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First Quarter, 20th day, 1h 50 m., p. m. E
Full Moon, 28th day, 3h 57.4m., p. m. N.E.

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Accom. do do..........3.40 p. m.

TRAINS FROM THE WEST.

Express arrives at Charlottetown.7.20 p. m.
Accom. do ....10.40 a. m.

CAPE TRAVERSE BRANCH.

Train leaves Emerald Junction..6.15 p. m.
Train leaves Cape Traverse.......7.25 a. m.
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Train arrives Cape Traverse......7.05 p. m.

TRAINS FOR THE EAST.

Express leaves Charlottetown.......4 p. m.
Accom. do do...........7.30 a. m.

TRAINS FROM THE EAST.

Express arrives Charlottetown.10.20 a. m.
Accom. do do.........6.35 p. m.

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Leave Boston for Charlottetown, Saturday, 10 a. m.
Leave Charlottetown for Boston, Thursday, 6 p. m.

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Arrives Charlottetown from Halifax, about 6 a. m., Wednesday.
Leaves Charlottetown for Summerside, about 10 a. m., Wednesday.
Arrives Charlottetown from Summerside, about 4 a. m., Thursday.
Leaves Charlottetown for Halifax, N. S. 4 p. m., Thursday.

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Leaves Southport for Charlottetown, 6.15 a. m., and runs every half hour.
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Tuesday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point at 9.30, a. m., 12 a. m., and 2 p. m.
Wednesday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9.30 a. m., and 3 p. m.
Friday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9.30 a. m., 12 a. m., and 2 p. m.
Saturday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 8.30 a. m., 9.30 a. m., 2 p. m., and 4 p. m.
Sunday—Leaves Charlottetown for Rocky Point, 9 a. m., 12 a. m., 1 p. m., and 2 p. m.
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Arrives from Orwell—Thursday, 8 p. m.
Friday—Leaves for East River, 4 a. m., and 3 p. m.
Arrives from East River, 9 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
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Arrives from Crapaud, 10 a. m., and 9.30 p. m.
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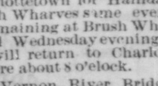

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Will go up to Vernon River Bridge every alternate Wednesday.

On Fridays will leave Charlottetown for Cranberry Wharf and Haggarty's Wharf, East River, at 5 o'clock, a. m.; leaving Cranberry Wharf for Charlottetown at 7.30 a. m., calling at Haggarty's and Hickey's Wharf.

Will leave Charlottetown for Hickey's and Cranberry Wharves at 3 o'clock, p. m., returning to Charlottetown same evening.

Every alternate Friday will go to Mount Stewart Bridge.

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Mastery of language consists in the proper arrangement of words rather than in a multiplicity of words. The use of simple terms is evidence of the highest art. It is the sole way, indeed, as a rule, in which the firmest and widest impressions can be made. To attain such a command of speech depends in large measure upon the possession of imaginative faculties. Metaphor is frequently a substitute, not only for large words, but for many words. It suggests rather than depicts, and from its peculiar measure makes necessary the employment of terms that are readily understood. It should not be forgotten, also, that there are few pursuits that demand a varied vocabulary. Many of the technical terms used by a lawyer are of little practical worth to a physician, or a merchant and vice versa. It is questionable also if the English language is not worse for the multitude of unnecessary adjectives that have crept into it from one source and another. "Junius" looked upon adjectives as if they were personal enemies. Macaulay used them under protest. There is a peculiar force in the familiar observation of Thomas Hobbes—"Words are wise men's counters—they do but reckon by them—but they are the money of fools."

PARADOX OF THE NORTH POLE.

At the North Pole it is Impossible to Move in Any Direction but South.

At the North Pole there is only one direction—south. One could go south in as many ways as there are points on the compass card, but every one of these ways is south, east and west have vanished. The hour of the day is a paradoxical conception, for that point is the meeting place of every meridian, and the time of all holds good, so that it is always any hour one cares to mention. Unpunctuality is hence impossible—but the question grows complex, and its practical solution concerns few.

