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Jan 1st. All kinds of weather today. east winds & with snow flurries in the morning. then mild with rain. followed by strong west winds and freezing hard at night. Had John and family for dinner. and Grandma Bonface and Harry for dinner & supper.

Jan 2nd Cold today cleaned up after New Years Smith doing some pruning only done one days work since Christmas.

Jan 3rd Cold and cloudy looks like snow got a surprise got 2 eggs first since about Nov 1st

Jan 4 Clear + cold today
Smith working at
hot bed sash.

Jan 5 Cloudy and cool in
the morning. turned to
rain in the afternoon
came down good and
heavy nearly all night.

Jan 6. Sunday blowing
a gale from the west
and turning colder.

Jan 7th Very cold only eight
below zero this morning
with heavy west wind
blowing. clouds of dust
every where. there is
no snow to blow.

Jan 8th Very cold + froze
zero this a.m. at 8 o'clock
wind still blowing
will be hard on herms.

weather so cold and
changeable. and no snow.
Jan 9th Milder again
just about freezing
point. cloudy and
snowing some tonight.

Jan 10th. Mild rained
in the night and this
morning. Smith still
fixing hotbed sashes.

taking out glass out of
40. and repainting and
glazing. a big job.

Jan 11th Turning colder
again with heavy
winds and some snow
flurries.

Jan 12th very cold with
some snow flurries.

Jan 13th ^{Sunday} Very cold, coldest
this winter so far.

just 2 froz zero at 11/2 on
and 6 below at 9 P.M.

Jan 14. cold & cloudy
6 below zero at 8/30 a.m.
not feeling very good
cant stand the cold
any more.

Jan 15th still cold and
about zero.

Jan 16th a little milder
snowed all night about
5 or 6 inches but as
dry as powder.

Jan 17th - raining nearly
all day and night
snow going fast.

Jan 18th. mild & cloudy
snow all gone rained
all day and tonight
coming down in
torrents every thing

flooded.

Jan 19th. mild & cloudy
big drain on the burn
again. blocked again
sand boxes at mains
line standing full
of water. guess the
flood went right over
top of them

Jan 20th. Sunday. my
Birthday. started
celebrating early. and
lasted all day. Birthday
cake. chocolates etc.
ended up by hearing
K.F.D. Los Angeles
on the Radio reception
good. heard the Alwater
Kent concert from K.O.A.
Denver. every thing
good. Fort Worth Texas

coming strong had
Loo Angeles until we
went to bed.

Jan 21st Extra fine winter
day. bright and not
too cold, but not
thawing any.

Smith pruning some.

Jan 22nd strong east
wind. tried to find
out what was wrong
with big drain, no
success. still blocked
water from Manns drain
running over top of
our field.

Jan 23rd, Doris home
with a cold. Alan also
has one. went visiting
Geo Hammonds last
Saturday, and they

brought it home with them
starting snowing again
tonight.

Jan 23rd. Cooler this
morning a few inches
of snow. Drifted, some
places none - making
out order for seeds.
from Stokes.

1 lb R. Pod Way Beans	60
1 oz Visking Copenhagen Callow	100
4 oz Copenhagen Baltic Call	125
4 oz Windermer Lake	125
1 oz Riverhead 5 Ball Caul.	150
1 1/2 lb World Beater Pepper	240
1 oz Harris Early Giant	65
1 oz Marglobe Tomato	65
1 oz John Baer Tomato	40

\$970

another Radio in on
trial a Spartan this

Time Had my Huffman
new to try it out. seems
the best one yet. Had
Denver. Winnipeg &
Los Angeles on it.

Jan 24th. Cool & cloudy
looks like a storm.
Radio reception not so
good tonight of course
we had visitors. Hills

Jan 25. Snowed some in
the night and raining
today

Jan 26th. Cold & clear
roads pretty slippery.
Doris held her 7th
Birthday party. new
Spartan Radio went
on the junk. Man
promised to come & fix it
but never showed up.

Jan 27th. Sunday Fair
& cold. all alone
all day.

Jan 28th. Tell the kids
have colds. Got
home from school today
weather cold 10
above zero this am.
expect a car of
manure in today.

Jan 29th. manure in today
started unloading out
in the field.

Jan 30th. Finished manure
and it also finished
me have a cold and
Doris has Bronchitis

Feb 12th. Have been
sick in bed since Jan
30th - and feeling punk
yet, with cough and

cold in head & Bronchitis
another car of manure
arrived on the 9th Feb.
John, Edgar & Donnell
unloaded it as it was
a Saturday so Smith
has been sick the
same time as me, and
is still sick.

Spartan Radio seems
pretty good so we kept
it. cost \$322.50 Paid
\$240.00 cash and our old
Alwater Kent. The
weather has been fine
winter weather. not too
cold but not thawing
any and about 6 inches
snow on the ground
an ideal winter, so
far.

Feb 16th. Sat. - weather still
fine & moderately cold.
with some snow on the
ground. still feeling punk
Smith still sick
John getting manure
ready for making
first hot beds -

Feb 18th. John & Smith
put up first hot beds -
a little too early but
manure came fairly.

Feb 19th. turned cold
again 3 from zero cold
north east wind and
some snow.

Feb 20th. Very cold this
morning coldest this
winter 14 below zero
but clear and no
wind.

July 21st. Still cold only
a few above zero.
John laid up with a
sore back.

July 22nd. Went down town
first time for a month.
Weather still cold
but fine & clear.

July 23rd Sowed 16 sashes
peppers. 8 sashes Hot
peppers. 8 sashes Sweet
102 Harris Giant 80s World
Beater. weather fine

July 24 Sunday cloudy
& milder thawed a little

July 25th Cloudy and cool.
Sowed Calibrage seed
40s Copenhagen 102 Viking
Copenhagen in 8
sashes.

July 26th went down
town today. weather
cloudy & mild.

July 27th ^{to 28th} Have another
cold today. weather
fine & mild.

Mar. 1st Fine & mild
thawing fast. The
snow is fast going
March came in like
a lamb alright.

Mar 2nd Sowed Tomato
Seed 102 Stokes John Baer
102. Stokes Marglobe
40s Bruce's First Best
40s " John Baer

Mar 3rd Sunday. Aunt
Hattie Bell. died this
afternoon about 5 o'clock.
she has been helpless
for a long time

Still have a cold, do not know whether we can go or not.

Mar 4th. Raining today mother in bed. Dr. Peart thinks it is her teeth & tonsils

Mar 5th Fine & mild & still have a cold.

Mar 6th. Had Will & Clara & Hicks for the evening weather turning colder & blowing a gale.

Mar 7 Very cold. Some snow. and blowing a gale. snow & sand flying every where. Kitchener won @ H.A. intermediate from Willowdale of Toronto score 6 to 3 on the round. Played last night & Monday

Mar 8th. Very cold this morning down to about zero. Went out for a walk.

