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C. W. Simptom's Diary book for 1878

- 2 September Salisbury and I took Walker to ^{drunk my first glass of pop, and last for a while} Fergus and had a good time.
- 3 I finished Aunt Sarah's stable and other ^{work} parts. I got a new pair of shoes at Green's 1.75 Do.
- 4 I went out on a hunting expedition and got five pigeons, I saw two crayons and about twenty ducks, I only saw one partridge I failed in shooting it.
- 5 I had another skirmish and got four pigeons I saw a crayon and one duck.
- 6 the first plovers are making their ^{appearance} we started to sow fall wheat in the fallow. I killed a black squirrel the first I had seen ^{for} ~~in~~ two years it was a good runner.
- 7 I harrowed in the afternoon and was gratefully relieved at the going down of the sun.
- 8 I went to Sunday school in the morning and kept house in the afternoon.
- 9 I harrowed the fall wheat and sold one hive to Fergus Walker for seven dollars credit.

- 10 Raining, Sam making a game bag
- 11 Raining, I helped Alpaws to take up the hives and we had a severe job dt it they stayed all night he gave a dollar for the combs and fifty cents for brood he paid 13 dollars and 75¢ toward the hives he is to get in the spring I bought a hive from him Smiths patent I gave 1.25 for it and cleaned hives for spring
- 12 Raining, Salisbury shot a black squirrel and I stuffed it. I made a bellows for smoking bees out of hives and sirplus boxes
- 13 Took sirplus boxes off and cleaned hives for next spring
- 14 Bert and I had a capital good chase after a black squirrel in Coms bush
- 15 Sunday I went to Sunday school in the morning and to church in the afternoon
- 16 Putting up a building
- 17 Election day Salisbury went to Town at night and there was great fun

- 18 I went to the swamp in the afternoon and it is very well I shot one pigeon and one duck.
- 19 putting in false heat.
- 20 Aunt Sarah's ale Pa bot a plough, and some other useless articles. I went to the lake and shot three ducks it was so stormy I could not get them off it.
- 21 I went to the swamp after 3 o'clock but got nothing
- 22 Sunday I went to Sunday school and to church
- 23 Sam fixing up things at home.
- 24 I shot six black birds, and stuffed one. They were capitale good eating.
- 25 I shot at a big hawk it had a rooster eating
- 26 I sat in the house and read to the evening I killed a black squirrel with Bert's help it was a roadster it took the gravel for it.
- 27 I went to the swamp this afternoon, and I shot one partridge, and a black squirrel.
- 28 broakin Prince and he went first rate

- 29 I went to Sunday, and Church in the afternoon
- 30 I shot a hen hawk, nailed up the stable
- 1 November I took the boards off Masman's house and killed a black squirrel on my way good fun
- 2 Thrashing, the wheat was only middling.
- 3 Thrashing the rye it is nothing extra, we have about 100 and 25 bushels of barley.
- 4 Making a decoy duck
- 5 went to shoot in the afternoon I saw 4 ^{idgers} part and 4 ducks. there were 5 men after a bear on Marshall's hole, they did not get it
- 6 I went to Sunday School and Church
- 7 I put away the surplus boxes and hives for next year, I am making a ruckhock for the tuggies.
- 8 I went to Caladon's lakes this afternoon I saw some greaves, they travelled under water I could not get near enough to them, to get a shot at them
- 9 I went to the agricultural show in Orangeville, it was only a poor affair, it was only about half as good as it was last year.

- 10 Killed a tom tit and stuffed it.
- 11 I stuffed a grouse
- 12 I went to shoot after ten o'clock and I shot ~~that~~ ^{that} ^{season} partridges and a rabbit. it was the best hunt of the I took up the last hive we are going to take up Ma. Pa and Gatie have gone to move Aunt Sarah to her new house Uncle and Fessie went also
- 13 Anniversary I went to practice in the morning and to church in the afternoon and evening
- 14 I took the partridges to the village and I gave one to Charley Crawford and sold the others for 50 cents cash when I got home old Mr Kingrose was there with a big rook for me I stuffed it that afternoon it's the best yet
- 15 Ma. Pa. Gatie and I went to Meribor we got there about 5 o'clock and had a good night
- 16 we went to Draton we had a boss time there
- 17 Rained all day and we sat in the house and ^{talked} I went to Uncle Richards after dinner and to Clifton's for tea he is getting along very well

