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MOON'S CHANGES.  
New Moon, 1st day, 6h., 48.3m., p. m., W., below horizon.  
First Quarter, 9th day, 1h., 46.1m., p. m., S. E.  
Full Moon, 17th day, 7h., 35.3m., a. m., W.  
Last Quarter, 24th day, 2h., 44.8m., a. m., E.  
New Moon, 31st day, 7h., 24.4m., a. m., E.

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## PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

WEDNESDAY, March 27.

Mr. Gordon presented a petition from the inhabitants of Murray Harbor, Sturgeon, Montague, and adjacent districts, praying for better accommodation on the Montague ferry. He stated that the petitioners considered the present arrangement by which the steamer Montague was taken off the ferry in the middle of the day unsatisfactory.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan replied that the matter had already been under the consideration of the Government, and that arrangements had been made which would, no doubt, be satisfactory.

Mr. Yeo asked the Leader of the Government: Have the Government of this Province, under the powers and privileges conferred by the Appropriation Act of last session, accepted or received any advance from the Government of Canada for local improvements in this Province, and if so, what amount? Was the money drawn from our interest-bearing capital, or on account of our unsettled claims? Did the Government of this Province, at the time of making the request for or receiving such advance, specify to the Federal Government the local improvements to which the money was to be devoted, and if so, what were the local improvements so specified? If no such specification was given, what local improvements do the Government now propose to construct with those moneys? How has the money so received been invested or disposed of?

Hon. Mr. Sullivan said: I may say that the most satisfactory way to answer his questions will be to bring down the correspondence, which will be a complete answer to all—excepting to the last. In respect to it, I may say that all moneys received by the Government from any source are deposited to its credit with the banks on which interest is received when the balance is in its favor. At present there is a large amount to the credit of the Province, on which we are receiving interest. The correspondence will be brought down as soon as it is prepared.

Mr. Sutherland asked the Leader of the Government to lay upon the table of the House a copy of the petition of right, presented by Roderick McNeill, Head of Stanley Bridge, to the Lieutenant-Governor during the year 1887, setting out certain alleged grievances or demands which he had against the Government of the Province, and asking that an order be made by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor that right be done in the premises.

Also a copy of the report or recommendation made by the Attorney-General, relative to said petition.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan said he did not promise to bring down these papers last year, nor would he do so now. He said last year that he would bring the matter to the notice of the Lieutenant-Governor; as it was a matter wholly under his control.

Mr. Farquharson asked the leader of the Government what reply the Dominion Government have given with reference to the taking over and repairing the piers of this Island, not already accepted by them, and if said reply is in writing, to lay the same with all other correspondence on the question during the past two years, on the table of the House.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan reported that he stated before that the Government have nothing to do with the wharves and piers of this province, and will have nothing to do with them. Any written correspondence on this matter would be brought down.

Mr. Farquharson asked the leader of the Government to lay on the table of the House a copy of the account for \$148, from W. E. Dawson, and paid by the Government during the past year, as stated in the Public Accounts.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan said the papers asked for would be brought down.

House met at 8.  
Hon. Mr. Sullivan introduced a bill respecting writs and executions issued out of the Supreme Court, which was read a first time and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow.

The bill respecting petit jurors was read a third time and passed.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan submitted the estimates for the year. They are as follows:—

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| Administration of Justice.....   | \$ 19,557 00 |
| Coroners' Inquests.....  | 100 00       |
| Executive Council.....   | 500 00       |
| Education.....   | 108,580 00   |
| Exhibitions.....   | 2,200 00     |
| Hospital for Insane.....   | 17,000 00    |
| Inspectors of Licenses (salaries).....                                 | 600 00       |
| Legislation.....   | 12,900 00    |
| Consolidation of Laws (a sum sufficient).....                          | 500 00       |
| Legislative Library.....   | 25 00        |
| Lieut. Governor's office (printing and stationery).....                | 2,200 00     |
| Miscellaneous.....   | 4,000 00     |
| Poor House.....  | 3,600 00     |
| Postage.....   | 450 00       |
| Provincial Secretary, Treasurer, and Commissioner of Public Lands..... | 5,185 22     |
| Provincial Auditor (salary, etc.).....                                 | 1,400 00     |
| Public Works Department.....   | 14,465 00    |
| " Ferries.....   | 2,000 00     |
| Rights of Way and New Roads.....                                       | 2,950 00     |
| Public Buildings.....  | 3,000 00     |
| Docks and Ferry Slips.....   | 20,000 00    |
| Bridges.....   | 17,000 00    |
| Roads, Culverts and small Bridges.....                                 | 3,000 00     |
| Salaries and Commissions of Supervisors.....                           | 500 00       |
| Bushing Ice.....   | 1,000 00     |
| Miscellaneous and Unforeseen.....                                      | 3,495 00     |
| Packets.....   | 1,625 00     |
| Printing and Stationery.....   | 300 00       |
| Registrar of Deeds.....  | 3,400 00     |
| House adjourned.   |              |

THURSDAY, March 28.

