

Adelbert “Deb” Watson Johnson 1890 – 1900

JULY 1890

July 18 Hoeing potatoes took in hay of orchard
 July 19 Put up hay across the river took in 3 load
 July 20 At Sunday Sch N Perkins here went to ch
 July 21 Took in 9 loads of hay from near field
 July 22 Finished drawing hay from do
 July 23 Stacked hay in back field
 July 24 Wet morning hoeing in garden Aunt Clow here
 July 25 Drawing manure forenoon helped round the house aftnoon Mother starts for Brockville
 F & E Short here for Tea
 July 26 Went to village in forenoon cut hay aftnoon Geo Brooks & men commenced
 boarding
 July 27 Went to Stirton Quarterly mtg &c
 July 28 Cut hay went to Jn Shorts in Evg
 July 29 Finished cutting hay drew in 5 loads
 July 30 Took in 3 load hay rain Took Cattle to Drayton Honey Social in Mfld
 July 31 Raked & took in hay on 50 back

August 1890

Fri 1st...Cut small part of front field Barley got reafour fixed &c
 Sat 2nd.Cut second pt of barley in forenoon Raked & put up 1st pc do
 Sun 3 Went to Rothsay Quarterly meeting Oxyby's & to Drayton Church at night
 Mon 4 In village in forenoon Cut wheat in aftnoon
 Tue 5 Took Ad to Drayton cut wheat in aftnoon
 W 6 Cut turned & took in Barley
 T 7 Cut small piece barley in forenoon Drew in B in aftnoon
 Fri 8 Took in Barley Fixed line fence
 Sat 9 Cut Barley for Jno Boothe &c
 Sun 10 .Went to Sun Sch F. Short & C Long here for dinner Ch at night
 Mon 11 Cut 6 acres barley on 50
 Tues 12 Commenced to pull pease took in Raking &c
 Wed 13 Looking for threshers Finished drawing Barley
 Th 14 Got three horses shod pulled pease &c
 Fri 15 Pulled pease emp thresh ____ but did not ____
 Sat 16 Finished pulling pease Scuffled Mangolds
 Sun 17 Took Scott to Rothsay & Bethesda &c
 Mon 18 Hoeing Mangolds Ploughing on summer fallow turned pease
 T 19 Threshing at home
 W 20 Wet Threshing at Loughrans & Lawn Social
 Th 21 forenoon Drew rails along spring creek
 Fri 22 Ploughed a little on summer fallow turned pease went to Longs with Perkins
 Sat 23 Cut oats at end of barn
 Sun 24 Went to Cassidys for dinner & to church at night Tom Henderson here
 Mon 25 Drew in pease Cleaned seed wheat

Tues 26 Started plough for fallow cut round oats
 Wed 27 Cut oats for T Boothe & drew in pease &c
 Th 28 Drawing in pease ____weed men here yesterday
 Fri 29 ploughed for fall wheat Old folks to Athens
 Sat 30 Finished ploughing fall wheat _____ here
 Sun 31 Sick with cramps in stomach eve ch

SEPTEMBER 1890

Mon 1st Got Camerons drill sowed fall wheat
 Tues 2 Cut oats on (50) acres Jel Schneider here
 Wed 3 Went to Drayton Drew oats in at End of Barn
 Th 4 Cut oats on (50) wet night 13 Holmes here
 Fri 5 Wet forenoon got load wood finished oats at home cut hay
 Sat 6 Wet day went to Will Cowans &c at night
 Sun 7 Went to S.S. & Drayton ch Cowans here
 Mon 8 wet forenoon Spread manure aftnoon
 Tu 9 Ploughed summer fallow Bound oats &c
 Wed 10 Finished binding oats on (50) acres
 Th 11 Took in load of oats at home 2 loads on (50) acres went to Longs for plums Wet
 Fri 12 Wet forenoon cleaned grist Shoveled gravel for John Boothe in aftnoon
 Sat 13 Ploughed some in Barley Ground. Wet
 Sun 14 went to S.S. & ch Longs & Stewarts here
 Mon 15 Drew in oats on (50) acres Old folks came home
 Tues 16 Finished Harvest helped Birk &c
 Wed 17 Ploughed went to George Shorts at night
 Thur 18 Ploughed practice at night
 Fri 19 Gathered apples on (50) John welsh thresh
 Sat 20 Jno Welsh's threshing Wm Long here
 Sun 21 Went to Will Cowan's & Zion church
 Mon 22 Picked stone Norm & father at J Boothe
 Tues 23 Went to Gowanstown for lambs
 Wed 24 went to Listowel with Eff father at Wilsons
 Th 25 Ploughed finished field ft of R.R.
 Fri 26 Brot buggy From shop ch. _____
 Sat 27 Ploughed forenoon got oats from Jno Welsh
 Sun 28 Ira Burrows here Birks child bound went to ch
 Mon 29 Ploughed at end of barn Drew ____ hay
 Tu 30 Ploughed at end of barn

OCTOBER 1890

Wed 1st Finished ploughing field at end of barn went to S.S. _L_____ conventions
 Th 2nd Started to plough on (50) acres &c
 Fri 3 Drayton Show wet day
 Sat 4 Went to Drayton with Eff
 Sun 5 Went to S.S. & Church Will Cowan here
 Mon 6 Wet all day

Tues 7 Mfld. Show uncle & aunt Green here
 Wed 8 Effie's Wedding day
 Th 9 Took Miss A. Cowan to Listowel
 Fri 10 Gathered apples & saw thresher
 Sat 11 drew manure on (50) acres 2 load wood
 Sun 12 Went to S.S. & to church
 Mon 13 Finished drawing manure on (50) got Bill shod
 Tu 14 Wet 4 noon gathered apples afternoon Tom Henderson here
 Wed 15 Ploughed on (50) acres Ef & Will here
 Th 16 Threshed some in afternoon
 Fri 17 Threshed at home
 Sat 18 Finished do Went to Will Cowans
 Sun 19 Went to S.S. & church Man from Mount Forest preached
 Mon 20 Ploughed on (50) N & ad at W Cowans
 Tues 21 Ploughed on (50) Went to A.C. S____ at night
 Wed 22 Ploughed on (50)
 Th 23 Finished Ploughing on (50) Wet afternoon
 Fri 24 Wet 4 noon went to Scotts &c Drew wood Potatoes &c
 Sat 25 Ploughed back of R.R. in forenoon & pulled mangolds in afternoon
 Sun 26 Clarence & Adie Long here Ef & Will here went to ch at night
 Mon 27 Took load barley to Palmerston for Will C
 Tu 28 cleaned Barn floor went to Scar's sale
 Wed 29 Bro't Binder home &c Jew peddler here
 Th 30 Ploughed back of R.R. Mrs Birk here
 Fri 31 Helped Perkins move Bo't _____ &c

NOVEMBER 1890

Sat 1st Took straw to Thompsons ploughed &c (Snow)
 Sun 2nd Quarterly meeting very heavy fall of snow
 Mon 3rd Looked about shipping apples. Made gate for horse stable &c Eff & Will here
 Tues 4th Shingling stable for Crawford
 Wed 5 " " " "
 Th 6 Thanksgiving Day Drew brick (Anderson)
 Fri 7 Ploughed forenoon Bee at church
 Sat 8 Cleaned Pease &c
 Sun 9 Wet forenoon Norm Perkins & sist' here
 Mon 10 Worked for Crawford Shipped geese
 Tues 11 Worked for Crawford
 Wed 12 Went to Longs &c
 Thur 13 Drew wood to Tailor Birchall hanged
 Fri 14 Drew wood Mrs Schurehouse buried Moorefield
 Sat 15 Took wood to Terriff
 Sun 16 Did not go to S.S. Went to church
 Mon 17 Wet all day Cleaned Barley &c
 Tues 18 Went to village Cleaned 35 Barley Went to Jno Shorts at night _____
 Wed 19 Stormy Ef here Special Practice
 Thur 20 Went to Palmerston Joe Delahunt here Bo't overshoes
 Fri 21 Cleaned grist &c clinery around
 Sat 22 Took cattle to (50) bro't wood & grist &c

Sun 23 Sunday Sch & went to Cassidy's Rothsay P Ch opened
 Mon 24 Got Fred shod went to Rothsay &c
 Tues 25 Cleaned 25 bu's pease Sheep to Jno Boothe's
 Wed 26 Went to Ad Longs wedding
 Thur 27 Went to Carthage & house
 Fri 28 Drew wood from bush T Henderson here
 Sat 29 Drew wood to Clegg
 Sun 30 Went to S.S. & Church

DECEMBER 1890

Mon 1st Took one load wood to Clegg and beef
 Tues 2nd & Wed 3rd Sunday Sch convension Harriston
 Th 4 Came home from Harriston _____
 Fri 5 Drew wood Ef & Will here Went to Wils at night
 Sat 6 Drew manure from Thompson &c
 Sun 7 Went to S.S. & ch Clarence Long here
 Mon 8 Cleaned pease Mr & W Douglas here
 Tu 9 Went to Drayton with cheque &c
 We 10 Threshing at Allendorf's in aftrnoon
 Th 11 Went to Lebanon with Scotts
 Fri 12 Cleaned wheat Sold R. Welsh pease
 Sat 13 Drew two loads oats from (50) &c
 Sun 14 Went to S.S. & church to Scotts Ef & W here
 Mon 15 Drew grain from (50) Long & wife here
 Tu 16 Loughran Threshing in aftrnoon
 Wed 17 Went to Loughrans threshing & to Drayton
 Th 18 Killed hogs sold Jno Welsh pease &c
 Fri 19 Went to J. Kirkbys got load wood went to Carthage Sch Entertainment
 Sat 20 Settled with Clegg Drew hay T & K.B. here
 Sun 21 Church anniversary service C Long and Linda Stewart here
 Mon 22 Tom Henderson here Meth T. meeting
 Tu 23 Took b Wheel to Shop K Butts concert
 Wed 24 Sold E. Brady pease Presb Xmas Tree
 Th 25 Eli Jordan Eff & Will Cowan here
 Fri 26 Cleaned chop Shorts party at night
 Sat 27 Went to Drayton Maria D_____ & T_____ Brett here
 Sun 28 Went to Zion ch & to Geo Greens
 Mon 29 Nomination day T. Henderson here
 Tues 30 Went to village 4noon cut wood in aftrnoon
 Wed 31 School meeting Fowler's party &c
January 1891

Thur 1st Wet all day went to village

Fri 2 Got Bill & Fred shod got chop &c
 Sat 3 Cut elm on river flat went to (50) to see cattle &c
 Sun 4 Went to S.S. & ch Sanda Peplar here
 Mon 5 Election Day Shorts Perkins here
 Tues 6 Went to see cattle at (50) acres
 Wed 7 Old folks to Drayton Ad went to 3rd
 Th 8 Moved rails on R flats T. Henderson here Bot Picture frames &c
 Fri 9 Got load wood & took hay to Gabel Ef & Will Cowan here Perkins party
 Sat 10 Went to Jno Kitley's Father & Mother to Drayton
 Sun 11 Went to S.S. & church at Scotts for afternoon
 Mon 12 Got grist ready & chored round
 Tues 13 went to Palmerston to mill
 Wed 14 Stormy day Cameron here
 Thur 15 Eff & Will C here Mrs Jno Welsh died
 Fri 16 Mrs Jno Welsh buried
 Sat 17 Just choring round Ad came home from 3rd
 Sun 18 Went to S.S. Geo Short's for dinner Perkins for Tea Presbyterian Ann at night
 Mon 19 Drew manure from Cassidy's T. Henderson here
 Tu 20 Drew up wood Jno Shorts at night
 Wed 21 Drew hay from stack Misses Everson & Littlejohn went home
 Thur 22 Stormy day
 Fri 23 Finished stack Ef & Will here
 Sat 24 Went to Harriston with W Cowan
 Sun 25 Came home from Cowans Dick Long E. Lowes & P. McArthur
 Mon 26 Got sleigh fixed Sold Merts pease &c
 Tues 27 Skiding logs Sea man here Shorts at night
 Wed 28 Sam Woods here Skid logs
 Th 29 Went to Camerons for chain got chain fixed Wet afternoon Lightening at night
 Fri 30 Got Fred shod went to Tom Patersons Got Bill teeth filed
 Sat 31 Did nothing but chores Dick & Clarence Long here

FEBRUARY 1891

Sun 1st Clarence Long & Tom Brett here Went to church at night
 Mon 2nd Took two load logs to saw mill
 Tues 3 Stormy Got into river brot hay 2 of wood round by road Smith party
 Wed 4 Went to village _____ Will Cowan here Ef Sick
 Th 5 Took two load logs to saw mill
 Fri 6 Sick with cold Got load wood
 Sat 7 Went to Listowel for J. Nicklin
 Sun 8 Went to Will Cowans for Ad & to church
 Mon 9 _____loaded _____

Tues 10 Clean Barley Got chop J. Douglas
 Wed 11 Cut wood at door got up load wood took straw to Dr's and Drew two load manure
 Th 12 Cleaned Barley went to Dr for mother
 Fri 13 Choring round R. Holmes here & Scott
 Sat 14 Cleaned Barley sold Scott hay 5.00
 Sun 15 Went to Lebanon Eff & Will here
 Mon 16 Went to Mrs Bretts funeral
 Tues 17 Drew manure from Cassidys party at Will Cowans
 Wed 18 Went to Palmerston with Barley
 Thur 19 Father at Guelph Cleaned up Barley
 Fri 20 Took load Barley to Palmerston to Maudsley's Party at night
 Sat 21 Took chop to mill went to Tom Boothe sale
 Sun 22 Sunday Sch Re Opening Town Hall
 Mon 23 Cleaned & took Barley to Palmerston Reform meeting at night ____
 Tues 24 Clean Barley Will Cowan here & R Mitchell here
 Wed 25 Clean Barley Ref Com meeting at night
 Thu 26 Went to Palmerston & to G Shorts party
 Fri 27 Cleaned oats Went to Drayton on 45
 Sat 28 Cleaned oats Went to Bretts & Tom Henderson's with Add

MARCH 1891

Sun 1st Went to church at night Miss Armstrong at church &c
 Mon 2 Went to Drayton with Oats
 Tues 3 Took chop to mill got hay &c Went to Drayton at night
 Wed 4 Stormy day Cons meeting at night
 Th 5 Sc eir at Semple's election &c
 Fri 6 At village Tom Brett bro't Ad home
 Sat 7 Got load wood saw wound not wood took it to Kyle Ef & Will Cowan here
 Sun 8 Went to ch in morn N & Eva Perkins here
 Mon 9 Took straw to Dr Drew hay from (50)
 Tue 10 Drew hay &c J. Douglas & others went to Manitoba
 Wed 11 Got load wood Went to Furtons sale
 Th 12 got boots fixed went to Lorry's sale
 Fri 13 Stormy day heavy snow fall
 Sat 14 Another stormy day side roads blocked
 Sun 15 Went to S.S. & ch Misses Brady & Scott here
 Mo 16 Stormy day started for Bosworth A Armstrong here
 Tues 17 Went to Geo Grieve's for Barley & oats teachers meeting ch
 Wed 18 Drew up wood took Shaw to Thompson &c
 Th 19 Cut & drew up wood signed Tun Pat
 Fri 20 Rainy day Went to Cassidy in Peel at night

Sat 21 Cut Posts Clarence & his father here
 Sun 22 Went to S.S. & Church at Shorts for tea
 Mon 23 Drew fence Posts & Drew out manure 8 loads Bready
 Tues 24 Took Kettles to bush took Kyles Stove home
 Wed 25 Drew out 12 loads manure
 Th 26 Drew manure 8 loads broke waggon tongue
 Fri 27 Cut Stakes in forenoon Band Serenade in town
 Sat 28 Cut poles for lane fence T.H. here
 Sun 29 Easter Ef & Will Clarence Long here Went to ch at night
 Mon 30 Went to village for pans Sold Dick Long Seed pease
 Tues 31 Stormy day Bro't waggon home

APRIL 1891

Wed 1 Drew 5 loads manure cut rails
 Th 2 rainy ascesser here R. Holmes here
 Fri 3 Wet snow falling laid round all day
 Sat 4 Cut & drew rails S___ school___ &c
 Sun 5 Went to ch morn & Eve Short's for dinner
 Mon 6 Cut and drew rails got Fred shod
 Tues 7 Cut & split rails gathered sap &c
 Wed 8 Got Bill 2 shoes set took straw to Dr's gathered sap Effie here
 Th 9 Put up Jas Braedys pease fixed fence
 Fri 10 Bo't seed wheat at Loughran's Cut wood &c
 Sat 11 Rainy day Joe Mitchell buried
 Sun 12 Wet Wm Allendorf here Went to church
 Mon 13 Got Bur and spoon Cut wood in afternoon
 Tues 14 Drew rails Started to plough Sod Wet
 Wed 15 Wet forenoon moved rails & started to dig post holes in lane
 Th 16 Ploughed in afternoon Sold calf Bo't pease seed & fork handle
 Fri 17 Moved rails Picked stones & ploughed Bo't calf from Scott Bready's here
 Sat 18 Wet forenoon Built fence at bush
 Sun 19 Went to S.S. & ch at Newsteads in aft
 Mon 20 Ploughed Sod Norm & Mother at Rothsay
 Tues 21 Ploughed sod in Back field
 Wed 22 Ploughed forenoon Spring Show at Moorefield
 Th 23 Ploughed & took 200 lb hay to Gabel
 Fri 24 Finished Sod & Drew manure at end of Barn
 Sat 25 Drew Manure got cultivator from Jno Welsh's
 Sun 26 Went to ch morn & eve Clarence Long here
 Mon 27 Spread oats at end of Barn P Welsh here
 Tues 28 Sowed wheat _____ Newsteads here

Wed 29 Drew rails from lane to pea patch
Th 30 Sowed Barley front of RR Sowed Pease

MAY 1891

Fri 1 Harrowed Barley front of RR track
Sat 2 Harrowed & sowed Barley back of RR track
Sun 3rd Quarterly meeting Oxby's and Breadys here
Mon 4 Looked for sheep drew rails &c
Tues 5 Ploughed root ground for noon Stormy
Wed 6 Cut wood forenoon cultivated on (50) acres
Thur 7 Cult & started to sow oats on (50) acres
Fri 8 Finished sowing oats on ditto
Sat 9 Sowed bit of barley on ground intended for roots finished seeding rolled oats on (50)
Sun 10 Went to church C Long here
Mon 11 Moved rails rolled pease
Tues 12 Got roller fixed rolled Barley & oats front of RR 16 acres
Wed 13 Rolled Spr wheat & Barley back of RR got flour & chop from Moorefield
Thur 14 Fixed Wire fence with Newsteads ploughed here Scholtes garden & our own garden
N Perkin here
Fri 15 Sold calf Went to Will Cowans to Skulp butter
Sat 16 Helped Will Cowans bro't Dr's horse to pasture
Sun 17 Went to N Perkins & to Drayton church
Mon 18 Helped Will Cowan seeding at Bretts and _____
Tues 19 " " " " _____ at night
Wed 20 Took colts to (50) dug post holes
Thur 21 Spread posts Went to saw mill &c
Fri 22 Cut 3 saw logs rain came about 900 Bot 2 saw logs
Sat 23 Took log to mill Bro't lumber Ef & Will here
Sun 24 With J Dellahunt all day Went to ch
Mon 25 Went to Harriston with J D R Holmes here
Tues 26 Drew lumber from Patterson's mill
Wed 27 Drew manure on village lots
Th 28 Got plow Shere fence wire &c ploughed lots
Fri 29 Took milk cans to Mfld Ploughed _____
Sat 30 Worked at lots Had pigs killed
Sun 31 Went SS to Scotts & to ch

JUNE 1891

Mon 1 Worked at lots Went to C Longs

Tues 2 Wet Set posts &c Hodgins funeral
 Wed 3 Wet forenoon Went to Scotts raising at noon
 Thur 4 Drew stakes &C Uncle E. Green here
 Fri 5 Harrowed & rolled lots Started to plant
 Sat 6 Finished Planting potatoes Shear Sheep Sir John A McDonald died
 Sun 7 At SS & church C Long & sister here
 Mon 8 Ploughed Miss Clouths garden forenoon Drew poles in afternoon
 Tues 9 Finished drawing poles R Holmes here
 Wed 10 Put poles & boards on lane fence
 Th 11 Road work on house brot & dug post holes Sold pigs 5
 Fri 12 “ “ “ “ Ef & Wil here
 Sat 13 Put part of wire on lane fence Bot new plants
 Sun 14 SS ann .sry services Bretts here
 Mon 15 Moved Miss Clark SS Picnic
 Tues 16 Stretched wire made gate & went to (50) &c
 Wed 17 Bro't load hay from (50) Made 2 gates
 Th 18 Road work on side road Built _____ fence on (50) rain
 Fri 19 Went to Drayton for wire finished fence
 Sat 20 Banked lane fence took straw to Dr
 Sun 21 Went to Pres ch & to our own ch at night
 Mon 22 Went to village for potatoes took straw to Dr
 Tues 23 Did road work for Cardy Newsteads here
 Wed 24 “ “ “ “ Nicklin
 Th 25 Road work for Nicklin forenoon got load wood
 Fri 26 At village fornoon Ef & Will here Sch picnic on 12th
 Sat 27 Went to Scotts & to Drayton
 Sun 28 Went to Lebanon _____ Bready with us
 Mon 29 Went to Drayton noon and got _____
 Tues 30 Fixed Spring on (50) Went Miss Clarkes picnic

JULY 1891

Wed 1 Went to Mt Forest With Dellahunt
 Th 2 Sold calves fixed calf pen
 Fri 3 Went to Drayton Wet all day
 Sat 4 Went to Scotts Shut up pigs Mr & Mrs E Stewart here
 Sun 5 Went to SS & church
 Mon 6 Helped Rob Holmes put up hay
 Tu 7 5 Blank days
 Wed 8
 Th 9
 Fri 10

Sat 11
 Sun 12 Went to SS & c Thos Henderson here Went to Shorts for dinner & tea
 Mon 13 Cut hay on (50) acres Bo't M Oil
 Tues 14 Wet cut skantling got load wood &c
 Wed 15 Finished cutting hay on (50) hoed potatoes
 Th 16 Cut hay on Ft field Raked hay on (50)
 Fri 17 Drew in hay on (50) Raked 1st piece of front field at home put up hay fork
 Sat 18 Cut last of front field hay
 Sun 19 Went to SS & ch Geo Shorts here
 Mon 20 Drew in 8 loads hay ft field Uncle E Green here
 Tues 21 Went to Scotts finished taking in hay of front field Ploughed Potatoes
 Wed 22 Cut hay in Orchard Moved rails &c
 Th 23 Cut hay Back of river wet night
 Fri 24 Went to T. Henderson's & to Drayton for twine Raked hay in evening
 Sat 25 Took in 10 loads hay from back of river
 Sun 26 Went to Geo Green's & to Drayton ch
 Mon 27 Cut Jn Welsh's fall wheat
 Tues 28 Cut hay on spring creek mowed field corner
 Wed 29 Howed Potatoes Went to Perkins at night
 Th 30 Got twine & whip at village
 Fri 31 Fixed buggy traded horses with _____

AUGUST 1891

Sat 1st Wet Put up hay in fence corner
 Sun 2 Went to SS & ch Ef & Wil & Perkins here
 Mon 3 Sold calves cut round fall wheat
 Tues 4 Cut fall wheat cut round Barley
 Wed 5 At Newsteads forenoon Went to Will Cowans
 Th 6 Went to Elora Rocks
 Fri 7 Nothing but set up Barley Swarth
 Sat 8 Wet Will Cowan & Ef here E & W _____
 Sun 9 Went to SS & ch heavy rain
 Mon 10 Got Mares Shod cleared brush & cut of orchard &c
 Tues 11.. Cut gate posts hung gate
 Wed 12.. Cut barley back of RR
 Th 13.. Cut barley front of RR
 Fri 14.. " " " " " forenoon rain
 Sat 15.. Finished do Drew in fall wheat
 Sun 16.. Went to SS & ch at Jas Perkins
 Mon 17.. Raked fall wheat stubble drew in Barley
 Tues 18.. Finished drawing in Barley looked for threshers

Wed 19 . Raked Barley stubble Started drawing manure
 Th 20 . Drew out manure
 Fri 21 . Finished at home
 Sat 22 . Cut 6 acres foose wheat
 Sun 23 . Went to SS & ch At Cassidy's for dinner
 Mon 24.. Wet Went to Drayton Newstead 546 lbs Barley
 Tues 25.. Gang ploughed cut Jno Welsh wheat George Green R Holmes here Bo't Plough
 Wed 26 . Cut oats end of Barn fixed binder
 Th 27 . Finished ditto took straw to Dr
 Fri 28 . Gang ploughed took 300 hay to Dr
 Sat 29 . Pulled Pease
 Sun 30 . Went to (50) acres ch at night
 Mon 31 . Ploughed a little Took in load of Pease Ef & Will here Wet Ferguson & Newstead
 got seed wheat

SEPTEMBER 1891

Tues 1st . Gang ploughed 4 noon Pulled pease afternoon Ferguson's baby died
 Wed 2nd Drew in 5 load Pease Jno Welsh help
 Th 3rd Drew in oats at end of Barn
 Fri 4 ... Drew in 6 load of Spring wheat
 Sat 5 ... Drew in 1 load of " " Went to Mfld Wet
 Sun 6 ... Went to Forester's Camp meeting
 Mon 7 ... Took calf to village cut round oats on (50 acres) S Ball's son got killed
 Tues 8 ... Staked fence & Pulled Pease 4noon Racked wheat stubble & took in rakings
 Wed 9 .. Finished Pulling pease took in 2 load
 Th 10 . Drew in 6 load pease
 Fri 11 . Finished drawing pease cut oats on (50 acres) aftnoon got twine from Cl____
 Sat 12 . Finished cutting oats Went to Scott's
 Sun 13 . Went to SS & church Chown preached
 Mon 14 . Went to Toronto Exhibition
 Tues 15.. Went to Duffin's & to Hanlan's Island
 Wed 16.. At Exhibition grounds
 Th 17 . Met Jim Boothe & Wilber Kerr bot rubber coat at Brock & A's
 Fri 18 . Visited Knox college & Queens Park at Armstrong's in Evening
 Sat 19 . Went to St Lawrence Market & home
 Sun 20 . Went to SS & ch
 Mon 21.. Drew in oats on (50 acres) League
 Tues 22.. Worked for WW Scott
 Wed 23 . " " " " R B Holmes here
 Th 24 . " " " " Lawn Social
 Fri 25 Ploughed back of RR
 Sat 26 . " finished back of RR
 Sun 27 . Not at SS Misses Scott & Bready here

Mon 28 . Jno Jas Bootes threshing league
 Tues 29.. Cleaned grist went to Rothsay to mill
 Wed 30 . Got lamb from Scotts got load wood drew out 5 loads manure
 last day Drayton Show

OCTOBER 1891

Th 1 Worked at Scotts Drew in oats
 Fri 2 Worked at Scotts Drew in Buck Wheat
 Sat 3 Worked for Scott Drew in oats & BW
 Sun 4 Wet Went to Cassidy's for tea & ch
 Mon 5.... Drew out 26 loads manure
 Tues 6.... Gang ploughed ft of RR
 Wed 7 ... " " in 4noon Mfld Show Long's here
 Th 8 ... Took steer to Jackson's Drew rails to line &c
 Fri 9 ... Ploughed in 6 acre field got Scott's mare to work
 Sat 10 .. Drew manure on (50) ploughed afternoon do
 Sun 11 .. Went to SS & church Arthur Perkins here
 Mon 12 . Ploughed on 50 acres
 Tues 13.. " " "
 Wed 14 . Ploughed in 4noon on (50) Got Brett's colt Cut wood
 Th 15 . Ploughed on 50 Wet afternoon
 Fri 16 . Finished ploughing on 50 acres
 Sat 17 . Got straw for plough ploughed in field in front of RR
 Sun 18 . Went to SS & church Wet day
 Mon 19 . Wet put away horse rather got Boots
 Tues 20 . Ploughed front of RR Scott here
 Wed 21 . Pulled down log house ploughed
 Th 22 . Ploughed front of RR
 Fri 23 . finished " " " Started Back of RR
 Sat 24 . Ploughed got lumber horse sick
 Sun 25 . Went to SS & ch Thom Henderson & R B here
 Mon 26 . Unloaded lumber Started to put rustic on house on (50)
 Tues 27 . Worked on house Wolfe moved in
 Wed 28 . . " " "
 Th 29 . " " "
 Fri 30 . " " "
 Sat 31 . " " " Wet fornoon

NOVEMBER 1891

Sun 1st .Quarterly meeting went to W Cowans
 Mon 2.... Worked at home on 50 acres
 Tues 3.... Finished house went Missionary collecting
 Wed 4 ... Threshed at Fowler's & Allendorf's
 Th 5 ... Ploughed in back field Snow &c
 Fri 6 ... Ploughed in back field got boot fixed
 Sat 7 ... Finished ploughing dug post hole on (50) settled for binder with M.E.
 Sun 8 ... Wet Geo Green here went to Pres & M ____
 Mon 9 ... Dug Post holes on 50 Drew coal to pastor
 Tues 10 .Wet Tea Man here Threshers come
 Wed 11 .Threshed on 50 afternoon ____
 Th 12 .Threshed at home Elbow room at night Thanksgiving day
 Fri 13 .Threshed at Newsteads
 Sat 14 . " " Newsteads & Jno Johnston
 Sun 15 .Went to SS & ch Fowler's for tea
 Mon 16 .Went to Loughrans & to village Practice for SS convension &c
 Tues 17 .Put in machine on (50) _____stormy
 Wed 18 .Took Dr Straw SS convension
 Th 19 .Jno Booth's threshing
 Fri 20 .Sent chop to mill cut wood at door &c P of G meeting to organize
 Sat 21 .Wet day got chop choring round Ferguson threshed J Delahunt here
 Sun 22 .At SS & ch Wedday Fk Short here
 Mon 23 .At Ferguson's threshing Wet Went to P & L meeting in lower Sch with Dr Delahunt
 Tues 24 .Stormy W Cowan here Went to Jno Boothes thresh McCleary's sale
 Wed 25 .At Jno Boothe's threshing
 Th 26 .Took Barley to mill got wood &c
 Fri 27 .Took butter to village Mended harness Got Bill shod &c
 Sat 28 Drew manure from Cassidy's
 Sun 29 .went to SS & to ch At Cassidy's
 Mon 30 .Drew manure from Dr's Got lambs

