HENRY MCMAHON (December 9, 1859 – May 24, 1920) Palgrave, Albion Twp, Peel County, Ontario, Canada

JOURNAL 2: PART I DECEMBER 16, 1890 TO MAY 15, 1894

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OVERVIEW OF PROJECT & INTRODUCTION

JOURNAL #2: PART 1 was transcribed over several years by A TALENTED YOUNG MAN – JACOB CACIOPPO OF LONG LAKE, IL (a friend and neighbor of Lori Douglas, the great grand-daughter of Henry McMahon). Henry's son John, known as Jack, was Lori's grandfather. Jacob started working on the Journals in 2012 (as time permitted around school and other work) when he was 13 years old. Jacob came to know the family well – and was the first to find the birth and then death of Henry's daughter Annie in 1895 – and the death of his sister Annie in 1894. Jacob remembers dates and events better than Lori. Jacob selected the journal he wanted to start with and chose 1890 - 1899.

Lori began trying to find and assemble all the Journals from various family members beginning in 2000. She had some originals from her mother (Marie McMahon Douglas) and was able to borrow other originals or copies from other cousins. All that have been found (either originals or copies) were donated to PAMA. Henry kept journals from January 1, 1887 – February 13, 1919, 32 years. Years available – Journal 1 (1887-1890), Journal 2 (late 1890 to mid 1899, Part I is transcribed here), Journal 3 missing and hope may one day be found (mid 1899 to late 1911), Journal 4 (late 1911 to mid 1917), Journal 5 (mid 1917 to early 1919).

As the Journals were sometimes very faded (some in faded green ink) and difficult to read – and in some cases working only from a copy of copy of the original – Jacob was requested to note questions or unreadable sections as noted below in FORMAT EXAMPLE. Jacob has finished transcribing all of Journal #2. Jacob bolded all proper names and yellow highlighted those of Henry's immediate family (as best possible) - that is Henry's parents, siblings, and his future wife are yellow highlighted – but not the spouses or children of his siblings, other relatives or neighbours. However, sometimes there are duplicate Sarah's, Lizzie's, John's etc - so best efforts were used to determine which were the immediate family member. For example he had a sister Sarah and a sister-in-law Sarah. Henry also noted the names of the Preachers who travelled to the area – and these are noted by green highlighting the word Preach. In addition, it took some time to figure out that sometimes the names were the names of the horses used for transportation – in particular Polly, Charlie, Jack, Nelson and Jigger. This was also confusing as Henry had a nephew Nelson who is frequently mentioned – and sometimes it is not clear when a horse or passenger is being noted. Major events are blue highlighted.

Henry noted Sunday in his journal entries with an X. From that it was decided to add the day of the week for each entry – to give some context to the week. For the most part punctuation was not corrected – the text was transcribed as is. Except for the weather as noted below. And when Henry used: between statements – these were changed to periods to try and make the entries easier to read.

FORMAT EXAMPLE (All Arial 11)

Date (WEEKDAY) 2 spaces Weather with coma's then period. 2 spaces after any period. XXX when can't read a word at all. ? if not sure. Use his spelling. If he put 6 or 6 o'clock – type it as he wrote it. Also if he doesn't capitalize proper names – please capitalize. Bold type all names of people (as best you can determine – some names are names of horses). Bold and yellow highlight family member names. (See family tree

chart). Green highlight the term Preach when he noted the preachers name. Sometimes Henry uses: between statements. Please use periods and then capitalize the next statement. See examples below. It seems when he runs out of room – he finished the sentence above the line – see 12/25 and 12/28 as examples.

BRIEF OVERVIEW OF LIFE OF HENRY MCMAHON

Henry's parents were early settlers in the area – variably referenced as Albion Township, Cardwell, Ballycroy, Caledon, Palgrave area, or Peel County. His father James is believed to have come from Ireland to Ontario around 1843 or 1845 (but the definitive pertinent records have not yet been found). No records of James birth have yet been found but it is suspected he was from near Caledon, County Tyrone, Northern Ireland – near Armagh (supported by Perkin's Bull family survey descriptions in the Peel Region Archives (PAMA) as County Tyrone or County Armagh near the Blackwater River). James bought the land in 1853 (50 acres for 125 pounds Lot 33, East Part, Concession 5, Peel County, Ontario). Some of the documents note his father-in-law Henry Smith as a witness. Henry's mother Elizabeth Smith (who lived to be 92) was noted to have been born in Toronto (near King and Yonge streets).

Henry had 7 brothers and sisters. He was the 4th child, and the second son. His oldest brother, John (who married Sarah McLaughlin in 1875), left the household early and had a farm in Paisley, Bruce, Ontario. His younger brother, James (who married Annie Pearl Lundy in 1910 – very late in life), eventually inherited the family farm. Two of his sisters, Sarah (who married Arthur John – AJ – Roberts in 1889) & Marjorie (who married Simon Gower in 1879) - moved west (the Territories) ultimately settling in Fort Qu'Appelle, Saskatchewan. Records indicate they went west in the mid 1880s. Sarah married AJ Roberts in Saskatchewan. His sisters Annie (who married Thomas Faulker around 1876), Elizabeth (who married Robert James Lavery in 1901) and Margaret (who married William Duffy in 1895) stayed in the Palgrave area.

So those family names (Faulkner, Gower, Roberts, Lavery and Duffy) are seen frequently in the Journals along with other neighbors. The Coulter family is also later related through the aunt (Margaret McTaggert who married John Coulter) of his wife Mary Maud Culbert. The Lavery's have a shoe repair business and later his sister Elizabeth marries RJ Lavery and they run a general store on the main street in Palgrave.

There are also mentions of other McMahon's that Henry visits and other references to relatives (Mrs. Mabel McMahon, Wesley McMahon, George McMahon, Dave McMahon, Jack McMahon, William McMahon (Uncle Bill), Aunt Rachel, Aunt Ellen Doroak/Daroak, Uncle James Doraok/Daroak) but the exact relationships, if any, have not yet been researched or found. Mrs. Mabel McMahon seems to own a local shop (pharmacy and general store). And later Henry names one of his children Mabel.

Henry had just turned 31 when the 1890 Journal 2 begins. It is believed in the below transcription that Lizzie is his sister Elizabeth (1869-1939) who would have been about 20 in 1890 (when Journal 2 starts), and that Maggie is his sister Margaret (1872-1944) who would have been about 18 in 1890. Ma (1830-1923) and Pa (1825-1904) are self explanatory. As noted above his older brother John (1853-1911) was about 37 in 1890 was living in Paisley with his family (he had married in 1875) – but often visited with his family (wife Sarah and children Nelson, George Henry Wellington, Lettie and Chester). His younger brother Jim (1865 – 1954) was about 25 and still living at home on the farm. His sister Annie (1855-1894) would have been married around 1875 or 1876 and out of the house – but in Palgrave. His sister Marjorie (1857-1924) had married Simon Gower in 1879 and some records note they had moved to Saskatchewan by 1882 or 1884 (before this Journal #2 was started). His sister Sarah (1862-1957)

married in 1889 in Fort Qu'Applelle, Saskatchewan – but it is not known when she went west. Probably around 1882 or 1884 with her sister

Henry seems to do everything – works on the family farm and on the farms of others (butchering pigs; harvesting hay, oats and peas; repairing fences; etc), provides hair cuts, writes letters for others, mends shoes, etc. Later he seems to be a travelling salesman – buying items (watches, jewelry, stereoscopes) in Toronto and sell them in neighboring areas. After he is married he is known as a coal and potato merchant. He was very active in the Methodist Church. And later in life was a Trustee and Treasurer for many years.

And he seemed to be always on the move. He travelled by horse and a variety of buggies and sleighs, and by train – not only into the nearby "towns" of Ballycroy and Palgrave – but also to Alliston, Cheltenham, Black Horse, Port Dover, Caledon East, Mono Mills, Tottenham, Adjala, Beeton, Bolton, Hagersville, Orangeville, Hamilton and Toronto – to name a few. In later years he routinely traveled by rail to Toronto as a potato and coal merchant – and family members indicate he sold produce at the St. Lawrence Market in Toronto – and was reported to be a very honest and reliable man.

Henry married late in life on December 26, 1894 (he was 35) to Mary Maud Culbert (1875-1923). (She is found in the census records by many names – by her mother's maiden name McTaggert, by her stepfather's name McFadden and then by her married name McMahon. Her biological father is listed a variety of ways – Cubbins, McCubbins, and Culbert. But best research now indicates Culbert.

Henry and Mary Maud had 8 children [Annie (1895), James Henry Campbell known as JHC or Mac (1896-1942), Olive (1898-1951), Russell (1900-1943), Mabel (1906-1993), Pearl (1908-1993), John know as Jack (1909-1964), and Roy (1915-1985)] – 7 who lived to adulthood. John (Jack) is the grandfather of Lori Douglas who has assembled the Journals.

In this 1890 – 1899 Journal 2 Henry gets married in 1894 at age 35. His first child Annie is born 1895 born and dies after only 9 months. His sister Annie had died in 1894. His son James Henry Campbell is born in 1896 and his daughter Olive was born in 1898. These events are noted in Part II of Journal 2.

In this Journal 2, Part I he is still living at his parents home – and is not yet married. He just turned 31 when this journal begins. In these years he worked at the home farm but also seems to have hired out to do labor at other farms and areas. His close friend is Billy Bingham from the neighboring farm. There is also frequent reference to Albert Little (who he seems to be constantly shaving and cutting his hair) and Tom - but who thay are specifically has not yet been researched. There are frequent references to his brothers and sisters. His brother John (who married in 1875 and lives in Paisley, Bruce area) is often mentioned along with his children Nelson, Wellington, Lettie and Chester. John's wife was also a Sarah which can be confusing in the Journals. As well as the horses name of Nelson noted above. Henry seems to be close to - or at least does a lot with - his nieces and nephews. In August 1892 he appears to have a girlfried - Zettie Slaught (ZS) who he met in Port Dover. This seems to have lasted for a few months as a long distance relationship – as there are still references to her in late 1892 – and the last reference in this part of the journal seems to be March 19, 1893. Also in late 1892 his sister Sarah Roberts visits (without her husband A. J. Roberts) with her son Arthur John. There is a note on October 1, 1892 that Sarah is there from Manitoba. Her daughter Jessica is born in November 1892. They are all noted as there on Christmas day 1892. There is also a mention of Marv McFadden (who was often known by her step fathers name) that Christmas of 1892. Sarah and family return to Fort Qu'Appelle, Saskatchewan on April 25, 1893. And in April 1894, there begin to be more frequent references to Mary Maud McFadden (M or M.M.) who will become his wife on December 26, 1894.

One major event was a man (Frank McCauley) noted as found dead at Gotts Swamp on November 24, 1892.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS BY HENRY'S GREAT GRANDDAUGHTER

Some general observations are noted here by his great grand-daughter Lori Douglas (who although coordinating finding all the Journals she could and donating them to PAMA, tracking down relatives and various family photos, and then arranging for typing for this first project - has not yet read the Journals word for word). But she has skimmed them and has gained some insights into the world Henry lived and worked in. And as noted above, he was hard working. It was interesting to learn how much people visited each other (and how many people had to be crammed in the original family farmhouse) and how much they travelled to neighboring towns and to Toronto. They often travelled by train – and some of the numbers Henry mentions in the Journals seem to be references to the train numbers – and in later Journals he notes specific rail car numbers when he is shipping potatos and coal.

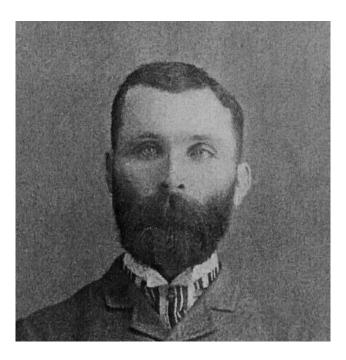
Also Henry seldom makes any special observations about Christmas or holidays. Perhaps he noted they had a goose for dinner. There seemed to be no gift giving or even special church events. He does make special note of birthdays. In addition to being active in the Methodist Church (which is still located and active in Palgrave – see reference to a wonderful Palgrave and church reference below - which also provides summaries of some of the other early settlers of the Palgrave area) – he would also attend events at the English church. That building is also still in Palgrave but was recently converted to a restaurant (2017).

There a very few remaining head stones in the yard of the Methodist Church – and none for the McMahon's. But there is an active Morningside Cemetery in Palgrave that has records of the burials of many on the McMahon family (and those they married) who stayed in the area.

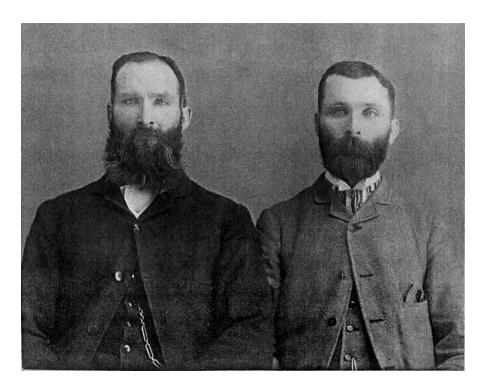
Lori noticed that many people (at least those in Henry's family) seemed to marry a little later in life – not in their late teen or early 20s as she had thought. She had also noted Henry sometimes used the term "sick" to note when someone was going into labour. And in later journals when his son JHC was in WWI in England in the great war – Henry notes seeing a flying machine going overhead. Later journals describle JHC being injured and in hospitals in England. He returns with an English war bride who reportedly had been his nurse.

Also, it must be noted he started this journal while he was still living on the family farm with many siblings still at home or visiting. He would have had very little privacy. And he seems to have at times used some codes for privacy. MM for example seems to mean Mary Maud whom he later married.

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HENRY MCMAHON
(ROUGH ESTIMATE 1880 - 1885 based on appearance/guess on age)
Image provided by Jessica Gostling. From her grandmother Sarah McMahon Roberts album.



JOHN MCMAHON AND HENRY MCMAHON – BROTHERS
(ROUGH ESTIMATE 1880 - 1885 based on appearance/guess on ages)
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HENRY MCMAHON FAMILY (ABOUT 1911) PALGRAVE, ONTARIO

Back Row: Hugh McFadden (possibly?- he was step father of Mary Maud Culbert), Lawrence McFadden, Hannah McFadden, Henry McMahon.

Front Row: Elizabeth Smith McMahon, Pearl McMahon, Mary Maud Culbert McMahon (with John Herbert "Jack" McMahon), Mabel McMahon, Mrs. Martha McFadden (Mary's mother/Henry's mother-in-law), Olive McMahon

McFadden's were half siblings of Mary Maud through the marriage of her Mother Martha McTaggert to Hugh McFadden

Probably at family homestead on Maple Street in Palgrave, Ontario



JAMES MCMAHON (FATHER OF HENRY MCMAHON) – image noted as J. McMahon, Ballycroy (ROUGH ESTIMATE ABOUT 1880 based on appearance/guess on age) Image provided by Jessica Gostling. From her grandmother Sarah McMahon Roberts album.



ELIZABETH MCMAHON (NEE SMITH) (MOTHER OF HENRY MCMAHON)
(ESTIMATED AROUND 1920 based on appearance)
Elizabeth Smith McMahon - wife of James McMahon. With unknown child - probably one of her grandchildren.

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PALGRAYE.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones of Brampton, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gibsons's over the holiday.

Quite a number from here took in the sports at Bolton on the 24th and report a good time.

Mr. Fred Taylor is on the sick list.

Mr. Henry McMahon, one of Palgraves oldest residents, passed away on Monday, May 24th. Funeral to Laurel Hill, Wednesday/26th. Mr. ne strides of vegetation are McMahon had been in falling health for the last year. He at one time had a coal and wood yard in Palgrave and for a number of years was grain merchant and potato buyer. He leaves f Cairns Bros.' farm in King to mourn his loss a wife and grown up

CASTLEDERG

The first half holiday held by the farmers of this locality was in every sense of the word a huge success. The weather was ideal and farmers with their wives and children to the number of seventy-five gathered in hands but whether he cried mellow and to say they all enjoyed rad" or something else could themselves thoroughly is putting it

lar calling for m s than t amount of agility on the those who took part.

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The football match betwe don East and Tottenham we former team in a score of

Mr. Beckett, county Y. I Secretary, made a good sts the afternoon's events.

Road Race—1st, W. Bay F. Hutchinson; 3rd, B. Newn C. Bellchamber. 100 yd. dash—1st, Rev. 2nd, I. Wilkinson. Half mile—1st, A. Smith

Wilkinson.

One mile-1st, A. Smi J. Cairns.

Obstacle race-1st. Ted 2nd, W. Lockwood.

Three legged race-Gori Cunningham.

Sack race_1st, C. Wakel G. Gorman.

Rope climbing-McCaffre 100 yds. (under 12)-1st, F 2nd, Jim Roden.

100 yds. (over 12)—1st,

HENRY MCMAHON OBITUARY - DEATH MAY 24, 1920 May have been from Bolton Enterprise. Notes funeral to Laurel Hill.



MAIN STREET, PALGRAVE, ONTARIO (ABOUT 1920)

Estimate about 1920's based on electricity poles. Can see the Commercial Bank on the right – square brick building.

Image provided by Shirley McMahon. From album of Russell McMahon, son of Henry McMahon.

Lavery's Store (eventually run by his sister Elizabeth and her husband RJ Lavery) was to the left of the bank.

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DECEMBER 1890

- 16 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At home. Chores. Help to kill 4 pigs. To Ballycroy get 25 cts worth of stamps. Walk to Palgrave post 2 letters on train 1 to Cassgreen and 1 to XXXX. To Church. Then home on doll? To **Toms** all night. Make up his bill with guests?
- 17 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. Help to move **Tom** to Alliston. Stop with **Tom** all night. Had dinner. I slept at **Jim Mullins**.
- 18 (THURSDAY) Fine, cold, clear. At Alliston. Buy broom for **Tom** 25 cts. Help **Tom** to get cord of wood and sweep out house. Had breakfast and dinner at **Mullins** (55 cts) and tea at **Toms**. Then to Palgrave on train at night. To Church. Walk with girls **Maggie & Lizzie** around Palgrave??. Walk home.
- 19 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. At home. Copying in Big Book. To Palgrave at night with **Jim** in buggy. Station to Church with **Will Coulter**. Last night of meetings. Walk home in moonlight.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. At home. Read. Lizzie & Maggie went to Orangeville. Nelson & Cutter? help Ma to cut up 4 pigs and pack meet in cellar.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. At home. Sleep. Walk to Palgrave. To Church with **Tom**. **Billy Bingham** and I went to No. 23 on the 7th Line. (Look for **Will Coulter**). Had a good time. Home at 1 o'clock.
- 22 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. To Alliston. **Bill Bingham, Tom, Will** & I with 2 loads of mowing. To see **S.J** (1). **Bill** and I got home at nine.
- 23 (TUESDAY) Fine, frosty. To home. Jim took load wood to Nicol? Chores. Sleep. Wrote letter to Sarah Roberts. Post it at Palgrave on train. To Church. Ride home with Billy Bingham.
- 24 (WEDNESDAY) Cold, cloudy, squaly. Went to Toronto. Got 1 dozen scopes, 62 views and some jewelry. Walk home from Palgrave. **Mr. Allen** help me. At **Binghams** till 1:30 at night.
- 25 (THURSDAY) CHRISTMAS. Fine, clear, frosty. At home. Chores. Read. Dress. To Palgrave at night. Took train to Alliston to **Tom's** all night XXX
- 26 (FRIDAY) Cold and clear. At Alliston. Sell goods all day. Done pretty well.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Clear and cold. At Alliston. Sell goods all day. Very Good.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Cold, fine. At Alliston. At **Toms**. At Methodist Church 10:30. **Mr. Howson** Preach. To town? for dinner had goose. **Jim Warren & Louisa**, **James Mullen** & family there. To English Church at night.
- 29 (MONDAY) Cold, squaly. At Alliston. Canvass in town all day. Very good. :1:2: at 125: XXXX
- 30 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At Alliston. Canvass in town all day.

31 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. Left **Toms**. At 7 o'clock went town line out near Rosemount. Them up into Tossorontio?? To **Sheldon Lyons** for dinner. To **Hamiltons** for tea. To **Brawleys** all night.

JANUARY 1891

- 1 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, misty, rain. Left **Brawleys** went to **Bretts**. Then to Alliston. To 125 Church for dinner. Had Duck. Rain. At Church, **Mrs Madills** Funeral. To **Tom's** with **S.J**. Then up home with **S.J**. at 11: 1: 2: 3. Then to **Tom's** all night.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, misty. Left town at 6:00. Took train to Palgrave. To see **Bill Bingham**. Home for dinner,
- 3 (SATURDAY) Clear, frosty. At home. Sleep. Read. Down 6th Line to **Allens**. **Currans**. **Finertys**? To **Binghams**. **Billy** XXXXX Then home all night
- 4 (SUNDAY) Clear and cold. To home. All day. **Albert Little** and **Fred Matthews** here. To Palgrave Church at XXX **Wass** Preach. Home.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. At home. Copy into Big Book. Write letter to Cossgreen for 50 packages needles. And letter to **J. S. Russell** for views. Sent \$1.00??? Post letters on train at night.
- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear, cold. At home. Chores. To Kelly's & Palmers. Afternoon.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To Orangeville fair. Got my watch (\$1.00). **Mr. Cunnington** home with me all night.
- 9 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild, clear. At home. Help to haul hay to stable. To Ballycroy. Got 21 views and 50 packages needles. Letter from **John McMahon**. Sold ring to **Jim Pettit**? (25 cts). Home. Write letter to Cassgreen and put \$3.00 in it for needles. Walk to Palgrave post letter on train. Send card to **G. Bracken** about clover seed. Call at **Mrs. McMahons** and **Mrs. Bradleys**. To **Coulters** (all night).
- 10 (SATURDAY) Frosty, find, mild. Around Palgrave. Sold nothing. Walk home and chores. **Albert Little** got chain and charm tonight.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Mild, cloudy, snow. N?. storm. At home. Chore. Read & sleep. Stormy, snowy. Did not go to church.
- 12 (MONDAY) Stormy, very cold. To home. Chore, read. To Bush with Jim on Sleigh for wood. To **Binghams** chat? Home at night. (to **Billy**?)
- 13 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Out through Albion today made 35 cts. Home at night.
- 14 (WEDNESDAY) Squaly, cold N.W. wind. **Jim & Pa** to Orangeville. 20 Bags potatoes at 83 cts. Up town line? as good today.
- 15 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear. To Bolton. With Jim to mill. Sell through village. At Elliots all night.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear, very cold. Went from Bolton to Toronto on train. Got **Mabel McMahons** ring engraved. Got new pack from Adair Bros. To Black Horse all night. (at Robinsons theatre music at night).

- 17 (SATURDAY) Clear & cold. In Toronto. Got buttons for overcoat & Blank Book. Home to Palgrave on train at night. To **Mrs. McMahons** for tea. Walk home all alone 11 50 ??? Very tired?
- 18 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. At home. To **Billy Whites** tell about **Johnny** coming out. To **Binghams** chat to **Billy**. To Palgrave Church at night with **Billy**. XXXXXXXXXXX
- 19 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. At home. Mark price on goods. Write letter to **John McMahon** 1 to **Sam Campbell** & 1 to **S.J McMullen**. Walk to Palgrave post 2 letters on train gave 1 to **W J. Coulter** to post. Then to missionary meeting. **McDonald Wass** & XXXXXXXX there. **R.J. McClelland** Chairman. Home in cutter with **Billy Bingham**.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At **Binghams**. Help to cut feed. Home & cut **Albert Littles** Hair. And write letter for him to his cousin **Dan**.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Binghams** finish cut feed. Home. Copy into this book. To Palgrave at night with **Billy Bingham**. To English Church missionary meeting. **Matt. Bates**. **& Swallow**?? there.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Stormy. Squaly, mild. To home. Finish copying into this book. Write letter to W.E. Shimmer, P.O. Box. 3.046, Boston Mass. About old coins. Walk to Palgrave post letter on train walk home.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Stormy, mild. Dress. Went up to **Whites** line sell goods up to a Kill??. Then went to **Bill McMahons** for all night.
- 24 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. Left **Bill McMahons**. At 9 went across the swamp **Gambles** had dinner. Then sell goods down to **Owen? McGoverns**. Had tea. Walk home at 8:50?
- 25 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Read. **Albert Little & his Brother John** here. **Billy Bingham & Billy Duffy** here. (**Missy Campbell** died today) I went to Church with **Billy Bingham** at night to Palgrave. **Noble preacher**. In **Coulters** chat. Home at 11:30.
- 26 (MONDAY) Cloudy, snowy. To home. Compose for post write 8? sheets. To **Binghams.** Cut **Billy**s hair. Then **Billy** & I drove to Palgrave with Bobsleighs to **Nicols** Shop. Put horses in shop. To station post letter to post. Up town walk. To station. To shop fix sleigh. Home at 11:50.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Snow, cloudy, mild. To home. Read. To Ballycroy with pants to **Cook** to fix legs. To **Binghams**. Help **Billy** to chore. Got tea. Put wagoner in cutter drive to our place and dressed. Then to Palgrave. In **Coulters** for chat. Got home at 11:55.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Help Jim to haul sawlogs to Billy Whites. Dress. Put George (horse?) in cutter. To Binghams for Billy. To go to Ben Rolleys Sale. Give pack to Mr. Moffat to fix. To Palgrave. See W. Bracken at Treacys. Billy & I had a good night. Lots of fun. Got home at 10:30. Fine moonlight night.
- 29 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, misty, rain, misley. To home help **Jim** to finish hauling sawlogs at noon. Read, sleep. Wet. **Whites** thrashing today.
- 30 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore, read, write 3 letters to States. To Ballycroy to office. Got pants from **Cook** 25 cts. To Palgrave at night with **B. Bingham**. To Church Dick row (in choir??). **Billy's** colt sick. **V.S.**? there. XXX
- 31 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. Went to Bolton with Jim on load of wood to weaver. Saw the Caledon crowd? (at Elliotts). Up 7th line done pretty well (sell goods). Walk to Palgrave. Post 3 letters on train. At **Coulters** all night.

FEBRUARY 1891

- 1 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. Cold. Walk home from **Coulters**. Dress. Got Breakfast. Ride to Palgrave with **B. Bingham** to Quarterly meeting. To **Mrs McMahons** for dinner. To Cedar Mills to Church at night. Treacys harness **Nicols** sleigh (Polly & Nelson). (horses?) Home in cutter with **Billy**. Stop all night with him.
- 2 (MONDAY) Fine, cloudy, rain at night. Walk home from **Binghams**. Compose for post. To **Binghams**. To Palgrave in cuter with **Billy**. Post letter on train. To **Shore's** for fun 12 of crowd. Home with **Billy** at 2:50 wet night.
- 3 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold, stormy. At home. Sleep till noon read. At home all day & night, very cold night.
- 4 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, very cold. Left home, went down 5th line. Dinner at **Ned Gorwickans**?. Tea at **Yankee Horans**. Up to **Henry Horans** all night. Done pretty well today. Play checkers.
- 5 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, milder. Left **Henry Horans**. Went across to 3rd line up to **Pattersons** then home all night.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. Mother & I to John Shores in cutter to see Mrs Bob Shore. Fed Nel? (horse?) In Bradleys stable. To Shores for Ma (dinner at Coulters). Mag up with us to Palgrave. Home. (Chat to Billy at Bars?). To Ballycroy got letter from JJ Keenan.
- 7 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild, snow at night. **Jim** left me at Palgrave. On train to Toronto \$1.50 fare. Back at night. Home in cutter with **Billy Bingham**. **Billy** & our girls left quire? tonight.
- 8 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild, clear. To home all day. **Billy Bingham** here today. To Palgrave. Church with **Billy** at night in cutter. **Bob Campbell** at church. In **Mrs Coulters** chat. Home at 11:00.
- 9 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild, misty, misley, rain. To home. Mark goods. Write letter to **Sarah** to N.W??. Walk to Palgrave post letter on train. Walk home, cold, windy.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Blustry, cold, clear. To home. Help Jim & Pa to load sawlogs. To Binghams. See Billy he was not at home. Up home had tea. To Binghams at night chat to Billy. Home at 11:00.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cool. To Palgrave. George (horse) in cutter, got 2 shoes on Georges front feet at **Nicols**. Feed oats in Treacys Stable. To old **Moffits** for hack? not done. To **Potters & Briens**, then home.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Clear, fine, mild. To Bolton with **Billy Bingham** (grist?). Sell 1 scope 50 cts. Home with him. Got peet horse & Nelson & went to **Boyces**. **Jim, Maggie Lizzie**, **Billy Bingham**, **Walter Strangeways**? & **Bill Lindig**?, **Frank Shore** & **Maggie** & I stop to 1 o' clock. Got home at 2:40. Had a good time.
- 14 (SATURDAY) Clear, sharp, cold. **Jim** & I went to **Willie Cobeans** for one ton of hay \$6.50. To Ballycroy. Got shoe patched. In **Cobeans**. **Bob & Joe Lavery & Roger Pilson** had row? home. **Albert** here he gave me \$1.25. **Billy Duffy** came here tonight. Cold calm night.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear, thawing. Went to Alliston with **Billy Duffy**. Liz, Maggie & Jim in sleigh to Toms for dinner. To J. McMullens for tea. To Toms chat. Then home at 11. Maggie stay at Toms.
- 16 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. To home. Compose for post. To **Binghams**. **Billy** not there. Across the

- Bush home. Eat cake. Walk to Palgrave. Post letter on train to post. Walk home at 11:00. Sleeting.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Snow, squaly. Fine rain at night. To home. Write letter to **Bob Cox**. To Ballycroy. Got shoes patched 25 cts pd. Cut **Pats** hair. To Office, got letter from Paisley & 1 from **Oville (or Orillia?)** for **Pa**. To **Binghams** with **Billy** for tea. Rain tonight. Home at 10:30 chat.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Snow, squaly, Blizzard. Fine. To home. Down 6th line to **Allens, Currans, Finertys.** Across to **Matsons & Ben Rolleys, Mrs Pettingers**. Sell goods. To **Coulters.** Home in cutter with **B. Bingham**. Very cold night clear.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Fix seats on sleigh. To **Binghams** help **Billy** out with load of rails. Get hell?? mare. Home. Fed & harness horses. Dress. To Castlederg with Jim, Lizzie, Billy Bingham, Will & Alex Coulter, Maggie & Franky Shore, Aggie Bradley & Lizzie Lee, Sophia Pettinger & Mr White. Good time. Home at 12.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Snowy, rain, cool. To home all day. Read & pack up.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Cool & clear. To Orangeville in cutter with Jim. To Harriston on the C.P.R then to Paisley on the Great Western return ticket = \$4.30. Got there at 4 o'clock. Went to John McMahons all night.
- 22 (SUNDAY) Squaly, snowy, cold. At Paisley at **Johns**. To Knox church at 11 o' clock with **Sarah & Lettie.** Home for Dinner. To Baptist Church at 6:30 with **John & Nelson**. To Army??, then home. Very cold night.
- 23 (MONDAY) Fine, mild, warm. At Paisley with **John** in shop till noon. Then sell goods around town. To **Johns** for tea. Up town for walk at night.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain. At Paisley. Drive to **Mrs George McLaughlin**s with **Sarah & Chester**. Stop there all night (raining). Play euchre. Parlour Croky. & Authors. (games?) Then to Bed at 12:00.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, misley, windy, cold. Drive to Paisley with **Sarah & Chester.** Road very bad. At **Johns** all day. Big flood in Paisley today. Awful time.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Cold, clear, stormy snow at night. At Paisley, at **John's**. Sell goods around by mill out west & back to **Johns** at night. To Baptist prayer meeting **Nelson, Willie & Lettie.**
- 27 (FRIDAY) Cold, clear. At Paisley, at **John's** to the Advocate office. To Shop. To **Johns** for Dinner. Into town sell goods. **Johns** night.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Snow, cold, blustry. At Paisley. At Johns. Cut Nelsons & Wellingtons hair. To Shop. Around town. To town Hall at night with John & Nelson. Laidlaw (con?) & Spence (ref?). XXXXXXXX Big XX.

MARCH 1891

- 1 (SUNDAY) Cold & clear. At Paisley. At John's. To Methodist Church at 11:00 with Nelson & John? home for dinner. To Baptist Church at night with John, Sarah, Willie? & Lettie. XXXXXX was 12 Dipped. To army?? then house.
- 2 (MONDAY) Clear & mild. At Paisley, at **John's**. Fix clock. To Shop. Back for Dinner. Around town, not sell much. Got hair cut. Up town at night with **John**. To army?? cheap?? **Johns** club rooms. There? ????
- 3 (TUESDAY) Fine mild, sharp. At Paisley. At **John's**. **Fishers** Saw Mill burnt last night. Around town forenoon. **John** & I Sat for Cabinets \$1.50. Sell scope & 7 views to Bone \$1.25. To **Johns** all night. Snowing.

