

The Messenger Almanac.

Table with columns for Day, SUN, MOON, and High Tide. Rows list days from 1st to 30th with corresponding times for sunrise, sunset, moonrise, moonset, and high tide.

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

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SCIENCE.

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Professor Bell then played Auld Lang Syne. "What do you hear now?" "I hear the tune of Auld Lang Syne, with the full chords, distinctly," replied New York.

Thus the astounding discovery has been made that a man can play upon musical instruments in New York, New Orleans, or London, or Paris, and be heard distinctly in Boston!

SHOEING VICIOUS HORSES.—A horse no matter how vicious and obstinate he may be, when attempts are made to shoe him, can be rendered quiet and manageable by making him inspire, during the operation, a few grains of the ethereal oil of parsley, dropped on a handkerchief.

A NEW MOTIVE POWER.—The possibility of using compressed air as a motive power seems to have been fully demonstrated at Paisley. A car propelled by this agency has been successfully run on a street railway for more than two months, under every condition of traffic and weather.

TO MAKE OLD BLACK SILKS LOOK LIKE NEW.—Pick out the garment and wash the pieces in hot soap-suds; rinse by dipping up and down in hot water, then dip in a second water prepared as follows.—Boil 2 ounces logwood chips in five quarts of water; add 1/2 oz. copperas, strain through an old bit of calico; dip your silk into this dye.

SNOW PUDDING.—If there should be a fall of snow this winter, some of your readers may like to try this receipt. Where cold, dry, fresh-fallen snow is used it gives a lightness to the cakes all its own; no amount of beating can rival it.

Philanthropist: "There's a penny for you my lad. What will you do with it?" Sweeper: "What, all this at once! I'll toss yer for it, double or quits!"—Punch.

AGRICULTURE.

BUCKWHEAT FOR ORCHARDS.

Buckwheat is found to be just the thing for growing in orchards. The dense shade afforded by the plant keeps the ground light and friable, and this tendency is further increased by ploughing under the green buckwheat at least once year. If the orchard is old, it is as well not to try to grow buckwheat, but keep a succession of growths through the year, to be turned under when in blossom.

MAPLE SEED.—Occasionally, says an exchange, an inquiry comes to us about gathering tree seed, and the appearance of the maples reminds us that the seeds of the silver maple and the red maple ripen in two or three weeks after the leaves are fully developed.

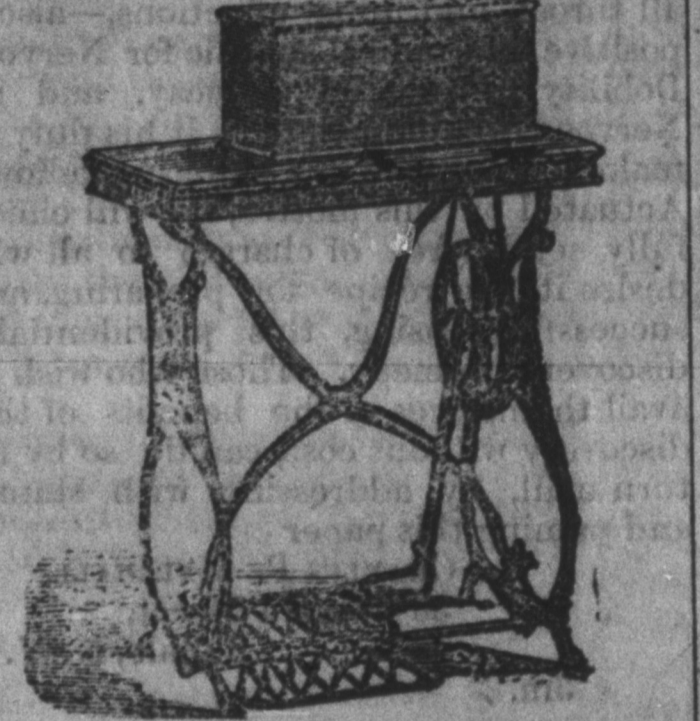
GARDEN BULBS.—Now is the time when bulbs should be taken up and stowed away, as the leaves of the plants become ripe and brown, and the roots will die if the plants remain too long in the ground.

HOW TO TREAT CROWS.—It is very gratifying to see that the poor crow which only a few years ago everybody's hand was against, turns out to be one of the most valuable birds for the farmer we have.

HATCHING TIME FOR EGGS.—Hens' eggs hatch in from nineteen to twenty-one days; turkeys' in from twenty-six to twenty-nine days; ducks' in twenty-eight days; Guinea fowls in from twenty-five to twenty-seven days; pea fowls in from twenty-eight to thirty-two days.

ENTHUSIASM.—Fern Seeker: "Here! I say, I can't hold on any longer! Hi? Oh! I'm falling! What is below? Fond Wife: "Only dirty water, dear! But oh, stop! such a lovely 'Lastrea'! If you fall on it I shall never forgive you."—Fun.

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