

CALENDAR, MAY, 1897

MOON'S CHANGES.  
New Moon, 1st, 4h. 33.8m., p. m.  
First Quarter, 9th, 5h. 24.3m., p. m.  
Full Moon, 16th, 9h. 42m., a. m.  
Last Quarter, 23rd, 5h. 22m., a. m.  
New Moon, 31st, 8h. 13.1m., a. m.

Day of Week	Sun		High Water
	Rises	Sets	
	h. m.	h. m.	mo
1 Saturday	4 51	7 4	58
2 Sunday	49	5	11 18
3 Monday	48	6	1 17
4 Tuesday	46	7	2 30
5 Wednesday	45	8	3 10
6 Thursday	43	10	3 59
7 Friday	42	11	4 33
8 Saturday	40	12	5 24
9 Sunday	39	13	6 20
10 Monday	38	15	7 23
11 Tuesday	37	16	8 33
12 Wednesday	35	17	9 48
13 Thursday	34	18	10 57
14 Friday	33	19	12 04
15 Saturday	32	20	1 11
16 Sunday	31	22	2 18
17 Monday	29	23	3 25
18 Tuesday	28	24	4 32
19 Wednesday	27	25	5 39
20 Thursday	26	26	6 46
21 Friday	24	27	7 53
22 Saturday	23	29	9 00
23 Sunday	23	30	10 07
24 Monday	22	31	11 14
25 Tuesday	21	32	12 21
26 Wednesday	20	33	1 28
27 Thursday	20	34	2 35
28 Friday	19	35	3 42
29 Saturday	18	36	4 49
30 Sunday	18	37	5 56
31 Monday	17	38	7 03