- 4 (WEDNESDAY) Snowing a regular blizzard. At Paisley. **John** & I walk up to Station. On train to Harriston at 1 o'clock, stop there till 3:40. Up town for 5 cakes & 5 loaf. To Cardwell Junction. Then to Palgrave. Stop at **Mrs. McMahon** all night. **Sam Campbell** up to Palgrave on train tonight.
- **ELECTION DAY** 5 (THURSDAY) Clear fine day. At Palgrave at **Mrs McMahons**. To Station with **Will Lindsey** to see **Dave McMahon**. Around town. Election Day. **White & Myers**. **Will & I** did not vote. I went after **Mrs Jefferson** & girtie?. To Station at night got news. White elected 200 majority. To **Mrs McMahons** had cup of coffee. See **Aggie** & **Maggie** home. Ride home with **Billy Bingham** in cutter. Cold night.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. Snow N.E. Storm. Went to **Billy Cobeans** for 1 ton of hay \$6.50 pd. Home an throw it on scaffold in Barn. Had dinner. Then write here from the 20th of Feb till today. Snowing & Blowing.
- 7 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild, cold. To home. Pa & Ma. Took grist to Orangeville Mill. John McClelland fur? sleigh & rack. Sam got cord wood \$ 1.25 paid. I went to Palgrave help Sam to load car of potatoes (got 50 cts pd). Liz home with us at night.
- 8 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild, cloudy. Rain at night. To home all day. Read. Sleep. To Church to Palgrave at night. **Noble** preach.
- 9 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misty, squaly, snow, cold. To home. Help **Jim** take rack off sleigh & put it in chaffhouse. Read. Sleep. Got Paisley Advocate.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Windy, mild, cool. To home. Write letter to **John McMahon**. To Ballycroy post letter & 2 posts to **John**. Paid **John McClelland** \$ 5.60 bill. Home dinner. To **Binghams**, **Billy** not home. Chore. Home at 8:30?.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear, mild, S. wind. To home. Clean out Stable. To Kaywood Mill with **Billy Bingham**. Home. Dinner. Read. To **Bingham**s in evening. Chat to **Billy**. Tea there. Home at 10:10. Mild night. (**Jim** to Orangeville load Bark? for **Youngs**, Bee).
- 12 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear, mild, clear. To home. Chore. Read papers. Got shoes at Ballycroy \$2.50. **Jim** went to concert at Mono Mills tonight chosen friends. (group?)
- 13 (FRIDAY) Snow all day. Stormy at night. To home all day. Chore. Cow calved today. **Jim** at **Binghams**. Very stormy day & night.
- Very cold & stormy. Snowy. 14 (SATURDAY) Squaly, snowy, very stormy. To home. Chore help Jim to fill 2 Bags Barley & 2 Bags oats for shop?. Jim to mill with 2 Barley, 2 Oats, 1 peas, ½ Mush? wheat. To Binghams with Jim for cutting box. Home grind 2 Knives. Chores. Tea. Walk to Ballycroy to Office for post. Home. Read. This was the stormiest day of the season.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Stormy, mild, squaly, very stormy. To home. Chore. **Albert Little** here. Traveller had Dinner (Barrie to Mount Forest). ??? Got ready. **Maggie** & I went to Palgrave Church **Mr. Walker preach**. **Billy** & I to **Coulters** chat. **Maggie**, **Billy** & I home in cutter. Stormy.
- Note due Dec 16. \$40 16 (MONDAY) NOTE DUE DEC 16 \$40. Stormy, squaly, fine, cold. To home write to post 4 pages. To **Billy Wilsons** sale. Act as clerk. I got colt at \$40.00 gave note for nine months. To Palgrave ride with **Switzer**?. Post letter on train to post. Walk home.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear, cloudy, snow at night. To **Billy Wilsons** for colt. Led it home across Bush. Feed horses. Got lunch. Drive to Palgrave with **Pa**. Nelson in cutter. Gave **Lettie** & **Maggie** 25 cts for missionary. To Council meeting. Drive home. Snowy night.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Snow, squaly. To home. Help Jim & Pa to cut feed in Barn. Read Sleep. German

peddler here tonight.

- 19 (THURSDAY) Clear mild. Cold at night. To home. Help Jim to fill up 22 Nags potatoes to take to Palgrave. 75 cts per Bag. Let out colts, to Ballycroy for mail, home read. **Albert Little** here tonight.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Cloudy misley. Snow, cloudy misty. To Palgrave on load of wood, got ride with **Ellard**, to Station to fill up 1 ton plaster \$ 4.75 pd. **Jim** got 1 lb tea 25 cts pd. Up near home. Back to Palgrave with **Billy** in cutter **Maud**? S. Home at 4:30 chore read.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Snowing mild. To home chore. To Ballycroy, get vinegar & sugar, papers got 7 pictures from **Paisleys**, home, chore, to **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. Home at 11:30? fine mild night.
- 22 (SUNDAY) Fine clear mild. To home. Read. **Billy Duffy** here. To Church at night at Palgrave. **Noble** did not come I went to English Church Ruth Pettinger went home went home with **Jim & Maggie** L & A 11:30?. **Alex** & I to porch. To **Coulters** wait for **Billy** B. &? **W.C**. to come home they got Back at 3:30? at **Coulters** all night **Bob Campbell** there had lots of fun.
- 23 (MONDAY) Ruth here. Misley misty mild. At Palgrave at Station to **Coulters, Bob Campbell** went to Robbs today. Got ride to **Finertys** with **John**. Walk to **Binghams** for tea (Sud? Germican? snowing today). Chat till 11 oclock there walk through fields home road all water.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Ruth here. Clear & mild cool. To home read. To Ballycroy with cloth left measure for new suit for \$ 13.00. Home read. To Bush with Jim for 1 load wood. Chore Jim to Binghams for peas got none fine moonlight night.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Fine clear cool **Ruth** here. To home. Chore, fix post Between Charlie & Polly. Help **Jim** to load rails shovel snow off.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Clear & cool . Help Jim to load rails & Shovel snow. To Binghams Billy & I went for walk to P.V (not seen.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Cloudy Squaly mild. To Home. In Bush help Jim saw wood. Sleep chore read.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Fine mild. To home. Help **Jim** fill 6 Bags Barley & oats for chop. To Bush, cut wood. To Palgrave at night with Ruth, Nelson & old Buggy, home alone.
- Easter 29 (SUNDAY) Clear very hot. To home. 5 eggs. To Binghams chat to Billy Bingham & Billy Wilson home dress had tea, to Palgrave Church with Billy Bingham in Buggy. Wass preach. To Mrs McMahons chat. To Coulters chat Tom there. Home at 2:15.
- 30 (MONDAY) Clear fine. To Palgrave walk, to see **Stinson**. To Station write letter to **John Allen**. Home at noon.
- 31 (TUESDAY) Cloudy Snow squaly. Start, to walk to walk to Alliston at 4. Big Swamp all flooded got ride over to **Toms** at 10. Had Dinner up town with **Tom** to 125 1. To **Toms** all night.

APRIL 1891

- 1 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy misley misty. At Alliston at **Toms**. Write letter to Wm Thimble to Sundridge. Post letter on train. To founltry?? with **Tom & Ben**. Up town to 125. Had tea chat -1-2-3-. To **Toms** all night.
- 2 (THURSDAY) Cloudy misty rain. To noon, fine afternoon. At **Toms**. **Tom** & I to **J.C Harts** Sale. Horses & cattle Big Sale. To **Toms** for tea chat. **S.J**. there leave her home chat 1-2:X:. To **Toms** all night.

- 3 (FRIDAY) Cloudy cool, at **Toms**. To Station to late for train, Around town sell goods. To **Toms** for dinner, around town sell goods. To Station (**Tom** there). Took train to Palgrave. Walk up home road pretty Bad. **C Albert** here tonight.
- 4 (SATURDAY) Cold N wind clear. To Home. Sleep till noon. To **Binghams** chat cut **Billys** hair. Then **Billy** and I went to Office, then home very cold. **George Lavery** here all night, I slept with him.
- 5 (SUNDAY) Fine clear. To Home **G. Lavery** here. Till 10 then he went home. Sleep till 2:30. **Billy Bingham** and **Billy Duffy** here. Dress had tea. Then **Billy Bingham** & I walked down 6th line to railroad up to P.V? to Church **Noble** preach. **Lelia Downy** play. To **Mrs McMahons** chat. **Harry McBride** & wife there to **Coulters** for **Billy** walk home at 12 rough road.
- **A.J. Roberts** 1 year old 6 (MONDAY) Fine clear cool. To home help **Jim & Pa** to fix pump. To **S. McClellands** at night see mare home at 11:00.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Fine clear warm. To home. Write letter to **Simon Gower**, fix pictures for **Sarah & Margery** to Ballycroy post 2 letters & 2 photos 8 cts pd. In **Jacks**, see **Bob Nelson**. To **S. McClellands** clip horse. Bailey there see mare tap her. To W. Whites Sawing Bee. Then home. Chore. Write names in Women Book Births.
- 8 (WEDNESDAY) Fine clear warm. To home. Lying in house all day, sick with cold. **Uncle Bill** here today.
- 9 (THURSDAY) Fine clear warm. At home. Lying in house Sick. Uncle Bill went home at 4 oclock.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Cloudy rain fair cloudy. To home. In house sick all day. **Billy Bingham** here. Help to cut down trees fore noon. **Jim** at **Campbells** Sawing Bee afternoon. Annie & Maggie Stephens here at night.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Cloudy misley. To home sick all day. **Tom** came down today & went home at night. Albert here at night **Jim** brought **Lizzie** home tonight, cool.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Cloudy mild. To home. In house. Eat egg. Billy Bingham here chat. Lizzie here.
- 13 (MONDAY) Clear and fine. To home; better forenoon. Got worse. **Liz**. Telegraph for **Bonnar?**. X. ray I had Information on kidney & lung. Had fever. Very sick. Sweat awful. **Billy Bingham** here at night.
- 14 (TUESDAY) Cloudy warm. Misley. In bed sick. **Bonnar?** here at 10. Had wood-bee today.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy misley. In bed all day. Jim at Sam McClellands bee. Billy Bingham here at night.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Clear & warm. In bed sick. G. White's Bee in afternoon. **Liz** went to Mono Mills for more Medicine. Got letter from **Ann** about **Tom** leaving place.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Clear & warm. In bed sick. **Pa** went to Bolton. **Liz** went to Palgrave, **Jim** got Nelsons shoes removed. All home at night.
- 18 (SATURDAY) Misley, fair. To home in Bed sick. **Bonnar?** here I gave him Big watch. **Billy Bingham** into see me **Bill Stephens** here tonight \$8.50. **Tom** came here tonight.
- 19 (SUNDAY) Clear & fine. To home. Up a while today. **Tom** here. **Billy Young**. **Billy Duffy**. **Will Coulter** and **Stephen Kelly** here. **Jim** went to Palgrave Church at night. **Tom** went to See **Ben Cox** in the afternoon here at.
- 20 (MONDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Up today read. Liz went to Palgrave. Jim went to Start plow.

- 21 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Read. **Jim** plow in orchard. **S. Kelly** here got axe ground. **Ma** turn stone?.
- 22 (WEDNESDAY) Fine hot windy. To home. Read. Jim cultivate with Kellys cultivator. Ann & family here tonight from Alliston at 9.
- 23 (THURSDAY) Fine, cloudy cool. To home. Read. Jim finish cultivating. Then he went to Palgrave, write?, team & wagon with Ann. Will & Maggie to move Toms Stuff from Station. Tom & Will came home with Jim at night 12:30.
- 24 (FRIDAY) Clear fine cool. To home read, write letter to S.J. gave it to **Tom** to post at Palgrave **Tom**. **Jim**. **& Pa** Kill Big white pig today, **Jim** harrow orchard clean Barley.
- 25 (SATURDAY) Clear cold N. Air. To home rig up drill. Jim to mill with chop. Sow? Barley & clover in orchard. Harrow in hill. **Mrs Hallam?** here chat. Jim went to Boyces at night with Doll took Horse, Liz came Home tonight **Albert Little** here at night.
- 26 (SUNDAY) Fine warm. To home, read Sleep. **Billy Young & Billy Bingham** here to see me. **Lizzie & Maggie** to Reaneys Church at 2:50. Nelson & Buggy. They walked to Palgrave at night, fine, dry.
- 27 (MONDAY) Clear warm windy N. Wind. To home to Whites for cultivater leg. Home clean out Stable write for post. Walk to Palgrave post letter on train (fire in **Gipsons**? Bush). To **Laverys** See **Duffy**. To **Toms** all night **Duffy** cut my hair & **Toms** at **Toms** tonight.
- 28 (TUESDAY) Cloudy very cold N. wind. At Palgrave at **Toms**. To Station, to **Toms** for Dinner. Walk home got my new suit at Ballycroy \$ 13.00 walk home, at 4:30? read. Sleep upstairs tonight.
- 29 (WEDNESDAY) Fine mild. To home, Jim to mill for chop, start to sow oats. Back through Bush to the field to **Billy Bingham** chat. Home for Dinner. Read sleep. **Tom Olives?** here at night. Mild night.
- 30 (THURSDAY) Clear Stormy W. wind. To home. **Lettie McMahons** Birthday today the 30th April. Give **Billy Bingham** 6 Bull harrow. Fix fence, read sleep. Went to **Wilson's** then across to **Binghams** to go to Palgrave But did not go. Home, give **Billy** 26 Bags. Tonight.

MAY 1891

- 1 (FRIDAY) Fine hot windy cool. To home. **Jim** plow little garden. Got apple trees today from Switzer put out colts. Read sleep. **Jim** took cord wood to **Tom** to Palgrave. Bring in colts from field put (in hay & Bedding for horses).
- 2 (SATURDAY) Cloudy mild. To home. Put out colts. To mill down dam with fish with **Willie & Lizzie Ann**, got 13. Home, dinner. Read papers. To fish got 5 in little creek (after tea). **Albert Little** here tonight. Fine.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Fine clear cool. To home. Read. Walk out through **McElwains** wheat. Sleep, had tea dress to Palgrave with **Maggie**, Nelson in Buggy. Nelson Sick, I was not in church. In **Toms**. Home with **Maggie** cool tonight.
- 4 (MONDAY) Clear dry windy cold. To home. Put out colts. Help **Pa** to cut feed in Barn. Read afternoon. Bring in colts get Bedding. **Ma** walked to Palgrave tonight. Very cold.
- J. Kidd Died 5 (TUESDAY) Cloudy cold snow Blustry (ice ½ inch thick on pail). To home. Put out colts. Made little table in Cook House. Fix Box. **Mrs Mack** here chat. 1 ewe lambed today. 1 lamb. **Billy Bingham** Bring home harrow & chain, (cold.

- 6 (WEDNESDAY) Clear cold. To Ballycroy see **Matsons** at work. To office read paper. Home help **Maggie** to plant onions in garden. Book to Bush help **Pa & Jim** to move Big log lay fence. Cold.
- Doll. 7 (THURSDAY) Fine mild cool. To home fix Beds for flowers front of house. Cut **Will Stephens** Hair went to fish with **Will** got none. Doll took Horse today. To Ballycroy, got papers. See Builders. See Cleveland Bay Horse. Home (chore.
- 8 (FRIDAY) Fine clear mild windy. To Ballycroy with 8 ¼ lbs onions (29 cts Due Bill). Got post & letter for Pa. Home for Dinner. Read paper. Sew shoe. Out to field to Jim. To Binghams chat to Billy plowing. Home chore.
- 9 (SATURDAY) Clear dry windy. To home. Chat to **Jim Sloan** on road with cow for **J. Hammond**. Fix **S. Kellys** wheelbarrow. Clean manure from around House. At football. **Albert** Here tonight Help, **Pa** to plant 6 apple trees & 2 pear trees. Bring Home **Steves** wheelbarrow.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Fine, cloudy, cool. To home. Read sleep. To Palgrave at night, Nelson & Buggy to **Toms** chat. **Maggie** home with me.
- 11 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Write for post. Put colts out in creek field. Help **Pa** to fix fence, **Lizzie Lee & Suzy Shore** here at noon. To Ballycroy, got letter from **Margery** got syringe & Book from **J. McClelland** \$ 2.75. Walk to Palgrave to **Toms** for tea. Post letter on train. At **Toms** all night. Sent card to **Bailey**.
- 12 (TUESDAY) Fine, warm. First operation with syringe tonight. At Palgrave at **Toms**. To Station. Got ride Home with **George White**. Help **Maggie** to fix 4 rigs at front door fix gate.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Pull down garden fence & put it up again. Fix gate at road. Move operate XXXX House.
- 14 (THURSDAY) Clear, cool, fine, warm. To Orangeville fair with **Pa**, Nelson in Buggy and Flora cow did not sell her got dust pan fixed 5 cts. Glass on watch 20 cts. Dinner 15 cts. Check 10 cts. All paid. Home at 6:30.
- 15 (FRIDAY) Fine, warm, dry. To home. Pruning apples trees all day. Jim & Pa pick meadow.
- 16 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold, Blustry. To Palgrave post letter to **S.J**. see **Wilson**. To **Toms** lunch walk home, **Will** & I help **Will** to fill 8 Bags potatoes. In **Bradleys** with Bangle. Walk to Palgrave see Wilson. See **Bob Cannon**. **Tommy Groves** home with us **Pa, Liz** & I in wagon (cold).
- 17 (SUNDAY) Fine mild. To home. **Tommy Groves** went to Reaneys with **Pa** to Church. **Noble** preach Dancing Sermon. To Palgrave Church at night.
- 18 (MONDAY) Fine warm. To Palgrave with **Jim** in Buggy. Got gloves at Sloans 25 cts. On train to Georgetown, dig post Holes. At **Mullins** for supper. To paper mill at night with **Thrift & Arbuckle**. At **Mullins** all night.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Clear warm. At Glen dig post Holes. At Mullins 3 meals I sleep with John Armstrong.
- 20 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy mild. Finish fence below Glen. Start above. At **Mullins** 3 meals. Rain a little at night. Operate ????.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Cloudy misley rain at night. At Glen, dig post holes. To Georgetown at night for Digger. At **Mullins** 3 meals.

- 22 (FRIDAY) Cloudy misley. At Glen. Fence at Bush. To Georgetown at night on Digger with thrift. Briggs & Arbuckle home at 9.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Cool clear. At Glen. Fence. To **Mullins** 2 meals. To Salmonville on Digger. To Palgrave on train home with **Jim** in wagon got muck.
- 24 (SUNDAY) Fine clear mild. To home. Read sleep. To Palgrave at night to Church with **Maggie & Lizzie Ann** in Buggy.
- 25 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. Walk to Palgrave, on train to Salmonville dig post holes to **Mullins**, 1 meal all night.
- 26 (TUESDAY) Fine cool. Above Glen, dig holes. To Georgetown for posts to Salmonville U.S? for lumber to **Mullins** 3 meals. To Georgetown at night on Digger.
- 27 (WEDNESDAY) Fine Hot. Above Glen. Dig post Holes. At Mullins 3 meals.
- 28 (THURSDAY) Clear Hot coludy. Above Glen. Dig post Holes. Unload car of posts at noon. Peel and put in posts. At **Mullins** 3 meals. To Georgetown at night on Digger. **Chriss** & I walk home to **Mullins**.
- 29 (FRIDAY) Fine Hot. Above Glen. Peel posts. Set. Cut off. At Mullins 3 meals. Fine cool.
- 30 (SATURDAY) Cloudy Hot. Above Glen. Cut off posts. To Salmonville for wire. Back for lumber. Dig Holes set. Cut off. At **Mullins** 2 meals. On train to Palgrave. Walk home very Hot & Smoky. Operate.
- 31 (SUNDAY) Clear very Hot. To home. Read sleep. **Edward Boyce & Mary Ann** here. To Palgrave Church at night **Noble** preach Bigotry. Home in Buggy with Maggie. Water Doll Humber? pump Broke dry & Hot.

JUNE 1891

- 1 (MONDAY) Fine Hot dry. Home, help Jim & Pa to take out pump. To Palgrave in Buggy with Jim got Shoes at Mrs McMahons \$2.25. On train to Terra Cotta. Finish fence above glen. Start dig. To Mrs Harbers for tea. Move up to Allens Section.
- 2 (TUESDAY) Rain cloudy warm. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes. Set posts. At **Harbers** 3 meals. Operate.
- 3 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy misley. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes. Set posts. Rain at night. At **Harbers** 3 meals.
- 4 (THURSDAY) Cloudy rain clear fine. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes Set posts. At Mrs Harbers 3 meals.
- 5 (FRIDAY) Clear fine. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes. Set posts. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals. Got letter from **S.J**. 125 last letter.
- 6 (SATURDAY) Clear fine. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes. Set posts cut off. Take tools to Cheltenham. On train to Palgrave. Walk home **Willie** & I. Cool?.
- 7 (SUNDAY) Fine warm. To home to Ballycroy get Dick Lyness to cut my Hair pd 10 cts. Home copy weeks work dress put on new suit first time. Walk to Palgrave with Maggie. Out to Gibsons Lake with Harry Pettinger, Aggie Bradley, Lizzie & Maggie for walk. To Church, Noble preach tea at Toms. Home in Buggy with Maggie.
- 125 Birthday? 8 (MONDAY) Clear hot. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Beeton. Whitewash crossings to

- Tottenham at Morrows? all night 45 cts pd.
- 9 (TUESDAY) Fine Hot. Whitewah crossings. From Tottenham to Palgrave. Thrift & I stop at **Toms** all night.
- 10 (WEDNESDAY) Hot cloudy rain hot. Whitewash from Palgrave to Cardwell Junction. At **Hantons** all night 45 pd cts.
- 11 (THURSDAY) Rain cloudy showry, cool. Whitewash from Cardwell Junction to Terra Cotta. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals all night.
- 12 (FRIDAY) Fine mild. Whitewash from Terra Cotta to Stewarton at **McDonalds** all night 3 meals 45 cts paid. Help girl to put cows out of oats down track to house.
- 13 (SATURDAY) Clear very Hot. Whitewash from Stewarton to Milton (**Tom & Albert** here). Home to Palgrave on train. Walk up home **Margery** & I very warm.
- 14 (SUNDAY) Clear very Hot. To home. Read sleep. Dress to Palgrave at night in Buggy with Maggie & Margery to Church Rev Jas Bible preach, no choir we sang. Home in Buggy Maggie & I. Jim & Billy Young walked.
- 15 (MONDAY) Clear very Hot. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Milton Whitewash from Milton to to St. Anns. Stop at **Mrs. Drydens** all night 3 meals.
- 16 (TUESDAY) Fine very very Hot. Whitewash from St Anns. To Burlington Beach. Run into Hamilton on Digger? stop at Simcoe House all night 3 meals 60 cts pd. Rain at night Hot.
- 17 (WEDNESDAY) Misley cloudy rain. Whitewash from Hamilton to Beach. Stop all night at **Mrs Aldridge** 45 cts pd.
- 18 (THURSDAY) Cloudy misley cool. On train from Hamilton to Cheltenham, dig post, Holes set posts to **Mrs Harbers** all night 1 meal.
- 19 (FRIDAY) Cool misley cloudy. At Terra Cotta dig post Holes set posts at Mrs Harbers 3 meals.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Cloudy mild. At Terra Cotta. Dig post Holes set posts. At **Mrs Harbers** 2 meals. From Cheltenham to Palgrave on train got ride to **Binghams** with **Billy Wilson** in Buggy. **Albert** here all night operate.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Cloudy warm. To home. Write letterfor **Albert Little** to David. Sleep. Wash in Cook House. Dress to Palgrave with **Billy Bingham** in Buggy, **Mr McKemcow**? preach Home with **Billy** fine moonlight night.
- 22 (MONDAY) Cloudy misley clear Hot. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Cheltenham, dig post Holes set posts take to Terra Cotta at night. At **Mrs Harbers** all night 1 meal.
- 23 (TUESDAY) Clear mild. Working down on new road near Georgetown. At **Harbers** 3 meals. Cut Thrifts Hair tonight.
- 24 (WEDNESDAY) Clear very Hot. Working down on new road. At Harbers 3 meals very warm tonight.
- 25 (THURSDAY) Clear very Hot. Working on new road. At **Harbers** 3 meals. At Cheltenham on Digger? at night. See? **Marie?**, chat to **Allen** walk to **Harbers** Hot night.
- 26 (FRIDAY) Fine Hot. Working on new road put in cattle guard?. To Georgetown at night got \$ 15.00. At

- Mrs Harbers 3 meals paid Mrs Harber \$ 5.85 tonight. Woodshed took fire tonight at 1.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Clear hot cool at night. Working on new road. 2 meals at **Mrs Harbers**. To Georgetown at night on train to Palgrave. Home in Buggy with **Lizzie** cool tonight.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Clear very Hot. To Home, read to see colts sleep. Copy weeks worth. Write for post **Mr & Mrs Boyce & Miss Boyc**e here. Dress walk to Palgrave Church down 6th line across field to PV. **Noble preach** farewell sermon. Chat to **Tom** walk home. Write for post. To Bed, 1:20. Operate in cookhouse.
- 29 (MONDAY) Clear warm. To home cut **Jims** Hair. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Jim** on train to Georgetown. Work on new road. To **Mrs Harbers** at night 1 meal.
- 30 (TUESDAY) Fine Hot. Paid Board at **Mullins** \$ 4.50. Finish on new road, at noon. To Georgetown on Digger? for hand axe. To Terra Cotta Allens Section. Dig post holes. To **Harbers** 3 meals. **Chriss** & I to Church at night at Terra Cotta.

JULY 1891

- 1 (WEDNESDAY) Rain cloudy Hot Showry. At Terra Cotta finish on Allens Section. At Harbers 3 meals.
- 2 (THURSDAY) Cloudy Hot Showry. At Terra Cotta. On Nathans Section. Dig post holes set posts. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals rain at night.
- 3 (FRIDAY) Rain cloudy showry. At Terra Cotta. Dig post holes. Set posts. Cut off 33 today. At **Harbers** 3 meals.
- 4 (SATURDAY) Cloudy cool. At Terra Cotta. Dig post holes set posts finish on Nathans Section today to Palgrave on train. Paid **Ann** 45 cts for Thrift. Paid **Mrs Pettinger** 45 cts for Chriss Briggs. Walk home.
- 5 (SUNDAY) Cloudy cool. To home read sleep. To Palrave to Church at night in Buggy with Maggie Wass preach cool tonight.
- 6 (MONDAY) Clear mild. Walk to P.V. on train to Terra Cotta. Put tie wire on Allens Section. **Harbers** 3 meals.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Rain cloudy cool. At Terra Cotta. Fence near Georgetown Station. At Harbers 3 meals.
- 8 (WEDNESDAY) Clear cool. At Terra Cotta. Whitewash crossings on new road. (At **Harbers** 3 meals) Bring tools to Cheltenham. Finish tie wire.
- 9 (THURSDAY) Cloudy fine warm. At Terra Cotta. (At **Harbers**) 2 meals. On Digger? to Cheltenham. On train to Glenhuron fix fence at Bridge. 136. At **Lougheeds** all night fine cool. 45 cts pd.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Fine Hot. Fix fence at Bridge. 135. & Start 134. At Lougheeds all night 45 cts pd.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Clear very Hot. Fix fence at Bridge. 134. & 133. Walk to Creemore. On train from Creemore to P.V.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Fine very Hot, to home. Wash. To Palgrave to English Church with **Liz & Maggie**. The Orange there **Mr Osler** preach. To **Toms** for tea. To Black Horse with **Liz & Maggie** to Church at night **Mr Dinwoodie** preach. To P.V. to **Mrs McMahons** sing. **Snells** there. Home at 11:30.
- 13 (MONDAY) Clear Hot walk to P.V. On train to Creemore finish fence at Bridge. 133. To Creemore with tools. On train to Caledon East. At **Hantons** 1 meal.

- 14 (TUESDAY) Rain showry. At Caledon East. Went to Cheltenham for Digger? & tool Box. Start to fence on **Bill Holdens** Section. At **Hanton**s 3 meals.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy cool. At Caledon East. Fence on Holdens section. At Hantons 3 meals.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Fine Hot. At Caledon East. Fence on **Holdens** section. At **Hantons** 3 meals.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Fine mild. At Caledon East. Fence on **Holdens** section. At **Hanton**s 3 meals.
- 18 (SATURDAY) Cloudy mild. At Caledon East. Fence on **Holdens** section. At **Hantons** 3 meals. To P.V. on train home in Buggy with Jim.
- 19 (SUNDAY) Cloudy cool. To home. Read, wash, to P.V. in Buggy with Maggie, to Church Wass preach home again?. Misley.
- 20 (MONDAY) Cloudy cool. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Mother**. On train to Cardwell Junction fence on **Holdens** section. At **Hantons** 1 meal. Post letter at night in Box to S.J. 3 cts.
- 21 (TUESDAY) Fine clear. At Caledon East. Finish South end. Start at 3rd line come North 89 holes. At **Hantons** 3 meals.
- 22 (WEDNESDAY) Fine Hot. At Caledon East. Fence Between 3rd & 4th line. At Hantons 3 meals.
- 23 (THURSDAY) Cloudy rain misley Hot. At Caledon East. Fence Between 3rd & 4th line. At **Hantons** 3 meals.
- 24 (FRIDAY) Cloudy Hot clear. At Caledon East. Fence Between 3rd & 4th line. At **Hantons** 3 meals. (45 cts from **Jack Arbuckle**) Got paid for June \$ 32.50.
- 25 (SATURDAY) Cloudy cool. At Caledon East. Put on tie wire. Put in 1 gate & 10 posts. At **Hantons** 2 meals. Paid **Hanton** in full to date \$ 4.50. Gave **Frank Thrift** \$ 3.60 for **Mrs Harber**, to P.V. on train. Home at 2:15 walk home. Leave S.K. home. From point.
- 26 (SUNDAY) Clear cool. To home. Read sleep. To Palgrave walk got ride from **Sam & Mary Tom** came for walk. To Church, **Mr McKeown** preach walk home.
- 27 (MONDAY) Clear fine. Wlk to Palgrave. Pay Mrs Pettinger 45 cts for **Jack Arbuckle**. On train to Cardwell Junction fence near Jigger? house. To **G. Brackens** at night. Shock wheat. Chat lunch. Stop all night.
- 28 (TUESDAY) Fine hot. Finish fence on **Holdens** section. Move tools up to Watsons curve. Back to Caledon East at **Hantons** all night. Got Shoes half soled & half heeled at **Wallaces**, 85 cts paid. Sick tonight sour stomach.
- 29 (WEDNESDAY) Clear hot cloudy rain. Settled up at **Hantons**. Came up to Watsons Curve start fence dig holes put in posts. To Palgrave at night. Stop at **Toms** 1 meal. Help **Will** to hoe potatoes.
- 30 (THURSDAY) Cloudy misley fine. Set posts from Watsons Curve this way 126. At **Toms** 3 meals. Hoe potatoes.
- 31 (FRIDAY) Fine mild. Fence below Centreville cut off posts dig holes. At **Toms** 3 meals. Hoe potatoes.

AUGUST 1891

- 1 (SATURDAY) Cloudy. Misley rain. Fence below Centreville. Set posts. Cut off. Dig holes. At **Toms** 3 meals. Walk home **Liz** & I. Met **Jim** at Walkers gate ride home in Buggy.
- 2 (SUNDAY) Fine mild. To home. Read sleep dress to Palgrave Church **Wass** preach. Home in Buggy with Maggie cool night.
- 3 (MONDAY) Fine clear. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. Fence below Centreville. At Toms 1 meal. To Lake for row, with Polly Wylie. Lizzie & Alf. Gibson?. See Louisa & Nellie Campbell at Store. At Toms all night.
- 4 (TUESDAY) Clear fine. At Palgrave. Fence below Centreville. At **Toms** 3 meals. Cut **Willie**s Hair throw Horse Shoes? chat to Lizzie Lee. **Tom** Home tonight. I lit Bookwells North path lamp.
- 5 (WEDNESDAY) Fine Hot. At Palgrave. Finish fence below Centreville. Put on tie wire. Move tools to palgrave haul down some lumber. Walk up 6th line Home tonighthaul in fall wheat. 2 meals at **Toms**.
- 6 (THURSDAY) Filine very Hot. To home. Walk down (6th line) = to Humber Dump. Fence from Dump 64 posts. To **Toms** all night 1 meal.
- 7 (FRIDAY) Clear, very hot sultry. At Palgrave. Fence up gravel pit 71 posts. At **Toms** 3 meals. At **Laverys** chat to **George**.
- 8 (SATURDAY) Cloudy hot rain at night. At Palgrave. Fence west side gravel pit & cross 6th line 56 posts. At **Toms** 3 meals. To Store, chat, got tacks 5 cts paid. At **Toms** all night rain nearly all night.
- 10 (MONDAY) Clear sultry Hot. To home. Walk to Palgrave. Unload 4 gates & 8 posts. At Station fence below 6th line. At **Toms** 2 meals. Got **Pulford** to cut Hair. Chat to **Billy Bingham**. Put tacks in Boot Heels tonight.
- 11 (TUESDAY) Clear Hot. At Palgrave. Fence below 6th line. At **Toms** 3 meals. At Station, see **Agness Reaney** away to Manitoba **Jim** & **Maggie** to league meeting. **Tom** home tonight. At **Toms** all night. **Mrs C. Lee & Sam** went to Manitoba too.
- 12 (WEDNESDAY) Clear cool. At Palgrave. Finish fence put on tie wire. Post letter to **Mary Elizabeth Gower** on train paid **Mrs McMahon** \$ 2.25 for Shoes tonight. At **Toms** 3 meals. Read cool tonight.
- 13 (THURSDAY) Clear fine. At Palgrave. Move fence on gravel pit Hill. At **Toms** 3 meals. Got tacks 5 cts paid. To **Laverys**, chat to **George**.
- 14 (FRIDAY) Cloudy misley rain. At Palgrave. At **Toms** 2 meals. Finish up. Move tools to Tottenham. Dig Holes. At **Mrs Walkhams** XXXX got tacks in Shoes at **Riddells**, 10 cts pd.
- 15 (SATURDAY) Fine mild. At Tottenham. Fence South dig Holes. Set posts. At **Mrs Walkhams** 2 meals (2). To Palgrave on train. Walk home.
- 16 (SUNDAY) Fine mild. To home. Sleep read wash. Walk to Palgrave to Church **Mr Parson** preach. To **Toms** chat. To **Mrs McMahons** for **Billy Bingham**. Ride home in Buggy with **Maggie**, cool tonight.
- 17 (MONDAY) Fine cloudy misley. To home. Dress colts Hoofs. Walk to Palgrave on train to Tottenham fence South at **Mrs Walkhams** 1 meal.