18 We started for home we got home at 5 o'clock
 I upset amman in Hora he was very cross the
 people were all laughing at him is buggie was all ^{ht} rig
 We broke the buggie as usual and started the rail business
 19 I got the rest of the northern spies 3 bags
 I went to bonis bush and shot two black squirrels
 the first snow storm as ben to day very cold
 20 I went to sunday school and to Church in afternoon
 21 I went to town this morning and puttied up
 the windows. Started to get up the ternups
 22 setting up the ternups butchered a sheep
 23 I shot two wild ducks at Billy Ingrams pond
 they were flying I killed them both at
 one shot they are the first of that species
 I have saw I stuffed them they are the ~~third~~ 5
 pair I have shot this year
 24 I took Mimie Gatie and Hestall to the village
 Hestall is going to put Aunt Sarahs kitchen up
 Berry and my self are getting up ternups to day
 Walter sent me a book called animal life it is a

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very nice book

very nice book, a reward for taking care of his
 bees it cost 1.50
 25 I went to the swamp after two o'clock and shot
 one partridge and blew it into pieces, there wa
 a shour of fresh meat, the dog had a good feed
 26 I was going to shoot but it was so wet I could not
 27 every thing is white with snow, very cold
 the trees are whited over with frost it is thourghing on
 28 I killed about twenty chickens. It is winter
 if ever we had it icicles two feet long snow one
 foot and a half deep in drifts the ground
 will bear you walkin on it, it is frozen so hard
 Pa bought a cow from Mis Bucammon, for 20 dollar
 29 We have had a thourgh to day. Finis hed the ternups
 to day I saw a flock of snow birds the first I had seen
 this fall. He extall went to Aunt Sarahs to work at ^{his} house
 30 I built up the stonework, between the beams of the
 new stable, and plastered the chimney of the house
 and got up the beat and cabbage before Kaloene
 31 Freezing up hard and tite as the old saying is

I am helping Pa with a sheep pens 30 by 56 spaniel ^{roof}
 built the fire place up, with stone and bricks
 1 November I went to town and got a suit of cloths
 tweed 125 a yard. Pa as got his sheep pen raised
 2 I am making a pump shade very cold
 3 Sunday I staid at home all day
 4 Pruned the grape vines. I went to the swamp
 and saw two partridges and a nigger I did not shoot
 5 Killed six pair chickens and two pair ducks
 I went to Aunt Sarahs to work at the kitchen we
 raised it in the after noon with the help of Berry
 Jim and Abiathar and got one side boarded in
 6 got the other side boarded in and Berry worked
 in my place. And I came home and killed ³⁸ turkeys
 Sold 13 pigeons to Crosier for 95¢ they left him that day
 7 Shingling at Aunt Sarahs. Sold the turkeys 7 cents a lb
 We had 23:30 worth My share came to 7 50
 10 Went to Sunday school and to Church in the afternoon
 11 Shingling in the morning and went up to the town in
 the after noon and had a good chat with Wilson and
 Isaac Reid about hunting and fishing

12 Raised ^{the} another building and boarded it in and sheekled
 13 Shingling
 14 Shingling and dressing cornice. Hextall and I
 went to the blow blon meeting and had a good time
 15 Put the cornice on and I came home in the afternoon
 there was an engine off the track and I saw them put it
 on and started on at a good old rate for the junction
 I got a pair of long boots at Greens for 2 75
 16 killed a goose for Sunday I went the swamp and
 saw one partridge. Cut up a pork and salted it
 17 I went to Sunday school in the morning and Church
 18 Ploughing sod. Went to Church in the evening
 19 I gang ploughed in the morning and ploughed sod in
 the afternoon and went to Church in the evening
 20 I am helping Hextall to put new woodwork in
 the horse power I went to Church in the evening
 21 Very warm the bees are hanging out on the hives
 the flies are flying about in the fields. I saw a
 butterfly flying about like summer. I am rebling
 this morning and helping Hextall with the power
 in the after noon. And I went to Church in the evening

