

Andrew Brown Scott (1835 - 1878) 1857

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Calendar for the year 1857

== A TABLE == Showing the number of days from any day in the month to the same day in any other month throughout the whole year.

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
Jan.	365	334	306	275	245	214	184	153	122	92
Feb.	31	365	337	306	276	245	215	184	153	123
March	59	28	365	334	304	273	243	212	181	151
April.	90	59	31	365	335	304	274	243	212	182
May.	120	89	61	30	365	334	304	273	242	212
June.	151	120	92	61	31	365	335	304	273	243
July.	181	150	122	91	62	31	365	334	303	273
Aug.	212	181	153	122	92	61	31	365	334	304
Sept.	243	212	184	153	123	91	61	31	365	334

Oct.	273	242	214	183	153	122	92	61	30	365
Nov.	304	273	245	214	184	153	123	92	61	31
Dec.	334	303	275	244	218	183	153	122	91	61

Explanation.-How many days are there from the 10th of January to the 10th of June? Look for January in the column at the left hand, then seek for June along the line to the right, and you find the number of days to be 151.

DIARY FOR 1857.

January, Thursday, 1. 1857.

Made about 1455³/₄ calls more or less &c

Friday, 2.

Making distance table for map of Peel

Saturday, 3.

Same as yesterday - Went to Mr Ellis to hurry him up with the Lithograph of Peel

January, Sunday, 4. 1857

No Entries

Monday, 5.

Same as on Saturday - finished about 4:30 P.M.

Tuesday, 6.

Transferring information from map of Peel to the tracings of the several Townships Went to Brampton by the evening cars

January, Wednesday, 7. 1857

About the Village all day doing little or nothing

Thursday, 8.

intended to travel through the county of Peel today but the weather was too cold

Friday, 9.

left Brampton about 9:30 A.M. then through Stanleys Mills, Castlemore, Coleraine, Bolton, Macville, Sand Hill,(Paisley), & Mono Mills, to Orangeville Hunting information for map of Peel. Neither the clerk of the Gore or the clerk of Albion were at home. Consequently could not get the school sections of either of said townships.

January, Saturday, 10. 1857

Left Orangeville about 8:00 A.m. went to Alton staid there an hour then went to Charleston & got the school sections of Caledon from Dodds, the clerk promised him a map for the same information. Then drove home about 5:15 P.m. found {illegible}vin had telegraphed friday to go to town - ran over to station - just in time for cars

Sunday, 11.

No Entries

Monday, 12.

Went to Brantford by Mornings train to get clothes to go to the bush - when I got back again 11.00 AM Mr Jack thought I had better not go as I would be too late to overtake him before he got started from Orillia - went to Ellis in the afternoon to get the Map of Peel

January, Tuesday, 13. 1857

Working at plan of peel {text is vertically written across Tuesday and Wednesday, the ink is faded}

Wednesday, 14.

Took the tracing to Ellis in the forenoon. Went to Brampton in the evening to travel in search of information for map of Peel.

Thursday, 15.

Went to Bolton's Village to get a map of the school sections in Albion. Mr Swinarton said I could get it from County Clerk next week - Called on the Clerk of the Gore for the same purpose. he said the Township collector had it

January Friday 16 1857

Went to Streetsville to get the school section of Toronto from the Town Clerk - he hadn't then said I could get them from the County Clerk - went to Springfield & got a good deal of information from Mr Taylor Councillor for the first Ward

Saturday 17

Very cold & stormy day - staid home all day

Sunday 18

No entry

January Monday 19 1857

{*Written Vertically Along Left Side*} Working at Plan of Peel

Went from Brampton to Toronto in the forenoon - went to Fitzgerald's to copy map of Streetsville before leaving Brampton and he gave me one to bring with me

Tuesday 20

intended to meet Mr McCowan at the Scarboro Station but was too late for the Cars

Wednesday 21

Went to the the Cars to go to Scarboro - Cars dont call there went to Mink's and hired a horse and went to McCowan's house did a little measuring on his Lot but could not finish on account of not having a description of Mrs Borwicks property arrived in Toronto about 6.00 P.M.

January Thursday 22 1857

{*Written Vertically Along Left Side*} Working at Plan of Peel -- but not very hard

Searched in registrey office for Description of Mrs Borwicks Lot & made Description of 24 Acres off the north part of Mr McCowans portion of Lot No 22 Con C Scarboro Working at plan of Peel in the afternoon - Got a plan of the school sections of Toronto Township from Mr Elliott Clerk of County Council

Friday 23

of the school sections sent map of township of Toronto back to Mr Elliott by F Forster

Saturday 24

Took map of Peel to Mr Ellis ~~W~~ Case of Bell.V. White decided before the Chief justice in Bells favour -
recieved map of school sections of Chinguacousy from McCollum Wm went to Brampton in the evening

January Monday 26 1857

{Written vertically across Monday 26th and Tuesday 27th} Working at Distance table of Peel &c &c &c

{No Entries for **January 26, 27, 28 and 29**}

{Written vertically along left margin} had a thundering bad cold working a little at Distance table of Peel

Friday 30

Finished distance table and took it to Ellis' about 1:00 P.M. went to Brampton at night

{No entries for **January 31** and **February 1**}

Monday 2

Arrived in Toronto about noon put School sections of Chinguacousy and the Gore in map of Peel

Tuesday 3

Working a little at map of Muskoke Road

Wednesday 4

did not do much in the office went to Brampton to go to the Loydtown to get map of school sections of
Albion

Thursday 5

raining and storming all day did not go to Loydtown as I intended

February Friday 6 1857

Went to Loydtown and got copy of Mr Osler's Map of Albion - I Pattullo went with me - Stopped at Bolton
going and coming

Saturday 7

Went to Town in the morning and put school sections of Albion on the map of Peel - went Back to Brampton in the evening. Witt went with me

{No entry for **Sunday February 8**}

February Monday 9 1857

Came to Toronto in the morning. Went to Ellis and got the map to make a few alterations

W.H. came in in the morning

Tuesday 10

{Entries for 10th and 11th are written in darker ink over lighter entries}

In office greater part of day - attended Professor Chapmans lecture on mineralogy from 1 to 2 P.M.

