

The Messenger Almanac.

February.

First Quarter, Feb. 2, 9h. 30m. afternoon. Full Moon, " 9, 11h. 32m. " Last Quarter, " 17, 9h. 41m. morning. New Moon, " 25, 2h, 6m.

Table with columns: Day, SUN., MOON., High Tide. Rows list days of the month with corresponding times for sunrise, sets, moonrise, moonsets, and high tide at Halifax.

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

High water at Pictou and Cape Tormentine, 2 hours and 11 minutes LATER than at Halifax. At Annapolis, St. John, N.B., and Portland Maine, 3 hours and 25 minutes LATER, and at St. John's, Newfoundland, 20 minutes EARLIER, than at Halifax.

FOR THE LENGTH OF THE DAY.—Add 12 hours to the time of the sun's setting, and from the sum subtract the time of rising.

FOR THE LENGTH OF THE NIGHT.—Subtract the time of the sun's setting, from 12 hours and to the remainder add the time of rising next morning.

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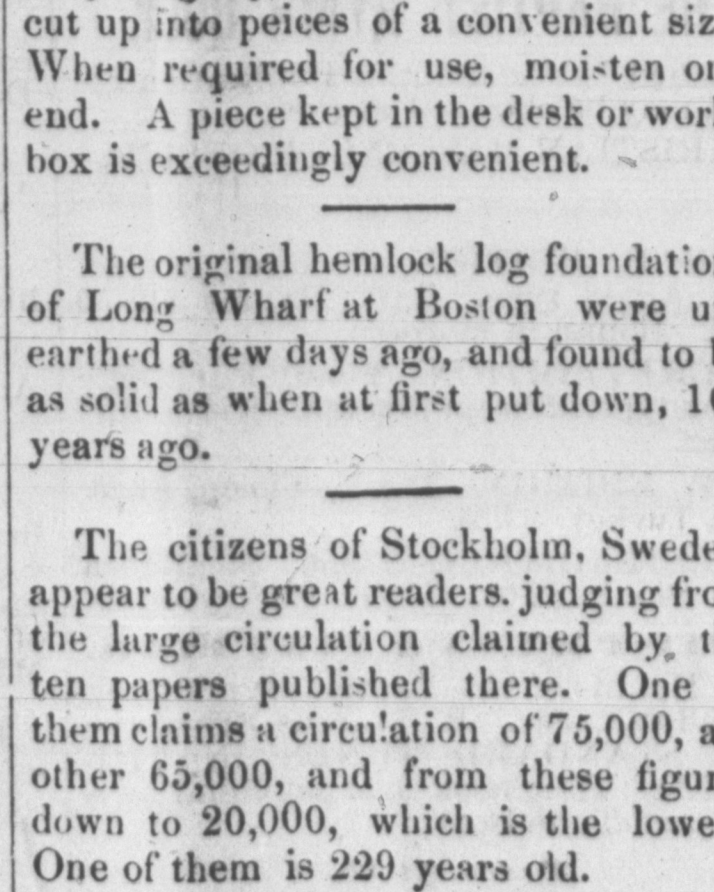
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