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Last Quarter 4th day, 3h., 13.3m., a. m., N. (below horizon.)
New Moon 11th day, 7h, 40.0m., p. m., W., (below horizon.)
First Quarter 19th day, 9h., 46.7.,p. m., S.W.
Full Moon 27th day, 7h., 45.1m., a. m., W. (below horizon.)

D M	DAY OF WEEK	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	High water	Day's len'h
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1	Wednesday	7 23	4 53	9 38	1 4	9 31
2	Thursday	27	5 1	10 57	1 42	34
3	Friday	26	3	morn	2 33	37
4	Saturday	24	4	0 9	3 30	40
5	Sunday	22	6	1 23	4 46	43
6	Monday	20	7	2 35	6 12	46
7	Tuesday	19	8	3 40	7 31	49
8	Wednesday	16	9	4 41	8 53	51
9	Thursday	14	11	5 35	9 23	54
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14	Tuesday	8	18	8 29	morn	10
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Very Cheap.

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is not surpassed by any house in the trade. We have a large range of Naps, Meltons, Suitings, and Pantings, which are offered at prices that will suit you;

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RAISINS—Over 8,000 pounds, Cooking, Seedless and Table Raisins.
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FLAVORINGS—Lemon, Vanilla, Almond, Cloves, Cinnamon, &c., &c.
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Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Figs, Dates, Pickles, B. powder
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Queen and King Squares' Stores.
Dec. 13, 1887.—eod & wky

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A. HERMANS & SON.

ARE now prepared to enter on contracts for putting up in Dwellings, etc., on the newest and most approved plans, the HOT WATER APPARATUS for Heating. The character of the work which the firm of A. HERMANS & SON has been in the habit of performing, is a sufficient guarantee that the Heating Works set up by them will be thorough and efficient.

Parties anxious to inspect the Heating Process, as built by A. Hermans & Son, can do so by calling any day at the private residence of the firm, on Bayfield Street.

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Charlottetown, November 30, 1887.—

1888.

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Ch'town" Jan. 27, 1888—eod

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GRAND DERBY SWEEP.

$25,000.00.

		Total
1st horse (in duplicate)	$3,000 each prize	$6,000
2nd " "	$2,000 " "	$4,000
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Ten per cent. deducted from all prizes.
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It is most eligibly situated on the Hillsborough River, directly opposite Charlottetown, where any quantity of Manure can be obtained in the winter season. There is also a mussel bed within two hundred yards of the shore.

Price moderate. Part of the purchase money can remain by mortgage on the premises. Apply to

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Charlottetown, Jan. 11, 1888—4w dy wky.

C. C. CARLTON,

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—AND—

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SOURIS, P. E. I.

Oct. 3, 1887.

SLEIGHS.

PARTIES wishing to purchase would consult their best interests by examining my stock of New and Second-hand Sleighs, which will be sold cheap to suit the times.

Repairing of Carriages and Sleighs promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

N. B.—Carriages wanting repairing, painting or trimming, stored free for the winter.

Factory and Show Rooms Upper Prince Street, opposite Baptist Church.

J. J. SEAMAN.
Dec. 13, 1887—eod& wy tf feb4

Montana.

Since coming to the Territory I have received quite a number of inquiries about Montana. For the benefit of those wishing to know something of Montana's soil, climate and industries, I have gathered from different sources the following items:

Montana contains in round numbers 146,000 square miles, or 93,440,000 acres. It is as large as Great Britain and Ireland, Vermont, New Hampshire, Connecticut, and Rhode Island combined. It is greater in area than Iowa, Ohio, Maine and New Jersey together; and could find room for South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. It is a mountainous country—hence its name—containing a large number of fertile valleys and table-lands. The source of the Missouri River is here; also that of the Columbia. Its mean altitude is 3,000 feet above the level of the sea; being 4,000 feet lower than Colorado, 3,000 feet lower than Wyoming, 2,600 feet lower than New Mexico It has about 30,000,000 acres of land which can be cultivated. The balance is grazing and timber lands. It is the best watered Territory in the Union, and has water-power sufficient to run the machinery of the whole world. The principal streams in Montana are the Missouri, Jefferson, Madison, Gallatin, Dearborn, Sun, Teton, Marias, Milk, Poplar, Yellowstone, Deer Lodge, Missoula, Big Horn, Tongue Powder, Clark's Fork, Stillwater and Boulder, and their tributaries.