DECEMBER 1891

Tues 1st .Went to SS Convention at Guelph
 Wed 2 ... At Guelph at McKim's
 Th 3 ... Came home from G Went to Bready with Dr D
 Fri 4 ... Wet day Dr Del here Smith Part
 Sat 5 ... Dr D & Miss Bready here_____
 Sun 6 ... Went to SS & ch Snow Storm at night Young Irwin's preached
 Mon 7 ... Drew Part of F Scholta's hay, load wood &c
 Tues 8 ... Went to Drayton with cheese check &c

Wed 9 ... Got chop Cleaned grist (____) filed C Saw
 Th 10 .Went to Palmerston with grist
 Fri 11 .Got wood at door yd choring round
 Sat 12 .R Holmes here Sorted Potatoes &c
 Sun 13 .Went to SS & ch To Scotts for dinner & Tea
 Mon 14 .Cleaned pease Mrs Long here
 Tues 15 .Went to Edmunds Sale Shorts for Tea
 Wed 16 .Stormy day Scott & I went to village P & D
 Th 17 .Cut wood Went to 6th Line
 Fri 18 .Robert Holmes went to Longs _____
 Sat 19 .Cleaned 11 bags barley Took it to village
 Sun 20 .Went to SS & ch anniv' sy day went to Jas Perkins for dinner & Tea
 Mon 21..Cleaned pease & 22 bags barley Methodist church Tea Meeting
 Tues 22.. Sold load barley Miss Bready's Exam
 Wed 23 .Cleaned load barley Wet Dr D. here
 Th 24 .Took load barley to Mfld Presb Xmas Tree
 Fri 25 .Effie & Will C here dull weather
 Sat 26 .Cut wood at door Drew load hay (off 50)
 Sun 27 .Went to SS & ch Jno Perkins here
 Mon 28 Nomination day
 Tues 29 .Cleaned Barley N.Perkins here P of I Meet
 Wed 30 .Ann Sch Meeting Took load B to Mfld Bo't Garters Nicklins party
 Th 31 .Cut wood after noon ft of River Prayer meeting & practice At night

JANUARY 1892

Fri 1 Went to Cowans for dinner Rothsay Methodist
 Sat 2 Choring round Wet Went to village
 Sun 3 Went to SS At Bretts afternoon
 Mon 4.... Election day
 Tues 5.... Father joined A T U H Killed hog
 Wed 6 ... Took pork to Mfld Norm Perkins Bee
 Th 7 ... Drew up 3 loads wood got chop &c
 Fri 8 ... " 1 load wood got load hay from 50
 Sat 9 ... Filed Saw cut wood aft noon
 Sun 10 . A SS & ch Geo Shorts for dinner & tea
 Mon 11 . Cut & Drew two loads wood Had colt
 Tues 12 . At SS Convention Arthur
 Wed 13 . Cut wood Mr Fleming died
 Th 14 . Cut & Drew wood
 Fri 15 . Drew out 5 load manure Ed Johnson here
 Sat 16 . Got load hay from 50 got Dan shod

Sun 17. At SS & ch Workmates sopranow
 Mon 18. Cleaned & sold load Barley
 Tues 19. Father & Norm went to Drayton Workman's oyster supper at night Mfld
 Wed 20. Went to Stirton to see about Barley
 Th 21. Took pork to Scholte's Drew 4 loads manure
 Fri 22. Jim Kyle had team got load hay
 Sat 23. Went to Mfld with Mother Drew 4 loads manure
 Sun 24. Went to SS & Presby Ch Bready's for T
 Mon 25. Our folks at Will Cowans Will Cowan sick Went to Shorts Jno at night
 Tues 26. Cleaned load barley
 Wed 27. Took Barley to Mfld Went to Drayton Insurance Meet Bretts & Drayton Lodge IOGF
 Th 28. Just choring round
 Fri 29. Drew out 11 loads Manure Buchard at Scotts
 Sat 30. At Jno Shorts Mrs Short died 6.19 at n
 Sun 31. Doing chores for J Shorts

FEBRUARY 1892

Mon 1st. Doing chores for J Short
 Tues 2nd " " to Mrs Short Buried
 Wed 3... came home from Ss Pa & Ad to _____
 Th 4... Drew manure 9 loads Buchered at Newstead
 Fri 5... Drew out 11 load manure
 Sat 6... Took straw to Dr Went to Drayton
 Sun 7... Went to SS & church
 Mon 8.... Took 7 bag barley to Flax mill to get ground church at night
 Tues 9... Went to see N Perkins NP sick
 Wed 10. At N Perkins
 Th 11. Came home from Perkins E J here
 Fri 12. Cleaned Sp wheat 20 bags
 Sat 13. Took in last of Scholtes hay Went to see N Perkins
 Sun 14. Went to SS & ch Maud Findly here
 Mon 15. Broke road to (50) got load hay Box Social I O G F's
 Tues 16. Went to Drayton with loose wheat 75
 Wed 17. Cleaned Bal of S Wheat got colts from village & Newsteads bush &c
 Th 18. Went to Drayton with S wheat 79 ½ out with R Holmes about hay fork
 Fri 19. Cleaned 32 bags F wheat McKays party at night Gabel 1170 hay
 Sat 20. Took F Wheat to Drayton
 Sun 21. At SS & ch G Shorts for dinner & Temperance
 Mon 22. Took Pease @60 to C Hendry Grace Brett here at night
 Tues 23. Drew 2 loads oats from 50 T Hendersons at night
 Wed 24. Drew 2 loads " " "

Th 25. Bro't seed drill from 3rd N Perkins at night
 Fri 26. Took Jno Welsh 19 bags oats Bro't 27 bags home from 50 acres Went to W Wilsons
 Sat 27. Filed Wolf's saw &c
 Sun 28. Went to SS & ch Went to Rothsay with Dr Cassidy
 Mon 29. Wet snow Did nothing but chores

MARCH 1892

Tues 1 ... Cut & Drew up wood F Short here
 Wed 2 ... 2 lambs Went to N Perkins wood bee
 Th 3 ... Cut & Drew up two loads wood
 Fri 4 ... Went to Hambley's sale
 Sat 5 ... Drew three loads hay from 50 acres
 Sun 6 ... Took Miss Bready to Geo Shorts Went to SS & ch
 Mon 7 ... Drew two loads hay Cleaned seed oats (45 b)
 Tues 8 ... Went to Geo Green's for seed oats Ch
 Wed 9 ... Took straw to Dr Went to Wm Wilsons Went to Wm Longs to see about Grass seed
 Th 10. Came home from Longs Cleaned 25 bags oats
 Fri 11. Took load oats to Drayton 30cts per bu
 Sat 12. Filed saw Cut wood after noon
 Sun 13. At SS & ch Went to Drayton Forster's Sermon
 Mon 14. Stormy day Jew Peddler here
 Tues 15. Drew up 12 loads wood & went to Colquhouns
 Wed 16. Cut wood at Maudsley's at night
 Th 17. Cut & drew up wood
 Fri 18. Cut hemlock wood N Perkins here
 Sat 19. Cleaned & took chop to mill
 Sun 20. Went to SS & ch Perkins dinner & tea
 Mon 21. Cut Hemlock wood & drew it up
 Tues 22. Rainy day Took oven to shop Newsteads & Miss Bolton here
 Wed 23. Went to 50 acres for door Drew 10 loads manure
 Th 24. Went to Palmerston with grist
 Fri 25. Drew manure 7 loads Ef & Will here
 Sat 26. " " 4 load Got seed Sp wheat Meeting about Spring Show
 Sun 27. Went to SS & ch Tom Perkins here
 Mon 28. Attended lambs filed saw chored
 Tues 29.. Took sap things to bush J Short's Wood B _____
 Wed 30. Went to village Miss Underhill & Short here At Kinsmans at night
 Th 31. Took Harness to B shop Mr & Mrs T Henderson here

APRIL 1892

Fri 1st .. Took sap kettle to bush to G I Meet
 Sat 2 Sold old sow 60 took Harness to Shop
 Sun 3 ... At SS & ch At Fowler's for dinner

Mon 4 ... Took Chains &c to get fixed Counsil Meeting
 Tues 5 ... Drove stakes on line fence &c Saw Dixon killed got plough lines
 Wed 6 ... Started to Plough Sod afternoon
 Th 7 ... Ploughed Sod
 Fri 8 ... Ploughed 4 noon Wet afternoon Foggy
 Sat 9 ... Stormy Kincade's Sale Em Underhill gone home Jno Short sick
 Sun 10 . Ef & Will Mr & Mrs Scholte here
 Mon 11 . Cleaned 50 bus oats
 Tues 12 . Took oats to Drayton (28 cts) At Cowans for night
 Wed 13 . Bot seed Barley from Maxwell 45 cts
 Th 14 . At Moorefield Spring Show Rob Holmes & N Perkins here
 Fri 15 . Ploughed Sod got harrow from Shop
 Sat 16 . Spread manure in front of track D Eby Shot by J George
 Sun 17 . At SS & ch Ester
 Mon 18 . Sowed Sp wheat back field 9 acres Norman harrowed Sod
 Tues 19 . Sowed Oats 6 acres at bush got clover 8.25
 Wed 20 . Norm & I cultivated 11 acres on 50
 Th 21 . Started to sow oats on 50 acres Rain came about 10:30
 Fri 22 . Finished sowing oats on 50 acres
 Sat 23 . Sowed Pease on sod back of RR
 Sun 24 . Went to SS & ch To Geo Short's for Din & Tea
 Mon 25 . Spread manure 4noon Worked up Barley Ground back of RR Sowd 2 bags
 Tues 26 . Spread manure 4noon Sowed Barley back of RR Got Barley of Scott 8.28 lbs
 Wed 27 . Sowed pease at back of track
 Th 28 . Finished seeding Barley ft of RR
 Fri 29 . Took chop to mill &c Went to Drayton
 Sat 30 . Drove Stakes & tied same on East line fence

MAY 1892

Sun 1st . Quarterly meeting
 Mon 2 ... Wet cleaned oats Went to Ep. League
 Tues 3 ... " fornoon Went to Drayton with oats
 Wed 4 ... Worked at fence ft of barn F Short got _____
 Th 5 ... Worked at ditto forenoon Wet aftnoon
 Fri 6 ... Got post from swamp R.B.Holmes here
 Sat 7 ... Finished fence ft of barn took straw to Dr
 Sun 8 .. At SS & ch At Presb ch & to Dr's for tea
 Mon 9 ... Drew manure from Dr's to lots &c
 Tues 10 . Ploughed lots 4noon Wet aftnoon Father & Mother to Will Cowans
 Wed 11 . Planted fruit trees cut lambs tails got maple trees
 Th 12 . Set out maples round lots To Katy Hendry
 Fri 13 . Ploughed Scholtes garden harrowed lots &c
 Sat 14 . Set posts built lane fence on 50 acres
 Sun 15 . At SS & ch C Long here rain
 Mon 16 . Drew stone to Gabel Ellis got trees
 Tues 17 . Ploughed lots & Nicklins gardens
 Wed 18 . Went to Listowel with Add
 Th 19 . Drilled Mangold ground Wet

Fri 20 . Cleared Potato ground Started to Plow Bo't ____ &c
 Sat 21 . Finished ploughing ditto Took straw to Dr
 Sun 22 . Went to SS & ch Elhar Preached Temperance
 Mon 23 . Sowed mangolds League Entertainment
 Tues 24 . Harrowed Potato ground Drew rails &c
 Wed 25 . Cut stakes forenoon E. Green & wife here
 Th 26 . Built fence around Potato Patch
 Fri 27 . Drew & Put Poles on fence ditto
 Sat 28 . Planted Potatoes Went to Drayton &c
 Sun 29 . Went to SS & church At Dr's for dinner
 Mon 30 . Took calves & lambs to Station &c
 Tues 31 . Washed sheep &c

JUNE 1892

Wed 1 ... Planted garden got milk can fixed &c
 Th 2 ... Got stakes for line fence. Staked fence sowed oats
 Fri 3 ... Wet day
 Sat 4 ... Ploughed Beckets garden Patched Barn roof
 Sun 5 ... Went to SS & ch Eff & Will here
 Mon 6 ... Moved fence drove 25 posts on ft of (50)
 Tues 7 ... Sheared sheep &c
 Wed 8 ... Cut of Posts Went Morning dale with Crawford
 Th 9 ... Come home from do Fenton's raising
 Fri 10 . Finished fence front of (50) acre
 Sat 11 . Picked up rails Boards & _____
 Sun 12 . SS Anniversary McLachlain _____
 Mon 13 . SS picnic drive at night Bo't buggy _____
 Tues 14 . Took Newsteads pigs to Moorefield Took two load of stone to Crawford
 Wed 15 . did road work on S road fixed gravel box _____
 Th 16 . Father & Mother at Listowel Settled cattle on (50) Took road stone to Crawford
 Fri 17 . Went to village got rods in buggy &c
 Sat 18 . Went to Elora rocks got lecture
 Sun 19 . Wet went to ch N Perkins here
 Mon 20 . Fixed Dick Welshes line fence Measured Newsteads line fence &c
 Tues 21 . Did road work for Becket
 Wed 22 . Pulled mustard McCollagh here
 Th 23 . Helped Crawford with colt Posted Bills
 Fri 24 . Scuffled mangolds C Longs picnic
 Sat 25 . Posted Cam Bills traded horses &c
 Sun 26 . Went to SS & ch Jno Shorts for tea aft
 Mon 27 . Wet forenoon Staked D Welshes line fence
 Tues 28 . Cleaned oats Moved ministers Goods Becket here &c
 Wed 29 . Hoed mangolds forenoon Wet aftnoon
 Th 30 . Took cow & heiffer to 50 & went to Nicklin Threshing Man killed

JULY 1892

Fri 1st Finished hoeing mangolds &c
 Sat 2 ... Scuffled potatoes Started to hill them
 Sun 3 ... Wet all day Camp meeting
 Mon 4 ... Went to Palmerston & Harriston
 Tues 5 ... Took father 14th got harness from Brett
 Wed 6 ... Hilled potatoes
 Th 7 ... Hilled potatoes
 Fri 8 ... Shingled on Schneiders barn
 Sat 9 ... Finished potatoes went to Ballards raising
 Sun 10 . Camp meeting
 Mon 11 . Went to village at trial from Clifford
 Tues 12 . Ground knives for mower went to Moorefield
 Wed 13 . Cut hay in orchard
 Th 14 . Cut hay at end of barn
 Fri 15 . Raked hay in orchard & at end of barn
 Sat 16 . Hitched colt Went to Palmerston with Grist
 Sun 17 . Ef & Will here Went to church at night
 Mon 18 . Drew in 12 loads hay from end of barn
 Tues 19 . Cut half of front field Clow's girls here
 Wed 20 . Took in hay from orchard Cut last of front field Chas Smith here &c
 Th 21 . Drew in hay of front field Went to Drayton
 Fri 22 . Drew in hay of ft field Fowlers at night
 Sat 23 . Finished hay in front field
 Sun 24 . Went to SS & church
 Mon 25 . Father at Cowans raked stubble &c
 Tues 26 . Commenced hay on 50 acres Party here at night
 Wed 27 . Cut hay & raked on 50
 Th 28 . Raked & Drew in hay on 50
 Fri 29 . Wet day Dick Long here
 Sat 30 . Went to Drayton for twine Took in Stack
 Sun 31 . Went to SS & church to Harriston folks here &c

AUGUST 1892

Mon 1st . Drew in hay on 50 acres
 Tues 2 ... Got Binder home Started to cut B
 Wed 3 ... Cut Barley front of RR at Geo Shorts at night
 Th 4 ... Cut Barley back of RR
 Fri 5 ... Finished cutting Barley Wet
 Sat 6 ... Cut hay with scythe &c
 Sun 7 ... Went to Rothsay Quarterly meeting
 Mon 8 ... Drew in hay on 50 acres Wm Long Woods here
 Tues 9 ... Wet hitched up colt Went to Drayton
 Wed 10 . " "
 Th 11 . Took Clow's trunk to station Went Callaway's funeral & to Drayton
 Fr 12 . Worked at grainery &c
 Sat 13 . Cut round wheat Took in 3 load barley
 Sun 14 . At SS & church At Hollen &c

Mon 15. Drew in barley John _____ here went to _____
 Tu 16. Cut wheat forenoon Drew barley
 Wed 17. Cut wheat
 Th 18. Finished wheat Cut oats back
 Fri 19. Cut Jno Welshes wheat
 Sat 20. Started to cut oats on 50 acres
 Sun 21. Went to Church Ef & Will here
 Mon 22. Finished Cut oats on 50 acres
 Tues 23. Hitched up colts Fixed for thresher Took in 4 load wheat
 Wed 24. Threshed at home
 Th 25. Wet Went to Drayton with chop
 Fri 26. Hitched up colts went to see Bill Welsh
 Sat 27. Gang ploughed went to factory
 Sun 28. Went to SS & ch
 Mon 29. Pulled pease Ef here R Holmes here
 Tu 30. Hauled in Pease Wet after 4
 Wed 31. Fixed Buggy Went to Drayton with colts & old buggy got colts shod

SEPTEMBER 1892

Th 1 ... Pulled Pease
 Fri 2 ... Drew in 5 load pease 3 load wheat
 Sat 3 ... Finished Drawing in wheat 5 load
 Sun 4 ... Went to SS & to R B H's D ch at night
 Mon 5 ... Wet forenoon Pulled pease in aft noon
 Tues 6 ... Pulled pease forenoon Ploughed aft
 Wed 7 ... Drew in 7 load pease & oats
 Th 8 ... At Fowler's threshing
 Fri 9 ... Drew in back piece oats 7 load
 Sat 10. Wet Ploughed for fall wheat
 Sun 11. Ef & Will here Went to SS & ch
 Mon 12. Wet – got Seed wheat from Cherry Took Mrs Manning to station
 Tues 13. Wet all day Finished ploughing for fall wh
 Wed 14. Made plates for ploughs &c
 Th 15. Sowing fall wheat wet
 Fri 16. Finished sowing wheat Drew manure Took in wheat rakings
 Sat 17. Turned oat shocks Finished manure
 Sun 18. Went to church at night
 Mon 19. Helped WW Scott harvest
 Tues 20. Drew manure alone Mrs Newstead here
 Wed 21. Drew manure Fowler bro't plough
 Th 22. Drew manure
 Fri 23. Wet forenoon Lawn Social aftn.
 Sat 24. Finished manure went to Drayton
 Sun 25. SS & ch Heavy Storm went to G Shorts &c
 Mon 26. Took Barley to mill went to L Anderson's Bee
 Tues 27. Gang ploughed in back 6 acres
 Wed 28. Bro't chop home Lounds here &c
 Th 29. Took Short's gang plough home Paid J Kitley &c
 Fri 30. Stumped on 50 acres Drayton Show

OCTOBER 1892

Sat 1 ... Took cattle to Colquhoun's made g door
Sun 2 ... Went to SS & ch Ef & Will here
Mon 3 ... To Pa to work Went to village Scholtes & Miss King here got hair cut
Tues 4 ... Moorefield Show Showed colts &c
Wed 5 ... Fixed Plates on ploughs ploughed in back field Mother & Norm at Drayton
Th 6 ... Got load hay Lounds here
Fri 7 ... Ploughed in back field with colts
Sat 8 ... Ploughed forenoon went to meet Corbet went to Scotts at night
Sun 9 ... Went to SS & ch at John S's for tea
Mon 10 . Ploughed in back field
Tues 11 . Had lame back could do 0
Wed 12 . Took Pail to village G Scarr's sale
Th 13 . Went to W Welsh's Jn Boothe's threshing Uncle E. Green here
Fri 14 . Took Barley to chop got wood &c
Sat 15 . Asked hands to thresh. Cleared Barn &c
Sun 16 . Went to SS & ch F.Short here
Mon 17 . Threshed at home
Tues 18 . Threshed on 50 Ef & Will here _____
Wed 19 . Ploughed Back of RR got Dr's horse
Th 20 . Ploughed back of RR
Fri 21 . Ploughed back of RR Pot L Supper
Sat 22 . Took in 8 load mangolds went to Harriston
Sun 23 . At Harriston ch Norm & Ev at Scarr's
Mon 24 . Went to Drew came home
Tues 25 . Took apples to cider mill &c
Wed 26 . Made apple butter drew wood &c
Th 27 . Finished Mangolds got 8 chop
Fri 28 . Ploughed 4noon Stumped after
Sat 29 . Stormy rain
Sun 30 . Went to SS Jno S's &c
Mon 31 . Went to Will Cowans &c

NOVEMBER 1892

Tues 1 ... At Will Cowans
Wed 2 ... Came home from Wills
Th 3 ... Cleaned & took grist to Palmerston
Fr 4 ... Put Machinery in Stormy afternoon Went to Dr C's at night L Ney there
Sat 5 ... Drew manure from pig pen &c
Sun 6 ... Went to Quarterly meeting G. Short here
Mon 7 ... Cleaned chop Ch Board meeting
Tues 8 ... Got wood & chop SS T Convention
Wed 9 ... Drew manure from Dr's Ef & Wil here
Th 10 . Got colts home cleaned pig pen &c G Short here
Fri 11 . Doing chores alone Sold cattle &c
Sat 12 . Doing chores " Got load wood Mother & Norm at Listowel

Sun 13. Went to SS & ch
 Mon 14. Took cattle to village Wet day
 Tues 15. Struck out drain on 50 &c
 Wed 16. Went to Drayton for tile &c _____ on hand
 Th 17. Took tyle to 50 got 2nd load ditto
 Fri 18. Took chop to mill got wood &c
 Sat 19. Got chop worked at drain
 Sun 20. Went to SS & ch C. Long here
 Mon 21. Worked at drain
 Tues 22. Worked at drain
 Wed 23. Finished drain got 45 tyle &c
 Th 24. Cut wood Went to Allendorf's &c R B Holmes here
 Fri 25. Took geese to Cleggs got horse blanket Ef & Wil here
 Sat 26. Shingled for Brendle
 Sun 27. Went to ch & to G. Perkins
 Mon 28. Cut wood Miss Derby here
 Tu 29. Cut up wood R B Holmes here
 Wed 30. Got up wood &c

DECEMBER 1892

Th 1 ... Killed pig &c T Henderson here
 Fri 2 ... Took chop to mill got team shod
 Sat 3 ... Went to Will Cowans Crawfords at night
 Sun 4 ... A SS & ch Jas Perkins for tea
 Mon 5 ... At Council meeting &c
 Tues 6 ... Wet day Jubalee Services
 Wed 7 ... Wet day Fixed Pump at Barn
 Th 8 ... Stormy got straps at village
 Fri 9 ... Went to cheese factory ground all Took load cheese
 Sat 10. Went to Drayton got boots & our Show
 Sun 11. Went to SS & ch Cowan Sermon &c
 Mon 12. Got chop Travelling dairy in Town
 Tues 13. Did all chores Father & Mother to Wills
 Wed 14. Doing chores Norm to Locherans thresh
 Th 15.. " " Fergusons thresh
 Fri 16. Got old team shod Vet here
 Sat 17. Cut saw logs Th Henderson here
 Sun 18. Went to church Anniversry Rev F. Nugent preached
 Mon 19. Cleaned pease Tea meeting
 Tu 20. Cleaned Pease & chop Mr Bready's entertainment
 Wed 21. Commenced to clean wheat Stormy
 Th 22. Finished cleaning wheat Went to Drayton Market
 Fri 23. Stormy went to village with Ad Went to Miss Munroe's exam
 Sat 24. Cut wood after noon
 Sun 25. Stormy day Went to ch Ef & Will here
 Mon 26. Nomination day went to G. Short's for T
 Tues 27. Took chop to village got wood Douglas here &c
 Wed 28. Cleaned barley &c
 Th 29. Cut wood & sawlogs in bush
 Fri 30. Went to Geo Green's

Sat 31 . Went to Palmerston with Barley

JANUARY 1893

Sun 1 ... Went to ch at night
Mon 2 ... Election day went to Rothsay at night
Tu 3 ... Cleaned load barley went to F S
Wed 4 ... Took load barley to Palmerston Settled with Breandle
Th 5 ... Stormy rook chop to mill helped F Short with Pork &c Stormy night
Fri 6 ... got chop Cleaned Barley & seed oats
Sat 7 ... Made wood rack got wood Took Ad to village got cutter fixed
Sun 8 ... Went to SS & ch McKlines at night
Mon 9 ... Took load Barley to Palmerston
Tu 10 . Drew wood out of bush for Kyle
Wed 11 . Cut soft wood R B Holmes here
Th 12 . Took load wood to tile yard Went to N Perkins for dinner
Fri 13 . Took straw to Dr wood to Drayton
Sat 14 . Took load wood to Drayton
Sun 15 . Late for SS Went to N Perkins & ch
Mon 16 . Got up wood went to village to _____
Tu 17 . District Sund Sch Convention in Mfld
Wed 18 . Killed pork at home 18 Pigs
Th 19 . Took Pork to Drayton &c got 8.45
Fri 20 . Cut wood in bush
Sat 21 . Took straw to Dr Cut wood &c
Sun 22 . Went to SS & ch At Fowlers for tea
Mon 23 . Took load wood to Drayton Epworth League re-organized
Tues 24 . Went to Palmerston with grist of W.
We 25 . Cut saw logs went to Arthur &c
Th 26 . Took load wood to Drayton
Fri 27 . Annual meeting P & M Ins Co Took wood to D.
Sat 28 . Wet storm went to village for salt
Sun 29 . Went to SS & ch Ef & Will here
Mon 30 . Got banks for sleigh Drew up wood &c
Tu 31 . Took 3 cord wood to Moorefield & c Heavy Snow Storm from east

FEBRUARY 1893

Wed 1 ... Fixed saw log banks on sleigh
Th 2 ... Made Skid way Skided saw logs
Fri 3 ... Skid logs forenoon Stormy got hair cut &c
Sat 4 ... Skid logs aft noon broke whiffle tree E. Short went to Darlington
Sun 5 ... Went to Drayton new ch Hambly for meals
Mon 6 ... Nothing but chores went to village
Tu 7 ... Skid logs got 500 Tile from Drayton
Wed 8 ... Attended lamb went to Drayton for tile
Th 9 ... Brot 3 loads oats from (50) Kate Bready married
Fri 10 . Stormy. Cleaned oats fixed hay rack
Sat 11 . Got 2 loads oats Took hay to Kirkby tb 390 Will Cowan & R B Holmes here
Sun 12 . Went to SS & to Drayton church
Mon 13 . Split wood at door Went to Drayton church tea meeting

Tu 14. Went to Wm Rule's sale Wet day
 Wed 15. Broke road to tenth &c
 Th 16. R B Holmes here Went to Palmerston with logs
 Fri 17. Took logs to Palmerston F Short helped
 Sat 18. Took saw logs to mill F Short helped Got one load upset got stuck &c
 Sun 19. Stormy staid round house all day did not go to ch
 Mon 20. Took lumber to Mfld got Maud shod broke road to tenth &c
 Tu 21. Went to saw mill Geo Bonds Party
 Wed 22. Piled lumber R. Long here
 Th 23. Went to Saw mill aft noon stormy
 Fri 24. Broke road to tenth Went to N Perkins at night J. Hunt here
 Sat 25. Took 2. 18ft 1. 12ft logs to mill got stuck on road C. Long here Ef & Will here
 Sun 26. Went to SS & ch
 Mon 27. Took logs to mill F.Short F.Henderson help
 Tu 28. Went to village with Ad Maud harness Got Broad axe &c &c Wet fornoon

MARCH 1893

Wed 1 ... Went to Palmerston with logs got load wood F Short here
 Th 2 ... Skid logs went to Palmerston with logs Frank Short helped
 Fri 3 ... Went to Listowel Fair with F Short
 Sat 4 ... Took Crawford hay went to Palmerston with logs F Short helped
 Sun 5 ... Went to SS & ch Nicklin for dinner geo Shorts for tea Pres. Am.
 Mon 6 ... Took lumber to village got load wood &c
 Tu 7 ... Took ash logs to P. Party at Maudsleys
 Wed 8 ... Took last of logs to Palmerston rain at night
 Th 9 ... Got load of hay from (50) Cleaned oats &c wet day
 Fri 10. Took chop to mill got harness from Bready
 Sat 11. Got chop chored round Wet day
 Sun 12. Went to SS & ch At J Short for din & Tea
 Mon 13. Roads bad river flood Piled S K_____ &c
 Tu 14. Drew 3 loads hay from (50) acres
 Wed 15. Stormy day went to Nicklins Party
 Th 16. Got load wood &c R B Holmes here SS Teachers meeting &c
 Fri 17. Got load wood Went to J. Shorts
 Sat 18. Went to Palmerston & Harriston &c
 Sun 19. Went to SS & ch to Scarr's at night
 Mon 20. Came home from Harriston
 Tu 21. Went to F. Wards sale
 Wed 22. Sold J Scott pease E Stewart here
 Th 23. Brot Cow from Wards Worked at wagon box
 Fri 24. Finished Waggon Box &c
 Sat 25. Painted Wag. Box Got team shod &c
 Sun 26. Went to SS & ch at Will C's for Din & T
 Mon 27. Attended sick colt died
 Tu 28. Got wood &c shipped E. Wilds goods

