

MESSENGER ALMANACK.

From November 15th, to November 28th, 1868.

Last Quarter Nov. 7th..9 32 Morning.
 New Moon..... " 14th..6 41 Morning.
 First Quarter.... " 22d..2 32 Morning.
 Full Moon..... " 29th..8 46 Afternoon.

Day	SUN.			MOON.			HIGH WATER AT.	
	Rises.	Sets.	Days.	Rises.	Sets.	Days.	Halifax.	Windsor
15	6 59	4 31	8 4	5 42	7 53	0 44		
16	7 0	4 30	9 5	6 27	8 32	1 36		
17	7 1	4 29	10 1	7 15	9 7	2 28		
18	7 3	4 28	10 51	8 5	9 41	3 19		
19	7 4	4 27	11 35	9 1	10 21	4 8		
20	7 5	4 27	12 13	9 55	10 59	4 55		
21	7 6	4 26	0 47	10 51	11 49	5 41		
22	7 8	4 25	1 17	11 49	morn	6 25		
23	7 9	4 24	1 46	morn	0 57	7 8		
24	7 10	4 24	2 13	0 46	2 7	7 51		
25	7 12	4 23	2 40	1 45	3 16	8 34		
26	7 13	4 23	3 9	2 45	4 26	9 19		
27	7 14	4 22	3 39	3 47	5 19	10 6		
28	7 15	4 22	4 14	4 51	6 2	10 56		

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.
 The time of HIGH WATER at Windsor is also the time at Parrsboro', Horton, Cornwallis, Truro, &c.
 For the LENGTH of DAY double the time of the sun's setting.

Agriculture, &c.,

Agriculture and Horticulture.

BY MRS. LYDIA M. SIGOURNET.

Brown Ceres one day with Portona was meeting
 Neath Autumn's inspiring smile,
 So, giving each other a sisterly greeting,
 They sat down to gossip awhile.

"I hope you're quite well, dear, this elegant weather."
 "How charming the country!" they said.
 "And how do you prosper?"—both speaking together—
 "With regard to your business and trade?"

"Look, where the rude thorn bush and bramble were springing
 With fruitage the apple-tree bends,
 The scythe of the mower at sunrise is swinging
 And the song of the reaper ascends."

"Let us walk hand in hand, for no obstacle caring,
 Till vines o'er the mountains shall grow;
 Its suit of green velvet the brown heath be wearing,
 And deserts with plenty o'erflow."

"The gold in its mine with excitement and wonder
 May summon an emigrant band,
 And the chariot of Mars trample on in its thunder,
 But we're the true strength of the land."

"For us no loyn wife in her cottage is grieving,
 Earth welcomes us both in her prime,
 No sting in the bosom of memory we're leaving,
 No stain on the pinion of time."

Pruning Dwarf Pears.

I have been at work the past week pruning a little patch of two thousand dwarf pear trees. Some of them are in bearing and some only one year planted out. I have examined thousands of dwarf pear trees in the grounds of others, and I have never yet found good, healthy dwarf, trees where annual pruning has been omitted. Quite near me a gentleman planted trees at the same time, obtained from the same source, and of the same age of some I have just been pruning. He pruned a little the first and second year; but last year his trees were full of blossom buds, and his love of the present good would not permit the use of a little common sense vegetable physiological reasoning; so his trees were unpruned and permitted to bear all the fruit they could. The season was a dry one, the fruits did not fully mature, and now the trees are one-half or two-thirds of them dead; while mine, on which I cut back the previous year's growth of wood from one-half to two-thirds, are vigorous and healthy, with an abundance of fruit-spurs and buds.—*Ex.*

USE A DIGGING FORK.—We are very much surprised, notwithstanding all we have written on the subject, to find so many people sweating away at digging with a spade, when in nine cases out of ten, the digging fork will do four times the work in the same time, with an inexpressibly less labor. It is scarcely necessary to say that the people we see so barbarous are not our readers, but even "our own" people do not seem to know that a four-tined fork is much better than a five-tined one.—*Gard. Monthly.*

DON'T TRAP THE PARTRIDGE.—In an article upon the ruffled grouse, or partridge, in a recent number of the *American Naturalist*, it says: "So ardently is this beautiful game bird sought for, that many are destroyed every year, not only with the gun, but by every contrivance of snare and trap; and by the last two methods whole broods are taken before they have reached maturity. If such indiscriminate slaughter should continue for a few years to come as in time past, we shall have cause to regret that effective measures were not taken for the preservation of this noble bird."

Why is a tender like Westminster Abby?
 It holds the ashes of the great, (grate.)

NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

MAIN LINE.

Leave Halifax 6.20 a. m. Ar. at Pictou 11.50 a. m.
 " do 11.30 a. m. " do 6.35 p. m.
 " do 3.45 p. m. " Truro 7.15 p. m.
 Leave Truro 6.30 a. m. Ar. at Halifax 10.35 a. m.
 " Pictou 6.00 a. m. " do 1.00 p. m.
 " do 2.10 p. m. " do 7.55 p. m.

WINDSOR BRANCH.

Leave Halifax 7.00 a. m. Ar. at Windsor 9.00 a. m.
 " do 4.00 p. m. " do 7.00 p. m.
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