- 22 I was ribbing in the morning and helping with the horsepower in the afternoon.
- 23 I was fixing up places for winter
- 24 I went to Sunday school in the morning and to Church in the after noon
- 25 I went to hunt and had a good old tramp through the swamp I got one partridge
- 26 I am making an axe handle went to Church
- 27 Sam Reid and I went to shoot twas a day ever to be remembered, We tramped the swamp from 9 to 5 oclock We saw one rabbit and taducks and 3 partridges We got nothing I never was so near don out in all my hunts We were wet through to the boges
- 28 Fixing up things for winter
- 29 Making latches for the door. I went to the swamp for arms for the thrashing machine I shot at a duck on the lake and shot a bird of a new species
- 30 Salisbury and I went to the swamp for timber We saw two partridges but We had no gun
- 31 I went to Sunday school and to Church the Rev Joe preached

- 2 Dec setting the old machine to thrash
- 3 I went to the village this morning I bought a tack hammer and hungarian nails and clout nails. R Perfect paid 140 for gravel. I set traps for weasels at Ingrums
- 4 Working around
5. Made a wooden rat trap
- 6 tried the old machine
- 7 Thrashed the spring wheat and some ~~dry~~ rye
- 8 Went to Church and to Sunday school
- 9 Thrashing finished the rye and started the fall wheat made los work I took the rakes
- 10 Finished thrashing all but 3 loads of peas I was chasing a rat round the pea stack at the rate of 15 miles an hour and all at once I came to a full stop with ~~the~~ one side of the ~~of~~ the pea stack ^{root} one me the first thing I knew I knew nothing
- 11 Got the bees in very stormy
- 12 I went to town to carpenter with bestall
- 13 Working in town putting in a oak floor

- 14 Finished the floor and came home
Got a letter from Walker to day
- 15 Went to Sunday school and to church
in the afternoon and evening to Orangeville
Dr. Edgar preached the same sermon both times
- 16 Monday I went to Wilcoxes floored the woodshed
- 17 Put up the partition and boarded it up
- 18 Went to hear the last loaf and it was
not so bad for a lot of old women
- 18 bathed and went to an auction and got
a pair of moccasins for 50 cents
- 19 bathed. Came home in the evening to
meet Walker he is a swell if there ever
was one, he bought Jessie Kilner with him
to see her friends in Orangeville, he bought
me 7 1/2 lbs of chilled shot and a box of caps
- 20 Went to my old boarding house and continued
my lathing
- 21 Finished all we had ready for lathing
We came home and had a good time on
our road home we had a fal to on the road

- 22 Sunday Hextall brought the Stevensons up this
We had a pleasant day with them, we went
to Church in the after noon
- 23 very stormy went to the Orange soiree in
the evening it was the best entertainment
we ever had around these parts speeches
by Rev McWay Dr Bar Rev Griffith Dr Isaac
Dr Fare Rev Carson. Excellant music
- 24 Stormy I was painting a bird case and other articles
- 25 Stormy we had a good old game of foot bal
and an excellant ride on horse back
- 26 Stormy, killed 5 beese and 3 turkey
- 27 Went to the village
- 28 Brushing rye and peas, caught a
weasel and it amputated the leg
- 29 Went to town in the morning we went
to the Primitive Church, and spent the
day at Stevensons, went to the C.M. Church
in the evening. Spent a very pleasant day
- 30 Went to Gray's for saw dust for Aunt Sarah's
kitchen. Dr. Linch and Dr. Houghton call this eve

- 31 Stormy sitting in the house most of the time
 1 Jan Fine weather stuffed three snow birds
 and other small birds red and grey
 2 Stormy Walker went to Wrostock
 3 Stormy fixed up the hens house with sand
 4 Stormy cleaning up wheat. Trapped a squirrel
 5 fine I went to Sunday school and Church
 6 fine I went to school barbed two Walkers
 7 Cold I went to school he put us through the drill
 8 School meeting day. Cleaned up wheat
 Trapped a red squirrel they were two nice ones
 9 Fine went to school learnt considerable
 10 Cold moved straw of the hay put on a load
 of hay, cleaned up the peas
 11 Cold started with the hay and up set
 I went to town in the evening and brought
 Miss Stenson up, Berry got a dog a colic it is
 blue and black spots he is a tailer
 12 I went to Sunday school. Church in the afternoon
 to Town in the evening went Church

