

MESSENGER ALMANAC.

From May 31st to June 13th, 1863.

Table with columns for Day, SUN, MOON, High Water at Halifax, Windsor. Rows include Full Moon, Last Quarter, New Moon, First Quarter, and daily moon phases.

For the time of High Water at Pictou, Pugwash, Wallace, and Yarmouth add 2 hours to the time at Halifax. For High Water at Annapolis, Digby, &c., and at St. John, N. B., add 3 hours to the time at Halifax.

NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT. MAIN LINE. Halifax depart, 6.30 3.30. Halifax arrive, 10.00 7.20. Truro 6.00 4.00. Truro 9.45 7.30. WINDSOR BRANCH. Halifax depart, 7.30 4.00. Halifax arrive, 10.30 5.55. Windsor 7.30 4.15. Windsor 10.05 7.00.

DENTISTRY.

JAS. R. CHAMBERLAIN, DENTIST. Dental Apartment, No. 198 Argyle St., Corner Building, near Temperance Hall, and opposite the Bishop's Chapel. April 29.

DENTAL NOTICE

HAVING commenced practice in the Dental profession, after a regular course of instruction for some years past in practice, and under tuition in a good Dental Surgery in Halifax, I now solicit a share of patronage in my native city, and will be on hand, prompt and daily, at every hour, at my Dental Apartment at my father's residence, No. 198 Argyle street, corner building near Temperance Hall, and opposite the Bishop's Chapel. JAMES R. CHAMBERLAIN. April 29.

E. H. DUVAL, Ship Broker and Commission Merchant. QUEBEC.

REFERENCES: N. S. DeMill, Esq., Hon. A. McL. Sealey, Messrs. D. & T. Vaughan, March 18. St. John, N. B. 6 mths.

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THE following circular, dated Feb'y. 17th, and furnished to commanding officers for their information and that of the officers under their command, is published by order of the Commander-in-Chief.

Office of Adj. Gen. of Militia, HALIFAX, FEB. 17th, 1863.

Officers commanding Battalions are directed to place officers who have been trained and examined, at the head of their seniority lists, in preference to any applicants who have had opportunity of training, and have neglected the same, without being able to give satisfactory reasons. Officers already holding militia commissions can only be superseded by authority from Head Quarters, on special report of their omission to train, made from the officers in command. By order, R. B. SINCLAIR, A. G. M. May 20.

PRIZE RIFLE SHOOTING FOR 1863.

HALIFAX, N. S., MAY 11th 1863. THE Commander-in-Chief is pleased to publish the following information respecting the prize firing, which will take place in the autumn of this year:— The contest will be open to a given number of Militia Officers of Battalions, and of Volunteers of all ranks, from their respective corps. The British National Rifle Association's Medal will be the principal prize. There will be no intercolonial contest in this Province in 1863. The sum of £100 will be thus distributed:—A purse of Ten pounds to the winner of the medal; a purse of Five pounds each, to the ten next best shots, in order of merit; Ten purses of Three pounds each, to the next ten do. The above arrangement is made in order to give competitors from the more distant parts of the Province a better chance of covering the whole or a part of their expenses. Unless otherwise ordered the competition will take place at Truro. By order, R. B. SINCLAIR, A. G. M. May 20.

Regulation Allowance of Ball Cartridge, OFFICE OF A. G. M. HALIFAX, MAY 13, 1863.

THE Commander-in-Chief of the Nova Scotia Militia observes, that by collating returns of effectives and expenditure of Ball Cartridge, in many instances more than the regular allowance of sixty rounds per man has been expended by the Volunteers. A first issue will be made this year of forty rounds per effective, according to last returns; but no issue will be made to any corps which has expended an excess until the latter is replaced by their own requisition and payment. Absentees and unavoidable fractions of kegs will invariably leave an annual surplus, which should be faithfully carried on to the next year; otherwise the over-expenditure of ammunition will have to be constantly rectified from Head Quarters. The officers commanding both Militia Regiments and Volunteer corps are requested to be particular that those under their orders conform to the Regulations laid down on this important point, as by not doing so very much trouble and correspondence will be the inevitable result. By order, R. B. SINCLAIR, A. G. M. May 20.

IS THERE any VIRTUE in Mrs. S. ALLEN'S WORLD'S HAIR RESTORER AND ZYLOBALSAMUM? Convincing Testimony. REV. C. A. BUCKBEE, Assistant Treasurer American Bible Union, N. Y. City, writes: "I very cheerfully add my testimony to that of numerous friends to the great value of Mrs. S. A. Allen's Hair Restorer and Zylobalsamum."

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS possess so many advantages over the other purgatives in the market, and their superior virtues are so universally known, that we need not do more than to assure the public their quality is maintained equal to the best it ever has been, and that they may be depended on to do all that they have ever done. Prepared by J. C. AYER, M. D., & Co., Lowell, Mass., and sold by COGSWELL & FORSYTH Halifax, wholesale Agents for the Province, and by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine every where. Honey in the Comb. A few boxes very superior HONEY, in the comb, just received and for sale by BROWN BROS. & CO., Ordnance Square.

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA, THE WORLD'S GREAT REMEDY FOR Scrofula and Scrofulous Diseases.

