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AND
EXPENSE BOOK

FOR
1869.

BROWN'S
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GALESBURG, ILLINOIS.

CONTAINING
CALENDARS, LIST OF STAMP DUTIES, RATES OF POSTAGE,
INSTRUCTIONS AS TO INCOME RETURNS, AND FORMS
OF ACCOUNTS ESPECIALLY ADAPTED TO THE
LATEST REVENUE LAWS,
FOR THE USE OF FARMERS AND OTHERS,
WITH ADVERTISEMENTS OF
LEADING MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS.

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OF NEW YORK.

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The great Savings Bank of the American People.

CASH ASSETS, \$25,000,000 !

ORGANIZED IN 1842, this, the oldest and the leading Life Insurance Company of this continent, has paid, during the **twenty-five years** of its existence,

Eight Millions of Dollars, in Cash,

FOR DEATH CLAIMS, has made and declared to the insured over

Twelve Millions of Dollars, in Cash,

OF DIVIDENDS, or return of Surplus, and has received for premiums and interest during the year 1868 near

Ten Millions of Dollars, in Cash.

SYSTEM OF BUSINESS—**EXCLUSIVELY CASH.** No Premium Notes are taken, no loans made on personal securities or collaterals. All funds are invested in Land Mortgages and in U. S. and New York Bonds.

No Assessments on the Insured are possible!

On the contrary, Annual Division of Profits to the Insured is made from end of the first year of each Policy, and each share **paid at once, in Cash,** to reduce next premium, or, at the option of the insured, added to the Policy.

ENDOWMENT POLICIES,

by which the insured provides a competency for old age, as well as a ready fund for his family in case of his premature decease, are an especial feature. All policies of this class that have matured thus far, have yielded over six per cent. compound interest, and furnished the insurance besides.

Though Agencies of this Company will be found in almost every town of importance, we append a list of the principal agencies in the State of Illinois. Where no Agents can be found, parties desiring information regarding plans and rates, will please address

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J. Y. CORY, Waukegan.
J. L. BEATH, Bloomington.
RODNEY ASHLEY, Kankakee.

Counting-House Calendar, 1869.

	Su	Mo	Tu	W	Th	Fr	Sa		Su	Mo	Tu	W	Th	Fr	Sa
JAN.	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	JULY.	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
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	17	18	19	20	21	22	23		18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30		25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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	28	29	30	31	...	...	...		26	27	28	29	30	...	...
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	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	25	26	27	28	29	30	...		24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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	16	17	18	19	20	21	22		14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29		21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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JUNE.	...	...	1	2	3	4	5	DEC.	...	...	...	1	2	3	4
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26		19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	27	28	29	30	...	...	...		26	27	28	29	30	31	...

In the year 1869 there will be four Eclipses; two of the Sun and two of the Moon, as follows:

I. A partial Eclipse of the Moon, January 27th, visible to North America.

II. An Annular Eclipse of the Sun, February 11th, invisible in North America.

III. A partial Eclipse of the Moon, July 23d, visible to the western part of North America.

IV. A total Eclipse of the Sun, August 7th, visible in North America.



Day of Mo. Week	Day of Week	MOON'S PHASES.	
		SUN R. & S. H. M.	MOON R. & S. H. M.

1	Fr.	7 25r	8 37
2	Sa.	4 44s	9 48
3	Su.	7 25r	10 58
4	Mo.	4 46s	morn
5	Tu.	7 25r	0 6
6	W.	4 48s	1 13
7	Th.	7 25r	2 18
8	Fr.	4 50s	3 21
9	Sa.	7 24r	4 22
10	Su.	4 52s	5 21
11	Mo.	7 24r	6 15
12	Tu.	4 54s	sets
13	W.	7 23r	5 58
14	Th.	4 56s	6 53
15	Fr.	7 22r	7 50
16	Sa.	4 58s	8 47
17	Su.	7 21r	9 44
18	Mo.	5 1s	10 41
19	Tu.	7 20r	11 39
20	W.	5 3s	morn
21	Th.	7 19r	0 37
22	Fr.	5 6s	1 38
23	Sa.	7 18r	2 42
24	Su.	5 8s	3 45
25	Mo.	7 17r	4 49
26	Tu.	5 10s	5 49
27	W.	7 15r	rises
28	Th.	5 12s	6 13
29	Fr.	7 13r	7 27
30	Sa.	5 15s	8 41
31	Su.	7 11r	9 53

Stamp Duties.

AGREEMENT or contract.....	\$0.05
BANK CHECK, draft or order on any bank, banker or trust company....	.02
On any other person or corporation, over \$10.....	.02
BILL OF EXCHANGE (inland), each \$100...	.05
Foreign, in sets, each \$100.....	.02
BOND of Indemnity, each \$1000.....	.50
Of office.....	1.00
Of any other kind.....	.25
CERTIFICATE of Stock.....	.25
Of profits, more than \$10, less than \$50	.10
Of profits, more than \$50, less than \$1000.....	.25
Of profits, for each additional \$1000...	.25
Of Deposit, \$100 or less.....	.02
Of Deposit, more than \$100.....	.05
Of any other kind.....	.05
CONTRACT.—Broker's memorandum of sale, &c.....	.10
CONVEYANCE of Real Estate, each \$500..	.50
INSURANCE (Life), not exceeding \$1000..	.25
Over \$1000, not exceeding \$5000.....	.50
Over \$5000.....	1.00
Marine, Inland or Fire, Premium not exceeding \$10.....	.10
Exceeding \$10, not exceeding \$50...	.25
Exceeding \$50.....	.50
LEASE, rent \$300 per annum, or less....	.50
For each additional \$200.....	.50
For assignment of, same as original.	
MORTGAGE exceeding \$100, less than \$500	\$0.50

MEMORANDA FOR JANUARY.

