of the Atlantic, they or their ancestry, with few exceptions, having come from Great Britain, the Channel Islands, or Northern Europe.

I shall do the Short horns the honor of naming them first, as they are, no doubt, the most representative kind to be found among civilized nations of any land now existing from here to the Antipodes. There are few civilized countries in which they are to be found. China, Japan and all the South American Republics have for some years imported them. What are, and whence came this wonderful breed of cattle that the agricultural world has seen and heard so much about? We do not purpose to enter into any lengthy disquisition on this race, but will say that they are a most valuable breed of cattle, which have existed in the northern countries of England from time immemorial. Their central location may be said to have been on the River Tees, flowing between the counties of York and Durham, where they were formerly called the Teeswater breed of cattle. They doubtless came at some remote period from the continent of Europe, and having gained a footing in these countries, retained it. They were, however, left to propagate by chance for a long period; but perhaps for about one hundred years before the publication of the first volume of the English Herd Book, many breeders, amongst whom might be found noblemen and wealthy country gentlemen, had been in the habit of bestowing great care and attention upon the selection and breeding of the Shorthorn Cattle, and in preserving their pedigrees in manuscript in a more or less complete shape. About the year 1780, Messrs. Charles and Robert Colling commenced as breeders, and obtained a very distinguished place in the profession. Shortorns about this time, from their superior milking and feeding qualities, began to obtain a high popularity, and at Mr. Charles Colling's sale, as long ago as 1810, his herd, consisting of 48 animals, amongst them the bull "Comet," 135 sold for the extraordinary sum of £7,115 sig., realizing the astonishing average of £148 5s. sig., or about \$740. In the year 1822, after the breed of Shortorns had been long established as a superior cattle, Mr. Cotes, himself an eminent breeder, published the first volume of the Shorthorn Herd Book. That work is continued in successive volumes until the present time, and since its inception thousands of Shortorns have been exported from England at remunerative prices to supply the increasing demand from other countries. Many persons of great experience with most breeds of milking cattle, place the Shortorns first for milk above all others. In a lecture given by Dr. Voecker, at the Parks Museum of Hygiene, in London, a short time ago, on "Milk and the Best Breeds for Producing it," he unhesitatingly places the Shortorns without a peer. He says: "Of all breeds of cattle none hold so high a place as the Shortorns, and this is the case not only when it is regarded as a meat-producing animal, but also for dairy purposes. The Shortorns are universally considered as deep milkers, and their use in herds such as Sir Hussey Vivian's, Mr. Tisdall's, and others, amply bears this out." He further says: "Two other points of the greatest importance in considering their advantages as dairy cattle are:—Firstly, the possession by them in the highest degree of the power of transmitting their milking properties, on which account they are eminently suited for crossing and improving other breeds, by imparting a Short Horn character to them. Secondly, the readiness with which the cows, when they have ceased to yield a remunerative supply of milk, will lay on meat of an excellent quality. In addition to these two chief points, there are others, such as their early maturity, robustness and excellence in rearing their offspring. So we find that our dairy cattle are getting stamped more and more with Short Horn character."

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