- 18 (TUESDAY) Fine clear. At Tottenham. Fence South. At **Mrs Walkhams**, 3 meals. To Palgrave & Back. On train see Minnie.
- 19 (WEDNESDAY) Fine clear. At Tottenham. Settled up Board at **Mrs Walkhams** \$ 1.25 2 meals. On Jigger? to Stewarton 32 miles. Dig holes set posts on Spences Section. To Bennetts Hotel all night. Sent letter to **Mrs Walkham** for valise.
- 20 (THURSDAY) Fine warm. At Georgetown. Fence below Stewarton. To **Willie McCandles's** at night. Good time chat to **Willie**, **Aggie & Mary**. **Joe** there. Eat harvest apples to Bed at 11. Rain tonight.
- 21 (FRIDAY) Rain. Cloudy fine. At **Willie McCandles's**. Walk to work at 8 o'clock. Fence below Stewarton to the Bennett House all night.
- 22 (SATURDAY) Fine clear. At Georgetown. Setttle up to date at **Bennetts**. Fence below Stewarton. On train to Palgrave. Got valise at Station. Paid **Ann** \$ 5.40 for Board. Stop at **Toms** all night rain. To Store chat.
- 23 (SUNDAY) Cloudy misley cool rain at night. At Palgrave at **Toms** walk up home chat to **Billy Bingham** at home. All day read Sleep. Operate. Copy. Read paper. **Jim**, **Maggie** & **Lizzie Ann** went to P.V. in Buggy.
- 24 (MONDAY) Rain cloudy misty. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Jim**. On train to Stewarton. Fence below. To Bennett House all night.
- 25 (TUESDAY) Clear fine. At Georgetown. Fence below Stewarton. At **Bennetts**, pd 45 cts. Got paid tonight for July \$ 33.75. Fun in town tonight.
- 26 (WEDNESDAY) Fine clear. At Georgetown. Fence below Stewarton. Board at Bennetts pd 45 cts.
- 27 (THURSDAY) Misty clear rain at night. At Georgetown. Fence below Stewarton. See **Tom Coulter** chat. At **Bennetts** pd 45 cts.
- 28 (FRIDAY) Squaly fine. At Georgetown. Finish fence on Spence & Start on Wilson. At Bennetts pd 45 cts.
- 29 (SATURDAY) Fine mild. At Georgetown. Fence on Wilson?. Left Jigger? at Stewarton. On train to Palgrave. Cut **Toms** Hair. Paid **Mrs Pettinger** 4 8.10 walk home 10:20.
- 30 (SUNDAY) Cloudy cool. To home. Put Kellys Horses out of oats. Read sleep. Dress to Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie & Maggie. To Church Wass preach. Got apples in Jigger? House. G. Lavery & Billy & Duffy & I walk home at 12.
- 31 (MONDAY) Cloudy misley. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Lizzie**. On train to Stewarton fix fence on Wilsons Section on Jigger? to St Anns. Laure 1 load of timber to culvert. At **Mrs Drydens** 1 meal. All night.

SEPTEMBER 1891

- 1 (TUESDAY) Fine Hot. At St Anns. Laure timber put in stringers. At **Mrs Drydens** 3 meals. Read cool tonight.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Clear fine. At St Anns. Dig out culvert put in timber. At Mrs Drydens 3 meals.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Fine Hot. At St Anns. Work at culvert. At Mrs Drydens 3 meals. Cloudy & cool at night.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Fine cool. At St Anns. Work at culvert. At Mrs Drydens 3 meals. Bottle on Boil on face at night.

- 5 (SATURDAY) Cloudy misley rain. At St Anns. Work at culvert. Paid **Mrs Dryden** \$ 2.25 for Board 35 cts for plow? on train to Palgrave. Home in Buggy with **Jim**. Boil on face very sore. Bottle & poultice?, rain tonight cool.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Cloudy cool. To home. Read. Boil on face sore. **Albert Little** here. Put **Kellys** Horses out of oats. Put pork on Boil.
- 7 (MONDAY) Clear fine. Walk to Palgrave. Paid **Mrs Pettinger** \$ 5.00 for **Chriss Briggs** & 45 cts for Thrift. On train to St Anns. Work at culvert 1. At **Mrs Drydens** 1 meal. Post letter to **Dufferin?**, post.
- 8 (TUESDAY) Fine clear. At St Anns. Skid timber. Start at culvert 2. At **Mrs Drydens** 3 meals. To **Simpsons, H Evans** & I.
- 9 (WEDNESDAY) Clear fine. At St Anns. Work at culvert 2. See picnic people. In **Sheridans** chat eat apples.
- 10 (THURSDAY) Fine clear. At St Anns. Work at culvert 2. At Mrs Drydens 3 meals. Cool tonight.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Clear fine. At St Anns. Work at culvert 2. At **Mrs Drydens** 3 meals. **T. Wilson** at culvert with us in morning.
- 12 (SATURDAY) Clear Hot. Rain at night. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3. Paid **Mrs Dryden** \$ 2.25. On train to Palgrave to **Toms** chat. Paid **Mrs Pettinger** 45 cts for **F. Allingham**. Walk home road muddy.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Fine clear. To home. Chat to **Billy Bingham**. Sleep wash dress. To Palgrave Church **Wass** preach in **Toms** chat see post **Mary Ann Boyce** there. **Billy Duffy**. Bill & Joe **Lavery**. Home in Buggy with **Lizzie & Maggie**.
- 14 (MONDAY) Cloudy fine. To Palgrave in Buggy with Ma. Put Nelson in Nicols Shop. On train to St Anns. Work at culvert 3. At Mrs Drydens 1 meal. Post letter to Nelson McMahon. In Sheridans eat apples.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Cloudy misley fine. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3 lots of water. At **Drydens** 3 meals. Milk for **Louisa**.
- 16 (WEDNESDAY) Fine Hot. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3. At Mrs Drydens 3 meals. Fine moonlight.
- 17 (THURSDAY) Fine very Hot. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3. Unload 2 cars Sinders. At Drydens 3 meals.
- 18 (FRIDAY) Fine. Cloudy Big rain Storm. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3. Put Sinders in 2. At 3 till night at **Drydens** 3 meals. At **Evans** chat, to **Drydens** at 8:40.
- 19 (SATURDAY) Clear fine. At St Anns. Work at culvert 3. To S.? Din. crossing for 2 cedar logs. Laure 4 stringers to Jigger? House. To Palgrave on train. **Wick? Lindsy** at **Toms**. Walk home. Moonlight.
- 20 (SUNDAY) Fine Hot, to home. Wash dress. To Palgrave English Church with Maggie at 10:30. To Shore's for Dinner. To Cedar Mills to Church at night. Mr Long preach. Back to Shores for tea chat Sing. Billy Bingham. Jim Brien. Will & Tom Coulter there. Home with Maggie at 1:30? fine moonlight night.
- 21 (MONDAY) Fine Hot. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Cardwell Junction. Start to fence gravel pit. At Bolands 1 meal.
- 22 (TUESDAY) Clear Hot, at Cardwell Junction. Fence gravel pit. At **Bolands** 3 meals. Very Hot.
- 23 (WEDNESDAY) Clear very Hot. At Cardwell Junction. Finish fence. On train to Inglewood. Start at

- culvert 4. To Salmonville for timber. At **Bolands** 3 meals. To **Morrisons** at night chat.
- 24 (THURSDAY) Fine clear. At Inglewood. Dig out culvert 4. To Caledon East, got paid \$ 32.50. Take 2 logs to culvert lie around idle. To Cardwell on train. Walk to **Bolands** 3 meals. Play Taffy Bag.
- 25 (FRIDAY) Fine Hot. At Inglewood. Finish culvert 4. On train to Duntroon. To McDonalds all night.
- 26 (SATURDAY) Fine Hot. At Duntroon. Laure timber to culvert 5. 2 meals at **McDonalds** 30 paid. On train to Palgrave. Got **Duffy** to cut Hair. **S.J. McMullen** at **Toms**. Home in Buggy with **Maggie**. Cool night.
- 27 (SUNDAY) Fine clear. To home. Read, Sleep, wash dress. To Palgrave Church with Jim & Maggie in Buggy. Wass preach. Down track for walk. Duffy Lizzie Maggie S.J. McMullen & I. Got ride home with Billy Bingham. Jim Maggie & S.J. McMullen in Buggy. Walk up from Mass. Met Bob Logan.
- 28 (MONDAY) Fine Hot. Walk to Palgrave pay **Mrs Pettinger** 40 cts for **Briggs**. On train to Duntroon. Work at culvert up to village at night, get valise at Station. At **McDonalds** 1 meal. Rain tonight.
- 29 (TUESDAY) Cloudy cold. At Duntroon. Work at culvert put in Stringers. Shovel Dirt. At **McDonalds** 3 meals.
- 30 (WEDNESDAY) Fine cool. At Duntroon. Work at culvert. To Collingwood at night on Jigger?. **Albert Ward** & I Jump gate into Show ground. (2 meals at **McDonalds**) Down town. 2 Buggies locked on Street 3? meals at Wards paid 45 cts. Horse lost. Met **S. Finerty** at **Wards** all night.

OCTOBER 1891

- 1 (THURSDAY) Fine mild. To Duntroon on Jigger. Work at culvert. To Collingwood at night on Jigger. X Briggs & I Jump gate into Show ground. Good show. Got 2 linnen collars 25 cts. At Briggs all night 2? meals pd 45 cts.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Fine warm. To Duntroon on Jigger work at culvert. At McDonalds 1 meal. Paid \$ 1.35 tonight.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Fine Hot. At Duntroon. Laure timber to culvert. At **McDonalds** 2 meals. On train to Palgrave walk home got 1 Book & 3 packages on train.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Cloudy warm. Rain at night. To home, read Bride of the first night. Sleep. Wash dress. Walk to Palgrave **Willie** & I. **Wass** preach. In **Toms** chat. Home in Buggy with **Jim** & **Maggie**. (Taylors & McCabes in **Toms**). Wet night.
- 5 (MONDAY) Cloudy cool. Walk to palgrave. On train to Duntroon. Work at culvert. At McDonalds 1 meal.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Cold fine. At Duntroon. Cover culvert. Thrift home this afternoon. At **McDonalds** 3 meals.
- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy rain cold. At Duntroon. Cover culvert. Fire under culvert. At McDonalds 3 meals.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Cloudy fine. At Duntroon. Finish Big culvert. Laure timber. At **McDonalds** 3 meals. Cold night.
- 9 (FRIDAY) Fine mild. At Duntroon. Put in open culvert North of Station. Fix road. At **McDonalds** 3 meals. Paid for this week \$ 2.25.
- 10 (SATURDAY) Cool clear. At Duntroon. Put culvert in road. Load toolbox & Jigger on flat car. On train to Palgrave give **Geysons** augur to Baggageman at Tottenham. Got ride to **Watsons** with **W.J. Horan**. Walk home at 8 o'clock, **Albert** Here.

- 11 (SUNDAY) Clear cold. To home. Read, Sleep. Wash dress to Palgrave in Buggy with **Jim** left valise at **Toms**, got ride home with **Billy Bingham** clear cold night.
- 12 (MONDAY) Clear fine cold. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Caledonia. Start to fence at cut. Got cap? at **Hamiltons** 50 cts pd. At **Wintemutes** 1 meal.
- 13 (TUESDAY) Fine clear. At Caledonia. Fence at cut. At Wintemutes 3 meals moonlight night.
- 14 (WEDNESDAY) Fine. Cloudy rain at night. At Caledonia. Fence at cut. At Wintemutes 3 meals.
- 15 (THURSDAY) Fine cool. At Caledonia. Cut off posts set posts dig holes. At Wintemutes 3 meals.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Fine cool. At Caledonia. Dig holes set posts at Bridge. At Wintemutes 3 meals.
- 17 (SATURDAY) Fine clear. At Caledonia. Dig holes set posts at cut. At **Wintemutes** 3 meals. **Ward & Thrift** had Big row.
- 18 (SUNDAY) Cloudy misley cloudy cool. At Caledonia. To Bush gather Hickory nuts with **Dave Roblin G. Springay**. **A. Ward & F. Allingham. Albert & I** for walk. At **Wintemutes** 3 meals.
- 19 (MONDAY) Cloudy rain at night. At Caledonia. Fence at cut start at Orchard. At Wintemutes 3 meals.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Misley cloudy mild. At Caledonia. Dig Holes set posts. At **Wintemutes** 3 meals. At Court House at night. Election trial.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy cool. At Caledonia. Dig holes set posts. At **Wintemutes** 3 meals. Walk at night over Bridge & up to **Hickeys** in parlor concert with **W. Cannon**.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Clear cold. At Caledonia. Finish fence at Dump at Wintemutes 3 meals.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Clear fine. At Caledonia. Finish up fencing. Paid up at **Wintemutes** \$ 5.00 on mud train to Hamilton Stop at Walker House. Got 3 pair shoes at **O' Keefes** for \$ 4.75 paid. To Walker House all night. Cool.
- 24 (SATURDAY) Fine cool. At Hamilton. Got Breakfast at Walker House paid 50 cts. On train to Palgrave walk home. Fork straw into barn afternoon. **Lizzie & Maggie** to Orangeville. **Albert** Here at night.
- 25 (SUNDAY) Fine mild. To home. Read pick Beechnuts. **Billy Bingham** here. Dress to **Binghams** with **Billy** for tea to Palgrave in Buggy. To Church **Wass** preach. In **Toms** chat. To **Coulters** for **Billy**. Then home at 12 fine night.
- 26 (MONDAY) Fine cool. To home. Clean Barn floor put Straw in now?. To **Binghams** afternoon, haul in clove seed very cold stormy night snow.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Cloudy windy very cold. At **Binghams**. Plow in Well Field. Up home at night very cold.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Clear warm. At Binghams. Plow in Well Field.
- 29 (THURSDAY) Fine Hot. At **Binghams**. Plow in Well Field.
- 30 (FRIDAY) Clear Hot very stormy. At **Binghams**. Plow in Well Field. To Palgrave at night **Billy** & I in Buggy in **Toms Franky** & **Mag** there.

31 (SATURDAY) Cloudy rain. Fine windy. At **Binghams**. Plow till rain came on. In House sleep. Pick potatoes till night up home all night.

NOVEMBER 1891

- 1 (SUNDAY) Cloudy cold. To home. Copy into this Book from 12th till today. Operate wash dress walk to Palgrave to **Toms** with **Albert Little**. Write letter Write letter to **Mrs Walkem**? & 1 to **Harry Evans** & gave them to **Ann** to post at Palgrave. To English Church to **Toms** chat home in Buggy with **Billy Bingham**. Cold night.
- 2 (MONDAY) Clear fine. At Binghams. Plowing finish Well Field. Start to plow Potato Ground.
- 3 (TUESDAY) Cloudy mild. At **Binghams**. Plow Potato Ground. Plow out turnips. To **Allens** at night. **Miss Mallow** there.
- 4 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy cool snow at night. At **Binghams** plow out turnips. Plow out Turnip Ground. Harrow Big hill.
- 5 (THURSDAY) Clear warm. At **Binghams**. Finish plowing out Turnip Ground. Plow in Graden. Plow in Beatly Field after noon. **Billy** & I to Palgrave at night in Buggy. At **Toms**. At Station. See **Buckwell**.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Fine warm. At **Binghams**. Ground froze. At potatoes till noon. Plow in **Beatly** Field till night **Billy** & I.
- 7 (SATURDAY) Fine warm. At **Binghams**. Plow in **Beatly** Field **Billy** & I. Settle up at night \$ 7.50. To Ballycroy to Office then home.
- 8 (SUNDAY) Cloudy mild. To home. To **Binghams**. See **Billy** about going to Reaneys. To home. **W.**Shore, Frank & Maggie here today chat. I walked to Palgrave. Chat to **G. Lavery**. Ride home with Jim & Maggie. At 10.
- 9 (MONDAY) Cloudy warm. To home. Plow in flat field till noon. To **Fannings** sale ride home with **James Sloan** walk down home. To Ballycroy to Office got circular from Brown Bros Nursery. In **Bens** chat. Home clean & Bed Horses.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Cloudy misley rain S.E. wind. To home. Write letter to Brown Bros Co. Dress had dinner walk to **Owen McGoverns** Sale got colt \$ 46.00. Walk home rain tonight cool.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy mild. To **Owen McGoverns Jim** & I in Buggy for colt gave note \$ 46.00 for twelve months help **Jim** haul rails fix fence haul in turnips walk to Palgrave, post letter on train. Got \$ 25.00 from Buckwell. In **Toms Duffy** cut my hair walk home fine moonlight.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Cloudy Squaly mild. To Orangeville fair with 2 Steers sold to Folis for \$ 30.00. **Pa & Ma** over paid for post \$ 1.00. Home. To Ballycroy at night paid **J. McClelland** \$ 15.75. Got papers, home fine clear moonlight.
- 13 (FRIDAY) Cloudy squaly mild. At **S. McClellands** help **Jim** to fill & haul in 111 Bags potatoes home chore. Walk to Palgrave. To **Pettingers** with Book. To **Toms** all night sleep with **Willie**.
- 14 (SATURDAY) Cloudy cold. At Palgrave at **Toms** plow at **R.J. McClellands** to noon. Dinner at **Toms. Tom** Kill pig I walked up 6th line home. Kill little pig. Do chores. Got tea. **J Nixon** here. To Ballycroy for **J & Nixon** away.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Cloudy mild. To home. Chore. Compose. Chat. Jas Nixon here all day. Rain at night windy.

- 16 (MONDAY) Cloudy misley rain misley. To home chore write for post. To **Billy Whites** load Stones had dinner. Then home. Sign agreement to Brown Bros Co. To Palgrave Nelson in Buggy. Post letters 1 to Brown Bros Co. 1. to Brampton with \$ 2.32 in it. Insurance money. 1 to post. News. Got Buggy fixed at **Hendersons** 50 cts paid. To **Toms** for crock then home at 10?.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Cloudy Squaly snowstorm. To home. Chore. Set & file Bucksaw & handsaw. Clean out Stables & help to tie in cows & chore snow & Blow.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy Squaly cold. To home. Chore. Clean Barn floor. Fill 5 Bags? chop. **Billy Bingham**, got Harnes? & tugs. Chore **Jim** to Mill with chop. **Verner** here for taxes \$ 9.70? paid.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Clear cold. To Palgrave Nelson & Buggy. See **Tim Wilson** give him pass. Post letter on train to 125. Then home. Help **Jim** fix Pen for Sow under Stack. Clean up 20 Bushels wheat. Do chores.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Cloudy mild. To home. Chore. Fix floor & Box in Stable. Pa to Bolton to Mill 2 Bushels?. Wesley May. Martin XXXXX ??? & Billy Jug? here 20? Maggie?
- 21 (SATURDAY) Cloudy misley rain. To home. Chore. Make Box for Polly. Help Jim & Pa haul over hay. To Ballycroy for posts? 2? letters ??? for Pa & Maggie.
- 22 (SUNDAY) Cloudy misley rain all day. To home. Chore read. Operate wash. Chore. Wet day & night misty.
- 23 (MONDAY) Cloudy misty rain all day. To home. Chore. Fix halter. Sew Bridle & Shoe, oil Shoes. Chore. Bark? ??. Stable.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Cloudy squaly windy. To home. Chore. Dig drain. Split & pile wood. Chore. Pick up Yard. Clean out Pig Pen Jim plow.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Cold Squaly clear. To home. Chore. Buck saw wood. Get Board for cellar. Chore. To Ballycroy at ???. Letter from Brown Bros Co. Certificate of agency. Night got got 1 lb tea 25 cts pd. Rope 27 cts pd. Letter & paper.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Mild, fine, cloudy, rain at night. To home. Help **Jim** haul home limbs from Bush. 4 loads. Plaster Stable sell 1 Bushel oats 25 cts. Chore.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild, Squaly, snow. To home. **Jim** at **Youngs** thrashing. Chore. Fix swing Shelf in cellar. **Harry Pettinger** here tonight. Chore. Fix Single Harness Shaft (holsters?).
- 28 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold, N. air. To home. Chore. Fix trough for Salting cows. Cut wood. To Palgrave in Buggy got 2 Shoes resnom? on Nelson 20 cts pd. Get outfit today at Ballycroy & letter from 125. To **Ann Boyces** for goose & apples. To **Mrs McMahons** for Irish Stew for tea. Home in Buggy **Lizzie** XXX.
- 29 (SUNDAY) Clear, frosty, calm. To home. Chore. Dress. Walk to Palgrave to **Toms** for tea. To Church **Wass** preach in **Toms** chat. **Albert** & I walk home. Road rough.
- 30 (MONDAY) Cold & clear. To home. Chore. Compose for post. Write letter to Brown Bros. & 1 to **A. Sanderson**. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Liz**. To Station post 3 letters on train. To post. Brown Bros. **Lizzie Gower**. Post 1 in office to **Gus Sanderson**. With \$ 14.00. Give **Lindsey** 1 Doz Spectacles \$ 1.32 cts. Bring Bag apples home in Buggy. **Albert** here with cloth for XXXXX.

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- 1 (TUESDAY) Clear, mild. Jim & Billy Binghams to Harrisons Sale. To home. Chore. Help Jim haul over lock hay haul wood from Back of Barn. Fix Buggy top split wood chore.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Chore. Put Sheep in Bush fix fence. Buck wood. **Jim** at put? **Finertys** thrashing. Move Oats. Clean 80 Bushels Barley chore. Windy? at night.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild, warm. To home. Chore. Oil waggon. To Palgrave with 30 16?. 16 lbs. Barley 47 cts \$ 14.25 pd. Home. Clean Barley to Palgrave with 32 15?. 8 lbs. Barley 47 cts \$ 15. 12 cts pd. Got Barrel Salt \$ 1.25?. Post letter at **Sloans** to **S. McMinor?** for **Maggie**. Home chore. Road muddy.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, rain all day till 3:30, turn cold. Get mail & post. 2 letters from Brown Bros. 1 from **Sarah**Roberts for Maggie. To home. Chore read. To Ballycroy get ½ lb powder 2 lbs Shot? & auil? 38 cts pd.
- 5 (SATURDAY) Clear. Mild, very Stormy, S.W. wind. To home. Chore. **Willie, Rob & Oliver**. Got gun? to fowl. Shoot squirrels. To **Wm. Whites** Stone Bee afternoon. Got ticket for Hekley party?. 4 teams hauling. Home with **George & Louisa**. **Albert** here all night.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear, mild, cloudy, east Storm. Snow at night. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** chat. Home chore. **Ma** went to Palgrave to **Toms**.
- 7 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Boil potatoes. Feed up. To Ballycroy with Book. No good. Home to **Toms**. Chore. Sleighing today to Palgrave at night.
- 8 (TUESDAY) Fine, windy. At Palgrave. At **Toms**. To Station. On train to Caledon East, to See **Sanderson** not there see **Cranston** all night. To **Duncan Fergusons** for Dinner. To **Morrisons** see colt. To **Hantons** for tea. To 125 all night windy.
- My 32 Birthday 9 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. At 125. 1 & 2. Chat. To Station. On train to Palgrave to **Toms** all night.
- 10 (THURSDAY) Clear, fine, mild. At Palgrave. At **Toms**. To **Laverys** with **Minnies** Shoes. To Station post letter on train 125. To **Toms** for Dinner. Across to 8th line up to town line to Ballycroy get letter from **Sanderson** receipt to Dec 1st? 92, (home for tea) mail paper. (1? 1 from Brown Bros. & Stamps.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild, windy at night. To **Binghams** Jim & I help to cut feed. **Peet & Pa**, **Finerty**, **Rob Allen** there.
- 12 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild, very Stormy at night. To Palgrave at noon. Load ear oats. Got \$ 5.00 from **Mrs Pettinger** walk home. Cut **Albert Little** Hair & Shave line?. Lizzie came home tonight.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Palgrave Church at night. Mass & Stubbs make speech. To **Mrs McMahons** chat. To **Toms** chat. Home in Buggy, **Wass** with **Liz & Jim**.
- 14 (MONDAY) Cloudy, rain & Snow all day. To home. Chore. Compose for post. To Palgrave went down 6th line paid note to **Mrs Wilson** \$ 40.00. Got note. Walk to Palgrave. To Station post 2 letters on train. To post. 1 to Brown Bros with order. To **Toms** all night.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Squaly, rain all day. At Palgrave at **Toms** & around town. **Franey Shore** sick tonight at **Toms**. Went for **Mrs McMahon**.
- 16 (WEDNESDAY) Squaly, snow, Blustry, cold. At Palgrave at **Toms**. Across to 8th line down to **Clarks** for Dinner, Duck & christening **Mr & Mrs Mass** there. Got order \$ 3.75. To **Wm Boyces** for tea. Walk to Palgrave to **Toms** all night.

- 17 (THURSDAY) Frosty, cold, cloudy. At Palgrave. At **Toms**. Down 7th line to Silas Roadhouses, & Back to **Toms** for Dinner. To **Binghams** for tea, then home.
- 18 (FRIDAY) Cold, clear. To home. To **Kellys** to **Palmers & Whites**. Home. To Ballycroy for papers, letter from 125. & Brown Bros. Home read.
- 19 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. To home. To Mill chat to **Billy Bingham**. Home for Dinner. To Longwoods Sale with **Billy & John Young** in Sleigh. Home for tea. To Presbyterian Hall to Debate. Lady or gentleman most independent lady more.
- 20 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Read. Write 3 letters. 1 to Jenkins & Co, Barrie. 1 to 125. 1 to John McMahon, Paisley. Dress. Walk to Palgrave post letters in Box. To Church Mass & Stubbs thee Big crowd. Billy Bingham here today George Evans came for him. To Toms chat see Frank Shore. Walk home with Albert.
- 21 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Through Bush to **Sullivans** to **Locklaus**?. Mack for Dinner. Down 4th line then cross to **Lyon Wilsons**. Down 5th line across to Palgrave by reels. Post letter on train to Brown Bros. Got ride to Ballycroy with **J Innis** in Buggy. Walk home.
- 22 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley, fine. To home. Pack valise. Up to 4th line. Across by **Mays** to 3rd. Down to **Crawfords** all night **Micks**? there.
- 23 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, rain, mild. Down 3rd line to **Bibles**. Across side road to **Haragases** for Dinner. To **Brackens** for tea. To Caledon East with **Dan**, **Jim** & **Sarah Ann**. On train to Palgrave to **Toms** all night, girls there **Mag** & **Frank**.
- 24 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, misty, mild. To Palgrave at **Toms**. Help **Tom** fix Stable. (Got 50 cts from **S**. **McClelland**. At Barn?) Walk up home. Wash dress walk to Palgrave with **Billy Bingham** to Hall to Church to Station. **Mealey Faulkner** & **Sarah Mullen**? came to **Toms**. To tea party 11? good. To **Toms**. Then walk home with **Billy** & **Albert** at 2:50? misty?.
- 25 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, misty, mild. To home, chore. Jim went to Palgrave for Tom Ann & family & Mealy Faulkner & Sarah Jane Mullen. Goose for dinner. To Palgrave in waggon at night got home at 2 o'clock. Roads muddy. Billy Bingham with us. Bill Lindsay & Wesley McMahon at Toms.
- 26 (SATURDAY) Clear, cloudy, sold. To home. Sew **Lizzies** Shoes. Walk to P.V. at night, To Station to **Toms** chat **Will Coulter** there at **Toms** all night (1. 2. 3.) Cold night.
- 27 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. Walk home from PV. Chat to **Billy** in Stable. Home. Sleep. Wash dress. Walk to Palgrave with **Billy Bingham**. To Church, **Wass** preach. Downtown after Church had sing chat. Stop all night. With **Will Lindsay**. **Liz & Sarah Mullen** (1) there.
- 28 (MONDAY) Cool, cloudy. Walk home from Palgrave. Compose for post. Write letter to Brown Bros. Dress walk to Palgrave **Willie Faulkner** & I. Got ride with wagoner. To Temperance Hall at Nomination hear Speeches. Compose for post in Store. Post 4 letters & card on train. **S.J. McMullen** & **Lizzie Ann Faulkner** went to Alliston tonight. To **Toms** with **Lizzie** & **Franey**. Chat **Tom** vexed? fell down stairs walk home with **N.N.**?. 122.
- 29 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. To home. In Bush help Jim to saw wood. Pa at McElwains thrashing, to Bed at Seven tonight.
- 30 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cold. To home. In Bush help **Jim** saw wood. To **Wm Boyce's** party at night time got home at 3:40.

31 (THURSDAY) Fine, cloudy, cold, squaly. To home sleep till 10 o'clock. To Ballycroy Maggie & I in Buggy got coal oil Big can to Palgrave & Back Annie Stevens up with us. To Bush pile & Split wood. Tom here. Dress walk to Palgrave with Tom gave Pulford \$ 5.00 for Bob Lavery. To Station to 125 all night Conner there.

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- 2 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At 125, to Station at 7. To PV on train. Got ride with **O. Pettit**. Walk home. In Bush afternoon. **Albert** here & **Tom**. Pile wood.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, snow, frosty. To home. Write letter to 125. Shave **Albert**. Dress walk to Palgrave to Church **Wass** preach. Walk home with **Rob Allen Violey & Maggie Mellow**. Road rough home at 10.
- Election 4 (MONDAY) Fine, clear, cold. To home. Write letter to **J.S. Russell** for \$ 1.00 worth of views. To Palgrave to election vote for **Hanna**. 222 Reeve. **Burton Duputy Reeve** 63. **White** 3 conncillors 2 **Evans** 86. **Harper** 51. To Station post letter on train (to **J.S. Russell** with 1.00 in it). Get news Home with **Billy Bingham** walking (in **Bradleys** chat).
- 5 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Help Jim & Pa clear 10 ½ Bush Barley. Tom here. Put oats in Ben? of floor Bush 125. Chore. S. Campbell? & M. Lindsey? here for tea.
- 6 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, Snowy all day. To home. Chore. **Sam Campbell** here. To Ballycroy **Sam** & I got sleigh ride with Mrs **Tom Sullivan** & **Fred Burrell**. To office got 16 views & letter from **J.S. Russell**, to **Cobeans**?. To **Binghams** for tea **Sam** Stop there all night. Walk home snowing. Write Fannys letter & court scene to bed at 12.
- 7 (THURSDAY) Clear, very cold. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** Nelson & Cutter. Put Nelson in Stable. To Bolton with **Billy** in Sleigh with grist (**Sam Campbell** to Palgrave with us). Got Bouquet 25 cts. Home in cutter (**Pa** at **Kellys** cut feed). Water & feed horses cold night (**Jim** with **Tom** at **McGuries**).
- 8 (FRIDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Split wood at house. Drive Liz to Ballycroy & back in cutter. Got Shirt in **Cobeans** 14? &? 75 cts pd. Chore.
- 9 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy get 2 yds? Duck. Black paint & spool. Home for tea dress to Palgrave in cutter with **Will Lindsey & Sam Campbell**. To **Proff Brush's** show at **Tracys**? 15 cts pd. To **Toms** all night.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear, mild. At Palgrave at **Toms**. To English Church. To **Toms** for Dinner **Pa & Ma** there for goose to **Mrs McMahons** for tea. **Mr Lindsey** from Erin there. To Church. **Wass** preach. Walk home with **Mary & Violey** home at 11:30? **Allens** chat.
- 11 (MONDAY) Cloudy, snow, mild. To **Binghams** thrashing clover Baxter. Home wash. **Albert** there.
- 12 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild, fine. To Orangeville with **Pa** in sleigh with 3 pigs sold to **Flemming** at 2.31 lbs at 5.15 = \$ 11.98? pd. **Maggie** to Mono Mills with us to get tooth pulled. Got Hair cut. 15. Old maid. 25?. Hair oil. 25. Anneilage?. 10. Whip lash. 15?. Rubbers. 65. Dinner. 25. Hossack? Sermons. 10. Home at 6. To **Binghams** to **Allans Billy** & I chat to 11:40 fine night.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. To Ballycroy. Post outfit to Brown Bros 18 cts prilage?. Got vinegar 7 cts. Salmon. 30. Pitcher 12. 2 letters for **Pa** home. Read operate.

- Maggies Birthday Party 20 14 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Squaly, fine. To home. Cut up 5 pigs Salt it & pack in cellar. Chore. Help Liz to make Sandwiches for party. Mr & Mrs Boyce. Clayte? & Mary Ann Boyce. Tom & Dick Wolfe. Mrs McMahon. Will Lindsey Sam Campbell Will Coulter. Frank Shore & Susy?. Nettie Zimmerman. Violey? & Mary Allan. Maggie Mellow. Billy Bingham. Albert Little. To Bed at 3 o'clock. Fine night good time. Moonlight.
- 15 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear, cold. To home. Chore. Split wood. Pa & Jim to Bolton today. With Barley 42 cts & potatoes 40 cts. For Shorts? 500 lbs \$ 4.00.
- 16 (SATURDAY) Fine, cold, clear. To home. Chore. Split wood. To Ballycroy got Spirits turpentine 8 cts pd. Got card from Brown Bros. Home chore.
- 17 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Read. Write letter to 125. Dress walk to **Binghams**. To Palgrave in our Sleigh to Church. **Tom Snell preach**. To **Mrs McMahons** chat sing. **Rob Allan & Willie Faulkner** here today. **Dick Wolfe & Nettie Zimmerman there**. **Dick** home with us, &. **Rob Allan & Violey? & Mary**.
- 18 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. Snow, cold. To home. Chore. Cut turnips. Write 4 pages for post. To Palgrave. Post letter on train to post. Castlederg tea meeting? Tonight. And card to Brown Bros Co. In **Mrs McMahons**. Got lemon & liniment, spool & cloves. To **Toms** chat. Had tea got ride up home with **Billy Bingham** at 12:30 cold night.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, very cold, North Storm, clear. To home. Chore. **Jones** here got 2 pails Butter, chore. Very cold clear to Kellys chat to? 10.
- 20 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Rob & Mary away. Split wood. Chore. Liz Maggie & I to Allens tonight first time. Billy Bingham & Johanna Curran there.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Stormy. Fine, clear. To home. Chore. Help Jim clean out Barn floor put out wagon put in cutter chore.
- 22 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Help **Pa & Ma** to clean 28 Bush. Wheat. Put trough in Pig pen. Mean? pigs. Hurt Back.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Squaly, snow. Fine. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy for papers. Home chore. Split wood. Jim to Bolton today with 28 Bushels wheat at 86 cts per Bushel. \$ 24.08 gave Extense \$ 5.00.
- 24 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Operate wash, dress. To **Binghams** afternoon to Palgrave with **Billy** to Church in cutter. **Wass** preach. Got ride home with **Youngs** in Sleigh. At 9:30? cooler.
- 25 (MONDAY) Clear, mild. Squaly, Stormy night, cold. To home. Chore. Fix martingales. Dress to Alliston in Sleigh with **Tom**, to **Jim Mullins** for tea. Put horses at **Booths**. In foundry? chat to **Joe Faulkner**. At **Jims** all night.
- 26 (TUESDAY) Snowing & Blowing. At Alliston (1) had? up **Toms** Stuff Start home, fed in Tottenham then to Palgrave. Very stormy & cold today. Then home at 7:20?.
- 27 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. **Maggies** Brooch in pump. Chore. Thaw out pump. To **Binghams** at night. V & M. there. To 32, with **Billy** chat then home at 1 o'clock. Sleep downstairs **Albert** here.
- 28 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Shave Albert. Split wood. Chore. To Kellys at night chat. Mild.

