CALENDAR FOR JANUARY, 1895

First Quar 4th day, 3h 39.5m, a. m.
Full Moon, 11th day, 2h 37.5m a. m.
Last Quar 17th day, 6h 43.7m. p. m.
New Moon, 25th day, 5h. 13.5m. p. m.

	Day of Week.	Sun rises	Sun sets	High water
		h m	h m	morn
1	Tuesday	7 49	4 18	2 4
2	Wednesday	49	19	2 43
3	Thursday	49	20	3 26
4	Friday	49	21	4 27
5	Saturday	49	22	5 41
6	Sunday	48	23	6 68
7	Monday	48	25	8 3
8	Tuesday	48	26	9 4
9	Wednesday	48	27	9 59
10	Thursday	47	29	10 48
11	Friday	47	30	11 36
2	Saturday	46	31	str'n 18
13	Sunday	46	33	0 59
14	Monday	45	34	1 40
15	Tuesday	45	35	2 24
16	Wednesday	44	37	3 12
17	Thursday	44	39	4 14
18	Friday	43	40	5 31
19	Saturday	42	41	6 47
20	Sunday	42	42	7 54
21	Monday	41	43	8 48
22	Tuesday	40	44	9 33
23	Wednesday	39	45	10 15
24	Thursday	38	47	10 47
25	Friday	37	48	11 25
26	Saturday	36	50	11 55
27	Sunday	35	51	morn
28	Monday	33	53	0 26
29	Tuesday	33	54	0 54
30	Wednesday	32	56	1 26
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Trains Outward. Read down.		Trains Inward. Read up
A M	Leave	Arrive P M
7 00	Charlottetown	2 30
7 19	Royalty Junction	2 11
8 03	North Wilmshire	1 27
8 17	Hunter River	1 13
8 48	Bra'dalbane	12 42
8 57	Emerald	12 33
9 10	Freetown	12 20
9 29	Ken-ington	1 10
10 00 (Ar)	Summerside (Lv)	11 10
P M (Lv)		A M (Ar)
12 50		10 50
1 11	Miscouche	1 10
1 37	Wellington	9 47
2 19	Port Hill	9 09
3 34	O'Leary	8 00
3 58	Bloomfield	7 34
4 34	Alberton	6 55
5 30	Tignish	6 00
P M		A M

P M		A M
2 30	Charlottetown	10 30
2 50	Royalty Junction	10 10
3 23	Bedford	9 37
3 55 (Ar)	Mount Stewart (Lv)	9 05
4 10 (Lv)	(Ar)	8 50
5 2	Cardigan	7 35
5 45	Georgetown	7 10
P M		A M

P M		A M
4 05	Mount Stewart	8 57
4 11	Morell	8 78
5 12	St Peter's	7 41
5 57	Bear River	7 02
6 40	Souris	6 20
P M		A M

P M		A M
1 00	Emerald	8 20
1 50	Cape Traverse	7 30
P M		A M

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A MEXICAN FETE.

CELEBRATING THE FEAST OF SAN LORENZO IN NEW MEXICO.

A Weird Performance in Which Grotesque Dancers Pay Tribute to the Saint — Ludicrous Features of the Ceremony.

Shortly after sundown the fete of San Lorenzo was inaugurated. It was an opening performance, as weird as a witches' dance, with a fiend from the Inferno fiddling out the accompaniment, says a Bernalillo dispatch to the New York Advertiser. Fagot fires were lighted in every square of the narrow, dusty streets, and soon the town was all ablaze with the yellow glare that cast fantastic shadows upon the walls of the little cubes of mud, the abode houses of a sun-kissed clime. A shot was fired, and there emerged from one of the low buildings a string of as peculiarly-garbed men as one might see in a year's travel through foreign countries. They came tripping out in single file, about twenty in number, swaying their lissome bodies in rhythm with a two-string fiddle and a guitar that was sadly out of tune, the while executing a dance that was never seen upon any stage. The costume was really a wonderful affair, the headdress being markedly striking in design and finish. In shape something like the French chapeau, it served the double purpose of a mask and headgear, extending to the mouth and enveloping the greater part of the head. It was gayly tinseled and tasseled and fairly shone with beads and all the ornamentation which the Mexican fancy can suggest. The lower part of the face was concealed by a silk handkerchief of brilliant color, leaving a small aperture for breathing purposes. Down the back floated vari-colored streamers, and capes of rich material drooped gracefully from the shoulders. In one hand they carried scroll work that looked like the substantial side of a paper rack and with the other they rattled their prettily decorated castanets in tune with the monotonous movements of the dance. Some of the dancers were distinguished in an original and startling way, which, to the American onlooker, lent ridicule to the whole inane proceeding. Over their velvet trousers were drawn abbreviated balloon pantalettes of the style so affected by the comic paper cartoonists in their sketches of the aunties of colored society.