Its principal valleys are the Gallatin, Missoula, Deer Lodge, Yellowstone, Musselshell, Judith, Smith River, Sun River, Bitter Root, Missouri, Willow Creek, Prickly Pear, Big Hole, Beaverhead and Ruby. Numberless are the smaller ones on other streams and tributaries, all containing remarkably fertile lands. In the Gallitin Valley this season the yield has been unprecedented. It was not uncommon to see fields turning off 100 bushels of oats to the acre, and 60 bushels of wheat. A system of irrigation is carried on in most of these valleys, which helps greatly to increase the yield of their land.

The table-lands and the rolling prairies and foot hills between the several spurs of mountains are covered with "bunch" and "buffalo grasses," both are sweet and contain all the nutriment necessary to produce the prime beef for which Montana is noted in the Chicago market. These grasses "cure" standing and retain all the sweetness and nutriment for stock during winter. I have seen beef cattle come out fit for market in the spring when the winter was not too severe, e. g., the winter of 1885-6.

Notwithstanding the heavy losses of last winter cattle raising is yet considered a profitable business. If there were no losses it would not be so. Then the Eastern farmer could not compete with the western beef raisers at all. It is estimated that 75,000 beeves were exported from Montana this year, averaging 1200 lbs in weight each—after our hardest winter for thirty years!

Many eastern people have an idea that this is a cold country, with short summers and long winters. Such is not the case. Its climate is not as cold as New York, or most of the northern states in the same latitude. If you will trace the isothermal line of 50 degrees Fahrenheit, you will find that it passes through Montana from the Pacific, and passes through Chicago, Cleveland and Harrisburg, across the Atlantic into Southern France, on into Southern Russia in Europe. It will thus be seen that the average temperature of Montana is the same as that of the places named above. This is accounted for in this way: The altitude of any place causes a dry atmosphere which renders the embrace of Jack Frost less disagreeable than in the same latitude east of us. Montana, as may be said by comparison of altitudes of our neighboring territories, occupies a great depression in the Rocky Mountain system. The trade winds, from the great Japan current, come to us here and bring with them the balmy "Chinook" which disperses the snow from its track and leaves Jack Frost in the shade without courage enough to come out into the warm air and sunlight. Any "Chinooks" we had last winter, only served to coust the snow and make it more difficult for stock to get at the nutritious grasses lying underneath. They did not last long enough.

Montana is a very healthy country. Persons afflicted with affections of the lungs always recover under its dry, pure, invigorating atmosphere, Consumption, in its first stages, is said to be cured after a few months residence in our mountain cities. Yellow fever, cholera and malarial diseases never enter here, and other diseases easily succumb to the skill of the physician. High winds we have plenty of. They are the stockmen's salvation. We have had two feet of snow here already, but I can look out and see bare hills everywhere around with several "bunches" of horses feeding on them. The cattle are up higher on the creeks, where the shelter from the wind is better.

All the cereals of the north temperate zone are cultivated here. Small fruits yield largely. The hardier varieties of apples and pears are grown in nearly every part of the territory. Peaches are successfully raised in Missoula and Bitter Root Valleys. The Montana farmer finds a ready home market for all that he raises. There are large shipments of grain and vegetables made from Utah and elsewhere every year to meet the demands of home consumption. A good many of the farmers don't farm here. They put in a "garden patch" and raise hay to sell. A good "hay ranche" is worth lots of money in this country. "Sheep men" need more or less hay, and "cattle men," too, who feed any at all.

The great resources of this country are its mines, and its cattle, sheep and horses. This year's mineral yield is about $30,000,000. The figures for 1888 will be far ahead of these, on account of the advance in the price of copper. Montana's mineral resources, like her agricultural, are yet in their infancy. Millions of pounds of wool are shipped yearly to Chicago and other eastern points—Fort Benton's shipment being 1,600,000 pounds!

Montana horses are beginning to take the lead on the race tracks east. They have better wind, can stand more hardship, and if well trained, can get over the ground faster than your eastern horses—generally speaking.