Mr. Kelly submitted a bill to confirm a title of Patrick Flynn to certain land in Lot 34. A lengthy discussion arose as to the propriety of the Legislature interfering in such cases.

## Local and Other Items.

A gray beard on a man under 50 makes him look older than he is. The best dye to color brown or black is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

CHALLENGES THE WORLD.—John Teemer has issued a challenge to any batsman in the world, Gaudaur preferred, to row a series of races, three, four and five miles each for \$500 a race.

VALUABLE PROPERTY.—The Gethcell property on Main Street, Moncton, was sold at auction on Monday, the land realizing about \$140 per foot frontage. This is said to be the highest price ever paid for land in Moncton.

For purifying the blood, stimulating the appetite, and invigorating the system in the Spring and early Summer, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is unsurpassed. Be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla and no other, else the result may be anything but satisfactory.

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THE HAIRPIN AGAIN.—A strange accident has befallen a young lady of Chereveaux, France. She was playing with a little child on her lap, when she suddenly threw back her head and remained motionless. A hairpin had penetrated her skull. She never regained consciousness, and expired a short time afterwards.

DROPPED DEAD.—Charles Dunn, of Portland, aged 77 years, while walking along German Street, St. John, on Monday, dropped dead on the sidewalk, while on his way to interview a tenant of his who had left without paying her rent. The doctor who was called in considered that death had been brought about by excitement and fast walking.

SAD RESULTS.—Mrs. McGregor, the wife of Rev. Mr. McGregor, Baptist minister, of Buffalo, N. Y., died at her father's home at Lawrence Station, on the N. B. railway, last Saturday evening, after suffering excruciating agony. She had been applying kerosene to relieve sciatica, when her clothing caught fire and she was horribly burned. Her sister was badly burned in trying to extinguish the fire.

QUICK TIME.—A special with the English mails and passengers, via the Parisian, reached Moncton on Sunday about noon, having made the passage from Halifax, 188 miles, in 4 hours 55m., including a stop at Truro. The train was in charge of Driver James Clarke, of Halifax, and this is the quickest time ever made on that section. Part of the distance between Springhill and Moncton was made at the rate of a mile a minute.

THE SEAL FISHERIES.—A St. John's, Nfld., despatch says that the front of the fleet has struck seals at the mouth of Green's Pond. The Wolf has already returned to St. John's with 27,000 skins. The Neptune, it is reported, has 21,000; Ranger, 21,000; Hector, 17,000; Terranova, 15,000; Esquimaux, 15,000; Vanguard, 13,000; Kite, 12,000; Greenland, 11,000; Walrus, 9,000; Falcon, 9,000; Aurora, 3,500; and Iceland, 1,600. The Eagle has not been heard from. No report has been received from the Gulf fleet.

MORE POWER.—A bill has been introduced into the House of Assembly of Nova Scotia, by Premier Fielding, providing for vesting in the Mayor of Halifax the power to veto any money expenditure or contract that has been passed by the city council. Upon the council sanctioning an expenditure or awarding a contract, it must be approved by the Mayor. If his worship disapproves, he sends the matter back to the council, with the reasons for his veto stated in writing. The council can overrule the Mayor's veto by a two-thirds majority of the aldermen present, but failing such majority the veto prevails.

A CONVINCING MANIFESTO.—According to a Montbello, Que., despatch the following important manifesto has just been issued: To all Francophones of the Dominion of Canada.

To your frightful threats of proscription against our language and our race, our wives answer you thus: "Three of them in the village of Montbello, two of them in the parish, several more in the neighborhood and in the county of Prescott, Ont., opposite this place, have given birth to twins within a month."

THE WIMBLEDON TEAM.—An Ottawa despatch says: "Lt.-Col. Bacon, captain of this year's Wimbledon team, gives the following as the riflemen who compose the team so far as heard from: Captain S. M. Rogers, 43rd batt., Ottawa; Lt. J. A. Wilson, 33rd batt., Seaforth, Ont.; Pte. J. A. Armstrong, Governor-General's Foot Guards, Ottawa; Staff-Sergeant T. Mitchell, 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto; Pte. E. McVitte, 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto; Sergt. J. A. Rolston, 20th batt., Major B. A. Weston, 66th batt., Halifax; Staff-Sergeant F. G. Corbin, 63rd, Halifax. Out of the sixty men from whom the team is selected so far only one man, Sergt. W. Short, of G. G. F. G., Ottawa, has refused to accompany the team."

REMARKABLE LONGEVITY.—The Stewart family, of Brackley Point Road, is a remarkably long-lived one. Of the ten members of the family, six are still living—five on the Island. The united ages of the five aggregate 424 years. Mrs. Joseph Kennedy, of Brackley Point Road, is 90; Joseph Stewart, do., 89; Alexander Stewart, do., 87; William Stewart, Charlottetown, (father of Mr. Daniel Stewart), 83; and Mrs. Campbell, Cardigan, 75. Mrs. Jennie Stewart, who is now living in Manitoba, is now about 72. John Stewart, of Brackley Point, (the oldest member of the family) died some three or four years ago, aged 91. He was strong and hearty and was able to read without glasses up to within a short time previous to his death. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy are, we suppose, the oldest couple living on the Island to-day, and may have many years yet ahead of them.