KEEP YOUR MONEY IN THE WEST!

THE
National Insurance Co.,
OF DAVENPORT, IOWA.

STATEMENT.
CAPITAL.

The amount of its Capital Stock is.....\$200,000.00
The amount of Capital Stock paid up is..... 200,000.00
The amount of its Surplus is..... 14,233.64

ASSETS.

Cash on hand and in hands of Agents..... \$ 10,945.45
U. S. Bonds, 10-40's, 5-20's and 6's, of 1881..... 50,000.00
Bonds secured and approved by Auditor of Iowa 96,063.00
Bonds of Wright and Fremont Counties, Iowa..... 1,812.50
Loans secured by Mortgage on Real Estate @ 10 per ct..... 45,227.00
Citizens' National Bank and Bridge Stock..... 3,800.00
Debts for Premiums..... 1,675.35
All other Securities..... 4,710.34
\$214,233.64

LIABILITIES—NONE WHATEVER.

C. H. ELDRIDGE, Secretary.
EDWIN SMITH, President.

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For sale by one dealer in each of the principal towns in the western states and territories,

DEERE & COMPANY, Moline, Illinois.



Day of Mo. Week	Day of	SUN		MOON		MOON'S PHASES.			
		R. & S.		R. & S.			Day	h.	m.
		H.	M.	H.	M.	LAST QUARTER.....	3	0	0 P. M.
						NEW MOON.....	11	8	58 A. M.
						FIRST QUARTER.....	19	0	10 P. M.
						FULL MOON.....	26	7	8 A. M.

1	Mo.	7 10r	11 2
2	Tu.	5 19s	morn
3	W.	7 9r	0 9
4	Th.	5 21s	1 14
5	Fr.	7 7r	2 16
6	Sa.	5 24s	3 16
7	Su.	7 4r	4 11
8	Mo.	5 26s	5 2
9	Tu.	7 2r	5 48
10	W.	5 29s	sets
11	Th.	7 0r	5 43
12	Fr.	5 31s	6 40
13	Sa.	6 57r	7 37
14	Su.	5 33s	8 34
15	Mo.	6 54r	9 31
16	Tu.	5 36s	10 29
17	W.	6 52r	11 28
18	Th.	5 38s	morn
19	Fr.	6 49r	0 28
20	Sa.	5 41s	1 29
21	Su.	6 46r	2 31
22	Mo.	5 43s	3 31
23	Tu.	6 43r	4 29
24	W.	5 46s	5 22
25	Th.	6 40r	6 9
26	Fr.	5 48s	rises
27	Sa.	6 38r	7 29
28	Su.	5 50s	8 41
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STAMP DUTIES.—CONTINUED.

MORTGAGE exceeding \$500, less than \$1000.....	1.00
For each additional \$500.....	.50
PASSAGE TICKET to foreign port, costing \$35 or less	.50
Over \$35, under \$50.....	1.00
Each additional \$50.....	1.00
POWER OF ATTORNEY for sale of or collections on stock.....	.25
To collect or receive rent.....	.25
For voting in a corporation.....	.10
To sell or lease real estate.....	1.00
For any other purpose.....	.50
PROBATE OF WILL, property not exceeding \$2000.....	1.00
Each additional \$1000 or part thereof	.50
PROMISSORY NOTE, every \$100 or part thereof.....	.05
PROTEST of note, draft, etc.....	.25
RECEIPTS for any sum of money over \$20	.02
WRIT, or other legal document commencing suit.....	.50
Where the amount claimed is over \$100.....	.50
Of appeal from inferior to superior court.....	.50
WARRANT of Distress, for \$100 or less...	.25
For more than \$100.....	.50

The indiscriminate use of all kinds of stamps (except postage or proprietary) is permitted, care being taken to affix a stamp or stamps of the proper amount.

MEMORANDA FOR FEBRUARY.

Loda Ills

Feb 26th 1869

Paul J. A. Hall for trucking
for Mr. Loomis's goods 1.35

March 1st 1869 Paid freight on
3 Bags nails for Mr. Loomis 1.05

March 3rd 1869

A. J. Loomis left with me
Wagon, Cumin & ~~beans~~ partner
Ship - ~~for~~ ~~for~~ ~~for~~ ~~for~~
Lumber & Stock & ~~for~~ ~~for~~ ~~for~~ ~~for~~



