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MOON'S CHANGES.  
New Moon 6th day, 5h. 45m. p. m.  
First Quarter, 13th day, 6h. 41m. p. m.  
Full Moon, 21st day, 11h. 59m. p. m.  
Last Quarter 29th day, 10h. 10m. a. m.

Day of Week	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	High	Low	Days
Tuesday	4 51	7 3	1 39	5 43						
Wednesday	49	5	2 4	6 7	1					
Thursday	48	6	2 41	8 7						
Friday	46	7	3 12	8 59						
Saturday	45	8	3 46	9 45	14 28					
Sunday	43	10	4 25	10 15						
Monday	42	11	5 9	11 17						
Tuesday	41	12	5 59	inorm						
Wednesday	39	13	6 57	0 1						
Thursday	38	15	7 51	0 44						
Friday	37	16	9 3	1 30						
Saturday	35	17	10 8	2 17	14 44					
Sunday	34	18	11 21	3 7						
Monday	33	19	12 1	4 7						
Tuesday	32	21	1 14	5 16						
Wednesday	31	22	2 14	6 31						
Thursday	30	23	3 13	7 21						
Friday	28	24	4 13	8 12						
Saturday	27	25	5 12	8 53	14 59					
Sunday	26	26	6 12	9 31						
Monday	25	27	7 11	10 9						
Tuesday	24	28	8 10	10 46						
Wednesday	24	30	8 59	11 27						
Thursday	23	31	9 49	11 59						
Friday	22	32	10 30	12 28						
Saturday	21	33	11 8	1 17	15 12					
Sunday	20	34	11 41	2 1						
Monday	19	35	12 10	2 51						
Tuesday	18	36	0 12	3 52						
Wednesday	18	37	0 42	5 7						
Thursday	17	38	1 12	6 28						

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Ch'town, May 3.—2w wky 4i

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with all the latest improvements.  
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and wet plate process. Sitters can  
have their choice Children's Pic-  
tures, a specialty, made in one second.  
Copying and enlarging done at mod-  
erate prices. Special reduction made  
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And will completely change the blood in the entire system in three months. Any per-  
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JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT will instan-  
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cure nine cases out of ten. Information that will save  
many lives sent free by mail. Don't delay a moment.  
Prevention is better than cure.

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are worthless trash. He says that Sheridan's  
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Farmers, Peddlers and Storekeepers will find it to their advantage to bring  
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Ch'town, April 24, 1883.—2aw wky

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**GEORGE W. DEBLOIS,**  
March 16, 1882.—eod GENERAL AGENT.

**1847. Canada Life Assurance Company, 1882.**  
Capital and Funds over 5,000,000 Dollars.  
Annual Income over 1,000,000 Dollars.

HEAD OFFICE, HAMILTON, ONT.  
Managing Director and Pres't: A. G. RAMSAY. Secretary: R. HILLS. Superintendent: ALEX. RAMSAY.

Abstract of 35th Annual Report to 30th April, 1882:  
1. Assets 30th April, 1882. \$5,068,206.65  
2. Income for the year. 1,068,164.31  
3. Income from interest (included in above). 271,232.62  
4. Claims by death and maturity. 215,041.86  
5. Div. as estimated by the Company's tables and provided for. 365,598.99  
6. Difference in Company's favor between actual and estimated death rate. 150,816.14  
7. Excess of interest revenue over d. claims. 59,190.76

NEW BUSINESS is nearly a FORTY PER CENT. of the returns of 1882 of the 24 Licensed Companies.  
TOTAL on the Company's Books EXCEEDS A FOURTH of the entire amount for the year in Canada.  
BONUS ADDITIONS to Life Policies for the past fifteen years have added \$375 to each \$1,000 of Assurance.  
CASH PROFITS for same period have been from 35 to 39 per cent. of all premiums paid according to age  
at entry.

Abstract of Life Insurance in Canada for the Year 1881:  
(Condensed from the Superintendent's Annual Report for 1881)

	Premiums for year.	Amount of Policies.	Number of Policies.	Net Amount in force
	New.	In force at date.	In force at date.	at date.