## Personal.

Prof. Goldwin Smith was accorded an interview with President Harrison on Saturday.

Empress Elizabeth, of Austria, is so weak that her proposed journey to Wiesbaden has been postponed.

Count Herbert Bismarck is stopping at the residence of Lord Rosebery. He declares his visit to England is of a private nature.

Owing to the recent disturbances, Premier Von Tizza, of Hungary, is now guarded by sixteen mounted policemen when he drives out.

W. H. Evans was accidentally shot a few days ago in Winnipeg by his companion, named C. Harker. Both are recently arrived young Englishmen.

The Bishop of Chicondini had an interview with Sir John Macdonald a few days ago, relative to securing a subsidy for a railway to connect the town of Chicondini with the Lake St. John railway. His Lordship pointed out that the proposed line would run through a densely populated portion of country, and prove a great boon.

Mr. Joseph Jefferson has been engaged for a number of years upon his autobiography, which will soon begin to appear in *The Century*. No more interesting record of a life upon the stage could be laid before the American public, and Mr. Jefferson's personality is perhaps more sympathetic to the people of this country than that of any actor we have had. He is the fourth in a generation of actors, and, with his children and grandchildren upon the stage, there are six generations of actors among the Jeffersons. The record which he has made of the early days of the American stage is said to be peculiarly interesting, especially the story of his travels as a boy in his father's company, when they would settle down for a season in a Western town and extemporize their own theatre. The autobiography will begin in *The Century* during the coming autumn, and the instalments will be illustrated with a portrait gallery of distinguished actors.

## News Notes.

The straws are all blowing one way in English politics.

This year's sugar crop in the Hawaiian Islands will be 125,000 tons—the largest on record.

Farmers around Leamington, Essex County, Ont., intend cultivating tobacco this summer.

Cholera has broken out at Zamboanga, in the Philippine Islands. There have been 500 deaths so far.

The Russian Government has decided to make a further increase in the duties upon German goods coming into the Empire.

Pork and lard were more active than usual on the Chicago Board on Saturday. The former rose 15c. to 20c., and the latter 10c. to 12c.

News from Egypt is to the effect that Emin Pasha has overwhelmingly defeated the 6,000 Mahdists that were sent against him.

England has demanded of Morocco £50,000 as indemnity for the massacre and pillage of the Mackenzie Factory, at Cape Juby, in 1888.

Sydney advices report that the Australian wheat crop falls a good deal short of the estimate, and a considerable amount of wheat will be imported from America.

Ten Arab immigrants, who arrived at New York during last week and were detained by the emigration commissioner, were shipped back to Europe on Saturday.

The American sugar refinery, of San Francisco, has raised the price of all grades of sugar one-quarter of a cent per pound, and the California refinery one-eighth of a cent.

The immense Verrugas bridge on the Oroya railway in Peru, has been swept away by floods. Transportation from that part of the country is impossible, and many miners will be ruined.

Scotland has a gold fever, the discovery of a bit of gold in the gizzard of a duck recently killed on a farm in Forfarshire having been followed by the finding of gold-bearing quartz in the same neighborhood.

Mr. Chamberlain's organ, the Birmingham Post, announces on authority that the Government will deal with the Irish land question in the Parliamentary session of 1890, and with Irish local government in 1891.

The Toronto Empire comments upon Premier Mowatt's absence from the Liberal meeting in that city after the announcement that he would speak, and intimates that the Ontario Premier is afraid to identify himself with commercial union.

Episcopians in England have cause for encouragement in some statistics given in the recently published Church year book. It appears that in 1875 the number of persons confirmed was under 138,000, while for 1888 the corresponding total was over 217,000; an increase in thirteen years of nearly 58 per cent., which is almost four times as great as the growth of the population.

"Cronk" is the mysterious name of a somewhat mysterious drink much in vogue it would appear in Ontario counties from whence the Scott Act is presumed to banish all that intoxicates. The beverage is looked upon with suspicion by the inspectors, who, at Kingston last week prosecuted one of the vendors before a local magistrate, in whose presence appeared sundry experts to testify that cronk, while possessed of certain cheering qualities, did in no wise tend to inebriate. The J. P. was hardly persuaded of this, however, and has taken the question *en debite* for a week. There is much that is doubtful sold in Scott Act counties, but this "cronk" seems to take the lead. The difficulty of the magistrate's task is evident. Perhaps it can best be solved by following the precedent of the Collingwood Daniel, who, to settle a similar issue, had a sample of the liquor brought into court; tested it himself, pronounced it good, intoxicated and contraband, and forthwith fined the defendant as provided by law. "Cronk" has more than a suspicious name.