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First Quarter, 2nd day, 1h. 55.1m., a. m.
Full Moon, 9th day, 11h. 55.2m., p. m.
Last quarter 18th day, 0h. 41.9m., a. m.
New Moon 24th day, 6h. 24.1m., p. m.
First Quarter, 31st day, 0h. 43.9m., p. m.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	Moon sets	High water	Low water
1 Thursday	4 51	3 10	37	2 45	14	12
2 Friday	49	4 11	44	3 50	15	15
3 Saturday	46	6 41	48	5 4	18	18
4 Sunday	47	7 1	51	6 17	20	20
5 Monday	45	8 2	53	7 22	23	23
6 Tuesday	44	9 3	55	8 15	25	25
7 Wednesday	42	10 4	56	9 30	27	27
8 Thursday	40	11 5	55	9 35	30	30
9 Friday	39	13 6	53	10 11	33	33
10 Saturday	38	14 7	50	10 44	36	36
11 Sunday	37	16 8	44	11 19	39	39
12 Monday	36	17 9	41	11 54	42	42
13 Tuesday	34	18 10	21	12 29	44	44
14 Wednesday	32	19 11	2	1 5	47	47
15 Thursday	31	20 11	40	1 44	49	49
16 Friday	30	21 m-w	2	2 28	51	51
17 Saturday	29	22 0	14	3 20	53	53
18 Sunday	28	23 0	46	4 27	55	55
19 Monday	27	24 1	16	5 42	57	57
20 Tuesday	26	25 1	46	6 57	59	59
21 Wednesday	26	27 2	17	8 2	15	1
22 Thursday	25	28 2	51	8 56	3	3
23 Friday	24	29 3	29	9 46	5	5
24 Saturday	23	30 4	14	10 34	7	7
25 Sunday	22	31 5	7	11 19	9	9
26 Monday	21	32 6	7	m-w	11	11
27 Tuesday	20	33 7	12	0 5	13	13
28 Wednesday	20	34 8	21	0 49	14	14
29 Thursday	19	35 9	30	1 35	16	16
30 Friday	18	36 10	35	2 23	18	18
31 Saturday	18	37 11	43	3 15	19	19

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Cardigan Bridge.
May 19—wly 4i

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Splendid value in Cashmeres, Dress Goods, Prints, etc.

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BARGAINS. NEW SEEDS,
FRESH AND GOOD.
A CHOICE LOT of Garden Seeds, all re-
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JOHN NEWSON.
Ch'town, March 8.

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE,
KENT STREET.
Ch'town, May 5—tf

TO LET,
THE double-tenement Dwelling known as
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Rent very low.
W. W. WELLNER.
Ch'town, March 8.
May 10, 1884.—4i 2aw

MIDSUMMER TRIP, 1884.



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WILL SAIL
For Liverpool, direct, the 24th inst

RETURNING WILL SAIL
From Liverpool for Charlottetown
about 20th June.

For freight or passage apply in Liverpool to
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PEAKE BROS. & CO.
Ch'town, May 13, 1884—Saw tf

Lobster Packers' Supplies

10,000 cases flat and tall Cans (1-lb.),
500 cases 1/2 lb tall Cans,
250 boxes 1 in Plates,
100 ingots Tin,
50 pigs Soft Lead,
5 bars 1/2 and 1/4 Copper,
200 coils Rope (6, 9, 12 and 15-thread),
5 bales Marline,
100 bags Liverpool Salt,
12 Mounted Herring Nets,
100 lbs. Cotton Yarn,
50 doz. Tanned Cod Lines (12, 14 and
18-thread),
50 gross Travel Hooks (Nos. 14 and 15),
100 barrels Bait,
100 doz. suits Oil Clothing,
50 doz. suits Jumpers and Overalls.

For Sale by
HORACE HASZARD.
May 13—2w eod

STEAMER "HEATHER BELLE."