Mar 9th. Very cold again will be a cold night.

70v. University King @ H.A. Senior. Championship round. King 5th 9 to 5 on the Kroghs. Falls wins from Kitchener 4 to 3 on the round in the play downs - and Port Arthur wins from Manitoba University 2 to 1 in two games. Manitoba was last years champions

Mar 10th Fine & milder

Mar 11th. Milder like Spring snow all gone

Mar 12th. Very mild and warm cap manure

arrived today had
to hire a u-hauler
with truck to unload it.
John still had with
scistie and me with
a cold,

Mar 13th My cold worse
again walked down
to Johns yesterday
it was like summer
and got a fresh cold
Mar 14th. Mild & foggy
some rain in the day
Mar 15th. Mild & partly
cloudy.

Toronto Varsity wins
Round in C.H.A. Play
offs with Ingersoll
score 10 to 6 in the
two games

Mar 16th. Had a thunder shower
last evening and this
morning it is snowing
but fine in the afternoon
Toronto Marlboros wind
Junior 6-4 a 7. Finals Beat
Kitchener score 4 to 3 in
the round. Had Mrs
Truss May for the
week end

Mar 17th Sunday fine
& moderately cool,

Mar 18th - Fine and a
little milder

Mar 19th. Fine & mild
Varsity wins Round 4
to 3 from Ottawa Shamrocks
in Senior play offs
Mar John & Smith have
been trying their
hand at ~~grappling~~
blow takes

Mar 20th A little cooler
a few snow flurries in
the morning but soon
melted. John & Smith
transplanting Cabbages -
only planting 6000 this
year. have been cheap
for years now. no money
in them. Marlboro's at
Toronto Beat Soo Greyhounds
in Junior play off 7 to 2
tonight.

Mar 21 1st day of Spring
mild. partly cloudy
with very strong South
west winds.

Mar 22nd cloudy and
a little cooler Montreal
Beat Toronto Varsity tonight
and last week 8 to 3 on
the road (Semi Final)

Mar 23rd cloudy
and cooler. started to
transplant a few tomatoes.
got very warm in the
afternoon up to 72 in
the sun.

Mar 24th ^{Sunday} Fine & a little
cooler Had Stan
Blair to H. Simmons
over.

Mar 25th ~~Regina~~ ^{Port Arthur} beat
Butte Columbia in
the Western Finals 6 to 0,
and plays Montreal
in the finals at Winnipeg.
~~Mar~~ Got Mc Grath unloading
another car of manure.
Mar 26 Went to Hamilton
Saw a Talkie Movie.
(In Old Arizona)

Toronto Pro. Hockey out
of the running in the
Semi Finals Beat 2
straight games 1 to 0 &
2 to 1.

Mar 27th. a cool east wind
but fine John & Smith
transplanting

Mar 28th. Cooler today
frozen this morning

Mar 29th. Good Friday
clear & bright over
so this afternoon. that is
out of the wind and right
in the sun. on the end of
the barn. but a very
cool north east wind

Mar 30th. Cloudy & mild
Toronto Marlboros win ~~6 to 4~~
Canadian Junior championship
they Beat Winnipeg Juniors

in the finals in two
straight games both scores
4 to 2.

Mar 31st Easter Sunday
cold & cloudy strong
East wind. Thermometer
about freezing point this
morning at 9 o'clock.
April 1st. Port Arthur
wins Senior Hockey honors
from Montreal in the finals
played three games 1st
game 1 to 1 tie 30 minutes
overtime. 2nd game 7 to 2
3rd game 3 to 0 - Port
Arthur has won three times
out of the last 5 years.
Boston also Beat New York
2 straight & wins Pro
Hockey - Stanley cup.

Had a big rain in
the night. Some thunder
+ lightning and some
showers the morning
with strong winds from
the South West. some
times like a hurricane
april 2nd ground frozen
this morning but
clear. lots of damage
done by wind ^{yesterday} & north
around St. Catherine's
+ Niagara Falls. while
roads blocked with
snow in North Bay and
district as far South
as Allandale.

april 3rd. Fair + mild. done
a little work for a
couple of hours trans-
planting peppers.

April 4th. mild with
april showers.

Transplanting Tomatoes
april 5th. every thing
flooded tonight
big thunder shower
this morning about
4 a.m. another like
a cloud burst just
before six tonight
and still another
about 8 o'clock.

april 6th. cleared up
this morning.
every where flooded
drains washed out
etc. turned warm
this afternoon as
hot as summer
86 in the sun.

April 7th Sunday AM

as warm as summer
drove down the high-
way after Sunday

school. called at
Culturizer when the girls
were at Sunday School.

April 8th. some showers
fixed sprayer and
topped Raspberries.

April 9th. cold &
cloudy. gathering
brush.

April 9th weather and
job same as yesterday

April 10 cold working
at brush & Benj.
brush weather cool

April 11th started fixing
big drain again
no success. yet

put in 3500 x 11 ft
basket cold and
some more showers

April 12th. got big drain
in good shape again
found stick, wire &
a milk bottle in it.

April 13th. finished
draining wood &
cleaning up brush -
weather still cold
& cloudy.

April 14 Sunday partly
cloudy & cool.
went for a drive up
the other side of Watkinson

April 15th. Cold & cloudy
with rain. mended
boxes. etc. cleaned
up barn & put in a
load of hay

April 16. Cold & cloudy
mended hotbed frames
& went to Hamilton
twice looking at horse
bought one at \$125

April 17th. Started uncovering
strawberries no men
yet only Smith & nearly
used pup on the job
already. Fred Moore
delivered the horse
but came on arrival
getting a vet to examine
him. we have not
paid for him yet
weather getting colder
very cold north west
winds today. had
snow in Pennsylvania
about a foot of it
some places

April 18. Cloudy & very
cool. uncovering
strawberries.

April 19th. Started spraying
with oil on pears.
they say it is two weeks
to late but ground so
soft we could not
do it. even now we
can only take 2/3 of a
tank in the orchard
by the road.

got on about 4 1/2 tanks,
today about another
1 1/2 or 2 tanks to finish.
supposed to put in about
7 gals to the tank.

April 20th Raining again
this morning and
rained all day

April 21st Sunday motored
to Caledonia. looking
for men tried to get
to Six Nations P.O. but
roads so bad, but
located a couple of men.
April 22nd Finished spaying
with oil had about
7 tanks in the barrel
afraid we did not put
it on strong enough
should have been
2 gallons oil to the tank.
two Indians started
work at noon -

April 23rd still uncovering
strawberries and weeding
peppers. to. Smith off
again. his sister
died in Sault Ste. Marie Sunday
has been away two

days now. Will be come
back.