- 29 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild, cloudy. To home. Help **Ma & Pa** to fill 14 Bags potatoes load on Sleigh. **Jim & Pa** to Bolton with potatoes chore. Shoot squirrel. To Bush with gun. **M.? M.?** there right? away. To 32 chat snowfall. To **Sullivans** for Charlie & Polly. **Lawrence Coulter & Willie Faulkner** came home with them.
- 30 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Chore. Help Jim fill 7 Bags oats & 1 of peas for chop. Split wood. Chore. To Bush afternoon with Lawrence Coulter. Willie Faulkner. & Rob Allan Shoot squirrels. To Ballycroy for post, home chore.
- 31 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine, warm. To Palgrave in cutter with Maggie to quarterly meeting Wass preach. Home for dinner Albert Little, Rob Allan. Tom Wolfe & Will Clarke here. I went to Shiloah at night with Nettie Zimmerman. James Bible held prayer meeting home at 11 o'clock.

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- 1 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. To home. Help to fill 15 Bags potatoes. & bag? Them on Sleigh Pa & Jim took them to Bolton. Chore. Compose for post. Chore. To Palgrave to Station post letter on train to post. To **Toms** all night. Sleep with **Old Mick**.
- Old **Mrs Innis** died today 2 2 (TUESDAY) Cloudy. Snow all day. At Palgrave, at **Toms**. At Station. In store. Got ride home with **Billy Young** in Sleigh. Snow, very hard, calm. To home. Had Dinner write sleep till tea. Read. Grease Boots.
- 3 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine, mild. To home. Chore. Shovel snow very Deep. Pick apples in cellar. Empty chop. Help Pa & Ma to clean 2 ½ Bushels wheat. Chore. Jim to Bolton with 18 Bags potatoes. Missionary collectors here today. Tom & Ella Lyons & Aggie McCoy.
- 4 (THURSDAY) Clear, cool. To home. Chore. Help Jim to load 10 Bags wheat & 1 Bag of turnips on Sleigh. Fix Rug frame put in rug. Jim & Pa to Bolton with 23 Bush of wheat at 86 cts \$ 19.78. Mrs Innis Buried today. Start rug dog. In centre. To Ballycroy at night get 2 letters & Mail paper. In Cobeans. Bob Lavery & Mcintyre there.
- 5 (FRIDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. Rug in house. Fix gate. Chore. **Albert Little** here. **Lizzie Ann Faulkner** & **Mabel McMahon** here tonight. Play Old Maid.
- 6 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Chore. **Jim** to Bolton with 2 cord wood to weaver. Rug in house. **Mabel McMahon** & **Lizzie Ann Faulkner** here.
- 7 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, Squaly. Rain at night. To home. Chore. Dress. Shave **Albert**. Then **Albert** & I went to **Tom Sirs**. Old Billhorse & **Jack Cobeans** cutter. **Albert** took **Violey? & Mary Allen** home in cutter. Back home for tea. To Palgrave **Long** preach missionary Sermon wet night.
- 8 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Ann & Minnie came up in cutter with Jim. Rug in house. Help Jim & Pa to clean 18 ½ Bushels wheat. Chore. Fix fence at gate.
- 9 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Chore. Rug in house. To Mono Mills at night to Concert with Charlie. **Jim** to Bolton today with grist 18:50 lbs?. 5 X for **Tom**. No Bran. Ride home with **Sam**. **Albert Little** in cutter home at 12.
- 10 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold, South wind. To home. Rug in house. Help Jim Break in Charlie colt first time. To Ballycroy in Sleigh to **Binghams** see **Billy**. Break in Charlie Colt. Home rug. Write letter for **Albert** to **Eliza Hadden**.

- 11 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Squally. Clear, cold. To Orangeville Fair. With **Billy Bingham** in cutter with Maud. Big crowd. Get glycerine 10 cts handkerchiefs 5 for 25 cts. Hair cut 15 cts. Pens 4 3 cts. Pick? apples 15 cts. Home at 7:30.
- 12 (FRIDAY) Clear, very cold. **Willie Faulkner** came here tonight, very cold night. Road shifted. To home. Finish rug, clip it. To **Binghams** with **Jim** for Cutting Box. Stop & help **Billy** clip Maud.
- 13 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine, cold. To home. Help Pa & Willie to cut feed. Shovel snow. Split wood. In Bush Shooting with Willie Faulkner & Rob Allan. Willie & Jim went home with Rob Allan tonight. Home chore. Shave Albert Little. Jim to Bolton with 1 cord wood to Elliott. The Shoemaker.
- 14 (SUNDAY) Fine, cloudy, snow, Stormy. To home. Write letter to 125 put in valentine. Fix 2 valentines 1 for **Dick St John** and 1 for Mass, M.?A, walk to Palgrave English Church **Thompson** preach. Post 3 letters at Palgrave tonight in Box?. To **Toms** for tea, to Methodist Church at night **Wass** preach. Walk to No? 32, with **Billy Bingham**. With **V? & Rob**. Snow deep. Chat walk home.
- 15 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Compose 3 pages for post. Walk to Palgrave post letter on train. To **Laverys** see **Pulford?** About tow?. Going? on rack?. To **Toms** all night. **Maggie & Susy? Shore** there. **Toms** XXX at night? place.
- 16 (TUESDAY) Clear & cold. At Palgrave till afternoon. Get ride up home with **Bill Minock?** in cutter. Boil on neck chore to night.
- 17 (WEDNESDAY) Clear & cold. To home. Chore. Cut feed. **Kelly's** cutting Box & **McElwains** power. Cut afternoon. **Tom Faulkner & Rob Allan** here all night. **Herbert Bolton** call here. Going to Mono Mills. **Kelly's & Binghams** horses & our barn.
- 18 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Finish cutting feed. Cut Sheaf? oats. **Rob Boyce** here for tea. **Rob Allan** here all night. I. Had Boil on neck very Sore.
- 19 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, snow afternoon, mild. To home. In house all day, Boil on neck. Very sore. Broke today.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. In house. Boil on neck. Got letter from **John** today. **Pa** to Oville today.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild, thawing. To home. Boil on neck. **Jim & Ma** to **Jagnes? Daroaks** today. **Liz** came home tonight from XXXXXX.
- 22 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** help to fill 40 Bags potatoes. Home dress. Start at 7 o'clock? to Toronto with **Billy**, **Jim** left us to top Bolton Hill. We left Bolton at eleven. Fed at Holness? at 3 o'clock?.
- 23 (TUESDAY) Mild, cloudy. At Peacock? At 5:30 got waggon at Carleton. 36 Bags at 50 cts per Bag. 4 Bags at 45 cts. Sold potatoes. Down Northcote?. Fed horses Lowrys Livery Stable Gladstone Ave. Had Dinner at Goulds Private Boarding House. Northcote? Ave. Start for home at 4:50? left wagon at Carleton got Sleigh. Fed at Holmes had supper there then drove right home without stopping. Home at 3 o'clock.
- 24 (WEDENSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Sleep till 3 o'clock afternoon. **Agness Reaney & Willie Cobean** married today at Palgrave. Get up neck very Sore. **Billy** Bring Bags & Sleigh home.
- 25 (THURSDAY) Misty, mild. To home. In house sore neck. Write letter to **John**. Sent it to Palgrave with **Tom**. **Jim** took **Tom** home in cutter.

- 26 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear. To home. **Willie** came from? XXXXX. Chore. Split wood. Chore. **A. Little** got Sleigh & rack to go to Oville for egg Boxes.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine. To home. **Willie** here today & night. Chore. In Bush with **Tom Jim & Pa**. I left **Tom** home with Nelson & cutter. Split pile & saw hemlock?.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Misty, mild. To home. Chore. Dress to Palgrave Church with **Lizzie** in cutter. **Wass** preach. **Albert Little** drive **Violey & Mary Allen** home. Then up here change clothes.
- 29 (MONDAY) Misley, snow, mild. To home. Split wood. Help Jim & Pa to clean 20 Bushels wheat, write for post long letter. Dress. Walk to Palgrave. Post letter on train to post in Sleigh. Got ride home with Alex McElwain.

MARCH 1892

- 1 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear, cold. To home. Help **Jim** unload 9 Bags wheat on Sleigh. Cut potatoes for cows. Clear? out horse Stable. In Bush afternoon with **Tom** cut wood. Write letter for **Albert** tonight to **Elizabeth? Hadden**. **Jim & Pa** in Bolton with 20 Bush 45 lbs wheat at 88 cts per Bushel. \$ 18.26.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. To home. In Bush Saw wood with **Tom**. **Jim & Pa** Split & pile.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. Jim got Binghams Nell mare. To home. In Bush. Saw wood with Toms. Pa out? split & pile. Jim & Lizzie went to Bolton with 17 Bags potatoes 35 per Bag. \$ 5.95.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Put on load wood. In Bush saw wood with **Tom**. **Jim** haul wood to Palgrave 3 loads? Franky & Maggie Shore & **Willie Faulkner** here. **Maggie Lizzie Jim**, and all out on hill Sleigh? ride. Play old maid.
- 5 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. In Bush. Saw Split & pile wood. **Tom** & I. **Maggie** & **Franey Shore** here?.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear. To Hockley? with **Albert Little**. To English Church. Had dinner at **Tom**? Sirs. And tea at **Dick Robins**. **Emana Sirs** went to **Robins** with us. **Sadie**? Back to **Robin's**? **Sirs**?.
- 7 (MONDAY) Fine, clear, hot. At **Binghams** cutting feed. To Ballycroy, got letter for **Maggie** see **J. Me** about pails.
- Oyster Supper 8 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. Rain, sleet, snow. To W. J. Pettits with Jim & Tom. To Palgrave for pails &? Sugar & goods for J. McClelland. Got 18 small pails & 8 Big pails from him. Got Toms sugar Kettle at Palgrave home make? Spoils. Fix Bridle. Chore. To Palgrave at night to Oyster Supper. With Lizzie & Maggie. Home at ??? Rev Mr Pierson of Orangeville there very good time. Wolfe's? Sing.
- 9 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. To Mill with 7 Bags oats get chopped. Home. Make Spoils. W.T.S. **Lindsey** here. Colt to Bush tap 21 trees. Chore.
- 10 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool, Squaly. To John Chapmans for 5 Bushels peas & 6 Bushels Barley (60 cts per Bushel \$ 3.00 pd. 50 cts per Bush \$ 3.00 pd. Home. Chore to Bush, gather sap & turn down pails. Haul sap home. Haul 3 loads' wood home. Chore. Write letter? to 125. Write here. **George McMahon** here today. & old spectacle peddler. Cold night.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold, N.W. wind. To home. Haul home wood from Bush. To Palgrave at night **Lizzie & Maggie** to Social. Small crowd. Home at 12 o'clock.

- 12 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, snow. Fine, cold. To home. Fix Single Harness. Haul 2 load wood. Chore. **Albert** Brought up mare. Snowing all night??.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Dress. Drive to 125 11 & 2. With **Alberts** mare & our cutter. Stop for tea chat had up tip below the Church. Big time. Met Butcher (**Mike**). Up 7th line to town line from No. 50?, home at 1:15 very cold night, clear.
- 14 (MONDAY) Cloudy, Blustry, very cold. At **W. S. McElwains** thrashing finished? at 4:30. Home **J. Gilmore** here **Jim** 25 cts 25 cts.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, snow, cold. To home. Saw wood in Bush with **Jim**. Move Straw in Barn. Write letter for Albert tonight to. Say Boss. Dolly cow calve tonight. **Teddy White**. Write out raffle for a store. **Jim** & **Billy Bingham** at 32? tonight.
- Note Due Nov 16 1892 16 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear, cold. To home. In Bush saw wood with Jim. To Charles Norris Sale got wagon \$ 35.00 gave Nate 8 months. To Wm Boyces for tea Liz & Maggie there. To Palgrave to Store then home 7:30.
- 17 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear, cool. To Palgrave get 2 Shoes removed on Nelson at **Hendersons** get rag hook for **Liz**. To **Norris's** for wagon haul it home on Sleigh. Help **Jim & Pa** to cover it up. Wash at night.
- 18 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold, rine falling all day. To home. In Bush cut wood with **Jim** forenoon. Split & pile & carry home half dozen pails from Bush. **Billy Bingham** came with me with saw stop till 11 at night (**Billy** get our chain tonight). Chore. **Jim** (at **McElwains** cut feed afternoon.
- 19 (SATURDAY) Fine, cloudy, squaly. To home. In Bush afternoon saw wood with **Tim & Jim**. **Albert Little** here tonight put his mare in far Stable. Shave him. **Jim** took **Tom** to Palgrave in cutter. **Billy Bingham** cut maple sawlogs & haul them.
- 20 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Wash dress, to Orangeville with **Albert Little** to **Mrs Haddans?** for Dinner & tea. In **John Watsons** for a while chat. Gto there at 1 left at 7:30 got home at 9:30. Roads drifted. Very cold night, calm.?
- 21 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. To **McElwains** see **Alick** about cistern. Post letter tonight to 125 in drop?, home at 12. Home in Bush saw wood to Palgrave at night with **Tom** in cutter.
- 22 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild, sleet, rain, S. wind. In **Binghams** swamp with **Jim** & **Tom** cut cedar. **Tom** walk home tonight. Logs for cistern.
- 23 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, squaly, snow, mild. To **Binghams** for Sleigh haul out- 8? cedar logs to Mill, poles home. To **Binghams** help them to load 5 pine logs cut 2 maple logs. Stop for supper. Bring home horses & & Sleigh. Snowing.
- 24 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear. To Palgrave with load of wood & 2 Bags potatoes to **Tom**. Home Dinner. To G. Evans sale with **Jim** in cutter.
- 25 (FRIDAY) Clear, very warm, squaly forenoon. To home. Chore, get Basswood Board to fix dashboard. Work in cookhouse at Dashboard. In Bush turn up pails sap run at **Sullivans**. See pump.
- 26 (SATURDAY) Clear, warm. To home. In Bush make sap troughs. Put in new pump. Gather sap. Haul out. Wood into field.

- 27 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild, fine. To home. Read sleep. Lizzie & Maggie walk to Palgrave, Billy Bingham here afternoon. Him & I walk to Palgrave Church Wass preach. We walked to No 32 (Jim there), stop to 12 then home.
- 28 (MONDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Clean dinig? & ice away from pump. To Bush gather 8 pails Sap into Kettles. Jim haul plank from **Billy Whites** on wagon. Tap 9 trees. Home for tea. Then to **Binghams** for chain. Chat to **Billy**. Home at nine? (roads very Bad.
- 29 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. To Bush haul wood to camp. Fix up place to Boil Sap. Haul out wood. Creek up. Cut wood at camp. Gather sap. **Rob & Oliver Allen** here tonight. **Albert** here wrote letter to his uncle **Robert Little**.
- 30 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. **Tom** & I fill 2 Bags oats & peas & 7 Bags oats for chop. Start to Build new curb in well. **Tom** here help **Jim** to Windlass?. **Lizzie & Maggie** in Bush Start to Boil sap, **Tom** walk home to Palgrave tonight.
- 31 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Work in well putting in curb. **Tom** here help **Jim** to Windlass?. **Liz** walk to Palgrave & Back this forenoon. **Maggie** in Bush Boil Sap. **Lizzie** help her afternoon?. **Tom** walk home to Palgrave tonight.

APRIL 1892

- 1 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Work in well at curb up to top?. **Tom** here. Walk home. To P.V..
- 2 (SATURDAY) Warm, very Stormy, W. wind. To home. Clean out well. Put cedar around and put on platform. Clean up. To Bush gather sap. Home chore. **Jim** took **Tom** to Palgrave in wagon. With chop oats potatoes & **Barrel Will** came up.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Write letter to 125. Dress walk to Palgrave at night **Willie** & I to Church **Wass** preach. No choir. **George Lavery** & I for dive on dog cart. At **Toms** all night **Albert Little & George Hamilton** in **Toms** Sleep with **Mick Lizzie** Maggie there, to??.
- 4 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. At Palgrave. At **Toms**. To **Sloans** got Stamps 25 cts pd. To Station post letter on train to 125. See **Tim Wilson**. In **Mrs McMahons** chat. **Lizzie & Maggie** & I. Walk home at noon. To Ballycroy with maple syrup to **J. McClelland**. Got cottonade & other things & Hat \$ 3.15 paid. Home. (**Billy Bingham** in Bush cut wood) Help to ring old pig. To Bush help **Lizzie & Maggie** (Boil sap home at 9:15.
- 5 (TUESDAY) Misty, cloudy, very Stormy W. Wind. To home. In Bush cut wood with **Jim**. **Billy Wilson & Billy Bingham** top Blew of Stack. **Jones** here today for Eggs & Butter. Warm & windy tonight. To Bed at 8 o'clock.
- **A.J. Roberts** 2 years old 6 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool, windy. To home. In Bush, cut wood with **Jim**. To Ballycroy at night with dried apples. Got 3 ½ cottonade & 3 ½ ticking for smock 99 cts paid. **Albert** home with me. Write letter for him to Say Boss. Operate.
- 7 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Chore. To Palgrave with **Billy Bingham** in wagon. For plaster. With harrow pins to **Henderson**. Left them. Get **Coulter**. **Jim** Start to cultivate today. Get Smock pattern at **Toms**. Home for dinner. To Whites saw mill rip lumber for gates. **McElwain** start rolls today. To Tottenham in Buggy with **Billy**. Get our Hair cut. See steam shovel at Black Horse. Home at 8:30 cool.
- 8 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. Rain, cold. To home. Clean out hen house & whitewash it, to Bush gather Sap, to **Binghams**, make 3 gates home at night cool, clear.

- 9 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold, North wind. At **Binghams** make 3 gates hang 2. Home. Dress to Palgrave in Buggy. To Station. To **Toms** for **Mother**. Home. **Albert** here shave him. **S.J. McMullen** came to **Toms** tonight.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Read Sleep. Dress. Back through Bush to 32 chat. To **Binghams** for tea, to Palgrave in Buggy with **Billy**, to Church **Wass** preach. Dick sing. To **Toms** chat. Chat there Lizzie. Maggie. S. J. McMullen. Bob George & Bill Lavery. Bill Duffy Albert Little Billy Bingham & I, home at 12:45.
- 11 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To Palgrave with **Jim** in wagon. Help **Tom** to move to Cedar Mills, stop all night help **Tom** set up 3 Beds. **S. J. McMullen** at **Toms**. (1. 2. 3. 4.). **Jim** had **Kellys** fly mare.
- 12 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear, mild. At Cedar Mills. At **Toms**. Rig Banisters around Stairs. Putty glass in window. Put up curtains. **S. J. McMullen** there. 1/? X 2. 3. **Tom** went to Palgrave for clock. & nails.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. At Cedar Mills. Walk to Palgrave post letter on up train to **J. J. McMullen** got ride home with **David McElwain**. In Bush gather sap. Help **Billy Bingham** hang 2 gates. Haul in 15 logs to mill. **Jim** to Bolton today in Buggy. To Bush gather sap. Got Barrell full and 2 Kettles. Home for tea.
- 14 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Help to fill & load 23 Bags potatoes. At 30 cts per Bag. Jim took them to Bolton in Bush Boil sap. Rob Allen there. At Youngs sawing Bee afternoon 17 there. Home to Bush. Willie came up with Jim tonight. Billy Bingham & Mrs Wilson to Orangeville fair. Help Mother home with syrup.
- Good Friday 15 (FRIDAY) Clear, cool. To home. In Bush. Boil sap gather sap, tap 3 trees. **Willie Faulkner Rob & Oliver Allen** Shooting. **Willie** went to **Allens** tonight. **Albert Little** here at night on mare Back. Cold night.
- 16 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine, cool. To home. In Bush, Boil sap till noon. To **Wm Whites** sawing Bee afternoon to Ballycroy, home.
- Easter eat 7 eggs today 17 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Eat 4 eggs to breakfast. To Bush with Willie Faulkner. Rob & Oliver Allen Boil eggs & I eat 2. To No 32 chat Dinner. To Binghams chat to Billy. Home tea dress. Walk to Palgrave with Lizzie & Maggie. Snell preach, walk home. Albert here. S. J. McMullen & Minnie came here tonight.
- 18 (MONDAY) Cool, fine. To home. In Bush Boil sap. All day. Rob & Oliver Allen & Willie there. S. J. here.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Fine, warm. To home. In Bush Boil sap to 4 o'clock. Home dress. Sell shoes to **S. J. McMullen** \$ 1.25 pd. ,1,2,. To Ballycroy. To **Binghams** home at 12:30?.
- 20 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. To Kaywood Mills with Jim Nelson & Charlie on wagon for chop. See rolls. Home help Jim clean manure from home. Jim start to sow peas in Flat Field today. Jim harrow Charlie. Fix at Dashboard. To Ballycroy get 3 Bolts 5 cts pd. & 1 pineapple 20 cts pd. Home. To McElwains to meet Lizzie & S. J. McMullen. Home with them. Eat pineapple to Bed at 11:30?.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, rain, misty. To home. In Bush finish Boiling sap. Carry pials & Barrel into field. Home finish Dashboard paint it. **Jim** finish sowing peas & sow some oats in Flat Field. Rain. Chat to **S. J. McMullen** in parlor. **Margey & Annie McElwain** here evening. Play old maid at night.
- 22 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, fine, cool. To home to Bush Jim & Pa for 2 Kettles 1 Barrel 20 pails. To Ballycroy with Liz in wagon Bring 20 pails to Ballycroy. Home hang gate Make gate. To Kellys for Brace & Bit. To Palgrave

- down 6 line See **T. Beasly Wilson** not on. **S. J. McMullen** went home went home tonight. To Ballycroy. Get 3 hooks & Staples 15 cts pd. Got post. Got letter for Maggie from Sarah 2 cards in it.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear, windy, cool. To Whites with Jim put 8 cedar logs on Skidway. Chat to Billy Bingham in field. Home hang gate. S. Kelly here at noon cut 2 pigs. To Orangeville with Billy Bingham in Buggy. Home at 7:40. Billy Stop for tea chat to 10 o'clock. Albert Little here I shaved him. Read letter Say Bros.
- 24 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Read Sleep. Dress. To Palgrave at night to Church **Wass** preach. Post letter to 125. Walk home with **Rob Allan & Violey?**. Cold night, hard ice tonight.
- 25 (MONDAY) Fine, cool. To home help Jim to haul cedar logs & Shingle shavings from Whites Mill. Home afternoon change gate. Fix fence up to gates. Jim roll Barley. Jim got new Shoes tonight at \$ 1.10 Ballycroy.
- 26 (TUESDAY) Clear, hot. To home. Finish fixing fence at gates pick up. Rip lumber & make pine gate afternoon **Mrs Irwin** & family here this evening. Easter cow calved this morning. **Jim** & **Albert** for drive tonight.
- 27 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild, rain a little. To home, hang pine gate & fix fence. **Albert Little** here tonight I cut his hair & write letter for him to say Boss. Write letter to **Lettie McMahon**. To Bed at 12:45 warm night left Jack & Polly out tonight.
- 28 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Stormy, clear, W. wind. To Ballycroy with 10 Doz eggs. \$ 1.10 Due Bill. Walk to Palgrave to Station see **Wilson** walk Back to Ballycroy, put gloves 15 cts in letter for **Lettie McMahon**. Home for dinner. Sleep to **Kellys** with Brace & Bit. Fill potatoes. Play.
- 29 (FRIDAY) Cold, clear. To home. Clean oats. Over to Wilsons chat to **Billy**. Home for dinner. Fix fence to **Binghams** help **Billy** fill potatoes. To Ballycroy got post. Home with **Willie** for tea. Fix old gate over at middle fence, **Willie** here all night. Operate.
- **Lettie.** 11. Today 30 (SATURDAY) Cold, cloudy, fine, hot, cloudy. To home, **Willie** & I hang gate. To Palgrave Parcel for **Lizzie**. To Station. See Buckwell. Get Braces at **Mrs McMahons** 25 cts pd. Get ride home in wagon with Will Stephens got letter for **Maggie** from **S. J. McMullen**. Help **Jim** to put away Sleigh & pull down pig pen under Stack. Shave **Albert** read chore.

MAY 1892

- 1 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild, warm, cloudy. To Orangeville with **Albert Little**. To **Haddens**. Our Buggy & his mare put mare in **Leesons** Stable. Procession on street. Band afternoon. Got home at 9:30 fine, warm night good. Roads.
- 2 (MONDAY) Cloudy, rain, misty. Walk to Palgrave on train to Lisle. Start to fence. At Hunters (Hotel) 1 meal.
- 3 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, showry, fine. At Lisle fence. Start to wire. At Hunters 3 meals.
- 4 (WEDENSDAY) Fine, clear, cool. At Lisle. Fence. At Hunters 3 meals. **Frank Prest** & I at prayer meeting at Methodist at night.
- 5 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, rain, cool. At Lisle. Fence. Write letter to 125 at night. At Hunters 3 meals.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Lisle. Fence. Move logs? at Hunters 3 meals.

- 8 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Sleep, read. Write letter to 125. Chore. Dress walk to Palgrave to Methodist Church with **Billy Young Mr Foncar** preach. **Billy** & I walk home with. **Violet**. **Mary & Rob Allen**. Fine moonlight night.
- 9 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Lisle. Finish fence there. On Jigger? to Everett, got our own Jigger there. Came to Beeton on Jigger left tool Box South. At **Groses** Hotel 1 meal.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, warm. At Beeton. Start on fence on **Tom Youngs** Section. At **Groses** Hotel 3 meals. At **Billy Mullens?** chat to Office get letter from 125.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Rain, cloudy, misley. At Beeton. Fence all day, at **Groses** 3 meals.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Fine, cool. At Beeton. Fence. At Groses 3 meals. At James Warrens chat.
- 13 (FRIDAY) Clear & Hot. At Beeton. Fence. At Groses 3 meals. Wilson & Gilchrist walk down track.
- 14 (SATURDAY) Sultry, Hot, cloudy. At Beeton. Fence at Section No. XX. At **Groses** 2 meals, paid him up to date \$ 2.25 on train to Palgrave, Walk home. Shave **Albert Little**. **Maggie** walk to Palgrave tonight.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, rain, warm. To home. Had bad cold. Write letter to Lettie. Wash chore. Operate.
- 16 (MONDAY) Fine, hot. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Beeton. Fence. At **Warrens** chat. At **Groses** 1 meal. Post letter on train. To **Lettie**.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Clear, hot. At Beeton. Finish fence. Pay **Grose** 45 cts. Move to Tottenham start to fence on **Geesons** see No. 90. Get Hair cut 15 cts pd. At **Mrs Walkhams** 1 meal.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, Hot. At Tottenham. Fence. At **Mrs Walkhams** 3 meals. Lacrosse match. **Billy Bingham** there at night. Get his hair cut.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Cloudy. Rain. At Tottenham. Finish fence. Paid **Mrs Walkham** 90 cts. Move to Georgetown on Jigger got wet. Write letter to **Tom Coulter** at night. At **Frank Allinghams** 1 meal.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. At Georgetown. Start to fence on Spences Section No. 84. At **Allinghams** 2 meals. **Alex Harry** & I walk down town tonight.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Rain all day. Paid up at Allinghams 90 cts. At Stewarton all day idle. To Palgrave on train. To **Coulters** for tea **Billy Bingham** there. Ride home with **Billy**. To Orgate Bars?. Got ride up home with **John Armstrong Albert Little** & **Willie Faulkner** here all night.
- 22 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, misley. To home. Sleep, read, dress, walk to Palgrave to Church **Smith & Rutherford** lecture Sabbath School. & Steel. Ride home in Buggy with **Jim & Maggie** from **Ben Rolleys** gate. **Will Campbell** at Church.
- 23 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley. To Palgrave Charlie in Buggy with Jim. On train to Stewarton fence. To Frank Allinghams 1 meal. Cut Franks hair. Polly McDonald there.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Georgetown, fence below Stewarton. At **Allinghams** 3 meals. **Alex Coulter** sick Down town at night get 2 post cards. Allen went home on train & Came Back on Down train.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, rain at night. At Georgetown fence below Stewarton. At **Allinghams** 3 meals.

- 26 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Georgetown finish fence below Stewarton. Left tool Box at Stewarton. At Georgetown on Jigger. At **Allinghams** 3 meals. **Harry Pettinger** & I took clothes off **Alex & Franks** Bed. Paid up. \$ 1.80 at **Allinghams**.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Fine, cool. On Jigger from Georgetown to Centreville. Put in 98 posts. Walk up home at night operate.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Fine, warm. At Centreville. Put in posts. Put on Bolton posts. 20 Bundles wire came to Centreville & 60 to Palgrave on Jigger to Palgrave, get ride home in wagon with **Jim & Margery & Jim Jones**. Shave **Albert Little** tonight. Charlie & Charlie & Nelson new wagon.
- 29 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, misley, clear, warm. To home. Dress. Walk to Palgrave Church **Wass** preach. Ride home in Buggy with Maggie Charlie? here.
- 30 (MONDAY) Clear, warm. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. Maggie Sell cow \$ 25.00. John & Rachel here. To Centreville on Jigger. Fence set post put on Bolton wire.
- 31 (TUESDAY) Fine, very hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. To Centreville on Jigger. Finish posts & Bolton? wire McFleethams? Section. Walk up home. Dress to Bolton? got 2 letters for Pa. Get 2 cans 25? cts paid. Annie Stephens get 2 pups went up to Kellys with her carry pail &? Basket.

JUNE 1891

- 1 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, very hot. Thunder & rain at night. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Maggie**. On Jigger to Taylors set posts, dig 2 holes. Walk home drive up cows. Operate. **Billy Borland** at home today at wedding. Rain, very hot.
- 2 (THURSDAY) Fine. Cloudy, misley, rain at night. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. On Jigger to Centreville. Put wire on Fleethams fence. Move tool Box up to Taylors. Walk home. Chore. Hayes Warner here. Maggie plant tomatoes.
- **George Young** Died today 3 (FRIDAY) Cloudy. Cool. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. Took gate & posts to Adam Taylors. Back to Station for wire. Wire on 256 posts. Walk up 6th line home. Chat to Billy Bingham. Home at 8. Willie Faulkner here tonight cool.
- 4 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, misty, mild. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie, put Nelson in Shop to get 2 Shoes removed. On Jigger to Taylors cut. Fence. Put tools in Box. To Palgrave on Jigger got tea at Mrs Coulters. To Station meet Will. Coulter walk up home with Rob & Lawrence. Maggie Lizzie & I, chat to gipsies. W. J. Horan & Bill Stephens. Misty.
- 5 (SUNDAY) Fine, hot, cloudy, rain. To home, wash dress, to **George Youngs** funeral to Palgrave Lizzie Nelson & Buggy home, sleep. **Albert Little** here. **William McMahon**. Here. Lillie Moore here for tea. **Jim Moore & Lillie** here at night Sing. **Rob & Lawrence Coulter** here all day and all night. To Bed at 11:30 warm.
- 6 (MONDAY) Fine, clear, Hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie, Lawrence & Rob Coulter with us. To tool house gave Frank Prest Boukey. Frank cut his leg? today. Grind axe, fence at Taylors. Walk home at night. Albert Little here change his clothes. Fine moonlight night.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cool. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie. Fence at Taylors. Walk home at night, chat to Billy Bingham. Home tea. Walk to 6th line with Lizzie Maggie & Lily Moore to meet But he did not come.

- 125 Birthday 8 (WEDNESDAY) Rain. Cloudy, warm. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie. In Coulters. Fence below Taylors at pond? hole walk up 6th line home at night. Put Jack out in clover. Feed colts. Operate. Chat to Maggy? Stephens at Garden.
- 9 (THURSDAY) Rain, cloudy, misley, warm. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie. Finish posts below. Taylors. Put in gate. Wire at Bridge. Put on plank from Centreville to Whittems Crossing. Walk home up 6th? line. Feed & bed horses.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Clear, very hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie. Put on plank cut of tops. Laure plank. Walk home at night, feed colts. Billy Bingham here tonight chat. Operate.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Fine, very Hot. To Palgrave Charlie in Sulky. Finish plank at aylors gate. Move tool Box to Palgrave. To **Ewarts** Sand pit Start to fence. Ride home Charlie in **Binghams** sulky. Chore. Shave **Albert** tonight.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Clear, very hot. To home all day chore wash dress. Albert Little Emma Sirs & Martha Robins here. To Church at Palgrave at night with Lizzie & Maggie in Buggy. Mrs Wm White, Violet & Mary Allen, walking. Stubbs preach.
- 13 (MONDAY) Clear, very hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with Pa, & Lizzie Ann (Faulkner). Grind axe in tool House to pit fence peel posts. Got ride up home with James Sloan. Put in colts. Ann & Minnie here tonight. Thunder & lightning.
- 14 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To Palgrave in buggy with Lizzie & Pa. Fence at Ewarts pit. Got ride home at night with Billy Young.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie Ann & Minnie. Fence at Taylors finish putting on plank? at Taylors. To Ewarts Pit put on tie wire Laure posts & lumber. Walk home at night. Put in colts. Cool.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Fine, warm. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie. Fence at Ewarts pit finish. To Coulters for tea. To Ward see about Stable. Wait for Billy Bingham for to 11 o'clock, ride home with him at 12:40.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie & Willie. To Beeton on Jigger fence. At Groses 1 meal at J. Warrens help move stoves, John there.
- 18 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Beeton fence through Bush finish. At **Groses** 2 meals. Paid up. 45 cts. On Jigger to Palgrave?.
- 19 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, misley. Rain. To Cedar Mills with Lizzie in Buggy to Toms. To Church Wass preach, at Toms till evening. Ann had sore shoulder. Bill Cornwall here today. Home in Buggy with Lizzie & Maggie. Billy Bingham here at night.
- 20 (MONDAY) Cloudy, warm, fine. To Palgrave, Charlie & gig. Put him in **Bradley's** Stable. Start to fence at 7th line. Home at night on gig. Chore fix gig. Jim away Nelson & Buggy. Cut **Alberts** Hair tonight.
- 21 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, very Hot. To Palgrave Charlie & gig. On Jigger to **Rays** curve fence 73 posts. Home on gig put **Bob Lavery** grey horse in Nagles Lane. **Tom** Start on railroad today. Very Hot.
- 22 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. On Jigger to **Rays** finish fence. Home on gig. Misley.
- 23 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, fine. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. Fence post? Marsh. Home on gig at Office get paper & salmon 25 cts pd (sample Black tea).