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after Tuesday, May 13th, the new
steamer "Heather Belle," Hugh McLean,
master, will run as follows:—

Every Tuesday morning, at four o'clock, will
leave Charlottetown for Orwell Brush
Wharf; leaving Orwell Brush Wharf at
seven a. m., for Charlottetown, calling at
China Point and Halliday's Wharves;
leaving Charlottetown, at three p. m.,
for Halliday's, China Point and Brush
Wharves, where she will remain over
night.

Wednesday, will leave Brush Wharf for Char-
lottetown at seven a. m., calling at China
Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving
Charlottetown at three p. m. to return,
remaining at Brush Wharf over night.

Thursday, will leave Brush Wharf for Char-
lottetown at seven a. m., calling at China
Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving
Charlottetown at three p. m. to return,
leaving Brush Wharf about six p. m. for
Charlottetown.

Friday, will leave Charlottetown for Crapaud
at four a. m.; leaving Crapaud for Char-
lottetown at seven a. m.; leaving Char-
lottetown for Crapaud at three p. m., re-
maining over night.

Saturday, will leave Crapaud for Charlottetown
at seven a. m.; leaving Charlottetown
for Crapaud at 1.30 p. m., and
returning to Charlottetown from Crapaud
same day.

FARES:
Cabin, to and from Orwell and Wharves,
30 cents; deck, 20 cents.
Cabin, to and from Crapaud, 40 cents; deck,
30 cents.

Excursion return tickets will be issued from
Charlottetown to Orwell every Thursday
evening, at one first-class fare. Also, excursion
return tickets will be issued every Saturday
to Crapaud, at one first-class fare.

JOHN HUGHES,
Agent.
Ch'town, May 12, 1883.
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IMPORTED SEED WHEAT

ALREADY RECEIVED, 500 bushels
White Russian, and to arrive by "North-
ern Light," 1,000 bushels White Russian and
400 bushels White and Red Fife.
Full particulars and prices are given in
my "CULTIVATORS' GUIDE AND SEED CATA-
LOGUE" for 1884 (ready 20th March), which
is a book of thirty-two large pages, with forty-
five illustrations of the choicest FLOWERS
and VEGETABLES, and directions for cul-
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I have the largest and best Stock
of Seeds ever offered for sale in
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vators' Guide" tells how to get and grow
them. Send on your name and post office
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Address,
George Carter,
Seedsmen,
Ch'town, March 10.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Fishing Bounty.
DR. MCINTYRE'S LIBEL RESENTED.

Sir,—It would be difficult to say what
Dr. McIntyre and Mr. McVane mean by
the term "regular fisherman." The law
requires that a fisherman shall have been
engaged three months at fishing during the
season, and that he shall have caught 2,500
lbs. of fish, in order to enable him to the
bounty. Mr. McVane is a miller, and a
very attentive one, too. How can he be
miller and fisherman at one and the same
time? Is he one of those included in Dr.
McIntyre's charge that "parties were
induced to present claims for bounty who
were not entitled to receive it." The Doctor
will, I presume, say that he is not. For
my part, I believe that the Doctor's charge
is a libel upon the fishermen of the Eastern
end of this Island; and I hope, Sir, that
unless he withdraws it, it will sooner or
later make him feel the force of their re-
sentment. It is too bad that we should
be defamed by the man whom we have
honored, and whom we have treated as our
familiar friend—and all because a miller
and a few others choose to lay claims to the
Bounty.

Yours,
A KING'S COUNTY MAN.

Victoria Notes.

