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First Quarter, 8th day, 9h., 35.5m., a.m., N. E.
below horizon.
Full Moon, 15th day, 6h., 6.1m., p.m., E.,
below horizon.
Third Quarter, 22nd day, 9h., 43.3m., a.m., S.W.
New Moon, 29th day, 10h., 53.5m., p.m., N.
below horizon.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	High water	Day's length
1 Monday	5 44	6 23	6 30	11 33	12 39
2 Tuesday	42	25	6 54	morn	46
3 Wednesday	40	26	7 19	0 6	43
4 Thursday	38	27	7 48	0 38	49
5 Friday	37	29	8 21	1 14	52
6 Saturday	35	30	9 5	1 53	56
7 Sunday	33	32	9 46	2 38	59
8 Monday	31	33	10 38	3 24	13 2
9 Tuesday	29	34	11 35	4 44	5
10 Wednesday	27	35	12 39	6 3	8
11 Thursday	25	37	1 45	7 16	12
12 Friday	23	38	2 56	8 14	15
13 Saturday	22	40	4 7	9 1	18
14 Sunday	20	41	5 22	9 43	21
15 Monday	18	42	6 32	10 22	24
16 Tuesday	16	43	7 55	10 59	27
17 Wednesday	15	45	9 21	11 40	30
18 Thursday	13	46	10 20	12 28	33
19 Friday	11	47	11 41	0 58	36
20 Saturday	9	48	morn	1 58	39
21 Sunday	8	50	0 43	2 56	42
22 Monday	6	52	1 36	4 11	46
23 Tuesday	4	53	2 14	5 37	49
24 Wednesday	2	54	2 53	6 59	52
25 Thursday	0	55	3 23	7 59	55
26 Friday	4 58	56	3 49	8 46	58
27 Saturday	57	58	4 11	9 25	14 1
28 Sunday	59	6	4 34	10 14	1 4
29 Monday	54	1	4 57	10 34	6
30 Tuesday	4 52	3	5 21	11 7	14 9

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

THURSDAY, April 11.

The bill to amend the Act to incorporate St. Andrew's Church, Cardigan, was read a third time and passed.

Resolutions passed in Committee of Supply were approved.

House then went into committee on the Appropriation Bill, with Mr. John McLean in the chair. Progress reported.

House adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

A bill incorporating the Hall Company at Cardigan was read a first time and referred to the Private Bills Committee.

House then went into committee for the further consideration of the Appropriation Bill.—Mr. John McLean in the chair. Bill reported agreed to without amendment, and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

The bill respecting Agricultural Exhibitions was discussed in committee of the whole, with Mr. A. McLeod in the chair.

Mr. Bell argued in favor of a change in the form of the bonus to the Counties, and objected to the holding of the exhibition and trotting races simultaneously.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan explained that there was nothing at all in the bill about horse racing, etc., neither was any company mentioned. He thought the Government's proposition was in the best interests of the Counties.

Mr. Sutherland thought the propositions for both Provincial and County Exhibitions very favorable. He was of opinion that the County Exhibitions might be held every alternate year in some of the outlying districts. He did not think it fair that Georgetown and Summerside should reap all the benefits of these exhibitions.

Mr. J. R. McLean was also in favor of holding the County Exhibitions in the outlying districts, say every alternate year. He thought Souris a very good place to hold it. He was also of opinion that there should be no limit to the amount the people of the Counties might supplement the subsidy with.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan explained that there was no limit to the amount the people might subscribe. They might subscribe as much as they liked, but the Government subsidy would not be more than \$1000.

Mr. Underhay thought the proposition of the Government a very commendable one.

Hon. Mr. Prowse spoke in favor of the provisions of the bill, and was of opinion that a training park for horses was a necessity in this province. He thought that the managers of the Park should and would do all in their power to keep it free from the gambling and other evils attendant upon horse-racing.

Mr. McLellan thought the amount of subsidy to the counties was large enough. So far as he was concerned he did not know but he would be justified in voting for the doing away with the subsidies to counties altogether. Many of the people of his district could not compete very successfully with those living in the neighborhood of and in Summerside owing to their distance from that place; in his opinion the Prince County Exhibition, was of very little benefit to anyone except the people of Summerside and vicinity. He thought the tendency was towards a general Provincial Exhibition.