Ordered 5 cans Berry
covering manure bags
Nov 10th 12th 14th 16th & 18th.
and 5 cans for Holbreds
July 1st & July 10th
March 5th 10th & 15th.

April 24th. Fine & warm
cleaning off manure
from Strawberries,
and weeding peppers.
April 25th. Raining again
nearly all night and
day.

April 26th. Smith worked
two days and off again
today on a proper
spit this time I guess
drawing manure. &
weeding peppers.

April 27th Got three
pots finished today
cleaning up strawberries
weeding peppers
and making hot-beds
for last hard planting
two Indian drawing
out manure also.
weather cool and very
windy.

April 28th Sunday cool
cloudy + windy & looks
like rain this morning.
and it did rain hard
also this afternoon.

April 29th Very cold
today cloudy + strong
north west winds.
Started transplanting
tomatoes they are very
poor. too tall & soft

April 30th Transplanting
tomatoes between chow
May 1st cold & cloudy
transplanting tomatoes
more rain - got our
new Planter home
but ground too wet to
try it out.

May 2nd stopped at
9:30 a.m. by heavy
rain was planting
Cucumbers. rained
all day.

May 3rd Nothing doing
today everything flooded
cold today. heavy winds
from the North West &
cloudy. some rain & snow.

May 4th cold + cloudy
nearly frost at
night with north winds

May 5th Sunday went
to Hamilton to
Mrs Mays.

May 6th weather still
cold & cloudy,
digging shawberry
plants

May 7th. Started to plant
shawberries with new
planter not much success
horses go to pasture.

May 8. Digging &
cleaning more shawberry
plants. weather still
cold & cloudy frosts
at night.

May 9 planting straw-
berries. Bot 10000
Slew many plants at
\$6 per 1000. planted
15 Rows on S. West of house

next road. and ^{7 1/2} ~~8 1/2~~
Rows on North East patch
starting the first long
row next the mail
box and going towards
the barn & short rows
next road + 4 Rows
next ~~cherry~~ Mont. cherries
are ~~the~~ Baldwin Gibson
also 8 Rows next Slew
many of over to Rich.
monk cherry tree.
then 8 Rows. Cooper
then 1 Row + 50 feet at
far end are Pearl
then Emorys Gibson.
May 10th. Planted
out Cabbages & 6000
weather fine & warm
today also planting
shawberries.

May 11th Finished planting
strawberries also
planted 8 sashes -
2 ozs Cauliflower seed
and 2 sashes 4 ozs
of Vegetable marrow.
weather turning
warmer had a light
shower and it looks
like more -

May 12th. Sunday mild
+ cloudy looks like
more rain. Sweet cherries
+ most of the plums in
blossom now. and
sour cherries just
starting to come out.

May 13th Very cold and
cloudy. Snow about
40 this morning
trying to hoe all

strawberry patch. it
is nearly all covered
+ grass. some job.
May 14th cloudy + cold
still around 40 -
started to rain about
8:30 a.m. + rained all
day. cut first asparagus
4 bolts sold at 25¢ in Toronto.

May 15th Planted 20
lbs Beans + 2 lbs Peas
weather very cold
and blowing a gale
had to fasten hotbed
sashes. Down with boxes
of earth lost about
40 frames broke

May 16th nearly frost last
night but fairer today
planted Sweet corn
+ pumpkins

May 18th. Fine & mild
but started to rain
about 6 P.M. Hoeing old
strawberries.

May 19th Sunday cold
and cloudy with North
East winds. Temperature
44 at 11 A.M. cleared
up after dinner. Cherries
in full bloom now
plums mostly off now.

May 20 Cold this morning
frozee. Hoeing
old strawberries

May 21st Still cold hoeing
old strawberries
not much good by the
looks of them

May 22nd Planted new
strawberry patch
in cherry orchard

it even looks worse
than the old ones.

May 23rd Still hoeing
strawberries some job
so many acres and
poor men.

May 24th. Indians all
off. Hoeing strawberries
& culling asparagus
only cut 20 lbs but
all week sold at
\$1.65 & \$1.75 a lb

May 25th Still hoeing
strawberries went to
Hamilton after dinner
Saw Sec. Chapman
wants increase in pay
from \$25 to \$30. a week
afraid we cannot
afford to pay it.

May 26th. Sunday done
up to Indian Res.
not much prospects
of help it looks dead

May 27th to 28th
Having shawneese
they are coming out
in blossom fast now

May 29th planted some
potatoes also started
tomatoes it looks like
a failure trying to
plant on cross marks
impossible to get
them straight

turned very hot today
must be over 80 in
the shade - it was
86 tonight at 6 o'clock

May 30th Very warm
reported F. H. the
shade in Hamilton
was 102 here in the sun
at noon. planting
tomatoes.

May 31. Some cooler
today. still planting
tomatoes. ground
getting pretty dry now
June 1st. a big drop
in temperature down
to 50 this morning
and at 42 at 11
o'clock tonight. will
be nearly frost.

June 2nd Sunday
Smith said temperature
was 33 this morning at
5 a.m. when he got up
to go fishing

June 3rd started
spraying at noon
got 3 tanks on.
cold & windy.

June 4th only got 3
tanks all day.

Broke timing gear

June 5th 6th & 7th
still spraying it
took 20 tanks to

go over all. put about
6 lbs Lead & $3\frac{1}{2}$ to
 $3\frac{3}{4}$ gal Lime Sulphur.

Every thing looks light
no signs to amount

to any thing don't look
like 10% Early plum

looks like ripe

Rene Claude Bradshaw
& Monarch than
any thing and looks

like about half a
crop of cherries.
John & Ben have been
planting peppers by
hand after buying
a machine, not enough
horses to work it.

Tomatoes planted out
looks bad. weather
has been very cold
& windy. Paper states
it froze vice Thursday
am at Mt Hope &
also froze plants down
near Toronto.

June 8th. still cold, with
strong north winds.

Planting peppers &
tomatoes. temperature
down to 40 at Bed -
time tonight.

June 9th Sunday fine
but cool home all
day

June 10th Finished
planting - peppers also
Vegetable marrows.
broke the pole in the
planter had to plant
all the pepper by hand.

June 11th all the gang
cultivating & hoeing
have an awful cold.

June 12th. cooler with a
few light showers
in afternoon. Hoeing &
Cultivating

June 13th. cool & cloudy
hoeing etc.

June 14th. Feeling punk
had an x-ray picture
taken.

June 15th Picked first
strawberries 6 x 36 and
14 pints sent to Toronto
Sold at 40 25¢ 20 23¢
planted Cauliflowers
out yesterday weather
cool & windy but
getting very dry and
afraid strawberries
will be small.