On Monday morning last might be seen
passing through this village, glittering in
the bright morning sunshine, a covered
vehicle, drawn by a span of grey horses,
and containing five persons, all chatting
pleasantly and apparently enjoying them-
selves immensely. This was the new stage-
coach en route for Charlottetown. In the
front seat sat the contractor himself, look-
ing jolly as usual; the very personification
of good nature. Mr. Collett is one of those
men who always appears jovial, apparently
at peace with himself and all mankind.
The proverb "A good conscience and a con-
tented mind make a man happy," holds
good in this instance. As this was the first
turnout of Mr. Collett's covered vehicle,
when they arrived at the Post Office in this
village, they were greeted by three hearty
cheers from the spectators who had assem-
bled to see the display. It is quite a long
time since we have had the pleasure of see-
ing, on this route, a properly-equipped
mail-coach for the conveyance of passen-
gers. Not since Messrs. Leard and Mc-
Farlane had the mail contract. For the
past few years the manner in which our
mails were carried was anything but satis-
factory to the general public. Everybody
is highly satisfied with the present con-
tractor's work, and we know he has the
energy and pluck to carry out to the end
what he undertakes. May success crown
his efforts in our earnest wish and fervent
prayer.

Wright Bros. have opened here a large
store, and are doing a rushing business.
The want of a general store in this place
has long been felt. We wish them every
success.

The farms and gardens all around present
a busy scene. Everything looks cheere-
ful and pleasant, save the ice, which still
remains in the Strait.

Persons having a relish for rural scenery
would do well to take a trip to Crapaud
at this season of the year, on the good steam-
boat Heather Belle, which has excellent
accommodation for passengers.

School Meeting at Cardigan Bridge.

A largely attended meeting of the rate-
payers of the above named district was
held on the 26th inst., for the purpose of
voting money towards building a new
school house. W. P. Lewis, Esq., was
elected chairman of the meeting, and the
undersigned secretary.

It was decided to establish a grade school,
the new building to be 25x50 feet, with 12
feet post. The trustees were authorized,
by a unanimous vote, to issue debentures,
redeemable in five years by annual instal-
ments, for \$600; to select a school site as
near the centre of the district as practicable;
and to call for tenders immediately. These
proposals were thoroughly discussed, and
carried without a single dissentient
voice.

A vote of thanks was tendered the chair-
man, the proceedings were ordered to be
published, and the meeting adjourned.

The site proposed for the new school is
the summit of a dry, airy slope on Pleasant
street, commanding a beautiful view of the
harbor and village.

The people of Cardigan Bridge are de-
termined not to be any longer behind the
age in the matter of school accommodation,
and they will soon own a school house
which will be a credit to the district.
S. M. BENT,
Secretary.
Cardigan Bridge, May 27, 1884.

A "Dead" Irishman.

At Monte Carlo it is the custom to fill
the pockets of suicides with bank-notes, so
that it may be seen that they did not kill
themselves on account of losses. A recent
letter from there relates how a presumably
dead Irishman succeeded in getting his
pockets filled a short time ago. After losing
a small sum at the gambling tables he
suddenly jumped up exclaimed, "I am
ruined!" and rushed into the gardens.
Almost immediately afterwards the guards
heard a pistol shot and then a cry of pain;
and, rushing to the spot, found the Irish-
man apparently dead. It was dark, with
no one around, so they filled his pockets
with money and left him to be discovered
in the morning. They had scarcely gone
out of sight, however, before the Irishman
was on his feet again, and skipping away
in the most lively style.

Spread of Smallpox.

LONDON THREATENED WITH A PLAGUE—ANTI
VACCINATIONISTS DENOUNCED.

London is threatened with a smallpox
scare. The malady is alarmingly prevalent
in several of the metropolitan districts, and
is spreading from the city to the adjoining
provinces, several of which are already
badly invested. Some idea of the present
prevalence of the plague may be formed
from the magnitude of the efforts which
have already been forced upon the authori-
ties to combat the disease. The city of
London alone, since the start of the plague
last November, has expended \$250,000 for
additional accommodations for the con-
stantly increasing number of the afflicted.
It is now proposed to erect new metropoli-
tan smallpox hospitals at a cost of \$750,-
000, making a total of \$1,000,000 added to
the public expense by the persistent
ravages of this malady alone. The anti-
vaccinationists are making capital out of
the scourge by pointing to its prevalence
and steady spread as unanswerable proof
of the futility of vaccination as a preven-
tive. The regular practitioners are becom-
ing alarmed. They denounce the anti-
vaccinationists as enemies to the public
health, and insist that the energetic preach-
ing of their propaganda has been the prin-
cipal cause of the present spread of small-
pox, because it has so largely shaken the
faith of the poorer classes in the efficacy of
Jenner's method. The doctors are getting
up petitions urging the Government to
immediately adopt the most energetic
measures to put an end to the mischievous
work of the anti-vaccinationists by making
penal the further incitement of their
propaganda, which, if allowed to continue,
the petitioners declare, will soon subject
the whole of England to a disastrous
scourge.