Wants, Lost, Found &c

AGENTS WANTED.—\$4 to \$7 daily easy. Patent Novelty. Used by every Family, Farmer and Statesman. District given.  
KIRWAN & TYLER, "Dept. G," Baltimore, Md.  
TO LET—House on Cumberland St. H. P. Welsh 94  
WANTED at once, a Cook Apply at the Revere Hotel.  
WANTED—A girl for general housework Apply to Mrs. Thos. Campbell, Richmond St.  
FOUND, Purse containing a sum of money. Apply to H. Monaghan, Grafton St. 11  
WANTED—A good general servant. No washing. Apply to Miss Dawson, Malpeque Road. 119  
A WANTED—To purchase a second-hand vis-à-vis Wagon. Apply at the office of J. H. Reddin. 120-31 eod  
LOST OR MISLAIN.—A Bicycle Rain Case. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.  
FOR SALE—A desirable Building Lot on corner of Sydney and Hillsborough Streets Apply to W. W. Welner. 98  
LOST.—On St. Peter's Road, between Dunstaffnage and Scotchfort, an overcoat. Finder will oblige by leaving at this office or at the Ten Mile House, 121-dy21wky1.  
WANTED.—A housemaid; wages seven dollars a month. Apply with references to Miss Margaret Forrester, Rothesay, King's County, New Brunswick. 119  
RELIABLE shipping agent wanted. Big Commission Home Journal Publishing Co. Globe Building Toronto 108 sat. wed  
FOR SALE—At a bargain, a second-hand American Piano, patent action. Apply at this office. 106 21  
WANTED.—Two or three gentlemen boarders can find accommodations in a central part of the city by applying at this office. Pleasant locality. 115-dy 31n pd.  
FOR SALE.—Building lot 30x105 feet on west side of Upper Prince St, between residences of R. Bealston and R. B. Norton. If not sold by 26th inst, will be offered at Auction on that date. R. Bealston. 118-14  
TO LET—A house, situated on Oriabar St. containing 3 Rooms, besides large pantry. Possession given 1st May. Mrs. Blatch, Cor. Great George and Fitzroy Streets 6108-1w4  
TO LET—An office in Bank Building with 1st-floor vault, adjoining the offices of Messrs. Davies & Hazard. Apply to J. M. Davison, Cashier. 106  
SALEMEN WANTED, in every district to handle reliable goods, new season, samples free, salary from the start. For particulars write Luke Bros, Co Montreal. 95  
TO LET.—The southern half or the late Chief Justice Palmer's house on Queen Street can be inspected at any time. Apply to Mrs. E. Palmer, or at office of H. James Palmer. 83  
TO LET—The dwelling house containing seven rooms, on Hillsborough St. adjoining the residence of Lemuel Poole, Esq. Also stable therewith. For particulars as to rent, etc., apply to George Alley. 104  
FOUR BOARDERS WANTED.—Mrs. A. W. Newbury, Grafton Street, opposite the site of Reitenbury's new Pork Packing Factory, has accommodations for four men boarders. 31 eod pd  
BOARDERS.—Miss M. A. Martin, from Souris, has re-opened the Stanley House on St. George St., next door to J. T. Fawcett's store, and is prepared to receive boarders. 118-21 rd  
TO LET—A house containing six rooms situated on King St. back of Merchants Bank, of P. E. L. Possession given 1st of June apply to Miss. Lowden, Dundas Esplanade.  
Plenty of good fresh Oysters, by the quart and half shell. Please leave orders in the forenoon. All orders promptly attended to. F. NOCH CARMODY, Sidney Street, Same 130d-nd, 105-1w4  
TO LET—A house on Stewart St. lately occupied by Mr. K. Dobie, containing 7 large rooms, hall and pantry with outbuilding attached. Possession given immediately. Apply to Thomas Edward Blackburn 168-2w pd  
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Trains Outward. Read down.	STATIONS.	Trains Inward. Read up.
3 10 P. M.	*Charlottetown...	3 10 P. M.
3 17 P. M.	Royalton Junction...	2 50 P. M.
4 17 P. M.	North Wiltshire...	2 04 P. M.
5 17 P. M.	Hunter River...	1 49 P. M.
6 05 P. M.	Bradaltane...	1 15 P. M.
5 13 P. M.	Emerald...	1 07 P. M.
5 27 P. M.	Freetown...	12 53 P. M.
5 47 P. M.	Kensington...	12 33 P. M.
6 20 P. M.	Ar. S' Side Lv.	12 00 P. M.
		A. M.
12 50 P. M.	Lv. Ar.	10 30 A. M.
1 11 P. M.	Miscouche...	10 10 A. M.
1 37 P. M.	Wellington...	9 47 A. M.
2 19 P. M.	Port Hill...	9 09 A. M.
3 34 P. M.	O'Leary...	8 00 A. M.
3 58 P. M.	Bloomfield...	7 34 A. M.
4 34 P. M.	Alberton...	6 55 A. M.
5 30 P. M.	Tignish...	6 04 A. M.
		A. M.
2 30 P. M.	Charlottetown...	10 30 A. M.
2 50 P. M.	Royalton Junction...	10 10 A. M.
3 23 P. M.	Bedford...	9 30 A. M.
3 55 P. M.	Ar. Mt Stewart Lv. Ar.	9 05 A. M.
4 10 P. M.	Morell...	8 55 A. M.
5 50 P. M.	St. Peters...	7 48 A. M.
5 12 P. M.	Bear River...	7 03 A. M.
5 57 P. M.	Souris...	6 20 A. M.
6 40 P. M.		
		A. M.
4 10 P. M.	Mt. Stewart...	8 50 A. M.
5 22 P. M.	Cardigan...	7 35 A. M.
5 45 P. M.	Georgetown...	7 10 A. M.
		A. M.
5 15 P. M.	Emerald...	7 50 A. M.
6 05 P. M.	Cape Traverse...	7 00 A. M.
		A. M.

\*Special train leaves Charlottetown at 6.15 o'clock (Standard Time) every morning, to connect with the steamer Northumberland at Summerside.  
Trains run by Eastern Standard Time.  
A. McDONALD, Superintendent, Charlottetown.  
D. POTTINGER, Gen Mgr Govt. Ry., Moncton, N.B.  
Railway Office, Jan 1, 1897.

THE GALLOWS TREE.

FAMOUS LIVE OAK OF CALIFORNIA THAT IS NO MORE.

From Its Limbs More Than Fourteen Men Were Hanged—Some of the Most Noteworthy Executions—The Tree Was Probably 600 or 700 Years Old.

The famous gallows tree of San Bernardino county, southern California, is no more. There was not another tree in all the world like it. From its great branches more than 14 men had swung into eternity, and in its shade some of the most thrilling events in the history of the westing of the golden state of California from Indian half breeds and Mexican dominion have been planned.

The tree was what is known in California as a live oak—in the land where very few trees grow naturally, and where, a generation ago, one might travel for days with ox or mule team across the burning sandy wastes without once finding a tree under which to rest in the shade. Such a specimen of vegetation was a landmark known far and wide and a natural resting and meeting place.

The tree was undoubtedly 600 or 700 years old. It stood in the valley of San Bernardino—the only one of the kind for miles around. Years ago, before the Americans peered into the valleys of southern California, the tree had no counterpart for several hundred miles adjacent.

