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ALMANAC FOR DECEMBER, 1888.

MOON'S PHASES.
New Moon, 3rd day, 6h, 53.1m. a. m., E.
(below horizon.)
First Quarter, 10th day, 2h, 33.3m., a. m., NW
Full Moon, 18th day, 6h, 28.4m., a. m., W.
Last Quarter, 26th day, 1h, 47.4m., a. m., E.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Day's
	rise	set	water	length
1 Saturday	7 28	4 10	4 45	9 18
2 Sunday	30	9 6	4 10	5 39
3 Monday	31	9 7	23 10	51 38
4 Tuesday	32	8 27	11 30	37 37
5 Wednesday	33	8 9	42 moon	26 36
6 Thursday	34	8 10	36 0	24 34
7 Friday	35	8 11	18 1	10 33
8 Saturday	36	8 11	55 1	58 32
9 Sunday	37	8 12	25 2	46 31
10 Monday	38	8 12	50 3	46 30
11 Tuesday	39	8 13	4 50	29 29
12 Wednesday	40	9 1 39	6 1	28 28
13 Thursday	41	9 2	0 7	7 27
14 Friday	42	9 2	22 7	57 26
15 Saturday	43	9 2	49 8	40 26
16 Sunday	44	9 3	9 9	21 25
17 Monday	44	9 3	56 9	58 25
18 Tuesday	45	10 4	40 10	34 25
19 Wednesday	46	10 5	20 11	10 24
20 Thursday	47	10 6	25 11	46 24
21 Friday	47	11 7	26 12	23 24
22 Saturday	46	12 8	30 1	0 23
23 Sunday	45	13 9	37 1	40 23
24 Monday	45	13 10	45 2	25 23
25 Tuesday	44	14 11	55 3	14 23
26 Wednesday	44	15 12	0 4	19 23
27 Thursday	43	15 17	5 34	26 23
28 Friday	42	16 2	20 6	53 22
29 Saturday	42	16 3	36 8	0 22
30 Sunday	41	17 4	55 8	59 22
31 Monday	41	17 6	10 9	51 22

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41; 1884, 14. Causes of dea. MORRISON & MUSGRAVE, 1; whooping cough, 2; peritonitis, 1; disc. Musgrave, Hgt's disease, 1; jaundice, 1; Oct. 94, 1887. n, 1; general atrophy, 1; cholera, 1; neuralgia, 1; on Th. 3. Average age at death, 1; high respiration, 1; purities of blood, 1; English, 4; morbidly functional, 1; Sex:—Males, 9; much of the vigor

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, DECEMBER, 3rd, 1888, Trains will run as follows:—

TRAINS FOR THE WEST.			TRAINS FROM THE WEST.		
STATIONS.	No. 1.	No. 3.	STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.
Charlottetown.....dp	A. M. 7 15	P. M. 1 50	Tignish.....dp	A. M. 6 00	A. M. 6 30
Royalty Junction.....dp	7 34	2 12	Alberton.....dp	6 55	6 55
North Wiltshire.....dp	8 17	3 05	Bloomfield.....dp	7 30	7 30
Hunter River.....dp	8 30	3 20	O'Leary.....dp	7 54	7 54
Bradabane.....dp	9 00	3 57	Port Hill.....dp	9 07	9 07
Emerald Junction.....dp	9 09	4 07	Wellington.....dp	9 49	9 49
Freetown.....dp	9 23	4 22	Miscouche.....dp	10 15	10 15
Kensington.....dp	9 40	4 45	Wellington.....dp	10 35	10 35
Alberton.....dp	10 10	5 20	Summerside.....dp	11 35	A. M. 6 30
Summerside.....dp	P. M. 12 40	P. M. 7 05	Kensington.....dp	12 05	7 05
Miscouche.....dp	1 00	7 28	Freetown.....dp	12 23	7 28
Port Hill.....dp	1 27	7 43	Emerald Junction.....dp	1 27	7 43
O'Leary.....dp	2 08	8 24	Bradabane.....dp	12 45	7 53
Royalty Junction.....dp	3 22	9 38	Hunter River.....dp	1 15	8 30
North Wiltshire.....dp	3 45	10 12	North Wiltshire.....dp	1 29	8 45
Alberton.....dp	4 07	10 35	Royalty Junction.....dp	2 12	9 25
Tignish.....dp	5 15	11 43	Charlottetown.....dp	2 30	10 00

TRAINS FOR THE EAST.			TRAINS FROM THE EAST.		
STATIONS.	No. 5.	No. 7.	STATIONS.	No. 6.	No. 8.
Charlottetown.....dp	P. M. 2 30	P. M. 4 05	Georgetown.....dp	A. M. 7 15	A. M. 6 20
Royalty Junction.....dp	2 50	4 25	Carleton Place.....dp	7 58	7 58
Bedford.....dp	3 23	4 58	Mount Stewart, June.....dp	8 50	8 50
Mount Stewart, June.....dp	3 55	5 30	Bedford.....dp	9 00	9 00
Carleton Place.....dp	4 10	5 45	Royalty Junction.....dp	9 32	9 32
Georgetown.....dp	5 22	6 57	Charlottetown.....dp	10 05	10 05
Alberton.....dp	5 45	7 20	Charlottetown.....dp	10 25	10 25

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Gleanings From My Common-place Books.

