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Full Moon, 8th day ..... 7 33 morn
Last Quarter, 15th day ..... 2 13 morn
New Moon, 22nd day ..... 6 35 morn
First Quarter, 30th day ..... 9 5 morn
Perigree, 12th day ..... 6h. morn

Day of Month.	Day of Week.	High Water. Morn.	High Water. After.
		h. m.	h. m.
1	Monday	3 39	4 6
2	Tuesday	4 33	5 0
3	Wednesday	5 47	6 25
4	Thursday	7 3	7 37
5	Friday	8 11	8 41
6	Saturday	9 10	9 36
7	Sunday	10 1	10 23
8	Monday	10 44	11 3
9	Tuesday	11 22	11 39
10	Wednesday	11 56	.. ..
11	Thursday	0 13	0 30
12	Friday	0 47	1 3
13	Saturday	1 23	1 42
14	Sunday	2 4	2 27
15	Monday	2 57	3 27
16	Tuesday	4 7	4 48
17	Wednesday	5 40	6 32
18	Thursday	7 13	7 53
19	Friday	8 29	8 25
20	Saturday	9 20	9 46
21	Sunday	10 4	10 23
22	Monday	10 41	10 59
23	Tuesday	11 16	11 32
24	Wednesday	11 47	.. ..
25	Thursday	0 3	0 18
26	Friday	0 33	0 48
27	Saturday	1 4	1 21
28	Sunday	1 38	1 56
29	Monday	2 14	2 35
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The Scott Act.

(Montreal Gazette.)

The defeat of the Scott Act in Drummond is not a cause of surprise. While nominally in force it was apparent that it was not observed in many parts of the county, from reasons that have prevailed almost everywhere that a local option law has been adopted. The enthusiasm in behalf of a moral influence that led to the adoption of the law evaporated, and there was not left sufficient steady sentiment among the general public to support a rigid enforcement. A prohibition law that does not prohibit quickly loses the sympathy of those of the community whose votes in the first place are secured by favor for what they admit is a good cause rather than by conviction that it is a duty resting upon them to make the measure effective. In Drummond the friends of the act were weakened also by the fact that racial lines were more or less sharply drawn in the contest, and the voting in some degree became a struggle of French versus English, where the English were in the minority. The result is unfortunate for the prohibitionists, at a time when their efforts are being put forth before the Royal commission to show that the prohibition of the liquor traffic is both desirable and desired by the people of Canada. Coming after so many other cases in which the act has been repealed, it must be regarded as an evidence of popular disapproval of local option, at least in so far as the Canadian law has been able to enforce it. The Scott Act has been on the statute books for fifteen years, and has been amended many times with the object of making it more effective. During that period contests have been held in seven cities and 72 county municipalities. It is now in force in 32 counties, including Drummond, which has just pronounced against it. The summary of the voting is as follows:—

Carried 3 times and still in force	1
" 2 " "	5
" 1 " "	26
	32
Defeated and not submitted again	16
Carried first time and defeated second	28
Carried twice and defeated twice	1
Carried once and defeated twice	1
Carried twice and defeated once	2
Carried three times and defeated once	2
Carried three times and defeated once	1
	51

The rise and fall in favor of the act is shown by the following figures of successes and defeats in the years since it became law:

	Carried.	Lost.
1878	3	....
1879	9	1
1880	4	1
1881	10	4
1882	3	1
1883	1	....
1884	18	4
1885	21	7
1886	2	2
1887	1	....
1888	2	10
1889	2	20
1890	....	1
1891	1	1
1892	....	2

The significant part of the record is that the majority of the defeats were sustained after a trial of the measure. Inefficient enforcement, and an incapacity to devise methods to secure an improvement in the existing state of public opinion, are without doubt the causes behind this state of affairs, which, in so far as it represents a going back in the cause of temperance is a matter of regret.

A Languishing Industry.