- 24 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. Cloudy, misley. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. Fence at side road. Got May? pay today \$ 31.25 **Harry Pettinger** gave me \$ 8.00 for **Pa**. Home on gig chore. Operate. Gave **Pa** the \$ 8.00 rent.
- 25 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. To Palgrave Charlie & Buggy. Bring **Toms** scythe. Fence at Darleys Crossing. Lizzie & Willie home with me in Buggy at night. Willie & I to Binghams chat to Billy at night home at 11, Shave Albert.
- 26 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. **Bob Ferris Mat McMinn**. & **Billy Duffy** here today. Wash dress. To Palgrave Church at night **Wass** preach. Write & post letter to 125. **Violet & Mary Allen** home with me in Buggy. Down 6th?.
- 27 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, rain. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. Grind axes in tool house fence 51 posts. Home. On gig.
- 28 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley, fine. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. Garden party at **Sloans**. **Jim** start to mow. Fence to 8th line 80 posts. Home on gig. Sew shoe. Chore operate.
- 29 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, showry, cool. To Palgrave. Charlie & gig. Fence 8th line. Home on gig. To Ballycroy get letter for **Pa**.
- 30 (THURSDAY) Rain, cloudy. Fine, cool. To Palgrave Charlie & gig. Fence above 8th line. Home on gig. Fix collar. Chore.

JULY 1892

- 1 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild, cool. To Palgrave Charlie & gig. Fence at curve. Home on gig Murry sick. To 32. Chat. Home at 1 o'clock. **Billy Bingham** & I Strawberry pie.
- 2 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. Cloudy, rain at night. To Palgrave Charlie & Buggy & Lizzie. Fence. At Curve. Got tea at **Mrs McMahons**. Pulford cut my hair 25 cts pd. Home in Buggy with **Mother & Lizzie**. Charlie Horse. Wet night.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Rain all day. Fine, clear, cold, moonlight at night. To home chore sleep. Write letter for **Albert** to Say Boss wash dress, to **Binghams** chat. **Mrs Glassford & Martha** there. Home at 11 o'clock. Cold, clear.
- 4 (MONDAY) Clear, fine, mild. To Palgrave Charlie in Buggy Lizzie & Lizzie Ann. Grind axes fence at Wilsons Crossing? Home in Buggy Margey & Nellie Shinnaman with me. Aunt Rachel here. Jim away on gig tonight. Johnny & Pat Wallace to Bolton.
- 5 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. Rain at noon. Fine. To Palgrave Charlie & gig. Fence cross 9th line. To Store chat. Home on gig at 11:00.
- 6 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. **Mrs Albert Rolley** Buried today. **Dick** married. To Palgrave. Charlie & Gig. Fence on **Brown's**. Garner. Home on gig. Clean horses chore. Sell pig to **James** today.
- 7 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. To Palgrave. Charlie & Gig. Fence on **Brown's** in peas. Home on Gig. Cleveland Bay Horse sick. Called at Ballycroy get paper?.
- 8 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. To Palgrave. Charlie & Buggy. Fence in Brown's peas. To **Mrs McMahons** for tea. To Cake? with **Alex Coulter. Billy Borland. Susy Shore.** Lizzie ride up in Buggy with **James Young**. Liz & Maggie. Susy & I Build fire then out for row. Home at 11:00. Fine moonlight.

- 9 (SATURDAY) Fine, hot. To Palgrave Charlie & Gig. Fence into **Ewarts**. Home on gig. Fork on load of hay. Shave **Albert**. Got corsets for **Lizzie** at **Mrs McMahons**.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Fine, very Hot. To home, chore. To Lockton to Wallace with Lizzie She got 3 teeth pulled I gave him \$ 1.00. Home. Sleep in Hammock. To Allens for Willie. Home chore. Jim Liz &. Maggie to Palgrave.
- 11 (MONDAY) Fine, Hot, Shower. Fine. To Palgrave Charlie & gig. Boland away today. Fence on **Ewart**. **Alex** to **Binghams**. Home on Gig 10:50.
- 12 (TUESDAY) Fine, Hot. To Palgrave Charlie in Gig. Fence on **Ewart Tom Faulkner Allen** & I. Had tea at **Coulters**. Home on Gig. **Liz, Maggie & Jim** went to Bolton. **Billy Bingham & Alex Coulter**. Went to Toronto.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cool. To Palgrave Charlie & Gig. Fence to 10th line. Home on Gig. Home turnips chore cool.
- 14 (THURSDAY) Fine, very Hot. Walk to Palgrave. Fence above 10th line. To **Coulters** for tea. To Lake for row, with **Alex Coulter Billy Borland, Aggie Bradley**. **Cilla Fleeming Lizzie Lavery**. Home in Buggy with **Maggie** at 11:10. Charlie.
- 15 (FRIDAY) Fine, cloudy, Big rain, Storm. To Palgrave Charlie & Buggy. Fence to Black Horse Start Back on the other Side. Lizzie & Lizzie Ann home with me in Buggy. Tom Farrel here, to Bed 9:20.
- 16 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. To Palgrave Charlie & Gig. Fence on north side. Home on Gig. Chore, operate. Cool night got **Tom Farrels** Shoes at **Laverys** 15 cts pd.
- 17 (SUNDAY) Clear & cold. To home. Chore Sleep. Sing. **Billy Bingham** & **Albert Little** here I rode to Palgrave Church with Albert in cart & back **Sam Riddel** preach at Palgrave tonight. **Duffy & Maggie** to Black Horse Church. **Pa & Lizzie Ann** up at Bills today.
- 18 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To Palgrave Charlie & Gig. Grind axes. Fence in **Browns** oats. Home on Gig. Help at hay chore.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley. Fine. To Palgrave on Gig Charlie. Fence in **Browns** oats & peas. 71 posts. Chat to **W. Lindsey** to Station see **Tom Coulter**. Home on Gig at 9:50. Supper to Bed. **Tom** not fenceing? today.
- 20 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. To Palgrave Charlie & Buggy. Finish up fence on Palgrave Section. **Will Cannon** up home with me, at office get 2 letters 1 from **Lettie**. Charlie Broke whiffletree? on Buggy. Get whip 35 cts pd. **Jim** Start to cut fall wheat today.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Fine, Hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie & W. Cannon. On Jigger to Eagens Mill fence 57 posts to Palgrave on Jigger at night, Stop all night at Pettingers. Sleep with John Allen.
- 22 (FRIDAY) Fine, Hot. To Eagens Mill on Jigger fence 51 posts finish on Geysons Section. Move tools to Palgrave. Walk home for supper. Help **Jim & Pa** to Shock fall wheat.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Fine, very hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Maggie**. To **McDevitts** gravel pit on Jigger fence to Inglewood on Jigger. Home on train to Palgrave. Got June pay \$ 32.50. & Allases? \$ 44.80 home in Buggy with **Lizzie**. Shave **Albert Little**. Gave **Mrs Pettinger** 45 cts.

- 24 (SUNDAY) Fine, very Hot, Sultry. To home. Sleep in Hammock. Write letter to 125. Wash in Cookhouse. **Bill Stephens** here for tea. Dress, to Palgrave Charlie & Gig. **Wass** preach. Chat to **G. Lavery**.
- 25 (MONDAY) Fine, very Hot to Palgrave in Buggy with **Lizzie**. O train to Inglewood. Finish fence at McDades Pit. Move tool Box to Sligo Swamp. To Cheltenham on Jigger. To Fergusons for tea.
- 26 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At Cheltenham. Start to fence at Sligo Swamp. At **Fergusons** 3 meals.
- 27 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. At Cheltenham. Fence at Sligo Swamp. At Fergusons 3 meals.
- 28 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. At Cheltenham. Fence at Sligo Swamp. At **Fergusons** 3 meals. Cut **Toms** hair. Read.
- 29 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, misley, cool. At Cheltenham. Fence at Sligo Swamp south side. At **Fergusons** 3 meals at Station at night, painters went away. Party at **Fergusons** sing & dance to 11:00. Paid up tonight \$ 2.25.
- 30 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. At Cheltenham. Fence at Sligo south side. To Inglewood. On train to Palgrave to Ballycroy with **Joe Leggett**. Get Black hat \$ 1.00 paid & 60= shoes. Home with **Sam McElwain & Bill Stephens**.
- 31 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Read. To **Binghams** chat Dinner. Home sing tea wash. Copy weeks worth. Went for cows. Help **Ma** to milk. Chore, put in colts. **Billy Young** here chat. Cool tonight.

AUGUST 1892

- 1 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To Palgrave in Buggy with Lizzie on train to Inglewood fence at Sligo. To Cheltenham at night tea at Fergusons rain at night.
- 3 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. At Cheltenham. Finish fence at Credit Bridge. Move tools to Cheltenham at **Fergusons** 3 meals got eel skin from Charlie tonight.
- 4 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. At Cheltenham. Move tools to Terra Cotta start to fence. Tim Wilson there at noon. **Tom** went home tonight. 3 meals at **Fergusons**. Cool tonight.
- 5 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool, rain at night. At Cheltenham. Fence at Terra Cotta. At **Mrs Harbers** at noon. At **Fergusons** 3 meals. At **Hursts?** at night sing.
- 6 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At Cheltenham. Fix fence at new road. Fence at Terra Cotta. Move tools to Cheltenham load Jigger & tool Box on car 2213?. Got honey. On train to Palgrave on train. Home. Shave myself & **Albert Little** operate.
- 7 (SUNDAY) Fine, warm. At home, to Black Horse to Church Lizzie Maggie & I to Boyces for dinner to Palgrave to Church at night home at 10:30?.
- 8 (MONDAY) Fine, Hot. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Lizzie**, on train to Hamilton fence at Barton St Bridge at **Mrs Jones** for tea up town at night.
- 9 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, Hot. Rain at night. At Hamilton finish fence. At Mrs Jones 3 meals. Up town at night.
- 10 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cool. To Port Dover on train Start to fence north. At **Lawsons** for tea.

- 11 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Hot, cool at night. At Port Dover fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. At Salvation Army at night.
- 12 (FRIDAY) Fine, cool. At Port Dover. Fence at pit. At Lawsons 3 meals. Walk on lake Shore at night.
- 13 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. To Army at night.
- 14 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear. At Port Dover. Around town all day, at **Lawsons** 3 meals. **Miss Slaught** came there. Chat.
- 15 (MONDAY) Fine, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At Lawsons 3 meals. Chat to Mr Lawson at Stable.
- 16 (TUESDAY) Fine, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Went for Sail at night on Silver Lake with **George Norden**. **Smith Beecroft & Bob Raukin?** Start to work today.
- 17 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Chat to **Miss Slaught** at night.
- 18 (THURSDAY) Clear, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Paid **Mrs Lawson** \$ 4.35 chat to **Zetta?** at night 3:50?.
- 19 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, Hot, rain. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Got paid for July \$ 32.50 tonight.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear. At Port Dover. Cut off tops to o'clock. On train to Hamilton. Dinner at Arlidge 15 cts got clothes \$ 4.50 paid. 2 pair Shoes \$ 1.75 paid. 3 pairs sox 50 cts pd. 1 cap 25. 1 tie 25. On train to Palgrave. Ride up home with **Albert Little** in gig.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Fine. To home. Write. Shave Albert. Wash. Dress. To **Sirs** with **Albert**. Ride home with **Mr Nagle** feed horses. Water colts. Sleep in parlor. Write here. Fine night.
- 22 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To Palgrave in Buggy with Maggie. Call to Mrs Coulter sick on train to Hamilton. Got low shoes \$ 1.00. Billy Borland & I up on mountain. On train to Port Dover at 9 o'clock, to Lawsons. Chat to Zettie Slaught to 1:30 in Kitchen. Fine night.
- 23 (TUESDAY) Fine, cool. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. **Mr & Mrs Fagan** there waltz chat.
- 24 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Write letter to **Maggie & Lettie McMahon**. Chat to **Zettie Slaught** to 2:15 in parlor.
- 25 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Hot, cool. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. To pier & park with **Zettie** at night chat in parlor.
- 26 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Sent **Alex Coulter** clothes home tonight. Chat to **Zettie Slaught** in parlor. 3.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Up town to **Miss Tuppers** with **Zettie Slaught** at night for chat, to **Lawsons** all night to Bed at 11.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Fine, Hot. At Port Dover. At **Lawsons** 3 meals went up railroad track through Bush then out to Brant Hill for walk with **Zettie Slaught & Maxy Barber**. Down to pier see waves roll at night with **Zettie Slaught**. To **Lawsons** chat in parlor (. 1. 2.). Frank at wells.

- 29 (MONDAY) Fine, Hot. At Port Dover. Fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. To Pier & Station with **Zettie** for walk. To **Lawsons**, to Bed at 9 o'clock. **Dave Hamilton** came here tonight.
- 30 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain, cool. At Port Dover. Finish fence north. At **Lawsons** 3 meals got letter from **Maggie** tonight. Play with **Frank & Mary Brock & Thompson**. At **Lawsons** chat to **Zettie**. 1. 2. 3.
- 31 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Port Dover. Fix fence at Engine House. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Out for Boat ride with **Zettie Slaught** get cat tails. For walk. To **Lawsons**. In Bed. 1.

SEPTEMBER 1892

- 1 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. At Port Dover. Settle up at Lawsons \$ 3.90. Move tools to Jarvis. Fence '33 at road? pump to Hagersville at night to **Levitts** 1 meal. Write letter to **Alex Coulter**. Sleep with **Billy Boland**.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. At Hagersville. Finish fence at Jarvis '30. Move tools to Hagersville. At **Levitts** 3 meals got mouth organ 25 cts.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Fine, Hot. At Hagersville. Start to fence at Hedge '39. At **Levitts** 3 meals. On train to Port Dover. At night to **Lawsons**. Chat to **Harvey Howie & Zettie Slaught**.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Clear, Hot. At Port Dover. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Went for walk on Lake Shore gather Shells with **Michael Scully**. To Brant Hill at night with **Zettie Slaught** see moonlight on lake to **Lawsons** chat on sofa 11.
- 5 (MONDAY) Cloudy, rain. At Port Dover. On train to Hagersville. Fence South. 36. At **Levitts** 2 meals. To **J. Lamberts** at night with **Frank Prest? & Billy Borland** to Dance. Eat watermelons.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Fine, cool. At Hagersville. Fence 51 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. Write letter to **Maggie** tonight. Paid **Mrs Levitt** \$ 3.15.
- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, misley, cool. At Hagersville. Fence 45 South. At Levitts 3 meals. Write letter to **Zettie** & card to Mono Mills in Station.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Misley, fine. At Hagersville. Fence 51 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. To Prayer Meeting at night.
- 9 (FRIDAY) Misty, fine. At Hagersville. Fence 41 south. At Levitts 3 meals.
- 10 (SATURDAY) Fine, cloudy, rain, fine. At Hagersville. Cut off tops put on tie wire, fence 21 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. To Port Dover, on train to **Lawsons**. Chat to **Zettie Slaught** on sofa. 1. **Frank** at **Wells** to 2 o'clock.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Fine, warm. At Port Dover. At **Lawsons** 3 meals. Down to pier & Back for walk with **Zettie Slaght**. **Mr D. D. Barber & Miss Slaught** came for **Zettie** today She went home with them to Waterford. I went to Methodist Church at night with **Mr. Lawson**. To Bed at 9:30?.
- 12 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. At Port Dover. On train to Hagersville **Frank** & I. Fence 42 south. At **Levitts** 2 meals. Got 1rst letter from **Z. S.** get \$ 5.00 from **Frank Prest**. To Bed at **Levitts** 9 o'clock.
- 13 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain. At Hagersville. Fence 18 south. In tool house cut tie wire. Rain afternoon & night.

- 15 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Hagersville. Fence 44 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Fine, cool. At Hagersville. Fence 48 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. Paid Mrs **Levitt** \$ 2.70. To Bed 9:30.
- 17 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At Hagersville. Cut of tops put on tie wire. On train to Hamilton dinner at **Mrs Aldridge's**. On train to Palgrave. Call to See **Mrs Coulter**. Home in Buggy with **Jim Albert Little** Fred Matthews. **S. J. McMullen, Lizzie Ann Margery**. **& Willie** here.
- 18 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear, mild. Wash. Op?. **Billy Bingham & Mat McMinn** here. **Albert Little & Fred Matthews** went to Orangeville. **Maggie Hadden** came Back with them. **S. J. McMullen & I** drove to Cedar Mills to **Toms** in evening got home at 12. 1. 7th line. Fine night, warm.
- 19 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misty. To home. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Jim**. On train to Hagersville put on tie wire cut off, tops **Laura** posts. To **Levitts** all night. Got letter from Z. S. Waterford.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. At Hagersville. Fence 61 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. **Scotta** at Station. **Elliott. Levitt** started today.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. At Hagersville. Fence 62 South. At **Levitts** 3 meals. At **Lamberts** to 11, wet night.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, warm. At Hagersville. Fence 60 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. Write letters to **S. J.** and **Z. S.** at night.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, warm. At Hagersville. Fence 63 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. To **Krells** party at night. Gave **Frank** \$ 5.00 to Bed at 12.
- 24 (SATURDAY) Fine, Hot. At Hagersville fence 45 south. At **Levitts** 3 meals. Get pay for August \$ 33.75. Parish time \$ 3.75. Shave 10. Collar. 17. Paid **Mrs Levitt** \$ 2.25. In full to date for Board.
- 25 (SUNDAY) Fine, very hot. Rain, cool, windy. At Hagersville at **Levitts** 1 meal. To Waterford on train 40 cts Dinner at **Duchmans?**. 25. Up town to **D. D. Barbers**. For tea chat to **Z. S.** to Bed at 2.
- 26 (MONDAY) Fine, cool. At Waterford. Get up at 4:30 to Station. On train to Hagersville 40 cts. To **Levitts** 3 meals finish fence 19 south at Biltons Crossing. To Jarvis put on tie wire. Move tool up to **Allens** toolhouse, walk up town with **Frank Prest**?, to Bed at 8:30. Cold night.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Fine, cool. At Hagersville. Start to Culvert on **Allens** Section. At **Levitts** 3 meals got Shoes \$ 1.75 to Bed at 9.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. At Hagersville. Work at Culvert. At **Levitts** 3 meals. Put on new Boots. Start letter to **Z. S.**
- 29 (THURSDAY) Fine, warm. At Hagersville. Finish Culvert load tool Box & Jigger on car No 22.058? at **Levitts** 3 meals. Settle up at **Levitts** \$ 2.25. Write letter to **Z. S.** pack clothes. Post letter in drop? to **Z?.**
- 30 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. At Hagersville. On train to Hamilton. Get 4 pairs shoes at **Wilsons** \$ 3.40 pd on train to Caledon East. To **Borlands** all night 1 meal.

OCTOBER 1892

- 1 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At **Borlands** 2 meals. Start at Culvert at Cranstons. On train to Palgrave home in Buggy with **Jim**. **Sarah** home from Manitoba cold night. Shave **Albert**.
- 2 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool, hard frost. To home. Copy into this Book from 22nd August. To date. Wash up?. At home **Fred Matthews & Albert** here in evening. They went to Palgrave Church with **Jim Lizzie & Maggie**. Write letter to **Z. S.** at night.
- 3 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cool, mild, misley. To home walk to Palgrave on train to Caledon East. Work at Culvert finish up for Season move tool Box & Jigger to Tool house at Caledon East. On train to Palgrave. To **Coulters** chat. Walk home with **Mrs Cox?** 10?.
- 4 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley, cool. To home shoot squirrel on Barn. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Beeton? work on lift with **Tom Young**. To **Youngs** 1 meal. To **J. Warrens** chat. To **Youngs** to Bed at 10.
- 5 (WEDNESDAY) Snow. Cloudy, cold. At Beeton. Work on lift, at **Youngs** 3 meals. Up town to Station. To Bed at 9.
- 6 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. At Beeton on lift. At **Youngs** 3 meals. To **Warrens. G,? Miller & Minnie Ferguson** there waltz.
- 7 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild, misley. At Beeton on lift. At **Youngs** 3 meals. To **Tomilsons Frank** & I, 1 hot & 1 cold. To **Warrens** chat. To **Youngs** to Bed at 9.
- 8 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Beeton. On lift, at **Youngs** 2 meals. Pay **Young** \$ 1.80. To Palgrave on train walk up home.
- 9 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Write letter to 125. & I to **Z. S.** wash shave, op?. Dress. Walk to Palgrave with **Lizzie & Maggie** to Church. **Wass** preach. Ride home with **Albert Little** in Buggy. **Bill McMahon** & little girl here today Brok? his Buggy.
- 10 (MONDAY) Fine, hot, to home, walk to Palgrave. On train to Beeton. Work on lift to **Young**s 1 meal **Frank** & I help **Tom Young** to carry coal into woodshed, to Bed at 9 o'clock.
- 11 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At Beeton. Work on lift. At **Youngs** 3 meals. **Frank** & I to **Warrens** at night chat. T. C? there to **Youngs** to Bed at 9 o'clock.
- 12 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot, at Beeton. Finish lifting north. To **Youngs** 3 meals. **Frank** & I to **Gross's** at night. Play upstairs to Warrens with **Tom Coulter**. **S. J.** there. To **Youngs** to Bed at 12 o'clock.
- 13 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. At Beeton, start to lift south. Help **Daniel Kelly, John Willoughfy, John Bell, Fred Morton** to load 225 ties? on car, & 9 telegraph poles on car. To **Youngs** 3 meals to Bed at 10 o'clock. To Station **S. J.** went home on train.
- 14 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot, at Beeton. Lift south forenoon. To Beeton show afternoon. At **Youngs** 3 meals. Maggie & Lizzie there with **Scott & Clark**. See concert **Uncle Josh** at window. To **Youngs** to Bed at 11 o'clock.
- 15 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. At Beeton. Lift South. At **Youngs** 2 meals paid to date \$ 2.25. Sent \$ 1.00 to **Frank Prest**. To Palgrave on train to **Coulters** for Supper. Home in Buggy with **Jim**. Got letter from **Mrs S. Gower**. & 1 from **Z. S.**

- 16 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Sleep. Op. Wash, dress to Palgrave in Buggy with **Billy Bingham Wass**. Preach. Ride home with **Billy**. Frank Prest here today & Billy Bingham. Jim & Sarah to Toms today.
- 17 (MONDAY) Cloudy, foggy. At home. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Tottenham. Lift on **Youngs** Section. At **Youngs** 1 meal. **Stevenson** here today.
- 18 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Beeton. Lift on **Youngs** section. At **Youngs** 3 meals. Big fire in Beeton at 2 o'clock. Tonight.
- 19 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cool. At Beeton. Finish lift on **Youngs** section, at **Youngs** 3 meals. To Station at night. Big fire at Beeton last night cold night.
- 20 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. At Beeton. Settle up at **Youngs** \$ 1.35. Frank gave me \$ 1.00. Lift in Geysons Section to Tottenham at night to **Mrs Walkhams** 1 meal. To Streets party, Back at 3. Fine night.
- 21 (FRIDAY) Clear, hot. At Tottenham. Lift on Geysons Section. At **Walkhams** 3 meals. To Bed at 10 o'clock.
- 22 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. At Tottenham. Lift on Geysons Section. At **Walkhams** 2 meals. On train to Palgrave walk home cool night.
- 23 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cool. Rain at night. To home. Sleep, read. Write letter to **Z. S.** Shave wash dress walk to Palgrave Church with Lizzie & Maggie. Wass preach (no choir). In Bradlys? chat. In Coulters chat. Ride home with Billy Bingham 12:30.
- 24 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Help Jim put colts out off wheat. Walk To Palgrave, on train to Tottenham. On lift. At **Walkhams** 1 meal. **Riddell** put price on shoe 10 cts paid. To Bed at 10 o'clock.
- 25 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley all day. At Tottenham on lift. At **Walkhams** 3 meals. Read. Got court plaster 5 cts pd. To Bed at 9.
- 26 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, misley, cool. At Tottenham. On lift ¾. At **Walkhams** 3 meals. Got pay for September. \$ 32.50 to Bed at 9.
- 27 (THURSDAY) Squally, fine. At Tottenham. On lift. At **Walkhams** 3 meals in for dinner. **Casserlys** with Old **Tom Mason** 15. Read. To Bed at 9:30.
- 28 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, fine. At Tottenham. On lift. At **Walkhams** 3 meals in for dinner. Got hair cut 15 cts. Paid **Mrs Walkham** \$ 3.15. To Bed at 10. Rain tonight.
- 30 (SUNDAY) Fine. Cloudy, cold. To home. Read, wash, Shave **Albert**, dress, drive **Liz & Maggie** to Palgrave to Church **Wass** preach **Albert Rolley's** Baby funeral sermon. **Miss Brien** play organ. Got letter from **Z. S.** today. In **Coulters**, chat, **Will** there & **B. B**. road very muddy. Cold.
- 31 (MONDAY) Fine, mild, cloudy, rain at night. To home. **Lizzie** left me to 10th line, Charlie & Buggy. Walk up to **Atkinsons**, culvert, work on lift. Finish for this year. Walk home, got ride with **Jim** from 7th line, to Bed at 9 o'clock.

NOVEMBER 1892

- 1 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, misley, rain at night. To home. Sleep. Read. String apples at night. To Bed at 10:10.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Rain. Ice on trees. Cool. To home. Read. To **Binghams** with **Willie**. Chat to **Billy Bingham** & **Billy Wilson** hauling on potatoes. Home, fix strap for table. Go for cows. Help to pear? pumpkins at night. Rain at night? opp.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Put 4 straps on table. Help to haul in potatoes. String apples at night. Moonlight.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. Cold, snow, very cold night. Help to haul in potatoes. Fill peas. Put in colts & calves. Very cold, North west wind.
- 5 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. Clear, cold. To home. Walk to Palgrave, on train to Toronto \$ 1.50 C.P.A.. See Scully. See **Daly White, Hoey**. To 62 Saulter see **Ada Blanchard**. Got overcoat at the Bell Store \$ 8.00. Got 6 lemons & 6 oranges 25 cts got Barrel sugar \$ 10.40 & 10 lbs tea \$ 2.00. Had dinner 15 cts at **Alberts & James** 30. **George**. On train to Palgrave. **Maggie Shore** on train to Bolton. Ride home **Jim** XXX me at **Walkers?**.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. To Cedar Mills with Maggie Nelson & Buggy to Tom's. To Church Wass preach quarterly meeting. To Toms for dinner, Drive home at o'clock. Write letter to J. S. chore XX. Albert & Fred Matthews here coming from Orangeville.
- 7 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, cold. To home, help haul in 1 load potatoes. Read. To Ballycroy, see about fair. Got 3 postage Stamps, 9 cts. To Palgrave, Charlie & gig. Swamp muddy. To Stanton, **Gilorist** there. Post letter on train to **Z. S.** Home by the 8th line. Windy, clear night.
- 8 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Finish hauling in potatoes. Pull & top turnips. **Jim** took **Willie** to Cedar Mills. Shingle **Alberts** Hair & write letter for Him to **E. Hadden**.
- 9 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold. **Minnie** came home with **Jim**. To home. Top turnips. Haul in 3 loads, put pea, Straw on pits, very Dark night. To Palgrave, Charlie & Sulky. Got October pay, \$ 29.06.
- Thanksgiving Day today 10 (THURSDAY) Snow, 8 inches, cold. **Minnie** here. To home. Fix stables. Rig Sleigh. To Ballycroy, get letter & card for Pa. To Palgrave, Jim & I in sleigh, get Barrel sugar & 10 lbs tea at Station, freight 49 cts. Home. Chore. Fix lid on Barrel. Read to 12.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. **Minnie** here. Finish topping turnips, haul in fill Root House. Rain tonight. Chore. Read. To Bed at 9:45.
- 12 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Help **Jim** dig pit for turnips, finish hauling in turnips, cover pit, put rack on wagon, haul load of? to stable, chore, cut rope. Got letter from **Z. S.** & 125 today. **Liz & Maggie** to Orangeville today, XXX & Buggy. Got picture taken with **Annie & Maggie Stevens**.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home, chore, read. Write letter to 125 & 1 to **Z. S**. dress, to Palgrave in Buggy to Church with **Lizzie & Maggie**, **Wass preach** no choir. Post letter to 125 at P. V., Chat to **Frank Prest**. Home at 10 o'clock. Road very muddy. Mild night.
- 14 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, mild. To home. Help **Jim** to fix up wagon house & under Stack, pile lumber. Chore.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Misley, cloudy, mild. To home. Help **Jim** fix cow Stable. Far?. Chore. Fix **Jacks** Halter at night. **Mrs Wm Hallam** here at noon.

- 16 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, clear, fine. To home. Fix manger. Fill 5 Bags oats, 2 peas for chop. To **Riddells**, Charlie & Sulky went Down & Back 6th line, pay taxes \$ 10.38. Home, chore. Shave. Got letter for **McGoverns** note from Tottenham.
- 17 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Dress, walk to Palgrave, on train to Tottenham. Paid **G. P. Hughes** \$ 47.60 for **McGoverns** notes for **Jack** \$ 46.00, protest \$ 1.60. Dinner at **Mrs Walkhams** 25 cts. Walk to Beeton up track. Tea at **Groses** 25 cts. On train to 125 all night. To **Warrens** with **T. C.** chat?.
- 18 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. At 125. Up town for walk with **M. F?.** & 125 (1). On train to Palgrave at night. Chat to **T. Wilson** on train. To **Bradleys** all night.
- 19 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. Get up at 6. Walk up home for Breakfast. Change clothes. Walk down 8th line to **C. Norris's**, paid **Mrs Norris** \$ 35.00, got note. For wagon. Walk across fields to Cedar Mills, to **Toms** for dinner. **Lizzie Ann & Margery** there. Up to Palgrave to Council meeting. Got \$ 3.50 from **McCort**. Walk up home with **Billy Bingham**. **D. Condill** here for tea. Shave **Albert**. To Bed at 11. **Ann** here today. **Pa** went to Orangeville today. **Jim** plow Charlie & Doll. Freeze up, hard tonight.
- 20 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Read. Dress, walk to Palgrave at night to Church, with Billy Bingham Wass preach No choir. In Coulters, chat, walk home with Billy at 12 o'clock. Jim took Ann & Jenny home in Buggy. Billy Bingham, Albert Little & Fred Matthews here today. Albert had sorrel colt.
- 21 (MONDAY) Cloudy, squaly, cold. To home. Help Jim plaster horse stable. To **T. Hamiltons** sale with **S. Kelly**. Home, put in colts. Tea. To **Binghams** to get **Billy Wilson** to Kill pigs. Home at 10:50? to Bed at 11, cloudy, cold.
- 22 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Help Jim & Billy Wilson Kill 7 pigs. Chore. Albert here at night, Kill fowl. Mrs Lyness, Mrs Stevens. Ella Shinnaman. Help to pluck. Anna Stevens & Bill & Jim Gilmour here at night. Albert stop all night. Very cold night.
- 23 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Load up, start at 6 o'clock to Toronto. Pork & fowl. To Bolton at 10 feed. To Woodfridge? at 2, feed to Peacock at 7, all night. **Jim** & I roads very rough. Had 6 pigs. 17 geese. Butter 17 lbs. 5 Ducks. 36 ½ pair chickens.
- Jim & I in city load pork & fowl, Frank McCauley got Killed tonight 24 (THURSDAY) Fine, cold. At Peacock. Settle up \$ 2.00. To market, sold pork for \$ 6.70 per cut, \$ 39.20. Geese 155 lbs at 6 per lb \$ 9.30. Ducks 2 ½ pair \$ 1.60 165 XX chickens 36 ½ pair at 40 per pair. \$ 14.60. Butter 17 lbs at 21 per lb \$ 3.57. Dried apples \$ 1.20. Load came to \$ 69.47. Started home at 2 o'clock, got to Woodbridge at 6 o'clock feed. To Bolton at 10 o'clock feed. Start home at 11:15, found Frank McCauley Dead at Gotts Swamp at 12:10. Billy McBride & Angus McDonald, Jim & I. Billy & I went for Gott. Then to McCauleys. Then I went for Mrs Walton & Mrs Sam Rutherford. They went for him. Jim & I came home at 4:15. Mild night.
- **Jessie Roberts** Birthday girl 25 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Palgrave walking to Station, got \$ 2.50 from **J. S. Buckwell**. Last of railroad pay. Pay **George Zimmerman** \$ 1.50. Sent card to **Rutherford**. And **Mrs Coulter** \$ 2.75 for **Rob & Lawrence**. Got ride home with **Willie Carnel?**.
- 26 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Help Jim to oil wagon up 6 Bags wheat for grist. 6 Bags potatoes & 2 Bags apples Jim went to Bolton. I took **McElwains** Knife home. Chore. Chat to **Billy Bingham** at road. **Albert Little** here at night, I Shaved him. Shave myself. To Bed at 12:30. Mild night.
- 27 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home, chore. Dress. Walk to Palgrave to English Church, **Frank McCauley** Buried, Orange Funeral, very Big crowd. **Frank McCabe** here today & Back at night. Road good & smooth, good wheeling. Walk up home for Dinner, **Frank Prest** with me, tea, walk with **Frank**, **Billy Bingham** gave us a ride. To Methodist Church, Missionary sermon, **Oville Brown** preach. **Buckwell** on Bicycle to Adjala. Ride home with **Billy Bingham**, to Bed at 11. **Martha Robb** play.

- 28 (MONDAY) Snow, squaly. To home. Chore, grease shoes. Ann came here tonight. Cut up pig. Chore. Write letter to **Z. S. Albert** here, Maggie wrote letter for him to **E. Hadden**.
- 29 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home, chore. **Tom** came here at 12 o' clock last night, stop all night **Jim** drove **Ann** to Palgrave, **Tom** walk, they went to Alliston on train to **Herbert Mullens** funeral. Help **Jim & Pa** to haul over 1 load hay to Stable. **Jim** took load Blocks to **J. McClelland**. I? chore & walk to Palgrave, post letter to **A. Sanderson** with \$ 10.00 in it & 1 to **Z. S.**
- 30 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold. To **Binghams** thrashing. Work on Stack. Help **Billy** to get water at noon. **Bob Lavery's** machine. Home at 8:45.

