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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., SW (below horizon).
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DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	High	Day's
M	rise	sets	rise	sets	rise	sets	sets	water	length
1 Monday	5 44	6 23	6 30	11 33	12 39				
2 Tuesday	42	25	6 54	morning	43				
3 Wednesday	40	26	7 19	0 6	46				
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 34	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				
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16 Tuesday	16	43	7 55	10 59	27				
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18 Thursday	13	46	10 20	12 28	33				
19 Friday	11	47	11 41	0 58	36				
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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

SATURDAY, April 6.

House in Committee of Supply.
On the item of exhibitions.—
Mr. Sutherland desired to know what the Government intended to do in respect to the offer of the Trotting Park and Exhibition Company.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan said that he understood that the company would not be ready to take charge of the exhibition until next year. In the meantime the exhibition would be held as heretofore. He would like to hear the members of the House express their opinions regarding the proposal.

Mr. Wise said that he would be for holding one good central exhibition. He was not in favor of having the exhibitions "run" by the Government. He believed this was the general opinion throughout the country.

Mr. Blake would reserve what he had to say on the subject until the question came properly before the House. He thought the offer of the company a reasonable one—ones which should be accepted.

Mr. Farquharson thought that the Government should only be too glad to get rid of the management of exhibitions. He hoped that the Provincial Exhibition would this year have been managed by a company. He had no doubt that a company would give more satisfaction to the people.

Mr. J. R. McLean opposed the idea of subsidizing a company to manage the exhibitions.
On the item, "Cost of Legislation,"
Mr. Farquharson proposed that the pay of members of the Legislature be reduced to \$100 and the reporters abolished.

Hon. Mr. Prowse said that it was all very well for members of the House residing in Charlottetown to forego their allowance; but many of the country members could not afford to do so. The result would be that residents of the town would, for the most part, be elected as members. He thought the town should not have more influence in the Legislature than it has at present. As to the reporters, they were required to keep a record of proceedings. In respect to the pay of members, he thought it would be well to deduct a certain amount from their pay for every day they were absent.

Mr. Sutherland moved that the sum granted for Legislation be \$8,000 instead of \$12,000.

After remarks by Mr. A. McLeod, Hon. D. Ferguson and Mr. McLellan, the motion was voted down.

On the item to provide for the amelioration of the condition of the poor—
Mr. Farquharson suggested that as the present system was not satisfactory, it would be well to consider whether or not a better system could not be devised.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan agreed with Mr. Farquharson in respect to this matter. He thought that a most egregious blunder had been made when the Government Poor House was established. It placed a premium upon pauperism. The Poor House was not very large, and it is overcrowded. If it were ten times as large it would be in the same condition.

Hon. Mr. Prowse agreed with what the Premier had said. But he contended that, nevertheless, it would be unwise to leave the poor to voluntary charity. Many of the poor people come here late in life and have no claim upon relatives or upon particular districts, and they ought not to be left unprotected for. He thought that grants judiciously applied do more good to the poor house—though mistakes, will, of course happen sometimes.

Mr. McLellan said that no matter how prosperous the country, there would always be a certain amount of pauperism; and the poor ought to be provided for.

Mr. J. R. McLean thought a good deal of caution was necessary in the distribution of the poor fund. It would not do to let poor people die by the way side. Some place should be provided where they could find at least temporary shelter.

Mr. Wise thought the sums appropriated for the poor fund too small.

Mr. Farquharson thought some other means might be devised for the care of the poor. He was in favor of the abolition of the poor house.

Mr. Shaw objected to the idea of farming out the poor as opposed to the principles of Christianity. He argued that the paupers should, as far as possible be supported by the public and should not be left a burden upon charitable individuals or charitable districts.

Mr. Sutherland thought the state should support the deserving poor. But the question was surrounded by difficulties. It seemed that the more poor houses, the more paupers there were to be supported. He thought the most of the paupers came from Charlottetown.

Mr. Blake repudiated this statement. Very few of the paupers, he said, belong to Charlottetown. He thought the Province must be poor indeed if it could not afford to maintain its poor. He thought the poor house should be enlarged rather than abolished. The manner in which the poor in the poor house are cared for is a credit to the Province. Money spent upon the poor is repaid a hundred fold.

Hon. A. J. McDonald was afraid that we should never be able to do without the poor house. Poor people come here from abroad and they must be provided for.

Hon. Mr. Ferguson said that the poor from all parts of the Province gravitate towards Charlottetown.

