





Phases of the Moon for the Month of Dec, 1873. TABLES OF THE MOON FOR THE MONTH OF DEC, 1873. PREPARED BY GEORGE DANIELS, M. A.

NOTES OF THE WEEK. DIARIES—Those in want of pocket Diaries for 1874 can find a supply at the bookstore.

Amie Rodriguez, a minor—Petition for the appointment of guardian, when E. Mikaleim was appointed upon his filing bond in the sum of \$500.

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His Lecture in London—His Own Introduction

From the London Times, October 14th.

Last evening "Mark Twain" (Mr. S.

L. Clemens), the well-known American

humorist, delivered a lecture on "Our

Fellow Savages of the Sandwich Islands,"

at the Hanover Square Rooms. There

was a very large audience, including many

dramatic and literary celebrities, both

English and American, among whom Mr.

Barnum, the "Yankee" showman, now on

a visit to this country, was especially no-

ted. The lecturer, upon making his

appearance upon the platform, was warmly

greeted. He stated that it was proposed

that evening to deliver, and on the four

following evenings and on Saturday after-

noon next, to repeat, a lecture upon the

Sandwich Islands, the habits and customs

of the natives, the character of the

country, and so forth. He should ask their

permission to introduce to them "Mr.

Mark Twain," a gentleman whose varied

learning, historical accuracy, veneration

for the truth, and devotion to science

were only equalled by his personal com-

eliness, his grandeur of character, and na-

tive sweetness of disposition. It was

of himself that he gave that vague and

modest description; and, finding that it

was the custom of this country to introduce

a lecturer, and not wishing, though he

disliked it, to break through that custom,

he had chosen to make the introduction

himself with the object of getting in all

the facts. In view of the liberality of Eng-

land, who had sent to America all the

lecturers that she could spare, he had felt

it nothing but right and fair that the United

States, in however imperfect a way, should

reciprocate the compliment, and he had,

therefore, voluntarily thrown himself into

the breach. He was present that evening

under those circumstances, but not in his

own insignificant individual capacity, but

as a representative and exponent of the

gratitude of America, and so firmly was

he impressed with the importance of his

diplomatic mission that to make amend-

ments for past neglect he should insist on

sending to Great Britain in future fourteen

Yankee lecturers for every one who left

these shores.

A "Danbury Funeral."

The day Mr. Ruby across the way was

to be buried Mrs. Moriarty told her

daughter Clarinda that she guessed she

would attend, as she wasn't feeling very

well, and a ride would do her good. She

knew there would be several covered

carriages furnished at the expense of the

family, and she was equally confident

that it could be so managed that she

would occupy a portion of one of them.

She was among the first at the house and

occupied a prominent position.

As the other friends arrived she took

occasion to recall reminiscences of the

late Ruby that brought tears to their

eyes, and when the services were over,

as the first carriage drove up for its

load, the mistress of Mrs. Moriarty at

the death of Mr. Ruby was so marked

as to excite the liveliest sympathy. Then

the second coach came up. Mrs. Mori-

arty had got down to the gate by this

time, and as the door of the second

coach was opened, and a call made

for the occupants, it seemed ex-

ceedingly doubtful if she could hold up