in evening company at Unwins danced &c &c till 3:00 Am of 11th

Wednesday 11

at work at Hastings farm - Charley and John were with me

February Thursday 12 1857

{Written with darker pen over lighter entry}

Went to Elliis 3 or 4 times to see about map of Peel attended lecture at College

Friday 13

With Charley & John working at Hastings farm found I had made a mistake in measuring across the lot last fall measuring 12.50 instead of 12.58 ½

Saturday 14

at Ellis all forenoon got 3 or 4 proof sheets about 12 noon sent 8 out to Brampton in the afternoon

{No Entry for **February Sunday 15 1857**}

Monday 16

in office part of day - went to Crown Land office to get field notes and instructions of Township of North Gwillimsbury

Tuesday 17

attended lecture at college made tracing of map of Toronto

February Wednesday 18 1857

At work at survey of the Hastings farm Charley and John with me. - finished it

Thursday 19

Attended lecture in the afternoon Went to Brampton in the evening to see about Proofs of Map of Peel

Making tracing of Plan of Grand trunk Railway through County of Peel - in the forenoon

Friday 20

Could not get the map of Peel on account of J Lynch not being at home. Came to town in the morning

February Saturday 21 1857

Finished tracing of Grand Trunk railway map

{No Entry for **Sunday February 22**}

Monday 23

Coppying the field notes taken at Sutton into another

February Tuesday 24 1857

Corrected A.F. Wrights map for registry - attended lecture

Wednesday 25

not doing much in the office Went to Brampton in the evening to get proofs of Peel

Thursday 26

Came to town in the morning

attended lecture in afternoon Chas Robertson went with me

took corrected Proof of Peel to Ellis

February Friday 27 1857

Commenced and nearly finished a map of the town of St Mary's for J Lays Esq

Saturday 28

Finished map of St Mary's in the forenoon did nothing in the afternoon

this day finishes 2 years service

March Sunday 1

{*No Entry*}

March Monday 2 1857

With Roberts and John Guy left Toronto for Sutton where arrived about 4:30 P.M.

Tuesday 3

Produced townline down to the Lake and about 20.00 on to the ice - where I took Angles to the islands and to several objects on shore traversed the shore from the Townline to Jackson's Point

Wednesday 4

With Roberts and John surveying Jackson's Point

March Thursday 5 1857

Finished Preliminary survey of Jacksons Point

Friday 6

Met Mr Lyndsay in the morning to run his line. concluded not to run it until they petitioned Parliament for a local act for the Lake Con to Gwillimbury - went to see Mr Mossington about running his line but he did

not want it run until Peter Barton swore to the Post bet - Nos 7 & 8 - in afternoon made pencil sketch of Jackson's point - called at Howards in forenoon - and at Trent's in the evening

Saturday 7

running line between Nos 1 & 2 in the 8th for R.Reeford

March Sunday 8 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 9

Snowing hard all day - ~~done~~ nothing done

Tuesday 10

in forenoon ran a compass line part of the way through lot 14. lake con North Gwillimbury for J A Lindsay in afternoon running line bet {bet is shortform for between} 1 & 2 8th con Georgina for Reeford

March Wednesday 11 1857

Finished line bet 1 & 2 ---

Thursday 12

Chaining line bet 1 & 2 in forenoon to put down posts - in afternoon attended races at Jackson's Point

Friday 13

Finished chaining line bet 1 & 2 and put down Posts on the Townline 1/2 way up the lot

March Saturday 14 1857

Finished putting in the posts on the Townline

Sunday 15

Went up to Mr Howards in the evening

Monday 16

Put in the posts at the 9th Con line moved Mr Bouchiers post at S.W. L of No. 1 in the 9th con 16^l farther south - put down the posts between 1 & 2

March Tuesday 17 1857

Ran a line along the 7th con line to bet 6 & 7 in the 6th con - then bet 6 & 7 parallel to the Townline - then cleared and measured across the Fronts of lots 7, 8, & 9 in the 6th con - where I found an old post lying down & the point in the ground planted a cedar one in its place

Wednesday 18

raining in the morning & looked like rain all day. had so far to go to work did not go - making plan of Reeford lot

Thursday 19

Charley sick John and I chained across 6th Con bet 6 & 7. then chained on 7th Con line bet across 7 & 1/2 of 8. then sent John home with instrument I planted posts - on front of 6th bet 7 & 8. at centre of 7 & at centre of 8.

March Friday 20 1857

Finished Mr Bouchiers lot at French Village about 6:15 P.M.

Saturday 21

Snowing in the forenoon Finished Mr Reefords Plan - in afternoon ran lines bet 1 & 2 and 2 & 3 of Mr Reefords lots

Sunday 22

{No Entry}

March Monday 22 1857

Running lines in Mr Reefords Lots

Tuesday 23

Same as yesterday

Wednesday 24

Charley & John same as yesterday I made 2 pencil sketches of the point to the proposed subdivision finished them about 3:30 P.M

March Thursday 26 1857

Finished running lines for Mr Reeford about 4:30 P.M.

Friday 27

Posting off Mr Bouchiers portion of no 2 - 18th con of Georgina - about half of the day - Charley at home not well

Saturday 28

Left Sutton at 11 A.M. Arrived in Toronto at 7:00 P.M. John and I walked from Dughill to Lefroy Charley went on to H. Landing

March Sunday 29 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 30

making pencil plan of Jacksons point for Mr Bouchier

Tuesday 31

Trying to get up a plan of Mr Bouchier's property in Georgina

attended lecture at College

April Wednesday 1 1857

Working at Mr Bouchiers plan.

Thursday 2

Same as yesterday -

attended lecture in afternoon

Friday 3

With Mr Unwin - measured the outlines of Mr Gwynes lot on corner of Yonge st and 3rd Con Line. then went over Mrs, Seymour's lot (25. 3rd con). Arrived at home about 3:30 P.M.

