

- 1 Sunday Rain in morning, dull all day
- 2 Cleared up. This Sat. day, no school Birdie is putting up in her room, she got oil and white lead, Jimmie went for the furniture. Had a letter from Marion she will be kept busy
- 3 Fine bright day, High School opened today
- 4 Wednesday very hot began to cut barley
- 5 Women's Meeting at D. Campbell's Glen Myself 25^{cts} Presby trial fee 10^{cts} for bale 5. Got 24 for our share of freight of bale. Very hot Sun well on French
- 6 Hot Jimmie went to Cornwall to the fair. Finished painting bedroom wall
- 7 Very warm in morning. Thunder storm about 6 P.M. A report that President McKinley was shot yesterday at Buffalo. Gave one coat of paint to barn floor. Got 1 qt oil 25. 5 lbs white lead 24^{cts} 2 lbs yellow ochre 6. 3 lbs black 30^{cts} 49
- 8 Very cool after the rain. Mr. Givin gave a good Temperance sermon to a large congregation. From Daniel 1 chapt. 8. 46
- 9 Frost last night. Charlotte Dougald and Mrs. Dunk Sadder was in for two hours last night. Pa went to Cornwall by train. Got another coat of paint on best room. 70 sugar 25. 1/2 lb. B tea 25. 1 lb Japan 25 two lamp chimneys 10^{cts} Baked in oven
- 10 The President is doing well if nothing sets in he will recover. Mrs. Rodrick 1/2 day
- 11 Began to rain about 4 A.M. and was wet all day. 70 lb steak 1.00 paid 30 for the

- 11 Mrs Rodrick 1/2 day. She paid cash 76^{cts} settled We sent flowers to the fair, and roots
- 12 Wet all all day. we had a number of call today. I did not get to the fair until 4.30 P.M.
- 13 We got some prizes 2d for Kabi 2d for year helper 1st for collection roots for feeding 2d for coll flowers 1st for fan bouquet 1st for vase bouquet, 1st for potatoes (we lost potatoes and basket) 1st for beets 1st for mangolds 1st Golden Y. 1st Yellow Bl. 2 Parsnips 1st % skirt binding 20 lining 14 passage 2
- 14 Fine day. % steak from Phil's 30^{cts} Pa had Mrs Rodrick picking apples at Kates 1 1/2 hours
- 15 Began to rain about 6 A.M. Rained most all day Rev Jonathan Goforth preached in St Andrew's church about China and the narrow escape of the Missunau she had nine wood cuts
- 16 Pa went to the Gore, took Birdie to the Glen and took her home again. no scholars Angus McGregg said they would close the school for a week
- 17 Birdie is painting my bed room % 1 qt oil 25 3 lbs white lead 24^{cts} 2 lbs putty 9 32
- 18 % 2 1/2 lbs steak Jimmie trying to get ready for Ottawa cleaning his regimentals
- 19 Jimmie left this morning for Ottawa &
- 20 Birdie left this morning for Ottawa % 20 lbs sugar 1.00 Very fine bought mooning I was trying to give the second coat of paint to the room. Jimmie & Jyga were here to tea Got 1 can of Green paint in Lancaster on the 19th cost 40^{cts}
- 21 Very fine bright day. % steak 30^{cts} 2 qts vinegar 20 ground spice 8^{cts} Birdie & Jimmie got home at 8 o'clock Pa went to Lancaster for them Muddy was at North Lancaster for two days got home 5.30

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