Wed 29. Cut wood at door went to N Perkins wood bee aft noon
 Th 30. Cut wood Meeting about Sp Show
 Fri 31. Got Boots taped Misses Graham here

APRIL 1893

Sat 1 ... Helped f Short at wood Bee
 Sun 2 ... Went to SS & ch Easter Ef & Will here went to presby Ch & to Nicklins for Tea
 Mon 3 ... Wet day cleaned Pease fixed gate &c
 Tu 4 ... Got F Shorts saw Cut wood 3 cord
 Wed 5 ... Cleaned pig pens Struck out drain in front field Rev Lounds here
 Thur 6 ... Digging at ditch in ft field
 Fri 7 ... Wet day got spring seat on wagon
 Sat 8 ... Finished first part digging in front field
 Sun 9 ... Went to SS & ch To Shorts for din & T
 Mon 10. Worked at 2nd Piece of drain frt field
 Tu 11. Finished do Start drain past end of barn
 Wed 12. Wet forenoon Went to village to get suit bound sorted Potatoes cleaned oats
 Thu 13. Started to plough sod on 50 acres Moorefield Spring show
 Fri 14. Went to Geo Green's for Barley Norm ploughed &c
 Sat 15. Wet snow, cleaned around Woodhouse
 Sun 16. Went to SS & ch F Short here for D & T
 Mon 17. Ploughed on (50) Wet morning
 Tu 18. Took hay to Kyle & Gabel Drew rails back to line bet Newstead _____
 Wed 19. Ploughed & stumped on 50 _____
 Th 20. Wet storm fixed sheep pen &c
 Fri 21. Still cold & wet Jno Boothe here to see about vote &c had cold
 Sat 22. Got load wood sighted B line
 Sun 23. Went to SS & ch Norm's lamb died
 Mon 24. Drew stakes to B line &c Ploughed in front field aft noon
 Tu 25. Ploughed do Pigs came
 Wed 26. Took straw to Dr Ploughed in ft field
 Thu 27. Ploughed ft field quite wet
 Fri 28. Finished ploughing ft field Drove stakes on line fence (50) forenoon got Clover
 Sat 29. Finished Ploughing back field
 Sun 30. Quarterly meeting Wet at Dr no anniv Swan preached

MAY 1893

M 1st. Wet day went to flour mill &c Quarterly official meeting at ch
 Tu 2 ... Finished line fence betw. us & Newstead
 W 3 ... Started to so grain Barley in back field
 Th 4 ... Cultivated field betw Bushes &c
 Fri 5 ... Sowed ditto A. Travis here

Sat 6 ... Cultivated field back of RR A. Travis here
 Sun 7 ... Went to SS & ch our folks to Ef & Will
 Mon 8 ... Sowing field Back of RR
 Tu 9 ... Finished do started to sow pease ft field
 W 10 ... Finished sowing ft field Trustee's meet in ch
 Thu 11 ... Harrowed some of ft field ploughed on (50) acre
 Fri 12 ... Finished Ploughing on (50) started to sow pease on do
 Sat 13 ... Finished seeding C Long here for tea
 Sun 14 ... Went to SS & ch & to Ef's for Mother train Obanyou Troup at night in Presby
 Mon 15 ... Worked at R Welsh line fence Jubilee at night
 Tu 16 ... Commenced to draw manure from Dr Wet aft noon
 Wed 17 ... Wet took Ad to village meeting at Mrs Findly
 Th 18 ... Took load wood to J Kyle sold calf Finished drawing manure from Dr
 Fri 19 ... Build fence on 50 acres
 Sat 20 ... Helped Jno Short all day
 Sun 21 ... Went to SS & to Rothsay ch
 Mon 22 ... Ploughed lots &c
 Tu 23 ... Ploughed Nicklins Garden forenoon build fence on 50 aft noon
 Wed 25 ... Sold calf & oats Took straw to Dr
 Fri 26 ... Harrowed turnip Ground Drew 3 load sand
 Sat 27 ... Drew two load sand fixed fence across river at Newsteads
 Sun 28 ... Went to Wm Longs &c
 Mon 29 ... Went to Allendorf's &c got scraper started to dig seller
 Tues 30 ... Worked at seller in village
 Wed 31 ... Finished digging seller got seed potatoes F Short got cart

JUNE 1893

Th 1 ... Got lime from station drew 4 load stone
 Fri 2 ... Took hay to Anderson Bros Drew 2 load stone
 Sat 3 ... Drew 3 load stone A Graves here blasting Heavy rain Storm aft noon
 Sun 4 ... Went to Geo Awd's to Drayton ch &c
 Mon 5 ... Drew stone
 Tu 6 ... Drew stone Practice for Ann
 Wed 7 ... Drew stone Cook Com here &c sheared sheep
 Th 8 ... Worked at ch shed sold ram & lamb
 Fri 9 ... Commenced to post Bill for C meeting
 Sat 10 ... Finished Posting Camp Meeting Bill
 Sun 11 ... S S Anniversary Smitt Preached
 Mon 12 ... Drew stone forenoon SS Picnic aft noon
 Tu 13 ... Drew stone
 Wed 14 ... Drew stone
 Th 15 ... Drew stone Took chop to mill
 Fri 16 ... Patron's Picnic Ploughed Turnip ground

Sat 17. Did road work on side road hewed turnips
 Sun 18. Went to Camp Meeting
 M 19. Drew stone
 Tu 20. Drew sand & stone
 Wed 21. Drew stone
 Th 22. Drew stone
 Fri 23. Drew stone made window frames &c
 Sat 24. Finished Drawing stone got old team shod
 Sun 25. last Sund camp At J.Short for T
 Mon 26. Wet forenoon Drew 2 load sand &c
 Tu 27. Drew 3 load wood to J Kyle hoed potatoes
 We 28. Jas Duncans raising
 Th 29. Got grabs put up Hay fork track
 Fr 30. Took Grist to Palmerston got tank &c

JULY 1893

Sat 1st. Drew sills & sleepers for house
 Sun 2... Went to SS & ch At G Shorts &c
 Mon 3... Ploughed through potatoes & hand cut lumber
 Tu 4... Trimed studing timber for house Pulled mustard
 Wed 5... Made hay rack fixed gate on (50) &c
 Th 6... Drew 3 sleepers to village raised side of building
 Fri 7... Put in end studs &c at new house Went to Dr Cassidy's for evening
 Sat 8... Worked at new house Scott made rafters Went to Palmerston at night etc
 Sun 9... Went to SS & ch at J Shorts for D & T
 Mon 10. Worked at new house Scott helped
 Tu 11. Cut hay in orchard Went to Stirton to get wagon &c
 Wed 12. Cut hay on (50) Wet Ef & Will here
 Th 13. Cut hay got chop &c wet
 Fri 14. got up load wood went to R Lows raising
 Sat 15. Took Kate to get shod put up hay in orchard Uncle Toms cabin &c
 Sun 16. Colt died Went to ch Jas Underhill up
 Mon 17. Raked & drew in 8 loads of hay on 50
 Tu 18. Cut piece hay on 50 Drew in 3 load Drew in hay of orchard &c
 We 19. Finished cut hay on 50 Drew in 4 load
 Th 20. Commenced to cut hay front of RR
 Fri 21. Finished do Commenced to rake &c
 Sat 22. Finished raking & poking hay front of RR hitched up colt &c
 Sun 23. Went to SS & to J. Shorts for din & T C Long here Went to ch
 Mon 24. Finished drawing hay on 50 Took in 7 loads here
 Tu 25. Drew in hay frt of RR 13 load
 Wed 26. Took Binder to shop &c
 Th 27. Finished hay ft of RR Rakings &c

Fri 28. Sold cow Cut hay in ft field cut wheat
 Sat 29. Finished cut wheat Cut round Barley
 Sun 30. Went to SS & ch our folks to Will's
 Mon 31. Cut 6 acres barley

AUGUST 1893

Tu 1st. Went to Scotts for F Scholte Cut Barley Ef & W picking berries here
 W 2nd. Finished cutting barley went to borrow wagon
 Th 3rd. Drew 6 acres barley 4 load
 Fri 4th. Drew in 7 load F wheat Back of River & RR
 Sat 5... Finished drawing in F wheat Wet
 Sun 6... Went to SS & ch Went to Jno Walkers &c
 Mon 7... Took Frank home Took in Wheat & Barley rakings Wm Long here
 Tu 8... Drew 22 loads manure on field end of Barn
 W 9... Drew in 4 load barley broke traces
 Th 10. Finished Drawing Barley from Listowel to Camp Ground Picnic
 Fri 11. Took in Barley rakings Got measured for suit
 Sat 12. Drew manure Took Shorts wagon home &c
 Sun 13. Went to Drayton No Ch &c
 Mon 14. Cut up wood Threshed at home
 Tu 15. Ploughed (2 furrow) in Back field
 W 16. Ploughed in Back field rain
 Th 17. Ploughed in Back field hitched up Charley first time
 Fri 18. Finished ploughing Back field Norm went to Drayton for Cornish lumber &c got suit
 Sat 19. Gang ploughed fall wheat ground Hitched up colt at night &c
 Sun 20. Went to SS & ch Chapmans here &c
 Mon 21. Pulled pease in front field
 Tu 22. Took Grist to Palmerston Bro't new wagon from Stirton to Drayton for cornice
 lumber
 W 23. Went to Allendorfs Pulled Pease..Mr & Mrs Lounds here Young folk here at night
 Th 24. Drew in 8 load pease made wagon reach
 Fr 25. Commenced to cut oats back of RR
 Sat 26. Got Binder fixed Finished cutting do
 Sun 27. Went to SS & ch wet
 Mon 28. Went to Jno Shorts threshing
 Tu 29. Ploughed finished fall wheat Ground
 We 30. Finished Pulling pease in ft field Took in 3 loads do
 Th 31. Took in 1 load Pease Took chop to mill

SEPTEMBER 1893

Fr 1 ... Drew in 6 load oats Maggie Ney here
 Sat 2 ... Finished Drawing in oats
 Sun 3 ... Went to SS & ch to J. Shorts for tea
 Mo 4 ... Went to Drayton worked at fence R B Holmes here &c
 Tu 5 ... Shingled at house
 We 6 ... Went to Drayton for stuff for house
 Th 7 ... Got work Bench & oats from Shorts Worked at house Scott here
 Fr 8 ... Scott here Worked at cornice on house
 Sat 9 ... Cut corner of oats on 50 Worked at house
 Sun 10 ... Went to SS & ch sermon on "fools"
 Mon 11 ... Drew in pease on 50 acres
 Tu 12 ... Finished pease & oats on do Drew Stone for well
 We 13 ... Got Kate shod lamb from J Boothes got chop commenced to Draw manure on 50
 ac
 Th 14 ... Drew manure on 50 &c
 Fr 15 ... Finished do Took binder to other barn Bot lamb \$4.50 from Short &c
 Sat 16 ... Wet day laid flooring in house
 Sun 17 ... Went to SS & ch Went to Geo Shorts
 Mon 18 ... Laying floor Scott here
 Tu 19 ... Got load hay Drew manure 19 load front field
 We 20 ... Bro't up wood drew manure 22 load front field
 Th 21 ... Got hay went to Drayton for stuff for house
 Fr 22 ... Drew manure 22 loads
 Sat 23 ... Finished Drawing do 8 Ed J & wife here
 Sun 24 ... Ed here went to ch
 Mon 25 ... Got hay Worked at flooring & chimney stands
 Tu 26 ... Ploughed on 50 acres T Henderson here
 We 27 ... Ploughed do
 Th 28 ... Ploughed do got load wood to thresh
 Fr 29 ... Ploughed do Norm got load wood for J. Kyle &c
 Sat 30 ... Finished ploughing on 50 acres Bro't hay home &c

OCTOBER 1893

Sun 1st ... Went to SS & ch Went to Will Cowans &c
 Mon 2 ... Took chop to mill Drew up wood to thresh
 Tu 3 ... Went to Drayton for Brick Commenced to thresh
 We 4 ... Threshed at home went to scotts
 Th 5 ... Cleaned barn floor ploughed in f wheat field
 Fr 6 ... Ploughed back of the river 4noon Went to Moorefield Show
 Sat 7 ... Took M. Ney to A. Robbs Ploughed &c F. Short here with lambs
 Sun 8 ... Went to SS & ch Norm & old folks at Will Cowans
 Mo 9 ... Took 10 Bags chop to mill Brot thorough Bred heifer from Scotts
 Tu 10 ... Dug potatoes at home broke wagon tongue

We 11. Dug potatoes at village
 Th 12. Went to Listowel to hear McCarthy
 Fri 13. Ploughed in Back field McBeth's stable burned
 Sat 14. Rainy day. Went to Stirton with wagon tongue Tinkered round barn
 Sun 15. Wet day Went to ch at night
 Mo 16. Went to Palmerston with grist & to Harriston for lumber
 Tu 17. Bro't lumber home .1400 rustic
 We 18. Unloaded lumber worked at house
 Th 19. Worked at new house Douglas here for night
 Fr 20. Worked at house Took load wood for Jms Kyle
 Sat 21. Finished putting on rustic F Short here for oats Ad & I there at eve
 Sun 22. Went to SS & ch Norm & Ad to Lounds
 Mo 23. Went to village & to Harriston to get lath
 Tu 24. Bro't lath home & grist &c
 We 25. Took lath to house got glass &c got two loads sand
 Th 26. Took load wood to Usher water for mortar lathed up afternoon
 Fr 27. Took load stone to Jno Short helped him at well aftrnoon
 Sat 28. Bro't load wood + two load sand
 Sun 29. Went to J. Shorts & to Stirton ch
 Mon 30. Drew Shingles for Nicklin Stirton
 Tu 31. Threshed for Jno Short &c

NOVEMBER 1893

Wed 1 ... Went to Stirton for hair lathed &c
 Th 2 ... Lathed forenoon Drew 2 load Trim
 Fr 3 ... Finished turnips 4 load
 Sat 4 ... Went to Drayton Sold steer (\$26.) lathed
 Sun 5 ... Quarterly meeting went to Shorts for tea
 Mo 6 ... Took chop lathed rest of day
 Tu 7 ... Lathed forenoon went to Temperance Convention
 We 8 ... Finished lathing house ploughed front field
 Th 9 ... Ploughed & sold pig \$10.50
 Fr 10. Worked for Scott at pig pen
 Sat 11. Shingled for WW Scott Paid Pollock \$35.00
 Sun 12. Went to SS & ch went to Kinsmans for T Chapman & wife here
 Mo 13. Wet got load wood &c Drew manure on garden
 Tu 14. Finished manure garden ploughed do
 We 15. Banked house &c Stormy day
 Th 16. Went for saw cut & drew up load wood
 Fri 17. Cut wood killed & sold pig 180 lb
 Sat 18. Did chores Brot Heifer from Scott
 Sun 19. Went to SS & ch at Mrs Findly's &c
 Mo 20. Went to village &c Went to Will Cowans &c

Tu 21. Took J. Kyle 16.50 hay at Scotts aft noon
 We 22. Stormy day Cleaned pease fixed round pig pen
 Th 23. Went to G. Shorts Thanksgiving day
 Fr 24. Temperance meeting Mfld &c
 Sat 25. Took hay to Crawford Went to Chapman's Staid here all night
 Sun 26. Came to ch at night &c
 Mo 27. Killed & took pig to Bucher &c
 Tu 28. Took hay to Kirkby Cleaned chop
 We 29. Worked at house Scott here
 Th 30. Stormy day got two loads wood Men here working at piles at bridge &c
 Sold heifer \$24.00

DECEMBER 1893

Fri 1 ... Took heifer to Bosworth paid Bill & Bill _____ &c
 Sat 2 ... Cow died Reform meeting aftnoon &c
 Sun 3 ... Went to church
 Mo 4 ... Rainy day Cleaned pease
 Tu 5 ... Went to SS Convention Palmerston
 Wed 6 " " " J Shorts here
 Th 7 ... Did nothing but chores &c
 Fr 8 ... Drew manure of mid stable Took door down Scott here
 Sat 9 ... Finished drawing manure of mid stable
 Sun 10. Went to SS & ch At N Perkins for tea
 Mo 11. At G Morgans Threshing
 Tu 12. Got load pease cleaned do
 We 13. Cut wood Drew up load
 Th 14. Cut wood
 Fr 15. Worked at Scotts Stables rain
 Sa 16. Cleaned load Pease from 50
 Su 17. At SS & ch Jas Bready's funeral
 Mo 18. Stormy day did nothing
 Tu 19. Cut 2 cord wood
 We 20. Got load Pease from 50 acres Stormy
 Th 21. Went to Drayton with Ad
 Fr 22. Got Pease &c Nomination day
 Sat 23. Sold 3 load pease 57 cts
 Sun 24. Went to ch rainy forenoon
 Mo 25. Wet day Put some rustic on Wood house
 Tu 26. Put rustic & cornish on end of wood house
 We 27. Ad's Weding day
 Th 28. Did nothing but chores
 Fr 29. Took dishes tables &c home sick At Will Cowans all night Paid taxes

Sat 30. Came home from wills Finished Putting rustic on wood house
 Sun 31. Went to SS & ch review day SS

JANUARY 1894

Mo 1st. Election day acted as Scrutinire for Plebisite &c
 Tu 2... Went to Allendorf's threshing for Scott
 We 3... Did nothing but chores Kinsmans here all week
 Th 4 " " " " Norm sick all week
 Fr 5... " " " " Chapmans here
 Sat 6... Went to Drayton with check
 Sun 7... .Went to SS & ch
 Mo 8... Got up wood to butcher
 Tu 9... Cut wood in bush
 We 10. Killed piggs
 Th 11. Took pork to Drayton 1982 lbs at \$ 6.48 per 100 Our folks moved
 Fr 12. Made & hung storm door for Father Took Ad to Wm Longs
 Sat 13. Cut up & packed pork sent wood to Wills
 Sun 14. Did not go to SS & went to ch
 Mo 15. Churned changed door in bedroom &c
 Tu 16. Ad came up to scrub &c moved stove
 We 17. Packed Ad's things sold cattle &c E. Jordan here
 Th 18. Took Ad's things to Glenallan
 Fr 19. Went to Palmerston N traded team from village
 Sat 20. Bo't roasting tins &c
 Sun 21. Went to Geo Shorts for din &c
 Mo 22. Churned Took hay to J Kyle
 Tu 23. Ordered suit bro't wagon home
 Wed 24. Went to village for mortar plastered kitchen
 Th 25. Fixed drain in cow stable got 2 load wood Bo't axe 1.25 & handl .20 &c
 Fri 26. Went to Drayton Insurance meeting
 Sat 27. Took load wood to Father C Long here
 Sun 28. Went to ch morn & eve & J Short to Tea
 Mo 29. Went to Palmerston got watch cleaned
 Tu 30. Cut 2 cords wood aftnoon
 We 31. Took 2 loads wood to Father Sent to Palmerston for 18 bags oat meal dust &c

FEBRUARY 1894

Th 1... Took Gabel hay Made wood box
 Fr 2... Painted doors & windows
 Sat 3... Helped Jno Short Drawing Straw
 Sun 4... Went to ch Shorts for Tea
 Mo 5... Painted in parlor went to see Newsteads

Tu 6 ... Took in stack of hay churned
 We 7 ... Went to Frank Short's wedding
 Th 8 ... Will Cowans here Cleaned chop &c
 Fri 9 ... Got stain stained & varnished Beaureau Wash stand & Painted Sec coat of Parlor
 Sat 10 . Fixed floor & door of Kitchen &c
 Sun 11 . At SS & ch Went to Fowlers &c
 Mo 12 . Bo't Paint Brush finished Painting Parlor G Cowan & boy here for dinner Storm
 Tu 13 . Went to see about hay Press
 We 14 . Hay Pressers here
 Th 15 . do Took one load to ship
 Fri 16 . Shipped 6 load hay
 Sat 17 . Took Father hay did churning &c
 Sun 18 . Anniversary Sermons Casson
 Mo 19 . Hitched up Father's colt got suit
 Tu 20 . Drew hay to Crawford
 Wed 21 . Effie here cleaning house
 Th 22 . " " Cut wood
 Fri 23 . Norm drew up wood I painted bedroom
 Sat 24 . Painted Bedroom 2nd. Churned went to Kinsman's Party Frank S came to house
 Sun 25 . Went to SS & ch Shorts for Dinner
 Mo 26 . Finished Paint bedroom &c
 Tu 27 . Bo't chop got Maud shod &c
 W 28 . Our Wedding day

MARCH 1894

Th 1st . Went to Drayton F. Courtice _____ Bot Wall paper &c
 Fri 2nd Whitewashed ceiling &c Maudsley's at night
 Sat 3 ... Bro't Edith's goods Flora & Lu Courtice went home set up cup board
 Sun 4 ... Went to SS & ch Mr J. Shorts for day
 M 5 ... Papered best bedroom F & M Short here
 Tu 6 ... Commenced to paper parlor
 We 7 ... Finished papered parlor
 Th 8 ... Put down carpet bot curtains
 Fr 9 ... White washed trunk room Ef & Will here
 Sat 10 . " " kitchen &c
 Sun 11 . Went to SS & ch Maud & Frank &c here
 Mo 12 . Went to cut wood for Jno Short
 Tu 13 . Bro't Mother here
 We 14 . Bro't check from 50 acres got chop
 Th 15 . White washed up stairs &c
 Fr 16 . Mr Short here cutting wood
 Sat 17 . " " " forenoon rain aft noon Edith Presented with address & by SS class
 Sun 18 . Went to Ss & ch Chapmans here

Mo 19. Mr Short here cut wood went to see about selling house Treacastle
 Tu 20. Mr Short here cut & split wood
 We 21. Went to Tom Hendersons tea wet
 Th 22. Went to saw wood for Mr Short
 Fr 23. N Perkin's wood bee Ad & C here
 Sat 24. Went to Duncans for seed ____
 Sun 25. Went to SS & ch Geo Short here
 Mo 26. Split wood morn at J Shorts
 Tu 27. Got Maud shod drew manure for Newstead
 We 28. Cleaned limbs in orchard Went to Fowlers for tea
 Th 29. Drawing & spread manure Harry Boothe got leg broken
 Fri 30. Filed saw for Jno Short Ef sick
 Sat 31. Came from Cowans Took chop to mill Frank sick

APRIL 1894

Sun 1 ... Went to SS & ch Ad here for tea
 Mo 2 ... Split stakes Mr Short here
 Tu 3 ... Started fence back of river
 We 4 ... Worked at ditto
 Th 5 ... Worked at fence do Wet C & Ad here
 Fr 6 ... Frank & Maud here worked on fence on flats Bot pails Sold 10 bus oats to F Short
 Sat 7 ... Finished up fencing &c got Bars
 Sun 8Went to SS &c at Mr Shorts for Din At Presby ch & G Shorts for tea
 Mo 9 ... Killed pigs bo't grass seed Nicklin here &c
 Tu 10. Very stormy day cut up pork
 We 11. Got load hay Took father wood &c
 Th 12. Shipped pigs started to plough
 Fr 13. Ploughed on 50 acres went to Allendorfs &c
 Sat 14. do Mr Lounds & Missionarys here
 Sun 15. Went to SS & ch Ad Clarence Arthur Perkins Mr Short here
 Mo 16. Finished ploughing 50 hunted sheep
 Tu 17. Started to sow oats back field
 We 18. Finished do sowed turnip ground too Started to cult Barley ground on 50
 Th 19..Finished do started to sow barley
 Fr 20. Finished do wet
 Sat 21. Sowed pease on 50 went to Shorts
 Sun 22. Went to ch
 Mo 23. Sowed oats & grass Back of river
 Tu 24. Cultivated Barley ground front field Eva Perkin here all night
 We 25. Sowed barley in front field
 Th 26. Fixed seed drill Ploughed back of Scholtes
 Fr 27. Ploughed Back of RR F & Maud here &c
 Sat 28. Wet Fixed plough Planted Strawberries

Sun 29. Titia Clarke here went to ch &c
 Mo 30. Hunted cow & Finished ploughing back of Scholtes Fixed Newsteads line fence bo't
 stove

MAY 1894

Tu 1st. Sowed field back of RR oats went to Shorts evening
 We 2nd Ploughed sod at end of barn bot plum trees
 Th 3rd. Ploughed sod at end of barn F Short here Meeting about SS Anniversary
 Newsteads here
 Fr 4... Sowed Pease at end of barn finished seed &c
 Sat 5... Sowed mangolds oiled Harness
 Sun 6... Quarterly meeting Miss D spoke at night
 Mo 7... Took cattle to 50 acres Quarterly business meeting
 Tu 8... Took flour & potatoes to village Drew manure on root ground
 We 9... Drew manure 27 loads on root ground Took hay to father
 Th 10. Ploughed & harrowed root ground
 Fr 11. Took seed drill over to 50 Worked at garden hasting Miss Clarke
 Sat 12. Washed buggy went to Ads
 Sun 13. Went to Glenallen ch & to Moorefield at night
 Mo 14. Wet Newstead here Norm worked for father
 Tu 15. Ploughed Father & Jim Kyles. Clarence & Ad here went to Shorts at night
 We 16. Drew stone to village at Father's for T District meeting Methodist ch
 Th 17. Dug post holes front of house
 Fr 18. Built fence front of house
 Sat 19. Took chop to Flax mill wet
 Sun 20. Went to SS & ch Geo Shorts & T Hendersons here
 Mo 21. Wet forenoon Fixed fence back of little meadow Started milk factory got chop home
 Tu 22. Fixed grape vine & milk stand
 We 23. Repaired fence on 50 &c &c
 Th 24. F & M Short Miss Graham here
 Fr 25. Fixed floors in wood house
 Sat 26. Went to Guelph
 Sun 27. Went to Chalmers ch Guelph &c
 Mo 28. Came home from G. Cold
 Tu 29. Got load hay &c wet
 We 30. Fixed windows in wood house
 Th 31. Started to paper kitchen &c

JUNE 1894

Fri 1st. Finished papering kitchen went to Drayton Jno Dryden meeting Wet
 Sat 2 .. Wet day Took out Joyce in wood house
 Sun 3... Went to SS & ch Forester's Camp meeting
 Mo 4... Went to Fowler's At Nicklins for tea &c

Tu 5 ... Drew Father wood Took stable stuff to mfld
 We 6 ... Patrons Picnic harrowed Potato ground
 Th 7 ... Planted Potatoes 4 bags
 Fr 8 ... Went to G.Shorts morning To Drayton Tucker meeting &c
 Sat 9 ... Washed sheep planted bag potatoes
 Sun 10 . SS am Mr Stafford Preached
 Mon 11 . Sun Sch Picnic Finished Potatoes
 Tu 12 . Drew manure for Mr Short
 Wed 13 . Ploughed root ground. Sheared sheep
 Th 14 . Did road work on side road Scuffled & hoed mangolds
 Fr 15 . Made drills for turnips Edith drove home
 Sat 16 . Took wool to village Sowed turnips
 Sun 17 . Went to N Perkins & to ch
 Mo 18 . Started at house on 50 acre
 Tu 19 . Howed in garden Got new pail
 We 20 . Done road work worked at fence set out cabbage plants &c
 Th 21 . Worked at fence on 50 Effie & Holmes here
 Fr 22 . Drew sand to Father went to Drayton Epworth League
 Sat 23 . Finished fence on 50 mowed grass &c &c
 Sun 24 . Went to Camp Meeting
 Mo 25 . Got cabbage plants Took 2 loads stone to Father
 Tu 26 . Ontario Election Scrutineered for Allen J Masson Tucker max 272
 We 27 . Hoeing in garden went to Drayton
 Th 28 . Cut thistles in oat field
 Fr 29 . 1 day road work for Malc. Cut thistles back
 Sat 30 . Ploughed through Potatoes went to Longs

JULY 1894

Sun 1st . Pennocks & Clarence L here Went to Camp mtg
 Mon 2 ... Orchester folk here childrens day on camp
 Tu 3 ... Ploughed some potatoes broke in colt Took lumber to Father
 We 4 ... Mowed last of hay in orchard &c
 Th 5 ... Put up frame for father's stable
 Fr 6 ... Took old iron to village got straw from 50
 Sat 7 ... Norm & I worked at father's stable
 Sun 8 ... Mr Short here for dinner went to ch & to Geo Shorts after ch
 Mo 9 ... Scuffled turnip and hay back 6 acres
 Tu 10 . Went to Barn raising Schneiders hoed turnips
 We 11 . Raked and put up hay back 6 acre
 Th 12 . Hoed turnips took in load hay &c
 Fr 13 . Sold sheep Took it to Drayton
 Sat 14 . Took in hay of 6 acre back R field

Sun 15. Went to SS & ch & to Geo Shorts
 Mon 16. Hoed turnips cut hay front to RR
 Tu 17. " forenoon Mr Youngs here
 We 18. Raked do Put up hay front of potatoes
 Th 19. Finished do & went to 4th with Jno Underhill Pares Green Potatoes
 Fr 20. Cut hay of 50 acre C Long here for dinner
 Sat 21. Finished Meadow on 50 acre Picked Berries
 Sun 22. Went to Fowlers for Dinner & Tea
 Mo 23. Finished poking hay on 50 fixed binder
 Tu 24. Fixed buggy shafts Commenced to cut barley Mr Colquhoun here
 We 25. Bo't bushel salt &c finished barley in front field
 Th 26. Hauled in hay front of RR C Long helped
 Fr 27. Hauled in hay on 50 acres C Long "
 Sa 28. Took in Raking &c &c
 Sun 29. Went to Mr Shorts for Dinner & tea & to ch
 Mo 30. Started to cut barley on 50
 Tu 31. Finished cutting barley do Took in one load B at home