When General John C. Fremont and his troops, acting in conjunction with Commodore Stockton, seized the quaint old Mexican pueblo of Los Angeles and raised the stars and stripes there in June, 1848, the first recorded executions took place at the big oak tree. In the brief fight that took place amid the feeling of half the terrified Mexican population from the pueblo when the American cannonading began, a gang of half breeds improved the opportunity to rob by visiting homes (haciendas) on the outskirts of the town. At one home, where the rascals unexpectedly found the owners at home, they shot and stabbed the whole family to death. A few days later, when the fleeing populace had recovered from its fright and returned to Los Angeles, the fearful murder was known. A posse of Mexican riders—the best in the world—was organized and started out across the plains toward the nearest neighboring people, San Bernardino, nine miles away. The murdering and thieving gang was trailed up to the Cajon pass, and there caught. There were seven in the gang. The posse lashed the wretches to their horses and started back to Los Angeles.

On the way the pursuers with their captives stopped to rest in the shade of the oak. Two of the captives, who were loosed, so as to let them feed themselves, made a desperate attempt to run away. They were caught after a hard struggle, and in the anger at their attempt to elude justice four of the prisoners were hanged then and there.

But the most sensational and memorable execution that ever took place at the oak tree gallows was on May 16, 1863. The war of the rebellion was on at that time, and hundreds of rascals, all round bad men, invaded southern California and Arizona to escape army duty. The war made an extraordinary demand for cattle, and for two years the Mexican cattle men were harassed day and night by a gang of cattle thieves, who would secretly drive the cattle feeding in the valleys and canyons miles from the ranch house to the foothills, and then by stealth would urge

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THE GALLOWS TREE.

At last, after months of watching and some cowboy detective work, a gang of nine cattle thieves was surrounded by a posse of four times that number of Mexican and American cowboys at the mouth of Santa Anita canyon. There was a terrific short battle. Three of the cowboys were shot dead and several were wounded. Four of the thieves were killed. The cowboys were so maddened at the killing of their companions and so incensed at the memory of the robberies that they had so long suffered that they abandoned all consideration of a trial for the remaining captured thieves, and having bound and lashed their captives, started forthwith down across the valley for the gallows tree. All the men were on horseback, and there was no way of building a temporary platform for the execution under a limb of the tree. To make the hanging as much of an indignity and as torturous as the cowboys could conceive nooses were made from the cowhide lariats on the saddles of the cattlemen.

The nooses were put about the neck of each of the five prisoners. Then the prisoners were forcibly boosted up into the low oak tree, while the armed cowboys circled about the oak to keep a close eye on their game. When the free ends of the ropes had been fastened about the limb of the tree and the arms of the doomed thieves had been tied, the men were ordered to leap down. Two did leap, cursing their captors as they jumped into midair. The other three held back, but were pushed off the limb on which they sat, going down with a jerk. One of the limbs bent so low with its human weight that the boots of one of the strangling men just touched the ground, and a horseman held the limb up at arm's length while the hanging man slowly expired. The bodies were cut down a few days later and were buried beneath where they were hanged. The graves are pointed out to this day.

In the fall of 1870, when San Bernardino had grown to a village of 4,000 people and the pueblo of Los Angeles had become a place of 8,000 Americans and Mexicans, a teamster was killed and his wagon robbed one night by highway robbers. The people at San Bernardino were deeply stirred at the deliberate assassination for money. When George Peters and Henry Walling were brought to the new jail there to await trial for the crime, the male part of the population could not wait for law to take its course where facts were so self evident and went down to the jail one night in a crowd. The jailer was cajoled into delivering the keys to the masked men, and the two murderers were soon hauled from their cells. Peters kicked and swore and knocked two men down as he was hustled from the jail, and in a moment of anger was shot dead. Walling was put in a dray on the public streets and escorted by over 100 men, was taken to the oak tree and there hanged in the moonlight. He was the last man who went to his death at the gallows tree.—Philadelphia Times.

Her Eric-a-brac.  
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Public Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the Act of Incorporation, a public meeting of all contributors to the above Institution will be held in the Prince Edward Island Hospital, on Tuesday, the 25th day of May 1897, in the city of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, at the hour of 8 p. m., for the purpose of election of Trustees, for the government of the Institution, in accordance with the bye laws, and for the transaction of such other business as shall be brought before the meeting.

**R. BALDERSTON,**  
Sec'y Board of Trustees.  
May 7th, '97. 2aw 1d.

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Hollow Crown Parsnip, Extra early large Red Onion, Peas, American Wonder, best early	20c	60c	The following at 5c per pk, 25 packages for \$1 (large package): Beet, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Cucumber, Lettuce, Onion, Parsnip, Savory, Sage, Thyme, etc.		
Peas, Stratagem, best late Beans, Montad or Butter, best pole snap	5c	15c	Timothy, Clover, Vetches, Peas, and Corn at extremely low prices.		
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