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- 1 (THURSDAY) Fine, clear. Cold. To **Binghams** thrashing on Stack. To home. Fix pen under Stack. Train colts hoofs, chore. To **S. Kelly's** at night, chore. home at 9 o'clock. 5 XXXX?. **Billy Bingham** here for Bags. To Bed at 11:30.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. To Bush with Jim, cut 4 sawlogs & cut wood. To Ballycroy at night, got receipt from **Gus Sanderson**. **Willie Faulkner** here tonight. **Mrs Wm Wilson** here, see **Sarah**. Got pattern & comfort paper. Got **Bingham** saw handles today.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear, mild. To home. Saw wood in Bush with **Jim**, Shoot squirrel with **Willie**. Chore, grease boots. Got letter from **Z. S.** with little photo. Shave **Albert**. Shave myself.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Write letter to 125. Dress, walk to Palgrave, post letter in drop, to Church **Wass** preach. **Nettie** play organ. To **Coulters**, chat. Walk home alone. Op?. To Bed a **Wass** t 12.
- 5 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. In Bush, cut wood with Jim. Mrs McClelland here today, Maggie went home with her. Nelson sick tonight. Write letter to **Z. S.** tonight.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain. Mild. To home. Cut wood in Bush with **Jim** till noon. Dress. Walk to Palgrave. In Jigger House, chat. To **Laverys**, chat. Got Blue at **Sloans** 7? cts pd. To Station, post 7 letters on train, 1 to **Hall M.D.** 1 to **A. J. Roberts** & 1 to **Z. S**. Walk home at 10:15.
- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, rain, mild. To home. In Bush, help **Jim** saw wood. Chore, sleep. Wash feet at night, milk 3 cows.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, rain. Windy, cold. To home. Help **Jim** oil Buggy. Chore. 2 peddlers here, 1? horse and wagon fed horse, had dinner. **Jim** went to **Sam Rutherfords** for cider. In Bush, trim maple top. Bring saw home. Chore. Got coal at Ballycroy.
- My 33 Birthday 9 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home, help Jim put manure around house & on turnip pit. In Bush, saw wood, chore. Lizzie Ann & Margery here tonight. To Binghams chat to 11, Rob Allen there & Billy. Home to Bed at 12.
- 10 (SATURDAY) Clear, mild, squaly, snow, cold. To home. Chore. Saw wood in Bush with Jim. Billy Bingham in Bush, chat. Chore. Cut Jim's Hair. Shave Albert. Shave myself. Got letter from **Z. S.** tonight.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Opp. Wash, dress, to Cedar Mills with **Billy Bingham** to Church **Mr Woods** preach, to **Toms** for Dinner. To **Binghams**, chore, tea, to Palgrave with **Billy** to Church, **Wass** preach. To **Coulters**, chat. Home with **Billy** in Buggy 12.

- 12 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Saw wood in Bush. To R. Folis's Sale with **S. Kelly**. **Laughlin & Peet Hayes** to Hot fowl Supper at Caledon East with **Billy Bingham**. Tea at **Mrs. Glassfords**, drive home at 3:30, sleep with **Billy Bingham** till 9 o'clock.
- 13 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At **Binghams**, sleep till nine, Breakfast at 10. Home for Dinner. Cut wood In Bush with **Jim & Billy Bingham**. Saw maple tree. Tea, chat, chore. **Lizzie & Jim** went to **Boyce's**. Snow tonight, east wind.
- 14 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. In Bush, Saw wood with **Jim** & **Billy Bingham** cut 2 Birches. To **Binghams** all night.
- 15 (THURSDAY) Fine, cool. At **Binghams**. Chore. Breakfast. To our Bush with **Billy**, cut maple tree. **Tom Faulkner** came to Bush in evening. Home, feed pigs. Walk to Ballycroy get paper. **Tom** here all night windy, cold.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Cut wood in Bush with Jim, Tom & Billy Bingham. Billy & Jim went to Youngs thrashing afternoon. Will Stepons? here at night.
- 17 (SATURDAY) Fine. Squaly, mild. To home. In Bush, cut, split & pile hemlock with **Tom**. Haul over hay on Sleigh. To Palgrave, Nelson & Buggy with **Tom** (**Jim** at **Youngs** thrashing finish). To Station, chat. (Got letter for **Maggie**. **Jim**. & myself.)
- 18 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Write letter to 125. Shave Albert & myself. Walk to Palgrave, to Church with Jim & Maggie. Wass preach. To Coulters, chat, Sam Campbell & John W. Peacock there, ride home with Billy Bingham in Buggy.
- 19 (MONDAY) Blustry, cold. To home. Chore. To Palgrave in Buggy, got 2 Shoes removed on Nelson. Sent parcel by Express to **A. J. Roberts**, Fort Qu'Appelle. Shirts, socks, mits, guernsies. Onions, apples. Post 2 letters, on train 1. To 125. 1 to **A. J. Roberts**, home for Dinner. To **Binghams**, saw wood. With **Billy**, **Jim** & **Tom**. In Swamp. To Ballycroy at night, order Hair clppers, home 10.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Clear, very cold. To home, chore. To **Binghams**, cut wood in Swamp with **Tom**, **Billy** & **Jim**, home for Dinner & tea. Take pin out of pump. Froze. To **Kellys** at night, chat. **James McLaughlin** there. 5 games. Home at 10:45.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Cold, clear. To home. Chore. To **Binghams**, cut wood in Swamp with **Tom**, **Billy** & **Jim**, to **Binghams** for Dinner, to Ballycroy, to Office, got letter for **Pa**. Home for tea. Clean colts. Put in wagon. To Bed at 9.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Blustry, cold. To home. Help Jim to saw wood in Bush. Got letter from 125 tonight. To Mill for chop with **Arthur John**. In wood.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Very cold, North storm. To home. Saw wood in Bush with Jim. Man here at noon, stamp leaves & pictures. Jim, Lizzie, & Maggie went to Palgrave tea party tonight. Very cold.
- 24 (SATURDAY) Cold, North wind, calm, cold. To home. Cut wood in Bush with Jim. Haul, load hay to Stable, make road, split & pile wood in Bush. To Ballycroy at night, get sweets 70 cts & licorice 10 cts = 20 cts pd. To Binghams, Billy not there. Up home. Got \$ 1. 10 from G. Jones for Mother on road. Lizzie Ann & Margery came here tonight, stop all night. Not so cold tonight. To Bed at 9:50.
- 25 (SUNDAY) Squally, very cold. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** chat to **Billy**, he went up home with one for Dinner to **Binghams** with **Billy**, chore. (**Tom**, **Ann** & family. **Sarah** & family here today, goose for Dinner. To Palgrave with **Billy** in Buggy. To Church, **Wass** preach. To **Bradleys**, chat to **Coulters**, chat, raspberry

- wine drink. Will, Tom. Alex, Sam Campbell, George Miller. Sophie Pettinger, Mary McFadden, John Buckwell, Lawrence & Rob. There. Sam choke. Home with Billy, stop with him. All night. Very cold night.
- 26 (MONDAY) Clear, cold. At **Binghams**, help **Billy** to chore. Up to our place for **Albert Little's** cart to Lockton, to Nomination, put mare in **Grogan**'s stable. To Caledon East, to **Mrs Glassfords** for tea, to Presbyterian Christmas tree & Musical Concert. 10 cts. Home with **Billy** at 1 o'clock, stop with him all night. Calm, cold night.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. At **Binghams**, chore. **Billy** came up home with **Albert Little**'s cart, get his Buggy. Change clothes, help **Jim** to saw wood afternoon. Chore at night, **Jim** took **Mrs Coulters** shawl home to Palgrave tonight, to Bed at 9.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Help **Jim** to saw wood in chopping. **Tom** here tonight, chat, Back to **Wilsons** again. **Tom** at **W. Wilsons** sawing wood.
- 29 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Saw wood with Jim in chopping, oil Buggy. To Ballycroy with Maggie at night, home alone, Maggie stop at McClellands. Mother to Keenansville today. Albert Little here all night.
- 30 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Help Jim, Pa & Albert Little to clean 22 Bushels wheat. Chore, to Bush, split wood to **Binghams** at night, stop all night with **Billy**.
- 31 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. At **Binghams**, chore, leave **Billy** to Palgrave in Buggy, Back to **Binghams**, chore. To our Bush, split wood. Home for Dinner. **Billy** to Toronto today. Took letter to T. Eaton Company with 25 cts, for papers. Split wood in Bush. **Pa & Willie Faulkner** pile. To **Binghams**, **Willie & I** chore. Home for tea, dress. To Palgrave with **Tom**, **Binghams** mare & Buggy. In Barber Shop. Home with **Billy**. Stop all night with him.

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- 1 (SUNDAY) Snowing all day. At **Binghams**, sleep till 10:30. Chore. Breakfast at 12. Chore. Sleep on lounge to 4:00. Home at 5 o'clock for tea. Write here. Write letter to 125 tonight, to Bed at 9 o'clock. **Willie** here.
- 1st? time Polly 2 (MONDAY) Cold, windy, clear. To home, chore, hitch up Charlie & Polly to Sleigh, drive to Palgrave with Jim, Pa & Willie. Got felt Boots at Sloans. Election Day, vote for White. Tom home with us. Kill 3 pigs. Chore. Clean colts, Tom took Willie home & Shorts & came up here again, stop all night.
- 3 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore in house, mean pigs. Help **Jim** get tank water. To **Youngs & Binghams** at night. Sleep with **Jack Young**.
- 4 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Thrashing clover. **Sam McElwain**. Help **Billy Bingham** haul water for Engine. Moved to **Pat Finertys** at night, put Engine & clover mill on Sleigh. Walk home, drive Doll & Nelson. Frosty night, moonlight.
- 5 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, Snow all day. To home, chore. Jim & Pa to Orangeville with pork \$ 7.55 per cut. To **Ned Pettits** Bee, sawing wood in **Dick Rolleys** Bush. To Office, get papers.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Clean out Barn stuff, Barn chore. Tom here tonight all night.
- 7 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore, to **Binghams** with Barrel, to **Young**s with Barrel. To Ballycroy with **Lizzie** with Bag dried apples, Polly, Charlie in Sleigh. **Jim** took sow to **Cobeans** today. Home. Help **Jim** fill 4 Bags oats for chop, had a bad cold. Haul over load of hay, chore.

- 8 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home, chore, opp, wash, dress. To Cedar Mills to **Toms** with **Mother, Sarah**, **Arthur John & Baby**, home at 5:30. Had Polly & Charlie in Sleigh. **Jim, Liz & Maggie** to Palgrave Church at night, Nelson in cutter.
- 9 (MONDAY) Squaly, cold. To home. Chore, drive Maggie to Ballycroy to McClellands, Charlie & cutter. Home, chore, fix harness, chore. Jim & Sarah to Tottenham, Nelson & cutter Sarah got her teeth out. Sam Caldwell here, water horse. Pedlar Jew here at noon. Albert Little at night for his clothes.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Cold, North Storm, very cold. To home. In Bush, help **Jim** saw wood. In house afternoon, help **Liz** hang out clothes. Very very cold day.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. In Bush. Help Jim cut saw logs, cut wood, make road to Bark. Help Lizzie make authors at night. Tom Faulkner came here tonight, here all night. Cold, calm, to Bed at 10.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Help **Tom** Saw maple tree in Wilsons Bush. To Ballycroy at night with **Maggie**, Nelson & Cutter? in Hall?. In Store, got Blank Strop? 2 cts. Pepper 5 cts. Sweets 3. Oatmeal. 12 cts. Got pair Hair Clippers \$ 1.55 paid pd all, **Jim** at **S. Kellys** thrashing.
- 13 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Help **Tom** to make road to Bush cut? hemlock log. **Rob & Oliver Allen** in Bush. To Mill, got 100 lbs Shorts, 70 cts pd. Help **Tom** haul his wood to house. Finish cards for **Lizzie** at night. Clean colts. To Bed at 10:30?. **Jim** at **S. Kellys** thrashing finished. Cut **Toms & Pa** Hair with clippers. **Tom** cut my hair.
- Maggie's 21 Birthday 14 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Saw wood, in Bush with Jim. Shave at noon. Split 7 pile wood in Bush. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. Home, chore. Shave **Albert Little** at night. **Tom** haul his wood home today 1 load with our team & 1 load with **Jackson's** team. Jim & Willie to Currans for Sheep. Willie here all night.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. To Cedar Mills, to **Toms** with **Lizzie**, **Maggie**, **Arthur John** & **Willie**, Polly & Charlie in Sleigh. **Willie** took his little pig home. **Ann** & **Jenny** home with us. **Liz** & I to Palgrave Church at night. **Steele** preach.
- 16 (MONDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Take Nelson & cutter to **Binghams**, get robe? & cover. **Billy** & I to Palgrave. **Jim, Ann & Sarah** to Tottenham. Polly & Charlie in Sleigh. To Henderson, get cutter fixed. To Station. To Store, get Box pearline 10 cts pd. Post letter to 125. Home, chore. **Billy** paid **Beatty** \$ 28.00.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Help Jim & Pa to clean 11 Bushels wheat for griste?. Chore. To **Binghams**, chat. Home, chore, dress, walk to Palgrave, post letter on train to **A. J. Roberts**. Jim & Pa to Bolton today with grist & 10 Bags potatoes. To Church, **Albert Rutherford** Lecture on Bible with Blackboard. Put Charlie in **Bradleys** Stable. Home at 11:30 cold, calm.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Cold, squaly, mild. To home. Help **Jim**, haul home tan Bark & wood. Chore. **Tom** came here tonight.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Cold, clear, squaly. To home, chore, to Palgrave with Doll & Nelson to **Hendersons**, get 8 Shoes on. Write letter for **Albert**. Get rug hook 10 cts pd. Home, chore in Bush, cut wood, **Tom** & I get Stakes for rack. To Ballycroy for paper & 5 cts of salts.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Put on load Bark. To Orangeville with Bark. Got Magenty Dye, 30 cts pd. Home at 5. Load up again. Get loaf? 5 cts pd.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine. To Orangeville with load Bark. Home at 4. Shave **Albert** & myself. Haul over load hay to stable, chore.

- 22 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Wash. Op, dress, walk to Palgrave, post letter in Box to 125. & 1 to **A. J. Roberts**. **Albert** drive **Liz & Maggie**. To Church, **Wass preach**. Home with **Billy Bingham** in cutter. To **Coulters** chat. **H. McFadden & Billy Williams** there.
- 23 (MONDAY) Cloudy, snowy, mild. To Orangeville. With load Bark. Get cup, 10 cts. Cakes 5 cts. Home, chore. Got paid for Bark \$ 14.60. 3 cords. At \$ 4.50.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. Snow. Take 2 loads wood to Rob's Hill. Got Butter, paper, 5 cts pd. Get axe, 80 cts pd. At **Sam McClellands**. Home, chore. **Jim** at **Binghams**, help Kill 9 pigs. **Tom** Kill them. Snow at night.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cold. To Bolton with 1 cord wood to Hilliard, \$ 4.00 paid. Face mits? tonight. Home, chore. **Jim** went to Orangeville with **Billy Bingham** with 5 pigs. \$ 8.40.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Fill potatoes & haul 66 Bags, 65 lbs at 74 cts per Bags \$ 49.37 paid. To Palgrave, to **McGregor**. Home, chore. **Tom** here tonight. Orange Lodge organized at Ballycroy tonight.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Fine, cold. To Bolton with load wood to Warbrick. **Tom** down to Cedar Mills with me, ?? Bags of peas & 2 pigs heads. Dinner at **Elliotts** 25 pd. 3 hames? fixed 45 cts pdd. Got pair hold Back Straps 40 cts pd. **McFadden Boys** here tonight, man with wooden XXXXX.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Snow, squall, fine, mild. To Botlon with load wood to **Warbrick**, got note from him. Dinner at **Elliotts**, 25 cts pd. **Jim** took half the load to Robbs Hill with **Binghams** team. **Jim** put pole in cutter today. **Binghams** pole. **Willie** came up home with me tonight. **Henderson** put ring in home.
- 29 (SUNDAY) Rain, cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Sleep. Rig harness, hitch up Charlie & Polly to cutter, **Willie** & I went to **Binghams**, **Billy** got in, we went around by Ballycroy then home. **Albert** here today. Road slushy. Wash up, dress, drive **Maggie** to Ballycroy, **Liz** & I to Palgrave & **Willie** left him to **Shores** gate. Back to Church, **Wass** preach. Moonlight. Cold night.
- 30 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy, get rope & rivits. 25 cts pd. To **Binghams**, chat. Home, chore, fix light martingales. **Jim** got chain halters in Bolton today, 35 cts pd. **Jim & Liz** to Bolton, Nelson & Charlie in cutter with eggs & Butter. **Billy Bingham** here at night, play authors to 10:00. Snow at night. Mild.
- 1st? time Jack 31 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Help Jim & Pa to haul over load hay to Stable. Clean up woodyard. Hitch up Jack, old Dolly, drive to 4th line & Back. On Sleigh. Miss Lyons & McCoy missionary here today. Haul home 3 loads dry wood from Bush. With Dolly & Nelson. Chore.

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- 1 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Help Jim to haul home wood from Bush. Nelson & Doll. Clean out hen house at noon, **Tom** here for Dinner. **Mary McClelland** here for guilting frames. Chore.
- 2 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Haul home wood from Bush. Hitch Polly & Jack to Sleigh, drive around by **Charlie McLaughlins** across 30 side line. Up 6th line through Bush home. Shave, dress, to **Alex McCabe's** in Sleigh with **Billy Bingham**, **Liz, Maggie**. **Tom** here tonight. **Jim**, **Alex Coulter**. **Kidd** the Teacher. XXXXXXXXXXX. **Mary & Hannah Flemming** home at 5:30 morning. Good time. Snow all night.
- 3 (FRIDAY) Fine. Stormy, Squally, drifting. To home. Drive **Maggie** to Ballycroy in Sleigh, Nelson & Charlie. Home, chore, help **Jim** load wood for **Stinson**. McClellands quilting Bee 3 quilts & party today. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. Home, chore. **Tom** here tonight. **Jim** took 1 cord \$ 3.00 to Stinson & ½ cord \$ 1.50 to **Flemming**.

- 4 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold calm. To home. Chore. To Bush for Shovel & axe. Shovel road through drifts home. **Willie** here tonight, got his ear froze, coming up. **Tom** went home. **Jim** at **Binghams** tonight. **Maggie** came home.
- 5 (SUNDAY) Cold, cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. **Jim, Liz, Maggie** to Palgrave Church at Quarterly Meeting, Nelson & Charlie in cutter, home at 2 o' clock. **Billy Bingham** here at night for tea. To 9:30. Sing. **Willie Faulkner** here all day.
- 6 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, rain. To home. Chore, shovel snow from wood pile. Put new axe on handle, carry water into cellar. **Willie** here tonight. **Jim** took **Tom**, some wood, and his chop and **Jenny** went home. Got Barrels from **S. Kellys**. Got oats at **Wm Whites**.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. In **Binghams** Swamp, help **Willie & Tom** split 163 rails. Boil on cheek.
- 8 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. To **Binghams** Swamp with **Willie & Tom**. Help to fill 64 Bags potatoes 75 cts per Bag 37, 60 lbs. **Billy** took 37 Bags, 60 lbs to Palgrave 75 cts per Bag. Home. Cut **Albert Little's** Hair. Get Boil on cheek fixed. **Tom & Willie** here tonight.
- 9 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. Snow, Blow, S. E. Storm. To home. Help **Tom & Pa** to fill 66 Bags potatoes, 75 cts per Bag = \$ 49.50. In **Binghams** Swamp, help **Tom & Willie** finish rails 86. First 500. Boil on cheek. **Jim** took potatoes to Palgrave, sell. **Tom & Willie** here tonight. To **Sloan** at 75 cts.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Squally, snow. Mild, windy, W. wind. To home. **Jim** haul home wood from Bush. In house, Boil on cheek. **Tom & Willie** went home today.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy in cutter with Jim, pay J. McClelland his Jim's Bill. Home, chore, cut Arthur John Roberts Hair. Split wood. Chore. Jim & Pa to Orangeville in cutter with Polly & Charlie.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Dress, to Cedar Mills, to **Toms** in cutter, Polly & Charlie. With **Sarah**, **Arthur John & Baby**. Write letter to 125 tonight. Home again at 5:30. **Jim & Lizzie** to Palgrave Church, Polly & Charlie in cutter.
- 13 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Help **Jim & Pa** haul, load hay to Stable. To **McElwains** thrashing, on Stack, home, chore, wash.
- 14 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, South wind, misley, rain, Stormy at night, W. wind. At **McElwains** thrashing to noon, cut feed to 3 o'clock, Move to **S. Kellys**, cut feed to 5 o'clock, then home. **Jim** to Orangeville with load Bark for **George White**. Bark Bee. Got letter from **S Gower** today. Very Stormy tonight, thawing.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. To Bolton, Polly & Charlie in cutter. With pail Butter for **Lizzie**. 18 lbs at 18 cts = \$ 3.24 cash. 7 lbs Butter at 20 = \$ 1.40 & 8 Dozen eggs for **Mrs Faulkner** at 25 cts = \$ 2.00 (all \$ 6.64 cash at **Rutherfords**. Home, tea. To Ballycroy, post letter to 125. & 1 to A J. Roberts. Got timeture? Iron 10 cts for **Ann**. Whiplash 20 cts, Dinner 25 cts pd. To **Binghams**, chat to 12. Got 50 cts.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Squaly, cold. To home. Split wood at home. In Bush, help **Jim** cut Sawlogs. Fiz halter. **Tom** came here tonight.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Clear, frosty. To home. Chore. In Bush, help Jim & Tom load Sawlogs, help Tom cut wood. Jim? got Wm Whites Sleigh's, haul 19 logs to Whites saw mill. Tom here all night. Tom help us today. Snow at night, 9 inches.

18 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Help Jim & Tom load 10 sawlogs, cut wood. Drive Tom to Palgrave with Polly & Jack on Sleigh, Lizzie & Arthur John. With me. Shave myself. Get Bedding. Shave Albert tonight. Home by Ballycroy. Got letter for Sarah.

Old Big? Storm tonight - 19 (SUNDAY) Squaly, mild, Stormy, very cold. To home. Dress. To Cedar Mills with Albert Little. His horse & Polly in cutter. To Church, Wm Steele preach. To Tom Faulkner's for Dinner & tea. Start home at 5:30, got to McCabe's, had to turn Back and Stop at Toms all night. Very cold. Stormy. Albert, Willie & I sleep together.

Snow plow got Smashed at Browns curve today at 1:30 pm - 20 (MONDAY) Cold, north wind, clear. At Cedar Mills, at Tom's till 10 o'clock. Start for home Albert & I got to county line, turn around, went Back to Palgrave, put horses in S. McClellands Stable, Snow plow Smash up at Gorner Browns curve at 9th line. Albert & I walk up, ride Back in van? to Palgrave. To Coulters, chat & tea, Mrs Coulter sick. Chore, home at 7 o'clock. With Albert. Billy Bingham here when we got home.

21 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine, Snow at night. To **Bingham's**, **Jim** & I help cut feed. **Billy Wilson** & family there, **John & Peet? Finerty**. **Bob & Oliver Allen**. **George Jones** horse power. **Bingham's** Box. **Cauleys?** Jack. Done cutting when **Jones** came, tea. Home, chore. **Tom** here tonight.

22 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Help **Tom** cut Big Birch tree. **Jim** make road to Bush, Charlie & Polly on Sleigh.

23 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, snow all day. To home. Help **Tom** finish cutting Birch tree. Help **Jim** haul 1 load wood, fix leather on cutter pole. Get spools & soda paid. To Ballycroy, to office, post letter to **Mary E Gower**. Cut **Billy Bingham**'s hair tonight. Got letter from 125 & 1 for **Maggie** & paper.

24 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Help **Jim & Tom** haul out his Birch wood. Cut Birch tree. To Palgrave after dinner on Sleigh with **Tom & Jim** on load wood. In **Sam McClellands**, wait for **Jim**. Ride home on Sleigh. **Willie** came up with him. Got new wedge in new axe, get rod for Bed. 4 X. In 4, long?.

25 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. Fix light colbars. Fix Bedstead. Hitch Jack & Polly on cutter, **Willie** & I drive around by Ballycroy. Home. Chore. Rob Boyce here. Cut **Willies** Hair at night. Shave. Opp. Jim haul 2 loads wood to **Tom** to Cedar Mills. **Albert** here for his cutter tonight.

26 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. Dress. Maggie & I drive Jack & Polly to Alliston in cutter to Jas. McMullens. Put colts in Booths Stable. At Jas Warrens & Billy Mullens. At Jas Mullens all night (1). W. McGirr there.

27 (MONDAY) Fine, frosty, clear. At Alliston. Feed colts. To foundry. In Basket Shop. Get Burgundy pitch & white percip at **McMahon**'s drug store. 10 cts pd. Pay **Booth** for colts in Stable 50 cts. **J. Warren** 25 cts. Drive home **Maggie** & I at 3:30, chore. Mix salve in tincup.

28 (TUESDAY) Misley, rain. Clear, fine. Stormy. To home. Sleep. Face my mits. **Billy Bingham** here, chat. Shave **Albert Little** at night. **Sam McClelland & Aggie** McCoy married today. **Jim** away tonight, Charlie & Nelson in cutter. Feed & Bed horses. **Arthur John** cut his own hair.

MARCH 1893

1 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. Windy. To home. Help Jim & Pa haul hay to Stable. Hitch Polly & Jack to cutter, drive to Binghams. Joe Robins & S. J. Sirs married today. Billy & I to Collards Sale. To Tottenham, get Silk twist, 10 cts pd. Drive home. To Binghams, chat. Simon there. Walk to Ballycroy with Lizzie, home at 11.

- 2 (THURSDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** with **Jim** on Sleigh, get farming mill. Home, clean clover seed. Clean 16 Bushel wheat for grist. Bring mill to **Binghams**. **Arthur John** with us on Sleigh. Chore. To Ballycroy, get coal, oil & Braid & papers. Pd 50 cts.
- 3 (FRIDAY) Snow, mild. To home. Chore. To Palgrave at night, Charlie & Nelson in cutter. Fix straps on horsecovers. Sleep, chore. **Jim & Maggie** went to presentation, to **Aggie McCoy**. Chore. **Albert** here tonight.
- 4 (SATURDAY) Stormy, North wind. To home. Chore. Read. Sleep. Road drifted. Open road in orchard for **Neil Drummond?.**
- 5 (SUNDAY) Squaly, Stormy. Fine night. To home. Chore. Dress. To Cedar Mills with Ma to Toms, Jennie sick. Polly & Jack in cutter. Home for tea. Leave Lizzie at Ballycroy, coming home. Put Box on Sleigh, drive Sarah, Lizzie, Maggie, Arthur John to Palgrave Church. Charlie & Nelson. Wass preach. In Coulters, chat. Road drifted.
- 6 (MONDAY) Clear, windy. To home. 130 Becker St. Chore. To Palgrave, Nelson & Doll on Sleigh to **Hendersons** Shop, get Sleigh coupled Shorter. **Flemmings** move to Toronto. Haul wood for **Coulters** from Saw mill. Dinner at **Coulters**. Feed horses in **Bradleys** Stable. XXXXX **Tom Faulkner**? up with? me. Chore. Windy night.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine, warm. To home, chore. To **Youngs** with **Jim** for **Kellys** XXXXXXXX XXXXXX, cut feed afternoon. **Tom** here all day & night. **S. McElwains** Engine. **Kellys** Box. Opp. Cut chaffhouse? XXXXXXXXX Bingham?.
- 8 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Help Jim take Kellys cutting Box to McElwains with Nelson & Doll. Load 7 Bags wheat on Sleigh, Jim & Pa to Bolton grist, Nelson & Charlie help Tom XXXXX. To Binghams at night, chat to Billy & Billy Wilson. Home at 10:30. Roads watery.
- 9 (THURSDAY) Rain, cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Fix martingale. Hitch up Jack & Polly, leave Whites & XXXX Barrel home. To Ballycroy, got paper. Roads very soft & watery. Drive Tom to Palgrave. Home, help Jim shovel snow on road. Haul XX to XX, chore, Will & Fred McCabe here all night with Bull. Boar. S. Kelly & Will Stevens left them here. Horses & Sleigh coming from XXXX.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Fix fence around Stack. Haul load wood for **Tom** to Cedar Mills. Gave **Franky Shore** missionary 25 cts pd. Home. Chore. **James McMullen** here all night, 2 horses & cutter. **Lizzie** here all night. From **McClellands**. **Tom** to **Binghams**, chat, Back at 12.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Cloudy. Rain. To home. Help **J. McMullen** hitch up horses. Help **Tom** fill 5 Bags oats. Chore. **Jim** took chop to mill, then haul load wood to Cedar Mills for **Tom**. Chore. Carry water into Collar. Rain afternoon & evening. **Jas. Law** 1 load??. **Bob Jackson** 2 load. **G. James** got 21 lbs Butter from **Maggie**. 19 cts XX. \$3.99.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Wash, dress. Opp. To **Binghams** afternoon. **Bob Allen & Billy** at roothouse, take out water. Chat, chore, tea. To Palgrave Church at night with **Billy** in cutter. Road flooded. In **Coulters**, chat, get **Coulters** lantern. Home at 12. Cold. **Wass** preach, **Mary Lyons** in choir. **Nettie & Dick. Eva Lass** testify.
- 13 (MONDAY) **Mrs Oliver Mowat** died today, aged 69 years. Cloudy, misty, mild. To home. **S. Kelly** came to get grim? fix saw. Help **Jim & Pa** haul load hay to Stable. Write letter at night to 125. To Bush afternoon, saw wood with **Jim**.
- 14 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Walk to Palgrave, to Station, post 2 letters on train. 1 to **A. J. Roberts**, 1 to 125. Get Stamps, 24 cts pd. Got my long Boots & **Mothers** shoes halfsoled \$ 1.10 pd, at

- **Laverys** for Dinner. Saw wood. Got ride up with **J Sigsworth**, home at 6, chore. **Jim** at **S. Kellys** today. To **Wm St Johns** sale afternoon.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. 2 Boils on my neck. Split wood. Lizzie had new red clock for Jessie Roberts. Jim at Kellys, saw wood. To Ballycroy at night with Lizzie. Got Bird seed & syrup 3, 28 cts pd.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Chore. Split wood. **Jim** at **Kellys**, saw wood. **Maggie Stevens** here today. **Jim** to **J. Guests** at night, quilting party.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Chore. **Jim** at **Kellys**, saw wood. **Arthur John & Jessie Roberts** had cold. Sore. Ear & Boots on my neck.
- 18 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild, cool. **Jim & Pa** took 4 Bushel clover seed to Orangeville today, \$ 8.50 per Bush. \$ 34.00, got Brl salt 95 cts. To home. Chore. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy & Bob Allen**. Home, chore. Shave **Albert** at night.
- 19 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild, squaly, snow. To home. Chore. Sore hands & Boil on neck. **Albert Little. Billy Bingham & Bob Ferris** here. **Jim, Liz, Maggie & Albert** to Palgrave Church tonight at night, in sleigh, Charlie & Nelson. **Bob Ferris** went home. Got letter from **Z. S.** today, Short. **Arthur John & Jessie** Bad cold. To Bed at 11:30.
- 20 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. Snow. To home. Chore. To humber? with cows. Fix fences, fix up gaps. Got hemlock Boughs, **Jim & Maggie** to Cedar Mills, Nelson & Charlie in Sleigh. To **Toms**, see **Ann**. Took 1 Bag potatoes. Apples, loaf Bread. **Jim** to **Binghams** all night.
- 21 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy. Got Sulphur, 25 cts pd. Pectorial Balsam, 20 cts pd. Vinegar, 5 cts pd. Home, take shovel & axe, open drain at top Hunters Hill, turn water. Jim to Palgrave, got 1 Bag plaster, 70 cts pd. John Curren got 1 Bushel clover seed, \$ 8.50 pd. Jim came home from Binghams at 3 o'clock today.
- 22 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Shave, dress, walk to Palgrave, see **T. Wilson** on train to Tottenham, 20 cts, chat to **Wilson**. Got Black Spool, 4 cts. At **Gordons** Store. Walk home at 3 o'clock. Chore. **Jim** at **S. Kellys**. **B. Bingham** get clover seed XX today. **Tom** at **Wilsons**, saw wood.
- 23 (THURSDAY) Misty, S. wind, cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Help **Jim** haul wood out of Bush into field. To Ballycroy at night with **Liz**. Got Stove Brush, 25 cts pd. 3 lbs oatmeal & 2 nutmegs, 10 cts pd. Walk home, read paper, to Bed at 10:40. **Tom** at **Wilsons**, cut wood.
- 24 (FRIDAY) Clear, mild, cool, windy. To home. Help Jim haul wood out of Bush. Cut hemlock log for trough, haul at home on Sleigh. Help Jim saw Beech tree afternoon. Cut Jims hair. Water very high in little creek. **Tom** at **Wilsons**, cut wood.
- 25 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Help **Jim & Pa** haul 1 load hay to Stable. In Bush, Split wood. Help **Jim** to fill 6 Bags oats for chop. In Bush, cut wood & Split. **Tom** went home tonight from **Wilsons**. Cut **Albert Little**'s hair & Shave him tonight.
- 26 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore, read, Sleep. Chore at night. To Bed at 8:15. Palm Sunday.
- 27 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. In Bush, help Jim cut wood. To Ballycroy for 20 Bags, got letter for Sarah from Arthur. Home, help Jim & Pa to fill 20 Bags on Bill potatoes. Dress, to Palgrave on waggon. G. White outto Bush to us, ask for Bee. To John McClelland. With Jim had 21 Bags, 40 lbs at 77 cts, \$ 16.67.

- 28 (TUESDAY) Fine, cool. To home, chore. Shave, dress, walk to Palgrave, help to load potatoes, to Toronto in potato cart? No. 6059? For **J. McClelland** to **Henry Sloan**, 878 Queen St. To Round house, see **Will Stinson**, Stop with him all night at 383 King St west.
- 29 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool. In Toronto, to Don?. XXXXXXX 45 cts. See **Daly & White**. Got winery, 10 yds. \$ 1.00. Cottonade, 85 / 4½? yds. Envelope laces. 40/250, 21 cts for 13 doz. At **Thos Wilkins**. Got 2 pair pants Braces packet rule. \$ 2.00 XXXXX 10. 25 Oranges. 30 nut, street car 10, fare to Palgrave. On GR T. K?? \$ 1.25. Walk home. Tired 9:30. Got letter from 125 tonight. Cloudy & windy tonight.
- 30 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, fine. To home, chore, sleep. Jim left Sarah, Jessie & Arthur John to Palgrave to go to Alliston on train. Saw wood in XXX afternoon. To Binghams at night, Willie Faulkner & I?, Billy went? there, put wood at ????????. Tom took away his 2 saws today. Home, chore. Will here all night.
- 31 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Make water trough. Help Jim & Willie to ring 7 pigs in Bush, cut wood for while. I cut Willies hair at noon & Maggie cut mine. Jim & Will XXX. To Palgrave for Sarah, she did not come. Read Lieutenant Barnabas to 11:00.