Day of Mo.	Day of Week	MOONS' PHASES.			
		SUN	MOON	Day h. m.	
		R. & S.	R. & S.		
		H. M.	H. M.	LAST QUARTER.....	5 0 47 A. M.
				NEW MOON.....	13 3 50 A. M.
				FIRST QUARTER.....	21 0 58 A. M.
				FULL MOON.....	27 4 36 P. M.
1	Mo.	6 35r	9 52	STAMP DUTIES.—CONCLUDED. Documents made in any foreign country, to be used in the United States, shall pay the same duty as when made here. The party to whom the same is issued, or by whom it is used, shall affix thereon the proper stamp before using. Powers of Attorney, or other papers relating to applications for bounties, arrearages of pay, or pensions, require no stamp; neither do indorsements of negotiable instruments, nor any warrants of attorney accompanying a bond or note when such bond or note shall be stamped; and whenever any bond or note shall be secured by mortgage, but one stamp duty is required, provided the stamp duty placed thereon is the highest rate required for said instrument, or either of them. No document signed or issued prior to June 1, 1863, without being stamped, shall be invalid for that reason; but it shall not be admitted or used in any court until it shall have been stamped, and the initials of the persons using, and the date when it is used, placed thereon. The person using or affixing the stamp or stamps, shall write thereupon the initials of his name and the date upon which the same shall be attached or used, so that the same shall not be used again, under a penalty of \$50; or they may be otherwise canceled, as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue may prescribe. Official instruments issued or used by United States officers are exempt. All wilful neglect to comply with the conditions of these Stamp Duties will be punished as the law directs.	
2	Tu.	5 52s	11 1		
3	W.	5 31r	morn		
4	Th.	5 54s	0 8		
5	Fr.	6 28r	1 10		
6	Sa.	5 57s	2 7		
7	Su.	6 25r	2 59		
8	Mo.	5 59s	3 47		
9	Tu.	6 22r	4 28		
10	W.	6 1s	5 5		
11	Th.	6 19r	5 38		
12	Fr.	6 3s	sets		
13	Sa.	6 15r	6 30		
14	Su.	6 5s	7 26		
15	Mo.	6 12r	8 24		
16	Tu.	6 7s	9 22		
17	W.	6 9r	10 21		
18	Th.	6 10s	11 21		
19	Fr.	6 6r	morn		
20	Sa.	6 12s	0 22		
21	Su.	6 2r	1 20		
22	Mo.	6 14s	2 17		
23	Tu.	5 59r	3 10		
24	W.	6 16s	3 57		
25	Th.	5 56r	4 40		
26	Fr.	6 18s	5 22		
27	Sa.	5 52r	rises		
28	Su.	6 20s	7 28		
29	Mo.	5 49r	8 40		
30	Tu.	6 22s	9 50		
31	W.	5 46r	10 56		

THIS IS THE MONTH WHEN THE INCOME RETURNS MUST BE MADE.

MEMORANDA FOR MARCH.

Loda Dec. March 2^d 1869

Acct Coal wood &c for
for Lornis Herwins for farm

One Cord wood butch

J. C. Rose 3.00

3690 Lbs coal of wait 10.25

Paid Anderson for hauling coal 2.50

Paid Helmer for hauling coal 2.00

Paid Moore for hauling coal

.. Harrington for meal flour &c 4.62

.. ~~Sugar for flour coal &c~~

.. L. Fletcher for traveling &c .60

.. Felton & Co. for rails &c 1.05

March 1st Paid Geo Belter's bill Salt &c 6.43

.. J. H. Clinton's bill flour &c 23.25

Feb 2^d Paid J. Holmes post pay for Cornfield 23.00

March 3^d P. Coal Harries on farm 23.00

4th P. Edith Pardee goods 2.20

5th P. Coal Harries but on corn 51.20

.. P. Isaac Legg for coal flour &c 2.95

4th L. J. Herwins 210 lbs pork 22.05

.. 10 lbs lard 1.80

8 Paid G. Legg one pair hogs 5.50

11 Paid L. Belter for hogs .20

11 Paid Wait for flour meal 1.40

.. Paid Matthe for burn .40

15 Paid Isaac Legg Tobacco 1.00

16 P. D. Lorn 6 Biscuits 3 shans 3 tons

limoth, half 210 lbs for tin 1.00

18 Sugar Ac of Clinton 2.30

204.15 208.25

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MOON'S PHASES.

Day of Mo.	Day of Week	SUN R. & S.	MOON R. & S.	LAST QUARTER	NEW MOON.....	FIRST QUARTER.....	FULL MOON.....
		H. M.	H. M.				

Day	h.	m.
3	3	52 P. M.
11	8	51 P. M.
19	10	10 A. M.
26	1	25 A. M.

1	Th.	5 44r	11 58
2	Fr.	6 25s	m orn
3	Sa.	5 41r	0 53
4	Su.	6 27s	1 43
5	Mo.	5 38r	2 28
6	Tu.	6 29s	3 6
7	W.	5 35r	3 41
8	Th.	6 32s	4 12
9	Fr.	5 31r	4 40
10	Sa.	6 34s	5 7
11	Su.	5 28r	sets
12	Mo.	6 36s	7 16
13	Tu.	5 25r	8 15
14	W.	6 38s	9 16
15	Th.	5 22r	10 16
16	Fr.	6 40s	11 15
17	Sa.	5 19r	morn
18	Su.	6 42s	0 12
19	Mo.	5 16r	1 5
20	Tu.	6 44s	1 54
21	W.	5 13r	2 38
22	Th.	6 46s	3 17
23	Fr.	5 10r	3 53
24	Sa.	6 48s	4 27
25	Su.	5 7r	5 2
26	Mo.	6 50s	rises
27	Tu.	5 4r	8 35
28	W.	6 52s	9 42
29	Th.	9 2r	10 42
30	Fr.	55 4s	11 36

Time to make Return and Payment Annual Taxes.

By the act of June 30, 1864, as amended by the first section of the act of March 2, 1867, it is made the duty of any person liable to annual tax, on or before the first day of March in each year, to make a return to the assistant assessor of the district wherein he resides, of his income and of taxable articles owned or kept by him on the first day of March.