- 13 Went to school went through the drill and other
 14 Pleasant. Went to school
 15 P.C. went to school
 16 Cold Went to school
 17 Tokens of a thaw. Went to school
 18 Cold lost our through. Went to the swamp
 and brook roads. Went to the P.C.
 19 Cold went to Sunday school. kept house in afternoon
 20 Cold went to school
 21 Stormy went to school
 22 Tokens of a thaw went to school
 23 Warm went to school
 23 Fine went to school
 24 Very Stormy Making a pair of snowshoes
 25 Stormy working in the house
 26 Fine went to Sunday school and Church
 27 Thoroughly went to school
 28 Warm went to school. Sandy and Dexter
 had a great fight sandy was no 1
 29 Warm went to school

- 30 Warm. Went to school
- 31 Warm. Went to school. I have got some kind of a distemper. I feel like fever of old
- 1 February Cold. A teaming up wheat. went to the B
- 2 Cold. Went to sundayschool and taid at home in the afternoon
- 3 Fine. Went to school. Berry gave colic away to ^{Mary}
- 4 Warm. Staid at home. put on a load of hay. Went to the blue ribbon meeting very good.
- 5 Snowing. Went to school colic
- 6 Cold. Went to school. Caught a red squirrel in my wooden trap. Fox catch
- 7 Cold. Went to school. The ^{Meribur} folks came down. J. Smith Mrs Smith ^{and} ^{check up} Loury Mrs Loury Mrs Davis. and B. Walker
- 8 Cold. The folks went to Wilcoxes. I fixed up a case of birds. And went to Orangerille in the evening. We had a good evening at home.
- 9 Stormy. Sunday staid at home and gossiped all day

- 10 Warmish. Went to school. the folks went to Wilcoxes. J. Smith and family staid at our place ^{evening} this
- 11 Tokens of a thought. the folks went home after a good old visit. I went to school
- 11 Stormy. Went to school
- 12 Cold. Went to school
- 13 Cold. Went to school
- 14 Very Cold. Hestall and I butchered old Ingrum. she was very good. Beef ^{she} weighed about 6 hundred
- 15 Cold. Choring around
- 16 Cold. Went to sunday school and church
- 17 Cold. Went to school. I had a very bad night. I slept about two ours and spent my grand holiday in bed.
- 18 The imarrage of Albert and Elizabeth took place. Albert in his castor hat and Elizabeth in her silks with long nails and painted face. it was a killer on the geese and turkeys
- 19 Cold. my colth is returning slowly. I had another bad night. slept about 4 ours out of 4

- 20 Sick in bed in spells
 21 Worse and more of it laid in bed
 22 Better took a change in the night,
 Got a letter from Walker to day
 23 Staid at home all day
 24 Went to school. Saw a skylark the first
 bird that returns in the spring
 25 Very stormy. Went to school
 26 V. Stormy. Went to school. The Webster family
 came to have a visit they had a good time
 27 Cold Went to school
 28 Cold Went to school
 1 March Fine as though. Whoring around
 2 Warm, Went to Sunday school and to Church
 Went to Orangeville church in the evening
 3 Warm Went to school had some rasting and ^{plays} other
 4 Warm Went to school
 5 Stormy hail snow rain and wind ^{mix}
 Went to school through it all
 6 Fine Went to College

- Warm. Went to school. Trapped a fine cat
 in the cage trap we made him run the gantle
 I shot at him, but my snare was too tight ^{he jumped}
 8 Thunder storm. Cleaned up wheat
 9 Great though Went to Sunday school and church
 The Thoda Stevenson family came up to our house
 we had a very pleasant afternoon and evening
 10 Thoroughly. Crows are flying about like swarms
 and the sky larks are singing their psalm about
 Went to school very muddy, the roads are
 about as bad as they can be
 11 Cold Went to school
 12 Mild Went to school, Sam Reed came
 home from lumbering
 13 Went to school
 14 Cold Went to school
 15 Cold Went to town David Hunter and
 Henry Carson were took to jail for stealing
 cat from Gelerists
 16 Cold went to Sunday school and church