AUGUST 1894

We 1st. Finished hauling in B at home
 Th 2... Scuffled & hoed turnips went to pull flax at Mr Shorts
 Fri 3... Commenced to draw in Barley on 50 Mr & Mrs Everson here wet &c
 Sat 4... Finished Drawing Barley on 50
 Sun 5... Went to Rothsay Quarterly meeting went to Oxby's &c
 Mo 6... Cleaned Grist took it to mill
 Tu 7... Took load hay for Father started to pull pease on 50 McKay & Mrs Short _____
 We 8... Pulled pease on 50
 Th 9... Pulled pease on 50
 Fr 10. Finished do cut Patch of oats on 50
 Sat 11. Took in pease on 50 9 load
 Sun 12. Bretts here went to ch at night
 Mo 13. Ground Binder knives Started to cut Back field oats
 Tu 14. Broke Binder am Wet Went to Shorts
 Wed 15. Took Binder to shop fixed at it
 Th 16. Brot Binder home cut oats &c
 Fr 17. Cut oats other side of river
 Sat 18. Shocked oats stacked _____ hay
 Sun 19. Went to SS & ch Mr Short here for T
 Mo 20. Cut oats back of Scholtes
 Tu 21. Finished cutting do Pulled pease at end of barn
 We 22. Pulled pease washing cart
 Th 23. Pulled pease Misses Clarke & Loughran here
 Fr 24.. Finished do drew in 6 loads

Sat 25...Finished drawing in pease
 Sun 26...Went to SS & to R B Holmes
 Mo 27...Drew in oats back of river Ed J. here
 Tu 28..Took in oats of front field cut oats on 50
 We 29...Drew manure for fall wheat &c
 Th 30...Finished harvest Mr Short helped
 Fr 31...Ploughed at end of barn for fall Wheat

SEPTEMBER 1894

Sat 1 ... Finished ploughing for fall wheat
 Sun 2 ... Went to SS & ch & to Wm Cowan's
 Mo 3 ... Sowed fall wheat at End of barn
 Tu 4 ... Got out timber for Shed &c
 We 5 ... Put up shed cut wood for thresher
 Th 6 ... Cut poles &c for straw shed
 Fr 7 ... Threshed at home
 Sat 8 ... Threshed on 50 acres Cleaned barn floor & took 9 bags chop to Mill
 Sun 9 ... Went to Mr Shorts for Tea & ch at night
 Mo 10 . Took fat cows to Drayton &c
 Tu 11 . Helped Jno Underhill Draw _____ wood
 We 12 . Took lambs &c to Drayton Drew up wood
 Th 13 . Put floor in pig pen Gang ploughed aft noon
 Fr 14 . Took machinery to 50 " "
 Sat 15 . Gang ploughed & Braced shed
 Sun 16 . Went to George Shorts for dinner & Tea & to church
 Mo 17 . Laid up with sore hand Norm here finished Gang ploughing back of Scholtes
 Tu 18 . Norm to Fowlers threshing Mr Garbut here Harrowed field back of Scholtes
 We 19 . Attended to little pigs Mrs Geo Short sick
 Th 20 . Started to plough Back on 50 &c
 Fr 21 . Moorefield Show day Fr & Maud & Kinsmans here for tea
 Sat 22 . Hand some butter went to village to see about selling apples
 Sun 23 . Went to SS & ch & to mothers for dinner & Tea
 Mo 24 . Took Edith to Uncle Geo's Bot 2 pigs from Colquhouns
 Tu 25 . Picked apples & shipped do
 We 26 . Plough ft field Ferguson here
 Th 27 . Jno Boothe threshed Drew 2 load stone to Gabel Cleaned oat sprout for Frank S
 Fr 28 . Threshed at Jno Shorts J Boothe there
 Sat 29 . Drew load stone to stable
 Sun 30 . Went to SS & ch Mr Mith preached

OCTOBER 1894

Mo 1st. Took 10 bags chop to mill & 2 load stones to Gabel Cleaned 6 bags/same
 Tu 2nd Drew 3 load stone to Gabel
 We 3 ... Wet forenoon fanned 8 bags pease sold apples &c
 Th 4 ... Took in 2 load mangolds did chores &c
 Fr 5 ... Split wood chored around went to Will Cowans Birthday party
 Sat 6 ... Finished mangolds drew manure
 Sun 7 ... Went to SS & ch to J. Shorts for T & din
 Mo 8 ... Drew manure on field back of RR Sold Stricker apples &c
 Tu 9 ... Drew manure Took load stone to Gabel
 We 10. Finished manure Started to plough back of RR Took two load stone to Gabel
 Th 11. Wet forenoon cleaned pig pen Dug potatoes aft noon at Scholtes' killed_____
 Fr 12. Dug potatoes
 Sat 13. Went to Jno Shorts & to Geo Green
 Sun 14. At Geo Greens & to Zion ch R B Holmes here
 Mo 15. Finished Digging potatoes
 Tu 16. Picked apples for Husband 5 B BIs
 We 17. Picked Spy apples
 Th 18. Drew Scholtes hay Helped Frank kill pig
 Fr 19. Finished Ploughing Stubble Uncle E Green & Mr Ellis here
 Sat 20. Drew manure on garden Settled with Norm 8c
 Sun 21. Went to SS & ch Perkins here for tea
 Mo 22. Gathered apples F Short here Bible Society at night
 Tu 23. Helped Frank fix root house at Cassidy at night
 We 24. Finished apples commenced turnips 3 load
 Th 25. Took in 8 load turnips for here
 Fri 26. Took in 4 load turnips Drew load cheese
 Sat 27. " " 3 load turnips attended pigs &c &c night
 Sun 28. Mr & Mrs Young & Shorts &c here ch at night
 Mo 29. Took in 8 loads turnips Bob Nicklin here
 Tu 30. Wet day went to village &c
 We 31. Mr Short here cleaned chop _____ Frank

NOVEMBER 1894

Th 1 ... Wet worked at middle stable
 Fr 2 ... Took in 13 load turnips
 Sat 3 ... Drew out manure &c went to village expected Geo Green &c
 Sun 4 ... Went to Quarterly meeting at Mothers for dinner & T
 Mo 5 ... Ploughed potato ground forenoon Went to Quarterly bus. meeting &c to Loughrans
 Tu 6 ... Laid up with hand did 0 but chore
 We 7 ... Did chores Mr Short here ploughing
 Th 8 ... " " " finished
 Fr 9 ... Started to plough sod Sc _____

Sat 10. Ploughed sod. Finished
 Sun 11. Went to SS & ch Miss Graham here
 Mo 12. Ploughed sod Finished
 Tu 13. Threshed at Loughran's
 We 14. " forenoon got load wood from Bush
 Th 15. Took chop to Mfld WW Scott sale
 Fr 16. Bro't chop home cleaned Barley sold 42 Bus to T Patterson at 39 ct
 Sat 17. Went to cider mill cleaned Barley
 Sun 18. Went to ch at night Superanuation Sermon
 Mo 19. Went to Palmerston with B at 40
 Tu 20. Took 950 @ 17.00 hay to Gabel Mr Henry's Bee
 We 21. Bro't load Barley from 50 Cleaned pease
 Th 22. Thanksgiving day
 Fr 23. Cleaned load Barley changed sheep &c
 Sat 24. Took B to Palmerston C & Ad here
 Sun 25. Stormy went to ch at night
 Mo 26. Went to Geo Shorts got seed B
 Tu 27. Bro't last of B from 50 cleaned do
 We 28. Sold B to Paterson moved rails &c Took 4 ½ bu to Gabel
 Th 29. Bro't up wood to butcher & straw
 Fri 30. Killed Pigs J. Kyle & F. Short here

DECEMBER 1894

Sat 1st. Sold pork to Simpson at 5 ct &c
 Sun 2... Went to ch at night at mothers after do
 Mon 3... Finished drawing pease home & cleaned do Went to Ep League Took Gabel 2 ½
 Bu At 50
 Tu 4... Took chop to mill drew 2 load manure looked sheep &c
 Wed 5... White washed for Maud S.
 Th 6... Cut 12 saw logs some wood &c Annual Sabbath School meeting
 Fr 7... Cut wood & saw log
 Sat 8... Wet R.B.Holmes here fixed barn door
 Sun 9... Anniversary sermons Miss Clarke here
 Mon 10. Fixed pig troughs &c Ice storm
 Tu 11. Went to Drayton with check &c
 We 12. Wet day Put in slides in pig pen
 Th 13. Drew load wood churned chored round
 Fri 14. Went to Geo Perkins
 Sat 15. Took hay to father and J. Kyle got load wood (green) took out 2 load manure
 Sun 16. Went to SS & ch to Mr Ellis & Mothers for T
 Mo 17. Killed & sold geese bo't cap &c
 Tu 18. Cleaned house kitchen
 We 19. Helped Frank S at stable draw manure 5 loads

Th 20. Drew 5 loads manure At Lebanon T &c
 Fri 21. Went to village chored round
 Sat 22. Went to Toronto at C Duffin's
 Sun 23. Went to Clinton st ch & St Pauls at Kin's &c
 Mo 24. Went to Mr Underhills Claremont
 Tu 25. At do for Xmas Mrs Young sick & Mrs ____
 Wed 26. Went to J. Underhills for din & Tea at J Dryden Staid at Thos Short's for night
 Th 27. Called at Mrs Pascoes Langmaids & Courtice
 Fri 28. Called at Mrs Brooks' Courtice Littlejohns Eversons
 Sat 29. At R. Osbornes, Mrs Osbornes S. Eversons To Bowmanville & to Courtice for night
 Sun 30. At Ebenezer ch J. Littlejohns for din & T
 Mo 31. Squires Hobbs & to John Underhills Called at Messers Courtice R Evistons & Harris'

JANUARY 1895

Tu 1st. At Mr Underhills for dinner at Claremont Tea at night
 We 2... Came to Guelph to Mrs Youngs for T Home at night
 Th 3... Laid around did chores
 Fri 4... Did chores at F. Shorts for tea
 Sat 5... Drew wood for Father & J. Kyle
 Sun 6... Went to mothers for dinner C & Add there
 Mo 7... Election day (tp) Took hay to father Drew load manure & 2 loads wood
 Tu 8... Threshed clover for Frank S
 We 9... " " & drew load logs for Frank
 Th 10. Stormy day Will C here Took sheep &c
 Fri 11. Bro't sheep home went to Drayton &c
 Sat 12. Cleaned 5 bags chop & went to J.B. Rids
 Sun 13. At Franks for dinner ch at night stormy Pennocks & Miss Bruce here
 Mo 14. Threshed clover for Geo Short
 Tu 15. Tucker's Election protested Drew logs to Drayton Frank helped
 We 16. Drew logs to Drayton At Fowlers in Even
 Th 17. Started to board shed went to Drayton for remainder of lumber
 Fr 18. Finished boarding shed got two loads wood Stormy
 Sat 19. Went to Harriston Palmerston &c
 Sun 20. Went to Guthrie ch & to A.C. Scarrs Harriston came home in rain at night
 Mo 21. Not well F. Maud & Mr Short here played checkers & rain
 Tu 22. Stormy Just did chores Mr Short here
 We 23. Stormy Took J Kyle ½ ton hay
 Th 24. Took Heckerton 1190 lbs hay
 Fri 25. Took in hay stack stormy night Norm here
 Sat 26. Started for Drayton roads blocked went to fathers for dinner
 Sun 27. Stormy did not get out all day
 Mon 28. Onplug roads statute labor went to franks at night
 Tu 29. Went to village for flour &c Drew 2 load manure

We 30 . Went to Drayton with father bot flax seed
Th 31 . Took pease to Mfld 10 bags

FEBRUARY 1895

Fri 1st . Cleaned & took Pease to Market
Sat 2 ... Cleaned & took oats to Market
Sun 3 ... Quarterly meeting S Went to ch Henry Dellahunt Maud & Frank here &c
Mo 4 ... Went to Rothsay 2 Bus meeting McKay for tea
Tu 5 ... Cleaned & sold load oats
Wed 6 ... Valued horse for Ferguson sold oats &c
Th 7 ... Cleaned & sold oats To Mrs Findleys at night
Fr 8 ... Stormy Wm Cowan's sale postponed
Sat 9.. " went to annual meeting cheese Co Frank Short here for dinner & Tea
Sun 10 . Went to ch at night roads bad to Mfld
Mo 11 . Drew load manure & 2 loads oats
Tu 12 . Cleaned chop Pease & oats &c Joined C.O.F.
We 13 . Took 3 bags apples to village drew 4 loads manure
Th 14 . Drew 8 loads manure
Fr 15 . Cut wood at door went to Geo Shorts for beef
Sat 16 . Went to Palmerston for oat-dust Took 3 bags apples
Sun 17 . Clarence & Ad here with Miss Baker & Father & Mother
Mo 18 . Went to Will Cowans sale
Tu 19 . Drew up wood for house father helped
We 20 . Took apples to Mfld went to 50 got B at hour Edith at S.S. Anniversary Rothsay
Th 21 . Very stormy went to village Will C & J. Douglas here
Fri 22 . Mother & Father here Took hay to Usher
Sat 23 . Bro't load lumber from Pattersons mill Took it to 50 acres
Sun 24 . Miss Rowell here went to Drayton ch at night
Mo 25 . Bro't load lumber from Patterson's &c
Tu 26 . Worked at Stables on 50 Eff & Will moved in
We 27 . Helped Will C. moving
Th 28 . Went to Drayton (Thawing) at Mr Shorts for Tea Took father 1240 lbs hay

MARCH 1895

Fr 1 ... Took Husband & Edwards load hay 1700 Took father 760 hay &c &c
Sat 2 ... Drew 6 loads manure Edith at Eff's
Sun 3 ... Went to SS Frank & Maud here for dinner
Mo 4 ... Storm Norman here for oats for father
Tu 5 ... Cut stakes for wood rack got Newsteads wood rack &c
We 6 ... Went to Drayton for Frank with wood
Th 7 ... Went to village with Butter & to Frank S.
Fr 8 ... Laid up with lame side

Sat 9... do Stormy Father & Mr Short
 Sun 10. do Frank Maud Clarence here &c did not go to ch
 Mo 11. Drew hay to Rolls & Anderson &c
 Tu 12. Took hay to R Rolls went to Kitley's sale
 We 13. Drew wood 4 loads to father & J. Kyle
 Th 14. Geo Green here about seed grain went to Mt Pleasant &c
 Fr 15. Geo Short here for dinner went to Will C's aft noon
 Sat 16. Went to village to see butcher drew up 4 loads wood
 Sun 17. Went to SS & ch Gilpin preached missionary
 Mo 18. Took calf to station got calf from Geo S Brod up load wood
 Tu 19. Took load saw logs to mill for father Brod up load wood Mrs Husband here
 We 20. McKim here serving Juror's HC to apples to village
 Th 21. Took logs to mill for father Geo Shorts here
 Fr 22. Brod up 10 loads wood Frank helped
 Sat 23. Helped Will Cowan move machinery
 Sun 24. Went to SS & ch Amy preached
 Mo 25. Split wood at door went to F. Short's &c
 Tu 26. Stormy day sold pigs went to village &c
 We 27. Went to Patterson's mill for lumber for father went to Dr Groves meeting at night
 Th 28. Attended little pigs made top box for sleigh &c
 Fri 29. Took pigs to Drayton at Crawford's 13 \$64.15
 Sat 30. Drew 4 loads manure got team shod
 Sun 31. Went to ch at night at Mr Shorts all night

APRIL 1895

Mo 1st. Wet Ice & snow Went to Fowlers for Tea
 Tu 2nd Drew 7 loads manure got shoe set on Charley
 We 3rd. " 4 " Went to Drayton aft noon Mother here quilting
 Th 4... " 4 " split wood at door &c
 Fr 5... Made whiffle tree put up hitch cut wood at door &c
 Sat 6... Cut wood at door Father helped
 Sun 7... Wet Bad roads Staid at home all day
 Mo 8... Split wood at door
 Tu 9... Went to W C's forenoon Killed pig afternoon
 We 10. Took 3 bags chop to mill got boot mend Father & Norm here sawing at door
 Th 11. Finished cutting wood at door father helped took butter to village
 Fr 12. Good Friday Cl & Ad here at night wet
 Sat 13. Split some wood went to village for wheels of cart At Will C's for tea
 Sun 14. Went to SS & ch to Frank S's for dinner & Tea
 Mo 15. Split wood fixed gate latch &c Scott here Bot twine
 Tu 16. Helped Frank at stables
 We 17. do pig broke lambs leg &c

Th 18. Went to Palmerston for rustic for father
 Fr 19. Split wood at door
 Sat 20. Fixed up fences &c forenoon ploughed in furrows aft-noon
 Sun 21. Went to Mother's for dinner & tea
 Mo 22. Filled furrows & cultivated fruit field
 Tu 23. Ploughed sod front of RR McC had league at night
 We 24. Ploughed do Ball Family singers here
 Th 25. Started to sow B. front field Eva Perkin here
 Fr 26. Finished do & Harrowed it Fixed line fence
 Sat 27. Harrowed F. wheat & Back field of oats RR
 Sun 28. Went to ch F. & Maud here Jew here over Sun
 Mo 29. Sowed oats back of Schollet
 Tu 30. Harrowed do father got 150 ft lumber

MAY 1895

We 1st. Ploughed in sod front of RR went to Shorts for disc Harrows
 Th 2nd. Disc Harrowed for oats & wheat Started to sow same moved Mr & Mrs Fowler here
 Fr 3... Finished do Ploughed sod aft noon
 Sat 4... Finished ploughing sod &c Mrs Allendorf died
 Sun 5... Quarterly meeting Moorefield
 Mo 6... Harrowed sod forenoon went to Quarterly Bus meeting aft noon
 Tu 7... Finished Harrowing sod went to Mrs Allendorf's funeral ploughed far end of RR
 Wed 8... Finished seeding sowed pease front field
 Th 9... Went to Kirkby's Ploughed Scholten garden Helped father in evening &c
 Fr 10. Put in onions &c went to village to hear Rollfer
 Sat 11. Washed sheep went to Geo S's raising cold
 Sun 12. Went to ch Mr S & Norman here
 Mo 13. Moved Pig Pen
 Tu 14. Fixed Fence round yard & lawn Bot wire &c
 We 15. Mixed & took chop to mill fenced river flats Norman helped
 Th 16. Spread manure on corn Ground Ploughed do Norman helped
 Fr 17. Drew 20 load manure from barn to road ground
 Sat 18. Commenced to spread manure on R.G. White washed kitchen rain
 Sun 19. Went to Geo S for T McKays there ch at night
 Mo 20. Commenced blind line fence
 Tu 21. Worked at do finished bet. Us & Fathers Took load wood to father finished splitting _____
 We 22. Laid over fence back of Meyer's bot cow from A. Atcheson
 Th 23. Finished drawing manure on Turnip ground Norm helped
 Fr 24. Mr & Mrs Young & others here Picnic
 Sat 25. Sheared sheep 19 head
 Sun 26. Went to Geo S's for din & T did not go to ch
 Mo 27. Helped Will C load pigs went to village with But & eggs

Tu 28. Spread manure & ploughed turnip Ground
 We 29. Finished do Bot seed potatoes of Boothe Will Ellis here
 Th 30. Planted potatoes back of RR Bot flour
 Fri 31. Planted Potatoes in garden cut _____ &c

JUNE 1895

Sat 1st. Made garden forenoon Clarence & Ad here Sold sheep \$4.25
 Su 2... Went to SS & ch H. Jerrett preached
 Mo 3... Took 2 calves to village Bo't & plowd corn &c
 Tu 4... Harrowed root ground Fleming's Barn raising &c
 We 5... Wet forenoon Took wool to village 100 lbs at 18
 Th 6... Went to Cameron's started to plough R ground
 Fr 7... Ploughed root ground 4 noon Hammonds raising
 Sat 8... Finished do went to Glenallen
 Sun 9... Went to Presby. ch Glen. & to Mfld ch at night (Nugent)
 Mo 10. Moved old lumber got load wood Went to hear McEwing &c Helped Meno Allendorf
 take down Barn
 Tu 11. Went to Guelph as Jury man
 12.. Do
 13 do
 14.. do
 Sat 15. Came home at noon Put out cellery Plants Clarence & Ad here Camp meet Stirton
 Sun 16. Went to Camp meeting
 Mo 17. Drilled turnip ground
 Tu 18. Pulled mustard got team shod &c
 We 19. Went to village for turnip seed sowed do
 Th 20. Went to Camerons morning & Allendorf's raising
 Fr 21. Worked on road
 Sat 22. " " scuffled garden & potatoes rain
 Sun 23. Camp meeting Heckton & Cassidy preach
 Mo 24. Miss Baker & Geo Short here
 Tu 25. Pulled mustard Camp Ended
 We 26. Went to Cameron's morn. Helped on 50 acre &c
 Th 27. Helped father raise Barn &c
 Fr 28. Took lime 50 lb Hoed corn &c
 Sat 29. Helped draw bank on 50 F.J.Patterson Buried
 Sun 30. Went to mother's for dinner C & Ad here

July 1895

Mo 1... Went to sports in Moorefield
 Tu 2... Went to Allendorfs molded Potatoes in Garden Helped on 50 acres afternoon
 We 3... Bee drawing stone to 50 acres

Th 4 ... Went to Cameron's hoed corn scuffled Potatoes
 Fr 5 ... Took Edith to Frank's bot Shovel drew gravel to Barn
 Sat 6 ... Drew gravel to Barn Dick Long & Mother here for dinner went to village at night
 Sun 7 ... Went to SS & ch went to Wm H. Walkers for cattle
 Mo 8 ... Fixed Blind line fence with wire Went to Drayton &c – rain took calf to village 45
 Tu 9 ... Drew stone to Barn on 50 acre
 We 10. Drew stone to Barn on 50 acre Miss Scarr here
 Th 11. Moalded Potatoes in field Fixed fence back of RR
 Fr 12. Helped Geo Short put up hay fork
 Sat 13. Took 7 bags chop to mill made door & Window frames for barn on 50
 Sun 14. Went to SS & ch Frank & Maud & Kate Loughran here
 Mo 15. Commenced to cut hay back of river rain
 Tu 16. Cut round fences do Mowed with machine aft noon
 We 17. Finished do raked fr put up same field
 Th 18. Drew in hay 6 loads C Long helped
 Fr 19. Cut 6 acres Hay back field went to flax mill for lime
 Sat 20. Put up do Patched roof of barn
 Sun 21. Watched cattle went to ch at night
 Mo 22. Ct hay on spring creek &c
 Tu 23. Drew in hay back 6 acre field
 We 24. Went to village &c Fixed Gate in lane Presentation party for Miss Clarke
 Th 25. Scuffled turnips Cut & drew in hay of orchard
 Fr 26. Fred Ferguson cut fall wheat Shocked do
 Sat 27. Went to Cameron's Got team shod ft ft
 Sun 28. Went to SS & ch Miss Clarke here Cassie Scarr here
 Mo 29. Finished hoeing turnips cut round Barley Got up wood &c
 Tu 30. Commenced to cut B ft field (Too Green)
 Wed 31. Drew gravel to dump at barn door Took father's hay down at night

AUGUST 1895

Th 1st. Drew gravel from Ferguson's to Barn
 Fr 2nd Went to Listowel fair &c to Kinsmans'
 Sat 3rd. Went to Colquhouns &c
 Sun 4th. Went to Quarterly meeting & to Luke Oxby' Rothsay
 Mo 5th. Took in fall Wheat Norm & W.C. here
 Tu 6 ... Finished cutting Barley front field
 We 7 ... Looking about sheep Back fields &c went to Cameron's in morn
 Th 8 ... Scuffled turnips forenoon went to Drayton with Clarence at Mothers'
 Fr 9 ... Worked at Pig pen looked up cedar for Blocks
 Sat 10. Drew up cedar for flooring pig ____
 Sun 11. Wet morning went to Will Cowans in aft noon & to ch
 Mo 12. Helped at stabling on (50) father hurt thumb
 Tu 13. Cut cedar blocks for pig pen Geo Short at night

Wed 14. Drew in Barley Ad & Clarence here
 Th 15. Took in Braking &c Went to Colquhouns
 Fr 16. Helped Norman saw blocks for H. stable on (50)
 Sat 17. " " " Geo Short back to see about pigs &c
 Sun 18. Went to Wetzel's in morning at ch at night
 Mo 19. Looked up sheep Gang ploughed aft noon Jno Boothe threshing
 Tu 20. Gang ploughed some Mr Bellamy here fixed blocks in pig pen
 We 21. Cut corner of oats in front field &c got Charly shod 'ft
 Th 22. Cut back field of oats
 Fr 23. Scuffled turnips Miss Clarke here &c
 Sat 24. Wet Mr Scott here for dinner Fixed Pig pen
 Sun 25. Went to SS & ch went to Wes Perkins for dinner
 Mo 26. Started to pull pease _____ & oats ft field
 Tu 27. Killed cow with broken leg Norm here pulling pease
 We 28. Finished cutting mixed grain Maudsleys _____
 Th 29. Went to Cameron's Pulled pease &c
 Fr 30. Drew in 4 loads pease pulled do aft noon Norman helped
 Sat 31. Pulled pease Norman helped

SEPTEMBER 1895

Sun 1st. Went to SS & ch Mr & Mrs Fowler here
 Mo 2nd. Finished pulling pease father helped
 Tu 3rd. " Drawing pease & 3 load oats & wheat father & Norm here
 We 4... Drew in oats rain went to village
 Th 5... Moved binder &c fixed thresher
 Fr 6... Went to Risdales funeral asked hands to thresh
 Sat 7... Threshed at home Ed J. & wife here
 Sun 8... Went to ch & to Geo Shorts with Mable
 Mo 9... Helped A. Fowler harvesting &c
 Tu 10. Threshed at Geo Shorts
 We 11. Cut corn &c
 Th 12. Cleaned chop & grist father helped
 Fr 13. Went to Palmerston with grist cut corn
 Sat 14. Plough for Frank S Mr Short cut corn
 Sun 15. Went to SS & ch at Dis at Mfld
 Mo 16. Finished cutting corn Mr Short at Newsteads & Fergusons thresh
 Tu 17. Finished shocking corn Jno Welshes threshing
 Wed 18. Jno Welsh & Wm C's threshing Well diggers here
 Th 19. Went to 6th. For windless Well diggers here Drew stone &c
 Fri 20. Gang ploughed 4 noon Medills sale
 Sat 21. Took 7 lambs to Mfld gang ploughed here
 Sun 22. Went to ch very hot day
 Mo 23. Finished gang. fld at end of Barn started field back of R.R.