April Saturday 4 1857

Made copy of Diary and Accounts for April - made a pencil sketch of Mrs Seymour's lot - in afternoon packed up & sent 18 mounted maps of Peel to Brampton. 3 Col and 6 plainer to Thompson's the same to Bain & the same to McLear

Sunday 5

{*No Entry*}

Monday 6

made a pencil sketch of Mrs Seymour's lot packed up for Mr Walford, 12 coloured & 12 plain maps of Peel.

April Tuesday 7 1857

Making copy of Diary and Accounts for January and February 1857. attended Geological lecture

Wednesday 8

Making plan of Mr Gwyne's lots on Yonge st

Thursday 9

in forenoon making plan of Gwyne's lots in afternoon went to Brampton

April Friday 10, to Monday 13 1857

{*No Entries*}

Tuesday 14

Came to Toronto in the morning working at Gwynes plan

Wednesday 15

in forenoon. With Unwin, Jack and Roberts. Surveying water lots for Mrs Brown in afternoon working at Mr Bouchiers plan

April Thursday 16 1857

Working at Gwynes ~~lots~~ Plan attended lecture in afternoon

Friday 17

ditto

Saturday 18

Same in forenoon - in afternoon with Unwin and Jack - surveying on E side of don - and south of Don and Danforth road - for J Leys Esqr

April ~~Sunday 19~~ Monday 20 1857

With Jack till 2:00 P.M, survey Arthurs lot East of Don. Then plotting the survey rest of day

Monday 20

See yesterday

made 2 bets with W. H. F. 1st an even bet of £ 1 that he would not enter 3 first classes, at the University
2nd a bet of £ 2 to £ 1 that he would not take any three that he could mention - he mentioned Geology - English Literature & Mathematics

Tuesday 21

Working a little at Gwynes plan

April Wednesday 22 1857

With John Guy surveying Park lot No 24 for Revd. Mr Given's

Thursday 23

Calculating contents of park lot No 24 - & several other jobs - too numerous & unimportant to mention

Friday 24

part of the day helping U. & J. to survey Mrs Brown's lot

April Saturday 25 1857

helping Jack to survey Mrs Brown lot on front street. Went to Brampton in afternoon

Sunday 26

{No Entry}

Monday 27

Came in from Brampton in the morning. Working at Gwynne's plan remainder of day

April Tuesday 28 1857

in forenoon helping Jack to make some calculations for the survey of Mrs Browns lot on Front st in afternoon with Jack making the survey

Wednesday 29

With Chas and Joe and C Unwin in the afternoon. resetting the post on the Denison Estate homestead

Thursday 30

Same as yesterday with Chas and Joe

May Friday 1 1857

Same as yesterday. finished about 1:00 P.M. raining all day

Saturday 2

In the office all day

Sunday 3

{No Entry}

May Monday 4 1857

in the morning with Chas & Joe went up to work at Mr Gwynne's lot above Yorkville - worked at then until noon, when it came on heavy rain - at home all the afternoon - † in the evening took a letter to the Colonist office - which I wrote in answer to one written by E Nugent

Tuesday 5

Tuesday in the office all day - sent 25 mounted maps to Brampton and 34 coloured to Carter to get mounted

Wednesday 6

Mr Unwin - with Jones & Butterworth went to orillia in the morning

putting some coloured maps on deeds for Bacon - finished one and partly finished 2 - - -

May Thursday 7 1857

With Charley and Joe. Working at Gwynes lots near Yorkville finished at 5:00 P.M.

Friday 8

in office all day doing nothing

Saturday 9

with Chas and Joe working at the Given's estate - making preliminary survey

May Sunday 10 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 11

{Entries written over older faint ones with darker ink}

same as yesterday - finished at 7:00 P.M. when I went to Judge Harrison's - when he told me to tell Ley's that he stopped me surveying untill he had a settlement with him

Tuesday 12

met Mr Jarvis at Caerhowel, at 11:00 a.m. to take off Lots 30 E of William st 3H32 W of William and E of Dummer st and A. E and W of Murray st - sent Joe for posts, went to office for Charley - commenced at 3:00 P.M. & finished at 6 P.M. William went to Brampton at night

May Wednesday 13 1857

in forenoon made sketch of the Givens farm in the afternoon. went with Jack to Thornhi

Thursday 14

We met Mr Passmore at Townline. to run line between 18 and 19 2nd Con Markham - ranged out the Townline and Angled nearly up to line bet 18 and 19. when it came on to rain very heavy* raining from about 10:00 a.m.

*about 4:00 P.M.

Friday 15

ran the line as far as line bet 18 and 19 when it commenced raining very heavy Went to house and drew up a bond bet. Helmkey and Phillips - and took affidavits of Peter Wise & John Helmkey. Jack and Passmore went to Phillips at night

May Saturday 16 1857

measured across front of Lots 18,19 & 20, ran line between 18 & 19 finished about 5:00 P.M. when they took Affidavit of Peter Phillips - Left Helmkeys about 7:30 P.M. they brought Jack and I as far as Hoggs Hollow - wher we walked to Toronto arriving about 1:15 A.M. of Sunday

Sunday 17

{No Entry}

Monday 18

drew out proposed subdivision of Leys property

May Tuesday 19 1857

did nothing in the forenoon - in afternoon helped Jack to stake off a lot on Victoria street

Wednesday 20

{Again written over with darker ink}

Charley sick - sent Joe & Muldoon up with some posts (327) to Leys place - H Butterworth and I ran College street through then we straightened & chopped out the West side of the Centre street & planted a post where it intersects the north side of College street in the morning sent carpet bag to Wm at Brampton (per Express)

Thursday 21

Joe and I working at Ley's place ran out line on the East side of West street and planted post at the intersection of College st

May Friday 22 1857

With Charley and Joe working at Ley's place

Saturday 23

in office all forenoon. Went to Brampton in the evening

Sunday 24

{*No Entry*}

May Monday, 25 1857

{*No Entry*}

Tuesday 26

came to Toronto in the morning-

Wednesday 27

raining in the morning - in office all day doing nothing

May Thursday 28 1857

raining in the morning - same as yesterday

Friday 29

With Charley & Joe working at Ley's place stopped at Church's tavern at night

Saturday 30

Same as yesterday - in afternoon helping Jack & Jones to take levels of Given's street