APRIL 1893

- 1 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild, cool. To home. Chore. Help Jim & Pa to fill 20 Bags potatoes, to Palgrave with Jim with potatoes, had 22 B, 15 lbs. Pa went to J. Masons for Big Knife. In Dressmakers Shop, Billy Bingham & Alex Coulter. To Coulters for tea, to Station, meet Sarah, Jessie, Arthur John. S. J. & Willie Mullen walk home with B. Bingham. XXX. Willie Mullen & S. J. here all night. Shave Albert & myself tonight.
- Easter Sunday 2 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home, chore, take top off Buggy, dress, to Cedar Mills, to **Toms** with **S. J. McMullen & Willie, Albert** chat in Buggy, Nelson. 1. 2. At **Toms** all night. Eat 9 eggs today. 5 to Breakfast, 2 Dinner, 2 Tea.
- 3 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Toms**, to **Verners** with **Tom**, see peas. Got 120 lbs chop for **Tom**. Drive to Palgrave, to Station. Chat to **M. Shore**. Drive home, **Jas Patterson** up to Ballycroy with me. Home for dinner. To **J. McClellands** sale. Old man here all night. Home.
- 4 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, very windy. To home, help **Jim** saw wood in Bush. To **Kelly's** for Brace & 2 Bits, fix axe for cultivator. Walk to Palgrave, to Station, see **Wilson**. To League with **Alex Coulter**, walk home alone. Dark night.
- 5 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Put axle on cultivator in house, Boil on hand. **Albert** here at night. **Willie Faulkner** here tonight.
- A. J. Roberts 3 years old today 6 (THURSDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. Boil on my hand. Jim at Youngs Sawing Bee, Lizzie, Ann & Margery Faulkner & Willie here, Arthur John Roberts Birthday. Fix A. J. R. on? cake.
- 7 (FRIDAY) Sleet & rain, mild & cloudy. To home. In house, Boil on hand. **Jim** chore. Willie, **Lizzie & Margery** here.
- 8 (SATURDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Boil on hand. Jim took 5 Bushel chopped peas & 4 Bags potatoes to Cedar Mills, to **Tom, Willie**. Lizzie, Ann & Margery with him. He got 10 Bushels peas at 60 cts. Paid for 5 = \$ 3.00, at **Verners**.
- 9 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. To creek with cows. Wash, dress, to **Binghams**, chat, tea, to Palgrave Church with **Billy, Sam Riddell preach**. Walk home, road muddy. Cool. Home at 11:00. **Nettie** play, **Dick St. John, Bill Lindsay**. **Mary Lyons** & 2 **Clark** girls in choir.

- 10 (MONDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Fix pig pen. Fix cultivator. To Bush with Jim, cut runners for Stone Boat, carry them home. To Ballycroy with Maggie to Cobeans, chat. Doctor Campbell did not come. S. Kelly cut 2 pigs for us. Jim at W. Whites Sawing Bee afternoon. Billy Bingham & Albert Little here tonight.
- 11 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Help **Jim** move rails. To Palgrave at night walking with **Billy Bingham**, to League, to Shop in **Mrs McMahon**, see **Walter Strangeways & Brooks** Dentist. To **Coulters**, chat, walk home at 1:30. Cloudy.
- 12 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, misley. Fine. To home. Help **Jim & Pa** clean 4 Bags peas & 4 Bags oats for chop. Dress, walk to Ballycroy, to Office, to Palgrave, Council Meeting. Tooth ache. Got teeth filled, \$ 1.50 pd. Had tea at **Mrs McMahons**, walk home. Write letter for **Albert** tonight, to **E.?. Hadden**.
- Ewe lamb today, 1 Black & 1 White, John here tonight 13 (THURSDAY) Clear, very stormy, W. wind. To home. Make Stone Boat. To Ballycroy, get papers, post letter for letter for Albert to Eliza Hadden. Home, Burn Straw & tops in field. To Binghams, chat to Billy in Barnyard. Jim start to plow today. Eddie McClelland here today with Lizzie to see A. J. R.
- 14 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Help **Willie** Burn straw & tops in field, clean up Garden, Burn of XXXX. Put Jack in Charlies place in Stable. Jim plowing in flat field. Charlie & Nelson.
- 15 (SATURDAY) Snowing, mild, clear. To home. Chore. John McMahon here. Hitch Polly & Charlie in Sleigh. John. Jim. Willie. Arthur John. & I to Ballycroy. Get oatmeal, 25 cts. Rice, 25 cts. Box Boot polish, 10 cts, 55 cash pd. Home for tea. To Palgrave, John & I in Buggy, Nelson. T. Wilson not on train. To Station. Then to Ballycroy, call for Lizzie, home to Bed at XX.
- 16 (SUNDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Chore. To **Young**s Barn with **Eddie**, water cows, chore. Write letter to 125. Fix up parcel. Ring for **Nelson**. Broach? for **Lettie**. Bible for **Mrs McMahon**. XXXXXX. **John & Jim** to **Toms**, Cedar Mills in Buggy today. Back again XXXXXXXXX **Rachel?** for **Chester & Willie**.
- 17 (MONDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Chore, to Palgrave in Buggy with **John**, to Station, post letter on train. Home, Split wood. **Maggie, Sarah**, **Arthur, Jessie** to **Binghams** in Buggy, Dolly XXXXXXXXXX.
- 18 (TUESDAY) Clear, cool. To home. Help Jim fix fence over Hill. Hitch Polly in Sulky to 4th line to Ballycroy. Home. Fill Stable? holes at fence. To Palgrave at night, Polly & Sulky. To Station, Wilson not on train. XXX. Mrs W. Boyce & Mary Ann Boyce here afternoon. George Lavery got new piano today. Jim start cultivate.
- **Aunt Rachel** Died today 19 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cool. To home. Help Jim haul poles, put on fence. Pick up old rails. Feed turnips to cows. Chore. Help Maggie plant 3 poplar trees, 1 on road & 2 at 6th line. Chore. Dress, to Palgrave, Polly in gig. Wilson not on. Home by Ballycroy. **Pedford & Joe Lavery** here tonight for XXXX XXX. Pa went to Bill McMahon today, Dolly in Buggy. Aunt Rachel Died this morning. Jim plow to cultivate today.
- 20 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, hail, rain, snow, East Storm. Rain & Snow, very Stormy. To home. Chore. Split wood in Bush with Jim. Sleep. Chore. **Arthur John** got finger in sewing machine, numb.
- 21 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, Squaly, mild. To home. Chore. To noon. To Palgrave with Maggie, Dolly in Buggy, to Dentist, Maggie got 9 teeth filled & 2 pulled, \$ 5.00 pd. Home by Ballycroy, get mail. Cut Billy Binghams hair tonight. Jim & Pa to Aunt Rachels funeral today, to Mono. English Church shed raised today at Palgrave.
- 22 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, Squaly, misley. To home. Chore. Dress, walk down 6th line, to Palgrave Station, send letter to **T. Wilson**. Got **Arthur John** shoes at **Laverys**, 10 cts pd. Ride to Ballycroy on wagon with **Joe Leggat?.** Walk home. Dinner. Put Brush on road. **Lizzie** came home today from **McClellands**, sick. Help **Maggie** clean up garden, cut poplar trees down.

- 23 (SUNDAY) Cloudy. Fine, cool. To home. Chore. To Palgrave Church at night, Polly in Buggy, Maggie & I. Liz not well. Jim went to Cedar Mills today with Jack in Sulky. Back at night. Wass preach tonight. Moonlight. Write letter to 125.
- 24 (MONDAY) Fine. Cloudy, mild. To home. Help Jim & Pa haul 1 load hay to Stable on Sleigh. Walk to Palgrave, post letter to 125. Wilson not on. Walk home with Billy Bingham & Jim McLaughlin. Drive Sarah to Mono Mills to Dr. Shephards with Polly in Buggy, Doctor away. Home. Chore. Wheel manure into garden from around house. Feed & Bed horses, to Bed at 8:15.
- 25 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Palgrave with Shoes to Laverys to get Soled. To Station, see Wilson. Walk to Ballycroy, got letter from 125. & letter for Sarah (from Roberts) home for Dinner. Hitch up Polly & Jack to Harrow awhile. To Ballycroy with Polly in Buggy for Lizzie, to help Sarah to pack up. To Bolton with Jim, to Station, to Toronto with Sarah, Arthur John & Jessie Roberts on train. To Union Station. See them away on excursion train at 11:20 pm, going to Qu'Appelle. I went up and stopped all night at H. Hulse's Hotel, corner York & Pearl St?. Jim got S. Kellys democrat? & left us at Bolton Station.
- 26 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, east Stormy. At Toronto around town. To G. T. R. freight House. At H. McFaddens & Andy McTaggerts. See Jack Irwin. To Parkdale Station. On train to Bolton. Get ride to Cedar Mills with Abe Walton in Buggy. Stay at Toms all night, rain.
- 27 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, windy, cool. At Cedar Mills, at **Toms**. Walk to Palgrave. Got ride home with **Bill Leggatt**. Chore, to **Binghams**, for collar for Jack. Harrow in flat field with Polly & Jack. Cold. Chore.
- 28 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Harrow in flat field with Polly & Jack. Help Jim & Pa clean 9 Bushels oats at noon, Jim start to Sow oats in flat field. I had Boil on my neck. Clean colts. To Bed at 8:15.
- 29 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Help **Pa & Ma** to clean 8 Bushels Barley. Take it to flat field. On wagon with Polly & Charlie. Finish harrowing flat field. Harrow back in middle field. Take 85 lbs flour to Palgrave, to Henderson. Polly in Buggy. **Jim** trade 13 Bushels oats with **S. Kelly** for Seed. Boil on neck. To **Laverys** for Shoes, 90 cts pd. **George** show me piano. **Mrs McKinney** there, play & Sing. **George** play guitar, sing. Home at 11. **George** Shoes. To Bed at 12.
- Lettie 12 30 (SUNDAY) Clear, mild, cloudy, misley. To home. Chore. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. Wilsons to Caledon East today. Home. Feed horses, dress. Drive to Palgrave with Lizzie, Polly in Buggy. To Church, Wass preach. Around by Ballycroy for nalise. Albert Little here with his fat check?. Sam Beatty & Lyness girls there, Rachel & Martha. Home at 9:30. Rain.

MAY 1893

- 1 (MONDAY) Misley, rain. To home. Shave. Walk down 6th line to Palgrave with **Lizzie, Ann Faulkner**. To Station, on train, to Hamilton. **Bill Borland. Frank Prest. Harry Adair** & I. Get tools on train, to Glanford. Carry 2 plank in tool house. To **Clarks** for Supper. 1 meal.
- 2 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Glanford. Start to fence on Burn's Section. 74. At **Clarks** 3 meals. Paid up tonight, 90 cts, 6 meals.
- 3 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Glanford. Finish fence. On train top Hamilton around town. On train to Terra Cotta. To **Mrs Harbers** 1 meal. **Bill Stead** play fiddle.
- 4 (THURSDAY) XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX To Church revival.
- 5 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Terra Cotta. Fence on **Allens** Section. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals. To Church revival at night.

- 6 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Terra Cotta. Get Jigger? Off car. Fence on **Allens** Section. To Cheltenham, on Jigger?, on train to Palgrave. Home in Buggy with **Lizzie**, Old Dolly. Shave **Albert Little**.
- 7 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Read. Write 4 letters. 1 to **John McMahon**. 1 to **Sarah**. 1 to Box 23 Hamilton, 1 to 125. Feed & bed horses. **Jim & Liz** to Cedar Mills, to Church. Polly in Buggy. Quarterly service at 3:30. Quarterly meeting at King today.
- 8 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Cheltenham. Fence on **Allens** Section. At **Mrs Harbers** 1 meal. **John Pettinger & D. McCallum** Start today.
- 9 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. At Terra Cotta. Fence on **Allens** Section, 62 posts, 6 men. **T. Wilson** came there at 6. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals.
- 10 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, Hot. At Terra Cotta. Fence on Allens Section. Mile 42. At Mrs Harbers 3 meals.
- 11 (THURSDAY) Clear, Hot. At Terra Cotta. Finish fence on **Allens** Section. Start below Station on Longs Section. At **Mrs Harbers** 3 meals.
- 12 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, misley. At Terra Cotta. Finish fence on **Longs** Section. Start culvert at Terra Cotta. At **Harbers** 3 meals, paid \$ 2.25.
- 13 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, misley. At Terra Cotta. Work at culvert, put in Stringers, **Tom Amey?** there. On train to Palgrave, walk home.
- 14 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, warm. To home. Chore. To Palgrave, with Lizzie to Church Brown preach. Stop outside, chat, watch colts. Drive home, Polly in Buggy. Sam & Aggie in choir, Aggie play. Billy Bingham drive past church with Martha Lyness in Buggy. Lizzie, Ann to Allens tonight.
- 15 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Help **Jim** load plaster. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Lizzie** to **Laverys**, get Shoe served? 50 cts. To Station, on train, to Terra Cotta. Work at culvert, at Station. **T. Amey** there, to **Harbers** 1 meal.
- 16 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain. Culvert No. 1. At Terra Cotta. At Culvert, size 2 x 2. 54 ft long, at Station. **T. Armey** there, help us. At **Harber's** 3 meals. Play checkers with **Olive.** to Bed at 9:00.
- 17 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, misley. At Terra Cotta. Finish Culvert at Station. Load timber on car. Laury? timber to small culvert, south. At **Harbers** 3 meals.
- 18 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cold. At Terra Cotta. No. 2. Size 2 x 2. 28 ft long. Put in small culvert at curve. Move to Glen Siding, start culvert there. At **Harbers** 3 meals.
- 19 (FRIDAY) Cool, clear. At Terra Cotta. At culvert at Glen Siding. At **Harbers** 3 meals. Paid up \$ 2.25, weeks Board.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear. At Terra Cotta. Put in culvert, No. 3, over Logans grade. Size 2 x 2. 27 ft long. At **Harbers** 2 meals. Around by Ballycroy. On train to Palgrave, walk home Jim met me.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Read, Sleep, chore. Boil on ncek. **Albert** here, mare & Buggy. In evening.
- 22 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. To Palgrave in wagon, with **Jim** for Salt. On train to Terra Cotta. Work at culvert, at Glen Siding. At **Harbers** 1 meal. To Shanty at night, see **Constable**.

- 23 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, rain, thunderstorm. At Terra Cotta. Put in culvert, at Glen Siding, 2 x 2. No. 4. 44 ft long, at **Harbers** 3 meals. To Shanty with **Jim Spence** at night. Paid up at **Harbers**, 90 cts. To Bed at 11.
- 24 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At Terra Cotta. Finish culvert at Glen Siding. Start small culvert below Lyon's crossing. Move tool Box, to Long's tool house. To **Long's** for tea. Downtown. **Harry, Dunk? & Jack**. Boy's got run.
- 25 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. At Georgetown. Finish culvert below Lyon's crossing, No. 5. 2 x 2. 27 ft long. Move stringers to Culvert. 6. Below tank. At **Long's** 3 meals. To Bed at 9.
- 26 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Georgetown. Start at Culvert below tank. At **Long's** 3 meals. Paid up \$ 1.35. To Bed at 9:30.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Georgetown. Work at Culvert below tank. Flagging. **T. Wilson** Brought timber. Stringer's & wrench. Today unload off, weigh freight. On train to Palgrave, walk up home. Grease shoes.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Read, sleep. Chore, wash, dress, to Palgrave Church at night with Lizzie & Maggie, Polly in Buggy. Wass preach. Jim to Cedar Mills, Jack in gig today, all home together, fine moonlight night. Sam & Emma McClelland & Dick St. John in Choir.
- 29 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Walk to Palgrave. **Lavery** nail heels on shoes. On train to Georgetown Junction. Work at culvert below tank?, got hair cut, 15 cts pd. At Longs 1 meal. **Borland & McCallum** to **Borders/Baxters?** tonight.
- 30 (TUESDAY) Fine, warm. At Georgetown. Work at Culvert below tank. **T. Wilson** with us today. Bank Slide in today. At **Longs** 3 meals. Got little pig, 15 cts, at night. Birds pig. To Bed at 11.
- 31 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At Georgetown. Put in 1 pipe in Culvert below tank. To Old **Spences**, chat to old man. At **Longs**, 3 meals. Finish pig. Fun?.

JUNE 1893

- 1 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Georgetown. Put pipe in Culvert, below tank. 3 x 3. 48 ft long. No. 6. At **Longs** 3 meals.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, rain at noon. At Georgetown. Work at Culvert below tank. At **Longs** 3 meals. Pay up \$ 2.25. **Joe Campbell** at Station at night.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Clear, very hot. Rain. At Georgetown. Work at Culvert below tank. To Terra Cotta on Jigger?. Cut tie wire. Thunder & lightning. Hail. Rain. On train to Palgrave. Walk home, very hot. Shave **Albert Little**. **Jennie Faulkner**.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Clear, very hot. To home. Read. Sleep. Chore. Jim & Maggie to Black horse, Church at night, Polly in Buggy. Mr. Moore preach. Big crowd. Wilson gypsies camp on road. Jennie Faulkner.
- 5 (MONDAY) Clear, hot, cloudy. To home. Cut **Jim's** hair. To Palgrave in Buggy with **Jim & Jennie Faulkner**. On train to Terra Cotta. Put tie wire on fence. On Jigger? to Georgetown, at **Longs**, 1 meal. Got Basswood hat, 5 cts pd. **McClellands** Horses Killed on track at Bridge this morning.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At Georgetown. On Jigger to **Lawson's** curve. Start to fence on **T. Wilson's** Section. Dig holes, set posts. At **Longs** 3 meals. Sore finger.

- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. At Georgetown. 2 meals at **Longs**. On Jigger to Lawsons. Dig holes, laura lumber. **T. Wilson** there today. To **T. Wilsons** at night, 1 meal.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. At **Lawson's**, Start to put on net wire below curve. At **Wilson's** 3 meals. In choir at 12:15 with lill?.
- 9 (FRIDAY) Clear, hot. At **Lawson's**. Fence below curve. At **Wilson's** 3 meals. **Tom Amey?** help **Wilson** put in small culvert 3 x 3. Today. **Jim McKenzie** at window tonight. To Bed at 11.
- 10 (SATURDAY) Fine, clear. At **Lawsons**. Fence below curve. At **Wilsons** 2 meals. Paid up \$ 1.25. On Jigger to Mansewood. On train to Palgrave, ride home with **Jim** in Buggy, Polly. Cut **Albert Little**'s hair & Shave him. Got valise at Longs & paid up 90 cts. Got letter from **John** tonight. Rain tonight.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, rain, misley. Fine night. To home. Sleep. Write letter to **John McMahon**. To Palgrave in Buggy, Polly. With **Liz & Maggie**. **Maggie & Liz** home with **Albert Little**. **George Lavery & I** for drive down 7th line. Met **Tommy Evans**. **Steele** preach. Home at 9:30, fine night.
- 12 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. To Palgrave with Jim, Polly & Buggy. On train to Mansewood, fence below curve. To **Wilson's** 1 meal. To Scotch Block post Office, got 2 posts cards. Write to Gunnels? & German Electric, XX.
- 13 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At **Lawson's**, fence below curve, at **Wilson's** 3 meals.
- 14 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. At Lawson's. Fence below curve. At Wilson's 3 meals. Throw water at night.
- 15 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. At **Lawson's**. Fence below curve. At **Wilson's** 3 meals. Set trap for **Bill Borland**. At night.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Hot, cloudy. At **Lawson's**. Settle up at **Wilson's** \$ 1.80. Finish fence below curve. Move tool Box and Jigger to Milton. On train to Palgrave. Walk up home, swamp flooded.
- 17 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, fine, very Hot. To home. To Black Horse, Polly & gig. Put her in Prests Stable. Start to fence on Geysons Section. Mile post 64. Home at night. Shave **Albert Little** & myself. Got paper from Gunnels? & letter from German Electric Co.
- 19 (MONDAY) Fine, hot, to home. **Lizzie** left me to Church hill, Nelson & Buggy. Fence on Geysons Section, walk home at night.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear, very hot. To home, walk to Palgrave. On train to Milton. Fence on **Wilson's** Section, to Milton at night, at **John Stevenson's** 1 meal. To Show ground, Baseball play.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, hot, showry. At Milton. Fence on **Wilson**. At **Stevenson's** 3 meals. Down town at night.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Hot, cloudy, cool. At Milton. Finish fence on **Wilson** Section. At **Stevenson's** 3 meals. Cool night.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. At Milton. Start to dig out Culvert on **Wilson's** Section. Pile old posts and lumber, Burn them. At **Stevenson's** 3 meals. On train to Everett. At **McCrea's**? Hotel all night.

- 24 (SATURDAY) Fine, hot, rain. At Everett. Work at Culvert, washout. 2 meals at **McCrea's**, paid 30 cts, on train to Palgrave, walk home. To Ballycroy in Buggy with **Jim**. **Tom Amey?** there. Polly. **Willie Faulkner** here.
- 25 (SUNDAY) Fine, hot. Rain. At home. Sleep, read. To Palgrave with Liz & Maggie. Polly in Buggy. To Church, Wass preach farewell sermon. Rain in evening. Henderson's & Voddon? there from Mono Mills.
- 26 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, cloudy, fine. At home. Walk to Palgrave. On train to Everett. Culvert at wash out. **T. Wilson** there. At **McCrea's** 1 meal. Got paid for May, \$ 33.43. Tonight. Rain.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. At Everett. Work at Culvert wash out. **Armey/Aamey?** there. At **McCrea's** 3 meals, walk down track at night to 125. 1. Sit. 1. Lie?. Stop to 12:45. Walk up track to Everett at 2:30. Sleep in Shed robe on floor.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. At Everett. Work at Culvert. Wilson there. At **McCrea's** 3 meals. **Aamey?** went to Hamilton tonight.
- 29 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. At Everett. Take out Stringers, fix fence laura timber. On train to Palgrave, walk home at night.
- 30 (FRIDAY) Clear, hot. To home. Walk to Palgrave, on train to Caledon East. At Culvert in yard. At **Hantons** 1 meal.

JULY 1893

- 1 (SATURDAY) Fine, hot. At Caledon East. Work at Culvert, in yard. At **Hantons** 3 meals. On train to Palgrave. Ride home in Buggy with **Maggie**. Old Doll.
- 2 (SUNDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Chore. Sleep. Wash, dress. To Palgrave with Liz & Maggie, Polly in Buggy, to Church, Mr. Steele preach. Rain. No choir. Maggie Sing. Chat to G. Lavery in Shed, home at 10.
- 3 (MONDAY) Rain. Cool. Fine. To home. To Palgrave, in Buggy with Jim. On train to Caledon East. Work at Culvert. **T. Wilson** there all day. To **Hantons** 1 meal. Around town with **Jim Batesman**.
- 4 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. At Caledon East. Work at Culvert, finish. Settle up at **Hantons** \$ 1.20, 3 meals. Gave **John Stevenson** \$ 1.50. On train to 6th line Bridge. Walk up 6th line, home at 9:00, cool.
- 5 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, rain. Mild, fine. To home. Sleep, read. Hoe turnips, chore. **W. Storms** here morning?.
- 6 (THURSDAY) Mild, fine. To home. Hoe turnips. Turn hay. Put up hay rake. **Jim** finish mowing, Kelly mower. **Jim Nixon** here tonight, all night.
- 7 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Hoe turnips. Turn hay, put up hay. Chore.
- 8 (SATURDAY) Fine, cloudy, rain, windy. To home. Turn hay, put up hay. Hoe turnips. Fix up hay. Bring home colts, Polly & Jack. **Bill Stevens & Albert Little** here at night. Shave **Albert**. **Maggie** at Ballycroy, help Serve? Church.
- 9 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy Church. **Kennedy** preach to Orangeman. Home for Dinner. Sleep, shave dress. To Palgrave at night with Liz & Maggie, Polly in Buggy, to Church, Laidlaw preach. Home at 9:35, cool night.

- 10 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Put Dolly & colts to creek. To **Binghams** with **Jim**, haul hay to Stack. XXX. **Pettit** there.
- 11 (TUESDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Stack hay in creek field, **Billy Bingham** Build Stack, **Billy Wilson** here for? Stack. To Cedar Mills at night with **Willie Faulkner**, Polly in Buggy, Stop all night at **Toms**. XXX XX. **Maggie** got letter from **Lizzie Gower** today. **Mother** Sick today in Bed.
- 12 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, rain. Fine. At Cedar Mills, at **Toms**, drive up home in Buggy. Breakfast, dress, to Beeton in Buggy with **John Young**. Dinner at **Baxters** Hotel. & lodges at Beeton, I drive home with **J. Young**. Home at 10. I drove Jacks Horse with **Lillie**. **Jack** with **Miller**.
- 13 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. Cloudy, rain. To home. Dress, wash. Put out colts, walk down 6th line to Bridge, to Station, see agent. To **Coulters** for Dinner. Got **Henderson** cut Hair. Chat to **Jim Spence** & **Constable**, walk up 7th line with **G. Lavery**. Ride to Ballycroy with **J McClelland**. Got Cheese, 1 lb, 13 cts. Stamps 24 cts pd, papers. Home at 9.
- 14 (FRIDAY) Fine, very hot. To home. To Caledon East, Polly in Buggy. Got pay for June, \$ 31.84?. & \$ 3.75. For July. From **Tom Coulter** at Station. See **G. Evans** about cart. Had dinner at **Hantons**. Home at 4:30. Haul muck with Nelson. Pa & Willie Faulkner at Binghams, hoe turnips.
- 15 (SATURDAY) Rain. Hot, very hot, fine. To home. Put Dolly & colts to creek. Mow fence corners. Sick headache. Shave myself & **Albert** at night.
- 16 (SUNDAY) Clear, very hot. To home. Put horses to creek. Chat to **Billy Bingham** in field. Home, sleep, write letter to 125. Wash, dress. Walk to Palgrave with **Jim** & **Bill Stevens**, post letter in drop. Ride home in Buggy with **Liz, Maggie** & **Jenny Faulkner**. **Bill Stevens** & **Jim** with **Billy Bingham**. **Liz** ride down with **Harry & Jack Pettinger**.
- 17 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Mow fencecorners. See **Billy Bingham & Bill Pettit**. To Palgrave at night, Polly in Buggy. See **Bob Matson**. **Alex Coulter & I** to **Carters**, see **Duffy**, not there. Got Straw hat, 20 cts pd. At **S. J. McClellands**. Home at 10. Fine, cool night.
- 18 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, fine, cool. To home. Drive to **Isaac Matsons**, Jack in gig. Fork hay all day, finish. \$ 1.00 pd. To **Carters**, see about hiring. To Palgrave, see **Duffy**, drive home, cool night. **Jim** start to cut fall wheat today.
- 19 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear, cool. To home. Walk down 6th line to see Constable, he had full gang. Walk home to Ballycroy for Paris Green, got none. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**, home at 10 cool night.
- 20 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. To home. Put Doll & colts to creek. To **Binghams**, help **Billy**, put fingers in cradle. Pull out Binder, put on new reel. **Billy** try cradle in wheat, cut 2 Sheaves. Home, dress. To Tottenham with **Billy** in Buggy, home at 10:45. Got 1 lb. paris green, 25 cts pd and 50 lbs Binder twine. XX.
- 21 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Help **Pa** & **Willie** to fix logheaps. To Binghams, see Binder started. Home. Bind wheat, after Jim cutting roads through wheat. **Jim** & **Willie** take floss cow to Youngs tonight.
- 22 (SATURDAY) Find, mild. To home. Oil Buggy. Dress, drive to Bolton, Polly in Buggy. To Toronto on train, 80?, dinner at **Hulse's**, 25. Got 50 lbs white Sugar, 53/4?. 5 lbs tea, 20. 15 lbs Currants, 6. 10 lbs tapisea?, 5. 10 lbs Rice, 4. \$ 5.58 pd. At Lumbers?, got 6 H-Kerchiefs, 50 cts. 2 Brushes, 5 cts. Tie, 10. Braces, 25. Braces & HRC, 25. To Bolton on train, drive home, **Bob Allen** with me. **Duffy & Jack Pettinger** here. Shave **Albert**.

- 23 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Help **Willie**, put colts to creek. To **Allens**, chat. See **Billy Bingham**. Home, Sleep, tea to Palgrave Church at night, **J. Bible** preach. Walk home with **Liz & Maggie**. Road dusty. **Jim** took **Jenny** home to Cedar Mills.
- 24 (MONDAY) Clear, hot. To home. Stock Barley & fall wheat. **Billy Bingham** here cut with his Binder, all day.
- 25 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. To home. **Jim** drive me to Carters, Polly in Buggy. Shock? fall wheat all day at **Carters**. Hot night.
- 26 (WEDNESDAY) Fine. Clear, windy. At **Carters**. Grind cradle Blade. Bind wheat, cut road, Bind. Shock? up. Very windy. Cold night.
- 27 (THURSDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Shock fall wheat, finish up. Put out horses. Walk up 6th line, home. Cool night.
- 28 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. Rain at night. To home. Help haul in Barley & fall wheat. Shingle Barn. Cut **Bill Stevens & Harry Sibley's** Hair at night.
- 29 (SATURDAY) Cool, fine. To home. Oil Buggy. To Tottenham, Polly in Buggy. Get my watch, \$ 1.50 pd & **Billy Binghams**, \$ 1.00 pd. Got collar for **J. M?. Hamilton**. Home at 11:40. Help mow fall wheat, **Jim** finish hauling in fall wheat. Horse racing on level tonight. Shave myself. Cut **Alberts** Hair & Shave him.

31 (MONDAY) Fine, cloudy, rain, fine. To home. Sulky rake fall wheat Stubble. Sent **Willie** to **Carters** with letter, paid **Wm Duffy** \$ 10.00 for cart today. To **Binghams**, cut **Billy's** Hair. Home, dress. To **Kellys** to wake **Alex Coulter & Tom Storey** there for Buggy. Home at 10:40. Jim at **Binghams** today, help haul in fall wheat.

AUGUST 1893

- 1 (TUESDAY) Fine, cool. To home. Cut **Jim's** Hair. Walk down 6th line to **Carters**. Pick Stones off fallow. To Palgrave at night, get Bottle Electric Oil, pd 20 cts. To **Carters** at 9:30. **Jim** took cart home tonight.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At Carters. Haul in fall wheat (14 load), finish at 9 o'clock.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Clear, hot. At Carter's. Rake fall wheat Stubble. Haul in rakings, 2 loads.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. At Carters. Put Binder in Barn. Pick stones. To Palgrave at night, got home. Fixed.
- 5 (SATURDAY) Clear, hot. Windy, rain. At **Carters**. Finish picking stones. Cultivate couch grass. Rake it up. To Palgrave, get 72 feet plank & 100 inch lumber. From **Beatty**. Walk up 6th line home at night, cut **S. Kelly's** Hair. Tonight.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Wash, dress. To Black Horse Church at 10:30, Liz & I to Quarterly Meeting, Laidlaw preach. Home for Dinner. Write letter to 125. To Palgrave Church at night, Laidlaw preach. Jim left me to Carters after Church, Jack in cart.
- 7 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Build approach to Barn, clean out floor, fix Bridge. Oil cloth. Burn couch grass.

- 8 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Haul 5 cord, 16 inch Slabs from mill to Barns for thrashing, got 1 load Bark for house. Got pea rake. Got 100 ft inch lumber. Left wagon at Shop to get tires set.
- 9 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, very hot. At **Carters**. Took 2 tubs Butter to Station. Help **H. Beatty** on farm. Bind rye & haul in Barley.
- 10 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Start to cut oats in hilly field, very hot.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Very dry, hot. At **Carters**. Cut oats in hilly field. Rain at night.
- 12 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**, chore. To **John Shores**, thrashing in mow. **Gibsons** machine to **Carters** with **R. Crisp**. Cut oats, finish hilly field. **Crisp** Brought 3 plow, XXXXX.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. At **Carters**. Chore. Sleep at Binder. Dress, walk up home. **Jas & Dennis Horan** there & **Harry Sibley**. Went down 6th line to **Carters** with **Harry Sibley**, Jack in cart. To Palgrave. Late for church, then Back to **Carters**.
- 14 (MONDAY) Fine, hot. At Carters. Move Binder to other place, cut oats there.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Hot, fine. At Carters. Cut oats on other place with Binder.
- 16 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Cradle oats on side hill. Broke Binder. Finish cutting oats. Put Binder in Barn.
- 17 (THURSDAY) Fine, warm. At Carters. Stock? up oats. All day. Bind hillside.
- 18 (FRIDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Finish Stocking? up oats on other place. Haul in 3 load oats at home place. Ran? to Palgrave, got 2 Shoes removed on XXX horse. Got patch on Shoe, pd 10 cts. Got Shirt, pd 90 cts.
- 19 (SATURDAY) Cloudy. At Carters. Start to ridge up today.
- 20 (SUNDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. To Palgrave Church, **Laidlaw** preach. Got Shirt in Buggy.
- 21 (MONDAY) Fine, dry. At Carters. Plow till noon. Haul in oats afternoon. Finish hilly field.
- 22 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At Carters. Haul in oats on other place.
- 23 (WEDNESDAY) Foggy, fine. At Carters. Plow till noon. Haul in oats afternoon on other place.
- 24 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Finish hauling in oats on other place. Cut oats at pond hole, 9 Shock.
- 25 (FRIDAY) Clear, hot. At **Carters**. Start to pull peas. Haul in 4 loads. To Palgrave, get papers. Look for man, got none.
- 26 (SATURDAY) Very hot. At **Carters**. Finish hauling in little field peas. Put up hay fork at other Barn. Wash in tub at night.
- 27 (SUNDAY) Very hot. At Carters. Chore. Walk up 7th line home. Shave. Write here. To Palgrave at night, to Church with **Maggie**, Charlie in Buggy, **Mr Steele** preach. To **Carters**, feed horses.

- 28 (MONDAY) Hot, Showry. At **Carters**. Start pull peas at home place. To Palgrave at noon, for man. Plow, pull peas till night. To **Jones** at night on Jack Horse. See **Jimmie** to help to haul in peas. Rain tonight.
- 29 (TUESDAY) Rain, cloudy, cold. At Carters. Clean oats in Barn. Plow afternoon. Cold night.
- 30 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Take 64 Bushels oats to Palgrave Station. Turn peas. Pull peas. To Palgrave at night, look for man. Got **Billy Mullen & Duffy**. Got tobacco & paper for **Carter**.
- 31 (THURSDAY) Clear, Hot. At **Carters**. Bring mover & seed drill over from other Barn. Haul peas to other Barn. 11 load. **Duffy** here with **Beatty's** team. To **W. Taylors** at night for tank, fill it on 6th line.