Mr. Shaw remarked that if the people of the district represented by the hon. member could not take advantage of the Prince County Exhibition, he did not see how they could be benefited if they had to bring their exhibits all the way to Charlottetown. He gave the Government every credit for the manner in which they had encouraged stock raising throughout the Province, but he thought it would be some time before the people of King's County could compete successfully with the stock raisers of Prince and Queen's Counties. However, King's County had the advantage in the raw material, owing to her more favorable shipping ports. The Provincial Exhibition would not, he thought, be of any great benefit to King's County. The amount of prizes hitherto carried off by the people of that County, at the Provincial Exhibition, was very small indeed. Last year, the total amount of the prizes awarded was \$1536.50, out of which sum \$53 only was won by King's County exhibitors. And this amount was even larger than that won by them at former exhibitions. He did not know that the Government had been memorialised to expend the additional \$1400 proposed. He was not favorable to the Government's voting money to a company for exhibition purposes. He would not say that the company would not deal out equal justice to all, but there was room for doubt as many of the members of the Association were stock-raisers themselves and would be among the exhibitors. He did not see why the Government should give a bonus to a company for the purpose of obtaining exhibition grounds, etc., when they might easily utilize Government House grounds for that purpose.

Hon. Mr. Ferguson thought the manner in which the prizes were distributed and the amounts won by each county did not fairly represent the advantages of exhibitions. Exhibitions were in many respects of great benefit to farmers generally. The stimulus given to farmers and stock-raisers to breed from improved lines, was a very pleasing and progressive outcome of exhibitions. He believed that if the general exhibition was thrown open to the people of the other provinces it would be of great benefit to our people, as it would give them advantages in the matter of purchasing improved stock, that they do not now possess. In his opinion the general exhibition must necessarily be held at Charlottetown for some years to come, and people living in its immediate

vicinity must, as a natural consequence, possess advantages in this respect not enjoyed by the people living at a distance from the capital. He did not think there was anything in the objection that some of the managers of the Company would exhibit animals themselves and that equal justice would not be meted out to all. He understood that the Company propose bringing competent men here from abroad to act as judges in every department of live stock. Such a course had been adopted in other places and had worked successfully, and he thought that such a success, if adopted here, would be attended with beneficial results. He thought it in the best interests of the farmers of all the counties to come together and compete for prizes, as such a proceeding would have the effect of raising a spirit of rivalry in the matter of stock-raising that could not but be beneficial in the end. The Government have given this matter of exhibitions every consideration, and he thought the propositions in the bill now before the House were in the best interests of the Province. He hoped that the general exhibition to be held in Charlottetown would be more provincial in the future than in the past. The increased amount to be given for exhibitions has been carefully guarded, and the Government will see that it is expended in the interests of the people in general. He did not think Government House grounds nearly so well adapted for exhibitions as the proposed new grounds, owing to their distance from railway and steamboat landings. The new grounds had excellent railway and other facilities. He did not think the Government would be justified in voting a large sum for the fitting up of Government House grounds. He believed the bill gave the people of the counties privileges which were not given the management of the Provincial Exhibition. The grants to the counties were unconditional and could not fail to be of great benefit to the people. He was aware that there was always more or less of a suspicion about the appointing of the judges, but he thought this feeling would be done away with by the placing of the control of the exhibitions in the hands of a company. The Government would, of course, have a good deal to do with the framing of the prize list, and they would see that no particular interest was neglected. He thought the measure was a progressive one, and that it would mark a new era in our exhibitions.

Mr. Sinclair approved of the suggestion that the Provincial Exhibition should be thrown open to the Maritime Provinces. He thought that the exhibition could be much better handled by a company than by the Government, and was of opinion that the amounts proposed to be voted were quite large enough.

Mr. Gordon briefly referred to the encouragement given to stock-raisers by the present Government, and the beneficial results accruing therefrom. He thought the people and the Government had great reason to be proud of the advance the country has made in the matter of exhibitions. He did not think there was anything in the complaint that politics influenced the approving of the distribution of prizes.

The Speaker remarked, with reference to Prince County Exhibition, that he had never heard any complaint made about the appointment of the judges, or heard anyone take exception to their decisions on the ground of political feelings.

Mr. Farquharson spoke in favor of the management of exhibitions being in the hands of a company, and thought the Government would never regret the step they were about to take.

Mr. Wise advocated one central exhibition. He thought the Government deserved every credit for the course they were pursuing.