May Sunday 31 1857

{*No Entry*}

June Monday 1

raining in the morning - went up to Ley's place about 12:00

Charley & Joe with me

Tuesday 2

Working at Ley's place from 7:00 A.M. till 7:00 P.M. went to Town after supper

June Wednesday 3 1857

went up about 11:00 A.M. went to Grand trunk switch 3:30 intending to go to Brampton. but could not get on. came on to rain very heavy about 4:00

Thursday 4

Working from 7:00 A.M. till 7:00 P.M. - went to Town after supper

Friday 5

staid in office all day. helping Jack to make plan of Leys place Charley & Joe working at Ley's place

June Saturday 6 1857

went up to Ley's about 9:00 A.M. working till 4:00 p.m. when went to help Jack & Jones to take levels of Denis? st

sent Joe home after dinner to cut some wood

Sunday 7

{No Entry}

Monday 8

Raining - working at the plan of Given's Estate

June Tuesday 9 1857

Same as yesterday - went to Brampton in the afternoon

Wednesday 10

at Brampton

Thursday 11

Came to Town in the evening

June Friday 12 1857

slight showers throughout the day. working at Ley's plan of the Given's Estate

Saturday 13

With Joe working at Ley's place

Sunday 14

{*No Entry*}

June Monday 15 1857

in forenoon produced St Patrick's st through to Bathurst st

{*Written diagonally across part of Monday 15 and Tuesday 16*}

With Joe working at the Given's Estate

Wednesday 17

with ↓Charley & Joe at same

{*Written diagonally across Thursday 18, Friday 19, and part of Saturday 20*}

With Charley and Joe working at the Givens Estate

Saturday 20

commenced raining at noon and rained all the afternoon

June Sunday 21 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 22

raining greater part of day in office doing little or nothing

Tuesday 23

with Chas & Joe at the Givens estate

{*Written diagonally across* **Wednesday 24** *and part of* **Thursday 25**}

same as Tuesday

Thursday 25

I went to Town in the evening

Friday 26

in office all the forenoon went up to Givens about 5:00 P.M.

June Saturday 27 1857

at the Givens place all day

went to town in the evening

Sunday 28

{*No Entry*}

Monday 29

raining all the forenoon

went to Brampton afternoon met Uncle's John & David going to Guelph

{*Written diagonally across* **Tuesday 30**, and part of **Wednesday July 1**}

at Brampton

July Wednesday 1

attended meeting of Cricket Club in the evening

Thursday 2

come in in the morning. then went up to the Cricket ground staid there till noon. afternoon ~~at the office~~ got £ 36 from Jack and went up and paid Fields for board - and bro' down the things from the Given's survey

July Friday 3 1857

doing very little in office - in afternoon commenced to make a tracing of part of Canada to put on plan of part of Brampton Mr Unwin arrived from the bush about 9:30 P.M. taking all by surprise

Saturday 4

went to cars to meet Uncle David then went round town with him untill 11:30. then went with him to the boat for Niagara he started about 12:00-

in afternoon doing a little at tracing of part of Canada - and stretching cloth to mount paper for plan of Muskoka Road Survey

Sunday 5

{No Entry}

{Written across **July Monday 6 1857 and Tuesday 7**}

Making a sketch of part of Rosepark for George Duggan Esq together with several other jobs

Wednesday 8

finished sketch in the forenoon in afternoon made and sent out to Brampton a tracing of part of A,F S plan shewing proposed alteration of streets

July Thursday 9 1857

in morning recd telegraph from A.F.S to get Fitzgerald. went up to Cricket ground to tell him staid till 1:30 - in afternoon in the office doing nothing

Friday 10

went out to Brampton in the morning played a game at Cricket in the afternoon

Saturday 11

returned from Brampton in the morning - staid at the house all afternoon not well

July Sunday 12 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 13

in forenoon plotting lines of Muskoka Road in afternoon went with Unwin to trac{e} out Townline across 1st Con York and take ofbobservation of North star - Jack came along about 11:00 P.M. to help, when he laid down and went to sleep. consequently was of a great deal of help - (over the left)

staid out all night

Tuesday 14

went to work as soon as we could see and finished tracing out Townline then walked into town arrived about 9:00 A.M. got breakfast and went to sleep slept till noon - after dinner went to office - working at Muskoka road plan

July Wednesday 15 1857

working at Muskoka road Plan in the forenoon - afternoon doing nothing at night took observation of Polaris on line bet 23 and 24 1st Con York finished at 12:00 - midnight

Thursday 16

started to run line bet 23 and 24 - but commenced raining - in office all day

Friday 17

with Mr Unwin and Jack started line bet 23 and 24 then Jack went to office Unwin and I with Joe run it thro then measured from it to W. City limit on North City limit

July Saturday 18 1857

in morning went to Brampton. then went over to Norval to play cricket with the Norval club beat them badly. they kicked up a fuss - we came away late without our dinner. becau{se} the president would not apologize &c

Sunday 19

{No Entry}

Monday 20

came to Town in the morning. mad up Mr Bouchiers Act for surveying in March

July Tuesday 21 1857

surveying at Mrs Seymours lot. with Chas and Joe - Muldoon took up posts and tent &c - intend camping out for the survey

Wednesday 22

same as yesterday

in the evening hired a man to come tomorrow. at \$1.50 per day

Thursday 23

same as yesterday man working to day - not worth \$1.50 but cant get one for less. I left about 5:15 P.M. and came to town

July Friday 24 1857

{Fainter entry written over with darker pen}

Raining in morning - went up to Mrs Seymour's Lot about noon - raining all the afternoon staid in camp doing nothing - at night hired a boy to work tomorrow for 3/9

Saturday 25

{Overwritten with darker pen}

With all party cutting out lines all day - paid man and boy 18/9 - told mam to come again on Monday at noon. Went to town at night - Joe left tonight

Sunday 26

{No Entry}

July Monday 27 1857

{Overwritten with darker pen}

With James (a boy hired in Joes place) went up to Mrs Seymour's lots and put up the tent in the forenoon
- in afternoon with him & man cutting out lines

Tuesday 28

{Overwritten with darker pen}

Same as yesterday afternoon paid off man. went to town in the evening leaving James at the camp

Wednesday 29

{Overwritten with darker pen}

Went up again with Chas in the morning staking off lots all day James went to Town at night to bring up
some victuals in the morning

July Thursday 30 1857

{All Entries to August 4 overwritten with darker pen}

Staking off the lots from 7:00am till 8:00p.m.