The time for which income is to be returned is from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, inclusive. The tax is five per cent. on all sums over \$1,000. Blanks for the returns will be furnished by the assistant assessors.

Every person failing to make such return by the day specified, will be liable to be assessed by the assistant assessor according to the best information which he can obtain; and in such case the assistant assessor will add fifty per cent. to the amount of the tax, and from the valuation and enumeration so made there can be no appeal.

In case any person shall deliver to an assessor any false or fraudulent list or statement, with intent to defeat or evade the valuation or enumeration required by law, the assistant assessor will add one hundred per cent. to the tax.

The assessment list, when completed, will be returned to the collector, who will "give notice by advertisement in one newspaper published in each county in his collection district, if any there be, and if not, then in a newspaper printed in an ad-

MEMORANDA FOR APRIL

1869

Feb 23. Wilber Wait Sr
To cash loaned Wge
paid on demand \$316.00

Feb 25th /69
Wilber Wait Sr
By order to Hainesworth \$40.00

March 9th Wilber Wait Sr
By order to E. Stimpf \$93.00

March 15th /69
By order to S. Langhorne \$50.00

March 27 /69
By order to Robert
Miller - horses - \$92.00

April 19th /69
By order to J. H. Seeger
for calves \$35.00
\$312.00
June 1st \$4.00

April 19th /69

April 18th Rained Chaired &
blown away - 19th Rained



MOON'S PHASES.

Day of Mo.	Day of Week	SUN		MOON		Day h. m.		
		R. & S.		R. & S.				
		H.	M.	H.	M.			
						LAST QUARTER.....	3	8 44 A. M.
						NEW MOON.....	11	11 11 A. M.
						FIRST QUARTER.....	18	4 33 P. M.
						FULL MOON.....	25	10 27 A. M.

1	Sa.	4	59r	morn
2	Su.	6	57s	0 24
3	Mo.	4	57r	1 5
4	Tu.	6	59s	1 42
5	W.	4	54r	2 13
6	Th.	7	1s	2 42
7	Fr.	4	52r	3 10
8	Sa.	7	3s	3 37
9	Su.	4	49r	4 4
10	Mo.	7	5s	4 34
11	Tu.	4	47r	sets
12	W.	7	7s	8 10
13	Th.	4	45r	9 11
14	Fr.	7	9s	10 9
15	Sa.	4	43r	11 3
16	Su.	7	11s	11 53
17	Mo.	4	41r	morn
18	Tu.	7	13s	0 36
19	W.	4	40r	1 16
20	Th.	7	14s	1 53
21	Fr.	4	38r	2 27
22	Sa.	7	16s	3 1
23	Su.	4	36r	3 35
24	Mo.	7	18s	4 10
25	Tu.	4	35r	rises
26	W.	7	20s	8 26
27	Th.	4	34r	9 25
28	Fr.	7	21s	10 16
29	Sa.	4	33r	11 2
30	Su.	7	23s	11 41
31	Mo.	4	32r	morn

TIME TO MAKE RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

joining county, and by notification, to be posted in at least four public places in each county in his collection district, that the said duties have become due and payable, and state the time and place within said county at which he or his deputy will attend to receive the same;" and to any sum unpaid after the thirtieth day of April, and for ten days after demand, there will be an addition of five per cent. as a penalty for such neglect, and of interest at one per cent. per month.

Guardians, trustees, executors and administrators, and persons acting in any other fiduciary capacity, are required to make returns of the income belonging to minors, or other persons for whom they act, and the income tax will be assessed upon the amount returned. after deducting such sums as are exempted by law; *provided* that the exemption of *one thousand dollars* shall not be allowed on account of any minor or other beneficiary of a trust except upon the statement of the guardian or trustee, made under oath, that the minor or beneficiary has no other income from which the said amount may be exempted and deducted.

When coupons of United States bonds, or gold received as interest on bonds, are sold within the year, the amount of legal tender currency received therefor should be returned as income.

When any person has gold, or coupons payable in gold on hand at the close of the year, its value should be returned at the value of gold at the close of the year.

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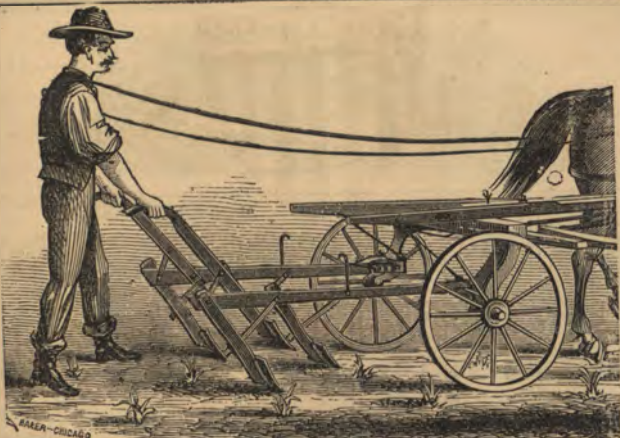
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The main features of our Machine are as follows, and will commend themselves to the Farmer :

The wheels are large, (30 inches in dia.) promoting steadiness and ease of draft; and the hubs being cast on a chill are very durable.

Reversible blocks are attached to all the shovels, so that they can be turned to throw the soil either to or from the corn; and width between shovels can be readily changed by means of a slot in the axle.