Mr. Sutherland thought the \$1300 salary paid the Commissioner of Public Lands an unnecessary expenditure, and moved that it be struck out. He was of opinion that the salary of the Assistant Commissioner was not too large if the head of the department were dismissed and the assistant made Commissioner. In his opinion there were too many clerks in the office now, and

one might be dismissed. He thought, also, that the office of Assistant Secretary and Treasurer and that of the Provincial Auditor might be amalgamated.

Hon. Messrs. Macdonald and Ferguson and Mr. McLean twitted Mr. Sutherland upon his novel course.
House adjourned.

MONDAY, April 8.

The order of the third reading of the bill to confirm the title to Patrick Flynn's land was discharged, and a verbal alteration made.

Military and Naval Notes.

The new ram, shortly to be constructed by the U. S. Government for harbor defence, is to be 205 feet in length and 30 feet in breadth. In appearance it will resemble a cigar. A novel feature of the ram is a pilot house, which being the only exposed point likely to be injured by shot, is rendered impregnable by being built up of concentric rings of crucible steel twenty inches in thickness. When completed, the boat will cost \$400,000 and have a crew of four officers and sixteen men.

The new magazine rifle for the British army has been adopted with complete unanimity, and will soon be turned out with great rapidity. The trials of the weapon in India have been, in all respects, satisfactory. A compressed powder is now used which gives good results, and with which the rifle (which is to be sighted for 2,800 yards) may be used up to 500 yards without raising the backsight. But a new powder is being experimented upon by which it is expected that the power of the rifle will be much increased.

The lost U. S. man-of-war Trenton, which was wrecked at Samoa, was always considered to be an unlucky vessel by the sailors who sailed in her. The first attempt to launch her was December 30, 1875, but, after two hours' work, the effort was abandoned. Soon after being launched, she was put into dock and coppered, and when she was taken out she was found to leak so badly that she had to be re-docked. It was then found that two or three holes near the sternport had been carelessly or maliciously bored without plugging. A few weeks after, a large piece of the machinery fell from the crane while being hoisted on board, and caused considerable damage as it went plunging through the decks to the bottom of the vessel.

The British Parliament has overwhelmingly declared for a stronger navy. Campbell-Bannerman, ex-Liberal first Lord of the Navy, on behalf of the Opposition leaders, said that they fully accepted the doctrine of the necessity of the British fleet being at least equal to the fleet of any two powers in the world. This marks a greater advance, as hitherto the Liberals have limited themselves to asserting the necessity of the supremacy of the British navy, its superiority to any one fleet. This change is due to the recognition of a French and Italian alliance as within the range of possibilities. A German alliance if not popular in Italy as a whole, but an alliance out of Egypt is quite possible. In such a case England would, with her present navy, have to flee from the Mediterranean.

Swept Out of Existence.

IMMENSE DAMAGE BY WIND AND FIRE IN THE WESTERN STATES.

Advices by mail this morning report that the series of wind storms which swept over Southern Dakota and Minnesota last week caused hundreds of thousands of dollars damage to property and the loss of several lives. The storm started last Monday night and swept over a large area south of the Northern Pacific Road in Dakota and extending into the southern tiers of counties in the State. The greatest damage has not been caused by wind alone, but in many places fires, fanned into fury by the storms, have wiped out of existence several small villages and hundreds of houses. The towns almost completely destroyed are Valin, Olivet, Puckawama, Lesterville and Mount Vernon, and three or four other villages were badly damaged. At Valin every house in the place except three is demolished, and 100 people are without homes. A terrible gale of wind struck Mt. Vernon and a fire started from a small house that was blown over early Tuesday night. No power could stop it, and in an hour the business portion of the place was a great raging fire. Nearly 20 hundred families are homeless, and the loss will foot up \$200,000. It is reported that several lives were lost. Four large elevators, and the C. M. & St. P. Railway depot were also destroyed.

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Japan has chosen the first of July as the national election and holiday. If there are any other good ideas in the Dominion, our next neighbors over the Pacific would like, they are most welcome to them. The Mikado has evidently a discriminating eye for holidays.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. (April 1 '88)

Local and Other Items.

DIPHTHERIA.—Diphtheria is prevalent at Black Bush.

TEMPERANCE.—The Sons of Temperance in Nova Scotia number 300 divisions and above 16,000 members.

ARRIVED AT SOURIS.—The schooner Lillie, Capt. Cassidy, arrived at Souris this morning bound for "t'ou.

SMALL POX.—There has been 19 cases of small pox and six deaths at Harbor Grace, Nfld., up to the 19th ult.