PUBLIC DINNERS AT ATHENS.
The public dinners at the Prytaneum, of which the archons and a select few partook in common, were either first established, or perhaps only more strictly regulated, by Solon: he ordered barley-cakes for their ordinary meals, and wheat loaves for festival-days, prescribing how often each person should dine at the table. The honor of dining at the Prytaneum was maintained throughout as a valuable reward at the disposal of the Government.—Grote's History of Greece.

"THE IPHICRATIDES" LEGGINGS.
Mr. Grote describes a species of leggings which the Athenian Iphicrates devised for his soldiers; and, in his fondness for parallel, the historian observes: "The name Iphicratides, given to those new-fashioned leggings or boots, proves to us that Wellington and Blucher are not the first eminent generals who have lent an honorable denomination to boots and shoes.

THE HELOTS AND DRUNKENNESS.
The service in the Spartan house was all performed by Helots, the treatment of whom at Sparta betokens less of cruelty than of ostentatious scorn. Such is proved by the statement that Helots were compelled to appear in a state of drunkenness, in order to excite in the Spartan youths a sentiment of repugnance against intoxication.

LOVE OF TRUTH.
Herodotus tells us of the ancient Persians, that "from the age of five years to twenty they instruct their sons in only three things: to manage the house, to make use of the bow, and to speak truth."

TRUTH IN A PIT.
Cleanthes said that "truth was hid in a pit." "Yes," answers the poet, "but you Greek philosophers were the first that put her there, and then claimed so much merit to yourselves for drawing her out."

"GONE TO JERICHO."
In the Patent Rolls of the Manor of Blackmore, near Colchester, occurs (18th February, 20 Hen. VIII., 1528-9) an entry of a tenement called Jericho, reported to have been one of the king's pleasure-houses. Hence, when the luxurious monarch was missing, the cant phrase among the courtiers was that "he was gone to Jericho."

See Camden Miscellany, Vol. 3.

"A ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER."
"Froissard, a countryman of our records, England all Olivers and Rowlands bred During the time Edward the Third did reign."—Shakespeare's King Henry VI.

Oliver and Roland were two of the most famous in the list of Charlemagne's twelve peers; and their exploits are the theme of the old romances. From the equally doughty and unheard-of exploits of these champions arose the saying of Giving a Roland for an Oliver, for giving a person as good as he brings.

GASCONADES.
The inhabitants of the province of Gascony, in France, have long been celebrated for their lively sallies, called Gasconades (in French, Gasconades), the point of which consists in immoderate boasting of wit, wealth or valor. The Dictionary of the French Academy, as an illustration, gives: He says he would fight ten men. But wit and piquancy should be intermixed with self-exaltation, as in the following: A Gascon, in proof of his nobility, asserted that in his father's castle they used no other firewood but the batons of the different marshals of France of his family.

FAME CONTEMNEE.
All men are fond of glory, and even those philosophers who write against that noble passion prefix their names to their own works. It is worthy of observation that the authors of two religious books, universally received, have concealed their names from the world. The "Imitation of Christ" is attributed, without any authority, to Thomas a Kempis; and the author of the "Whole Duty of Man" still remains undiscovered. Millions of their books have been dispersed in the Christian world. To have revealed their names, would have given them as much worldly fame as any mortal has obtained—but they contented it! Their religion was raised above all worldly passions! Some profane writers, indeed, have also concealed their names to great works, but their motives were of a very different cast.—Isaac D'Israeli.

ORIGIN OF NEWSPAPERS.
We are indebted to the Italians for the idea of newspapers. The title of their gazettes was perhaps derived from gazzera, a magpie or chatterer; or more probably from a farthing coin, peculiar to the city of Venice, called gazzetta, which was the common price of the newspapers. Another etymologist is deriving it from the Latin gaza, which would colloquially lengthen into gazetta, and signify a little treasury of news. The Spanish derive it from the Latin gaza, and likewise the gazettero and our gazetter, for a writer of the gazetta, and what is peculiar to themselves, gazettista, for a lover of the gazette.