June 16th Sunday Fine
home all day -

June 17th. Picked 29 x 36
strawberries. sold in Toronto
at 1 13 00 16¢ - 70 15¢
40 12¢ 30 11¢
weather very warm

June 18th. Very hot
again and dry
strawberries cooking
up.

June 19th. Picked 104 x 36
S. Beans today sold in
Toronto at 15¢ to 18¢ a pint.
weather very warm
and no rain.

June 20 not picking
today will have good
big picking tomorrow

June 21st Very warm
yet and no rain.

Picked 234 crate of
pint beans today
sold 80 x 36 here at
15¢ sent balance to
Toronto sold at .12 to
18 cts.

hot
weather is certainly
drying them up &
they say nearly done
up on the plants.

June 22nd Saturday sent
48 x 36 to Toronto
at noon. market away
down in price. another
car of American Beans
in. ~~They~~ ours sold at
9¢ 10¢ a pint.

June 23rd Sunday drove
down to 12 mile creek
near Bronte for a picnic
fine & warm.

June 24th. Picked 115 x 36
pints. shipped to Toronto
sold at 9¢ 10¢ this
afternoon also picked
80 x 27's took to
Uplons Jam Co. expect
12 1/2 or 13¢ there.
Shonack sold at 6¢ 4¢.
today + sold last Friday
night as low as 5¢ also 9¢ crate
at 425 crate

that's some price he
is done with us we
lost \$130 lower than
naused well.

June 25th. Rained this
morning picked 27
crates in the afternoon
for Jam Factory.

June 26th Picked 155
crates today had
another light shower
towards night.

June 27th not picking
today hoeing &
cultivating.

June 28th Picked 134
crates today had
a big rain in the
night and some
more showers today.

June 29th Saturday
picked 81 crates I
had some time went
up to Ammons cold
storage after dinner
and 10 trucks ahead
when I arrived had
a hire truck to bring
balance in. also
borrow Hammonds truck
to take picker home.

June 30th. Fine & warm
went out in the country
new mt nemo for
picnic dinner. and
laid around on the grass
all day.

July 1st Picking straw-
berries 123 crates
Jam Factoryes about
filled up.

July 2 Picked 82 crates
today getting very
small & nearly done.

July 3rd. Very cold today
only 4/6 this morning
at 6 am. started spraying
cherries. sprayed went on
the pink. Picking
Bernie's yet.

July 4 Not picking any
Shawnees today
picked some cherries
27 Richmonds at 65¢
8 Black Sweets at 90¢
4 White Sweets at 65¢
4 Red Small " at 40¢

July 5th. Picked 70 crates
Bernie's this is
about the finish

July 6th. Finished up
spraying cherries

took 10 tanks. about
6 lbs lead. to tank
and 3³/₄ gals Lime Sulphur
looks like a good
crop of cherries

July 7th Sunday. Had
Miss & Mrs May out
went down to 12 mile
Creek for picnic
turned out pretty warm
very windy again. bad
for the cherry crop.

July 8th. Picked 37 crates
Bernie's guess this is
the last. Not very good
crop. weather was
too dry. Had 536 x 36
first crate + 908 x 27
quarts total of 14.44
crates. also picked
61 x 11 Richmond saw

cherries at 65¢. One
party D.S. Lister wanted
some at 45¢. said some
one else quoted at 45¢
we cannot pick them
+ a lot that. also picked
22 lbs to 6¢ to black
sweets at 90¢

July 9th. Not much doing
picked 6 lbs to Sweet
and 22 Richmond cherries
had a big shower
in the afternoon. were
all cleaning out old
strawberry beds.

July 10th. Finished up
on Richmond cherries
87 lbs to. only 205 lbs to
all together off
about 100 trees and
no price either only 60¢ to 65¢

cut 3 crates Cabbages
on the 8th + 6 crate
more today at 85¢ crate

July 11th. Picked 3
crates Raspberries
for the first sold at 20¢
also picked first
Montmorency cherries
28 x 11¢ at 90¢ 6 x 16 at 50¢
and 20 x 6 Sweets.

July 12th. Picked 35
more Montmorencys
and 21 sweets and
a couple of crate
Rasps weather
fine & moderately warm

July 13, No picking
today fixing ladder
hoeing + etc. had
a sprinkle of rain

July 14 Had the Cuttaro
girls on a picnic
to Credit Forks &
Belfontaine had a
good time 110 miles
for the return trip.

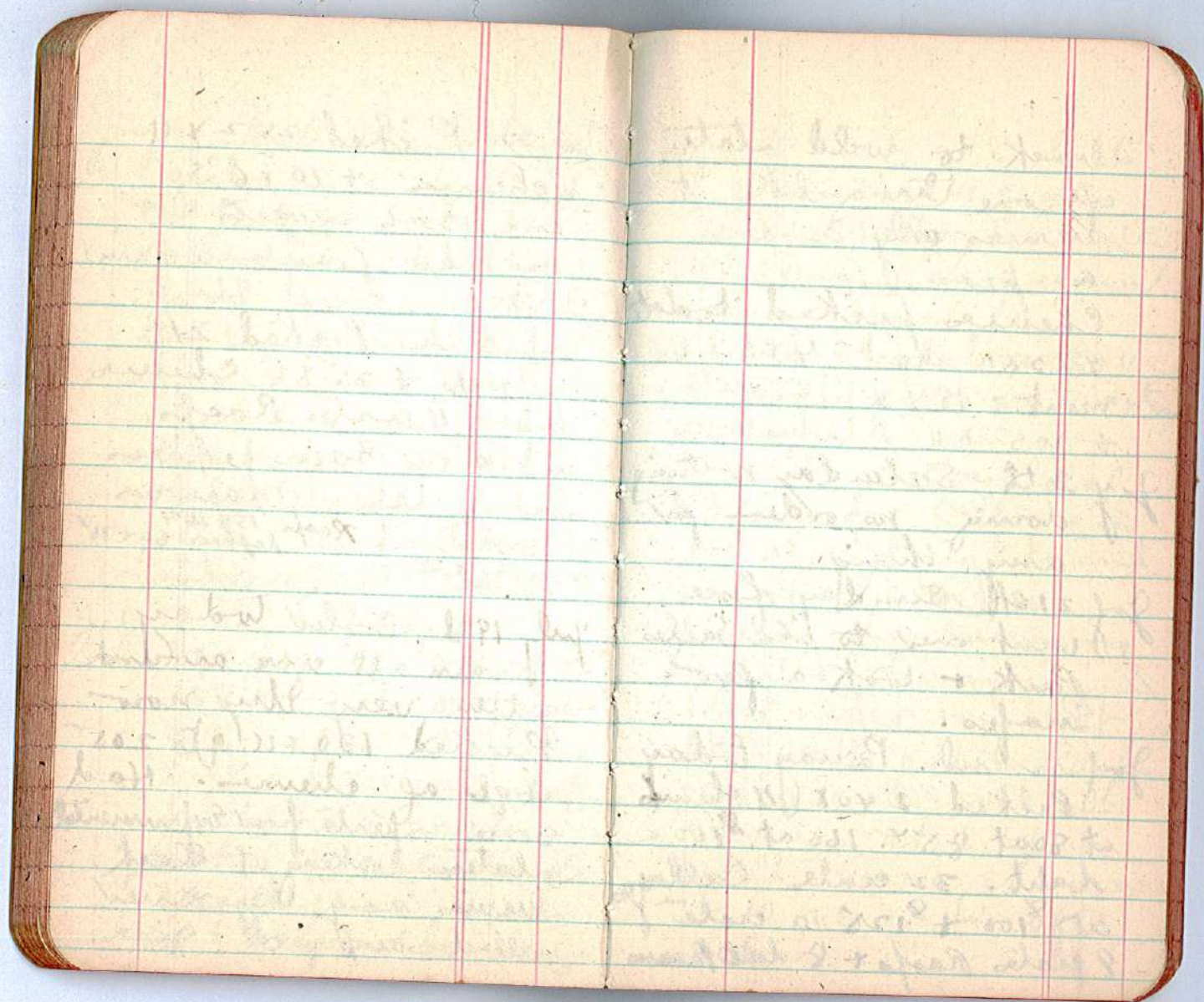
July 15. Picked 174 x 11
cherries + 10 x 6 -
also 34 x 6 Sweets
5 lbs Beans for the
first. and 7 crate
cabbages ^{8 x 3 1/2} ^{Rasp.}
sold at 15¢