Canada Life.....	\$908,111	\$3,071,750	13,096	\$24,904,171
Citizens.....	21,168	1,169,700	697	1,082,254
Confederation.....	214,728	1,917,214	5,378	8,003,279
North American.....	31,397	420,000	1,223	1,571,598
Life.....	34,353	1,410,384	1,810	1,157,212
Union.....	138,564	1,071,708	3,947	4,909,157
Equitable.....	403,507	1,821,302	9,087	11,970,068
Union Mutual.....	22,305	1,075,000	2,005	6,410,617
Standard.....	94,804	472,680	1,925	2,888,628
.....	101,724	1,072,000	3,239	6,870,014

Including Industrial Business,  
Intending Insurers can judge from the foregoing as to where they can place their patronage with the  
greatest SAFETY and ADVANTAGE.

MARITIME PROVINCE BRANCH—109 Hollis Street, Halifax, N. S.  
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**W. H. McLEAN,**  
Agent for Charlottetown.  
Nov. 4, 1882.

"Somedings."  
The Post Office Department at Washing-  
ton has recently issued an order changing  
the name of the Post Office at Nope, Massa-  
chusetts, to Squibnocket. We suppose all  
the advanced people of the neighborhood  
petitioned for the change. The plibian  
monosyllable, *Nope*, should of course give  
way to the aristocratic-sounding and esthetic  
name, *Squibnocket*. That terribly vulg-  
gating a spade is made much more pleas-  
ing to the eyes and ears of dudes and many  
others, by calling it an "agricultural imple-  
ment." The next thing we expect to hear  
of the Massachusetts people is, that they  
speak of their favorite dish of pork and  
beans as a "preparation of adipose tissue  
and ligninuous plant."

Even that cool article, ice-cream, may  
warm up feelings of warfare among the in-  
habitants of the earth. A young man of  
Louisville, Kentucky, enjoying the name of  
Summerdale, escorted a Miss McGhee to an  
ice-cream festival, and entertained her so  
liberally that he expended the sum of  
\$1.85. Subsequently, filled with remorse  
at his extravagance he, expressed regrets to  
a friend at being so lavish. Mrs. McGhee,  
the mother of the young lady, heard of the  
regrets, and thinking to overwhelm Sum-  
merdale, sent to the uneasy young man the  
sum she understood he had expended on her  
daughter. He was, however, equal to the  
occasion, and immediately sent word  
that the sum was 35 cents short. Sum-  
merdale had the advantage so far, but when  
Miss McGhee's small brother addressed him  
on the street as "thirty-five cent Joe," he  
lost his temper and threatened to thrash the  
youngster. The boy told the mother, and  
she threatened to cowhide Summerdale if  
he attempted anything of the sort. Sum-  
merdale being a man of resources swore out  
a peace-warrant against Mrs. McGhee and  
had her arrested, and she forth with re-  
sponded by having him arrested for disor-  
derly conduct. And all this comes  
through eating ice-cream. Who would  
have thought that the apparently harmless  
congealed oleaginous substance (see how  
easy it is to follow in the wake of our  
Massachusetts brethren) could contain so  
much.

There is good deal of philosophy in this  
from the *Arkansaw Traveller*. "Ef it tuck  
as much ob a struggle ter git drunk as it  
does ter git sober, I neber would hab laid  
out in de rain all night. De machinery ob  
de life is a mighty contrary arrangement.  
De thing dat yer oughter do is mighty  
easy, but de things yer oughter 'compish  
is powerful hard."

*Harper's Bazar* says that Mrs. Rabbit,  
when asked what use she would make of  
the rope, in case her escape from her room  
was cut off by fire, (she said any one should  
have a rope in their sleeping room) replied:  
"What a silly question! Why I would tie  
one end to the bedstead and the other  
round my waist, and jump out of the win-  
dow, of course."

Two of the funniest things imaginable, is to  
observe a man trying to thread a needle,  
and a woman throw a stone.