Tu 24. Gang Ploughed do
 We 25. Finished do got team shod Mr S here father at M. Allendorf threshing
 Th 26. Went to Harriston Fair
 Fri 27. Bot Sow & Pigs of J. Bready came home from H &c
 Sat 28. Bro't do from Harriston
 Sun 29. Went to SS & c Mr Husband preached
 Mo 30. Wet storm got chop &c Put in wood

OCTOBER 1895

Tu 1st. Drew 3 loads stone Went to Mfld Show
 We 2... Mr & Mrs Kinsman here started to dig potatoes 13 Bs
 Th 3... Took Pat cow to Drayton \$24. Dug 10 bags potatoes
 Fr 4... Finished Digging Potatoes 15 bags Drew J. Kyle load wood aft noon
 Sat 5... Drew stone for well W Cowan helped
 Sun 6... Went to Geo Shorts for dinner & Tea church at night
 Mo 7... Started to plough front of R.R.
 Tu 8... Ploughed do Eff's Party at night
 We 9... Drew two load stone Pennock's here Schneiders raising
 Th 10. Cleaned 5 bags pease & 10 bags chop Took chop to mill Drew 3 loads stone
 R. Long
 here
 Fr 11. Wet forenoon ploughed aft noon
 Sat 12. Ploughed forenoon Drew stone aft noon
 Sun 13. Went to ch at night C & A. Frank & Maud here
 Mo 14. Finished Drawing stone for well 30 loads
 Tu 15. Ploughed Took well diggers tools home
 We 16. Wet Ploughed some tinkered _____ round Barn
 Th 17. Took sheep to Scott & Tucker ploughed aft noon
 Fr 18. Ploughed Finished front of R.R.
 Sat 19. Took in corn A. McBeth here at pump Wet snow
 Sun 20. Went to F.S.'s for dinner ch at night Mr. Philips preached
 Mon 21. Drew 5 loads manure on root ground for 1896
 Tu 22. Drew 9 loads manure do Mr Short helped
 We 23. Finished 4 loads do Started to take in turnips Mr Short helped 2 load
 Th 24. Top turnips Took in 2 loads
 Fr 25. Took in 4 loads Turnips Mrs Strongman here
 Sat 26. At Scotts' threshing forenoon Took lambs to _____ &c
 Sun 27. Wet went to A. O. U. W. sermon
 Mo 28. Spread manure on mangold ground Stormy Ploughed do Commenced to plough
 back of R.R.
 Tu 29. Ploughed forenoon Took 12 bags chop to mill
 We 30. Ploughed back of R.R. & bro't chop home nell Short here all night. Practice
 Th 31. Bro't in load turnips Drew hay for father &c rain

NOVEMBER 1895

F 1 ... Fixed straw cutter &c Methodist ch Hot dinner
Sat 2 ... Took in 7 loads Turnips
Sun 3 ... Quarterly meeting went to F S.'s for dinner
Mo 4 ... Finished Turnips 3 loads Took J Kyle load wood
Tu 5 ... Ploughed back of RR L.A. Newton
We 6 ... Finished do put in wood &c
Th 7 ... Ploughed corn ground
Fri 8 ... Took 5 Pigs to Mfld \$34.60 went to Scotts Effie here & Fowlers here
Sat 9 ... Wet Went to village for Boots &c
Sun 10. Went to Mother's for dinner to ch at night
Mo 11. Went to village with butter to Nicklin Bot knives for cutting box &c
Tu 12. At Reform conven Measured fields &c
We 13. Ploughed garden & commenced do field at end of Barn
Th 14. Ploughed at end of Barn Frank helped
Fr 15. Finished F. helped
Sat 16. Ploughed turnip ground Mr S. helped
Sun 17. At home all day went to ch at night revival meeting started
Mo 18. Finished Ploughing went to village for salt &c
Tu 19. Went to Drayton reform meeting &c
We 20. Helped Frank set horse power &c
Th 21. Thanksgiving day C L. here &c &c
Fri 22. Helped Frank to cut feed &c
Sat 23. Ad & Clarence here got Insurance changed Cleaned chop &c
Sun 24. Went out for a drive ch at night
Mo 25. Killed steer & pigs Ed J. here
Tu 26. Took pork to Drayton & beef to McBeth
We 27. Killed geese went to Scott &c
Th 28. Cut up & packed meat churned &c
Fri 29. Moved rails on flats &c Took meat to Frank S
Sat 30. Worked at hen house

DECEMBER 1895

Su 1st. Went to ch at night at home all day
Mo 2 ... Stormy went to Scholtes for tools commenced to fix kitchen door
Tu 3 ... Worked at door SS convention
We 4 ... do Went to Drayton SS convention
Th 5 ... Finished do Geo & Mrs Short tare
Fr 6 ... Put on wood house door F. Short here
Sat 7 ... I Drew load wood for Chas Welsh
Sun 8 ... Went to SS & ch & to see Scott

Mo 9 ... Whitened Kitchen moved Stove &c
 Tu 10 . Helped Will C Kill pigs
 We 11 . Whitened Bed-room Stormy day
 Th 12 . Got team shod went for cheese ch
 Fr 13 . Drew load of green wood for ourselves & one for father. Paid taxes &c
 Sat 14 . Fixed roller on door cleaned pease & chop
 Sun 15 . Ad & Clarence here & Wes Perkins went to ch Moorefield
 Mo 16 . Took pease & chop to mill
 Tu 17 . Went to Palmerston with a grist
 We 18 . Wet went to see WW Scott &c C of. Oyster supper
 Th 19 . Mrs Underhill came here. Went to tell Geo & Frank Short &c
 Fr 20 . Shorts & Father & Mother here for Dinner
 Sat 21 . Wet Went to Franks for dinner &c
 Sun 22 . Went to ch at night C & Ad Long here
 Mo 23 . Started lane fence Wet. do
 Tu 24 . Wet Took Edith to have tooth drawn
 We 25 . At Mrs Findly's for Xmas dinner
 Th 26 . At Annual School meeting &c
 Fr 27 . Went to see McBeth &c & to W C's for auger Made stable scraper &c
 Sat 28 . Took out Pump cleaned do &c &c
 Sun 29 . Went to ch at night Cl & Ad came home with us
 M 30 . Cleaned chop &c attended nomination
 Tu 31 . Stormy Bro't chop home Jno King died Attended C.O.F. & ch meeting

JANUARY 1896

We 1st . Stormy did chores went to Meth Xmas Tree
 Th 2 ... Went to Frank S's for Tea
 Fr 3 ... Went to Geo S's for T Stormy
 Sat 4 ... Fixed around stable &c
 Su 5 ... Anniversary Sermons pres. ch
 Mo 6 ... Stormy Election day Tp.
 Tu 7 ... Father & mother here Bot lantern
 We 8 ... Helped Wm C cut wood
 Th 9 ... Helped Wm C Draw wood
 Fr 11 . Went to Glen Allen with Will C
 Sat 11 . Not able to do chores went to father to help Sick with Toiphoid Fever
 Sun 12 . Sent for Crawford &c
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 16 . Sent for Dr Lucy &c
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 23 fever
 24 with
 25 Sick
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 Fri 31 . Got up & dressed 1st time

FEBRUARY 1896

Sat 1 ... Clarence here Mr S & Father got up wood
 Sun 2 ... Clarence & Ad Frank Maud & Mother here
 Mo 3 ... Not so well again up only 2 hours
 Tu 4 ... A little better Dr here last time
 We 5 ... Commenced to Exit a little
 Th 6 ... Sitting around house
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 Sun 9 ... Clarence here & Frank & Maud
 Mo 10 . sit-round house Geo Short & wife here
 Tu 11 . Stormy sit-round house
 We 12 . Eva Perkin married. Went to see Dr C
 Th 13 . Stormy day Mother here
 F 14 . Mr & Mrs Smith here Perkins &c
 Sat 15 . Mother cut Franks hair &c
 Su 16 . Drove down to Franks. Cold day Did chores for 1st Time
 Mo 17 . Sit round house Cold day
 Tu 18 . Stormy day Mr Short & father got up load wood wrote to Em. Underhill
 We 19 . Went to two sessions SS Convention
 Th 20 . Cold day went with father for load Saw dust &c Frank here
 Fri 21 . N Perkins & wife here went to village with cow hide
 Sat 22 . Cleaned load wheat 40 bus Went to village aft noon
 Su 23 . Did chores went to ch at night
 Mo 24 . Took cattle to ship \$46. & load wheat to Palmerston
 Tu 25 . Cleaned rest of wheat &c
 We 26 . Stormy Mr Short here for dinner Norman hurt
 Th 27 . Went to Drayton With wheat Mrs McK here
 F 28 . Went to Frank's for Tea Our Wedding Anniv

Sat 29. Took father straw & chop to mill

MARCH 1896

Su 1st. Stormy day Ed Johnson & wife here
Mo 2... " Went to Drayton & to Geo Shorts for T
Tu 3... Went to Ridds sale with Frank
We 4... Very cold did chores &c N. Perkins Bro't Pup here
Th 5... Went to F.S's &c seeing about drawing wood next day
Fr 6... Sleet storm did not draw wood Cleaned pease
Sat 7... Went to Drayton to pay F Insurance
Su 8... Went to ch at mothers after ch
Mo 9... Helped F.S. cut feed Fixed pig pen Fowlers here for T
Tu 10. Drew up wood Father & W C helped
We 11. " " Frank helped Wes Perkins here
Th 12. Drew one log Drove to McArthurs &c Stormy
F 13. Did not feel well Just did chores
S 14. Went to Palmerston with grist C.L. here
S 15. C L & Ad here for Tea went to ch
Mo 16. Drew Load wood to father &c &c
Tu 17. Went to Geo Perkins for Tea
We 18. Drew hay from Franks at \$12. P.____ 2150 lbs
Th 19. Stormy helped Jno Boothe fix roads 2 cows came in
Fr 20. " Took chop to mill R.R.Blocked 1 cow c
Sat 21. Bro't chop home J. Masson Frank & Maud here
Sun 22. At home all day
Mo 23. Drew Load wood for father &c
Tu 24. Mother here baby born Went to Drayton &c
We 25. Took Mrs Short home
Th 26. Geo Short & wife here for dinner went to village &c Helped W Newstead with log
Fri 27. Effie C here & Went to W C's
Sat 28. F & M staid all night. Rain
Sun 29. Cow sick went to village for father & To Scholtes &c
Mo 30. Took in Straw stack father here mother sick
Tu 31. Pruning orchard &c went o village got Pail fixed

APRIL 1896

We 1st. Choring round rained
Th 2nd Went to F. Shorts wood bea
Fr 3... Good Friday chored round Frank bot old m
Sat 4... Changed horses Brot hay for F's cold
Su 5... Callers in Mabel S. went to ch
Mo 6... helped Frank Draw saw log &c got Charley shod

Tu 7 ... Got load straw Norm Frank changed calves
 We 8 ... Got straw for father Edith sick
 Th 9 ... Wes Perkin & wife Dr here wet &c
 Fr 10 . Went to see Dr. Scott here Father & Norm cutting wood
 Sat 11 . Went to see Dr. Wet night
 Su 12 . Frank & Maud here went to ch at night
 Mo 13 . Drew Brush out of orchard Mr Short came home
 Tu 14 . Went to Cowan's sale Mrs Fowler here
 W 15 . Cleaned seed grain Herm Short here
 Th 16 . Started to Plough sod Cow died
 F 17 . Ploughed do rain
 Sat 18 . " " Bro't chop C & Ad here at night
 Su 19 . Went to ch Frank & Maud here
 M 20 . Ploughed sod back field
 Tu 21 . Finished do started to harrow do
 We 22 . Finished harrowing Sowed oats &c
 Th 23 . Single harrowed do Commenced gang plough
 F 24 . Went to Geo S's for seed wheat &c got seed oats from Mr Fowler
 Sat 25 . Finished gang Pl Harrowed back of RR
 Sun 26 . Went to Franks for dinner ch at night
 Mo 27 . Sowed goose wheat & mixed feed
 Tu 28 . Harrowed do Started to cultivate front of R.R. for oats
 We 29 . Finished Cult. Do started to sow
 Th 30 . Finished sowing oats Harrowed same Made fence round B yard &c Went to Choir
 Practice at night

MAY 1896

Fri 1 ... Gang Pl field at end of Barn worked on fence
 Sat 2 ... Finished Gang Pl Went to village for shoes &c
 Su 3 ... Quarterly meeting went to mothers for dinner & T
 Mo 4 ... Took Pigs to market 1260 @ 3 ½ sowed Barley at end of Barn
 Tu 5 ... Harrowed do worked up Piece in orchard Mabel S went home &c Broke drill
 We 6 ... Finished do started to plough sod for Pease
 Th 7 ... Ploughed sod went to village got shoes on Maud &c
 F 8 ... do Herman S helped Frank wp night
 S 9 ... Finished sod Fixed wire fence &c
 Su 10 . Frank & Maud S here for dinner did not go to ch
 M 11 . Harrowed & sowed pease sold Scholten hen feed
 Tu 12 . Finished seeding forenoon burnt off new land &c
 We 13 . Ploughed & sowed mangolds &c
 Th 14 . " sowed carrots worked up lots for Father
 Fr 15 . Worked at corn ground drawing manure &c

Sat 16. Ploughed at do Darrock looking for cattle
 Sun 17. Went to Class meeting & ch at night at McKays &c
 Mo 18. Finished corn ground cleared n land
 Tu 19. Took load wood to father broke Plough worked at root land
 We 20. Finished gang Ploughing do Harrowed do &c commenced to draw manure on land
 Th 21. Drew manure do 15 load went to village at night
 Fr 22. " " 15 loads
 Sat 23. " " Ad & Clarence here
 Su 24. Went to Geo S's for tea F & M here
 Mo 25. Went to Mr Awde's wet night
 Tu 26. Got well fixed finished drawing manure
 We 27. Commenced to Plough for Turnips Uncle & Aunt Green here &c
 Th 28. Finished Ploughing for Turnips &c
 F 29. Cold & wet Made & hung gate at Barn
 Sat 30. Planted Potatoes went to Glenallen &c
 Sun 31. Came home from Glenallen &c

JUNE 1896

M 1 ... Put in cucumbers made gate for father
 T 2 ... Ploughed Scholen garden &c washed sheep
 We 3 ... Made fence along corn ground Bot buggy Ed at Kinsmans
 Th 4 ... Rolled root & corn ground sowed corn
 Fr 5 ... Worked at moving fence in Back field
 Sat 6 ... Finished do went to village &c
 Su 7 ... Went to T Henderson's
 Mo 8 ... Made drills & sowed Turnips
 Tu 9 ... Oiled harness &c went to Foresters
 W 10. Churned & worked in gartten went to F's in aft noon
 Th 11. Sheared 8 sheep went to Colq'ns raising
 F 12. " 6 sheep Worked in Gardin &c
 Sat 13. Fixed mower went to Stirton & Drayton
 Su 14. SS Anniversary sermon by Moore
 Mo 15. Cut clover in ft field
 Tu 16. Cut Fence corners in do Cut clover
 We 17. Finished do Went to Political Meeting on Camp Ground
 Th 18. Raked & Put up Clover Father helped
 Fr 19. Drew in do father & Newstead helped SS excursion to Owen Sound
 Sat 20. Scuffled & hoed carrots &c
 Su 21. Camp meeting
 Mo 22. Went to village with calves &c got up load wood Dr Lewis' meeting
 Tu 23. Acted scrutineer Samples Election
 We 24. Worked at turnpiking road

Th 25. do do Moul here &c
 Fr 26. Scuffled & hoed mangolds &c
 Sa 27. Went on farmers excursion to Guelph
 Su 28. Went to Camp meeting to Mfld
 Mo 29. Cleaned & took chop to mill &c
 Tu 30. Drew gravel on road beat &c

JULY 1896

We 1st. Drew gravel on road beat
 Th 2... Went to Glenallen to help Clarence move
 Fr 3... Scuffled potatoes & mangolds Brot chop home &c Fowlers here
 Sat 4... Brot Bull from Scott Went to G. Greens
 Sun 5... Went to Zion ch & to Bretts
 Mo 6... Helped Frank get Timber & fix Barn
 Tu 7... Cut hay back of River father cut Spring creek
 We 8... Raked & put up do Patched roof of barn
 Th 9... Finished haying father helped aft noon
 Fri 10. Scuffled turnips & went to Palmerston with grist &c
 Sat 11. Scuffled Turnips & went to Fowlers at night
 Su 12. Went to Frank's for dinner ch at night
 Mo 13. Took calf to village 43.25 Hoed garden &c
 Tu 14. Moulded Potatoes hoed turnips &c
 We 15. Hoed turnips Nicklins here
 Th 16. Put Paris Green on Potatoes Drew father hay traded colt with Scarr &c
 F 17. Drew Bank from well at Crawford at night father helped
 Sat 18. Finished Bank Drew load gravel
 Sun 19. Went to Mrs Kinsmans funeral Mr & Mrs David Young here
 Mo 20. Fixed sod round door yard
 Tu 21. Mr & Mrs David Young here
 We 22. Went to Franks for dinner & Tea
 Th 23. Went With Frank & Dave Young to Palmerston
 Fr 24. Scuffled Turnips Rosi Christened
 Sat 25. Got up load wood hoed turnips
 Su 26. Went to Geo Perkins for dinner
 M 27. Wet forenoon turnpiked lane took scraper home
 Tu 28. Pulled flax for Newsteads Wet aft noon &c
 We 29. " " forenoon Cleaned pig pen
 Th 30. " " for Newsteads
 Fri 31. " " went to village in Ev.

AUGUST 1896

Sat 1st . Drew in Barley for Newstead
 Sun 2nd Went to Class meeting & to F's for din & T
 Mo 3 ... Helped Newstead forenoon Cut B aft noon
 Tu 4 ... Cut oats front of RR
 We 5 ... Wet Pulled flax forenoon for N.'d Cut back field of oats
 Th 6 ... " Cut Wheat and oats back of RR
 Fr 7 ... Drew 2 loads flax for Newstead
 Sat 8 ... Cut oats for Geo Short Miss Clarke here
 Su 9 ... Jim Boothe here went to ch at night
 Mo 10 . Went to see about old Binder Drew in 2 loads Barley
 Tu 11 . Finished do & Drew in 3 loads oats Miss Bready
 We 12 . Tightened wire lane fence put shoe on Charley J Underhill Wilb. Kerr & Jno Nicklin
 here for tea
 Th 13 . Drew oats front of RR Sold 5 head sheep Jno Dellahunt died
 Fr 14 . Drew in oats from Back field Geo Perkin Flax Bee
 Sat 15 . " " mixed Grain 3 loads rain
 Sun 16 . Went to ch at night subj. The Gold Chip
 Mo 17 . Drew load cheese load mixed Grain Drew in oats for Newstead
 Tu 18 . Finished mixed Grain Wet chored round &c
 We 19 . Went to Jno Dellahunt's funeral helped Frank S. Drew in Grain
 Th 20 . Helped do aft noon Newstead 4 noon
 Fr 21 . Helped Frank draw in
 Sat 22 . do Frank's Bee Took in grain from orchard &c
 Sun 23 . Herman Short here went to ch
 Mo 24 . Went to Aliston's threshing for Geo Short
 Tu 25 . Pulled pease Father here for Frank
 We 26 . do forenoon wet aft noon G Short here
 Th 27 . Wet day Colquhoun's & Pridhams here
 F 28 . Pulled pease father here for Frank
 S 29 . Finished do & Drew in do
 Su 30 . Went to ch at night
 Mo 31 . Drew manure for fall wheat Picked stone &c

SEPTEMBER 1896

Tu 1st . Disked fall wheat ground harrowed _____ aft noon
 We 2 ... Went to Franks for seed wheat wet
 Th 3 ... Threshed at home
 Fri 4 ... Sowed fall wheat
 Sat 5 ... Newsteads thres. Helped Frank
 Su 6 ... Wet did not go to ch G. S's here
 Mo 7 ... Got reaper got team shod &c
 Tu 8 ... Got clover seed
 We 9 ... got Father's mare shod helped Fk

Th 10. Will C threshed got disk &c
 Fr 11. Drew in clover
 S 12. Wet Disked field front of R.R.
 Su 13. Went to Geo S's for din & Tea ch at night
 Mo 14. Finished drawing clover Worked at corn &c &c
 Tu 15. Sowed do Ploughed fall wheat ground in orchard
 We 16. churned Colt got in well &c
 Th 17. Went to Drayton for tile & to Chapman's with W Perkin
 Fr 18. Unloaded tile went to village
 Sat 19. Went to Morningdale &c
 Sun 20. At do
 Mo 21. Washed buggy Started to plough back field
 Tu 22. Ploughed forenoon went to Jno Boothes _____B
 W 23. Ploughed Back field
 Th 24. Went to Mfld Show gath apples 4noon
 Fr 25. Went to Drayton with checks Ploughed
 Sat 26. Started to plough front of R.R.
 Su 27. Went to N Perkins & to ch at night Fidell preached
 Mo 28. Threshed at Bready's
 Tu 29. Cleaned chop 5 bags Norm helped Wet aft noon
 We 30. Wet forenoon got sand &c

OCTOBER 1896

Th 1st. Took Bull to Scotts ploughed ft of R.R.
 F 2... Ploughed do Father plastering Pig Pen
 Sat 3... Ad & Clarence here Took in mangolds
 Sun 4... Geo Shorts here for tea went ch at night
 Mo 5... Commenced to dig potatoes 25 bags
 Tu 6... Dug 21 bags potatoes rain aft noon
 We 7... gathered apples &c
 Th 8... Took sheep to market & Ploughed
 Fr 9... Got hay from Franks & Ploughed
 Sat 10. Finished Potatoes & carrots &c
 Su 11. Went to SS & ch to Jas Perkins for dinner & T
 Mo 12. Norm went to Fowlers threshing & help at corn Ploughed front of R.R.
 Tu 13. Ploughed do forenoon Mr Butterworth Bee
 We 14. Finished do commenced to plough c sod
 Th 15. Went to Jno Boothes & to cider mill
 Fri 16. Ploughed sod front field
 Sat 17. Took 12 bags chop to mill got sand &c
 Sun 18. Ed Johnson & wife Wes Perkin & wife here
 Mo 19. Ploughed c. sod front field
 Tu 20. Ploughed do forenoon went to Mfld for chop & to sale Bot S. harnesses \$5.25

We 21 . Ploughed front field (at Franks at night)
 Th 22 . Ploughed do F Scholten got Bu Pease
 F 23 . Finished ploughing c sod gathered garden stuff
 Sat 24 . Commenced to Draw in turnips C Long helped
 Sun 25 .. Ross had cold Mr & Mrs Fowler here
 Mo 26 . Had Pom Welsh helping at turnips
 Tu 27 . do Finished turnips
 We 28 . Went to village got Charley shod &c Banked Pig pen &c
 Th 29 . Plough root ground Went to practice Mrs Nicklin & M. Perkin here for Tea
 Fr 30 . Wet forenoon Ploughed aft noon root ground
 Sat 31 . Finished do picked stones &c Jim Masson & Stella here

NOVEMBER 1896

Su 1st . Quarterly meeting. Went to Franks for dinner
 Mo 2 ... Quarterly business meeting in ch Went to Mr Strongman's for Tea
 Tu 3 ... Finished picking stones at end barn
 We 4 ... Drew 7 loads manure on garden &c
 Th 5 ... Ploughed garden forenoon Started to thresh Allendorf's aft noon Wet
 Fr 6 ... Ploughed carrots ground forenoon went to Loughrans threshing
 Sat 7 ... do forenoon Drew 3 loads gravel round barn yard aft noon
 Sun 8 ... Stormy went to ch at night + to F's
 Mo 9 ... Allendorf's threshing
 Tu 10 . Commenced drain back of river
 We 11 . Finished do bot cow at J Couy's sale
 Th 12 . Commenced to pl. sod back of river
 Fr 13 . Traided cattle with Newstead Pl.d
 Sat 14 . Ploughed sod &c cold
 Sun 15 . Went to ch morn. & eve Beth & Mfld Joined
 Mo 16 . Ploughed sod Cleaned chop &c
 Tu 17 . Took chop to mill Pl sod Aunt here tea
 W 18 . Ploughed sod wet night
 Th 19 . Pl do Frank & Maud here at night
 Fri 20 . Finished do
 Sat 21 . Stormy cleaned & took wheat to mill Clarence here at noon
 Sun 22 . Went to ch morning & Even. At Mrs Maudsleys
 Mo 23 . Whight-washed Bedroom &c
 Tu 24 . Whight-washed Kitchen went to sale in Mfld
 We 25 . Wet day went to village with butter Cleaned chop &c
 Th 26 . At Ch & to WW Scotts for dinner
 Fr 27 . Went to P Doyle sale & to Drayton &c
 Sat 28 . Went to N Perkins & to meeting of Cheese Co
 Su 29 . Went to F Shorts for dinner & tea ch &c
 Mo 30 . Choring round League meeting here &c

DECEMBER 1896

Tu 1st. Stormy day M Short here Took her to Franks
Wed 2nd Got team shod
Th 3rd. Bro't Geese home from Wetzels
Fr 4 ... Helped Newstead clean oats &c
Sat 5 ... Went to Glen Allen
Su 6 ... At Glen Allen ch came home
Mo 7 ... Took pigs to market at 3 ½ \$56. Kill Pigs at F's
Tu 8 ... Bought fruit trees Bro't Pork from Franks
We 9 ... Bot 4 Pigs from J Graham Went to Drayton E. L. Convension
Th 10. Churned moved rails on R flats
Fr 11. Went to village paid taxes bot rubbers & _____
Sat 12. Chored round went to Geo S's with Ad & C
Su 13. Ad & Clarence here went to ch at night
Mo 14. Went to Scotts with Frank &c at _____ at night
Tu 15. Canvassed about cheese factory &c
We 16. Went to Jim Masson's sale &c
Th 17. Bro't old Binder home
Fri 18. Stormy day pack Binder away &c
Sat 19. Went to meeting at cheese Factory
Sun 20. John Walker's funeral
Mo 21. Killed geese went to village at night
Tu 22. churned went to Christmas Tree
We 23. cleaned & got chop ground white washed mother's kitchen
Th 24. Went to Drayton to get Ross' Pictures
Fr 25. At mothers for Xmas
Sat 26. Drew father load wood & three loads for ourselves
Sun 27. Went to Presb ch Mr & Mrs Colquhoun here
Mo 28. Nomination day cut some wood at door &c
Tu 29. Cut wood at door election of Officers in C.O.F.
We 30. Attended Sch meeting Bro't sheep home
Th 31. Mrs Scarr & Mrs Cooper here went to Christening at Franks
Clarence & Ad & Ed Johnson here

JANUARY 1897

Fri 1st. At home played "Lost Heir" all day
Sat 2 ... Went to village to pay McKay &c
Su 3 ... No ch on acc of Dyptheria home all day
Mo 4 ... Election day
Tu 5 ... Went to sale in Mfld

We 6
 Th 7 ... Cut wood at door Perkins & Mrs Smith here
 Fri 8 ... Went over to W.C's with Norm
 Sat 9 ... Went to meeting of Cheese Co at Colquhouns for tea
 Su 10 . Went to Geo Shorts for Tea
 Mo 11 . Went to Drayton to see about beef &c
 Tu 12 . Went to Palmerston with wool & butter &c
 We 13 . Sold cattle to C. cleaned wheat for flower
 Th 14 . Shipped Cattle went to Stirton with Frank
 F 15 . Cleaned & took chop to mill
 Sat 16 . Cut & drew up wood bro't home chop
 Sun 17 . Rainy day went to Ch at night
 Mo 18 . Frank threshed clover seed
 Tu 19 . Thrashed clover seed at home
 We 20 . Cut some wood attend oyster supper C.O.F.
 Th 21 . Cut wood chored round
 Fr 22 . Farmer's Institute meeting Mfld
 Sat 23 . Very stormy
 Sun 24 . Norm went to Glen. Went to ch morn & Evening
 Mo 25 . Churned & did chores &c
 Tu 26 . Went to village Bo't Over shoes Went to Arthur Perkins
 We 27 . Went to sale at Glen Allen Bot ____
 Th 28 . Went to Drayton with Father & Norm Cleaned up Barley & chop went to Palmerston
 Fr 29 . Cut up beef
 Sat 30 . Attended Annual meeting of Cheese Co Norm at Geo Shorts threshing
 Sun 31 . Went to SS & ch at Will C's Presb't. anniv at night

FEBRUARY 1897

Mo 1 ... Fire Ins Meeting at Drayton Norm at Fowlers clover threshing
 Tu 2 ... Cut & Drew up wood
 We 3 ... Bro't up load wood Drew load for B Welsh &c
 Th 4 ... Bro't up load wood Mr & Mrs Awde here went for cold &c
 Fr 5 ... " " " " Effie here went to Perkins & to store
 Sat 6 ... Took Pall Bearers to Palmerston Mrs Martins funeral
 Su 7 ... Frank & Maud here R Burnes dead went to ch
 Mo 8 ... Went on Quarterly Board work for ch &c
 Tu 9 ... Cleaned chop went to J Jacks. Wetzel & Scott here
 We 10 . Went with cheese Co Stock Book Cut saw logs &c
 Th 11 . Cut some wood 4noon Ferguson's sale aft noon
 Fr 12 . Went to Jacks & to Cowan's took load to A. Perkins
 Sat 13 . Drw up soft wood limbs cut do C & Ad & Miss Ghent here all night
 Sun 14 . Went to church at night

Mo 15. Took Basswood logs to saw mill Miss Clarke here
 Tu 16. Broke harness at Elm logs
 We 17. Bro't up sleigh went to N. Perkins sale Township SS convension at Glen Allen
 Th 18. Bro't up 2 logs Went to Drayton with father
 Fr 19. Sent logs to mill went to J. Wadel sale
 Sat 20. Cleaning Clover seed at Fowler &c
 Sun 21. Went to ch. morning Lounds went to Franks & to Presbyterian ch at night
 Mo 22. Went to Glenallen.. Stormy day
 Tu 23. Finished cleaning clover seed at Fowlers 35 Bu
 We 24. Stormy morning cleaned Barley
 Th 25. Went to Palmerston with load Barley Took butter 24 lbs & sample of clover seed
 Went to Wm Longs at night
 Fri 26. Went to Palmerston with Frank sold clover seed went to Drayton to send money
 away &c
 Sat 27. Ross sick & scalded hand took chop to mill 996 lb
 Sun 28. Went for Dr. Per Ross. &c &c

MARCH 1897

Mo 1st. Bro't chop home went for Mabel S Took Mrs Fowler home
 Tu 2nd Geo Long here went to Rol's sale Geo Short here for T
 We 3 ... Took load for W Cowan bo't lantern &c
 Th 4 ... Took Mrs Geo Short home got cutter bells
 Fri 5 ... Wet day Frank took c seed to Listowel Hitched up colt drove to village
 Sat 6 ... Cleaned up & changed seed pease Ad & Clarence here
 Sun 7 ... Herm. & Mabel Short here Maud & Frank here
 Mo 8 ... Took bag oats to mill drew load straw for Norm &c
 Tu 9 ... Drew load straw for Norm. Went to Wetzel &c
 We 10. Father & Norm here cutting wood Arthur Perkin & wife here
 Th 11. Went to village in morning Split wood Dr Cassidy & wife here for tea
 Fr 12. Schneider called here Moved straw &c F Scholte got bag potatoes
 Sat 13. Hitched up colt Dau Smyle went to F's
 Sun 14. Cow sick Stormy day Crawford here
 Mo 15. Ed Johnson & wife here for dinner went to village
 Tu 16. N Perkin here for dinner went to Colquhouns for tea
 We 17. Went to Tom Henderson's sale bo't sow 9.50
 Th 18. Put in new glass &c went to Choir Practice
 Fri 19. Took Pease to Norman Took 2 logs to mill
 Sat 20. Rainy Day Cleaned pig pen chored round
 Sun 21. Went to SS & ch
 Mo 22. Went with Frank to see horse sold pigs \$4.50 53.70
 Tu 23. Killed Pig Frank helped Wet snow falling
 W 24. Ross' birth-day cut up pig
 Th 25. Went to Meno Allendorf's & to Mothers &c