July 16 th Picked -
1245 x 11 at 85¢ + 80¢
168 x 6 at 50¢ + 55¢
only a few at the
90¢ x 55¢ was what
went north - also
picked 8 crate Rasp
7 cabbages 5 Beans
& 6 Sweet cherries

July 17. Picked 252 x 11
cherries + 10 x 6 15
and 13 x 6 sweets.
weather fine + warm
all week.

July 18 th. Picked 219
11 qts + 25 x 6 cherries
and 11 crates Rasp
and 19 x 6 Green pepper
and 4 lbs Marrows
sold at Rasp ^{15¢ + 16¢}
peppers 60¢ + 75¢
marrows 4 for 225¢ in Toronto

July 19 th. Cooler today
rain all gone and
getting very dry now
Picked 130 x 11 qts 205 -
6 qts of cherries. Had
some experts from Experimental
Station looking at Black
berries say they never
will be any good gone



back to wild state
of some thing like it
berries only as big
as peas.

Cherries picked today

873 x 11 Mont. 423 x 6

Mont. 184 x 6 Sweets.

+ 205 x 11 Richmonds

July 20th Saturday nothing
doing no order for
any thing

July 21st Sunday fine
went over to La Salles
Park + took a few
snaps.

July 22nd Busy today
Picked 240 x 11 cherries
at 80¢ at 85¢. 160 at \$1.00 a
bush. 32 crate Callos
at \$1.00 + \$1.25 a crate
8 crates Rasp + 8 bbl. Beans

July 23rd Got 228 bbls
cherries + 11 crates
Rasp today + 12 crate
Callos very warm
and no rain

July 24th Picked 256 x 11
Mont + 12 x 6 Sweet
today.

July 25th a couple of
thunder showers
one at midnight and
one at 5 a.m. no
picking this morning

July 26th Raining again
last night very wet
this am. picked Rasp
28 x 36 crate sold to
Cannery at 8¢ pint.
picked 126 x 11 cherries
+ 10 x 6 in the aft
noon

Jul 27th. Received cheque
from Uplands for Shaw-
berries. 909 crates at
12 1/2¢ box \$3067.87.

no picking at all today.

Jul 28th. Sunday went
to Soper Park. took
Stan Blair along. big
rain storm from 330 to
630 P.M. called at Ted
Ireland's on the way
back. got home at 1030

Jul 29 Picked ~~100~~ Cherries
today + 15 crates
Raspb. very warm
again picked 4 lbs
cherries for the first.

Jul 30th. Picked 145
lbs cherries sold
at \$1.00 and \$1.10 just
about done now.

Jul 31st. Very warm
planted Edelweiss
for slugs. Picked
28 lbs cherries \$1.10
+ cut 28 crates Call \$1.00

Aug 1st. Had a big storm
last evening, rained
in torrents, ^{with} wind and
thundered & lightning.
was fierce. Picked 13 crates
Raspb + 19 lbs cherries

Aug 2nd Paid B. S. Hicks
\$868.00 premium for Fire
Insurance \$3500.00 on House
\$1500.00 on Furniture \$750 on
Barn \$800 on contents \$300
on Shack + \$50 on Furniture.
in Federal Fire Insurance Co
Paid up to Aug 4th
1932. Weather some
cooler today

picked 9 x 6 tomatoes
today 75¢ 30 x 11 chums
\$1.10. 13 calb \$1.00 crate 4
manrows \$1.00. 4 cukes 75¢
6 Beans 50¢

cherries done picked
for the season

2165 x 11 Montgomery

205 x 11 Richmond

433 x 6 Montgomery

203 x 6 Sweets.

prices very good.

Montgomery started
at 85¢ to dealers and

90¢ up north. Second
week started \$1.00 up

north then went up to
\$1.10 when they finished.

Sweets sold at 65¢
for whites. 90¢ to 1.20

for blacks. and

Richmonds 60¢ & 65¢

Aug 4 cold & windy today
Sunday did not go
out. any place

Aug 5th Very cold 47

this a.m. went for pickers

to pick Rasp for the

last time this year

had 9 crates. picked

first plums 12 lbs

Ships. shipped north

at \$1.00 bush. picked

14 lbs tomatoes \$1.50

Aug 6th Still cold &

cloudy with strong winds

blowing off a lot of

fruit plums & pears

no orders today cut

30 crates Cabbage

for Bullock at 80¢
crate.

Aug 7th. Tomatoes took
a big slump down
to 75¢ today picked
32 lbs + 20 lbs
Shiso plums.

Aug 8th. Picked 15 lbs
Apples (Sweet Bough) 50¢
4 lbs + 14 lbs Red
June plums + 25
crate cabbages

Aug 9th. Picked 60 lbs
tomatoes 20 lbs plums
6 cukes 16 cabbages
4 Marrows.

started spraying pears
with neotom. put in
nearly a quart of
tank and nearly
30 lbs of Kolaform
just got two tanks
on.

Aug 10th Finished spraying
pears took nearly
five tanks 14 lbs
Black Leaf 40¢ nearly
150 lbs Kolaform

Aug 11 Sunday went
down to Van Wagners
Beach had supper
on the shore big
crowds all along
the beach.

