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First Quar 5th day, 8h 2.8m, a. m., below horizon.
Full Moon, 12th day, 3h 33 3m p. m., E.
Last Quar 19th day, 7h 3.1m. a. m., S. E.
New Moon, 26th day, 10h. 7.6m. p. m., N., below horizon.

	Day of Week.	Sun rises	Sun sets	High water
		h m	h m	morn
1	Saturday	7 29	4 10	1 21
2	Sunday	30	10	2 1
3	Monday	31	9	2 43
4	Tuesday	32	9	3 30
5	Wednesday	33	9	4 28
6	Thursday	34	8	5 30
7	Friday	35	8	6 34
8	Saturday	36	8	7 36
9	Sunday	37	8	8 30
10	Monday	38	8	9 19
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18	Tuesday	45	9	3 53
19	Wednesday	45	10	4 59
20	Thursday	46	10	6 12
21	Friday	47	11	7 20
22	Saturday	47	11	8 16
23	Sunday	47	12	9 4
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Trains Outward. Read down — Trains Inward. Read up

P M	A M	Leave / Arrive	P M	A M
2 40	6 00	Charlottetown	6 20	9 40
3 01	6 14	Royalty Junction	6 06	9 19
3 50	6 48	North Wiltshire	5 34	8 40
4 05	6 58	Hunter River	5 24	8 15
4 40	7 36	Bradalbane	5 01	7 49
4 55	7 30	Emerald	4 55	7 31
5 08	7 40	Freetown	4 45	7 16
5 28	7 53	Kensington	4 29	6 48
6 00	8 15	Ar Summerside Lv	4 05	6 15
P M				A M
1 40	8 30	Lv Summerside Ar	3 40	11 05
2 02	8 45	Miscouche	3 25	10 41
2 28	9 05	Wellington	3 07	10 17
3 17	9 35	Port Hill	2 37	9 35
4 42	10 30	O'Leary	1 46	8 09
5 08	10 47	Bloomfield	1 30	7 14
6 06	11 14	Alberton	1 05	7 06
6 55	11 55	Tignish	12 25	6 [illegible]
P M	A M		P M	A M

A M	P M		A M	P M
6 30	3 00	Charlottetown	9 20	5 [illegible]
6 50	3 15	Royalty Junction	9 05	5 [illegible]
7 28	3 40	Bedford	8 40	4 [illegible]
8 05	4 05	Ar Mount Stewart Lv	8 15	4 [illegible]
8 20	4 10	Lv Mount Stewart Ar	8 10	3 [illegible]
9 00	4 38	Morell	7 42	3 15
9 30	5 00	St Peter's	7 20	2 45
10 14	5 33	Bear River	6 45	1 5[illegible]
10 55	6 05	Souris	6 15	1 [illegible]
A M	P M		A M	P M

A M	P M		A M	P M
8 25	4 10	Mount Stewart	8 10	3 45
9 38	5 03	Cardigan	7 17	2 37
10 00	5 20	Georgetown	7 00	2 15
A M	P M		A M	P M

P M		A M
5 15	Emerald	7 15
8 05	Cape Traverse	6 25
P M		A M

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

LETTER FROM MR. HEARD.

SIR,—In reply to Mr. Macdonald's letter of the 21st ult., it is evident that if he was not the author he was certainly at the bottom of it. *Supposing* that I advised Mr. Tidd to bore on the top of the hill, what has that to do with the statement that "I was the means of guiding the Water Commissioners to the source of their bountiful supply?" Surely both might have been done without invalidating either. This is simply drawing a red herring over the track.

But I *deny most* emphatically that I ever gave that advice to Mr. Tidd. My opposition to that project was well known, for at the time the experiment was tried I showed the Mayor that it would end in failure. However, if anyone is willing to prefer the charge, all I ask for is fair play. Only let it be made before a competent tribunal and fully investigated.

Having waited thus far to see if the Commissioners would accept Mr. Macdonald's challenge "to come to my rescue," for he assures us, "I know they will not and cannot." I do not object to this kind of treatment. Others have been treated in a similar way, "after services and advice so cheerfully given, at our *solicitation*, hoping that before many months I would see the realization of my patriotic efforts."

In order that the public may understand this question, I will give a brief reference to the facts as they occurred. At a mass meeting held in Market Hall on the 8th December, 1887, to hear the report of the Water Commissioners, Mr. Laird said he had been instructed by the Board to proceed to the United States and engage an engineer, "because many prominent citizens seemed to be of opinion that a subterranean supply of pure water, sufficient for all purposes, could be procured near the city. To secure the services of an engineer who had experience in the tube or driven gang wells and in large dug wells, it was necessary *to go* where such were in operation." In securing the services of Mr. Tidd they accomplished both purposes, for he had successfully used the driven gang well system and knew well what it would accomplish.