Fri 26. Drew Norman 2 load of hay &c
 Sat 27. Took saw log to mill bot grass seed &c Father sowed Lucerne
 Su 28. Went to Geo Shorts for dinner & T Mary Scott buried
 Mo 29. Went to village got paper &c &c
 Tu 30. Put on Paper. House cleaning &c
 We 31. Whitened room for Maud Hitched up colt &c

APRIL 1897

Th 1 ... White washed ceiling of kitchen Took up carpet &c
 Fr 2 ... Sowed grass seed on fall wheat
 Sat 3 ... Cut wood for Fowler
 Sun 4 ... Went to ch in morning wet night
 Mo 5 ... Got horses shod front feet Frank here cutting wood
 Tu 6 ... Put disk together sold oats to Schroeder Went to Geo Shorts at night
 We 7 ... Took Newsteads cart home Shingled for Norm
 Th 8 ... Went to Geo Perkins wood bee &c
 Fri 9 ... Stormy day went to sale in Mfld
 Sat 10. Went to Treecastle bot mare &c
 Su 11. Went to F Shorts for dinner & Tea ch at night
 Mo 12. At Fowlers for Tea Schroeders got oats
 Tu 13. Wet day Em Underhill here
 We 14. Mr Fowler got oats Took Em To Frank
 Th 15. Went to Drayton Spring Show &c Ad Clarence & Grace Brett here
 Fri 16. Good Friday Went to Geo S's for dinner & T
 Sat 17. Fixed drain to cellar split wood &c
 Sun 18. Easter Sunday Norman & Grace B here for dinner went to ch morning & evening
 Mo 19. Stormy & cold chored round
 Tu 20. Moved fence &c Started to plough sod back field
 We 21. Ploughed sod for pease
 Th 22. Ploughed forenoon Went to Fahley's &c Norman ploughed aft noon started to harrow sod
 Fri 23. Plough + harrowed at sod fixed wire on line fence across river Rain
 Sat 24. Bot pigs from Norman cleaned oats finished Pl. sod went to Geo Shorts at night
 Su 25. Went to ch at night Went to Crawfords for T Stubbs lecturer
 Mo 26. Took hay to Edwards & Sow to market \$8.
 Tu 27. Got oat meal Disked corn ground went to Foresters
 Wed 28. Mr Short helped to harrow pea ground Started to sow do
 Th 29. Sowed pease &c Worked up ground at Norms
 Fri 30. Sowed oats at Norms rain at night

MAY 1897

Sat 1 ... Wet day went to village bot wagon for Ross

Sun 2 ... Quarterly meeting Su. wet
 Mo 3 ... Quarterly business meeting &c
 Tu 4 ... Got Barrel of salt
 We 5 ... Commenced to plough new land Harness broke etc
 Th 6 ... Helped Norm sowing oats & Barley Edith over with us
 Fr 7 ... Commenced to sow oats front to R.R.
 Sat 8 ... Finished do Sowed Barley on root land
 Sun 9 ... Went to ch in morning & eve Frank & Maud & Crawford's here
 Mo 10. Finished disking sod back of R.R. Harrowed do commenced front field
 Tu 11. Sowed oats back of river &c
 We 12. Commenced to sow B in front field Rain at noon Gang ploughed piece of oats
 Th 13. Commenced to sow B again rain ploughed for mangolds & garden &c Frank got tree
 Fr 14. Wet all day father here at drain
 Sat 15. Finished drain from cellar &c
 Su 16. Went to ch & to Franks Ep League anniv
 Mo 17. Finished seeding at home sowed pease for Norm &c
 Tu 18. Sowed oats & B for Norm
 We 19. Finished seeding do Cleaned out cellar
 Th 20. Went to Drayton.& Flax mill &c
 Fr 21. Ploughed at new land
 Sat 22. Finished do Sowed do
 Su 23. Ross sick went for mother Jim _____ came here
 Mo 24. Sowed pease on land calculated for roads
 Tu 25. Worked in garden sowed mangolds got up 2 loads wood
 We 26. Helped Frank seeding
 Th 27. Sick. Went to village at Eve Fixed line fence at G S's for tea
 F 28. Went to C.O.F. funeral Drayton far day
 Sat 29. Put manure on potato ground Plough Scholten
 Su 30. Meno Allendorf's funeral Went to ch at night
 Mo 31. Went to Mrs A. Woodman's funeral Drayton

JUNE 1897

Tu 1st. Cut wood in bush 2 cords &c
 We 2nd Sheared sheep & spread manure for Frank
 Th 3rd. Helped Newstead ship cattle washed sheep
 F 4 ... Drew manure on Turnip gr 24 load Father fell
 Sat 5 ... Drew " 38 load Frank S & boy here
 Sun 6 ... Went to ch in morning rain Norman am _____
 Mo 7 ... Ploughed in manure on Turnips gr At J. Perkins for tea
 Tu 8 ... Finished do Went to Drayton F.I. meeting
 We 9 ... Worked down Turnip Growey
 Th 10. Cut see potatoes Planted do Went to village

Fr 11. Took wool to Drayton cut grass at door Bo't boys suit &c
 Sat 12. Gathered in grass got team shod
 Su 13. Mrs Maudsley's & Miss Graham & _____
 Mo 14. Garden Party for E.L. here
 Tu 15. Sold 6 calves Took seats &c home to village
 W 16. Got Newstead roller & rolled turnip G & Norms turnips &c _____ on road ½ day
 Th 17. Made drills sowed turnips went to cheese Factory
 F 18. Sowed corn harrowed & rolled Potatoes
 Sat 19. Did Mrs Maudsley's road work
 Su 20. Went to ch morn to Geo S's for dinner
 Mo 21. Went to Drayton with Team &c
 Tu 22. Queens Jubilee looked up scraper Solicited for minister's salary Frank & Maud here
 We 23. Rossi died
 Th 24. Went to Hollen & to Glenallen &c
 Fr 25. Rossis funeral
 Sat 26. Took Mrs G to station &c
 Su 27. Went to ch in evening G.S. here & F & Maud
 Mo 28. Started turnpiking on road Edith & Nell went to Drayton
 Tu 29. Wet day Went to see about Gravel Pit
 We 30. Went to F S's for strawberry & to Geo S's & got McKays harness &c Arthur Perkin
 here at night

JULY 1897

Th 1 ... Went to Harriston with team & to Mr Kinsmans
 Fr 2 ... Went to Listowel to Fair
 Sat 3 ... Finished Turnpiking children meeting on camp ground worked on road list
 Su 4 ... Went to Camp meeting lecturer Jno Sneider
 Mo 5 ... Drawing Gravel on road work
 Tu 6 ... do do Mr & Mrs Awde here Picnic for F
 W 7 ... Went to help at Cheese Factory at C for T
 Th 8 ... Cut hay at end of barn
 Fri 9 ... Raked do cut hay for Norm
 Sat 10. Drew in 5 loads hay cut some for Norm
 Su 11. Sam Small at camp meeting
 M 12. Went to Harriston &c Smalls here Lecturer Nell Scar & N Pennock here
 Tu 13. Took train up to Wallace cut some wood for Norm
 We 14. Finished cutting hay for Norm Took Moore home
 Th 15. Finished cutting hay at home
 F 16. Raked & coiled up hay rain came on
 Sat 17. Scuffled Potatoes Cheese Co's meeting
 Sun 18. Went to Geo S's for dinner & Tea David & Mrs Young up.
 Mo 19. Scuffled turnips started to mould Potatoes rain

Tu 20. Finished moulding Pot hoeing turnip Mr & Mrs Young here
 We 21. Hoeing turnips went to Fowlers for T
 Th 22. Hoed turnips wet night
 Fri 23. Fixed Binder went to 6th with GS Mr & Mrs Strongman here
 Sat 24. Tinkered at Binder Put P Green on potatoes went to F Shorts at night
 Sun 25. Went to ch & to Geo Shorts for dinner
 Mo 26. Drew in 3 loads hay Fixed Franks milk cart &c
 Tu 27. Went to Drayton bot screen for doors went to E G's for dinner
 We 28. Fixed Reel & Canvas of Binder &c
 Th 29. Ad & C here for dinner went to Pick berries &c
 Fr 30. J Masson here started Binder Fixed screen door
 Sat 31. Cut F wheat & Father shoked do

AUGUST 1897

Sun 1st. Quarterly meeting Sun F & Maud here
 Mo 2nd Drew in spoiled hay & 3 loads do wheat
 Tu 3... " " wheat helped Frank cut
 We 4... Taking care of rakings cut hay at spring creek
 Th 5... Got horse shod Edith & Jim hoed turnips started to cut wheat in orchard
 F 6... Finished cutting wheat in orchard &c
 Sat 7... Put up hay Sp creek Took in wheat in orchard
 Su 8... Lucinda Skyring buried went to Mrs Crawford's for Tea At ch at night
 Mo 9... Made slats for Binder Nicklins & Miss Clarke here
 Tu 10. Put on slats & took Miss C to Mrl'd
 W 11. Went to Kinsmans &c Scuffled turnips
 Th 12. Cut Barley brot _____ Started front Piece
 F 13. Finished B back of railroad &c
 Sat 14. Finished front piece of B Rain at night
 Sun 15. Went to church at night
 Mo 16. Ground knives of binder went to ch business meeting
 Tu 17. Made little gate hoed turnips Bot hogs from Jno Boothe 6
 We 18. Commenced to cut harvest for Norm aft noon
 Th 19. Went to P. Ferguson's for binder chain
 Fri 20. Finished do
 Sat 21. Drew in Barley of back of R.R.
 Su 22. Ch at night
 Mo 23. Drew in B of front field &c
 Tu 24. Took in Rakings of do bro't binder home Colquhouns &c here
 We 25. Started to cut oats front of R.R. Edith went to Drayton with check &c
 Th 26. Finished cutting oats started back field
 Fr 27. " do Ploughed aft noon
 Sat 28. Got Jim Clegg to help plough for fall wheat
 Sun 29. Went to ch in morning At FS for dinner

Mo 30. Ploughed in Front Field for F wheat &c Jim Clegg helped
Tu 31. Finished do Took 3 load oats to thresh

SEPTEMBER 1897

We 1 ... Got up wood for threshing & got seed wheat &c
Th 2 ... Sowed F wheat
F 3 ... Threshed at home & at Newsteads
Sat 4 ... Took in oats back of River Got shoes on Charley &c
Sun 5 ... Went to ch morn & eve
Mo 6 ... Got chop & took in 4 loads oats of field front of RR
Tu 7 ... Finished do 4 loads chored round FS here at pm
We 8 ... Unloaded load oats sold lamb \$3.90 Went to Palmerston with grist
Th 9 ... Went to village got Dan shod forenoon Went to E Bready's threshing Fixed mower
Cut clover
F 10. Pulled pease sowed wheat for Norm
Sat 11. Wet morning went to Drayton to G.S. for T
Su 12. Went to ch morning Went to Frank S for dinner
Mo 13. Worked screen door & windows &c
Tu 14. Raked & took in Clover hay Forester meeting
We 15. Looking for hog went to see about selling hay got rope from Norm Put it up
Started to pull pease
Th 16. Pulled pease sowed Norms wheat Choir practice here
Fr 17. Finished pulling Pease Cleaned chop
Sat 18. Took chop Finished drawing pease Practice at Scotts
Su 19. Ch in morn Practice at Scotts ch at night
Mo 20. Cut oats for Ferguson Thrashed at Norms
Tu 21. Thrashed at Jno Welshes & Breandles
W 22. Drew stone to Dr got team shod
Th 23. Mfld Show Day Miss Jackson here
Fr 24. Jno Boothe threshed forenoon Got rack home Drew stone
Sat 25. Drew stone to Dr Cassidy
Su 26. Re opening Bethesda ch COF sermon
Mo 27. Supper at Bethesda Grace Brett here drew stone
Tu 28. Drew stone Finished do Drew wood Got fanning mill from Norms
We 29. Drew load lumber Made pig trough &c
Th 30. " " " Colquhoun here for dinner Cleaned chop & took it to mill
went to Norms at night

OCTOBER 1897

Fr 1st ... Sold pigs Bot two pigs Went to Drayton & to Awde &c
Sat 2nd .. Brot chop home got load wood put wood in wood shed

Sun 3 ... Went to ch Mfld morn to Drayton at night at F.S. for dinner
 Mo 4 ... Went to Geo Perkin &c &c with Frank
 Tu 5 ... Drayton Show
 W 6 ... Went to Elmira show
 Th 7 ... Went to Dan Scotts funeral Took in mangolds 4 load
 Fr 8 ... Went to Drayton with Alex. Apples
 Sat 9 ... Mrs Clarke here gathered & took apples to Palmerston
 Su 10. Took Mrs Clarke to village & ch at night
 Mo 11. Killed pig
 Tu 12. Cut up pig went to Norm's for oats Cleaned & took chop to mill father here
 We 13. Commenced to plough back of river went to Will Cowans &c
 Th 14. Ploughed back of river
 F 15. Commenced to dig potatoes
 Sat 16. Finished do went to Cheese Co meeting
 Su 17. Went to ch in morn & E. to Fowlers aft noon
 M 18. Ploughed forenoon went to P Ferguson &c Bot Mittens Pigs
 Tu 19. Ploughed Mr Corray here
 We 20. Wet forenoon Ploughed afternoon
 Th 21. Ploughed do
 Fr 22. Ploughed Back field forenoon went to D. with apples
 Sat 23. Ploughed forenoon went to sale bot sow Mrs Underhill here
 Sun 24. Frank Maud & Colquhouns here A.O.U.W. sermon
 Mo 25. Threshed at E Breadys & Fowlers
 Tu 26. Ploughed back field Corry here
 We 27. Ploughed back field got chop Mrs Long died
 Th 28. Threshed at Jno Boothes Clarence here
 Fri 29. Mrs Longs funeral at Listowel
 Sat 30. Finished ploughing Back field
 Sun 31. Went to Lebanon Mrs Long's Fun'l Sermon

NOVEMBER 1897

Mo 1 ... Pl corner front field Took in 4 loads Turnips
 Tu 2 ... " " wet day Wm Long here for dinner
 We 3 ... Went to Palmerston cider mill at G.S. at night
 Th 4 ... Took in 12 loads turnips
 Fri 5 ... Finished do 11 loads " wet night
 Sat 6 ... Ad & Clarence here got chop Finished PL corners
 Sun 7 ... Went to Normans for dinner ch at night
 Mo 8 ... At Frank Short's threshing
 Tu 9 ... Finished do McBeth's fixed pump \$1.25
 W 10. Dehorned cattle worked at stone pig pen Mr & Mrs Handcock here all night
 Th 11. Worked at Pig pen Wet day
 F 12. " " " " Stormy day

Sat 13. Finished do made pig trough went to flax mill store
 Sun 14. Went to ch morn & eve at Cleggs for dinner & Tea
 Mo 15. Cut wood for thresher went to village at night
 Tu 16. Drew manure on mangold ground 1898
 We 17. " " on garden & field end of Barn
 Th 18. Went to village ordered suit &c Cleaned chop
 Fr 19. White washed house for father put Board on Shed
 Sat 20. Went to Drayton & Glenallen &c
 Sun 21. At Wm Longs for dinner & Tea
 Mo 22. Cleaned & sold wheat 33 bu Ploughed garden went to ch meeting at night
 Tu 23. Made sleepers for pig pen father helped Put floor in pig pen
 We 24. Finished Pig pen arranged pigs &c
 Th 25. Thanksgiving day Went to Mrs Awde's funeral Hot supper at ch
 Fr 26. Wet day Ad & Clarence & Grace Brett here
 Sat 27. Went to village morning Cleaned & took chop to mill Got oats 407 lbs at 24 cts
 From Martin
 Sun 28. Went to ch morn & evening Went to F Shorts for dinner
 Mo 29. Went to Cameron's threshing Reform association meeting
 Tu 30. Got ready for threshers

DECEMBER 1897

We 1st. Threshed at home oyster supper C.O.F.
 Th 2... Went to Palmerston Reformers meeting
 F 3... Not well went to Flax mill store
 Sat 4... Wet day moved rails on flats &c Mr & Mrs A. Flemming here
 Su 5... Went to ch morn & eve
 Mo 6... Bro't F. mill from Norm's Cleaned chop & took to mill Got team Shod &c
 Tu 7... Cleaned & sold 38 bus oats Bot Bran & _____
 We 8... Put some Boards & Paper on Hen House Helped Frank at Pig pens
 Th 9... Killed geese 116 lbs @15, \$5.30
 Fr 10. Cleaned out middle stable Took geese to Drayton
 Sat 11. Built stairs to hen house
 Sun 12. Went to ch at night Mr Taylor Missionary preached
 M 13. Cut wood at door fix windows & shingles on Hen house
 Tu 14. Fixed up harness &c choring &c
 W 15. Attended little pigs to F Short for Tea
 Th 16. White Washed ceiling in Kitchen to 32 bus wheat to market .80 &c
 F 17. Drew load cheese Cleaned & took chop to mill
 Sat 18. Directors meeting Farmers Ins. Drayton to Geo Shorts for dinner
 Su 19. Went to ch morn & Evening went to Fowlers for dinner
 Mo 20. At Allendorf's threshing practice for Xmas Tree
 Tu 21. Took 35 bu wheat .80 to mill Went to Loughrans & to Cheese Factory
 We 22. Took ch check to Drayton Nell Short here Xmas Tree at night &c

Th 23. Very stormy Chored round
 Fri 24. Picked goose & cut wood
 Sat 25. Christmas at home our folks all here
 Sun 26. Ad & Clarence here went to ch at night
 Mo 27. Nomination day Bro't up load wood
 Tu 28. Went to Loughran's threshing
 We 29. Went to School meeting Cleaned Pease
 Th 30. Drew up wood Went to Philip's sale
 Fri 31. Went to Hot supper Bro't home chopp

JANUARY 1898

Sat 1st. Very cold Herb Perkin here at night
 Su 2... Herb here went to ch at night
 Mo 3... Election Day Perkins here
 Tu 4... Cut wood bot ____ Went to Scotts at night
 W 5... Went to Glenallen Farmers Institute meeting
 Th 6... Went to Drayton " " at Awde's for dinner
 Fri 7... Cleaned & took chop for Frank
 Sat 8... Went to R. Lows for night
 Su 9... Went to Zion ch at Fh. Bretts & to Geo Greens
 Mo 10. " Uncle Ed Green's for dinner & home
 Tu 11. Did churning Edith sick with cold Cleaned up chop Took to mill
 We 12. Annual Meeting April Society Frank & Maud here all night
 Th 13. Churned Mr Corry here went to village
 Fr 14. Chored round to Braendles & to village
 Sat 15. Attended district Farmers Institute meeting
 Sun 16. Went to ch morn & evening Edith at home with cold Father & Mother here
 Mo 17. Went to village churned did chores went skating &c
 Tu 18. Went to Palmerston with butter & grist Newsteads here at night
 We 19. Chored round George Short F & Maud here
 Th 20. Churned wet day Traided dan to Heckerton &c
 Fr 21. Went to Fathers for dinner made top box for potatoes &c
 Sat 22. Cut wood aft noon went to village morning
 Su 23. Went to ch morning at Colquhouns for din & Tea
 M 24. Sold pigs 1180 @ 5.28/59 & Pork 9 at 2.18 got load wood F.S. here
 Tu 25. Went to F Short for dinner got chop &c
 We 26. Helped at machinery went to village &c
 Th 27. Bro't up 2 loads wood Frank here
 Fr 28. Stormy day Thos Brett & wife here
 Sat 29. Went to Drayton Fire Ins meeting
 Su 30. Cold day Mabel Short here went to ch at night
 Mo 31. Attended Cheese Co meeting Edith & Mabel to Fowlers for tea

FEBRUARY 1898

Tu 1st. W Wellington Farmers Inst. meeting in Moorefield
We 2 ... “ “ “ at Palmerston Frank went too
Th 3 ... Very cold Took 5 bags chop to mill Geo Short came after Mabel
Fri 4 ... Had sore eyes went to village & to fathers for saw
Sat 5 ... Cut wood at house &c
Su 6 ... Went to ch morn & eve Effie & Will here
Mo 7 ... Got chop went to reform meeting at night
Tu 8 ... At Frank's Clover threshing. at Maudsley'
We 9 ... Went to village forenoon went to Palmerston to hear G.W.Ross. & c
Th 10. Nomination meeting Moorefield Fowler's here Rain
Fri 11. John Breandle here Tucker's meeting at night Sold pigs to Wes Ballard \$14.00
Sat 12. Had sore eye Wet day
Su 13. Went to ch morning & evening T.A. Moon Preached
Mo 14. Finished threshing clover at Franks
Tu 15. Chored round had sore eye
We 16. Tp S.S. Convension Drayton cold sore eye
Th 17. Did chores Went to Scotts meeting
Fr 18. “ Went to Jas Perkins for Tea got chop
Sat 19. Laid up with sore eyes
Su 20. Went to ch at night
Mo 21. Boy left went to Flax mill Store Gramophone at night
Tu 22. Went to Provincial nomination Drayton
We 23. Went to J. McLoughlan's sale &c
Th 24. Bot. Goods at Mfld went to Wetzels Young folks from 4th here at night
F 25. Cut wood at door Breandle here
Sat 26. “ “ went to village in aft noon
Su 27. Went to ch in morning & eve went to mother's for Tea
Mo 28. Went to Pay rent. Went to Tom. Bretts &c

MARCH 1898

Tu 1 ... Provincial Election Scrutineer for Scott Tucker elected by 229 mag.
We 2 ... Cleaned chop took it to mill got up load wood Mr Stubbs here
Th 3 ... Got up load wood F S here went to G. Perkins
Fri 4 ... Went to McLacklans for stove &c
Sat 5 ... Took stove to village went to meeting at cheese factory
Su 6 ... Went to ch morning & Eve. Mr & Mrs Clegg here
Mo 7 ... Took team (Maud & Charley) to Clifford
Tu 8 ... Came home Bot Team of colts &c went to Franks party at night
We 9 ... Got 2 loads wood soft weather
Th 10. Took Butter Co Stock Book round with Frank S

Fr 11. " forenoon Fixed pump &c
 Sat 12. Bro't Sleigh home from Norm's Took chop to mill
 Su 13. Wet day Went to ch at night Lounds preached Fowlers here for dinner
 Mo 14. Sold Pig \$11. Went to Sternes sale with Frank
 Tu 15. Killed Pig Bro't chop from village made wiffle tree &c
 We 16. Cut up pork cut brush in orchard
 Th 17. Took chop to mill Cut stakes Posts &c
 Fr 18. Did up chores Cut do do
 Sat 19. Went to Kinsmans for Harness & to Stirton
 Su 20. Went to ch morning & evening
 Mo 21. Went to Listowel to Dr. eye
 Tu 22 & 23 24 25 26 27 Staid at Mrs Pitches a week
 Mo 28. Came home from Listowel hitched up Fred sold Pigs to Simpson bot Bran &c
 Tu 29. Bot Prince (colt) bro't him home Sick at night had Dr.
 We 30. Some better got up in afnoon
 Th 31. Sit round house very cold Fixed drill to sow grass seed

APRIL 1898

Fri 1st. Sowed clover seed on fall wheat ground 4noon
 Sat 2nd. Finished do Ida Gabells funeral
 Su 3rd. Went to ch at night
 Mo 4 ... Went to Mother's in afternoon
 Tu 5 ... Went to Newsteads do do
 We 6 ... Went to Brendles & J. Welshes & Fixed harness
 Th 7 ... Hitched up Tom 1st time with Fred cleaned up 11 bags oats to change for seed
 Bo't Plough
 Fr 8 ... Made handle for sledge Took oats to Norms to change
 Sat 9 ... Got oats & Barley for seeds Went to Wetzels G. Perkins &c
 Su 10. Went to ch Morn & evening Ad & C here
 Mo 11. Worked up ground back field went to village &c
 Tu 12. do do got seed drill fixed &c
 We 13. Sowed oats back field &c
 Th 14. Finished do sowed corner in front field attended little pigs
 Fri 15. Commenced to work oat field back of river &c
 Sat 16. Sowed do bot bran got buggy fixed
 Su 17. Went to F Shorts for dinner & Tea
 Mo 18. Bruce ploughed back of R.R. Went to village &c took chop to mill
 Tu 19. Wet day moved straw in Barn &c
 We 20. Bro't chop home Geo & Mrs Short here
 Th 21. Went to Listowel to Wes. Perkin's
 Fri 22. Wet day
 Sat 23. Went to village forenoon & to Miss Hills funeral

Sun 24 . Went to ch F & Maud here &c
 Mo 25 . Sold pigs 6, 1070 @ 4.30 \$46.'
 Tu 26 . Ploughed with colt back of R.R.
 We 27 . Finished do went to Norms for 2 logs Barley
 Th 28 . Sold steer 980 \$33.30 rain disking & harrowing
 Fri 29 . Sowed Barley Back of R.R.
 Sat 30 . Commenced to plough at end of Barn Took chop to mill
 Sun 31 . Jim Ballard here &c

MAY 1898

Sun 1st . Quarterly meeting Moorefield Mr & Mrs Fowler here
 Mo 2nd Took calf to village \$3.50 Went to Business Quarterly Board
 Tu 3 ... Dug post holes on flats 41
 We 4 ... Finished do worked at fence Pickle here Got colts tails docked &c
 Th 5 ... Worked at fence front of RR
 Fri 6 ... do do went to Franks at night
 Sat 7 ... Finished seeding F. helped worked at fence & finished fence
 Sun 8 ... Went to Alex Walkers Funeral
 M 9 ... Fixed line fence at Newsteads & Braendle Got eve troughs on kitchen &c
 Tu 10 . Ploughed mangold patch forenoon wet afternoon Father here
 We 11 . Finished do went to Cameron's & to fathers &c wet
 Th 12 . Drew out 12 loads manure for roots
 Fri 13 . Worked for Norm at Barn sowed mangolds below barn
 Sat 14 . Drew out 10 loads manure washed buggy
 Sun 15 . Went to ch morning & Evening Colquhouns here
 Mon 16 . Drew out 18 loads manure father helped
 Tu 17 . Spread & ploughed in manure for mangolds back piece
 We 18 . Made drills & sowed mangolds back field
 Th 19 . Took chop to Mfld got Lady shod collected money for church &c
 Fri 20 . Went to District meeting Methodist ch Alma
 Sat 21 . Fixed lane wire fence went to raising on 50 acres
 Sun 22 . Ad & Clarence Jim & Stella Masson here Went to church at night
 Mo 23 . Washed sheep Harrowed millet ground Took out 2 loads manure for turnips
 Tu 24 . Bruce away Made garden &c
 We 25 . Drew manure for Turnips 15 load
 Th 26 . Finished do went to see Smith about eyes
 Fri 27 . Ploughed & spread manure for Turnips
 Sat 28 . Sheared sheep &c
 Su 29 . Went to ch at night Tait preached F. & Maud here
 Mo 30 . Took wool to Drayton 9 sheep 52 lbs &8.32 sorted potatoes Mrs McKay here
 Tu 31 . Cut & planted potatoes

JUNE 1898

We 1st . Finished Planting Potatoes fixed fence &c Got milk cans fixed Planted Tomatoes
Th 2 ... Went to Guelph Methodist Conference
Fri 3 ... At Guelph
Sat 4 ... At O.A.C. Guelph came home at night
Sun 5 ... Went to ch at night Maud Fowler here
Mo 6 ... Took calf to village Sowed Turnips sowed millet
Tu 7 ... Put oil on buggy Went to Drayton F'ms Institu. Ann. Meeting
We 8 ... Hoed mangolds 4 row Helped to fixed ch shed
Th 9 ... do do Mother & Father here hoed garden
Fri 10 . Cleaned chop went to A. Perkins got buggy fixed at Stirton
Sat 11 . Wet set out cedar trees at barn &c
Sun 12 . Went to ch morn & eve at Franks for dinner little pigs came Herman & Mabel
Short here for Tea
Mo 13 . Went for scraper started to turnpike road
Tu 14 . Finished do Drew up two loads wood
We 15 . Went to Drayton for rep of mower &c Bruce scuffled tu'ps
Th 16 . Shipped 3 calves + sow Sold Ladie \$65.&c
Fri 17 . Commenced to cut clover went to Fowlers at night
Sat 18 . Fixed Line fence Hoed mangolds moved straw Took in small load clover wet &c
Su 19 . Went to ch at night Dr Strongman's farewell
Mo 20 . Drawing gravel went to Franks in eve on Bike
Tu 21 . Finished road work Put up clover hay
We 22 . Cut piece of hay forenoon took colt to Dr Drew in 4 loads hay afternoon
Th 23 . Finished Cutting front of R.R. Raked & coiled up &c &c
Fri 24 . Took in 5 loads coiled up &c rain at night
Sat 25 . chored round forenoon went to Geo S's raising & to cheese factory. Cow's leg
broken
Sun 26 . Went to Camp meeting at night
Mo 27 . Took cow hide to village &c Took in 2 loads hay aftnoon
Dr Strongman's presentation at night
Tu 28 . Collected money for minister &c G.S. moved
We 29 . Uncle Green & Willie Father & Mother Rich. Long here Saunders lecture
Th 30 . Went to Palmerston to mill with Frank S.