Uncle Richard and Aunt Rebecca came down to see Grandmamma

17 Cold Making a goose house and cussing rats

18 Cold Went to school great gymnastics on a pole

19 Cold Went to the swamp and got out posts

20 Warm getting out posts got out about 70

Uncle Richard went home this morning

21 Warm Getting out posts we cut over 80

We saw a large hen hawk the first this spring

the raccoons have roused from their ^{winter} hibernation

We saw a great many tracks

22 An east storm. I went to stringers with some ^{work}

23 Stormy Went to sundayschool and Church

24 Thoroughly Went to the swamp got out the

remainder of the posts. I stuffed two ^{now} sparrows

I shot them in the garden

25 Warm Drawing posts, got about 130 hauled home

I snared a rabbit it was caught by the two hind

legs, some animal eat the head off it

26 Warm Went to the swamp and finished

drawing posts

27 Cold. Went to the swamp and got out poles

28 Mild. Went for more poles finished them

29 Thoroughly started for the swamp and

had to turn back. Had a skylark hunt

I shot one and had it in my hands. I

thought it was ~~dy~~ giving its dying kicks.

and I opened my hand and it flew far

away over hill and dale, out of sight

30 Cold. Went to sundayschool and Church

31 Warm and fine Salisbury and I went to the

swamp we got out about 75 stakes, I saw one

partridge

1 April Fine I am making ear troughs and

tinkering about. I've got two cows from Faine

making four for this season

2 Cold, Minnie's old servant Reid were married

we had a nice little party, they went away

about four o'clock, on their wedding tour

to the flourishing village now called Weston

3 Cold, Making ear troughs for the barn, and

Went to the grange in the afternoon

The snow birds have left us. And the robin come
in its place

- 4 Cold, went to the swamp and got a load of
poles, and a load of stakes.
- 5 Cold, We went to the swamp and got out poles and
one load of stakes and posts
- 6 Fine, went to Sunday school and church
- 7 Warm. the pigeons ^{have} come back I saw two today,
we went to the swamp and got out 30 posts
and three crooks for a rack. I saw two partridges
- 8 Warm. I went out to hunt ground hogs in
Coins bush, I shot two, one got into the hole
before I could get to it, the snow was so deep
it was with great labor that I travelled ^{all} at
Salisbury and I am working at the troughs
- 9 Very warm. Working at the troughs, we
got the troughs up, Berry put up a scaffold
and was in the act of climbing on it when
all at once it broke down with him he was
hanging on a pole, his arms and legs were stretched
stretched to the last degree
- 10 Very ~~warm~~ ^{cold} and stormy snowing blowing and ^{freezing}

- There was a snow white bird flew over this
morning, I watched it until its whiteness mingle
with the clouds and ^{I saw it} was seen no more as did
I am sitting in the house, ^{Monk Phoenix of old} I made a picture frame
and some other articles. The stall put up the
wind mill ~~was~~ today and it went splendid
it is second to none only electric light ^{work}
- 11 Cold. I made two picture frames, and other
- 12 Fine. I am pottering around
- 13 Fine morning, I went to Sunday school and
staid at home in the afternoon it wet snow
- 14 Warm. Minnie is missing, I went up with them
to their log cabin. We called for Jesse Walker
and we had a first rate time, trailed the sled
through the mud or rather on the gravel
The moving created quite a sensation one sheep
hung its self I was sorry I did not come
across it in time to make mutton of it.
Berry went to Dummings sawing ^{over} to day
- 15 Warm I finished bracketing the horse troughs.

and made two picture frames. I saw a crane
this evening, I think the water must be rather
cold for its delicate shins. Berry got lumber
for bee hives

16 Fine I made a work bench, and fixed up
a case of birds for Minnie.

17 Coldish. I started to make hives got one made
Berry and I took a cow and some hens to Sam's

18 Warm Berry and I set out the bees we have
43 hives alive and one one gone up, only one died
out of 43 hives. Met that old Alpaugh if you

19 Warm J Walker came for their bees, they got
another hive. I went down with them to set
them out for them, and Uncle said he
was afraid that they would get boss of him.

