

- 25. Hills and rivers finally, was low down in bars. Had a letter from Bridie. Got the last statement from cheese factory, and 5.72. The butter cost 25⁰⁰ per lb. Got from Lizzie Brown 10⁰⁰ maple syrup. 3 oranges. She and Jimmie entertained Mills & Norlown to an oyster supper last night. Mr. G. H. Mc Gillivray & Miss Mc G. Mr & Mrs Green Capt. H & Miss Cameron & J. A. B. were there also. Saw in papers that Sir Hector McDonald, visited.
- 26. Fine bright day. Mrs Montroy, 1/2 day washing. Jim things 25. Far came by occasion to remain a few weeks. The paper had a she calf this morning.
- 27. Fine day a slight drizzle in morning. Sold 1 doz eggs 13⁰⁰ per doz.
- 28. Fine day. Far went to Cornwall, walked to Summers town Station. My cough is loose but the streaming of coughing is setting up other ailments.
- 29. Fine day, winds but. Pa went to church.
- 30. Very fine day, gray frost last night. Jimmie went to see Bridie today. Far left for Cornwall. Tom our farmer tipped today.
- 31. Fine day. Jimmie got home tonight. Had some maple sugar.

This month had two events which interested us. One the exposure of the corruption of the New Government in Corbin Barney, Member for Manouablin. The other the suicide of General Sir Hector McDonald in Paris. He was buried in Scotland.

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- 1. Wednesday. Had Mrs Montroy 1/2 day 25. Part of a square 1 fancy bucket 25. 7/4 lbs. butter at factory. Thomas bought us about 5 qts of thin syrup. 7/4 100 of flour 2.
- 2. Very fine day. Baked in oven, sold.
- 3. Drizzle of rain and some showers all day. Jimmie left for Toronto this morning 7/4 1 gall lard oil. Now 10. P. M. Snowing. Mary & Daisy were in for a while.
- 4. Saturday. About 6 inches of snow this morning. D. M. R's man took our heifer calf today. J. C. was in and took tea with us. Lizzie walked to Lancaster. She had an appointment with the dentist.
- 5. Fine day, but cold, frosty, like a March day. Bridie & her man were here to dinner.
- 6. Cold and dull. Sold 8 doz eggs at 12-96. 1 bottle Linseed & turpentine 20. 1 bot. Ecl. oil 25. 45. Corn starch 9. 2 lbs Papawa 14. Cocoa 13. 4 ginger 10. 99. Stripped blue & white print 6 1/2 yds. 52. 5 1/4 yds toweling 5 1/2 doz 81. yarn 20⁰⁰. 1 spool thread 5-25. Traded for today, white last week at 13. per doz, and 25 in cash. 25.
- 7. Dull day frequent showers. Gave away the pint.
- 8. Another showery day. J. P. M. L. sent for the calf today 10⁰⁰ to Mundy for carbolic acid.
- 9. Some sunshine, and some drizzle. I was in bed 1/2 of the day. Pa out meal 25⁰⁰.
- 10. The 41 anniversary of our marriage. 7/4 butter at Mc Crammons 3 3/4 90 cts. 90.
- 11. Mundy went to Lancaster to dentist. took Lizzie 7/4 1 bot of Peruna 1⁰⁰. Fine bright day. 7/4 1 pan bread, 24. Mundy A dud pan 1.-
- 12. Early fine and bright. Bridie called today.
- 13. Far left for Gracefield today. Comin Mary was here to dinner. She came with Mrs Lewis.

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