The shovels are held in position by means of wooden pins, which shear off when either shovel strikes an obstruction.

By the use of a split tongue the operator has an unobstructed view of the row of plants, and the team kept at greater distance from the corn.

Our patent double acting clevis secures the plows in a perfectly upright position, and affords complete lateral and vertical movement of the shovels.

To those who are familiar with our Walking Cultivator it is unnecessary to say that in beauty of design, strength, freedom and ease of action, durability and working qualities, it has no equal.

Our Hawkeye Cultivator has been brought to such perfection that it is every where regarded as the very best Sulky Cultivator extant. Enquire for **Hawkeye Sulky Cultivator**, or, **Deere's Walking Cultivator.**

For sale by one dealer in all the principal towns in the western States.

**DEERE & CO., Manufacturers,
Moline, Illinois.**



Day of Mo.	Day of Week	SUN	MOON	MOON'S PHASES.		
		R. & S.	R. & S.	LAST QUARTER.....	Day h. m.	
		H. M.	H. M.	NEW MOON.....	2 25	A. M.
				FIRST QUARTER.....	9 10	P. M.
				FULE MOON.....	16 9	P. M.
					23 8	P. M.

1	Tu.	4 31r	0 15
2	W.	7 25s	0 45
3	Th.	4 30r	1 12
4	Fr.	7 27s	1 39
5	Sa.	4 29r	2 6
6	Su.	7 28s	2 34
7	Mo.	4 29r	3 4
8	Tu.	7 29s	3 38
9	W.	4 28r	sets
10	Th.	7 30s	8 1
11	Fr.	4 28r	8 59
12	Sa.	7 31s	9 52
13	Su.	4 28r	10 38
14	Mo.	7 32s	11 19
15	Tu.	4 28r	11 56
16	W.	7 33s	morn
17	Th.	4 28r	0 30
18	Fr.	7 33s	1 3
19	Sa.	4 28r	1 36
20	Su.	7 34s	2 10
21	Mo.	4 29r	2 47
22	Tu.	7 34s	3 28
23	W.	4 29r	4 14
24	Th.	7 35s	rises
25	Fr.	4 30r	8 55
26	Sa.	7 36s	9 38
27	Su.	4 30r	10 14
28	Mo.	7 37s	10 45
29	Tu.	4 31r	11 14
30	W.	7 37s	11 41

Special Tax Law.

In lieu of license, a special tax is now imposed on professions, trades and occupations. The liability to special tax depends, in many cases, upon the question whether the party *makes a business* of doing the acts specified. Occasional acts do not render a person liable to special tax, but it is not necessary that the business should be his sole business, or even his principal one, to hold him liable.

Farmers and gardeners may sell all products of their own farms and gardens in the manner of pedlars, without payment of special tax as such. No special tax is required for the manufacture of *butter* or *cheese*. Farmers and others who frequently furnish food and lodging to travelers for pay, should be taxed as hotel keepers. Occasional acts of the kind do not render any one liable.

Hotel keepers may feed the horses of their guests without paying tax as livery stable keepers.

Legacies and Distributive Shares.

Persons having in charge or trust, as administrators, executors, or trustees of any legacies or distributive shares, arising from *personal property* of any kind whatsoever, where the whole amount of such personal property exceeds the sum of one thousand dollars in actual value, passing from any decedent, either by will or by the intestate laws of any State or Territory, to any person or persons, or to any body or bodies politic or corporate, in trust or otherwise, shall be subject to a duty or

MEMORANDA FOR JUNE.



Day of Mo.	Day of Week	SUN		MOON		MOON'S PHASES.		Day h. m.	
		R. & S.		R. & S.					
		H.	M.	H.	M.				
1	Th.	4	32r	morn		LAST QUARTER.....		1	7 50 P. M.
2	Fr.	7	35s	0	8	NEW MOON.....		9	8 42 A. M.
3	Sa.	4	33r	0	36	FIRST QUARTER.....		16	1 52 A. M.
4	Su.	7	34s	1	4	FULL MOON.....		23	8 58 A. M.
5	Mo.	4	34r	1	35	LAST QUARTER.....		31	0 10 P. M.
6	Tu.	7	34s	2	10				
7	W.	4	36r	2	51				
8	Th.	7	33s	3	42				
9	Fr.	4	37r	sets					
10	Sa.	7	32	8	34				
11	Su.	4	38r	9	18				
12	Mo.	7	32s	9	57				
13	Tu.	4	40r	10	33				
14	W.	7	31s	11	6				
15	Th.	4	41r	11	38				
16	Fr.	7	29s	morn					
17	Sa.	4	43r	0	11				
18	Su.	7	28s	0	47				
19	Mo.	4	44r	1	27				
20	Tu.	7	27s	2	9				
21	W.	4	46r	2	56				
22	Th.	7	25s	3	49				
23	Fr.	4	48r	rises					
24	Sa.	7	23s	8	12				
25	Su.	4	49r	8	46				
26	Mo.	7	22s	9	17				
27	Tu.	4	51r	9	45				
28	W.	7	20s	10	11				
29	Th.	4	53r	10	37				
30	Fr.	7	18s	11	4				
31	Sa.	4	55r	11	33				

LEGACIES, &c.—CONTINUED.

tax, to be paid to the United States before distribution, as follows:

Legacies, lineal issue or ancestor, brother or sister, 1 per cent.

Legacies, descendant of brother or sister, 2 per cent.