Aug 12 Picked 79 lbs
tomatoes 6 cukes
+ 6 plums + 10 crate
cabbages. Uncle
Dave arrived from
Wenleyville for a
week

Aug 13th. Picked 83
lbs at 55¢ 10 plums 40¢
3 cukes + 1 marrow

and shipped 26 lbt
Sweet pepper to Toronto
sold at.

Had the Clayton girls
over to say goodbye
they leave for Cal
in a couple of days

Aug 14 Rained most
of the day picked
29 lbt tomatoes

Aug 15 th. Picked 56
lbt tomatoes still
getting 55¢. 12
lbt Rambout plums
at \$1.00 7 cubs 75¢

2 cullage at \$1.00

3 Cauliflowers \$1.50

3 manbwa \$1.00

weather cold &
very windy feels
like fall.

Aug 16 Picked 52 lbt
28 plums 11 cabb-
pretty slack for
Friday. Charlotte

~~Aug 17~~ & Doris had
their Tomatoes out
today.

Aug 17 th. nothing
doing only shipped
10 lbt tomatoes. and
picked 40 lbt cabb
Pears. to ship next
week.

Aug 18 Sunday home
all day a lovely
day Had Mrs
May & Jane McCullough
also Chapman
called in after
supper. the girls
feeling some better

Aug 19th - Monday.

shipped 74 tons
at 65¢ 33 plums at 80¢
40 pears at 80¢ 70 doz
6 doz corn at 25¢ - 5
3 crates Cabbage at \$1.00
and 17 green peppers
to Toronto sold at 75¢

Aug 20th only 52 tons
today and 30 plums
2 pears 3 Caul \$1.00
2 mannos +

shipped 3 Caul to
Toronto sold at \$1.80 crate
+ 12 x 6 Red peppers 60¢
17 x 11 Green peppers 75¢
+ 4 crate mannos 90¢

Aug 21st only 41 tons
today Bought 78'
bats to fill our orders
at 55¢ + 60¢ sold at 60¢

picked 25 plums for
orders at 80¢ and
30 for Scott at 70¢
also 60 doz corn at 25¢

Aug 22 only picked
37 tons today at 60¢
25 plums " " 80¢
20 pears " " 80¢
70 doz corn " 20¢
6 Cuts 75¢
3 crate Caul. \$2.00

+ shipped 20 sweet
peppers to Toronto 75¢

Aug 23rd Rained early
this morning did not
get started until 1030.
shipped 155 tons for
orders at 60¢ 2 pears
2 bags corn 3 Cabb-
shipped 4 Caul + 4 mannos
to Toronto Caul sold
\$2.00 mannos 65¢

Aug 24 Sat not much
doing sold Scott 30
Burlbark at 70¢ and
25 Gages at 80¢

Sunday Aug 25th
Fried & Warm had
chaplains for supper
Aug 26th. Smelt off
again this Am.
picked 150 lbs
mostly at 60¢ 4.88
baked plums at 70¢ to 80¢
60 doz corn 30 Clapps
pears, 8 cukes
4 Caul. 1 marrow
shipped 10 crate
Cauliflower to Toronto
Aug 27th. Picked 128
plums today. shipped
45 to Toronto. sold
Balance 70 to 90¢

and 144 lbs at 40¢
45¢ had to ship
50 lbs without order
hope they accept them
sent 10 more crate
• Cauliflower to Toronto
sold at -
Bradshaw plums sold
at -

Aug 28. Finished Burlbark
plums today had
413 lbs sold from
70¢ to 80¢ a lb.

Aug 29 Finished Clapps
Pears had 150 lbs
sold at 75¢ to 80¢
picked Dawson crop
11 x 6 qts. Had
136 tomatoes today
at 40¢ and 45¢

Aug 30 th Tomatoes
slumped in price
and very few orders
only picked 117
lbs.

Aug 31. Nothing doing
went to the Toronto
Ex Big crowd there
Paper says 182,000
got home at 12:15
P.M., good and tired

Sept 1 Sunday very hot
one of the hottest
days this year

Sept 2nd Monday very
hot yet shipping
all the tomatoes at
once. Sold Beilock
150 lbs. & shipped
a few over 100

Sept 3rd Very warm/
every thing cooking
no rain.
picked 142 lbs 83
plums 26 pears

Sept 4th Very warm/
yet. picked 154 Monarch
plum for Upton 2 1/2 cts
a lb. shipped
118 lbs. after plums
& pears north.

Sept 5th Picked 100
lbs. fruit for order
and also 100 lbs
tomatoes for canners

Sept 6. took another
load of plums into
Upton 158 lbs -
only shipped 88
lbs. fruit north.

Sept 7th Took a load
of Cauliflowers to
Sprinsly Pickle. Co
had a smash up on
the road. a car skidded
in front of me. busted
up radiator, fender, light,
+ bent axle. on the
truck. and his fender
+ door frame - guess
he will have to pay
for it.

Sept 8 Sunday cool
+ cloudy. Went to
Hamilton to see the
fellow that stopped
in front of truck
says he has turned
it over to the
Insurance Co.

Sept 9th one of our
busiest days
shipped 81 plums
81 pears + 134
lbs. 19 Cukes 2 peppers
2 Cabb + 6 Cans
all out on orders

Sept 10th Not so many
orders today about
150 lbs. Very windy
blowing a gale
started to pick up
Bartlett pears got
about 125 lbs
picked up.

Sept 11th Finished
picking up pears.
had 60 bushels
for the canners +
50 lbs no 2 Bartlett
also 50 lbs other

Kinds that blew off.
had quite a few
orders too. over 60
lshs plums + 100
tomatoes took
another load to lshs
yesterday 188

Sept 12th Not quite
so many orders today
62 tons 140 plums
28 pears 20 cukes
and a load Tomatoes
to Canning Co

Sept 13th Some light
showers got 101 lbs
tomatoes to the factory
+ 170 lshs fruit made

Sept 14th not much doing
picked 25 lbs pears
+ 30 lshs. also a
few peppers

Sept 15th Sunday fine drive
up to the mountain.

Sept 16. Monday very busy
had an order from
Delate for Freight
and Smith off for a
drink since Friday
noon. but managed
it by working until
after 9 o'clock

127 tomatoes 83 pears
115 plums 14 cukes.
also 84 lsh on other
orders - 423 lshs
Total: biggest this
year I think.