Thrashed the remainder of the peas

20 Warm. Went to Sunday school and to meeting

21 Warm We started to plough sod the frost
is not out only about 4 inches

22 Warm. ploughing. I shot at a diver on
Ingraham pond and it dived and then flew

it was the first duck of the season it was said
I saw one swallow. The frogs have began to croak

23 Fine Sam ploughing sod

24 Fine. Cleaning out the hives, we have 41 blocks
I had a great hunt for a turkey's nest this

after noon, they are nearly as wild as the
as partridges. I found the nest in Gosin's bush

the partridges were drumming and the gobbler
was dousing his best to make himself at home

with great hooting and slashing of gads. I
got them out of the bush, and drove them

24 Wet ploughing and sitting in the house
by spells. I killed a snake Sandy scratched
it out of its hole

25 Warm ploughing sod

26 Warm ploughing and so forth

27 Warm. Went to Sunday school and left
house in the after noon, Minnie and Sam

came to and we had an nice day Berry and
I took them home in the evening. we drove

very hard coming home to keep a head of the stock

- 28 Coolish Finished ploughing the sod
I started grafting, I put in about 40
- 29 Warm and showery. I am gang ploughing in
wheat. Charles Palmer came to buy bees we
sold him twelve hives at six dollars a hive
he paid 22 dollars and he is going to send
a check on the bank of Commerce for \$50
- 30 Very cold ^{knowing} I am harrowing with mits on, and
a scarf around my waist. C. Palmer came
and got his bees. Perry went to Sams to work
- 1 May Cold still keep to the mits and muffs
I shot two ducks and wounded the third
they were on W. Ingrum's pond, they are
a fresh different species to any I have
shot before a duck and a drake, I
stuffed them both they are nice birds
- 2 Cold I went to Sams I helped to plant trees
and put in six grafts and then I went
to shoot sky larks I shot one and it laid
for a few seconds and then it flew away

- 3 Cold I am gardening planting unwe
and pruning trees
- 4 Pleasant I went to Sunday school
and to church in the afternoon
- 5 Chilly I am gardening digging and
pruning gooseberry trees. I trapped a
ground hog I and Nellie Webster came ^{flowers} up for
- 6 Cold I am diggin the garden with the help
of Rodin Nellie and ~~John~~ Webster came for trees
- 7 Warm I am gardening
- 8 Warm I am cutting with the sulky road
- 9 Warm I was rolling in the morning and
stopping a grub in the afternoon R. Hewit
brought it over and I gave him 50 cents
for it. I trapped two ground hogs in
the same hole. the kingbirds canaries and chimney ^{swallow}
^{have returned}
- 10 Warm I went to the village and got my order
I deposited it in the bank of Commerce \$50 do
from C. Palmer. I got time for white washing
and a pair of Sunday shoes \$2.50 at, R. B. Reid

- 11 Warm. Went to Sunday school and kept house in the afternoon, went up to Mummies in the evening, took them home
- 12 Warm. I shot a duck on Ingrum's pond, went to Reid's for our gobblers, with great labor I got him home, he staid a bout an hour and then straid again. I stuffed my duck and made a white wash brush
- 13 Warm. Rollin and I started to move ^{this afternoon} the ~~work~~ fence at the road
- 14 Warm. R. Ellin and I were digging around ^{stones}
- 15 Coldish. I white washed the kitchen in the morning and dug post holes in the afternoon
- 16 Warm. R. Ellin and my self are digging wholes
- 17 Warm. Digging post wholes. Alfaws came for the bees, he ~~was~~ is a mean greedy douth whelp he got five hives and paid the balance
- 18 Warm. Ellin and I are digging post wholes
- 18 Warm. I went to Sunday school and to church
- 19 Warm. hot Ellin and I are naries yet digging ^{and going}

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- 20 Warm. Ellin and I are planting posts
- 21 Warm. at the posts again
- 23 Coolish planting posts
- 24 Warm. I went to shoot I shot 4 ground hogs and a meadow lark, and then I started for creek to fish I caught about 50 sharks and some whales mixed with an odd sucker I had a good swim
- 25 Warm. I went to Sunday school and to Church and from Church to Jim's and spent the evening with them
- 26 Warm. Nextall and I were planting posts
- 27 Cold planting posts and sheering sheep
- 28 Cool Finished planting posts
- 29 Cool. I went to Sams to make a milk house we got it up and covered with dirt I had a round at ball in Ingrum's field
- 30 Warm. Pottering around home
- 31 Warm. Marked the sheep and Pa and Berry took them to Rollins. to pasture 12¢ a piece I trapped a ground hog

June 1st had a very heavy rain. I went to
sunday school and to church in the afternoon
& cool and cloudy. I planted corn and
ploughed for turnips

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