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July 10 To Elora with wool and to a Mores
" 11 Finished thinning Swedes Rain Last night
" 12 Warm to Guelph with Straw
" 14 Putting Paris Green on Potatoes
" 15 Mowing oded Corner of Rain at night
" 17 " " Scuffling Engerton Turnips (New Potatoes)
" 18 Started to Cut fallwheat and mow with Machine
" 19 Mowing. Coling. To Fergus to See Dr
" 20 Drawing in Hay. Rain heavy Thunder
" 21 Coling finished Cutting hay fine Crop
" 22 Drawing in finished Coling hay
" 24 Hay all in. Cutting fallwheat
" 25 Cutting. Rain very warm Thinning white Turnips
" 26 Mowing Pasture Field. Rain at night
" 27 Hoeing. Coling. Cool. Byron at Rennie and Manby
" 28 Cutting wheat. Drawing hay. Scuffling
" 29 Fallwheat Cut. Mrs Kitchen Sick
" 31 Hoeing Turnips. Drawing in wheat. Cutting Barley

August 1 finished thinning White Turnips & Swedes 2nd time
" 2 Fallwheat all in
" 3 To Fergus took Load of Evergreens for ardes
" 4 Very warm. Mr. Pat Nicejn Wm Hanna Back
" 5 Cutting Barley. Mrs J. Williams Sick
" 7 Old Boys day in Fergus Large Crowd. Fine
" 8 Heavy Frost last night. Cool and windy
" 9-10-11 very dry and high winds Ripening Grain Fast
" 12 Cutting oats. Stile Dry
" 14 " wheat and Barley. Byron to Elora Mrs
" 15 to-19th Cutting and Binding very warm Glen 90
" 21 Drawing in Barley wheat and Oats Cooler Byron with Mr
" 22 Cooler Wheat all in Watson threshing (Cattle to Fergus)

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August 23 Cutting oat D. Milne Thresh
" 24-25-26 Hot and Dry Peas all Pulled
" 28 Cutting Oats. Very worm and dry Boat Thr
" 29 Peas all in oats all cut
" 30 Finished Cutting. finished Scuffling White
" 31 Crop all in. Good. Not a Shower since cut
Stortles Spring Crop Rain said said to Towns (Known)

Septr 1 Heavy Rain Last night & the forenoon no stir
" 2 misty. Looking over ditch with Jas Wilson
" 4 Thompsons Threshing in afternoon
" 5 D. Milne Started to thresh. Rain all forenoon
when we threshed in afternoon (Cut Pea
" 6 Finished threshing moved to D. Milnes finished
Started to Cut Buckwheat for Watson
" 7 Started to Plow to Mrs Jno McDonald (heavy Rain at night)
" 8 Cleaned up chops and took it to Fergus
" 9 Finished 2nd hoeing of white Turnips R. to Fer
" 11 Cutting Buckwheat for watson Byron Plowi
" 12 Broke Reaper finished Plowing for Fall Wheat
J. B. Mullan here A. L. Baptized. Cool
" 13 Sowing Fallwheat very Cool
" 14 very heavy Frost Cleaning up Wheat Cr
" 15 Frost again Started Big ditch Cleaning out
A. L. & B to Fergus & Salem with Grist
" 16 Working in Big ditch
" 18 " " Big Gang Plowing Rain afternoo
" 19 " " in Harrowing Cool
" 20 " " Started Tile Drain 156 feet
from Railway Fence (near Crossing) in a direct
and 30ft therein a westerly direction in line to a Post &
line to Centre of West End of Watsons Barn
" 21 Watson Drawing in and threshing Buckwh
" 22 Working in Big Ditch Warm Drawing up wo

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September 23 To Elora for Grist Cool
" 25 a heavy rain Last night and this morning
up to Belwood to See Mr Donald Re Estate (Late Child)
" 26 Cold As & Byron to Fergus Funeral of John Garvin
" 27 Digging in Big ditch all day for ends
" 28 Finished " " Started Ditch from Spring (Rain)
" 29 Finished Ditches Started to Lay Tile
" 30 Cold Snow Flying finished Tile Drain

October 2 very hard frost Started Potatoes
" 4 Warm Potatoes in Tile all up 150 Bu acre (Fine weather)
" 5 Finished Potatoes on Track To Belwood Thresh
" 6 To Fergus Re. Mitchell Insanity
" 7 very Fine Started to draw Manure
" 8-10 " " Drawing Manure Finished
" 11 to Fergus with Chop Drawn Load of Turnips from rain
" 12 Spreading manure. Plowing in Warm (3) days
" 14 manure all Spread Thunder Rain D. McRam finished
" 16-17 Plowing very fine
" 18 To Fergus for Childrens Boots Rain
" 19 Thanksgiving day. Scraping earth from Potatoes
Took up Carrots warm
" 20 finished home field Started where the Peas were
" 21 Started Topping Turnips to Fergus in the evening
" 22 (Sunday) to D. Small & D. Jno young Heavy Thunder
and Rain all night but warm
" 23 Rain all forenoon Hanna threshing afternoon
" 24 Hanna finished threshing. Drawing Turnips
" 25 Topping and drawing Turnips very warm
" 26 Laurier in Fergus. Rain all afternoon
" 27-28 A steady rain very heavy on 28th
" 30 very warm Drawing Turnips Sowed Oats in
" 31 Topping and drawing White Turnips

November 1 Finished Turnips Moulding Grot. Fence
& as Johnston very cold but no snow so f
" 2 To Fergus with J. Bourke Jas Johnston Est
" 3 Drawing wood. Raw & Cold
" 4 To Fergus with Chop. and Oats
" 6 Helping Jno Watson with Turnips
" 7 at John Richardsons Threshing very fine
" 8 very Mild Plowing Started Sod
" 9 at Thompsons Threshing fine
" 10 at R. Watsons Threshing. Plowing Sod
" 11 D. Milne Threshed Warm
" 13 Jas Milne Threshed
" 14 To Guelph Rain and Snow
" 15 Libbits Threshing Mild and misty
" 16 Watson Threshing. Plowing Sod
" 17 Plowing very fine
" 18 To Fergus with Chop Very warm
" 20 Grand Weather no frost Plowing & Chop
" 21 Opening out Turnips Saved
" 22 Finished Sod at D. Rans Sale Raw
" 23 up at the Gam Cutting wood and Skating
" 24 James Gemmell Watsons Shooting match
" 25 Drawing wood and Plowing at Thompsons
up to date. It has been a Grand fall Weather with
Plowing at Gas Milnes
" 27 Dancing up Wood for Big Killing
" 28 Plowing at Gas Milnes & Killing Pigs at h
" 29 To Guelph with Pork and Potatoes. Fine
" 30 Misty Mild Oats flying. No Snow or Frost

Decr 1 Drawing wood up for J. Gerrie. A. to Fergus
" 2 Some Snow took Load of wood to J. Gerrie
" 4 Frosty took wood to J. G. Rennie Threshe
" 5 Finished Drawing wood to J. G. Rennie finished W
Some Snow and Hard Frost