The *Boston Transcript* is correct when it  
says: "In heaven, we are told, there is  
more joy over one sinner that repenteth  
than over ninety-and nine who have never  
gone astray. It is just the other way here  
below. There is more joy over one righte-  
ous man who goes astray, than over ninety-  
and-nine thousand sinners who have kept at  
it all their lives."

The way they manage things in Houlton,  
Me., is thus indicated by the *Aristocrat Pio-  
neer*. "The American Express Office will  
be in Kennedy's building as soon as K  
moves his cutting-board up stairs, which he  
will do as soon as the rooms are vacated by  
Mr. Whitcomb, who has hired the Gallaher  
house, which is at present occupied by  
the Mr. Farmer, who has engaged rooms over  
the Red Store, but which will not be vacat-  
ed till needed repairs are made on a  
dwelling over the bridge."

A Vermont dentist recently received by  
mail an order for a set of teeth, which reads  
as follows: "My mouth is three inches  
across, five-eighths inches through the jaw.  
Sum hummocks on the edge. Shaped like  
a horse-shoe, toe forward. If you wish me  
to be more particular, I shall have to come  
thar."

ALCOHOL DID IT.—Perhaps one of the worst  
cases of destruction and vice that has ever  
been brought before public notice, occurred, on  
Saturday last, at Halifax, N. S. John Ven-  
ables, whose reputation at the Police Court,  
for being a vagrant and habitual drunkard, is  
notorious, and who, when not locked up, lives  
at 160 Grafton street, was startled to find his  
wife lying on what purported to be a bed, but  
so utterly filthy and worn out as to be unrec-  
ognizable as such, cold as death. On in-  
forming the authorities, the body was con-  
veyed to the dead-house, where an autopsy on  
the remains was made. The following de-  
scription of the scene occurs in the *Halifax  
Herald* of Monday: "To try to sketch, with  
pen and ink, the utter wretchedness of the  
apartment in which the Venables lived, would  
be futile, as the filth, misery and abject pov-  
erty which everywhere prevailed is beyond  
powers of description. The furnishings were  
the most meagre that could be imagined, and  
the inhabitants the most emaciated and dispa-  
pered looking that could well be conceived. An in-  
quest was held at 4.30 p. m., before Dr.  
Somers, coroner. An autopsy of the remains  
was made by Dr. Harrington, who gave evi-  
dence at the inquest. After hearing the other  
facts in connection with the death and hav-  
ing the medical opinion explained by the  
coroner, the jury rendered a verdict that the  
deceased had come to her death through ex-  
cessive indulgence in alcoholic beverages."

At a meeting of the National League,  
held in Limerick on the 14th, resolutions  
were passed denouncing the Government,  
and the arrears of rent and crimes acts.  
Wm. O'Brien, member of Parliament for  
Mallow, in a speech charged the Govern-  
ment with pursuing a policy of revenge.  
He adjured the Irish people to maintain  
courage, patience and union, and re-  
marked that there were already signs that  
their desires would be eventually attained.

Current Notes.  
The Canada Pacific Railway issued pas-  
senger tickets and billed freights over the  
Thunder Bay branch for the first time on  
Thursday last.

Mr. Findlay, representing New York  
capitalists, is exploring the mineral re-  
sources of Ottawa County with a view of  
investing there.

The celebrated musician, Dr. George A.  
McFarren, on whom the honor of knight-  
hood was shortly to be conferred, has de-  
clined to accept the order.

A despatch from Qu'Appelle, Northwest-  
ern territories, says that a fire there on the  
14th inst., destroyed almost the entire town.  
The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

The Bank of Montreal is floating a loan  
of £500,000 sterling, for the Quebec Gov-  
ernment, in London. The money is re-  
quired to pay off the floating debt of the  
Province.

Upwards of four hundred members of  
the British Association of Science have  
expressed their intention of attending the  
annual meeting in Montreal and the num-  
ber is still being rapidly added to.

The Pullman Car Company is manu-  
facturing ten emigrant sleeping cars to run  
on the Northern Pacific. They are to have  
the modern appliances and improvements,  
but of course will not be finished in the  
elegance of the first-class cars.