JULY 1898

Fri 1 ... Spliced rope for Newstead Patched barn roof &c
Sat 2 ... Went to mothers for butter Fixed Ross' grave
Sun 3 ... Went to Camp meeting morn & afternoon
Mo 4 ... Went to village for oil scuffled mangolds &c
Tu 5 ... Cut back 6 acres hay Lazzie Martin & Alen Ross here
We 6 ... Went to see about Cowan's colt coiled up hay

Th 7 ... Drew in back piece hay
 Fri 8 ... Helped Newstead haying
 Sat 9 ... Went to the village for feed salt &c
 Sun 10 . At ch at night Mr Hills first Sun
 Mo 11 . At village for twine hoed turnips
 Tu 12 . Cut hay on spring creek
 We 13 . Went to Drayton with Bruce Henry Schneider killed
 Th 14 . Hoed mangolds &c H S's funeral
 Fri 15 . Took in hay of Spring creek Fixed binder &c
 Sat 16 . Cut fall wheat
 Sun 17 . Went to ch at night & to see J. Nicklin
 Mo 18 . Hoed mangolds
 Tu 19 . Finished do commenced to hoe potatoes
 We 20 . Hoed potatoes Helped Frank in aft noon at hay
 Th 21 . Hoeing potatoes Finished David Young here &c
 Fri 22 . Drew in fall wheat
 Sat 23 . Finished do helped Newstead
 Sun 24 . Went to Geo Shorts for dinner & Tea
 Mo 25 . Made steaks and commenced to fix fence
 Tu 26 . Finished Fence on spring creek
 We 27 . Drew Bridge Timber &c
 Th 28 . Cut small piece of oats & 7 acre Barley
 Fr 29 . Started to cut oats back field
 Sat 30 . Finished do
 Sun 31 . Frank & Maud here &c

AUGUST 1898

Mo 1...Went to McCombs & to Wes Perkins sold dollar
 Tu 2...Cut oats on new ground back cut hay in orchard
 We 3...Cut oats back of river
 Th 4...Started to draw in oats back field
 F 5...Finished do Took in load barley
 Sat 6...Cleaned barn floor cut wood for threshing got feed from village &c
 Su 7...Went to ch at night
 Mo 8...Helped Newstead drawing oats went to Quarterly business meeting M_C
 Tu 9...Threshed at home forenoon & at Jno Booths in afternoon
 We 10...Drew in Barley at oats Newstead helped
 Th 11...Finished do helped Newstead afternoon
 Fr 12...Threshed Loughrans Bruce at Bready's. went to see Blanche's colt
 Sat 13...Drew in rakings Barley & oats Took chop to mill &c
 Sun 14...Went to ch at night Maud & Mrs McK.
 Mo 15....At Cameron's threshing forenoon Bot mare of Blanche
 Tu 16...Disked at Barley ground Helped Norm drawing in oats

We 17...A. Fowler's threshing & helped Frank drawing in
 Th 18...Got Kate shod and chains fixed cut Pease in afternoon Newstead here
 F 19...Norm's threshing pulled pease &c
 Sat 20. Finished do got sheep home from Perkin's &c
 Su 21. Mrs & Mr Fowler here
 Mo 22. Got load hay 800 from Norm drew in 5 load pease
 Tu 23. Took hay fork car to get fixed Took in 1 load pease Commenced to plough fall wheat
 We 24.... Bruce ploughed Fixed gate oat boxes &c Tom Brett & wife here
 Th 25 Choring round wet cut tops of posts &c
 Fr 26 got harness fixed went to Camerons bot 10 sheep
 Sat 27 Finished drawing pease
 Sun 28 ... Went to Geo Perkins
 Mo 29... Sold lambs &c
 Tu 30 .. Finished Pl for fall wheat
 We 31 .. Sowed fall wheat

SEPTEMBER 1898

Th 1 ... Picked stones off fall wheat cut millet &c
 Fri 2 ... Took buggy to get tires sett dug up stone &c
 Sat 3 ... Choring round took in millet got up load wood to F S.
 Sun 4 ... Went to Mother's for dinner ch at night
 Mo 5 ... Went to S. M. Camerons for sheep
 Tu 6 ... Hot Will Cowan here &c
 We 7 ... Went to Toronto exhibition
 Th 8 ... do do
 Fr 9 ... Went to Palmerston to mill bot feed
 Sat 10. Drew stone 5 load to J. Gabel
 Sun 11. Mr Short here Frank & Maud here
 Mo 12. Drew 2 load stone to Gabel went to Glenallen
 Tu 13. Came home by Drayton &c
 We 14. Went to Newsteads Threshing
 Th 15. Finished do asked hands to our thresh
 F 16. Threshed at home
 Sat 17. Threshed at Rolls' Geo Perkins here got colt(Jimmie) home
 Sun 18. Went to M. Camp meeting Mr Short here
 Mon 19. Finished thresh at Rolls started at Jno Welshes
 Tu 20. Finished do started at Breandles
 We 21. Bruce at B's got clover table from Frank's &c
 Th 22. Wet Oiled heavy harness
 Fri 23. Wet Bruce at Jno Boothes took chop to mill
 Sat 24. Put harness together helped fix grounds for show
 Sun 25. Baby born &c Della

Mo 26. Mfld Show Day
 Tu 27. Cut clover seed aftnoon
 We 28. Bruce at Bready's thresh chored round
 Th 29. Finished cutting clover seed
 Fr 30. Drew in clover seed Norm & father helped

OCTOBER 1898

Sat 1 ... Bruce ploughed back of river Cleaned pease &c
 Sun 2 ... Went to ch at night with Mabel
 Mo 3 ... Changed sows with Norm oiled double light harness
 Tu 4 ... Went to Drayton show &c
 We 5 ... Bro't sow home from Norms fixed Plough harness Ploughed with colts
 Th 6 ... Ploughed with colts forenoon chored &c
 Fr 7 ... Did up chores got colts shod &c
 Sat 8 ... Put floor in horses feed room Took in mangolds & carrots in garden
 Sun 9 ... Frank Maud Geo Perkins &c here
 Mo 10. Unloaded Norm's clover seed went to see about pig Drew in manure &c
 Tu 11. Wet day cleaned 18 bags chop fixed harness &c
 We 12. Mr Short married. Gathered apples &c
 Th 13. Wet went to village & to G. Perkins took chop to mill
 Fri 14. Ploughed sod back 6 acre field
 Sat 15. Went to Fathers & to Fowlers & village Ploughed sod aftnoon
 Sun 16. Massons, Perkins & Herman Short here went to ch
 Mo 17. Drew in 6 load mangolds
 Tu 18. " " 3 load wet made milk cart
 We 19. Wet day Frank & Maud here Picked apples
 Th 20. Drew in 5 loads mangolds Ploughing
 F 21. Wet went to village got Bag Potatoes
 Sat 22. " forenoon Picked apples & Ploughed
 Sun 23. Went to ch in morning at Frank's for dinner
 Mo 24. Drew in 4 loads mangolds & ploughed
 Tu 25. " " 5 " " "
 We 26. Wet Got Show set on Fred took Girls to Fowlers snow & frost
 Th 27. Drew up load wood Took in 7 loads mangolds
 F 28. Finished mangolds 5 loads Colquhouns here
 Sat 29. Looked up old sow Took in 4 loads turnips little pigs came
 Sun 30. Went to Colquhouns for dinner & Tea
 Mo 31. Went to Fowler's & to village Took in turnips aft noon

NOVEMBER 1898

Tu 1 ... Finished turnips
 We 2 ... Took load turnips to Crawfords drew out 6 loads manure for mangolds 1899

Th 3 ... Bruce at Allendorfs threshing took out manure aftnoon
 Fri 4 ... Drew manure for mangolds Geo Short here for M.
 Sat 5 ... Took Norms wagon home finished do
 Sun 6 ... Went to Geo Shots stormy
 Mo 7 ... Bruce at Cameron's threshing chored round
 Tu 8 ... Got chop & Plough fixed started to Pl C. sod front of RR Mrs Fowler here
 We 9 ... Ploughed " stormy afternoon
 Th 10. Stormy got Prince shod drew load clover
 Fri 11. Spread manure Killed pigs &c Frank Short here
 Sat 12. Helped about house went to sale in Moorefield Bo't new stove
 Sun 13. Went to Frank's for dinner & Tea
 Mo 14. Went to Jno Nicklin's funeral
 Tu 15. Came home from Millbank &c
 We 16. Cut & split stakes father helped &c
 Th 17. Took chop to mill got furnace &c
 Fri 18. Built Place for furnace
 Sat 19. Ploughed c sod aft noon
 Su 20. Went to Frank Short's for Tea
 Mo 21. Took milk to butter factory & Ploughed
 Tu 22. Ploughed c sod
 We 23. Shipped Pig & lamb finished ploughing
 Th 24. Thanksgiving day Hot supper
 Fr 25. Cut wood aft noon
 Sat 26. Went to Stirton & Drayton with Bruce
 Su 27. Went to ch at night
 Mo 28. Drew wood out of bush went to cider mill
 Tu 29. Went to Palmerston for feed &c
 We 30. Cut wood in bush

DECEMBER 1898

Th 1st. Took apples to Stirton drew wood &c Bruce at Loughrans threshing
 Fri 2nd " Bot 10 bags potatoes from Norm &c
 Sat 3 ... Threshed clover at Fowlers & at home
 Sun 4 ... Went to Frank Shorts for dinner & Tea
 Mo 5 ... Finished clover at home Stormy Took 4 bags chop to mill &c
 Tu 6 ... Drew out 7 loads manure
 We 7 ... Stormy day churned all day
 Th 8 ... Churned Boiled feed &c
 Fri 9 ... Cleaned & took chopp to mill &c
 Sat 10. Boiled feed cut wood at home &c
 Su 11. Went to ch at night Mr & Mrs Short here
 Mo 12. Killed & picked Geese Frank Maud Ef & Will here
 Tu 13. Went to Drayton with geese at W C's for dinner

We 14. Went to Stirton & to cheese factory
 Th 15. At Mr Shorts papering Traded away Kate for Skip &c
 Fr 16. Went to Palmerston for feed &c
 Sat 17. Went to Fathers & to Institute Directors meeting in Drayton
 Su 18. At ch at night Mfld fun day
 Mo 19. Went to Frank's for dinner & to Drayton Commissioners Nomination
 Tu 20. Cleaned & took chop to mill Mr & Mrs Short here
 We 21. Drew 2 loads wood from Scotts &c
 Th 22. Drew 1 load wood cut wood at door Methodist Xmas Tree
 Fri 23. Worked at stable doors for Geo Perkins
 Sat 24. Went to Glenallen to dinner at Add's
 Sun 25. At home Frank & Maud here went to church at night
 Mo 26. Nomination day Uncle E. Green & Robert here for dinner
 Tu 27. Stormy day Bruce away
 We 28. Annual meeting at school &c
 Th 29. Fine day Drew out 5 load manure drew load wood for Frank
 Fri 30. Cleaned & took chop to mill drew 7 loads manure
 Sat 31. Worked at stable doors for G.P. Geo & Nell Short here

JANUARY 1899

Su 1 ... Bruce went home sick Went to ch morn & evening
 Mo 2 ... Tp Election day Went to Jas Perkin for dinner & Tea
 Tu 3 ... Just did chores
 We 4 ... Rainy day
 Th 5 ... Went over to Fathers & to Bush Piled up some wood
 Fri 6 ... Mr & Mrs Jno Short here &c
 Sat 7 ... Stormy & very cold did chores &c
 Su 8 ... " Went to church at night Lounds preached
 Mo 9 ... Cleaned & took chop to mill went to Franks for Tea
 Tu 10. Cleaned seed pease &c
 W 11. Robert Green & wife here
 Th 12. Helped Fowler To clean clover seed
 Fr 13. Threshed c seed at Franks Miss Clarke here G.Short &c here
 Sat 14. Went to Drayton Farmers Ins. meeting
 Su 15. Went to Scotts & to ch at night
 Mo 16. At Farmers Inst. Meeting Glenallen &c
 Tu 17. Took Miss Clarke to village got Mabel
 We 18. G & Robt Green here &c
 Th 19. Cut wood in bush had cold &c
 Fr 20. Colquhouns & Crawfords &c here
 Sat 21. Took Miss Clarke to village &c
 Su 22. At hone till Evening went to ch
 Mo 23. Went to cheese Co Annual meeting Sold Black sow to Geo Green

Tu 24. Drew out 3 loads manure went to Frank Shorts
 We 25. Went to Geo Greens &c
 Th 26. Took chop to mill went to Palmerston to oat mill
 Fri 27. Breaking roads went to Jno Shorts &c
 Sat 28. Robert Green here stormy
 Su 29. Went to Fathers aft noon
 Mo 30. Went to Listowel with Geo Short
 Tu 31. At Peel & Maryborough Fire Insurance meeting At Geo Shorts for Tea

FEBRUARY 1899

We 1st. Stormy changed place for old sow
 Th 2...Cut Elm wood at bush &c
 Fri 3...Went to Listowel horse fair with F.
 Sat 4...Drew out 3 load manure went to Jno Cadwel's & to Geo Shorts &c
 Sun 5...Went to ch at night
 Mo 6...Sold Skipp to R. Cadwell went to Frank Short's to grind chop &c
 Tu 7...Cleaned & sold load wheat in Mfld
 We 8...Cleaned load wheat very cold Sold 6 Pigs
 Th 9...Sold wheat in Drayton went to see Effie C.
 Fri 10..Took 5 bags chop to mill
 Sat 11..Cleaned & sold load wheat in Mfld Went to Drayton &c Ad. & C.Long here
 Su 12..Walked to church Frank & Maud here
 Mo 13..Got Prince weighed 1400 Cleaned & sold last of wheat in Mfld
 Tu 14..Cut & Drew up wood for house
 We 15..Went to Wetzels & to Moorefield traded horses with Geo Wilson got Maud for Prince
 Went to Franks at _____
 Th 16..Cut wood in Bush for Anderson Went to Geo Perkins at night
 Fri 17.. " " " " " "
 Sat 18.. " " Bot new c saw \$4.20
 Su 19..Bruce & Ed went to ch in morn
 Mo 20..F. Inst. Meeting Mfld Edith at McKays &c
 Tu 21..Went to " meeting at Rothsay wet snow
 We 22.. " Palmerston Inst meeting
 Th 23..Took chop 5 bags to mill sold pigs Cut wood aft noon
 Fri 24..Cut wood for Anderson
 Sat 25.. " " & went to Franks at night
 Su 26..Went to ch at night Mustache off
 Mo 27..Ploughed & cut wood went to Drayton &c with Frank Short
 Tu 28..Filed saw in village Cut wood aft noon

MARCH 1899

We. 1st. Cut wood for ourselves Miss McGee & Blanche Findly here

Th 2 ... Helped Frank Butcher &c
 Fri 3 ... Cut wood in Bush Mr & Mrs Jno Short here
 Sat 4 ... Went to Drayton Directors meet Ist. Fms. Cut wood at door for noon
 Su 5 ... Very stormy went to ch morning
 Mo 6 ... Started to draw wood to Anderson got sleigh fixed &c
 Tu 7 ... Milo S. started work here. Drew wood
 We 8 ... Drew wood to Anderson at fathers in morning
 Th 9 ... Finished do made wood rack
 Fri 10. Took load wood to Drayton &c
 Sat 11. " " went to Edgar Welshes &c Frank _____
 Sun 12. Went to ch in morning stormy at night
 Mo 13. Went to Will Cowan's & to Wells' sale
 Tu 14. Bruce went to Man. Took oats to chop for Duncan Went for seed oats of Jas
 Duncan
 We 15. Rainy day went to Franks & to Colquhouns all night
 Th 16. Went to A. Perkins for Tea.
 Fr 17. Boiled feed split wood in bush
 Sat 18. Went to Harriston E. Jordans funeral
 Su 19. Came home from H. mare sick
 Mo 20. Stormy day choring round FS here
 Tu 21. Drew load hay for Frank Short
 We 22. Drew two loads wood from bush
 Th 23. Stormy choring round
 Fr 24. Went to G. Jack's funeral at Drayton
 Sat 25. Drew load wood to Drayton F. Short helped
 Sun 26. Father & Jno Boothe here all day Cow sick
 Mo 27. Went to Drayton with wood Bro't fanning mill home from F. S.
 Tu 28. Hitched up colts Cleaned clover seed killed cow &c
 We 29. Stormy day took cow to Jno Short &c
 Th 30. Drew up wood to door took Edith to Station to go to Guelph
 Fri 31. Helped Frank clean clover seed & seed barley &c

APRIL 1899

Sat 1st. Drew up load wood cleaned wheat for bread
 Su 2 ... Went to church at night
 Mo 3 ... Went to Palmerston to mill drew out 4 loads manure
 Tu 4 ... Drew out 6 loads manure Edith came home from Guelph
 We 5... " " 3 " Went to Mfld & to F.S. for night helped Newstead kill pig
 Th 6 ... Bo't & Drew home hay stack from Frank's. Frank helped
 Fr 7 ... Drew manure Herm & Mabel Short here
 Sat 8 ... Sold pigs to J. Allendorf 25 Ad & Clarence here B_____Boothe died
 Sun 9 ... Went to church at night
 Mo 10. Newstead here went to B. Boothe's funeral

Tu 11. Went to Geo Perkins wood bee rain
 We 12. Choring round &c went to Mfld &c
 Th 13. Made gate for front painted do
 Fr 14. Went to village forenoon Newsteads aft noon
 Sat 15. Father here or dinner went to village & to Martins &c
 Su 16. Frank & Maud & Ed Long here went to ch
 Mo 17. chored round cut wood aft noon
 Tu 18. Went for Bll salt &c worked at fence along river &c Geo & Frank Short here
 We 19. Worked at fence father here helping
 Th 20. Working at Horses with distemper &c
 Fri 21. Went to village & Franks &c &c
 Sat 22. Took horses to shop got Tom shod Fred very sick
 Sun 23. Attended horses all day Jno Fowler here
 Mo 24. At village morning & to 4th with McKay
 Tu 25. Fixed road gate Harrowed at Pease field
 We 26. Harrowed do commenced to disk do
 Th 27. Went to village for Bruce &c & to Franks Disk harrowed at Pea ground &c
 Fri 28. Finished do started to sow pease
 Sat 29. Finished sowing Pease
 Su 30. Went to ch morning & evening At J. Boothes at night

MAY 1899

Mo 1st. Fixed 3 horse whiffletree started to disk for oats back of river
 Tu 2... Jimmie lame went to village & to Wm Cowan &c
 We 3... Finished oat field ready to sow
 Th 4... Sowed oats " back of river
 Fri 5... Worked up root land for Barley &c
 Sat 6... Bo't spruce trees & planted them went to see Will Hammond
 Sun 7... Went to Geo Shorts & to ch W. Hammond died
 Mo 8... Sowed Barley on road land started to disk field front of R.R.
 Tu 9... Do Went to Will Hammonds Funeral
 We 10. Cross disked front of R.R. started to sow Barley
 Th 11. Finished Barley sowed 4 bags oats same field
 Fri 12. Ploughed & sow'd Patch in orchard
 Sat 13. " " at end of Pig Pen got Fred shod
 Su 14. Went to Franks for dinner ch at night
 Mo 15. Got Newsteads roller collected for church minister
 Tu 16. Went to station father started for Manitoba Drew rails for pea field wet &c
 We 17. wet day fixed line at Breandles &c
 Th 18. Fixed fence forenoon Mrs G Wilsons funeral
 Fri 19. Made fence for pea field &c
 Sat 20. " " below Barley &c

Sun 21 . Went to church at night
 Mo 22 . Ploughed for mangolds got Ben's feet trimmed
 Tu 23 . Got Med for Ben Made drills & sowed mangolds
 We 24 . Rolled Pease went to Franks in eve Mother here
 Th 25 . Ploughed garden &c made walk into church
 Fri 26 . Made garden Mr & Mrs Duncan here
 Sat 27 . Washed sheep Planted potatoes in garden
 Su 28 . At home all day wet at night
 Mo 29 . Sharpened stakes for front fence Rain
 Tu 30 . Drove stakes made fence at road
 We 31 . " " Finished do Ef & Will Cowan here Drew some rails in from road &c

JUNE 1899

Th 1st . White washed ceiling kitchen went to Drayton &c
 Fri 2 ... Fixed pole on Breandles line fence Drew load sand for F. Short
 Sat 3 ... Drew load sand Finished drawing rails from front
 Su 4 ... Went to see mother aft noon Went to ch
 Mo 5 ... Bo't Shears Shearing sheep
 Tu 6 ... Commenced to crost stake fence along river
 We 7 ... Finished do Bro't heifer from Newsteads
 Th 8 ... Planted Potatoes Frank helped forenoon
 Fri 9 ... Went to Palmerston with just sheared F.S. sheep
 Sat 10 . Drew out manure for millet Frank helped
 Su 11 . Had sore back Went to Norms for dinner
 Mo 12 . Shipped 2 calves \$12. Ploughed Millet ground &c
 Tu 13 . Finished do sowed turnips
 We 14 . Went to village sold steer warmed out hands to work on road
 Th 15 . Wet day Frank & Maud here
 Fri 16 . Doing road work
 Sat 17 . " " " went to Jno Shorts Mrs S sick
 Su 18 . Went to see Mrs J. Short & to church
 Mo 19 . Sold steer &c got oats from Newstead got milk can fixed
 Tu 20 . Skuffled potatoes Bro't Binder home &c
 We 21 . Went to Listowel with wood 79 lbs at .17
 Th 22 . Sowed millet Picked stone &c
 Fri 23 . Institute excursion to Guelph
 Sat 24 . Milo roled millet Hoed mangolds
 Su 25 . Went to ch at night
 Mo 26 . got horse from R. Long cut some hay Back field

Tu 27. Raked & took in 2 loads hay
 We 28. Wet all day social postponed
 Th 29. Finished hoeing mangolds Social at night
 Fri 30. Cut grass round door Ploughed through potatoes &c Thompsons Barn raising

JULY 1899

Sat 1 ... Ed Stewart & wife here &c
 Su 2 ... Went to Camp meeting aft noon & eve Wilsons lecture
 Mo 3 ... Cut hay back field Wilson's barn set up Binder
 Tu 4 ... Wet & hot Ef & Will C here
 We 5 ... Finished cutting Back field ground knives
 Th 6 ... Raked & put up do Scuffled mangolds & potatoes
 Fri 7 ... Went to Franks to make hay rack & took Morgans wood
 Sat 8 ... Wet all day Mr & Mrs Jno Short here
 Su 9 ... At camp all day
 Mo 10. Scuffled at turnips forenoon drew in 2 load hay
 Tu 11. Hoed mangolds & went to Fowlers
 We 12. Mr & Mrs D Young here commenced to cut front field hay Brok mower
 Th 13. Raked & took in 3 load hay
 Fri 14. Cut another piece finished drawing front field
 Sat 15. Cut round fence coyled up hay front field
 Su 16. Went to Camp meeting
 Mo 17. Father here Took in load hay finished scuffled turnips
 Tu 18. Got load shingles cut Ball. of front field Took in 2 loads do father cut orchard
 We 19. Hoed turnips coyled up hay
 Th 20. Drew 1 load hay Geo Walkers raising
 F 21. Hoed turnips Drew in Ball. Of front field
 Sat 22. Raked & put up hay on orchard & sp creek Clar & Ad here
 Su 23. C & Ad here went to ch
 Mo 24. Cut round F. wheat went to Frank to help at Barn &c
 Tu 25. S.S. excursion Started to cut wheat
 We 26. Helped Frank at Barn cut F wheat
 Th 27. Shocked fall wheat eve
 F 28. Cut Fowlers F wheat 11 acre
 Sat 29. Drew in hay of orchard & sp. creek Hitched up Ben first time
 Su 30. N Perkin & Frank Shorts here
 Mo 31. Howard here to see sheep. Sold do Bot Steer &c

AUGUST 1899

Tu 1st. Helped Frank draw stone
 W 2nd McFaden buried started to draw in F. wheat 7 load Mr Kinsman & Ada here

Th 3 ... Finished F.W. Cut Barley back Norm here
 Fri 4 ... Cut Norms Barley finished mine Jim Underhill shocking
 Sat 5 ... Drew in Norms Wheat Howard here for Pigs &c
 Su 6 ... Quarterly meeting at Bethesda went to Geo Shorts &c
 Mo 7 ... Cut Barley front of R.R. Ploughed _____ Potatoes
 Tu 8 ... Gang ploughed for rape &c
 We 9 ... Drew in 7 loads Barley
 Th 10 ... Worked & sowed rape ground
 F 11 ... " started to cut oats back of River
 Sat 12 ... Finished do J. & Mrs Underhill here
 Su 13 ... Underhills & Shorts here &c
 Mo 14 ... Started Pease men shingling Barn Drew in 1 load barley
 Tu 15 ... Drew in 5 loads Pease
 We 16 ... At Newsteads & Camerons threshing
 Th 17 ... Finished drawing pease Drew in 3 loads Barley Wilson Welsh here
 Fri 18 ... Finished Barley & rakings &c
 Sat 19 ... Finished cutting oats 4 acre Went to see threshers &c
 Su 20 ... Went to Geo Shorts &c
 Mo 21 ... Went to village & to see threshers drew up wood to thresh &c
 Tu 22 ... Got _____ from Newstead went to Colquhouns &c
 We 23 ... Started to stack oats
 Th 24 ... Finished do Mr Greenwood helped
 Fri 25 ... Helped Newsteads harvesting
 Sat 26 ... do do
 Su 27 ... Went to ch at night
 Mo 28 ... helped Newstead forenoon Harry Booths threshing
 Tu 29 ... Started to draw out manure for fall w at Geo Shorts drawing pease
 We 30 ... Drew manure &c
 Th 31 ... Finished do & Ploughed two hours Rain at night

SEPTEMBER 1899

Fri 1st ... Gang Pl fall wheat ground &c
 Sat 2 ... sowed fall wheat Norm helped
 Su 3 ... Went to ch at night
 Mo 4 ... Helped Norm Pull Pease forenoon got Dick shod
 Tu 5 ... Wet morn went to Franks Perry Welsh here
 We 6 ... Helped Norm finish Pull Pease started stack &c rain at night
 Th 7 ... Finished do asked hands to thresh
 F 8 ... Threshed at home
 Sat 9 ... " " & at Jno Welsh &c
 Su 10 ... Went to ch at night
 Mo 11 ... Jno Grahams thresh gang Pl to chop &c
 Tu 12 ... Thresh at Norms & Breandles &c Bo't colt from A. Wilson &c

We 13. Finished thresh at Breandles got chop home
 Th 14. Helped Fowler drew in harvest
 Fri 15. Picked Alexander apples got Bhls
 Sat 16. Apple packers here Frank got seed wheat Went to Elliots with Frank Short
 Sun 17. Frank & Maud here went to ch
 Mo 18. Took lambs to village &c wet day
 Tu 19. Went to see Howard _____ to Palmerston mill
 We 20. Took Franks grist home & _____ Welsh here
 Th 21. Shipped A. apples Mr Pridham here Went to Drayton at night &c
 Fr 22. Cut millet Ed Breadys threshing
 Sat 23. Jos Welsh thresh got Tom & Fred shod
 Sun 24. Wet day Mr & Mrs J. Short here
 Mo 25. Moorefield Fall Fair C.O.F.coun _____
 Tu 26. Went to Camerons Mother here &c
 We 27. Threshed at Rolls &c
 Th 28. Finished do Com. At Newsteads
 F 29. Finished Newsteads Started Wilsons
 Sat 30. " Wilsons cold all day

OCTOBER 1899

Su 1st. Went to Franks for dinner & Tea
 Mo 2... Drew in millet 5 loads
 Tu 3... Drayton Show got show team
 We 4... Took Newsteads wagon home got chop &c got Plough from Franks
 Th 5... Uncle E. Green here Started to plough at end of Barn
 F 6... Took Grey horse to Listowel
 Sat 7... Dug potatoes front of house
 Su 8... Geo & Annie Green here
 Mo 9... Fixed Pl. harness went to Robinsons in Wallace
 Tu 10. Went to village to see McKay &c at Franks at night
 We 11. " " " forenoon Went to Jno Shorts for Tea
 Th 12. Went to Geo Greens &c
 Fr 13. Took Franks horse home &c dug Potatoes &c
 Sat 14. Finished Potatoes cleaned barn floor &c Took chop to mill Sold old sow
 Su 15. Went to ch at night
 Mo 16. Started at mangolds 5 loads
 Tu 17. Went to 14th. To see Archibald's farm with Frank Short wet day
 We 18. Milo ploughed took in 4 loads Mangolds
 Th 19. Thanksgiving day Finished Mangolds
 Fr 20. Ploughed both teams millet ground Jim shod
 Sat 21. Started to plough front of R.R.
 Su 22. Went to ch morn at Cleggs for dinner
 Mo 23. Wet forenoon went to Allendorfs threshing

Tu 24 . Finished do Topped half turnips
 We 25 . Drew in 7 loads turnips
 Th 26 . Toped last of turnips Took in 1 load. Wet
 Fri 27 . Wet day went to Drayton &c Bot overcoat at_____
 Sat 28 . Wet went to village &c
 Su 29 . Fine day Frank & Maud here went to ch in evening
 Mo 30 . Ploughed front of RR Quickfall here to see team
 Tu 31 . Took in 3 loads turnips helped Frank in afternoon