MODEL FARM.—The Newfoundland Government propose establishing a Model Farm at St. John's, at a cost of \$25,000.

GOOD WORK.—The Halifax Poor Association has, during the winter, relieved no less than 333 families, over 1600 persons in all.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.—The incandescent electric light is coming into general use at Souris. St. John's Episcopal Church has been lighted with it.

SHIPPERS ON THE MOVE.—Stern Bros., of Souris, commenced loading to-day for French St. Pierre market, and others are on the move in the same line.

To restore, thicken and give you a luxuriant growth of hair, to keep its color natural, as in youth, and to remove dandruff, use only Hall's Hair Renewer.

DEMAND FOR HOUSES.—A great demand for houses exists in Truro. A local paper says that if 40 new houses were built they could all be let without delay.

ALUMNI DINNER.—The executive of Dalhousie Alumni Association are making preparations for an Alumni dinner, on the evening of Convocation Day, April 25th.

HONESTY REWARDED.—A New York waiter found a pocketbook containing \$8,800 on Sunday and returned it to the owner. He received 25 cents as a reward for his honesty.

STILL SKATING.—The Souris Rink is still in full blast. The ice on Saturday evening was as glib as at any time during the season; and the place was filled with skaters and spectators.

In purchasing medicines, don't try experiments; the first and only consideration should be genuineness. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has stood the test of forty years, and to-day it is in greater demand than ever—a triumphant proof of popular approval.

FAREWELL ADDRESS.—The pupils of Grand Tracadie School waited upon their teacher, (Miss Georgina McInnis) a few days ago, and presented her with a purse of money and an address. A copy of the address and reply is crowded out of this issue of THE EXAMINER.

STEAMER DELAYED.—The steamer Beaver, after landing freight and passengers at Souris on Saturday, attempted to get to the Magdalen Islands with the mails, but meeting with ice off the north side, she had to run back to Souris. She will make another attempt this afternoon.

"Ayer's Hair Vigor is a most excellent preparation for the hair. I speak of it from experience. Its use promotes the growth of new hair, and makes it glossy and soft. The Vigor is a sure cure for dandruff."—J. W. Bowen, editor Enquirer, McArthur, Ohio.

STEAMER MILL BURNED.—On Friday night last the steam mill belonging to Campbell & Warren, of Greenvale, Lot 46, was burned to the ground. The engine, which cost over \$500 and was comparatively new, received damage by the fire which renders it useless. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000.

SEAMEN'S MOVEMENTS.—The Princess of Wales arrived here on Saturday evening, at seven o'clock, with four passengers and some six carloads of freight. She left on return about six o'clock this morning.

The Stanley left here at half-past five o'clock this morning, with freight, passengers and mails.

ODDFELLOWSHIP.—According to an exchange, Portland, Me., has more Oddfellows in proportion to its population than any other town in the world. One out of every four of the citizens over 21 belong to the Order, and the seven lodges of the city have a fund of \$149,615 74. The richest lodge is the Unity, which has \$34,430 in its treasury.

A LONG FAST.—The Fredericton Gleaner says: Miss Ada Donald, daughter of the late Alex. Donald, of Penniac, died at her home at that place on Friday last after a lingering illness. For twenty-five days previous to her death deceased could not be induced to take food and lived during that time without taking any nourishment whatever. Miss Donald was in the 24th year of her age.

BURIED ALIVE.—The following peculiar story comes from Newburgh, N. Y.: A horse died, apparently, on Thursday, and was buried beneath a pile of rubbish until an "equine undertaker" could be summoned to remove it to the bone factory. On Saturday removal was attempted. A rope was fastened to the animal, and on the first pull it rose to its feet and frisked its tail. Now the equine is seen drawing garbage on the streets.

ANOTHER WARNING.—"Stay at home, boys," is the advice a St. John man, who is employed in a railway machine shop in Southern California, sends home. He says that business in Southern California, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and Kansas is dead. The railways are doing practically nothing, and the hands are being laid off right and left. The reaction from the sudden gold craze at San Diego, Cal., has set in, and there is much suffering there.

LIGHT ON THE END OF SOURIS BREAKWATER.—A light has been erected on the new block at the outer end of Souris Breakwater. It will be 40 feet high and is expected to burn 48 hours without trimming or replenishing with oil. The spar on which it is to be placed is already up, and the carpenters are at work fixing up a little box around the foot of it for the keeper and his cans and oil to occupy, as occasion may require. This light is much needed and will prove a valuable acquisition to Souris harbor.