Sept 17 Not so busy today
Picked 116 plums
27 tons & shipped
a few peppers to Toronto
Rain vs afternoon

Sept 18. Picked 100

lght plums for
Davidson at 60¢

Shipped only about
75 lghts altogether

Sept 19th Some frost
this morning not much
damage from Cucumbers
Vines & Picked

164 plums. 16 loms.
also sold 10 doz
pumpkins at 100 doz

Sept 20th Cold this
morning heavy frost
froze plants & vines
but not the fruit.
picked 60 lbs

Howell pears for
Davidson at 75¢ a
bushel. picked yesterday
& today about 100

lght Red pepper and
put in the train.
North order only
35 loms + 10 plums

Sept 21st. Had a big
day for Saturday
drew two loads of
Orange crate from
Hamilton today &
one load Thursday
(510 boxes in all)

Picked 104 lght plums
for Scott. 21½ doz
pumpkins for Davidson
and 30 loms + 4 cukes
for Hutcheson to
go Monday freight.

Sept 22 Sunday drove
to Guelph and around
the Reformatory grounds
& home by Acton & Milton

Sept 23 Monday not
many orders sold
Scott 63 plums and
Davidson 10 doz Pumpkins
+ 10 doz marrows.
shipped 27 doz 10 plums
also shipped to Toronto
10 doz Peppers sold at 75¢
15 Red " 75¢ to 80¢
19 pears for \$6.00
25 doz 6 qts pears. 50¢
+ 10 lbs Red peppers to
Bullock at \$1.00

Sept 24 Tue. Finished plums
shipped + sold 40
and have about 40
more to ship tomorrow
Picked 29 Tom +
23 Sweet peppers 2 pears
2 Caut + 2 callages

Sept 25 Finished picking
Sweet pepper yesterday
+ today only about
50 lbs (this picking
had about 9000
plants crop a failure
but prices good for
what we had did
not sell any less
than 75¢ lbs some
red ones as high as
\$1.50. down to \$1.00
sold a peddle 50
tomatoes without
covers at 28¢
picked 12 Dutch
pears at 60¢ + 16
lbs Cuka 30¢
Sept 26. orders light
only shipped 42
lbs tomatoes

picked 70 lbs for
a peddler & he never
showed up had to
ship to Toronto.
suppose we will get
nothing for them.
they sold at 35¢ & 40¢
also sent 40 lbs
pepper. sold 80¢

Sept 27th. rides light
stuffed 27 lbs 15 pears
a few cukes & Cauliflowers
a few light shrimps
but not enough to ship
no working

Sept 28th. Picked 60
lbs cukes little & big
and put in the barn
also 40 Duches pears
Dug potatoes 21 lbs &
sold Davidson 25 doz

Small pumpkins at
60¢ dozen

Sept 29th Sunday. shower
last night & this
morning. Went to
Sept Chapmans for
supper. heard their
new Spanton Radio
very good but don't
seem to be tuned
right yet.

Sept 30th. shipped
70 lbs tomatoes
some pears cukes
etc. and picked
for Canning factory
Oct 1st pretty busy
finished picking
for Canning so had
57 lbs this load
shipped 32 lbs

north. and a load
 for Davidson 25
 lb pumpkins 15
 do marrow + 30
 1 lb pepper and
 shipped to Toronto
 29 lb Large Cuke ^{9 150}
 20 " Med Cuke ^{9 125}
 34 " Pepper ^{13 0 75 1250}
 9 x 6 Zucchini ^{5 9 100 4 2 75}
 Oct 2nd picked 75 green
 toms shipped
 40 lbs to Toronto
 27 " Ripe toms "
 shipped 31 lbs to north
 at 30¢ + 10 pears
 at 50¢. Weather
 cold & cloudy
 Oct 3. Cold & cloudy
 dug potatoes &
 picked tomatoes after

dinner only shipped
 10 lbs tomatos to day
 shipped ~~40~~ Green toms
 set at 20¢ + 27 Ripe to Toronto
 sold at 25¢.
 Oct 4th. shipped 18 green
 toms + 30 Ripe +
 10 pears north.
 finished digging
 potatoes 30 lbs in
 old asparagus patch
 and picked more
 tomatoes have a
 lot in the barn
 Oct 5th Cold this am
 froze ice on water
 in tub. sowing Rye
 Oct 6th - Sunday
 mild. Had Mr & Mrs
 Hoffman over in the
 evening

Oct 7th. Started putting
in tile back of
Cemetery,
shipped 38 tons
+ 17 pears 2 Cans
our orders. nearly
done now I guess.

Oct 8 no orders today
at all. draining
all day weather
cold & cloudy
down to 40 at
6 o'clock tonight.

Oct 9. Shipped 30
tomatoes north.
draining rest of the
time

Oct 10th. Cold & cloudy
still draining.
back of cemetery.

Oct 11. Finished up
on north orders today
25 tons. 10 Hampers
greening apples \$200
24 baskets Kieffer
pears at 30¢

+ shipped 59 tons
to Toronto sold at
25¢. 20 Red peppers
at 75¢ 5 green at
50¢ 5 crate manna
at \$100. and sold
in Hamilton the
balance of our pumpkins
small ones 25¢ doz
at 50¢ doz.

Oct 12th Draining
again stopped
about 430 P.M.
by a light shower

Oct 13th Sunday home
all day had Mrs
& Laura May out
Oct 14th at the draining
yet a Smith helping
clean out Kerns
drain.

Oct 15th. John Sowel
10¹/₂ more bus Rye
today 21 bus in all
at \$1.40 per bus, the
draining not done
yet. still at it today
weather fine &
warm.

Philadelphia Athletics
win world series from
Chicago National
by 4 games out
of 8. games

Oct 16th. Finished draining
back of cemetery.

Oct 17th. Finished 200
more lites in the
bed around. over
3000 in all since
we started.

Oct 18th. Spent the
day fixing old
drains & at bottom
of John Fine &
warm again.

Oct 19th. doing odd
jobs today. and
pruned Spy apple
tree. 10 but all
very mild again

Oct 20. Fine & very
mild. went around
by the Beach to Sage
Park & called at Chapman's

Oct 21 st. Started digging
out Richmond cherry
trees some job
Smith sick with a
cold.

Oct 22nd. Raining all
day first rainy
day this fall
744 bushel Boys

Oct 23rd Gale from
the west colder
with some showers.
digging out trees.

Oct 24 & 25th. Still
digging out trees
some jobs.
Have been checking
up on plums
for the season
have had 2400 lbs.

53 Shero's
20 Red James
413 Burbanks
120 Gages
216 Birdsheads
97 Lombards
530 Monarchs
882 Revie claudes
83 Grand Duke
25 x 6 pines
11 x 6 Damsons.
also pears
148 Lahti Clapps Favorite
287 " Bartlett's
61 " No 2 Bartlett's
50 " " Howells
windfalls
88 " Duchesne
24 " Kieffer
75 bus Bartlett's
60 bus Howells

total pears
658 lbs and
115 bushels -
and out of the
corn sale sold
\$125.00 for corn &
84.00 for Pumpkins.

Oct 25th. Still at the
same job digging
out cherry trees.

Oct 26. Midge had a
phone call this
morning to say Mrs.
May had died.
Suddenly last night
weather cloudy but
not very cold.