Mr. Biske was in full sympathy with the proposed change in the mode of conducting exhibitions. For his own part, however, he never could see any of the difficulties complained of as to the distribution of prizes. He knew that judges had been appointed who were not competent, but he did not think their political feelings had anything to do with their appointment. He was glad to learn, however, that there was now a likelihood that there would be no room for complaint in this respect in the future. Company management had been tried with success in some of the other provinces and in the United States, and he could see no reason why such an arrangement should not work satisfactorily here. It was the intention of the company, he explained, to bring judges here from the neighboring provinces and from the United States, so that there would be no further cause for complaint about the distribution of prizes. He had no objection to throwing our Provincial Exhibition open to the Maritime Provinces, as he thought the Island was well able to hold her own. With reference to horse-racing he could not see why it could not be as well and carefully conducted in Charlottetown as in England, and he assured the House that nothing would be left undone by the managers of the association to keep the Park free from the evils that sometimes attend these sports. He thought the bill before the House in keeping with this progressive age, and he hoped every hon. member would see his way clear to vote for it.

The bill was reported agreed to and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

The bill incorporating the Alberton Town Hall Company was read a first time and referred to the Private Bills Committee.

The bill relating to the Town of Summerside Incorporation Act was further considered in committee, Mr. John McLean in the chair, and reported agreed to.

The bill incorporating the Alberton Town Hall Company was read a second time in committee, Mr. John McLean in the chair, and reported agreed to.

House adjourned.

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Local and Other Items.

WATER WORKS.—The last issue of the *Engineering News*, of New York, contains a full and particular description of the Charlottetown Water Works.

SHOULD BE TRIED HERE.—The Town Council of Berlin, Ont., have ordered the chief of police to ring the town bell at 9 o'clock at night and arrest any children found on the streets after that hour.

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FAST TROTTER SOLD.—Prince Wilkes, unquestionably the most reliable of the fast trotters on the turf last year, has been sold to parties in the Argentine Republic for \$30,000, and was delivered to his new owners in New York City last week, the idea being to ship him to South America in the course of ten days.

STILL THEY COME.—A rather sensational elopement is reported from near Windsor, N. S. The man in the case is a well-to-do trader and ship builder, aged 40, and leaves a wife and family. His paramour is a handsome woman, the wife of a rival merchant, who also leaves a young family at home. The couple are believed to have sailed for Boston on the steamer Halifax under assumed names.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.—The Stanley did not get off the "middle ground," Summerside, until after five o'clock this morning, when she left for Charlottetown, arriving about ten. She left for Pictou, where she will lay up for a time to paint, shortly before noon.

One of the Steam Navigation Company's steamers is plying as usual between Charlottetown and Pictou to-day.

AT HIS TRICKS AGAIN.—A Boston man, while on his return from a visit to Halifax, was presented by "genial Joe Edwards," with the old knife that cut the quill with which the contract between Evangeline and her lover Gabriel was written. The Boston man is said to attach a high value to this "quaint souvenir."—*Windsor Tribune*. Joe is a great wag. Some time ago he furnished up some old animals teeth and presented them to another Boston man as specimens of the handiwork of Evangeline!

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT.—Word comes from Windsor, N. S., of the drowning of five men, named Sweet, Knowles, Reynolds, Salter and Tear. They started on March 28th with a heavy chain in a small boat to go to the head of the Avon river to assist in driving a timber raft. As they did not arrive, search parties went out, and on Sunday their boat was found bottom up at Sangster's Mills, two miles above Windsor. It is supposed their boat capsized in a squall and the men were buried under the heavy chain. Some of their hats were found in the boat. Three of the men were married.

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PERSONAL.

It is pleasing to learn from the *Farmer* that Mr. W. L. Clay, son of John Clay, Esq., of Summerside, has passed a highly creditable examination at McGill College, Montreal. Mr. Clay has again succeeded in winning the first scholarship for general proficiency in all subjects, the prize for which is \$100. We congratulate Mr. Clay on his success.

Mr. Harry Jenkins, son of Dr. J. T. Jenkins, was among the recent graduates at the Toronto Veterinary College. We congratulate our young friend.

Sir John Thompson was not only a reporter in Halifax, but served his time at the "case," and performed the functions of "printer's devil" in his early boyhood. His father, too, was a newspaper man in Halifax in the days of Joseph Howe.

Rev. Mr. Hinson received eight persons into the First Baptist Church, Moncton, on Sunday. The rev. gentleman, who was stationed in Charlottetown for some time, appears to be laboring with much success in his new field.

Rev. Elias James, who has been stationed at Richibucto for the past three years, has been invited to take charge of the circuit at Murray Harbor. The *Moncton Times* says that Mr. James' many friends in Kent County will be sorry to part with one who has become so popular with all denominations.

A short time ago the Englishmen of Toronto declined to have Prof. Goldwin Smith as their President, and now the Protestant Irish men refuse to have him as an honorary member. It is not surprising that Mr. Smith thinks that wrong men get elected. However, as the *Empire* remarks, the choice does not rest with him.

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