Around the flaming fagot fires they formed and amid a silence as profound as a graveyard at night they circled these tributes to the saint, never changing the step, but varying the movements of the body at command of the leader. Sometimes they would bow and scrape to the flames, and then fall to the earth and squirm and wriggle like so many horrid snakes. It was a weird scene. The glow from the fires dreadfully accentuated the painted faces of the Indians, who stood stoically silent, with no manifestation of approval or displeasure. They formed a lurid background to a decidedly dramatic ceremony. The senors themselves, mantled in their scrapes, were an interesting part of the stage group, and the gaunt and sallow faces of the senoras seemed to reflect the spirit of superstition that swayed the scene. The dancers never appeared to grow tired. It was "Oh, on with the dance" all the time, until a diversion was created by the sudden appearance of an evil spirit in the makeup of a bull. This fellow wore horns, and the greater part of his body was incased in the hide of the animal that shows so much antipathy to red.

Rational Disinfection.

A practical unanimity of opinion may be said to prevail at present among physicians and chemists that the following methods of disinfection have proved the most effective and trustworthy: All fabrics which will not be injured in the process are to be boiled in water for at least four hours, and fabrics which will not stand this treatment require to be subjected to the action of dry heat for a much longer time. Furniture, etc., may be treated with a four-tenths per cent. solution of carbolic acid. All articles which have been in actual use by a patient are to be burned, the walls of the room must be thoroughly rubbed down with bread, which is afterward to be burned, and the sputa and excrements of the patient treated at once with chloride of lime German authorities advocate the employment of steam and heat, maintaining that these are cheap and efficient agents, being also highly penetrable and at the same time are dangerous to but few household articles. Of the three chemical agents destructive of disease germs viz.: carbolic acid, corrosive sublimate and chloride of lime, the last is the least expensive and dangerous.

The Christmas Hobby Horse.

Among the diversions of the season in the olden time was the hobby horse. It is said to have originated in Cornwall, where, according to tradition, the Scench once effected a landing at a small cove on the coast, but seeing at a distance a number of women dressed in their red Cornish cloaks they mistook them for soldiers, and fleeing to their ships put to sea. The boys and young men thereupon disported themselves by prancing around in imitation of a horse, with poles between their legs. In Kent the festivities of Christmas commenced, with a curious procession called hodening of young people, who had with them the stuffed head of a dead horse, which they fixed on a pole covered with a horse cloth. One of them got under this cloth and walked about, pulling a string attached to the lower jaw of the skeleton, thus making a loud snapping noise, which was accompanied by the others, who were grotesquely attired, with hand bells in their hands. They went from house to house and were given beer, cake or money.

Paragraphed Jokes.

Irate Lady—You're the seventeenth man who has been here canvassing for pictures to-day, and—— Band Canvasser—Ah! To think of sixteen frauds calling in one day. I hope you fired them out, ma'am.—Plain Dealer.

Magistrate—Why did you marry two wives? Pat—Well, sor, as long as I supported the both av thim widout wan knowin' about de other, I t'ought as how I might be doin' humanity a blessin' by dispensing wid wan ould maid.—Boston Courier.

The Judge Couldn't See It.

In a suit for separation, counsel for the plaintiff pleaded, among other reasons, incompatibility of temperament. He depicted the character of the husband as "brutal, violent and passionate. The husband's advocate rose in his turn and described the wife as "spiteful, short-tempered and sulky." "Pardon me," interrupted the judge, addressing both limbs of the law; "I cannot see, gentlemen, where the incompatibility of temperament comes in.

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The present condition of the convent on Mount Sinai is thus described by a recent writer in the Guardian: "It is an impressive thing thus to come upon a Christian colony and a Christian church in the rocky heart of the Sinaitic peninsula; a colony which can trace its ancestry to the earliest days of Byzantine Christianity, a church which bears witness to the faith of Justinian and Theodora, of Cosmas and Damian, of Catherine of Alexandria, and Catherine of Russia. The convent itself is a mass of buildings, heavily fortressed; there were days when it had to defend itself against Moslem persecution and Bedouin marauders.