From Emery Edes, a well-known merchant of Oxford, Maine. "I have sold large quantities of your SARSAPARILLA, but never yet one bottle which failed of the desired effect and full satisfaction to those who took it. As fast as our people try it, they agree there has been no medicine like it before in our community." Eruptions, Pimples, Blisters, Pustules, Ulcers, Sores, and all Diseases of the Skin. From Rev. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England. "I only do my duty to you and the public, when I add my testimony to that you publish of the medicinal virtues of your SARSAPARILLA. My daughter, aged ten, had an afflicting humor in her ears, eyes, and hair for years, which we were unable to cure until we tried your SARSAPARILLA. She has been well for some months." From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well-known and much-esteemed lady of Dennisville, Cape May Co., N. J. "My daughter has suffered for a year past with a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your SARSAPARILLA, which soon completely cured her." From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely-known Gage, Murray & Co., manufacturers of enamelled papers in Nashua, N. H. "I had for several years a very troublesome humor in my face, which grew constantly worse until it disfigured my features and became an intolerable affliction. I tried almost every thing a man could do of both advice and medicine, but without any relief whatever, until I took your SARSAPARILLA. It immediately made my face worse, as you told me it might for a time; but in a few weeks the new skin began to form under the blotches, and continued until my face is as smooth as any body's, and I am without any symptoms of the disease that I know of. I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe it to your SARSAPARILLA." Erysipelas—General Debility—Purify the Blood. From Dr. Robt. Savin, Houston St., New York. "DR. AYER. I seldom fail to remove Eruptions and Scrofulous Sores by the persevering use of your SARSAPARILLA, and I have just now cured an attack of Malignant Erysipelas with it. No alternative we possess equals the SARSAPARILLA you have supplied to the profession as well as to the people." From J. E. Johnston, Esq., Wakeman, Ohio. "For twelve years, I had the yellow Erysipelas on my right arm, during which time I tried all the celebrated physicians I could reach, and took hundreds of dollars worth of medicines. The ulcers were so bad that the cords became visible, and the doctors decided that my arm must be amputated. I began taking your SARSAPARILLA. Took two bottles, and some of your PILLS. Together they have cured me. I am now as well and sound as any body. Being in a public place, my case is known to every body in this community, and excites the wonder of all." From Hon. Henry Munro, M. P. P., of Newcastle, C. W., a leading member of the Canadian Parliament. "I have used your SARSAPARILLA in my family, for general debility, and for purifying the blood, with very beneficial results, and feel confidence in commending it to the afflicted." St. Anthony's Fire, Rose, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Sore Eyes. From Harvey Sickler, Esq., the able editor of the Tuscarora Democrat, Pennsylvania. "Our only child about three years of age, was attacked by pimples on his forehead. They rapidly spread until they formed a loathsome and virulent sore, which covered his face, and actually blinded his eyes for some days. A skillful physician applied nitrate of silver and other remedies, without any apparent effect. For fifteen days we guarded his hands, lest with them he should tear open the festering and corrupt wound which covered his whole face. Having tried every thing else we had any hope from, we began giving your SARSAPARILLA, and applying the iodide of potash lotion, as you direct. The sore began to heal when we had given the first bottle, and was well when we had finished the second. The child's eyelashes, which had come out, grew again, and he is now as healthy and fair as any other. The whole neighborhood predicted that the child must die." Syphilis and Mercurial Disease. From Dr. Hiram Sloat, of St. Louis, Missouri. "I find your SARSAPARILLA a more effectual remedy for the secondary symptoms of Syphilis and for syphilitic disease than any other we possess. The profession are indebted to you for some of the best medicines we have." From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of the Legislature of Massachusetts. "DR. AYER. My dear Sir I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent remedy for Syphilis, both of the primary and secondary type, and effectual in some cases that were too obstinate to yield to other remedies. I do not know what we can employ with more certainty of success, where a powerful alternative is required." Mr. Chas. S. Van Liew, of New Brunswick, N. J., had dreadful ulcers on his legs, caused by the abuse of mercury, or mercurial disease, which grew more and more aggravated for years, in spite of every remedy or treatment that could be applied, until the persevering use of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA relieved him. Few cases can be found more inveterate and distressing than this, and it took several dozen bottles to cure him. Leucorrhoea, Whites, Female Weakness, are generally produced by internal Scrofulous Infection, and are very often cured by the alterative effect of this SARSAPARILLA. Some cases require, however, in aid of the SARSAPARILLA, the skillful application of local remedies. From the well-known and widely-celebrated Dr. Jacob Morrill, of Cincinnati. "I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent alterative in diseases of females. Many cases of Irregularity, Leucorrhoea, Internal Ulceration, and local debility, arising from the scrofulous diathesis, have yielded to it, and there are few that do not, when its effect is properly aided by local treatment." A lady, unwilling to allow the publication of her name, writes: "My daughter and myself have been cured of a very debilitating Leucorrhoea of long standing, by two bottles of your SARSAPARILLA." Rheumatism, Gout, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Heart Disease, Neuralgia, when caused by Scrofula in the system, are rapidly cured by this EXT. SARSAPARILLA.

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