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ALMANAC FOR AUGUST

Table with columns for Day, SUN, MOON, High Tide, and Low Tide. Includes dates from 1st to 31st of August.

THE TIDES.—The column of the Moon's Southing gives the time of high water at Parrsboro, Cornwalls, Horton, Hantsport, Windsor, Newport, and Truro.

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Agricultural.

BEDDING FOR CATTLE.—It was a common remark of Mr. Asa G. Sheldon, of Wilmington, that oxen would do better to travel twenty miles a day and rest upon a good bed of straw or other litter that is soft and easy to stand and lie upon through the night, than they would to go only sixteen miles, and lie upon bare hard planks at night.

We allude to this subject now for the reason that were cattle are kept for farm work, they are at this season kept constantly in the yoke through the day and often very hard at work from morning till night.

A LEAN HORSE MADE FAT.—Many good horses devour large quantities of grain and hay, and still continue thin and poor. The food eaten is not properly assimilated.

WORMS IN FLOWER POTS.—We have often heard ladies, and even professional gardeners, complaining of the abundance of various species of worms inhabiting flower pots, thereby injuring the growth of plants growing therein.

HARROW CORN.—An Iowa farmer says he can raise more from fifteen to twenty bushels more per acre.

THE FROG BAROMETER.—In some countries frogs are used as barometers; the species employed for this purpose is the green tree frog.

THE WAYS OF WOMEN.—Anywhere from ninety to two hundred pounds.

Scientific.

COMETS.

COMETS are numbered by millions—Kepler says they are as many as fish in the ocean—but Herschel reckons those visible by the help of a telescope at only 25,000. Of course most of those are not visible to the naked eye.

ENCKE'S COMET completes its orbit in 3-1-3 years; Halley's in 76-1-6 years, travelling to a distance of over three thousand millions of miles from the sun; to what immeasurable distance must the comet of 1844 travel, which takes 100,000 years to complete its orbit!

PROBABLY comets have no tails at their remotest distances from the sun—some never have any,—but as they approach the sun, the tail is seen regularly to increase.

A CHEAP ICE PITCHER.—The following simple method of keeping ice water a long time in a common pitcher, is worth knowing: Place between two sheets of paper (news-paper will answer, thick brown is better) a layer of cotton batting half an inch in thickness, fasten the ends of paper and batting together, forming a circle, then sew or paste a crown over one end, making a box the shape of a stovepipe minus the rim.

A large bake house at Turvey, Bedfordshire, was some years ago infested with crickets. As hot weather came on the nuisance became very serious, for crickets were to be found in every possible crevice.

A female graduate of the medical department of Iowa University has taken the first prize for the best performed dissection in surgical anatomy, in a class consisting of twenty-four young men and one other young woman.

CURIOSITIES.

PROFOUND—A colored man applied at one of the Boston Savings Banks, where he had a deposit, and whence he wished to draw one dollar.

NAUGHTY JOKES ON A KNOTTY POINT.—Judge Nott thinks a judge's wife may not practice as a lawyer before her husband. May be Nott. Judge not, Judge Nott, that ye be not judged.

A SHOEMAKER'S BILL.—The following bill, it is said, was actually sent to a citizen of Dublin: MR. FELLER, ESQ., Dr. to JAMES RICKARD, Shoemaker.

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