

The Messenger Almanac.

Table with columns for Day, SUN., MOON., High Tide, and Low Tide. Includes dates for Full Moon, Last Quarter, New Moon, and First Quarter.

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

BETCHER'S PICTORAL MIXTURES FOR COUGHS, COLDS, WHOOPING COUGH, ASTHMA, &c.

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St. JOHN, N. B., April 16th, 1874. This is to certify that I was attacked with a very severe cold combined with the Asthma very bad, so that I could not lie down or hardly breathe.

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AGRICULTURE.

NON-HEADING CABBAGE.—Last autumn I was mourning over an unusual number of half-developed cabbages, which were only fit to be fed to the cows, and mentioned the fact to a Duchess County Farmer, who is in business in New York, and has lately bought a farm near us, asking if his crop had turned out badly.

BALKY HORSES.—

The Kentucky Home Journal gives the following directions for breaking up the balking of a viciously stubborn horse: "Put on your harness and hitch him to anything you desire, either single or double, as you feel disposed, and give him the commanding word to go ahead."

TURKEY INCUBATORS.—

I have tried the plan of hatching hen's eggs under turkeys, and find it an admirable one. In fact, it has quenched a longing I entertained to possess an incubator, and in future I hope to use the poor foolish turkeys, that will bring out brood after brood of chicks and far from tiring of the confinement, seem only too well pleased when they find a fresh nest full of eggs, and grow fat and glossy as well.

The Saturday Review says: The happiest life of a woman is perhaps attained when she adopts the opinions of a reasonably intelligent husband and conscientiously thinks they are her own.

SCIENCE.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT ON A TRANSATLANTIC STEAMER.—The French transatlantic steamer Amerique is now provided with an electric light, in order to prevent her collision with other vessels.

IMITATION SILVER ON STONE AND PLASTER.—

Take two sheets of mica and render them perfectly white by boiling in hydrochloric acid, or by the action of fire. Wash and dry, and then bruise them to fine powder, which sift.

ASTICK OF OYSTERS.—

But I brought you here to have some oysters. Will you have a stick, my dears? Yes a stick of oysters! In Fu-Chow the passing refreshment trade is supplied, not from cans and kegs, but from a stick, a bamboo stick, upon which the oysters, all in their shell, are set fast.

BREAD AND FRUIT.—

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In spinning yarns among silks and satins, a man is sure to be worsted and twisted; and when a man is worsted and twisted he may consider himself wound up.

An eminent physician says he cures 90 of every 100 cases of scarlet fever by giving the patients warm lemonade with gum arabic dissolved in it.

A cloth should be wrung out in hot water and laid upon the stomach.

Common wheat flour, made into a paste, with cold water applied dry, will take out grease spots without injuring the most delicate fabric.

AMERICAN CREMATION.—

A citizen of Washington, Penn., has built a large stone house on a hill for the reception of dead bodies, and a furnace scientifically constructed, in which they are to be burned. He has given strict injunctions to his executors that his own body be burned in the furnace.

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