Newspapers then took their birth in that principal land of modern politicians, Italy, and under the government of that aristocratic republic Venice. The first paper was a Venetian one, and only monthly; but it was merely the newspaper of the Government. Other governments afterwards adopted the Venetian plan of a newspaper, with the Venetian name; from a solitary gazette, an inundation of newspapers has broken upon us.

Mr. George Chalmers discovered in England the first newspaper. It may generally be said that the first newspaper was published in London, in 1662.

national pride, says he, to be told that mankind are indebted to the wisdom of Queen Elizabeth and the prudence of Burleigh for the first newspaper. The epoch of the Spanish Armada is also the epoch of a genuine newspaper. In the British Museum are several newspapers which were printed while the Spanish fleet was in the English Channel during the year 1588. It was a wise policy to prevent, during a moment of general anxiety, the danger of false reports, by publishing real information. The earliest newspaper is entitled, "The English Mercurie," which by authority, was printed at London by His Highnesses printer, 1588." T. H. H.

Scott Act Prosecutions.

Sir,—I have read a communication in the last issue of the Patriot signed "Sit Lux," referring to me personally as Public Prosecutor of King's Co., making some erroneous statements which I shall flatly deny. He said that I received large sums of money out of the public treasury for which I did not labor, for two years or more. What are the facts, Mr. "Lux?" It is only 20 months since I was appointed to office, and I have returned in Scott Act fines more than two years' salary. I will give facts and figures to those who have a perfect right to receive them, not to such an ignoramus as Mr. "Lux." He states that I am in the habit of notifying transgressors in and through the press and otherwise, that I am on my way coming to take vengeance on them. Now, I do hereby defy "Mr. Lux," or any other individual, rumsseler or otherwise, to show proof when I committed such action. Come, "Mr. Lux," out with the proof, if you dare.

If "Mr. Sit Lux" was a true friend of temperance, as he pretends to be, he would endeavor to render me some aid in rooting out all these rum shanties he sees so conspicuous in the northern latitude of King's County. But in my candid opinion, and others also, he likes Mr. Barleycorn as his trusty companion.

I did not think I would bother myself replying to any anonymous writer on this subject, because I have too much other business to attend to at present. But I was compelled to reply to the glaring falsehoods of "Mr. Sit Lux," which appeared in his last communication, so that the public would be aware in future to give no credit to any such tissue of untruthful statements as "Mr. Sit Lux" indulges in.

I will not take any more notice of "Sit Lux's" correspondence unless he throws off his black mask of disguise and comes out over his full signature.

W. NICHOLSON.
Dundas, Nov. 30, 1888.

Scott Act in King's County.

The following convictions were obtained November 22nd, by Prosecutor Nicholson, before A. S. Stewart and J. Webster, J. P.'s:—

E. Ford, M. D., one conviction, first offence, fined \$30 or two months imprisonment.

Philip Johnson, convicted of one first offence, \$50 or two months.

Thomas Barge, convicted of one first offence, fined \$50 or two months.

Mary McDonald, convicted of one first offence, fined \$50 or two months.

Wallace McCormack, convicted of one first offence, fined \$50 or two months.

Also, before J. W. Sprague and Manoah Rowe, J. P.'s:—

Ronald McPherson, convicted of one first offence, fined \$30 or two months.

Mrs. Margaret Owen, convicted and fined \$30 or two months.

Donald McLeod, convicted of one first offence, fined \$50 or two months.

Alex. Martin, adjourned for further evidence.

Farmer Jones' Wise Sayings.

No sauce like appetite.
Rust wastes more than use.
Advisers are not the payers.

The belly overrules the head.
The eagle does not hunt flies.
Don't rely on the label of the bag.

Better be a coward than fool-hardy.
It is only the first bottle that is dear.
The best drivers will sometimes upset.

None so busy as those who do nothing.
A bad workman never finds a good tool.
Better a slip of the foot than of the tongue.

Show me a lawyer and I'll show you a thief.
G'uttony has killed more than the sword.
Money is a good servant and a bad master.

A handsome shoe often pinches the foot.
I can tell by my own pot how others boil.
Lawyer's houses are built out of fools' heads.

The miser and the pig are of no use until dead.
The only way to keep a secret is to say nothing.
The mill does not grind with the water that is past.

The doctor is often more to be feared than the disease.
He is the wisest man who does not think himself so.

It is not the big oxen that do the best day's work.
One scabby sheep is enough to spoil the whole flock.

Never sell a bear skin until you have killed the bear.
A dead husband and a blind wife are always a happy couple.
The hunchback does not see his own hump but sees his brother's.

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