

Sat 27. beautiful day only the roads are muddy. Paul went over
franks for Allens gun stayed all day Marjorie walked in
Chippawa to go over the river. I bought a gal coal oil @ 17
from Jim Tuft. Arthur & his father ploughing in the corn ground
I made 3 pumpkin pies swept the two kitchens & washed out some
things of mine & Marguerite's bed & Gordon guarded the cows until
four o'clock. then the children went in Reesingers after ^{wheat} threaded
Sun 28. another fine day until nearly evening when it looked
like rain Arthur, Hattie, Paul & Marguerite ^{they went in the} have gone in the ^{barrel} ^{box} ^{in the} ^{garage}
in the evening it poured rain for awhile Hattie & Arthur
Mon 29. beautiful day Walls cows out on pasture. Arthur
ploughing yet. went at night to practice at Manuels
Paul cut a lot of wood & piled up the rest of the rails took
up my two hives one had quite a lot of nice white honey
the other only enough for supper. I churned washed the churn
& worked the butter. Paul went in Reesingers after the ^{wheat} threaded
Tue 30 another beautiful day but roads muddy they have in-
bee at the schoolhouse to grade the yard Arthur went after dinner
I cleaned the baranda, cleaned the stove washed dishes & prepared
when it was dinner time had pancakes & a Johnny cake yesterday
Marjorie came home after dinner by Fraser took Topsy &
went back after her things Paul went in McCreedies after ^{some} things
but could not get any had to buy 2 gal from them @ 10
Paul gone down to practice at the schoolhouse has a duck pie

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Wed 1. Paul put the posts in for drill down the lane
Arthur finished the ploughing & Paul & he drew up the marsh
grass they cut down in our ^{some of year} field. beautiful day for the
had the flowers out in the back kitchen ^{mostly yellow caps}
Thurs 2 another nice day. Arthur & Paul went in Alexs bush
gone all day had a big days work Mrs Rievers called. Marjorie
in Helen Wells had them phone in the threaded wheat works
but could not get any got 1/2 bus corn 45¢ 10¢ oyster shell
& grit. lb chert. 25¢ sugar 2 loaves bread 2acks wind east-
the set springs last night & I worked it up & baked it it
was good for nothing the rising was too good Marjorie got 50
Friday 3 Arthur & Paul went over & drew railroad ties from
Ferry's bush. Paul put the stove pipe up on the front room stove
I had in black the pipes over Marjorie swept & dusted the front
room & I made tart & two pies. the teacher here for tea then
went down in the schoolhouse to practice. nice in the forenoon
got dull in the afternoon wind east. I churned for our
selves in the forenoon Marjorie washed out some things ^{the came home} before
Sat 4 Marjorie went in Chippawa made talk for 4 turkeys
at 14¢ live weight or 20 dressed I made 3 pies & tart swept &
cleaned the room cleared up the back kitchen the children
guarded the cows in the afternoon Arthur went with some
wheat to sell & Paul went as far as Chippawa
Sun 5 The children & Paul went in church the summer
in Will
Mon 6 raining at times & high wind the teacher up in Wells
for tea then went down in practice & came back & stayed
& stayed all night John Dankes brought the engine to cut feed
tomorrow afternoon I churned
Tue 7. terrible high wind. they came in the forenoon & got their