Friday 31

Same as yesterday - finished about 8:00 P.M. when got supper & packed up the camp &c & went home
- arrived about 10:30 P.M. very heavy thunder shower from 3:30 till 5:30 P.M.

August Saturday 1

Made rough sketch of Mrs Seymour's lots to make plan from in the forenoon went to Brampton in the
afternoon took Gustave Genereux with me

August Sunday 2 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 3

Went to Town in the morning went over to Island in the afternoon with A Butterworth & Unwin to have a bathe

Tuesday 4

Went to Sutton in the forenoon in afternoon with John Trent staked off Mr Trent's last lot (No 25)

{S}tr J.C.M burnt at Barrie at night

August Wednesday 5 1857

{All Entries from August 5 to August 9 overwritten with darker pen}

in the morning laid out foundation for Church. then (about 9:00 AM) went to Mr Ritchie's to see about surveying the Georgina Glebe lot - about 11:00 A.M. took angle on Jacksons point bet Townline and a line from a tree in Innisfil to the chimney of the parsonage - went over to lot & looked around for post &c got dinner at Mr Sibbalds about 4:00 P.M. left there about 5:00-went to Mr Syall's to see if he knew anything concerning the posts between 6 & 7 in the 8th con. got tea there about 6:00 then went to the village - hired a man to chop tomorrow

Thursday 6

With man running a line parallel to Townline on sideroad between 6 & 7 in 8th con Georgina - got no dinner went up to Mr Trent's in the evening hired John Croto in the evening for tomorrow

Friday 7

With the 2 men cutting out the line

August Saturday 8 1857

in the morning got Mr Lyall to help me to find the posts of road between 6 & 7 found the post on East side of road

finished laying off the Glebe about 8:20 P.M. got dinner at Mr Sibbalds

Sunday 9

Went to church in forenoon went up to Mr Howards in afternoon

Monday 10

in morning made up Mr Sibbald's account \$30½ of which I recd \$16 and paid off accounts up there
measured sheppards hayfield - about 12 Acres came to Toronto in the afternoon

August Tuesday 11 1857

With Mr Unwin went to Barrie to do a job for shortis & co - when got there found another survey{or} at it.
then examined part of lot 23 in the 7th Con Vespra - came to Toronto in the evening

Wednesday 12

In the office - not doing much

Thursday 13

same as yesterday

went to Brampton in the afternoon

Friday 14

came to town in the morning.

{*Written diagonally across part of Friday 14th and part of Saturday 15th*}

in the office doing little or nothing

Saturday 15

went to Brampton at night

Sunday 16

{*No Entry*}

August Monday 17 1857

Came to town in the morning

{*Written diagonally across part of Monday 17th and part of Tuesday 18th*}

in the office doing little or nothing

Tuesday 18

in afternoon with Mr Unwin went by stage to Sydenham. then walked up to Thos Copeland's on the N 1/4. W 8. 1st Con N Dundas Street - to be ready to commen{ce} in the morning to Lay off 10 acres for Caldwell.

Wednesday 19

at work all day. finished at 6:00 P.M. when we got supper - & Copeland drove us to Town. arrived at 11:15 P.M.

August Thursday 20 1857

up at Cricket Ground all day Canada vs United states

Friday 21

Went up to the Cricket Ground at 11:00 A.M. game finished at 1:00 P.M. Canada winning with 7 wickets to spare

After dinner surveying for S Ridout with Mr Unwin

Saturday 22

in forenoon making plan of S Ridouts ~~place~~ Lots south of Jerard street

in afternoon with Mr Unwin and James staking off the Lots Charley working at the plan

August Sunday 23 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 24

in afternoon went to Brampton to see about an Account. Starrat recd as he said from Unwin

Tuesday 25

At Brampton saw Mr Starrat at night

August Wednesday 26 1857

Came to Town in the morning - working at map of Muskoka Road. checking it over &c

Thursday 27

in forenoon same as yesterday. went around town with Aleck from 12:30 till 2:30

Friday 28

Checking over map of Muskoka Road survey. in afternoon went to meet the great Western cars - to meet Lizzie but she didnt come

August Saturday 29 1857

this forenoon the same as yesterday forenoon - in afternoon met the boat and Cars. for Liz but she didn't come went out to Weston by cars Went over to Denisons to get some money. They not at home couldn't pay if they were - went to Kenter's for same purpos{e} with the same success. staid at John Rauls at night John Scott staid with me

Sunday 30

Went to meeting {2ce} A. F. and W. H. came down in the buggy staid all night

Monday 31

Saw Kenter in morning said he couldn't pay now. but would sometime (or never) came in by the morning cars helping Jack to copy the field notes of Muskoka Road ~~plan~~ survey

September Tuesday 1 1857

forenoon the same as yesterday. in after-noon went to the boat and Cars to meet Lizzy but she didn't come

Wednesday 2

in forenoon hunting up bearings of lines diverging from Main Line of Muskoka Road

afternoon same as yesterday afternoon

Thursday 3

part of forenoon same as yesterday rest calculating distances chained for Diary in afternoon same as yesterday. Went to Brampton

September Friday 4 1857

at Brampton. played 2 games of Cricket

Saturday 5

at home all day

Sunday 6

{*No Entry*}

September Monday 7 1857

came to Town in the morning doing nothing in the office

Tuesday 8

in the morning made draft of description of a road through 33 con. at Scarboro. then leveled Mr Unwins garden - in afternoon same as last tuesday. at night went to Wellington where saw W. H. S and J. L. they going to Owen Sound tomorrow morning

