

The Messenger Almanac.

Table with columns for Day, Sun, Moon, High Tide, and various astronomical data for December.

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SCIENCE.

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HARD & SOFT WATER.

The biological section of the British Association has lately discussed the relative merits of hard and soft water used as beverages. The general opinion of the physicians who spoke, seems to have been that hard water, inasmuch as it contains lime and phosphates, is good for young children who need the lime for the building up of their bones.

Toughened glassware is now made on a small scale in Pennsylvania, and lemps, tumblers, and other articles now classed as "fragile," are made which cannot be broken by any of the ordinary accidents by which the stock of family glass is constantly depleted.

A SHEEP'S FRONT TEETH

The cost of railway construction has been so remarkably reduced within the past three years, that roads now building will be able to do business at a great advantage over older roads.

A GERMAN SCIENTIFIC JOURNAL

says that the cracking of mortar through dryness or heat may be prevented by the addition of chloride of lime.

A QUICKLY DRYING LIQUID GLUE

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THE SULTAN HAS GIVEN HIS CONSENT

to a scheme to make Jaffa a seaport and connect it with Jerusalem by railway.

AGRICULTURE.

A BIG WHEAT FARM IN PENNSYLVANIA.—A gentleman who came down from the North Pacific the other day gives to the St. Paul Pioneer Press the following interesting notes in relation to Dalrymple's great wheat farm:—The amount of ground sown to wheat this spring was 1300 acres. Harvesting commenced on Monday with nine self-binders. The machines are run fifteen hours without rest, except the ordinary stops for oiling, lunch and dinner, and the result per day is 180 acres. One man is employed to each team, and twelve men follow the machines shaking the wheat as soon as it is cut. The entire 1300 acres were to be cut and shocked during the week, stacking and threshing will of course follow. Dalrymple is harvesting his crop for about one-fifth of the cost required under the system in vogue ten years ago.

ASSIMILATION OF METALS BY VEGETABLES.

In a Dutch technical journal Dr. DeLoos states that vegetables are capable of taking up metallic particles from the soil—a question much debated in the United States with reference to the use of Paris green for destroying the Colorado potato beetle.

A SIMPLE LITTLE FLOWER.

In one of the early comic annuals there are some amusing lines of Hood's describing how a country nursery-man had made a large sum out of the sale of a simple little flower, which he sold under the name of the "Rhodum Sidus."

AN ENTHUSIASTIC CORRESPONDENT

of the London Journal of Horticulture, in speaking of the comparative value of the larch and lime tree, says:—The larch would buy a horse before the lime would buy a donkey, which is an adaptation of the old adage, which reads, "Larch will buy a horse before oak will buy a saddle."

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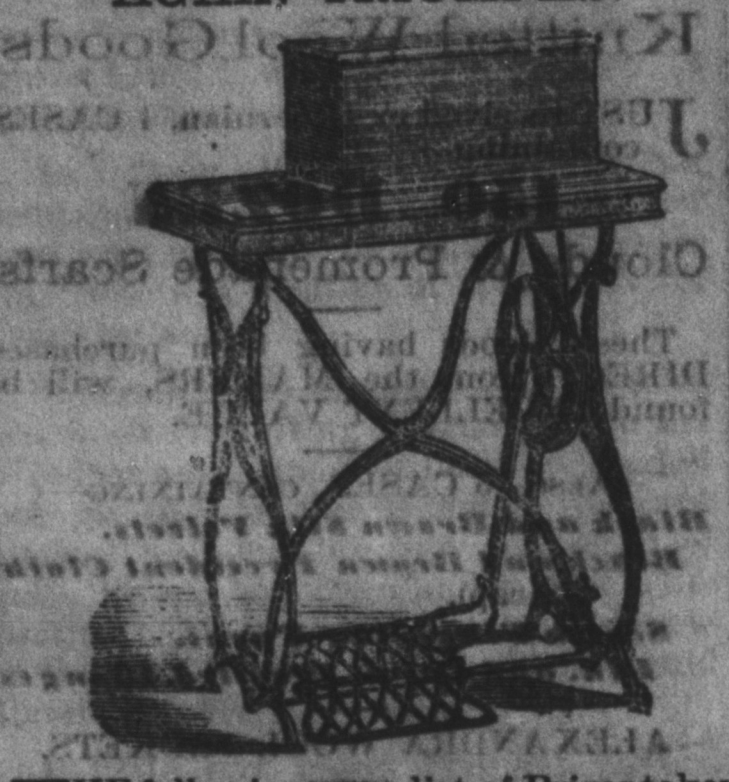
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