Montana's assessment for 1885 was $52,847 536.40; for 1886 it was $55,076,871.53; for this year it is $60,000,000 nearly, showing an increase of nearly $5,000,000, encouraging, considering the great losses of range stock last winter. Between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 are spent every year for school purposes. In the larger towns of the territory, such as Helena, Deer Lodge, Butte, &c., there are some fine schools, public and private. In Helena and Butte all the religious bodies have churches—commodious and substantial. The eastern "tender-foot" will find here cultivated and refined people in every walk of life. Farming lands may be obtained at comparatively cheap rates, and when the Indian Reservations are thrown open to settlement, as they soon will be, other homes will be made to contribute to Montana's future greatness. Timber is plentiful, and the coal fields are extensive enough to supply the whole United States for years to come. Precious metals are found in every range of mountains. Montana has attractions for all. For the farmer it has a rich and productive soil, which well repays all his labor and toil. For the tourist its grand scenery and abundant game are unrivalled in the west. For the invalid it holds health in its bracing air of the mountains, its clear cool waters, and its remarkable mineral and medicinal springs. The capitalist will here find ample room to invest his surplus money profitably. The laborer will here find work in the mines, in the mills, on the ranches, or on the prairies herding sheep, or "punching cows." To all it extends a hearty welcome. "Still there is room" away up here among the mountains, where the cayote's cry is heard at night, and the voice of the sly cougar, for the energetic, the persevering and industrious to carve out a home and perhaps a fortune, if he should happen to "strike it."

RANDOM, RITER.
Big Timber, Montana, Jan. 27, 1888.

Local Notices.

A FEW sleigh robes, at low prices, to clear.—Stanley Bros., Brown Block. jan 31, 2i

LADIES and gents moccasins, ladies snowshoes and toboggans.—Stanley Bros., Brown Block. jan 31, 2i

Boys' snow shovels, from 16 cents upwards; also a lot of little baskets, at R. K. Brace's. jan 30 2i

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY brls. choice winter keeping apples for sale at Beer & Goff's. jan 28, 3i

CAPE COD cranberries for sale at Beer & Goff's. jan 28, 3i

AT COST.—Fur Coats Fur Caps and Sleigh Robes at B. S. Davies & Co's. Big bargains in ready made clothing and underwear. B. S. Davies & Co's. jan 25 4i

WE would call your attention to the reduced price of the Wanzer Lamps. See advertisement.—GOFF BROS. tf—jan19

Do not forget that we are selling our flannel-lined and Felt Boots at a discount.—GOFF BROS. tf—jan19

CRACKED FEED for horses, cows and pigs—barley and oats mixed—only $1.10 per 100 lbs.—Henry T. LePage, Glasgow House, Queen Street. ja 26, 4w 3aw

KEEP it before the people, that the cheapest place to buy Overcoats and Suits is at J. B. Macdonald's. dec 28 dy wy

FOR the cheapest place to buy goods and Clothing, try J. B. Macdonald's. dy. wy

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. mar17 eod & wky

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX AND POLL TAX NOTICE.—All persons who have not paid their personal tax and poll tax for years 1886 and 1887, are requested to pay the same at once, in order to save costs, as executions will be placed in the hands of the police, immediately, without respect to persons.—FRANCIS S. CHANDLER, City Collector. dec30 1w dy wy

A By-Law to amend the By-Law to prevent Nuisances, passed 19th December, 1887.

BE it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:—

1st. Every person who erects or places any sign, notice or other projection over the sidewalk on any street in the city, so the same projecting to or over any such sidewalk, or beyond the line of any house, shop or building, shall be subject to the same penalty as is provided by the By-Law of this City, intituled, "A By-Law to prevent Nuisances," and this provision shall be deemed as incorporated in said By Law.

2nd. This By-Law to come into force and effect *one month* after the publication.

[L. S.] (Sgd.) T. HEATH HAVILAND.
Mayor of the City of Charlottetown.
A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.
jan30—2w 2aw m w

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THE BEST ICE is to be had at WRIGHT'S POND—good Spring Water Ice, turned out in good style. Good facility for loading, and a good road from the Pond to town by the river ice.

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Belmont.
Jan 26—tf