Wednesday 9

{*Written diagonally across Wednesday space*}

doing nothing doing nothing doing nothing doing nothing

cos why. nothing to do

September Thursday 10 1857

same

Friday 11

Same

Saturday 12

Same

September Sunday 13 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 14

part of forenoon with Mr Unwin measuring S. Ridouts lot on Adelaide st

Tuesday 15

forgot what I was doing this day but believe it was doing nothing

September Wednesday 16 1857

{Written diagonally across Wednesday and **Thursday 17**}

Working at old plan of Toronto put on it the Plan of lots at Don Station Mrs Ridouts Plan & several others

Friday 18

{Written diagonally across Friday space}

Making calculations of Jacksons Point Survey. preparatory to making plan for the board of Examiners

September Saturday 19 1857

left office 11:00 A.M. ~~went to~~ went home with W.H.S. got dinner after dinner went up to G W R Stn to meet girls - Cars 1/4 hour bhind time got Brown to wait girls come hurried them up left trunks behind. Just in time

Sunday 20

{No Entry}

Monday 21

at home

September Tuesday 22 1857

{Entries overwritten with darker pen for 22 to 25}

in afternoon went over and laid off a 1/2 acre lot for School house at 3rd line East - finished at 4:00

recd \$3.00 for same ~~\$0.50~~ and \$1/2 for hoses

Wednesday 23

Fair day - at home & at fair all day

Thursday 24

in morning went over to Mr Hutton's and measured 2 lots. to make description got home at 3:00 P.M. then made out descriptions. finished at 11:00 P.M.

September Friday 25 1857

sent descriptions to town by J. C. Cummins Esq - to get Unwin and Jack's signature staked off Mr Cummins lot

at home rest of day

Saturday 26

at Cricket ground greater part of day match bet Brampton and Norval clubs Brampton victorious by 25 having 98 in one innings - to Norvals 73. in two innings - recd descriptions from Toronto and gave them to J. C. Cummins

Sunday 27

{No Entry}

September Monday 28 1857

Loafing all day

i.e. doing nothing

Tuesday 29

came to Toronto in the morning

Wednesday 30

doing nothing

October Thursday 1 1857

Same

Friday 2

in afternoon with Mr Unwin went up Leys place to measure distance between posts planted on W side of Shaw St and the West side of st in 2nd con opposite

Saturday 3

doing little or nothing

October Sunday 4 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 5

part of day going around town with W. H. Scott hunting up a boarding house for him.

Tuesday 6

Liz and Hat. came to town and staid at Ley's. I went there in evening staid till 10:00

October Wednesday 7 1857

In office all day

Thursday 8

In office all forenoon, in afternoon went with Mr J. C. Cummins to Yorkville to see some lots which he wanted changed

Friday 9

With Charles & James went to Yorkville and altered the lots for J. C. Cummins Esq. finished about 1:00 P.M. posted a plan of same to him at night

October Saturday 10 1857

in forenoon in the office in afternoon went to Weston

Sunday 11

at Weston

Monday 12

came to town in the morning in afternoon in the office {fancy little squiggles at the bottom of page}

October Tuesday 13 1857

{Written diagonally across Tuesday, **Wednesday 14** and **Thursday 15**}

in the office the greater part of the time

doing little or nothing

October Friday 16 1857

afternoon went to Brampton to do a job for John Clark

Saturday 17

Surveying J Clark's lot in Brampton finished about 3:30 P.M.

Sunday 18

{No Entry}

October Monday 19 1857

Came to town in morning then made description of J Clark's lot. ~~then~~ by afternoon cars with Thompson went down to Scarboro. station then walked to Thompson's tavern on Ringston Road to see Morgan about some survey to be made for him. Staid there all night

Tuesday 20

after breakfast. Morgan drove us up to Armstrongs. on the Markham and Danforth Roads. then went to survey and lay out Morgans lots parts of lot 20 1st Con -

Wednesday 21

at the same wrought very late trying to finish. but could not

October Thursday 22 1857

commenced at 6:30 A.M. finished at 8:00 A.M. then had breakfast. rode by stage to railroad crossing then walked along railroad to Station and came by cars to Town. arrived at 11:00 A.M. rest of day making plan of Morgans lots.

Friday 23

making plan of Morgans lots

Saturday 24

finished Morgans plan in forenoon

afternoon had toothache very bad

October Sunday 25 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 26

in forenoon took specification for a Theodolite to Potters to send for it concluded to wait till next week - about noon took several altitudes of the sun. afternoon trying to calculate Latitudes by 2 altitudes of the Sun

Tuesday 27

took several altitudes of the Sun with the Sextant

measuring the angle between the sun and its reflected image in a plate of Water

October Wednesday 28 1857

{*Written diagonally across Wednesday and Thursday 29*}

in the office doing nothing

Friday 30

helping Mr Unwin to survey J. Ridouts lots on Seaton Street finished about 4:30 p.m.

October Saturday 31 1857

in the office all forenoon doing little or nothing. in afternoon went to Brampton

November Sunday 1

{No Entry}

Monday 2

in morning went over to E Fletcher's to run line between 2 & 3. 2nd Con W.H.S. which Bristow had run before. I came 7 inches farther south than his line finished about 3:00 P.M. came to town in evening.

November Tuesday 3 1857

in office all day doing nothing

Wednesday 4

{Written diagonally across Wednesday 4th and **Thursday 5**}

Working at R B Denison's Plan of Bellevue Estate

November Friday 5 1857

{Written diagonally across Friday 6th and **Saturday 7**}

Working at R B Denisons Plan of Bellevue Estate

Sunday 8

{No Entry}

November Monday 9 1857

Same as friday and Saturday

Tuesday 10

With Thompson & James surveying for Bell. on Bathurst and Adelaide sts finished at 3:00 P.M.

Wednesday 11

going round town with Liz and Hattie sent Liz to Brampton and Hattie to oshawa - at night

November Thursday 12 1857

in morning went to see Bell. he was not in. then went to Crown Land office to get measurements of lots about Bathurst & Adelaide sts relating to Bells survey

rest of day working at Plan of Bellevue

Friday 13

forenoon same as yesterday afternoon went to Weston

Saturday 14

came to Town in the morning - worked a little at Plan of Bellevue - in afternoon went to Brampton - Robert Lewis's Barn Burnt about 7:00 P.M.