I may here remark that in the lecture which I gave to the Y. M. C. A. during the preceding winter, on the subject of Water works, I stated that a sufficient supply for Charlottetown could be obtained within two miles of the city—that the new red sandstone formation not only contained a vast amount of water, but was at the same time the most perfect purifier of water known. I also stated that Mount Edward was 150 feet above high water mark, and 30 feet above College Hill, which Mr. Murdoch had fixed on for his reservoir.

The day after the Commissioners were first elected I met Mr. McKinnon near the Market scales, who said: "I want to tell you that the Commissioners have had a meeting and decided that the first thing they will do is to send for you and ask you to give them your advice where to get the water supply."

After the bonds were completed, I received a note from Mr. Laird requesting me to meet the Commissioners at their office the following morning. When we had taken our seats, I asked the chairman what they wished me to do. He replied, "Well, the fact is we know nothing at all about it—we have all to learn; but we know that you have given the subject a great deal of study, and if you will give us your advice we shall be greatly obliged." I had with me a large amount of correspondence with engineers and superintendents of waterworks. Selecting one (from Mr. Tidd), I read it through. Mr. Laird then asked if I could recommend a good man for the purpose, when I advised him, if possible, to secure the writer of that letter.

On Mr. Tidd's arrival, the Commissioners took him out to see Gates' Brook and Winter River as a source of supply. The same evening I received a note from Mr. Laird asking me to meet Mr. Tidd at their office in the morning and explain my method of obtaining water for the city. We all met and had a long discussion as to the merits of the sandstone strata as a water-bearer. I gave many illustrations of the dependence of many cities and towns in England on that formation as the source of their water supply. At last Mr. Laird said, "Now, Mr. Tidd, what do you advise us to do?" He replied, "I advise you to follow Mr. Heard's directions. If he can get the water, I will undertake the rest." Then he gave three reasons for this advice, on the ground of saving a very large expentiture, as compared with the Winter River scheme. Mr. Laird asked when I would be prepared to show them where the water could be obtained. I replied, "This afternoon."

We all started (except Mr Kelly) in a waggon driven by Mr McKinnon, taking the Mount Edward Road for the purpose of ascertaining the height of the hill. Mr. Tidd placed his barometer, and said. This will do, I am perfectly satisfied, now then where is the water? We got into the waggon and drove down the hill passing the railroad to the bridge and walked across to the stream. I showed them that the valley had a sufficient rainfall to keep the stream flowing summer and winter, thus keeping the strata underneath always full, and that the railroad passing close by gave them a good opportunity of hauling their coals at a low rate. I advised them to secure a few acres of land, so that they could lay the pipes all the way to town without costing anything for right of way. I also said if you bore a small hole to the rock and line it, no doubt the water will rise up and flow into the stream. But the Commissioners preferred going on the western side of the Malpeque Road to begin operations, and having obtained an ample supply of water there, decided to remain. We all know the result. But I very soon found that my services were no longer required.

When Mr. Laird read his report at the Town Meeting, he was well aware of the above facts, yet all the credit which he thought me entitled to was merely, "Mr Heard gave us the name of Mr. Tidd." He had a good opportunity then of saying what he afterward tried to convey in his letter of 31st of May, 1888, that would have prevented all this controversy. Nor did I complain. To my mind it was better to make sure of a perfect supply of water, than to raise a fuss as to who should have the credit. I was only too glad to prevent the introduction of Gates' Brook or Winter River, as the source of our water supply,—knowing that they were unfit for domestic use.

I would now ask Mr. Macdonald to explain if he can, what he did during those six months (from July to December 1887) to obtain the desired supply? or was he content to suggest the use of "driven gang wells," and leave the Commissioners to find out a suitable place for the experiment?

Yours truly
WILLIAM HEARD.

Charlottetown Dec. 4th, 1894.

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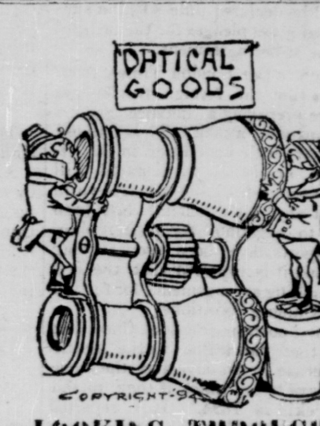

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CHURCH DEDICATION.