"The monks within, some twenty or thirty in number, are uncouth and unkempt to the last degree. Hardly a sign of the effects of the religious life can be seen in their faces, many of them repulsive enough. But no visitor can fail to remember with gratitude their kindly and unaffected welcome. Their feelings toward the English church are most friendly, and if an English priest is among the travelers he is taken within the screen and allowed to kneel before the altar, and to take part in the celebration of the liturgy. The church is a fine basilica, richly but tastefully decorated and well cared for. Its chief artistic treasure is the superb mosaic work in the apse, of the seventh or eighth century, representing the transfiguration, to which the church is dedicated. As a rule there are three services daily, announced with chiming of bells and beating of the gong, at four and six a.m., and two in the afternoon (vespers). The eucharist is celebrated generally twice a week, and on saints' day.

"Beyond attending the services, the monks do not seem to have much to do. Study, of course, they never dream of. There is a great deal of baking of bread and brewing of date wine always going on, as well as some lazy whitewashing; there are the olives and vines in the garden to be looked after; but for the most part the inmates live a life of serene and vacant idleness. Of the chief officers the prior seems to be a nonentity, the mosa prominent person being the steward, who undertakes the services and the internal economy of the house. Next in importance comes the secretary, a young man in deacon's orders, with some pretensions to education, possessed of a good-natured heart and a minimum of bad French.

"The precious library is under his charge, though he knows nothing at all about it, and handles the MSS. in a way that is harrowing to one's feelings. But things are better now than they were once. The books are housed in three rooms with glazed windows; they are labelled, numbered, and most of them catalogued. Their contents have not yet been completely explored; but the latest researches warrant the belief that the principal treasures have been exhausted, and that another Codex Sinaiticus is not likely to be discovered in a waste-paper basket."

Vast Armaments of Europe.

Thirteen million bayonets prop up the czar's throne. That is the full strength of the Russian army on a war footing. Germany comes next, but after a long interval, with 3,700,000 soldiers; Italy has 3,155,000 and France 2,850,000, excluding 350,000 auxiliaries Austria's fine army, which in quality is reckoned scarcely second to Kaiser Wilhelm's, contains a maximum of 1,794,175 men. England at home and in her colonies can mobilize a force of 662,000. The little martial republic of Switzerland can summon 486,000 soldiers to her banners in an emergency, and even poverty-cursed Spain boasts of 400,000. Austria, of all the powers, has the most burdensome military establishment. Her annual expenditures on her army are $255,000,000, while Russia's, with an army seven times as large, are only $186,000,000, and Germany's $113,000,000. In proportion to size England's army is, perhaps, the most costly. Her 662,000 men require $89,000,000 annually for their support, or only $38,000,000 less than the amount which provides France with an enormous host of more than four times England's numbers.—Boston Journal.

"Have Another Prayer or Two!"

A good story of poor Villiers', the war correspondent, whose death in the war in the East is reported this week, was told me by Captain Charles Reade, R. N., a nephew of the novelist of that name. Captain Reade happened to be in a certain town in England one evening and found that Villiers was to lecture there on his experiences as a war correspondent. The lecture was under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. The proceedings were opened with prayer and then Villiers began his address. When he had got half way through he said, "Ladies and gentlemen, the most interesting portion of the evening's entertainment has now arrived—an interval of five minutes. I am going out for a minute or two. While I am away you enjoy yourselves; have another prayer or two!"

A Man With a Long Head.

A Texas military company were out to the range recently, practicing at rifle-shooting. The lieutenant in command suddenly became exasperated at the poor shooting, and, seizing a gun from one of the privates, cried angrily, "I'll show you fellows how to shoot!" Taking a long aim, and a strong aim, and an aim altogether, he missed. Cooly turning to the private who owned the gun, he said, "That's the way you shoot." He again loaded the weapon and missed. Turning to the second man in the ranks he remarked, "That's the way you shoot." In this way he contrived to miss about fifty or sixty times illustrating to each soldier his personal incapacity, and finally he accidentally hit the target. "And that," he ejaculated, handing the gun back to the private, "is the way I shoot."

Know When Icebergs Are Near.

The captain of an ocean steamer in most cases finds out when his vessel is approaching an iceberg from the men down in the engine-room. That sounds queer, but it is a fact, nevertheless. It appears that when a steamship enters water considerably colder than that through which it has been going its propeller runs faster. Such water usually surrounds the vicinity of bergs for many miles. When the propeller's action, therefore, is accelerated without the steam power being increased word is passed up to the officer on the bridge that bergs may be expected and a close lookout for them is established.—Washington Star.

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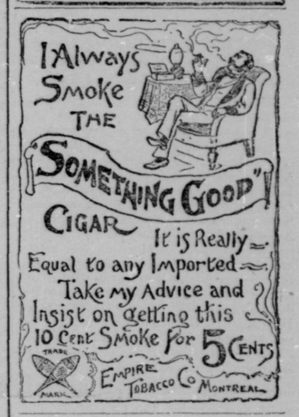

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