

CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER, 1867.

First Quarter, 4th day, 6h. 53m. A.M.
Full Moon, 11th day, 5h. 40m. P.M.
Last Quarter, 18th day, 9h. 37m. A.M.
New Moon, 25th day, 9h. 42m. P.M.
Apogee 2d. 7h. A.M. Perigee 14d. 2h. A.M.
Apogee 30d. 1h. A.M.

D	M	W	Th	F	S	Sun	Signification of Signs.	h	m	h	m
1	F	8	40	Knees & Hams	6	30	457				
2	S	20	31		6	31	456				
3	M	2	31	Legs & Ankles	6	32	454				
4	M	14	15		6	34	453				
5	T	26	19		6	35	452				
6	W	8	38	Feet & Toes	6	36	451				
7	T	21	15		6	37	450				
8	F	4	17	Head and Face	6	38	449				
9	S	17	43		6	40	448				
10	S	1	35	Neck & Throat	6	41	447				
11	M	15	50		6	42	446				
12	T	0	23	Arms, Should'rs	6	43	445				
13	W	15	07		6	44	444				
14	T	29	54		6	46	443				
15	F	14	35	Breast, Stomach	6	47	442				
16	S	29	5		6	48	441				
17	S	13	19	Heart & Back	6	49	440				
18	M	27	17		6	50	439				
19	T	10	58	Bowels & Belly	6	51	439				
20	W	24	24		6	53	438				
21	T	7	36	Reins & Loins	6	54	438				
22	F	20	38		6	55	437				
23	S	3	24	Secret Members	6	56	436				
24	S	16	3		6	57	436				
25	M	28	31		6	58	435				
26	T	10	49	Hips & Thighs	7	0	435				
27	W	22	58		7	0	435				
28	T	4	58	Knees & Hams	7	2	434				
29	F	16	51		7	3	434				
30	S	28	41		7	4	434				

WESTMINSTER GREAT CLOCK.

It is impossible to overrate the advantage of a reliable knowledge of exact time in all great centers of industry; and yet, although time passes daily through London to many parts of the country, from Greenwich, the people of London have, with one exception, few clocks on which they can implicitly rely. The exception—and a notable one—is the great clock in the new palace at Westminster; for, although so costly a production, it turns out, as respects performance, to be perhaps the finest clock of the kind in the world. Telegraphic communication with Greenwich exists for the purpose of enabling the clock to report automatically its state every day to the Astronomer-royal; the Greenwich record, therefore, demonstrates the goodness of the machine. It is not allowed to deviate more than two seconds from the true time, and we are told in one of the astronomer-royal's reports that "the rate of the clock may be considered certain to be much less than one second per week."

When we consider what is the duration of a second of time, and that such a huge machine is able to perform for a week within that limit, we may well marvel at the result. The clock-frame, carrying the various trains of wheels, etc., is fifteen and one-half feet long, and four feet seven inches wide; the pendulum, which makes one vibration in two seconds, weighs between six and seven hundred weight; the dials, of which there are four, and which are illuminated at night, are each twenty-two and one-half feet in diameter, and it is a day's work for a man to wind the clock up, both going and striking parts. [Chamber's Journal.]

A WORTHY EXAMPLE.—The proprietor of a large horticultural establishment in one of our cities, says the Country Gentleman, employs some thirty girls in his office and packing rooms, besides other hands. They are allowed the same wages that are paid to the men for the same character and quality of work. The owner finds great pleasure in thus giving profitable and healthful employment to so many young women, and not robbing them of half their earnings because it is the fashion to treat girls in that way. Some of them have been with him since they were children, and they all look to him as a friend and counselor, and almost as a father. He watches their interests, temporal and spiritual, occasionally inviting all to his house to spend the evening, and sometimes giving them a sail on the water. They are pledged not to marry without his consent, and he is pledged to furnish each a nice wedding outfit. In speaking on this subject, he said to us: "This is my hobby—my weak spot—and I think you have a soft spot of the same kind."

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