No one needs to go to the pole to discover all that makes that point different from any other point of the surface. But the whole polar regions are full of unknown things, which every Arctic explorer of the right stamp looks forward to finding. And the reward he looks forward to most is the approval of the few who understand and love knowledge for its own sake, rather than the noisy applause of the crowd who would cheer him, after all, much as they cheer a winning prizefighter, or racehorse, or political candidate.

The difficulties that make the quest of the pole so arduous have been discovered by slow degrees. It is marvellous how soon nearly the full limits of northward attainment were reached. In 1596 Barents discovered Spitzbergen in about 78° north; in 1770 Hudson reached 80°; in 1827 Parry, by sledging on the ice when his ship became fast, succeeded in touching 82° 45'. Since then all the enormous resources of modern science—steam, electricity, preserved foods and the experience of centuries—have only enabled forty miles of additional poleward advance to be made.—McClure's Magazine.

People Who Fall Safely.

A fall, as a rule, injures a drunken man much less than a sober one, because, the controlling power of the mind being rendered nil through intoxication, the body falls as an inert mass, and thus the chances of injury are lessened, for, strange though it may appear, it is no less a fact that the most numerous cases of injury arising from a fall are caused by the effort, voluntary or otherwise, to avert the consequences, thus straining the muscles and tendons. Very rarely are injurious effects from a fall known in a lunatic asylum, for the same simple reason—the mind has no influence over the action of the body. And it is a remarkable and well-known fact to those who have to deal with such cases, adds the Boston Herald, that whatever injuries are so caused heal much more rapidly than in the case of sane people, the mind having more to do with retarding or assisting nature's efforts than is generally known or realized.

What Language Did Christ Speak?

A fascinating problem that has long engaged the attention of philosophers is the determination of what language was spoken by Christ—whether it was a dialect of Hebrew or a Hebraistic form of Greek. The controversy that arose as the result of the varying conjectures of biblical scholars is revived by the publication of Alexander Gardner's little book entitled "A Short Proof That Greek was the Language of Christ." Mr. Gardner takes issue with Renan and other illustrious semitic students and declares that in Christ's time Hebrew was a dead language, and the version of the Scriptures with which the people of Palestine were familiar was in Greek.

The Chinook Winds.

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Was the Boy Irish?

A schoolboy the other day, being told to describe Jacksonville, Fla., said: "It is a great summer resort in winter."

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RELIGIOUS IDEAS OF TENNYSON.

Interesting Recollections of Long-Ago Sayings of the Poet.

John Addington Symonds, relating a conversation between Gladstone and Tennyson, in his "Recollections" of the latter in The Century, records the Laureate as saying of the incognizability of matter: "I cannot form the least notion of a brick. I don't know what it is. It's no use talking about atoms, extension, color, weight. I cannot penetrate the brick. But I have far more distinct ideas of God, of love and such emotions. I can sympathize with God in my poor way. The human soul seems to me always in some way—how we do not know—identical with God. That's the value of prayer. Prayer is like opening a sluice between the great ocean and our little channels." Then of eternity and creation: "Huxley says we may have come from monkeys. That makes no difference to me if it is God's way of creation. He sees the whole—past, present and future—as one." Then of morality: "I cannot but think moral good is the crown of man. But what is it without immortality? Let us eat and drink, for to-morrow we die. If I knew the world were coming to an end in six hours would I give my money to a starving beggar? No; if I did not believe myself immortal. I have sometimes thought men of sin might destroy their immortality. The eternity of punishment is quite incredible. Christ's words were parables to suit the sense of the times." Further of morality: "There are some young men who try to do away with morality. They say, 'We won't be moral.' Comte, I believe, and perhaps Mr. Grote, too, deny that immortality has anything to do with being moral." Then from material to moral difficulties: "Why do mosquitoes exist? I believe that after God had made His world the devil began and added something."

"The Master Builder."

How it is that literal minded people can take vulgar and scandalous meaning from plays like this, dealing with psychology, with the spiritual part of men and women, is incomprehensible. Such readers deserve the fate that overtook the hypochondriac doctor, who mistook for evil the innocent liberties taken with him by the heroine of "The Dolls' House." Disgusted with his own turpitude of soul he makes some amends for his unpardonable mistake by committing suicide.