Sixty new second-class cars have been  
ordered by the Grand Trunk Railway,  
which have the desirable feature of having  
a portion of the car partitioned off for smok-  
ing. About thirty of the new cars have  
recently been put into service on the road  
and are a great improvement on the old  
style.

The annual statement of the Bank of  
Montreal, to April 30, has been issued. It  
shows net profits of \$1,556,788 after paying  
\$1,200,000 dividend of 40 per cent, placing  
\$250,000 to the rest. There is a balance of  
\$522,192 to profit and loss. The last item  
includes \$215,403 carried forward from 30th  
April, 1882.

It is an astonishing fact that from Mon-  
treal to the foot of the Rocky Mountains, a  
distance of more than two thousand miles  
over the Canada Pacific Railway, no grade  
will be encountered steeper than fifty two  
feet to the mile. The fact will prove of  
great importance by-and-by when the  
traffic from the Northwest becomes enor-  
mous.

Archbishop Croke has sent a communi-  
cation to the Papal Secretary of State main-  
taining that his conduct in relation to the  
agitation in Ireland has been perfectly regu-  
lar, and that his object was not to stimu-  
late revolt, but to obtain for the people  
right at justice. The explanation of the  
Archbishop is not deemed satisfactory at the  
Vatican.

The document sent by the Vatican to  
Bishops in Ireland relative to the Irish rai-  
sing, in referring to the fund being raised  
for Parnell, says it is intolerable that a  
priest (much more a bishop) should prom-  
ote such objects. The document con-  
demns all collections which may be em-  
ployed as a means of exciting rebellion  
against the laws.

This touching little incident is from the  
Rochester, N. Y., *Post*. One rises from its  
primal with mixed feelings:—A beautiful  
young girl was about to be married to a  
bachelor seventy years of age, but very  
rich. On the eve of her marriage she learned  
that his wealth had been suddenly swept  
away, leaving him a penniless old man.  
Did the noble girl desert him in this his  
hour of trouble? She did indeed, and her  
parents helped her, too.

The iron steamship *Mississippi*, owned by  
the Oregon Improvement Company, was  
burned at Sattle, W. T., on the 14th inst.,  
with 1,100 tons of coal. There was no tug  
in the vicinity to render assistance. The  
fire spread to the coal bunkers burning 500  
feet. The chief engineer was burned to  
death. The bunker timbers fell killing one  
man and injuring another. The vessel is a  
total loss. She was formerly owned by the  
Government and was used as a blockade  
runner.

Angelo Carmenino, the Italian who fat-  
ally stabbed Dominic Ottavio at the Ital-  
ian camp on the Ontario and Quebec rail-  
road was found, on Tuesday last, lying in  
an unconscious condition on Thos. Oshia's  
farm, about two miles from Norwood. His  
condition was caused by loss of blood from  
wounds in his left shoulder and arm, which  
were inflicted by his victim while engaged  
in the fight. It is the opinion that his  
wounds will prove fatal, as mortification  
has set in.

The New York Times says persons own-  
ing or living next door to people who own  
cats are earnestly advised to pack the cats  
in boxes and send them to Winnipeg with-  
out delay. The Winnipeggers are clamour-  
ing for cats, and at the latest advices were  
offering a dollar apiece for full-grown cats,  
and \$10 per dozen for assorted kittens.  
Charlottetown might do a lively trade with  
Winnipeg in this new industry. There is  
no secrecy of the feline element here, and  
at the rate of \$1 00 apiece for full grown  
cats, the profit derived would be enormous.

Great crowds thronged the streets on the  
14th, in the southern part of Kansas City,  
viewing the destruction by the storm.  
Workmen are already busy clearing away  
the debris from the streets and pitching up  
such houses as are capable of repair.  
Everything is yet in confusion and a com-  
plete list of wounded and estimates of the  
loss to property are not obtainable as yet.  
Three persons are known to be killed and  
some ten or a dozen seriously injured, some  
of whom will probably die. It is thought  
the loss to property will be less than a  
quarter of a million dollars. No reports  
have been received from outside the city,  
as the telegraph wires are not yet restored,  
but are being rapidly repaired and prob-  
ably will be working in a few hours.