November Sunday 15 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 16

came to Town in the morning. got to office about noon. working a little at Plan of Bellevue

Tuesday 17

same as yesterday afternoon

November Wednesday 18 1857

nothing

Thursday 19

in morning with Thompson and James went up to Givens Estate when it came on rain went home. afternoon nothing

Friday 20

with Thomson and James working at the Givens's Estate

November Saturday 21 1857

Snowing all day doing nothing

Sunday 22

{No Entry}

Monday 23

{Written sideways}

in morning with Thomson went up to the Givens Estate to make some measurements finished about noon. afternoon putting distances on map of the Given's Estate

November Tuesday 24 1857

in morning went to G.T.R. to go to Brampton 1 minute too late then went up to Given's Est to help Unwin, Roberts, Thomson, & James. left there at three P.M. went to Brampton

Wednesday 25

at Brampton all day doing nothing heard Mr Ormiston lecture in the evening at Mechanics instute

Thursday 26

measured part of Nr 2 3rd con E.H.S. Chinguacousy for McBride & Starrat

went to town in the evening

November Friday 27 1857

in forenoon ~~went~~ made description of part of No 2 3rd con E.H.S. Chinguacousy

afternoon went to Brampton

Saturday 28, Sunday 29, November Monday 30 1857, December Tuesday 1 & Wednesday 2

{No Entries}

December Thursday 3 1857

in forenoon went over to third line East (No 12) with Mr Armstrong to 1 measure two wheat fields finished about 2:30 P.M.

Friday 4

came to town in the morning

Saturday 5

doing nothing

December Sunday 6 1857

{No Entry}

Monday 7

With Mr Unwin & Thompson made survey for R. L. Denison of piece of ground occupied by Burgess

Tuesday 8

Went to office in the forenoon comparing plan of Newmarket - -

afternoon at home sick

December Wednesday 9 1857

at home all day ill

Thursday 10

at the office in forenoon doing nothing

at home all afternoon. met A. F. S. at Wellington at night

Friday 11

in office all day to attend case of Burgess Vs Denison in County court

December Saturday 12 1857

the same - about 11:00 A.M. went up to Yorkville with J. R. J. to examine damage done to Heward's property by letting water off the road back at 12:30 -

~~in afternoon~~

Sunday 13

{No Entry}

Monday 14

doing nothing in particular

Tuesday 15, Wednesday 16, Thursday 17

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helping J. R. Jack a little with the plan of Newmarket

December Friday 18 1857

in the morning with Unwin and Jack went up to Yorkville to examine a water course through Heward's property finished about noon. then went home met W. H. S. he was going to Oshawa. went in his place for Hattie and Miss Arkland. raining nearly all day

Saturday 19

in the morning brought up Hattie and Miss A to Toronto ~~she~~ they staid at Ley's all day Liz & A. F. came in from Brampton. all went to Brampton at night

Sunday 20

Went to English church twice

December Monday 21 1857

at home all day doing nothing the Misses Ley's came out of town tonight Bowly ~~then~~ staid all night being out at the Elections

Tuesday 22

went up to Edmonton with Dr Bull to get the state of the polles. had an upset and broke the cutter Misses Sellar T Sellar J Thistle and J Wright over tonight

Wednesday 23

doing nothing all day -

the Misses Leys went home at night

went up to Patersons at night

December Thursday 24 1857

nothing all day -

at Thistles at night enjoyed myself until 12:00 P.M.

Friday 25

Christmas day

sleighing party went up to Dublin

danced for 2 hours then came home again

Saturday 26

Took up carpet in front room shook it and put it down again

Sunday December 27 1857

{*No Entry*}

Monday 28

at Brampton

Tuesday 29

~~came to town in the morning~~

at Brampton

December Wednesday 30 1857

came to Town in the morning

doing little or nothing

Thursday 31

Same as yesterday

went to the station at 4:00 P.M. saw W Thistle there gave him my return ticket

Memoranda

George Dodds clerk of Caledon

T McCallum " " Chinguacousy

government survey to Unwin & Jack

last summers - Ac - to Unwin

Butbe to Unwin

Memoranda

Subscribers to map of Peel

A. F. Wright Esq Toronto

Wm Forser Brampton

Memoranda

Wright J

Fitzgerald

Scott A

" W

Pattullo A

" J

Solar Observation

Oct 26/57

11-50-15 - a.m.- ~~38-29~~ 33° - 29½

0 - 43 8 - 42 - P.M .- 33+18°

0 - 17 - 30 " " 33 - 06½

0 - 22 - 03 " " 32 - 57 12-7{0}

Memoranda

Octr 27

h M S

10 - 53-10 - 63 + 45 II

11 - 07 - 30 - - - 65 - 31 - Centre

11 - 27 - 30 - - - - - 66 + 52 - Centre

11 - 54 - 45 - - - 67+22 - Centre

12 - 00 - 20 - - 67 - 22 "

12 - 06 - 35 - - 67 - 11 "

12 - 10 - 00 67-11 -

12 - 53 - 40 - - - 64 - 00

Memoranda

Board in 1856

William from 15th Novr to 17th Decr

A.B. from 15 Novr to 31 Decr Excepting 2 week

Receipts for Peel

Wm McLellon. 1. map on Account 15.0

recd from J Lynch on Peel Account 3.0.0

Cash Account - April

Date		Rec'd	Paid
8th	Cash. C.Unwin	2.00	
21st	C Unwin 2 pr boots		8.00

Cash Account - May

Date		Rec'd	Paid
4th	C Unwin cash	2.00	
	carting posts to Yorkville		.75
6	postage		05. 05
13	J. B Jack. Cash	1	
23	J. R. Jack. Cash	1	

Cash Account - June

Date		Rec'd	Paid
8th	Mrs Ridout - Paint for lots		33.3
13	mending picket		12.5

Cash Account - July.