Oct 27th Sunday. Mild
cloudy & very windy
looks like rain
this morning.

Oct 28th. Have a cold
not working, went to
Mrs. May's funeral.

Oct 29th 30th & 31st - weather
mild. cloudy. foggy
and some rain.
real rotten weather
have a cold. we are
thinking of driving
to Florida.

Oct 30th. still cloudy
with light showers.
Oct 31st Pentecost Election
Day yesterday. Conses
voters elected 91
members out of 112
on a Lib. & A. platform
Liberals 11 members
on a dry platform
a bigger majority than
last election they had
72 then.

Nov 1st Cloudy & mild
Smith has quite
work. has been sick
a couple of weeks
and now says he is
going to Toronto for
to make cigars at
\$22 per week. some talk

Nov 2nd John & Nelson
still trimming up
the trees dry out.

Nov 3rd Sunday home
all day with a cold
Had Hucks up to
hear radio & see us.

Nov 4th Have a rotten
cold have lost my voice
cant talk.

Nov 5th Had Hucks &
Rhitmans up telling
us about roads to Florida

Nov 6th still in with
a cold, we are thinking
seriously about going
to Florida.

Nov 7th. 8th & 9th. cool
& cloudy. doing nothing
have decided to go to
Florida in about 10 days

Nov 10th to 12th. cloudy
& cool. still have
a cold, this is my
first day out after
being in the house
getting ready to go
to Florida. Got
the car tuned up
and oiled cost \$12.60
Got 1200 in Am Ex
order. cost 25.60
commission & exchange

Nov 13 & 14 th. getting
ready for Florida
expect to leave in
the morning. has
been cloudy and
showery, and
raining tonight.

Season 1929

Total Sales

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5	147765
6	95540

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Oct 28	R. J. Armstrong	Bent Falls	895
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Aug 3	A. P. Wood	Tollentam	4275
	SR Trading Co	Shuiv	1275
Nov 7	Bent Co	Bent	7200
14	H. M. Shaw		7295
14	J. R. Course		4330
15	G. S. S. Bame		9865
Dec 11	Hare Bros	Bracebridge	21000
Dec 1	C. W. Sharp	Bent Falls	10825
Dec	P. J. Mann	Bracebridge	4330
Nov 22	J. D. Conville	Bent	9545
Dec	Burlington	Canning Co	16650
			95540

Oct 10	Manser Wells Toronto	88 68
12	A Wilson Hamilton	12 50
12	A Cooper Elmvale	7 50
12	S R Trading Co South River	799 5
12	W S Manning Elmvale	14 75
+ 12	A Johnston Sundridge	137 75
14	Fraser & McArthur S.R. River	61 85
+ 15	Manser Wells Toronto	51 62
19	E W Michel Beeton	131 75
19	W Troy Magnolia	62 80
24	A Davidson Beeton	40 50
25	Summely Pickle Co	59 80
25	Wm Peck Beeton Falls	187 30
+ 26	Harry River Tottenham	88 5
31	Huletson Bros Bracebridge	202 90
31	P G Mann Bracebridge	180 92
31	D S Lister Beeton Falls	26 40
31	Manser Wells Toronto	17 93
Nov 4	Fraser & McArthur South River	14 55
		1477 65

Sept 25	J D Stewart Thornton	14 75
	J Simpson Tottenham	30 58
	Hare Bros Bracebridge	299 60
	W V Fry Thornton	27 60
	H River Tottenham	76 40
	J Wisdom Allandale	72 5
	R T. Armstrong Beeton Falls	89 70
	J Gunn Sundridge	160 7
	J S Tremouth Port Carling	70 45
	G Sinclair Grillea	59 50
Oct 1	Brown & Co Beeton	10 38
	Manser Wells Toronto	76 27
2	Hanna & Co Port Carling	10 25
	A Davidson Beeton	157 50
	Mrs Gollaf Cookstown	3 45
	R L Scott Aldershot	140 40
	Uplon Jam Hamilton	233 12
+ 7	R A Cooper Elmvale	17 50
10	A Davidson Beeton	90 00
	A Davidson Beeton	60 20
		15607 1

Sept 2	Hare Bros Bracebridge	200 00
2	Hanna & Co Port Carling	39 00
	Mrs Gollof Cookstown	13 20
3	G Williamson Tottenham	4 00
4	Manser Webb Toronto	40 24
	G W Melchior Beeton	11 59 5
	H M Shaw Trout Creek	36 45
+ 6	Wm Peck Bunk Falls	63 25
16, 7, 8	Monkman Cookstown	1 65 0
	Manser Webb Toronto	175 -
	J D Cancellia Barrie	197 45
17	R L Scott Aldershot	87 05
	R L Scott Aldershot	133 30
	Manser Webb Toronto	19 44
19	J F Cullingham Cookstown	10 00
	S L Anderson Crossland	20 50
23	Fraser & McArthur	48 95
25	Manser Webb Toronto	40 43
27	D S Lister Bunk Falls	35 00 0
		143 85 6

Aug 1	Brown & Co Barrie	87 95
1	L. Robinson Elmira	11 25
1	Manser Webb Toronto	71 37
1	Simpson Tottenham	45 20
2	C W Sharpe Bunk Falls	98 45
Aug 5	L Robinson Elmira	12 25
7	Wm Peck Bunk Falls	84 20
12	A Davidson Barrie	464 65
13	Manser Webb Toronto	12 58
17	Hutchinson Bros Bracebridge	230 66
17	A Davidson Barrie	113 98
17	A Davidson	27 80
19	Manser Webb Toronto	15 94
21	H M Shaw Trout Creek	37 50
21	Fraser & McArthur Scott Riv	38 70
23	P J Manni Bracebridge	116 50
29	Manser Webb Toronto	52 89
27	Hanna & Co Port Carling	39 00
27	C W Sharpe Bunk Falls	129 20
Aug Cash Sales		71 80
		17 62 87

Sales for 1929

May 23	Mansewell Toronto	\$ 23 41
30	" " "	28 47
June 7	" " "	17 24
14	" " "	24 11
21	" " "	75 55
28	Shonack & Son Toronto	6 17 94
28	Mansewell Toronto	8 40 95
" 29	Sale at farm for June.	4 49 66
Jul 3rd	Shonack & Son Toronto	82 92
3	Mansewell Toronto	184 11
16	Mansewell Toronto	28 38
17	Wm Shaw Trout Creek	25 25
18	L Robinson Elmville	4 50
23	Mansewell Toronto	102 72
26	RE Baycroft Stagers	5 40
26	Alvan Davidson Paul.	74 20
27	Upton Farm Co Hamilton	3067 87
28	J Simpson Tollenham	45 20
31	Sale at farm for July	557 20
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