

- 1 Tuesday. Fine day. Whaling very good. Cleaning the sitting room. finished about 3. P. M. <sup>Dr</sup> Fallone in gave Pa. 2 bottles of Valent medicine. Sammetts. 2.50  
1.25. a piece, To four qrs of beef from Mr McIntyre 40 <sup>13</sup> 4.57
- 2 Birdie came about noon. She done some baking 70 100 of flour and 30<sup>th</sup> sugar at Willis yesterday. 2 lbs cheese 29. 1 lb tea 63  
2 pans bread 40<sup>th</sup> 4 lbs lump sugar at Lan earlier 28<sup>th</sup>
- 3 Homecoming meeting here. 16 members my off 25 26  
coal oil 1 gal. oil & lump sugar some to Jimmie 23
- 4 Fine day. Birdie went home. Jimmie McKeague remained overnight. and until after tea Cousin Mary & Pella Barrett were here for a short time
- 5 ugly day some soft snow.
- 6 Fine day not many in church
- 7 snowing all afternoon. Muddy went to Mr Hammonds west of Martintown
- 9 Snowing all day & drifting Muddy to Totown Jimmie drew jag of wood by sleigh yesterday
- 10 Sleighs today. Muddy had buggy yesterday Pa paid Sandy McIntyre 4.50 for the beef. Paid Willie for the flour & sugar 2.90. Yesterday 9<sup>th</sup>
- 11 Jimmie drew 2 jags of wood. Put the Colt in stable for the first time. This was a very ugly day dark and blustering but not cold. Sent a letter to Marion
- 12 Done the usual Saturdays work. There was rain this morning
- 13 Wild in morning not many of our people in church. The people of Hephzibeth were in our church. Rev Mr. Kenzie of Homan China, preached. Gave some idea of the difficulty the mupponam labor under

- 14 Tomy day. Made a large washing
- 15 Mrs Letch Nancy Bryden, was buried today. Birdie was at the funeral. She and her husband remained until dusk. There was a meeting of the Council, the last for this year
- 16 Plastering some time. Props drew a load of straw Mrs. Betsey Sentimore, got the key of the D.H. house and is going to move in, in a few days
- 17. ~~the~~ fine so far
- 18 To 1 gall coal oil 25<sup>th</sup>. Quite cold, our thermometer is broken so we don't know the temperature
- 19. To brown sugar 25. made some pies
- 20 Not many in church. a good sermon, my off 11<sup>th</sup>
- 21. Paid Jimmie 1<sup>st</sup> for value received. A Nun from Cornwall. gave her 35<sup>th</sup>. All I could spare at the time. Muddy went to Kenyon
- 22 Doing a little cleaning in pipe room Muddy got home about 4 P.M. I was out at night but at Mr Crammons. paper of needles 5<sup>th</sup> <sup>10 charges</sup> quart 5<sup>th</sup> as. At Mr McIntyres kettle of Lard 3 lbs. 45<sup>th</sup> cash 45
- 23. To 8 1/2 lbs Callow from S Mr McIntyre 30. gave 40 had no change. Put at Mr Crammons 1 gall molasses 50. 1 lb curran 9 89  
2 lb raisins 20. 1/2 lb orange 1/2 lemon peel 25. Spice, Ginger 4 49  
cinnamon. by 10. The quart & needles are in todays bill 20  
5 lbs sugar 25. Got the cover of tea kettle fixed at Kenyon's <sup>was</sup> 25  
at Mr's 1.5-3 5
- 24 Still stormy. Muddy got home in evening. went yesterday to Montreal, gave me a 1/2 doz plated knives & forks. Came for Birdie. Prot a turkey from Willis 15<sup>th</sup> pr lb. 1.10
- 25 Fine soft day. No one here until afternoon J.C. called. brought home Randolph's books that were at Mowatts. And a dish for me a dish for Birdie & ailk handkerchief for Pa-pa, from Lizzie

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