

The Messenger Almanac.

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

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

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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SCIENCE.

How to UTILISE THE STRAW.—Straw is valuable, and many of our most successful farmers would be lost were it not for the quantity of straw they have to feed out during the winter months.

One method is to feed it to young animals whose stomachs will hardly comply with the demands of their growing bodies, even when fed on the most nutritious food.

If there are roots or grain to be fed, the best results may be obtained by feeding either with straw. There are some kinds of straw only fit for bedding, as buckwheat or barley straw and there are some kinds that may be sold at a profit—that is, it will bring more in market than it can possibly be worth on the farm.

THE DURABILITY OF SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH CABLE.—The expedition sent out to raise the submarine cable of 1866, like the one sent to raise that of 1865, failed to accomplish its mission.

There is a story current that a member of a fashionable congregation lately called at a music shop and enquired: "Have you the notes of a piece called the 'Song of Solomon'?"

Spikenard root, sliced and bruised, and then steeped in a teapot containing equal parts of water and spirits, and the vapor inhaled, when sufficiently cooled, will relieve the soreness and hoarseness of the throat and lungs, when arising from a cough or cold.

HEALTH HINTS.

REMEDY FOR CONSUMPTION.—A correspondent writes as follows about the flowers of a well-known plant: I have discovered a remedy for consumption.

A NEW CURE FOR WOUNDS.—As soon as a wound is inflicted, get a little stick—a knife or file-handle will do—and commence to tap gently on the wound.

COUGH SYRUP.—One ounce of thoroughwort one ounce flaxseed; simmer together in one quart of water until the strength is entirely extracted; strain carefully; and add one pint of best molasses and half pound loaf sugar;

NOSE BLEED.—If the use of cold water will not stop the bleeding, place powdered alum in the nose and leave it there until the wounded vein is healed.

VARIETIES.

At one of the schools in Cornwall, England, the inspector asked the children if they could quote any text of scripture which forbade a man having two wives.

A celebrated oculist offered to operate on a Parisian blind beggar's eyes, "I'll guarantee to restore your sight."

A trader in Boston being asked the character of one given to poetry, described him as "one of those men who have soarings after the indefinite, and divings after the unfathomable, but who never pay cash."

A nobleman who is in the habit of speaking to soldiers in an affable manner was much amused when a Guardsman said to him, in a hearty way, "I like you, my lord. There's nothing of the gentleman about you."

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