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Octr 1 very high wind taking up Potatoes in 7. started Plowing in 10. A. Ross and wife here took Cattle away

" 3 Clearing time for Fence (Hastings Line) B. to Fergus with Oats 31 cts. Plowing. Cool.

" 4 To Belwood. Re Judge Court on motion Del slight Rain at. Potatoes. Plowing in 10. Saw Goodall 3/ for Hay

" 5 To Fergus with Chop (Hogs) Rain. Finishing 10 stacks 4 Cold at night

" 6 Frost at Potatoes. B. & Jos Plowing in 4

" 7 very Hard Frost. Potatoes all up better Crop in 7

" 8 Finished Plowing in 4 Started in 14. Young Pigs Thunder and Rain. Warmer

" 9 (Sunday) Fine rain all day. Heavy rain at night

" 10 Raining in 14 Showers all day very heavy at night Thunder

" 11 Fair. at A Browns Raising

" 12 Rain again all day to Fergus with B. & M. Sot Boys

" 13 Started Sod in 14. To A. Browns Raising finished. Fine

" 14 Very fine. Belwood Show. Plowing Sod

" 15 " Warm Harness threshing. Drawing manure to 11

" 17 Fine warm drawing Manure 38 Loads

" 18 " " " " To Fergus with Chop. Hogs

" 19 " very warm. Finished Manure. 108 Loads making a total of 344 Loads for the season

" 20 Cooler. Cloudy. B. to Rain Show. Jos Plowing Kyle Bot Lambs

" 21 Rainy one heavy Shower with Thunder Black. Kyle & Shortreed Bro's. 81 Cattle

" 22 Topping Turnips. to Fergus Getting Stalings Frosted. Showery Cold

" 24 Took up. Cabbage & Carrots. A Showery Turnips

" 25 Finish drawing Turnips from 3. 24 Loads

" 26 Scuffles all in from 3 Fine. A. & Mary to Fergus

" 27 Topping and Harrowing Turnips in 13

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October 27 (Cont) Hard Frost. To Examination at Orthem. Wm Hitchen and wife here

" " 28 Fine Day. Pulling & drawing Turnips to Pit; A Took Hitchens to Fergus B. H. & S took 34 Cars

" 29 Stile Fine. Pulling and drawing Turnips in 13

" 31 " " " "

November 1 Frosty fine. To Fergus Re. Perrin Plow Match Pulling and Drawing Turnips Finished

" 2 Fencing Turnips Pit. A went to Guelph To Deans & Fergus Re Election. Started Kings

" 3 Very fine and warm. Polling Day at Living & B. R. O. Finished Turnips

" 4 Still fine to Smithy. B. to Fergus with Chop A. Came Back from Arthur. Bought Cattle also

" 5 Cold Rain. Snowy. Spreading manure and Pl in 11.

" 7 very hard Frost. B. H. & Lambs away Plow and Spreading Manure. Frost Left on all ex

" 8 Plowing & Spreading manure. Clear Cold. Saw new Moon at 31. has da Earliest I ever saw it

" 9 Clear Frosty. Plowing stopt by Frost. To A. Br Shingling. B. Coming Turnips Pit

" 10 Still Clear and Frosty. Getting away from at Home and keeping ditch in 8

" 11 Sunny. Frosty. Making Coops. B. & Jos Butcher

" 12 very Frosty. finished Coops to Fergus Getting Bits Got Ram and put with Ewes

" 13 (Sunday) Fred. and Elsie and Jos. Boys & Gi Orr

" 14 To Fergus with Chickens Picking Geese to Bel

" 15 Fine Clear. to Belwood with Geese & etc the to House of Industry, to See Charlie Show Sick

Nov 16 Fine Clear. Charlie died last night. To Fergus Re. Funeral.

" 17 Cold Clear. Thanksgiving Day. Charlies Funeral Buried in the Plot known as. Mrs Christmans

" 18 Jos Milne Threshing. Mixed Showers

" 19 Bot. Milne Threshing. Helping A. Hanna kill Pigs

" 21 Rain. Plowing. went to Elora Re Convention

" 22 Mild. To Fergus Bot. 28 Cattle. went to Toronto to Convention

" 23 Byron. to Fergus with Chop. Plowing

" 24 Came Back from Toronto Convention Plowing with Both Rigs

" 25 Plowing. Sod. Frosty. Rennie and Marshall Threshing. Willie Black here

" 26 Hard Frost. Rennie and Marshall threshing W. Black at Rennies

" 28 Great Frost. Raethershing Covering Root House at Town Place. 6 Below Zero

" 29 Chaining at Lower Place. working at Building

" 30 Drew 2 load of Turnips to Fergus Cold. Drawing

Dec 1 Took 8 Hogs to Fergus. 7 mos 5 days old Avg 216 @ 4.65. To Meeting in Belwood. Evening Belong also to Convention on 5th Hard Frost

" 2 very Cold. Drawing Turnips. Mooring A. Hanna

" 3 " " Bleak " " Working at Building A. To Fergus to Church

" 5 Stormy. Before Convention in Fergus Dr. Gibson Broken. D. Milne Threshing

" 6 Cold. Fine. Finished Threshing. Forenoon

" 7 To A. White & Thompsons Threshing. B. to Guelph To Fat stock Show

" 8 Very Frosty and Cold

Calves 7 to 2

1 Bbl. Bennett & Co. Sanal. 40 oz. 1st Kreosote Emulsion

1 oz. Shutford soap in 1 pt. soft. to one gl. of water

2 pts Coal oil. to use. Put one Pt. to 10 of water