Legacies, uncle or aunt, or descendant of same, 4 per cent.

Legacies, great uncle or aunt, or descendants of same, 5 per cent.

Legacies, stranger in blood, 6 per cent.

The Succession Tax.

The law also provides for the payment of a tax upon *real estate* by all persons and corporations who become entitled in possession to real estate by reason of the death of any person, and by all persons and corporations who receive a gift or distribution of any interest in real estate while the grantor is living, as well as those who receive conveyances of real estate which, in fact, either by the face of the instrument itself, or by some secret arrangement, is to take effect upon the death of the grantor.

No such taxes are payable by a widow for any interest that she may receive from her husband, but interests in real estate passing from wife to husband are subject to the succession tax. The tax is as follows:

Successions, lineal issue or ancestor, 1 per cent.

Successions, brother or sister, or descendant of same, 2 per cent.

MEMORANDA FOR JULY,



Day of Mo.	Day of Week	MOON & PHASES.			
		SUN	MOON		Day h. m.
		R. & S. H. M.	R. & S. H. M.		
1	Su.	4 56r	morn	NEW MOON.....	7 5 12 P. M.
2	Mo.	7 15s	0 6	FIRST QUARTER.....	14 7 44 A. M.
3	Tu.	4 58r	0 44	FULL MOON.....	21 11 28 P. M.
4	W.	7 12s	1 29	LAST QUARTER.....	30 3 2 A. M.
5	Th.	5 0r	2 22	THE SUCCESSION TAX.—CONTINUED. Successions, uncle or aunt, or descendant of same, 4 per cent. Successions, great uncle or aunt, or descendant of same, 5 per cent. Successions, stranger in blood, 6 per cent. Forms for returns and other information will be furnished by the assistant assessors.	
6	Fr.	7 10s	3 23		
7	Sa.	5 2r	sets		
8	Su.	7 8s	7 53		
9	Mo.	5 4r	8 30		
10	Tu.	7 5s	9 6	Rates of Postage. Letters to any part of the United States, 3 cents for each half ounce, or part thereof. Drop Letters, 2 cents per each half ounce, when there is free delivery, otherwise 1 cent. Advertised Letters, 1 cent in addition to the regular rates. Valuable Letters may be registered on application at the office of mailing, on the payment of a registration fee of 20 cents, in addition to the regular postage. Transient Newspapers, Periodicals, Pamphlets, Blanks, Proof Sheets, Book Manuscripts, and all mailable printed matter (except circulars and books). 2 cents for each and every 4 ounces. Double these rates are charged for books. Unsealed Circulars (to one address), not exceeding three in number, 2 cents, and in the same proportion for a greater number. Seeds, Cuttings, Roots, &c., 2 cents for each four ounces or less quantity. All packages of mail matter not charged with letter postage must be so arranged that the same can be conveniently exam-	
11	W.	5 5r	9 41		
12	Th.	7 2s	10 15		
13	Fr.	5 7r	10 50		
14	Sa.	7 0s	11 28		
15	Su.	5 9r	morn	Letters to any part of the United States, 3 cents for each half ounce, or part thereof. Drop Letters, 2 cents per each half ounce, when there is free delivery, otherwise 1 cent. Advertised Letters, 1 cent in addition to the regular rates. Valuable Letters may be registered on application at the office of mailing, on the payment of a registration fee of 20 cents, in addition to the regular postage. Transient Newspapers, Periodicals, Pamphlets, Blanks, Proof Sheets, Book Manuscripts, and all mailable printed matter (except circulars and books). 2 cents for each and every 4 ounces. Double these rates are charged for books. Unsealed Circulars (to one address), not exceeding three in number, 2 cents, and in the same proportion for a greater number. Seeds, Cuttings, Roots, &c., 2 cents for each four ounces or less quantity. All packages of mail matter not charged with letter postage must be so arranged that the same can be conveniently exam-	
16	Mo.	6 57s	0 9		
17	Tu.	5 11r	0 54		
18	W.	6 54s	1 43		
19	Th.	5 13r	2 39		
20	Fr.	6 51s	3 36		
21	Sa.	5 15r	4 34	Letters to any part of the United States, 3 cents for each half ounce, or part thereof. Drop Letters, 2 cents per each half ounce, when there is free delivery, otherwise 1 cent. Advertised Letters, 1 cent in addition to the regular rates. Valuable Letters may be registered on application at the office of mailing, on the payment of a registration fee of 20 cents, in addition to the regular postage. Transient Newspapers, Periodicals, Pamphlets, Blanks, Proof Sheets, Book Manuscripts, and all mailable printed matter (except circulars and books). 2 cents for each and every 4 ounces. Double these rates are charged for books. Unsealed Circulars (to one address), not exceeding three in number, 2 cents, and in the same proportion for a greater number. Seeds, Cuttings, Roots, &c., 2 cents for each four ounces or less quantity. All packages of mail matter not charged with letter postage must be so arranged that the same can be conveniently exam-	
22	Su.	6 48s	rises		
23	Mo.	5 17r	7 48		
24	Tu.	6 45s	8 13		
25	W.	5 19r	8 39		
26	Th.	6 42s	9 6	Letters to any part of the United States, 3 cents for each half ounce, or part thereof. Drop Letters, 2 cents per each half ounce, when there is free delivery, otherwise 1 cent. Advertised Letters, 1 cent in addition to the regular rates. Valuable Letters may be registered on application at the office of mailing, on the payment of a registration fee of 20 cents, in addition to the regular postage. Transient Newspapers, Periodicals, Pamphlets, Blanks, Proof Sheets, Book Manuscripts, and all mailable printed matter (except circulars and books). 2 cents for each and every 4 ounces. Double these rates are charged for books. Unsealed Circulars (to one address), not exceeding three in number, 2 cents, and in the same proportion for a greater number. Seeds, Cuttings, Roots, &c., 2 cents for each four ounces or less quantity. All packages of mail matter not charged with letter postage must be so arranged that the same can be conveniently exam-	
27	Fr.	5 21r	9 34		
28	Sa.	6 39s	10 5		
29	Su.	5 23r	10 39		
30	Mo.	6 36s	11 19		
31	Tu.	5 25r	morn		

MEMORANDA FOR AUGUST.



