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- 9 Jimmie got a horse from J Larocque for 26<sup>cts</sup> per day for two weeks and pasture all summer, got 4 loaves at Stimpis 24<sup>cts</sup> paid 24
- Dixon & Co. got 1 lb Paris Green 30. Machine oil 20 1-50
- got 1/2 lb beef at 7-50. Got the barrel granulated sugar on Saturday. Cost 22.34 - freight 35 - 22-69
- 10 The boys were mowing today & yesterday. Far went to Fort Covington today to work for Philip McNeil. I gave him 10.50 and the 6<sup>th</sup> he got from Carr, make 16.50 on the sugar
- 11 Wednesday, 10 P.M. There was quite a storm here about from 5 to 7 o'clock. a great deal of damage done to life and property. H. Monson, once Merchant of Lancaster was killed by a beam falling upon him
- 12 Pa's birthday, we were cleaning some potatoes and put Paris Green on them. 1 lb Paris Green 25 25
- 13 This is our first day, Sunday will be commission day. There was a good deal of rain through the night. Mr. Purcell at Marlinton present
- 14 Jimmie & Murdy went last night to Lancaster to go this morning to Bellefield to play with Lancaster square. Collected 2 Africa put in 4 loads of hay today
- 15 Had a very fine gathering at church today
- 16 I lost Pa's spurs last night. To 1 lb water 5. 1 lb starch 10. 3/4 gal tripping 14 cts. paid Murdy's shoes. D. 3.25 3-25
- 17 Packed the red currants and made jam 8 lb sugar
- 18 " " black currants and white ones 4 lbs of B. 2 of W. I was not at prayer meeting. Rev. D. Deane Home had a letter from Far. Lolly had a horse colic at 2 A.M. It rained all this afternoon
- 19 Sent a letter to Far. Old Mrs. Mc Lennan paid Carr for 3 days work on roads, 5 per day 2.25

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- 19 Have all the hay on Pleasant place cut
- 20 Put 8 loads of hay in. I went to pick Berrie's High Broomhous. got 2 qts. Got 4 lbs steak from Carr. is charged 40<sup>cts</sup> # 1-35
- 21 Finished the hay on the village farm. Marion books 1-35
- 22 Fine day. Morning and evening services very good
- 23 Boys began to cut the hay on the Carromy place. paid Carr 40. for Saturday's shackle, 56. for the 96
- 24 Sent D. 30. to Ottawa for Far.
- 25 Got 1 lb. green tea 25. 1 lb black tea 25. 1 lb currants 60  
2 lb black strap 10. rice 20
- 26 Had Carrie Hack and her sister Miss Thompson and Larned & Belle Mc Lennan & Lilly Mc Lennan spending the evening. Finished the hay harvest
- 27 Murdy, Puskie Ran & Marion were in the hay business got about 20 qts. I worked them with a half their weight in sugar sold 12 bushels 6<sup>cts</sup>
- 28 Far. came home this morning.
- 29 Fine day. Large congregation Far went off in the afternoon
- 30 Pa left at 5.50 for Lancaster on route for Caledonia Springs. He bought on Saturday two undershirts at Willis 40<sup>cts</sup> each. Charged 1-80  
two collars 40<sup>cts</sup> 20. at Davis 60  
Sam Edwards paid \$5.00 for rent
- 31. Birdie's pair clippers at J. A. 1.00 4 loaves 26. 1-26  
I washed the spare bedroom upstairs yesterday and am pretty tired. Murdy was very sick yesterday with diarrhea I got 1 bottle Fowler's extract of wild Strawberry. 35<sup>cts</sup> it stopped the cramps 35  
and mausie Mrs Grant and Mary are here to remain all night. We are thinking of going to Hamilton's Island tomorrow. John A's the D<sup>no</sup> and ourselves

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