A Phenomena.

Shubenacadie, N. S., has a queer phe-
nomena in the shape of a pond of water.
It is situated near the village on the road
to Matiland, and is known as the "Blue
Pond." It derives its name from the color
of the water, which is always of a very dark
blue. A large number of traditions are
told by the old inhabitants of this little
piece of water, such as ghost stories, drown-
ing accidents, etc. It is said that it has
no bottom, but no person has been inter-
ested enough to test the truth of the saying
by trying. The edges are mirey and soft,
being composed of quicksands. The pond
even during the driest season of the year,
has been always full of water. Last week,
however, it was noticed that the water got
lower until it was nearly dry. The water
in the river near the pond was perceived
coming up from the bottom, and it is be-
lieved that this water runs from the pond.
About six years ago the same thing hap-
pened except that the water came spouting
up in a field about two hundred yards dis-
tant, and after a few weeks the connection
was cut off, and it is not known how.
The water of the pond has a queer taste, very
sour, and is what is known as "mineral
water."

A petition representing liquidators of the
Exchange Bank, of Montreal, has been
granted, and writs against Buntin, one of
the directors, has been issued for the re-
covery of ten thousand dollars deposit
alleged illegally withdrawn by him after
the bank suspended. Liquidators have
given notice of third call of twenty per
cent, on account of double liability on
capital stock, payable 30th June. Payments
of first call have been anything but satis-
factory, the amount received to date not
exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars,
while over eighty thousand dollars are due.

Some years ago Mr. Dana, of the New
York Sun, took it into his head that he
would like to experiment with mushrooms.
So, at a great cost, he built a great mush-
room cave, got a Frenchman, to whom he
paid a large salary, and began his experi-
ment. The first year it cost him \$4,000,
but to-day he is not only raising all of
these delicious fungi that he wants for his
own table, but his cave yields so many
mushrooms that the gardener has been able
to sell enough to pay, with interest, for the
expenditure.

A man named John McKay (a brother-
in-law of the veteran coachman Harvey
Strickland) having been knocked out of a
wagon on the road to Stanley (near Freder-
icton, N. B.) by a man named Fraser,
and run over by the wheels so as to receive
injuries from which he has since died. The
wagon contained twelve other men, some of
whom were under the influence of liquor.
McKay leaves a wife and family for whom
he was the only support.

Reports from along the line of the C. P.
R. go to show that seeding is now nearly
completed. The acreage sown is very much
larger than last year's. The business out-
look is consequently brightened. A merci-
ful frost and abundant harvests would leave
very little for the Northwest agitators to
work upon. So we suppose they are con-
tinually praying for sharp frosts and an ad-
verse season.

Balaclava, although its name will be ever
famous in history as associated with the
famous light cavalry charge, has hitherto
remained an unimportant town. It is,
however, now beginning to develop re-
sources, and bids fair to become a fashion-
able resort for invalids. A medical com-
mission visiting it last summer has reported
very favorably on its sheltered position and
climate.

One phase of the license question is thus
noticed by St. John Globe: "Painters in
this city have had their skill put to the
severest test in order to discover the small-
est space in which they can paint the sign
'Licensed to sell Spirituous or Fermented
Liquors.' It has been compressed into
eighteen inches by two