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BROWN'S

NEW STYLE CORN PLANTER

FOR 1869,

And which now stands further ahead of all competitors than at any previous time during its history.

Having given my entire attention to the business for the past sixteen years, during which time I have supplied the farming community with nearly thirty thousand of these popular machines, I now flatter myself that I fully appreciate the wants of the corn growers in this line, and beg to assure them that I am fully prepared to furnish planters for either check row, or drill and check row planting combined, which are superior in **every point** to any other planter in the market. While retaining all the principal features of my old planter, I have made such changes in its construction, and added such improvements as my long experience and careful study of the wants of the farmers have enabled me to do, after being fully satisfied by actual tests that such changes and improvements were of real merit and would enable me to furnish the farmer with a more complete machine than ever before.

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Claimed Over all Other

PLANTERS

1st. The improvement in the dropping or seeding plates by which they drop with much more regularity and without cutting or breaking the seed, while they still retain all their original and well known merit for durability.

2d. They are all made adjustable to three different widths of rows, as follows: 3 feet 4 inches, 3 feet 7 inches, and 3 feet 10 inches, or 3 feet 6 inches, 3 feet 9 inches, and 4 feet, and are readily changed from one width to the other, thereby enabling the farmer to plant any desired width apart, with one and the same machine, which can be done with no other Planter.

3d. The draft is fully one-third less, owing to the wheels being constructed with cast iron hubs, running on cast axles, which are nicely turned, and fitted up with the same care and expense as those of a first class carriage.

4th. The wheels are made with cast hubs, wooden spokes and felloes, and with either **Flat or Concave** wrought iron tires eight inches wide.

5th. The runners are thrown out of the ground by the weight of the driver, which is easily done, by merely removing his feet from the treadles or levers, enabling the machine to be quickly turned at the ends, or while being driven to and from the field.

M A T E R I A L

Used in the Manufacture of these Planters is the best that can be obtained, regardless of cost, and nothing is used until it is carefully inspected.

THE GENERAL FINISH

Is of a high order, and while it only represents the superior quality of the Planter in all its parts, it is universally acknowledged by all that the "Brown Planter" is the best finished agricultural implement in the market.

Send for Drill Circular Describing our
COMBINED DRILL AND CHECK ROW PLANTER,

Which is a **Self Dropper** for planting Corn, Broom Corn and Sorghum, in drilled rows, and a check row Planter, when operated with the hand lever.

G. W. BROWN, Galesburg, Ill.



SEPTEMBER

MOON'S PHASES.

Day of Mo. of Week	Day of Week	SUN		MOON		MOON'S PHASES.		
		R. & S.	H. M.	R. & S.	H. M.		Day h. m.	
						NEW MOON.....	6 1 11	A. M.
						FIRST QUARTER.....	12 4 27	P. M.
						FULL MOON.....	20 3 45	P. M.
						LAST QUARTER.....	28 4 14	P. M.

1	W.	5 26r	0 8
2	Th.	6 31s	1 4
3	Fr.	5 28r	2 6
4	Sa.	6 28s	3 17
5	Su.	5 30r	sets
6	Mo.	6 25s	7 2
7	Tu.	5 32r	7 36
8	W.	6 21s	8 11
9	Th.	5 34r	8 47
10	Fr.	6 18s	9 26
11	Sa.	5 36r	10 7
12	Su.	6 15s	10 51
13	Mo.	5 38r	11 40
14	Tu.	6 11s	morn
15	W.	5 40r	0 34
16	Th.	6 8s	1 30
17	Fr.	5 42r	2 28
18	Sa.	6 5s	3 26
19	Su.	5 44r	4 24
20	Mo.	6 1s	rises
21	Tu.	5 46r	6 44
22	W.	5 58s	7 10
23	Th.	5 48r	7 37
24	Fr.	5 55s	8 7
25	Sa.	5 50r	8 40
26	Su.	5 51s	9 17
27	Mo.	5 52r	10 1
28	Tu.	5 48s	10 52
29	W.	5 54r	11 50
30	Th.	5 44s	morn

RATES OF POSTAGE.—CONTINUED.

ined by Postmasters ; if not, letter postage will be charged.

No package will be forwarded by mail which weighs over four pounds.

All postage matter for delivery within the United States must be prepaid by stamps, except duly certified letters of soldiers and sailors.

Weekly Newspapers (one copy only), sent to actual subscribers within the county where printed and published, free.

Letters to Canada and other British North American Provinces, when not over 3,000 miles, 10 cents for each half ounce. When over 3,000 miles, 15 cents. Prepayment optional ; 6 cents if prepaid.