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
1st	J. R. Jack. cash	36	~		
	Board at Fields			36	~
	Cab			2	~
	mag. of Theod ^{lite}				25
7	Postage				10
9	" cash. C Unwin	4	~		
21	" " "	10			
	Carting posts (Leys)			3	00
	" " (Mrs Seymour)			1	50
	" " Unwin				37 ½
-	¼ cwt biscuit			1	50
28th	Axemen (Mrs Seymour			5	75
		50	00	50	47 ½

CASH ACCOUNT - AUGUST

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
4	Excursion Ticket. Sutton			3	00
	Cash (C Unwin	7	00		
10 3 <i>{3 written in pencil}</i>	1st Axeman			2	50
7 <i>{written in pencil}</i>	2nd ~ } Sibbald.	16	00	1 <i>{ pencil}</i>	
10 <i>{written in pencil}</i>	Cash. (T. Sibbald	16	00	1 <i>{written in pencil}</i>	
	board at Shepperds			3	00
	paper. pencils & c			3 <i>{written in pencil}</i>	20
	passage. Sutton to Toronto			2	12 ½
	Cab from station home				50

11	2 tickets to Barrie			3	75
	Registry office Barrie				50
15	Cash. (C. U.)	1	00		
18	Cash to C.U.			1	00
22	" C.U. (Peel)			20	00
24	Cars to Brampton				75
29	to Weston & back				62½
	Cash (C.U)	1	00		
		25	00	40	95

CASH ACCOUNT - SEPTEMBER.

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
22	School trustees chinguecousy	3	50		
26	J.P. Hutton	9	00		
24	search registry Brampton		37½		37½

24	horse hire			1	50
26	Cars, to Toronto $\frac{3}{9}$ cab 1/{5}			1	00
		12	50	2	87 $\frac{1}{2}$

CASH ACCOUNT - OCTOBER.

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
	cash. (C Unwin)			6	00
	Postage				10
	bottle {gum}.				37 $\frac{1}{2}$
19	2 to Scarboro			7	75
	board at .ditto.			3	50
22	stage cars & cab. home			1	45
19	. cash per J. Clark	6	00		
		6	00	12	17 $\frac{1}{2}$

CASH ACCOUNT - NOVEMBER.

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
2	Cash. per E Fletcher	6	00		
	"—— to J.R. Jack				50
	"—— per C Unwin	2	00		

4.6.3

16

1.25

17.25

CASH ACCOUNT - DECEMBER.

Date.		Rec'd.		Paid.	
2	J Armstrong for measuring wheat field	4	00		
3	Cab from stn		2		25
		4	00	-	25

CASH ACCOUNT - SUMMARY

	Rec'd.		Paid.	
Account of 1857	70	60	76	90½
JANUARY,	10	00	8	30
FEBRUARY,	5	00	1	83
MARCH,	24	00	20	22½
APRIL,	2	00	8	00
MAY,	4	00		80
JUNE,				33½ 46
JULY,	50	00	50	47½
AUGUST,	25	00	40	95
SEPTEMBER,	12	50	2	87½
OCTOBER,	6	00	12	17½
NOVEMBER,	6	00	--	--
DECEMBER,	4 4	00	-	25
	219	10	223	19½ 24

JANUARY - BILLS PAYABLE.

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	J Trent		
Aug 5	1 day surveying & travelling	6	
	Expenses	<u>3</u>	
		9	00
	RECEIVABLE		
	T Sibbald		
Aug 10th	3½ days surveying	21	0
	1 Axeman 2 days " 1.25	2	50
	1 " 2 " " 1.50	3	00
	Travelling Expenses	<u>4</u>	
		30	50
10th	Buy Cash	<u>16</u>	<u>00</u>
		14	50

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FEBRUARY - BILLS PAYABLE

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	Capt ⁿ <u>shaw's</u> tender for <u>Givens st</u>		
	Excavations per yard 0/9	94	
	surface grading per rod 15/0		
	planking ~ ~ 8/0		
	3 ft box culverts per yard lineal 15/0		
	18 inch " " " " 5/6		
	12 " " " " " 4/6		
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	RECEIVABLE.		
Mrs Seymour			
July	To 10 days surveying	60	00
	" C.R. 8 days @ 7 1.50	12	00

	" John Joe & James 10 day . 1.50	15	00
	Axemen	5	75
	110 posts ~	7	33
	Carting d~~	1	50
	<del>2 Weeks board board &amp; @3.00</del>	20	00

**MARCH - BILLS PAYABLE**

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	J Leys Esqr Givens lot		
June 27	24½ days surveying to date	147	00
	1 Assistant 22 ½ days @ 1.50	33	75
	Assistant 21 days @1.00	21	00
	Board. 9 weeks @ 4.00	36	00
	740 posts @	49	33

	RECEIVABLE.		
	- Morgan Dr		
Oct 20	to 2½ days surveying & traveling	15	00
	assistant {ditto} {ditto}	3	75
	board	3	50
	traveling expenses	2	20
	Plan	5	00
		29	70

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**JUNE - BILES BAYABEE**

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Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	Theodolite	154	00
	Compass		
	Telescope	9	00
	Chain	5	00

	Tape		
	Protractor		
	Scales. 10.20.30.40 Boxwood	6	00
	" 50 & 60 Ivory	6	00
	parallel ruler		
	Straight edge		
	Set squares		
	1 doz pins		
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**JULY - BILES PAYABLE.**

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Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	{No Entries}		

**AUGUST - BILLS PAYABLE.**

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
Unwin & Scott			
	T{o} J Ellis Dr		
Feb 25	drawing map of Peel on Stone	50	00
	1000 copies @ \$5.00 per 100	50	00
	paper for D{o} 42 quires	33	60
	12 sheets American ship &c		75
		134	35
	By cash (per A.B.S.)	30	00
		104	35
	RECEIVABLE. {No Entries}		

**SEPTEMBER - BILLS PAYABLE.**

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
April 29	G F Denison Esqr	160	
May 4th	J Gwyme Esq	50	
May 27	~~ J Leys Esq	327	
June 2	~ ~ ~	183	
	RECEIVABLE. {No Entries}		

**OCTOBER - BILLS PAYABLE.**

Date.	Name.	Dolls.	Cts.
	Mr. <u>Thompson's Class</u>		
M	30. Nov --- not there		
T	3 Dec - not there		
M	7 ~ there		
T	10 ~ no class		
M	14 ~ there		

T	17 ~ not there		
M	21 A B Scott {Written very faintly in pencil} ~ ~		
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