

# Historical Document Number 1

1. Letter
2. Handwritten
3. April, 30 1863
4. Emily Meredith/The Letter was from Emily to “Father”
5. To Emily Meredith’s father.
6.
  - a. The Native Americans didn’t really bother the town
  - b. One Claim sold for \$3,000 cash.
  - c. A bar claim sold for \$7,000.
7. This document was written by Emily Meredith to her father so she could stay in touch with him.
8. An example of the document being written from Meredith to stay in touch with her father is in paragraph six as stated “There are but few things a man can do here now. Freighting, teaming & ranching are profitable but risky on account of the Indians; gardening will pay extremely well if anything can be raised, but no one knows yet whether there is any night in the year free from frost.” (Letter from Emily Meredith)
9.
  - a. Claims in Montana were expensive as started in paragraph four.
  - b. The temperature was cooler in Montana that it is known as stated in Paragraph six.
10. I would like to know if Emily Meredith had any siblings with her.