The new Presbyterian Church at Murray River was dedicated and opened for public worship on Sabbath, the 25th of November. The pastor, Rev. E. Gillies, was present at all the services. In the morning, the Rev. D. B. McLeod, of Orwell, offered the dedication prayer and preached a very able discourse from the words—"My house shall be called a house of prayer by all nations." Mr. McLeod, by able and descriptive language, sketched the beauty and grandeur of Solomon's temple, then Synagogue worship, and lastly, the Christian Church, clearly pointing out the invitation of Christ to all nations to accept the Gospel. In the afternoon, the Rev. J. Sutherland, of Caledonia, and the Rev. W. H. Spargo, of Murray Harbor, occupied the pulpit. Both of these gentlemen preached very able and powerful sermons. In the evening, the Rev. W. H. Spencer, of Montague, and the Rev. W. H. Spargo, occupied the pulpit. Mr. Spencer preached a very able and scholarly sermon from Heb., 1-2, and in clear and forcible language, pointed out the progress and development of Divine revelation to men, culminating in Christ, as speaking to us in these last days by the Gospel. The church was crowded at all the services. All the discourses were characterized by unction, earnestness and power, and the people listened with rapt attention. The church is well built and neatly finished, and capable of seating 350 people quite comfortably and a credit to the congregation, testifying their perseverence and energy. The collection taken amounted to over forty dollars.

CANADIAN BANKS.

Mr. William C. Cornwell, of the City Bank, Buffalo, has in the current Bradstreets an article on Canadian Banks, which contains some matters of interest. Mr. Cornwell shows that during the depression between May 1 and September 1, 1893, the deposit loans in the United States decreased 20 per cent., while in Canada they decreased less than three per cent. In the same period the loans made by the United States banks decreased twelve and a half per cent., and by Canadian banks only one and one-third per cent. From May 1, 1893, to September 1, 1894, deposits in the savings banks of the United States decreased 8 per cent. In Canada they remained stationary or slightly increased. Mr. Cornwell submits other facts of a like character, the main object being to show that the Canadian bank note system, being more elastic than that of the United States, this country did not suffer financially in the same proportion to its business generally as the United States did by the panic of last year.

GENERAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

ATHENS, Dec. 2.—The Armenian committee here has presented to the ministers of the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty a petition recounting the Sassoun outrages and imploring the powers referred to not to allow article 61 of the Berlin treaty to remain ineffective.

QUEBEC, Dec. 2.—Quebec province immigration agent has received 8,631 new comers during the past eighteen months, distributing them throughout the province During the past fiscal year the number was 2,953, being 1,927 English, 153 Irish, 297 French, 95 Belgian, 66 Scotch, 82 German and 333 other nations.

ROME, Dec. 2.—The Tribune says an Anglo-Russian understanding would render the triple alliance useless, which need not be regretted by Italy. It would rest then with France to establish a new balance of power.

HALIFAX, Dec. 2.—John F. Stairs, M. P., was poisoned by eating partridge last night. The prompt services of Dr. Slayter saved Mr. Stairs from serious danger. He has been in poor health for some time and recently underwent an operation in Montreal.

LAHORE, Dec. 2.—In the course of a long speech, Lord Elgin, Governor-General, said "we seek to be strong in order to be at peace. We have no ambition for conquest. We do not desire to extend our boundaries. We only wish to cultivate the friendship of our neighbors. From a recent speech of Lord Rosebery, we have reason to hope the time is approaching when all risk of the clashing of Russian and British interests in Asia will be obviated. I venture to say no more welcome intelligence could be conveyed to any lover of India. Lord Elgin eulogized the ruler of Afghanistan for his loyalty to treaties.

MIDDLETON, Conn., Dec. 3.—Word was received here this evening of the death of Joseph Albertson Dilks, jr, at his home in Pemberton, N. J., of typhoid fever, occasioned by eating contagious oysters at the Fraternity Initiation banquet at Wesleyan University.

NEWS NOTES.

A vein of coal nine feet thick has been struck in Sydney, New South Wales, at a depth of 2,700 feet, within 30 feet of the exact depth predicted by the geologist.

The pinch of hard times is affecting even the Pope's finances. The Vatican budget has had to be reduced some $60,000 a year, and to bring about the result the subsidies to journalists and to the poor have been cut from $60,000 to $12,000.

The United States treasury's gold reserve has increased some $40,000,000 during the week, and now stands at over $103,000,000. The revenue is also beginning to increase, that for the present month being some $800,000 greater than for Nov. 1893. This latter is the most satisfactory feature of the situation as it indicates that the recently resorted to artificial and unusual means of keeping the treasury reserve good, that of borrowing on bonds, will not likely have to be tried again.

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