Letters to Great Britain or Ireland, 12 cents. Prepayment optional.

Letters to France, 15 cents for each quarter of an ounce. Prepayment optional.

Letters to other foreign countries vary in rate according to the route by which they are sent, and the proper information can be obtained of any Postmaster in the United States.

To Measure Corn in the Crib.

Corn is generally put up in cribs made of boards or rails, but the rule here given will apply to cribs of any size or shape.

RULE.—Multiply the length of the crib in feet by the height of the crib in feet, and this product by the width of crib in feet, and if the corn is extra good divide the product by 2, and you have the number of bushels of shelled corn ; if the corn is only

MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER.



Day of Mo.	Day of Week	MOON'S PHASES.		Day h. m.	Day h. m.	Day h. m.	Day h. m.	Day h. m.	Day h. m.
		SUN	MOON						
		R. & S. H. M.	R. & S. H. M.						
1	Fr.	5 56r	0 54	NEW MOON.....	5	9	23	A.	M.
2	Sa.	5 41s	2 3	FIRST QUARTER.....	12	5	6	A.	M.
3	Su.	5 58r	3 16	FULL MOON.....	20	9	1	A.	M.
4	Mo.	5 38s	4 32	LAST QUARTER.....	28	3	38	A.	M.
5	Tu.	6 0r	sets	TO MEASURE CORN IN CRIB—CONTINUED common, take 5-12 of the product inste ad of $\frac{1}{2}$. To find the number of bushels of ears, multiply the length, breadth and thickness together as above, and this product by 8, and point off one figure in the product for decimals. This rule will also answer for measuring bins of wheat, oats, etc., etc.					
6	W.	5 35s	6 40						
7	Th.	6 2r	7 18						
8	Fr.	5 31s	7 59						
9	Sa.	6 4r	8 43	The following table shows the legal num- ber of pounds per bushel of the following articles in the States therein named :					
10	Su.	5 28s	9 33						
11	Mo.	6 6r	10 27						
12	Tu.	5 25s	11 24						
13	W.	6 8r	morn	ARTICLES.					
14	Th.	5 22s	0 21						
15	Fr.	6 11r	1 19	Wheat.....	60	60	60	60	60
16	Sa.	5 19s	2 17	Corn, Shelled.....	56	56	56	56	56
17	Su.	6 13r	3 15	Corn, on Ear.....	70	68	70	70	70
18	Mo.	5 16s	4 12	Oats.....	32	32	32	32	32
19	Tu.	6 15r	5 9	Barley.....	48	48	48	48	48
20	W.	5 13s	rises	Rye.....	56	56	56	56	56
21	Th.	6 17r	6 9	Buckwheat.....	42	50	52	40	52
22	Fr.	5 10s	6 40	Broom Corn Seed.....	46	46	46	46	46
23	Sa.	6 19r	7 16	White Beans.....	60	60	60	60	60
24	Su.	5 7s	7 57	Castor Beans.....	46	46	46	46	46
25	Mo.	6 22r	8 45	Irish Potatoes.....	60	60	60	60	60
26	Tu.	5 5s	9 40	Sweet Potatoes.....	55	55	55	55	55
27	W.	6 24r	10 40	Turnips.....	55	55	55	55	55
28	Th.	5 2s	11 46	Onions.....	57	57	57	57	57
29	Fr.	6 26r	morn	Peas.....	60	60	60	60	60
30	Sa.	4 59s	0 55	Dried Peaches.....	28	33	33	28	33
31	Su.	6 28r	2 7	Dried Apples.....	28	25	24	28	24
				Corn Meal.....	50	48	48	48	48
				Bran.....	20	20	20	20	20
				Malt.....	38	38	38	38	38
				Hungarian Grass Seed..	48	48	48	45	48
				Hemp Seed.....	44	44	44	44	44
				Flax Seed.....	56	56	56	56	56
				Stone Coal.....	70	80	80	80	80
				Charcoal.....	22	22	22	22	22
				Unslaked Lime.....	80	80	80	80	80
				Coarse Salt.....	50	50	60	50	56
				Plastering Hair.....	8	8	8	8	8
				Clover Seed.....	60	40	60	60	60
				Timothy Seed.....	45	45	46	45	45
				Red Top Seed.....	14	14	14	14	14
				Blue Grass Seed.....	14	14	14	14	14

MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER.

Dexter Threshing Machine Works and Foundry.



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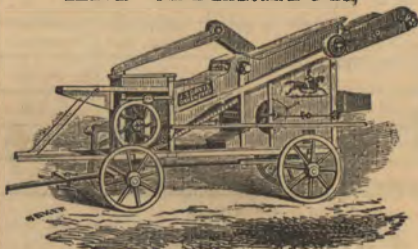
[Dexter.]

JOHN S. DAVIS,

MANUFACTURER OF THE PREMIUM

Dexter Threshing Machine

AND SEPARATOR,

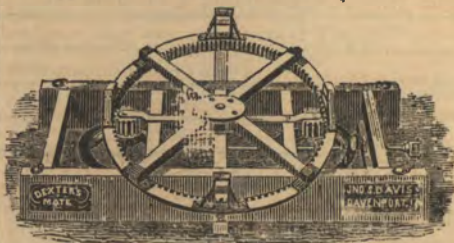


[Dexter Thresher and Separator.]



[Safety Coupling.]

Horse Powers---Dexter's Mate,
FARM WAGONS, FARM ROLLERS,
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