It is a matter of congratulation that Miss Elizabeth Robins, who interprets Henrik Ibsen to London, has made a pronounced success of "The Master Builder." The critics try to make much of the symbolism of the play. Symbolism there unquestionably is in the building of churches, homes, and afterwards homes with spires; but in explaining these symbols the danger is that the critic will substitute his fancies for those of the author. Like all great works of the imagination that are destined to live in literature, "The Master Builder" is wonderfully suggestive; and it throws strong lights on many problems of life; but if the reader will try to understand Ibsen's flesh-and-blood characters he will derive more benefit from them than in probing the author's secondary and more recondite meanings.

The Author of "Wee Wifie."

To-day Rosa Nouchette Carey would impress you first of all, with the fact that she was a gentlewoman. She is tall, slender and carries herself most gracefully; she has great, large eyes that seem sometimes blue and sometimes gray, while her hair, which is a soft dark brown, is brushed off her face and braided at the back, and if you looked at it closely you would see a silver thread or two. She has that most excellent thing in a woman—a sweet, musical voice, and it would seem as if, in this respect, like looked for like, inasmuch as her greatest pets are birds—one gay little thrush coming with great regularity every morning to her window for its breakfast.

Miss Carey lives in an artistically-built Elizabethan house at Putney, which is a neighborhood full of romance. Here it was that Cromwell made his headquarters when King Charles was his prisoner at Hampton Court. Here Queen Elizabeth used to stay at the house of Mr. Lacy, a clothier, who had made a fortune and whose son entertained Charles I.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Love's Solace.

After the night comes the dawn, sweetheart,
The rainbow after the rain;
And so, 'though now we are far apart,
Some day we will meet again.
Your hand in mine as in days of old,
My tired head on your breast,
While the jeweled wings of night unfold
We will sit in the dusk and rest.
No matter how long the day, sweetheart,
The twilight comes on apace;
No matter how rough the way, sweetheart,
At the end is a resting place,
And ever the tender dream we share
Of the wonderful time to come,
When the castles we build to-day of air
May be changed for a happy home.
Forget the bitter tears we have shed;
There are smiles for us yet, I know;
Toil hopefully on, and look ahead,
And our burdens will lighter grow.
God send us peace, though He sent us pain,
The bitter as well as the sweet;
And we shall not suffer all in vain,
If love guides our steps 'till we meet.
—Ida Goldsmith Morris.

Early Struggles of a Popular Author.

Robert Buchanan's account in The Idler of his early struggles with poverty when he began to woo the muses is of pathetic interest. He arrived in London from Scotland with only a half-crown in his pocket and lived in a garret while engaged in a disheartening struggle to make both ends meet. Sometimes for a fortnight together he had no dinner, and his most relished meals were composed solely of coffee and muffins saturated with butter—diet "worthy of the gods," as he thought then. This feast over, and feeling "full-fed, glowing, oleaginous," he wandered about the streets smoking a pipe of cheap tobacco for dessert.

Dr. Schliemann as a Linguist.

Dr. Schliemann's faculty in languages is noted by the author of an appreciative article in The Atlantic. He describes the archaeologist as carrying his part, at his own table, in three concurrent conversations in as many tongues. But though many modern languages were at his command, Schliemann conscientiously preferred and used classical Greek.

Schliemann's children are more Greek than German or American. His daughter Andromache was not long ago married to Leon Meias, son of the present Demarch of Athens.

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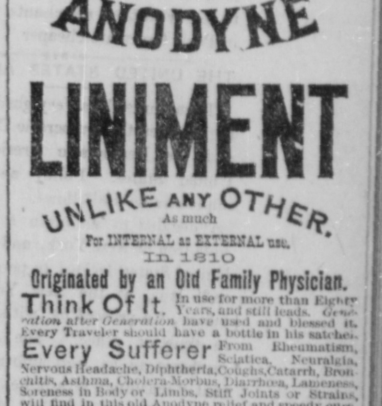

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