NOVEMBER 1899

We 1st . Went to village & to D. Cowans sale
 Th 2nd . Ploughed front of R.R. Finished do
 Fri 3 ... Started to plough C sod front field
 Sat 4 ... Ploughed do Geo Green here traided cow got colt from J. Graham &c
 Su 5 ... Went to Tom Delahunts for dinner & Tea
 Mo 6 ... Ploughed forenoon went to Quarterly business meeting Grandpa Underhills died
 Tu 7 ... Edith went to Claremont I went to Perkins thresh for Frank
 We 8 ... Went to Mclsaic's mother here aft noon
 Th 9 ... Finished Ploughing front field
 Fri 10 . Went to Ab Rolls sale bot calves Geo Green here &c
 Sat 11 . Drew manure on garden
 Su 12 . Went to ch in morning to FS for din
 Mo 13 . Ploughed garden got chop &c went to League &c
 Tu 14 . Frank here for apples &c Fixed old wheel barrow &c
 We 15 . Took old Binder frames cleaned middle stable
 Th 16 . Took old Iron to village drew 2 loads
 Fri 17 . Drew 1 load gravel to middle stable helped Frank aft noon
 Sat 18 . Threshed at Franks
 Su 19 . Edith went to ch Mr & Mrs J. Short here
 Mo 20 . At Franks threshing
 Tu 21 . Dug drain from cow stable &c
 We 22 . Went to Drayton to see about tile &c
 Th 23 . Drew tile 1 load Put in some went to Wallace with Frank
 Fri 24 . do do dug at drain at end of barn Went to Fowlers
 Sat 25 . Finished drain went to see Tait &c
 Su 26 . Went to ch & to Colquhouns &c
 M 27 . At Cameron's threshing
 Tu 28 . do do Mrs J. Short here went to Mrs Findly's for T
 We 29 . Harry Boothe thresh
 Th 30 . Went to Tom Bretts at night

DECEMBER 1899

Fri 1st . Came home from Bretts looked for Arthur Perkins
 Sat 2nd Got chop forenoon wet snow falling
 Su 3rd . Went to church at night
 Mo 4 ... Got straw of Harry Boothe &c
 Tu 5 ... Cut wood Storm
 We 6 ... Shipped pigs Killed pig for Frank
 Th 7 ... Moved wire at river went to J.S's for Tea
 Fr 8 ... Loughrans thresh aft noon
 Sat 9... " " Colquhouns here to see Cora
 Su 10 . Went to G.S's for tea
 Mo 11 . Wet day went to village forenoon &c
 Tu 12 . Wilber Perkin & Norm here for sheep Helped Loughran finish thresh went to Frank & J.Shorts
 We 13 . Did chores forenoon got cheese cheque Arthur Perkin & wife here
 Th 14 . Drew load saw dust from village to bank house
 Fri 15 . Went to Frank's for Tea paid Taxes
 Sat 16 . Will Cowan here chored round
 Su 17 . Went to ch at night
 Mo 18 . Helped Frank to make troughs
 Tu 19 . Choring round all day
 We 20 . Sold cow to C & C &c \$31.50
 Th 21 . Put Buckles on horse blankets got Ben shod
 Fri 22 . Went to nomination and Xmas Tree
 Sat 23 . Went to Drayton at G.S's for Tea
 Su 24 . Went to ch morning & Evening
 Mo 25 . Went to Will Cowans for dinner & Tea
 Tu 26 . Mrs Littlejohns Perkins &c here
 We 27 . Went to Drayton with L_____
 Th 28 . Went to Franks for dinner & tea
 Fri 29 Took chop to mill Party here at night
 Sat 30 . Lesley Short here went to Geo S's at night
 Sun 31 . Went to ch at night

JANUARY 1900

Mo 1 ... Election day Went to Fowlers for T
 Tu 2 ... Went to Jno Shorts for dinner & T
 We 3 ... Went to J Perkins for Tea
 Th 4 ... Went to Colquhouns for Tea
 Fri 5 ... Chored round
 Sat 6 ... Hitched up Team & went to village
 Su 7 ... Went to ch at night
 Mo 8 ... Went to help Frank cut colts feet
 Tu 9 ... Chored round Went to C.O.F.at ____ Annual meeting of Agricultural Society

We 10. Went Mr Hills at night
 Th 11. Mrs Malcolmson buried F & Maud & Herb Perkin here
 Fri 12. Hitched up & went to see Harry Boothe Frank bot Bessie colt
 Sat 13. Chored round. Harry & Maj Boothe here
 Su 14. Went to ch at night Mr & Mrs J.S. here
 Mo 15. Drew out 4 loads manure &c
 Tu 16. Went to Geo Perkins & Bot Cow
 We 17. Hitched up colt (Maud) Cleaned chop Geo & Beckie Short here
 Th 18. Bro't chop home went to Drayton to Farmers In
 F 19. Went to Geo Perkins for dinner
 Sat 20. Geo Perkin Bro't cow here Geo Wilson B Heiffer 23
 Su 21. Went to ch at night
 Mo 22. Went to Kinsmans for tea
 Tu 23. C.O.F. Oyster supper
 We 24. Went to Reform Association meeting
 Th 25. Went to help at ch shed &c
 Fri 26. Mr & Mrs Colquhoun here
 Sat 27. Got Maud shod did chores
 Su 28. Went to church at night
 Mo 29. Fixed calf stall in middle stable
 Tu 30. Went to Fire Ins meeting & to G Shorts at night
 We 31. Got Tom & Fred shod Jim Clegg & B. Findly here

FEBRUARY 1900

Th 1st. Went to Schroeders with Frank & to village
 Fri 2 .. Went to Listowel with team
 Sat 3 ... Went to Cheese Co meeting Herm & Ella Short here at night
 Su 4 ... Did not go to church Presb. Anni.
 Mo 5 ... Cleaned & got chop Frank here to kill his pigs
 Tu 6 ... Went to Drayton & to W. Cowans
 We 7 ... Hitched Maud up single &c
 Th 8 ... do went to Moorefield for Bran &c
 Fri 9 ... Went to Norm's & to Battie's sale
 Sat 10. Geo Wilson here Sold him calf at Frank Shorts at night
 Su 11. Mrs Nicklin & Swan here &c
 Mo 12. Cleaned up some pease choring round
 Tu 13. Fixed Blocks under Tom's stall & chore
 We 14. Cleaned pease Frank here &c
 Th 15. Went to Adam's & W Cowans Ella Short came home with us
 Fri 16. Went to Jno Boothes & to Fowlers Tea
 Sat 17. Finished cleaning Pease Sold do
 Su 18. Went to ch at night Ella here

Mo 19. Edith & Ella went to E. League went to village to see about In. meeting
 Tu 20. Farmers Ins. Meeting
 We 21. Drew 2 loads sand for church
 Th 22. Drew 1 load sand do F. Harris here
 Fri 23. F. Harris & Ella Short here took them to Geo Shorts went to W. C.
 Sat 24. Cleaned & took chop Stormy
 Su 25. Did not go to church
 Mo 26. Sent money away for father at Drayton
 Tu 27. Cleaned & sold load Barley
 We 28. Cleaned B Frank S helped

MARCH 1900

Th 1 ... Sold load Barley Paid rent
 Fri 2 ... Newstead got pease went to Allendorfs &c
 Sat 3 ... Went to village & To Camerons aft noon
 Su 4 ... Went to ch at night went to Fowlers for Tea
 Mo 5 ... Went to Harry Boothes in morning went to Drayton after noon
 Tu 6 ... Rain & Storm went to village to break road in lane &c
 We 7 ... George Green here Norm's Wedding &c
 Th 8 ... Ed J'n & do here went to see about drawing stone for new church
 Fri 9 ... Drew load stone to church
 Sat 10. Went to G. Green's for seed grain &c
 Su 11. Went to ch at night
 Mo 12. Went to village with team G.Perkin here
 Tu 13. Went to Norm's for Tea
 We 14. Frank here to kill Pig Went to Fowlers &c
 Th 15. Norm here cleaning wheat
 Fri 16. do do sold wheat
 Sat 17. Went to Harry Boothes & to village
 Sun 18. Maud Fowler here went to ch at night
 Mo 19. Drew up wood went to F.'s at night storm
 Tu 20. Mr & Mrs Kinsman here
 We 21. Mr Short here went to Flax mill Store at mothers for Tea
 Th 22. Shorts here Killing pigs &c mother here
 Fri 23. Cleaned & took chop to mill
 Sat 24. At School meeting got chop &c
 Su 25. Went to ch at night
 Mo 26. Drew up wood
 Tu 27. Went to Franks for grain Drew up 2 load wood

We 28. Norm & Bessie here drew out 7 load manure H.Delahunt got Barley
 Th 29. Went to store & to Jn Shorts got 2 loads wood &c
 Fri 30. Went to A.M. Fowlers cut wood
 Sat 31. Drew 3 loads manure got arm broken

APRIL 1900

Sun 1st. Father mother Effie & Will McKay Long Frank's Mrs Nicklin & Mrs Findly &c here
 Mo 2nd Roy Crawford started to work went to village &c
 Tu 3... Cleaned & took chop to mill
 We 4... Stayed about the house Roy split some wood &c
 Th 5... Went to village forenoon
 Fri 6... Wet day went over to Tait's farm &c Jas. McNeil here all night
 Sat 7... Went to see Dr with arm &c
 Su 8... Did not go to church Frank & Mr & Mrs J.S. here
 Mo 9... Went to Wetzel's & to village with cart
 Tu 10. Russel Kyle here started to work went to village did not get chop
 Went to Norms for seed grain &c
 We 11. Laid up with arm attending lambs &c Went to J & G Shorts with cart &c
 Th 12. Got chop home from village
 Fri 13. Good Frid. bee splitting wood & Guild
 Sat 14. Went to village &c
 Sun 15. Easter Sun Mr & Mrs J Short here at night
 Mo 16. Went to Simpsons to see colt &c
 Tu 17. Went to Franks rain at night
 We 18. Went to Drayton spring show
 Th 19. Went to Arthur Perkins
 Fri 20. Went to Palmerston with team
 Sat 21. Went to Corbets &c with Fowler to buy horse
 Sun 22. At home all day
 Mo 23. Went to village with Scott drove posts in fence
 Tu 24. Mr Colquhoun here for dinner &c
 We 25. Started N. to gang pl at end of barn Went to Drayton
 Th 26. Went to Newsteads for Pease
 Fri 27. N. gang pl started disk back of R.R.
 Sat 28. Fin do disked front of R.R.
 Su 29. Edith went to ch
 Mo 30. Started seeding sowed oats & pease at end of barn went to Drayton at night

MAY 1900

Tu 1st. Worked up Piece back of R.R. got chop
 We 2... Sowed do oats & Barley
 Th 3... Disked front of R.R. & fathers lots

Fri 4 ... Finished do Started to sow front field oats Went to Franks aft noon with Edith
 Sat 5 ... Finished seeding do got splint taken off arm
 Su 6 ... Went to Bethesda qua. Meeting
 Mo 7 ... Went to do Business meeting N. roled back of R.R.
 Tu 8 ... Went to village went fishing H & Mrs Boothe here
 We 9 ... Waited for Swan &c Went to Norms & J. Welsh
 Th 10 . Worked for Norm with team at seeding
 Fri 11 . Wet day went to Newsteads &c
 Sat 12 . Worked for Norm Herb Perkin here
 Su 13 . Went to ch morning & evening Went to F's for dinner
 Mo 14 . N. drew manure on mangold ground. Went to see about help to move hen house of
 ch From of the ch ground
 Tu 15 . Helped with team at moving hen house and to unload car of lumber
 We 16 . Finished moving building &c went to W Cowan's with Mother
 Th 17 . Went to collect money for minister
 Fri 18 . Helped Frank draw manure went for mother for Norm Bessie sick
 Sat 19 . Went to village & to Harry Booths Ef Will & Maud here for tea
 Sun 20 . Went to Norms aft noon & to ch
 Mo 21 . Started to roll did front field _____ end of barn
 Tu 22 . Drew stone for new ch N. started to Plough _____
 We 23 . Rolled front of R.R. Ploughed turnip ground
 Th 24 . Worked garden went to Geo Perkin
 Fri 25 . Put in garden & potatoes
 Sat 26 . Finished Planting Potatoes
 Sun 27 . Went to ch & to Norms of tea ch
 Mo 28 . Fixed Newstead's line fence Washed sheep
 Tu 29 . Helped draw stone for ch Sold Maud \$100.
 W 30 . Do do Drew from home
 Th 31 . Went to Rolls to look about stone Made Baerwr

JUNE 1900

Fri 1st . Drew stone from Otts side road bot heifer of Priebe
 Sat 2 ... Drew shingles from village Picked stone back field traded heifer with Norm
 Su 3 ... Went to ch morn & evening Mr & Mrs Fowler here Mr Couch burned
 Mo 4 ... Drew manure to back field for rape
 Tu 5 ... do do Franks team & Norm here
 We 6 ... Started to plough for rape
 Th 7 ... Ploughed forenoon white washed kitchen
 Fri 8 ... Ploughed sod sold heifer to Wilson \$20.
 Sat 9 ... do do Went to Norms for scythe &c
 Su 10 . Went to ch in morning & to J. Short
 Mo 11 . Drew manure for rape &c Finished do
 Tu 12 . Finished Plough do

We 13. Worked & sowed turnips rain
 Th 14. Drew load stone to ch F & Maud here
 Fri 15. Sowed rape Ploughed piece below Barn
 Sat 16. Scuffled mangolds went to D'ton aft noon
 Su 17. Went to ch at night Mother came with us
 Mo 18. Fixed fence by rape ground
 Tu 19. Went to Guelph Farmers exec
 We 20. Commenced to shingle barn
 Th 21. Finished do Mrs Newstead & Bess here Swans Social
 Fr 22. Commenced road work
 Sat 23. Finished do
 Su 24. Camp meeting started
 Mo 25. Started to hoe mangolds went to Camp meeting
 Tu 26. Went to Wes Perkins with Norm to buy horse
 We 27. Attend camp meeting
 Th 28. do do Mabel Colquhoun here
 Fri 29. Teams drew Brick Rev. Schneider here
 Sat 30. Russel Pulled mustard &c Bot new mower cut front of house

JULY 1900

Su 1st. Attended camp meeting Geo & Becky Short here
 Mo 2... Rake up hay at door went to laying of corner stone of n. church
 Tu 3... Helped WW Scott move barn Grace Brett F & Maud here &c
 We 4... Commenced to cut hay 8 acres back of river
 Th 5... Raked & coyled up do very hot
 Fri 6... Made hay rack for J.S. Went to Loughrans raising
 Sat 7... Drew in 8 acres of hay sold Aire B cow 30
 Su 8... Went to ch
 Mo 9... Scuffled Mangolds & Turnips Mr Hammond here &c sold cow
 Tu 10. Cut 4 acres hay Pr's Potatoes &c
 We 11. Raked & Put up Hay &c
 Th 12. At Mfld orange celebration &c cut hay for Tait
 Fri 13. Fixed J. Welsh line fence
 Sat 14. Drew in 6 load hay
 Su 15. Went to F. Shorts for dinner & T Youngs there
 Mo 16. Took in load hay Cut round fall wheat &c
 Tu 17. Cut wheat but rain came got Binder out to wet aft noon went to F.S. for Youngs &c
 We 18. At village morning cut F. wheat aft noon
 Th 19. Russel helped Norm Went to Cuyer's raising
 Fri 20. Finished Taits hay Went to Colquhouns
 Sat 21. Cut hay in orchard drew brick at ch
 Su 22... Went to G.S.'s &c

Mo 23.... Raked & put up hay in orchard
 Tu 24 ... Drew rails to J. Welshs line fence
 We 25 ... Went to buy cattle bot 5 head
 Th 26 ... Drew in fall wheat &c sold calf \$8.
 Fri 27 ... Finished do paid for cattle &c Hoed turnips Went to see horse with Kirkpatrick
 Sat 28 ... Finished hoe turnips Went to F.S's for oats Tait got mower
 Sun 29 ... Went to ch very heavy rain
 Mo 30.... Went to Listowel with wool
 Tu 31 ... Cut Norms barley aft noon

AUGUST 1900

We 1st... Cut mixed Barley and oats
 Th 2 ... Went to Norms for Gang Plough
 Fri 3Brok Pl Share got new one finished G.P. Fall wheat & ground
 Sat 4 ... Went to J. Shorts for Barley got chop
 Su 5 ... Quarterly meeting went to Fowlers
 Mo 6 ... Went to Business Meeting &c
 Tu 7 ... Cut oats front field front of R.R. took in 2 loads mixed
 We 8 ... Cut oats front field Norm helped
 Th 9 ... Finished do Drawing in mixed grain
 Fr 10 . Cut Pease & oats at end of barn Uncle & Lizzie Green here
 Sat 11 . Commenced to cut oats forenoon
 Su 12 . Went to ch & to Frank Shorts
 Mo 13 . Went to Wetzels &c wet aft noon
 Tu 14 . Wet morn Cut oats aft noon for Norm
 We 15 . Sick with Cold all day
 Th 16 . Sold cattle 3 Heiffers to Wilson went to F.S.
 Fri 17 . Finished cutting oats for Norm
 Sat 18 . Got oats from J.Short commenced to Pl. for fall wheat at Bl. Line
 Sun 19 . Went to ch at night
 Mo 20 . Pl. for fall wheat
 Tu 21 . Finished do forenoon made stone boat
 We 22 . Russel at Norms. Got suit from Shop
 Th 23 . Turned out oats and hauled in do
 Fri 24 . Finished do Front field
 Sat 25 . Drew in oats front of R.R.
 Sun 26 . Went to ch at night wet
 Mo 27 . Went to Geo S's for seed wheat &c aunt & Mina Clow came up

Tu 28. Sowed fall wheat fixed drill
 We 29. Drew in at Pease & oats at End of Barn
 Th 30. Drew in at Norm's Clows &c at N's
 Fri 31. Drew in at Norm's Finished do Aunt & Mina here went to Wes in Minto Staid all night

SEPTEMBER 1900

Sat 1st. Came from Minto went to Scotts with Miss Clarke &c
 Su 2... At Home till went to ch at night
 Mo 3... Cut wood to thresh & drew it up
 Tu 4... Got load do Put away machinery &c To Clear Barn
 We 5... Aunt & Mother here Bready threshed Commenced Russel to Pl at end of barn
 Th 6... Finished threshing at B's Went to Will C's
 Fri 7... Mina here went to N's for Pease Frank & Maud here
 Sat 8... Asked hands to thresh Bot Wheel Pl.
 Su 9... Went to ch at night
 Mo 10. Threshed at home (Fisher)
 Tu 11. Cleaned & got chop Social at Fentons
 We 12. Put up fence back at village & to Palmerston with Grist
 Th 13. Look for Pigs &c Went to Fraser's Meeting in Mfld
 Fri 14. Took sow to Geo Shorts Finished furrows at end of B.
 Sat 15. Washed & oiled Harness
 Su 16. Cold & wet day
 Mo 17. Drew load cheese looked for Sheep
 Tu 18. Threshed at Harry Boothes
 We 19. Finished do At Newsteads aft noon
 Th 20. Finished Newsteads Started at Martins
 Fri 21. Threshed at Martins Social at School
 Sat 22. Finished at Martins. Put harness together
 Su 23. Went to Franks & to Ch
 Mo 24. Mfld Agri Show
 Tu 25. Roll's threshing
 We 26. Taits threshing Sold Steers
 Th 27...forenoon at J.Welsh aft noon at Norm's Threshing
 Fri 28. Threshed at Allendorfs forenoon Helped at manure aft noon
 Sat 29. Wet morning Went to Cheese Co meeting aft noon
 Su 30. Went to ch at night Edith went to see Ethel Bready

October 1900

Mo 1... Got chop Threshed at Fowlers in evening
 Tu 2... Drayton show
 We 3... Geo Wilson threshing

Th 4 ... Started to PL front of R.R.
 Fri 5 ... Ploughed do Sold Ewe lambs &c
 Sat 6 ... Took out Potatoes 29 bags
 Su 7 ... Went to ch went to J.Shorts
 Mo 8 ... Got load gravel & fixed cow stable Trustee meeting at church
 Tu 9 ... Ploughed front of R.R.
 We 10 . Went to village Sold E.Robinson ram went to Mr Stinsons funeral &c
 Th 11 . Ploughed at End of Barn 2n Pl Mr Duncan here
 Fri 12 . Pl. do. At J. Shorts for tea
 Sat 13 . Took rails to fence round fall wheat Went to ch bee &c
 Su 14 . At ch at night Presby. Ann. Alma S. Colquhouns &c here
 Mo 15 . Finished up field at end of barn went to Presbyterian Tea meeting
 Tu 16 . Took In mangolds. Took Alma to Geo Shorts at night
 We 17 . Ploughed front field Sold N lambs
 Th 18 . Thanksgiving day Pl do.
 Fri 19 . Took in remain. of mangolds & Pl.
 Sat 20 . Went to Will Cowan's B. raising
 Su 21 . At ch at night
 Mo 22 . Put in wood in wood house Sold Pigs Pl in front field wet
 Tu 23 . Wet morning Pl in aft noon Young folks' here
 We 24 . Finished do Alma & Herb P. here
 Th 25 . Commenced to Pl. 6 acre field back
 Fri 26 . Pl. do. rain came on Edith out about ch Lec's
 Sat 27 . At H. Boothes in morning Pl.do.
 Su 28 . Quarterly meeting at Rothsay
 Mo 29 . Wet Fixed young cattle stable &c
 Tu 30 . Finished Pl back 6 acre field Picked aps
 We 31 . Prepared Hall for Hot super &c

NOVEMBER 1900

Th 1st . Ch Opening & hot supper wet
 Fri 2 ... Clearing up aft do gathered apples
 Sat 3 ... Took in Garden stuff & 7 loads turnips &c
 Su 4 ... Opening services of new ch Dr. Carning
 Mo 5 ... Finished Turnips 5 loads got chop &c
 Tu 6 ... Ploughed c sod back of river
 We 7 ... Dominion Elections acted Scrutinier for Mr Semple at Mfld
 Th 8 ... Pl c Sod back of River
 Fri 9 ... do do Geo Green here
 Sat 10 . Finished End lands &c Pl Garden & mangold ground
 Su 11 . Second Sund Opening ch Services Mr & Mrs J. Butterworth here
 Mo 12 . Went to Cameron's threshing
 Tu 13 . do got bg. apples from Allendorfs' &c

W 14. Went to Palmerston about cider
 Th 15. Went to Loughrans threshing
 Fri 16. do do Fixed cow stable door. Moved wire at Tait's line fence &c
 Sat 17. Went to Stirton & to Mfld got Ben shod
 Su 18. Went to ch in morning not at night
 Mo 19. Della sick Cleaned F wheat 24 bus.
 Tu 20. Cleaned 40 bus wheat got chop &c Herb P. here
 We 21. Cleaned & sold 50 bus wheat Banked house &c
 Th 22. Went to Palmerston for apple Butter
 Fri 23. Fixed wheel barrow went to Franks with cider
 Sat 24. Pl bit of sod at end of Patch in garden &c
 Su 25. At ch at night
 Mo 26. Cleaned 18 bags chop & did chores
 Tu 27. Took chop to mill with Frank
 We 28. Helped Norm load pigs
 Th 29. Got chop home drew 2 loads gravel to stable
 Fri 30. drew 2 loads gravel to cow stable Put in timbers &c

DECEMBER 1900

Sat 1 ... Fixed gutter in cow stable
 Su 2 ... Went to ch in morn & Even
 Mo 3 ... Fixed door in cow's feed room &c & Grainery door Geo Perkin here
 Tu 4 ... Ed Robinson got ram &c
 We 5 ... Fixed round Pig Pen_____ for pigs &c
 Th 6 ... Went to Will C's for dinner & to Drayton for pigs
 Fri 7 ... Choring round
 Sat 8 ... Went to village & to see McBeth &c Went to Norms for Tea
 Sun 9 ... At ch & to mothers for dinner & tea
 Mo 10. Went to Franks for load Pea straw Mr & Mrs J.S. here
 Tu 11. Mr & Mrs Kinsman here. Bessie here &c went to ch at night
 We 12. Went to Guelph F S: Show
 Th 13. do came home at night
 Fri 14. Mr & Mrs J.S. here Mare not well
 Sat 15. Jimmie sick Had Pickle here &c
 Sun 16. Went to ch at night F & Maud here
 Mo 17. Father helped hay H. rake did chor Went to Allendorfs &c
 Tu 18. Drew out 5 loads manure at end of Barn field
 We 19. " 2 " went to Fawcetts sale bot colt
 Th 20. Paid taxes spread manure &c
 Fri 21. Cleaned 20 bags chop Father helped Took chop to mill got Tom & Fred shod
 Sat 22. Drew out & spread 4 loads manure got S. machine fixed
 Sun 23. Wet. Went to ch. at night Dr. Delahunt & D. Welsh home
 Mo 24.... Went to Mrs Findly's for Tea did chores in evening

Tu 25 ... Went to Geo Shorts for dinner & Tea
 We 26 ... Went to Jno Welsh for dinner Dr D. here all night
 Th 27 ... Went to H. Delahunts for dinner & Tea
 Fri 28 ... Went to R. Welsh's for dinner
 Sat 29 ... Did up chores cleaned 5 bags chop Peas & oats
 Sun 30 ... Edith went to ch. I went at night
 Mo 31... Got 5 bags peas & oats chopped went to Tp. Nomination

JANUARY 1901

Tu 1st . Frank & Maud & Mr & Mrs Colquhoun here
 We 2 ... Did chores & went to ch trustees meeting
 Th 3 ... Went to Gibb's sale
 Fri 4 ... Went to Listowel horse fair
 Sat 5 ... Got Tom & Fred weighed (3050 lbs) Mrs Husband here
 Su 6 ... Went to ch in morning went to Jno Shorts for dinner & to Franks for tea Frank sick
 Mo 7 ... Tp Election helped T. Delahunt audit books of ch Building Com. &c
 Tu 8 ... Choring round wet went to village aft noon
 W 9 ... Cleaned wheat for grist went to Annual meeting Ag'l Society
 Th 10 . Took wheat for flour went to Newsteads
 F 11 . Went to see Frank Geo & Herb Perkin here
 Sat 12 . Arthur & Mrs Perkin here. Storm
 Su 13 . Went to ch at night Mr Hosken Preached J. & L. Martin here
 Mo 14 . Cleaned 20 bags chop took it to mill
 Tu 15 . Went to Geo Perkins for dinner & Tea
 We 16 . Stormy day Just did chores got chop home
 Th 17 . Went to Drayton with team
 Fr 18 . Went to see Frank aft noon
 Sat 19 . Cleaned & Took 5 bgs chop cut up Beef
 Su 20

NOTE:

I have tried to decipher and transcribe, my Grandfather's diary.

I have transcribed what I read.

I underlined , when giving my "best guess."

When it was unreadable, I put a line_____.

It was not easy. First, it was written on a narrow ledger book and grandfather tried to write one line per day! There was no punctuation, his abbreviations and his spelling and capitalizing was inconsistent and random. I grew up on this farm, so reading his diary, was like "going home" for me!!

It was fun finding the surnames I was familiar with as a young person but every once in a while , new and unfamiliar names appeared!

This farm was 100 acres, but the railway cut through it, taking 2 acres !

A branch of the Conestoga river meandered through it, gobbling up more acres, but the river provided water for the stock! In the winter this meant cutting a hole in the ice for the cattle, to drink two times a day! The horses & pigs, watered in the barn, as there was an extremely shallow scanty well inside the barn. The farm had 68 acres workable.

Deb, named the farm SHADY RILL, and it was so appropriate, because the river was shaded by trees back then.

Some Abbreviations Used by Deb Johnson

Mfld = Moorefield

Village = Moorefield

Ft = foot & front

Bk =back

RR =railroad

&c = etcetera

(50) = refers to the first Johnson farm in Maryborough, bought in 1874, 50 acres just back the side road from this 100 acre farm

Do = ditto

Ed = E J, Ed Johnson an uncle of Deb's and he was the constable for the town of Harriston.

Ed. = Edith, Deb's wife

Frank= F S., = Fk = Frank Short, Edith's brother/ Deb's brother-in-law

Maud = Frank Short's wife

Norm = Norman Johnson, Deb's younger brother, who farmed the (50) during this diary.

Bessie= Norman Johnson's wife

Ad = Add, Adeline, Deb's sister

Cl = Clarence Long, Ad's husband

Ef = Effie, Deb's sister

Will = William Cowan, Effie's husband

Jno = John O. Short, father of Edith
 Geo = George O Short, brother of John Short & uncle of Edith Short
 Father = Peter Johnson, father of Deb
 Mother = Clarissa Johnson, mother of Deb
 Em = Emma
 Ann & ann & ann.sry = anniversary
 Sch = School
 Buchard & butchered = butchered
 R = river
 Tp = township
 RG = road ground
 M = Mabel, daughter of Geo Short
 Herm = Herman, son of George Short
 Lec's = Lectures
 Com = commenced
 Sc nr = Scrutineer
 Bu = bushel
 Cts = cents
 Wh = wheat
 Spr = Spring
 Presby. = Presbyterian

Author is Adelbert Watson Johnson 1865-1937, known as " Deb " Johnson, and he was born in Leeds County, near Brockville.

Deb, moved to Maryborough in 1874, as an eight year old, with his parents, and siblings- Effie, Addie & Norman, to a 50 acre farm in Maryborough township, N ½. Of N ½. Lot 7, Concession 9, Maryborough Township, Wellington County. Deb's father, Peter drove a team of horses and sleigh, from Brockville to Moorefield, with the help of a friend. It was 400 miles and it took 10 days. His wife and children came by train. It was a hard life and besides clearing the land, of trees, they cut firewood to sell to the train company, and earned \$1.25 per cord. One year they cut 100 cords of wood. The Johnsons also cut railroad ties, which were sold to the railway for 13 cents each. In 1884 Peter Johnson bought the nearby, 100 acre farm, W. ½. Lot 8, Concession 9 Maryborough, which had a small log house.

Peter Johnson 1842-1926, retired to the village of Moorefield in 1894, when Deb got married.

This diary is all about the 100 acre farm – but has many references to the adjoining, and original, 50 acre Johnson farm.

The 50 acre farm was farmed by Norman Johnson, brother of Deb, all through the writing of this Diary.