London Industries is by no means confident of England's ability to maintain her supremacy in the manufacture of cotton. The competition of foreign manufacturers had led to repeated reduction of wages and of working time in order to keep the Lancashire mills going. The profits have been reduced to a very low average; and the limited markets available offer no prospect of an increase in the near future. "The spinning trade," says this journal, "in the bulk stands worse than it did ten years ago, notwithstanding the fact that foreign manufacturers procure much of their yarns from England, and from them produce cotton goods which displace in many important markets these woven here. The reports of the cotton-spinning companies show that the profits for some years past have averaged under 3 per cent. Last half year profits touched the vanishing point for about half the spinning companies, and many of them suffered heavy losses. The weaving branch is even more unsatisfactory, and in Blackburn and other towns in which this is the chief industry there has been a considerable decrease in the number of looms employed. Many of the weaving sheds have changed hands since the strike of 1878, in many cases being taken up at half their rental by men of practical knowledge and energetic character, but of small capital, who are not able to stand much loss. Just now weaving sheds are unsaleable and cannot in some instances be let on any terms whatever. Some of the older firms keep their works going chiefly from a sense of obligation to their workpeople, whom they have employed for so long, and who still trustfully look to them for work to earn the means of living. The reduction in price has been brought about by the competition, not only of such countries as France, Belgium, Germany and Switzerland, but also of America and India. Formerly Lancashire found a great part of her market in these countries, but they are now not only in great part supplying their own wants, but also in some cases competing with us for the neutral markets of the world." It is not surprising, in view of facts such as these, in England that all the great centres of industry are crying out for a change in the trade policy so as to give some protection to British trade at home and abroad.

We will exchange our property in the city for property in the country—W P Colwill.

Mennonite Homes.

Chortiz and Schanzenfeld, in Manitoba, are like oases in the vast and treeless prairie, because the Mennonites have succeeded in growing trees where other colonists have failed. Each house stands in about a quarter of an acre of garden, planted around with poplars and ash-leaved maples; inside these, which serve as a wind-break, are plum and crab-apple trees, and a sort of hedge of gooseberry and currant bushes. In the centre of the garden are flower beds, blazing with the scarlet poppy and fragrant with mignonette. The beds are divided from one another by a wicker-work fence, woven into a fanciful pattern.

The houses themselves are large, square frame buildings, banked around with a white clay wall or terrace about three feet high and a foot and a half broad. The effect is quaint but good, as the wall is smooth and well made. The house door opens directly into the living room, with its floor of concrete of their own manufacture. Round the sides of this—the largest and most interesting room in the house—are high, broad, yellow benches for sitting or sleeping, and under the window stands a long table.

Running out into the middle of the room is the front projection of a Russian furnace made of white clay, and with a great iron basin sunk in the top. This is used for various purposes—to heat water for washing or to catch the blood of a pig when it is killed, blood pudding being a favorite dish with them. Behind the basin is an oven for breaking bread, which they make in huge loaves, fitting the whole interior so that a Mennonite loaf would easily cover the top of a little drawing table. The back of the furnace rises to within a foot or two of the roof and forms a greater part of the partition between the living room and the bedroom behind it.

In this second room the back of the furnace looks like a small square chamber, with a narrow, deep opening in the side. In this recess the women place the kettle or anything to be boiled. Neither wood nor coal is burned, but a fuel made of manure and clay—a sort of peat. All the refuse is collected from the stables and mixed with clay and water; it is then pressed down with a roller and left to dry, after which it is cut out in square blocks with a spade and piled ready for burning. It can easily be understood that when this stuff is ignited the odor is more overpowering than agreeable.

Screwed against the wall is a curious old-fashioned uncased clock, made more than a century ago, with its large brass hands and pendulum worked in elaborate and fantastic patterns. These are cleaned and polished until they gleam like pale gold, and the women take especial pride in them, as they are heirlooms.—San Francisco Chronicle.

News Notes.

A semi-public dinner has been given in England at which all the viands were cooked by electricity, and much confidence was expressed that the days of coal, wood and gas stoves are numbered.

It is estimated that before completion the Manchester ship canal will have cost seventy million dollars, nearly double the original estimate. All hope of its ever paying any dividend is well nigh abandoned.

Howard Pulver was walking home in company with a stranger at Crete, Illinois, Saturday night; nothing but friendly words passed between them on the way till near the depot, then the stranger, without a word of warning or the least cause of provocation, leaped upon Pulver and began slashing him with an old razor. After Pulver had been fatally cut the man left him and cooly walked back up the track a short distance, where, meeting an approaching freight train, he deliberately threw himself in front of the engine and was killed instantly. The only conclusion that can be arrived at is that the deed was done in a sudden fit of insanity.

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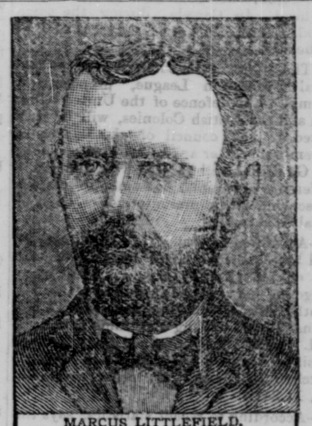

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