SEPTEMBER 1893

- 1 (FRIDAY) Fine. Rain at night. At **Carters**. Thrashing peas in field, finish. **Duffy's** machine. Move to **R. J. McClelland's** field. Thrash his peas. Storm with rain at night.
- 2 (SATURDAY) Clear, cool. At Carters. Bring **Beatty's** wagon to Palgrave. Pick up Slabs. Plow. Cut **Harry Beatty's** Hair at night. Chore, wash in cookhouse. Cold night.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carter's**. Shave. To Palgrave Church at 10:30, **Mr. Barras** preach. (of Toronto?). To **Carters** with **Duffy** for Dinner. To English Church at 3, **Mr Kennedy** preach. To **Carters** for tea, chore. To Church at 7 with **Harry Beatty**. Big crowd. **Barras** preach.
- 4 (MONDAY) Clear, warm. At **Carters**. Take **Harry Beatty's** trunk to Palgrave Station on wagon, plow. To Harvest House at Palgrave at night. Big crowd. Made over \$55.00.
- 5 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Plow till noon. To **John Rolleys** thrashing afternoon. **Duffys** machine. In mow. Cold night.
- 6 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Finish plowing. Start to harrow. To Palgrave, to Office at night.
- 7 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, rain, fine. At **Carters**. Rig up drill. Put away mower & pea rake. Finish harrowing. Start to Sow fall wheat. To Palgrave at night, to Social.
- 8 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear. At Carters. Finish Sowing fall wheat. Fix fence. Milk Sheep. Chore.
- 9 (SATURDAY) Clear, hot. At **Carters**. Plowing in fallow. **Jennie** to Bolton afternoon. To Palgrave, got 10? lbs Salts & gum, 5 cts pd.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carter's**. Chore. Shave. Walk up 6th line home. Copy here. Dinner, sleep. See **Billy Bingham & Mary Allen** at creek. To Palgrave in Buggy, old Doll. With **Lizzie & Maggie** to Church. To **Carters** in cart with **Jim**. Feed & water horses.
- 11 (MONDAY) Fine. At Carters. Plow, wash feet.
- 12 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. At Carters. Plow in fallow.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At Carters, plowing in fallow.
- 14 (THURSDAY) Very hot. At **Carters**. Finish fallow. Start in hilly field. To Palgrave at noon, get **Coulter**. Sharped. To Office. Got paper & letter. Pants at Shop.
- 15 (FRIDAY) Clear, fine. At Carters. Plow in hilly field. Use lantern.

- 16 (SATURDAY) Rain, Stormy. Cold. At Carters. Empty 25 Bags peas in Barn. Plow in hilly field. Stormy.
- 17 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Walk down track to Bridges. Got spike hammer. Chore, to Palgrave Church at night. **Mr Dinwoodie** preach. **Tom Faulkner** & I to Cedar Mills after Church. Walk. **Mealy? Faulkner & S. J. McMullen**. 1-2?. There all night.
- 18 (MONDAY) Rain. Fine. Walk up from Cedar Mills with **T. Coulter**. To **Carters** at 6 o'clock. Clean wheat, fix Ben? Wheat. Plow afternoon. In hilly field.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Plow in hilly field. To Palgrave at night, get papers & 1 Box pills, pd 20 cts.
- 20 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. At Carters. Plow in hilly field.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Fine. Rain at night. At Carters. Finish hilly field. Pik Stones. Start to plow long field.
- 22 (FRIDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. To Palgrave at night, get ½ lb Tobacco, 25 cts pd.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**. Chore. To **McDonald's** thrashing in mow. To **Carters**, tea, chore. **Duffy** here. To Palgrave at night.
- 24 (SUNDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. Sleep. Down Humber with **Bob. Matson**. To **Matson's** for tea. To **Carters**. Chore. Dress. To Palgrave Church late, **Laidlaw** preach. Chat to **Billy Bingham**, **Tom & Alex Coulter**.
- 25 (MONDAY) Rain, cloudy, fine. At **Carters**. Chore. To **H.? Beatty's** thrashing in mow. To **Carters**, hull load Slab wood, 2 cord. From mill. Got paper & letter at Office. Chore.
- 26 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. To **Riels** at night, get **Pat?** to go to **Matson's** thrashing, **Jenny Carter** to Caledon East today for Euphy Flux. Bob in Buggy.
- **J. S. Buckwell** married today to **Maggie Shore** 27 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. To Palgrave on fly, got \$ 10.00 changed. To **Matson's**, ask hands for trashing. Fix crib. Take rack off wagon. Plow. Kill lamb. To **Matsons** for tank.
- 28 (THURSDAY) Rain. Fine. At **Carters** thrashing at other Barn, haul over grain. Move machine over to home Barn. To Palgrave at night, hire 4 men.
- 29 (FRIDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**. Thrashing finish at 4 o'clock, move machine up to **Binghams**. Up home for guernsies?. Down 6th line to **Carters** on Bob, lead Jack.
- 30 (SATURDAY) Fine, warm. Fine, warm. At **Carters**. Fix up Stack. Put hay on Stable loft. To Palgrave, got 4 new Shoes on horses. 2 on Bob, & 2 on Jack. Plow in Big field, till night.

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- 1 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. Walk up 7th line home. Change clothes. Write letter to 125. Walk to **Carter's**. Water & feed horses. 12 o'clock.
- 2 (MONDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. Broke shear to Palgrave, got Shear, 30 cts pd, got Bolt at **Henderson's**. To Cedar Mills, tea party at night with **Jim & Lizzie, Ann**. Big crowd. To **Carters** at 12 o'clock.
- 3 (TUESDAY) Clear, hot. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. Rain at night. **Ed. Bradley** Died today.

- 4 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. To Palgrave at night, got hame at Shop. To **Carters** at 11?. In **Bradleys** at wake.
- 5 (THURSDAY) Fine. At Carters. Plow out 6 drills potatoes, plow in Big field.
- 6 (FRIDAY) Fine. Misley, rain at night. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. To Palgrave on XXX, get Share, 30 cts pd. To Palgrave at night for Share, 30 cts pd. See **Bob Matson**, to Kill pigs. To **Carters** at XX.
- 7 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At **Carters**. Plow in Big field. To Palgrave at night, got rope for Halter, 30 cts pd. Pay **Agnes McDonald** 80? cts. **Alex Coulter** \$ 1.00.
- 8 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. Dress. Walk up 7th line home, wash. To English Church. **Maggie** & I, Polly in cart. **Mr Clarke** preach. Drive to **Carters**, chore. Tea. Drive to Church, **Steele** preach. Drive **Bert Matson** to **John's**. To Carters at 10 o'clock. Jim took Polly home.
- 9 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cool, windy. At **Carters**. Help **Bob Matson** Kill 11 pigs. Start to Toronto, **Maggie** & I. 11 pigs. 10 Bags potatoes, 1 tub Butter, 1 lamb skin.
- 10 (TUESDAY) Fine, hot, To Toronto. Got \$ 8.00 & \$ 7.75 for pork. 55 cts per Bag for potatoes. 20 cts for Butter, 50 cts for lambskin. Got goods. Start home at 3 o'clock. Got to **Carters** at 2 o'clock at night.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Sleep till 12 o'clock noon. Chore. Drive **Maggie** up home, Fly in Buffy. To **Carters** at 8 o'clock at night, feed & water horses.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Dig potatoes. To Palgrave at night, got 2 clay pipes, sweets, 10? cts pd.
- 13 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Carters**. Finish digging potatoes. To **Matsons** at night, **Bob** not there. Back to **Carters**, rain all night.
- 14 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, windy, rain. At **Carters**. To **Barry's** thrashing forenoon. Clean 8 Bags oats. Make **Ben** in Stable, carry oats into Stale. Cold, rain all night.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, misley, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. Dress. To Palgrave Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach, no choir.
- 16 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. At **Carters**. Chore. At Barry's thrashing in mow. To **Carters** haul hay into Stable. Chore.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Take some hay & 1 Bag oats to other Barn. Finish plowing Big field, Start to plow on other place. Oat field. Wean? little pigs, fine moonlight nigt.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, clear. At Carters. Plow on other place. Eva Beatty at Carters all night.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Carters. Plow on other place. Very foggy night.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Foggy. Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Plow on other place.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Fine, hot. At **Carters**. Plow on other place. To Palgrave at night. Pay **Henderson** \$ 15.50. Got 5 post cards. Drew chain, 1 cent. Get scent Bottle, 35 cts pd.
- **Lizzie Lavery** 17 today 22 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Chore, shave, dress. To Palgrave to **G. Dale's**. **Duffy** & I drive up home. Jack in cart, **Jim** walked. Our **Lizzie** home today from Strangeways. Got Beechnuts. **Mrs Wm Wilson** here. To Palgrave Church at night. **Bible** preach. To Carters, chore.

- 23 (MONDAY) Foggy. Hot. Clear. At **Carter's**. Plow on the other place. Write 4 letters at night. 1 to 125. 1 to **A. W. Knowles**, Windsor. 1 to the Shoop, Racine, Wisconsin. 1 to **W. F. Hawley**, 48 Bond at Toronto. Misley tonight.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, fine, cool. At **Carters**. Plow on other place. To Palgrave at night, post 3 letters & 3 post cards on train. Post 1 at Office, to 125. Got Shoes at **Lavery's**, 25 cts pd. To **Carters**.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool. At Carters. Plow on other place. Light night.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cold, rain. At **Carters**. Finish plowing on other place. Put plow in Barn, Kill 1 Sheep. Fill up 22 Bags oats & peas for chop. Chore. Start to Toronto at 11?. With **Lizzie**.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. In Toronto with Lizzie. With pork, \$ 7.75. 50 chickens. 6 geese. 3 Ducks, \$ 1.00, got pants, \$ 1.00, scissors & comb. \$ 1.25. Start home at 5 o'clock. Fed at **Holmes** at 10 o'clock.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold, squaly, snow. Got home from Toronto at 5 o'clock. To Bed at 6 sleep to 1 o'clock. Take **S. Kellys** wagon home. To Ballycroy, get back? from Shoop. Card for **Lizzie**. Letter for **Pa**.
- 29 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. Drive to **Carters**, Jack in cart. **Jim** gone home. Chore, Shave.
- 30 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold. At Carters. Bank Stable. Haul gravel for hens & sand for cistern. Feed cow.
- 31 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Carters. Chore, harrow in Big field, windy.

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- 1 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Carters. Harrow in Big field to noon. To **W. Whtes** for 30 Slabs. Got letters at home. Got candle, wisk? & candied lemon at Ballycroy. XXXX paid me \$ 60.00 tonight.
- 2 (THURSDAY) Clear, mild, windy, misley. At Carters. To **Whites** for 30 Slabs. **Duffy** cut my hair. **Old Joe's & Willies?**. **Duffy** help me to cut Slabs. Chore. To party in hall at night, Dance to 2 o'clock, 25 cts pd.
- 3 (FRIDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. Put Slab roof on pig pen. Chore.
- 4 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. At Carters. Haul sand Bank, cow Stable. Put Buggy in other Barn.
- 5 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. Dress. Walk up home. **Jas Nixon** there & **S. Kelly**. Walk to Palgrave, to Church, **Jim Bible** preach. **Crossin & Lee** perform. To Carters at 12 o'clock. Chore. Our folks & **Nixon** went to Black Horse Church.
- 6 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. At **Carters**. **Duffy** & I Kill 9 pigs. Got Bob & Jack shod on hind feet. **Jack Lavery** & I Start to Toronto at 6 o'clock. With 12 Bags potatoes. 7 pigs. 7 geese. 20 chickens, 1 Sheepskin. 24 lbs Butter.
- 7 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. In Toronto. Got \$ 7.00 for pork. 45 for chickens. 6 cts for geese. 50 cts for potatoes, 22 cts for Butter. Got lot Stuff, Start home at 3 o'clock. Got to **Carters** at 1:30 at night. See **Louisa Lavery**.
- 8 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. At Carters. Sleep to 10 o'clock, chore. Cut up 2 pigs. Got Shirt from Pedlar, 80 cts pd. Liz & Maggie here for goods.

- 9 (THURSDAY) Foggy, cool. At **Carters**. Put Straw under crib. Take 1 shoe off ob. Haul gate from other place. Got ³/₄ cord Slabs at **Beattys**. Got 2 papers, 1 letter. Fix old gate. Fix henhouse.
- 10 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. At Carters. Haul 4 ¾ cords slabs. Got 36/72 ft plank. Chore.
- 11 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. At **Carters**. Fix up sheep pen. Put manger under Stack. Cut **Jim's** hair at night in Carters cookhouse. Foggy, misty, very Dark night.
- 12 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cool. At **Carters**. Chore. Shave. To **Lavery's** for Dinner. To **Carters**, chore, **Doctor** & **Mrs Alliston** there. To Palgrave at night, chat to **Duffy & Bob Matson**. Laidlaw preach, dark night.
- 13 (MONDAY) Cloudy, rain, fine, cool. At **Carters**. Chore. To **Rolley's** thrashing on upper place. To **Carters**, chore. Write letter to **Lettie McMahon**. At night.
- 14 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cool. At **Carters**. To Matson's thrashing. To **Carters**, chore. To Station, post letter on train to **Lettie McMahon**. To Store, got Bottle ink. To **Carters**.
- 15 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, snow, cold. At **Carters**. To **McElwains** for 60 feet pine, \$ 1.00 pd. Paid **W. White** \$ 1.20 for Slabs. At home for dinner. To Palgrave, got 150 feet Basswood lumber from **Beatty**. To **Carters**. Get cedar post for gate. Chore, put in cows.
- 16 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cold. At Carters. Chore. To Rolleys thrashing in mow. To Carters, chore.
- 17 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. At Carters. Fix up around Stables. Bring Bess heifer from other place.
- 18 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. To **Henderson's** for rip Saw. Rip pine for gate, chore, to Palgrave at night, chat to **Billy Bingham**.
- 19 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Sore finger. Write letter to Mrs A. J. Roberts. & 1 to 125. Chore. To Palgrave Church at night, Laidlaw preach. Down town with **Duffy**. To **Carters** at 10:30.
- 20 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cool. At **Carters**. Plain lumber for gate. To **Jeffersons** thrashing, after Dinner, to Palgrave at night, post letter to **Mrs A. J. Roberts**. To **Carters**, chore. Got hinges, 12 cts pd. Got nails & onion at **Mrs. McMahons**. 9 cts pd.
- 21 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Plain lumber, make gate. To Palgrave, to Shooting match. To Office. Snow at night. Chore, put hens in pen off trees.
- 22 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. To **Hendersons**. Got 1 hinger, 2 staples. Hang new gate. Chore. **Harry Beatty** came here from Brampton tonight.
- 23 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Haul gravel to gate. To **Matsons**, see **Bob** to Kill pig. Haul hay to Stable. To **Beattys** mill for ½ Bunch Shingles. No 3. Chore. To Palgrave Church at night, thanksgiving.
- 24 (FRIDAY) Cold, clear. At Carters. Chore. Help **Bob Matson** Kill Big Sow. Chore. Cut up pig. **Harry Beatty** went to Brampton tonight. To Palgrave, get **Lavery** to fix Shoe. To **John Rolley's** party. Dance.
- 25 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Clean out Big pig pen. Chore. To Palgrave at night, lads settle up \$ 6.40.
- 26 (SUNDAY) Bright, cold. At Carters. Chore. Sleep till noon. Shave, dress, walk up 6th line home. For tea. Liz & Maggie at Binghams today. To Palgrave at night in Buggy with Liz & Maggie to Church, Old Pettitt preach. To Carters, feed & water horses. Albert Little Bring Maggie Hadden Orangeville tonight.

- 27 (MONDAY) Cloudy, rain. At **Carters**. Chore. To Bolton with grist, 14 B. 45 lbs. Got Barrel of Salt. 2 elbows, **Jenny Carter & Sam Beatty** with me. Rain all the way home.
- 28 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, cold. At Carters. Chore. Move straw off hay in Barn. Cut hole to little Door. Chore.
- 29 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, snow all day. At **Carters**. Chore. Clean 11 Bags oats for horses. Chore.
- 30 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. At **Carters**. Chore. To **Lavery's** with 3 Shoes. See **Beatty** about Bull. Got things in Store & papers. Drive young & cattles over from other Barn. To Palgrave at night, See **Duffy**. To **Lavery's** got 3 pictures & 3 boots, paid 25 cts. 10 cts for Sasy's? shoes. & 15 for my Shoe.

DECEMBER 1893

- 1 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. To **R. J. McClellands** thrashing. In mow, Weatherupp there, fun. To **Carters**, chore. **Eva Beatty** there. Dress, walk to Palgrave. **Duffy** & I drive up to our place in cart. **Maggie Hadden**, Stop to 2 o'clock. Drive to Palgrave. Walk to **Carters**, to Bed at 3 o'clock.
- 2 (SATURDAY) Cold, clear. At **Carters**. Chore. To **R. J. McClellands**, thrashing. Finish at 3 o'clock. To **Carters**, chore. Old cow sick. Eva Beatty there.
- 3 (SUNDAY) Snow, Blow all day, North Storm, cold. At Carters. Chore. Eva Beatty there. Very cold.
- 4 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. At **Carters**. Chore. Calves got in humber, pull them out with Bob. Fix door on calf Stable. Chore. Shave. At night. **Eva Beatty** there.
- 5 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. Fix crib. Drive Bull & heifer up from **Jefferson's**. Bring Sleigh over from other Barn. Chore. **Harry Beatty** took **Eva** home today.
- 6 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, cold. At Carters. Chore. To Caledon East on train. Pay premium to **A. Saunderson** \$ 12.34. Back to Palgrave on train. Got \$ 10.00 from Susy. See **John Peerin** in car. To **Carters**, take Sow to Ballycroy, to **Cobean's** paid \$ 1.00. Up home. Take Sow home, to **Carters**. Chore. To Palgrave with **Jenny Carter & Willie Thrist**. In Sleigh. Chore. To Palgrave at night, that to **Perrin**. To lerge?, got Ball cord from **Mrs McMahons**, 8 cts pd.
- 7 (THURSDAY) Fine, cool. At **Carters**. Chore. Fix Dash Board on Sleigh. **John Jefferson** here, casterate 4 pigs for **Carter**. Chore. Fix cord in clock at night.
- 8 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cold. At **Carters**. Chore. To **Hendersons**, got Sleigh hound's fixed. Drive over to **Albert Rolleys**. **Duffy** & I to **G. Rolleys**, look for wood. Got none. Back to Palgrave, got 5 pieces of V Joint, 12 ft long from **Beatty**. To **Carters**, work at Door. Chore.
- 10 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, squaly. At Carters. Chore. Shave. Chore. Dress. To Palgrave Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach.
- 11 (MONDAY) Fine, very cold. At Carters. Chore. Settle up, \$ 7.00 paid to date. **Duffy** Drive me up home in Sleigh. Walk to Office. To **Binghams**, chat. Killing fowl. Home, help **Jim** put Door. Pig pen. Snow all night, cold.

- 12 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Copy into Big Book. Drive **Lizzie** to Ballycroy, Charlie in cutter. Splice tug. Split wood. Calm night at home. Copy. Some.
- 13 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Split wood. Drive to Ballycroy, Polly in Cutter. Got 3 yds Braid & 11 Buttons, 11 cts pd. Fix saw horse, saw limbs. Copy some.
- 14 (THURSDAY) Cold, snow, mild. To home. Drive up through Adjala with **John Perrin**. Buy potatoes, home for Dinner at 3 o'clock. Got 15 Bags from **Joe Sikes** & 30 Bags from **Youngs**, paid \$ 1.00, home for tea. Drive to Palgrave at night with **Lizzie**. Polly in cutter. Gave letter to **Nagle** for **Perrin**.
- 15 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, snow, rain. To Youngs, thrashing on Stack for S. Kelly. Got wet. To Youngs? for tea.
- 16 (SATURDAY) Rain, mild, windy. To home. Chore. To **Youngs** on Charlie, tell **Billy** about potatoes, home, in Barn, help **Jim & Pa** to clean peas. **Duffy** Bring my hat and Brush, home today. I gave him **Carters** Keys. Help **Jim** cover pig pen with rails & pea Straw. Copy to here today?.
- 17 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. At home. Chore. Shave. To **Binghams**. Chat, tea. To Palgrave with **Billy**. See XXXX, to Church, **Laidlaw** preach. Ride home with **Billy**. Very cold night.
- 18 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold, snow. To home. Help Jim haul 1 load hay from Stack to Stable. To Youngs, thrashing on Stack, finish. Home. Drive Liz to Ballycroy. Charlie in cutter. To Jos. Sikes. To Joices. Back for Liz.
- 19 (TUESDAY) Cold, Stormy. To home. Chore. Drive to Palgrave, Polly in cutter. Bring clothes Back to **Sam McClelland**, 35 cts. Post parcel to **Mrs A. J. Roberts**, 18 cts. To Station, see **Perrin**. XX **Mrs McMahons**, no Baskets. In **Pettingers**, **John** Sick. To Ballycroy, got Silk flos paper. 3 cts. To **Kellys**, chat. Home XX. Buy 25 Bags potatoes from **J. M. Hamilton** at 42 cts. Paid \$ 1.00.
- **Louisa Lavery & Pulford** Married today, & **Albert Rolley**. **Louisa White** to Hamilton 20 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, fine. Stormy. To home. Help 2 Big pigs. Buy potatoes afternoon. To **Whites**, 20?, **Masons**, 25. **McNamara**, 50. To **J. B. Lindseys**, to **Pattersons?**. Down Connor line home. Carry in Big pigs. Very Stormy.
- 21 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Drive to Palgrave, see Perrin. To **Gibsons**, got potatoes, then? **Bardons**. Then home for Dinner. To Palgrave. Took 23 Bags to **Gibsons**. Then home. Polly in cutter. Paid **Stewart Mason** \$ 1.45 for gobbler.
- 22 (FRIDAY) Misty, cool. To home. Help weigh 2 pigs. 256 lbs & 244 lbs. Cut them up. To Palgrave in Sleigh, with **Jim**, to Shop. To Station, help **Perrin** to load car. Got ride with **Graham** up home. Split wood. Rain.
- 23 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Fix plum tree. Help Jim & Pa clean pigs. To Cedar Mills, to **Toms**, Jack in cutter with some pork. Had tea. To Palgrave, got XXXX to cut my hair in **Dale's**. To Station, them home. Big crowd there. **Willie Faulkner** up home with? XX.
- 24 (SUNDAY) Misty, rain, mild. To home. Chore. Dress. To Palgrave, Jack in cutter. Liz & I at?? Church, Fitzpatrick preach. To Coulters for Dinner, Lawrence drove Liz home, at Coulters for tea. To Church at night, Fitzpatrick preach, temperance sermon, home in Sleigh. John McMahon & Young Gamble here tonight, horses & XXX.
- 25 (MONDAY) Fine. Misley, rain, cold. To home. Chore. Grease wagon. Had goose & turkey for Dinner. Got \$ 100.00 from **Perrin** today. **Jack? McMahon & Willie Gamble** here. **Tom** & family here. **Tom** went home at night to Cedar Mills. To Palgrave at night in wagon to party. **Fitzpatrick** there, very cold. Ride home with **Billy Bingham**.

26 (TUESDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Walk to **George Whites**, pay **Mrs White** \$ 7.70, to **S. Masons** pay **Mrs Mason** \$ 25.04. Had Dinner at **Dick McCandless's**. Walk down 3rd line across 30 sideline to **Currans**, pay **John Curran** \$ 9.25, up 6th line home for tea. **Tom** came up to **Billy Binghams** tonight.

Aunt Ellen Doroak? Died today in morning – 27 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, windy. To home. Walk to **John Matsons**, pay him \$ 34.00. Across fields to **Gibsons**, pay **George** \$ 10.20. Across to 9th line. Back to Palgrave. Across fields to **J. Eagans**, pay him \$ 6.25, up 6th line, see **Matty Minick**. At **Allens**, chat. Walk up 6th line home. Read. Chore.

- 28 (THURSDAY) Cloud, misley. To home. Walk up to **Campbells** at Dinner. Across fields to **T. Rolleys**, up to **Sir's**. Across fields to **Chapmans**. Across 5 sidelines to **Ryans**. Across fields to **Bardons**. Down to town line across home for tea. Got letter from **W. J. Hawley**, 127 Trinity Street, Toronto. Read papers.
- 29 (FRIDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. In Bush, cut limbs with **Willie**. **Jim. Maggie**, **Pa & Ma** At **Aunt Ellen's** funeral. Walk to Palgrave at night, late for mail train. Walk home. Cold night.
- 30 (SATURDAY) Very, very cold. To home. Help Jim & Willie get 1 load hay from Stack on wagon. Fill 2 Bags wheat. To Mill with 300 chop, pd 25 cts. Home. Split wood. To Ballycroy at night, to Office, got paper, got letter from John Perrin. Got letter from R. Elliott for Pa. Home. Shave Albert Little.
- 31 (SUNDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Chore. Liz, Maggie & I walk to Palgrave Church at night, Laidlaw preach. Walk home. Road slippery.

JANUARY 1894

- 1 (MONDAY) Clear, mild. Stormy at night. To home. Chore. Shave, walk to Palgrave, vote for **Burton**. **Evans**. **Jefferson**. **White**. & for prohibition. **Crawford** elected Deputy **Reeve**. **Sam Jefferson**, **Bob White** & **Moore** elected Councillors? today. To **Coulters**, chat to **Mary**, had tea, **Miss McBride** there. Big majority for prohibition, about 80 thousand. To Station, post 2 letters on train. 1 to **Mrs A. J. Roberts**. 1 to **Perrin**. To Church party, 25 cts. **Reaneys** Choir there. Walk home at 12 o'clock. **Pa & Ma** to Cedar Mills to **Toms** today in cart. **Jim** at Lockton for prohibition. Windy, mild night. **Charlie Young** came Home from Manitoba today.
- 2 (TUESDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Fix Stalls in horse Stable, fix Jacks Box. To Youngs, John sick. Chat to Charlie Young. To Ballycroy, to Office. To Binghams swamp. Chat to Billy Wilson, Billy Bingham & Tom Faulkner. James Pryor look for hay to Buy.
- 3 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Help **Jim & Pa** clean peas. Cut wood. In Bush, cut limbs, to Palgrave at night with **Maggie**, Polly in cart. To Station. To League. Home in cart.
- 4 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Drive Lizzie to Palgrave. Polly in cart, to Church to scrub, Mrs Story. Mrs Boyce. Lucy Homer. Miss Andrews, Ruth Pettinger & Lizzie in Church. Clean Church. To Station, weigh S. Mason's potatoes, 29 Bags at 42 cts, \$ 12.15. Paid him \$ 10.00 on them, put potatoes in Pettingers cellar. Duffy took Burn's potatoes. Dinner at Coulters, goose. Help fix pulpit. Drive home at 4:30. Polly in Bradleys stable.
- 5 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, snow. Fine. To home. Chore. Fix halters. Put leather on hames. To Office, got letter from **Perrin** with \$ 30.00. Home, drive to Palgrave, Polly in cart. Send letter to **Perrin**, post it on train.
- 6 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild, squaly. To home. To **Kelly's**, Buy 100 potatoes to **John Drummond**, Buy 50 Bags, paid him \$ 10.00 on them. To **McGoverns**, Buy 20 Bags. To **Chapmans**, Buy 20 Bags. Home for Dinner. To **Joices**, Buy 20 Bags. **Duffy's**. To **Currans**, Buy 50 Bags. To **T. Sullivans**, Buy 50 Bags. To **Riels**, Buy 10. To Palgrave, wire to **Perrin**. To Cedar Mills with **Tom Faulkner**, had tea. To Palgrave, see

7 (SUNDAY) Squaly. Snow. Cold. To home. Chore. Jim & Tom Coulter to Palgrave, Jack in cart. David Henderson home with Jim. Wash upstairs. Billy Duffy here for tea. Dave Henderson. Duffy. Jim. Lizzie, Maggie & I to Palgrave in Sleigh, to Church, Steele preach. Home in Sleigh. Cold night.

8 (MONDAY) Clear, cold. To home. In Bush, help **Jim** cut wood. To Palgrave at night with **Jim**. Jack in cutter. To Station. **Perrin** did not come. Home, shave.

9 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Walk to Palgrave, on train to Caledon East, got \$ 123.00 in express package from **John Perrin**. On train to Palgrave. Got ride to Ballycroy with **Bob Dunham**. To Office. Call to see **John Young**. Home for Dinner. Hitch Polly in cutter, drive to **Kelly's** down 5th line to Sullivan, across fields down 6th line, across to Palgrave, get change. To **Burn's**. **Jack Wilsons**. Then home for tea. Chore, clean colts.

10 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Walk to Palgrave. Load potatoes in car. Dinner at **Coulters**, **Perrin** came tonight. To Church. Ride up with **Billy Bingham** in cutter. **Billy** got cart today. Home in Sleigh with **Liz, Maggie & Jim**.

11 (THURSDAY) Mild, windy, Blustry. To home. Hitch Polly in cutter, take **Stewart Masons**, 25 Bags to him, pay him \$ 2.20. Home for Breakfast. Help **Jim, Ma & Pa** to fill 20 Bags of potatoes in cellar. Hitch Jack in cutter, take 8 Bags to **Binghams**. Drive to Palgrave, put Jack in **Bradleys** Stable. To Station, help finish loading car at 12 o'clock. Gave **Perrin** \$ 57.15. Drive home by Ballycroy, get mail, letter from **Albert** for **Maggie**. Dream letter. Got 2 pair overshoes, \$ 2.80 paid. Home for Dinner. Hitch Jack in cutter, take **Kelly's** 5 sacks up home, put in Stable, to **Bub Tunis's?**, see **Sam McElwain** about thrashing. Then home. Fix cutter, home.

12 (FRIDAY) Cold, Blustry. Calm, cold. To home. Chore, split wood at house. Help Jim haul hay from Stack to Stable. Clean & feed colts. Chore. Read paper.

13 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Split wood at house. Hitch Jack in cart, drive to Palgrave, got **Mr. Kidd**, drive to Bolton, got Enterprise, paper & envelopes. In Tom's, gave **Ann** 60 cts for **Willie** for **S. Kelly**. Home at 6 o'clock, chore. **Jim** at **Ned Pettittes** Sawing Bee in **Barney Currans** Bush today.

Maggie's Birthday, 22 - 14 (SUNDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. Dress, walk to Palgrave in Station, help A. C. to compose for Enterprise. To Coulters, for tea with Boys. To Church, Laidlaw preach. Home in Buggy with Liz. Jim & Maggie to Toms, Jack in cart. To Cedar Mills.

15 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley, rain. To home. Chore. To Ballycroy, got 10 lbs flaxseed, 36 cts pd. Home. Shave. Help Jim & Pa clean peas in Barn. Boil oats & flax for colts. Chore, read. **Tom** here today, going to **Tunis's & Petitts** & Tottenham with watche's.

16 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Fix Charlie's Box. Help Jim, cut wood in Bush. Hitch Polly in cart, drive to Ballycroy, got letter from Perrin. Drive to Palgrave, got express parcel? from Perrin with \$ 57.00 in. To Bowes, Back to Palgrave, write letter to Perrin. Post on train. In Mrs McMahons. Home for tea.

17 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, foggy, cold. To home. Chore. In Bush, help **Jim** saw wood. To Binghams at night. Chat. Moonlight.

18 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild, misley, cold. To home. Help Jim saw wood in Bush. To Palgrave at night with Liz to League, Polly in Buggy. Jim & Maggie had Jack in cart. See Harry Watson. Henry Sloan led league. Liz Join league & Mrs R. J. McClelland.

- 19 (FRIDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Fix Polly & Jacks manger. Help Jim saw wood in Bush. To XXXXX Barn, see John Curran about potatoes. Bob Lavery in Bush with us. To Binghams at night XXX. To Ballycroy Church, Kennedy preach. Hiram Gibsons cutting feed for Tom Sullivan.
- 20 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. In Bush, help **Billy Bingham & Jim** cut wood, to **Campbells** for tank, Broke tongue in humber. To **Billy Whites**. **Youngs**, Office **Ned Pettits** ask hands, game. **Sam** start thrash clover. **Jim** got 4 Shoes on at Henderson's.
- 21 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, misley, fine. To home. Chore. Sleep, to Palgrave Church at night with Liz. Jack in cart. Laidlaw preach. Home at 10 o'clock. Mother & Jim in Buggy. Nelson. Cool. Fine moonlight.
- 22 (MONDAY) Cold, cloudy. To home. Help Jim put our wagon tongue in **McElwains**, haul water, hitch Polly in cart, go to **Kelly's & Whites**, ask hands. Back, thrash clover. Thrash peas & oats, finish. Fix up. Chore. Wash, dress. To Ballycroy, to Office. Jim got horses XXXX on hind feet at Palgrave. Move clover hill to **Pat Finerty's**. At night.
- 23 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Chore. Splice wagon tongue. Help **Jim** take carriers to **McElwains**, put pea Straw on scaffold. Write letter to **Perrin**. To Palgrave, Jack in cart. Post letter on train to Perrin. Jim move machine to **McElwains**. Home, chore. Shave. Got ticket, 10 cts pd.
- 24 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy. Rain. Clear, cold. To home. To **John Joices**. Up Bandon line to Grey Stone. Across to **Watsons & Lyons**. To Ballycroy Office, got paper. Home for dinner. Wet. Chore. **Jim** at **Binghams** thrashing clover. **Bob Lavery** here all night. **Duffy & Dave Henderson** here, get hair cut. In Big cart. **Dave** Broke chair Back. **Tom & Willie** here awhile. From **Bob** XXXX's.
- 25 (THURSDAY) Fine. Cold. To home. Walk up to **Campbells & Innis** to **Chapman's**. Across to **J. Drummonds**. To **Charlie Reaney's**. Home for Dinner. To Ballycroy Office. Down 6th line to **Minocks**, across to **Rolleys**, to Palgrave, tea at **Lavery's**. To **Pulfords**, chat. To Church league. Home in Sleigh with **Jim, Liz & Maggie**.
- 26 (FRIDAY) Cold, squaly. To home. Hitch Nelson in cart, drive to Palgrave, to Station, no car there. Put them Back. Up 6th line. Home for Breakfast. Walk to **Currans**. To Palgrave, to Station, to **Pettingers** for dinner, around town on poud?, to **Coulters** for tea. To Lecture at night, **Merrill** from Brampton no good. Letter from **Perrin**. By **Jim**. Home in cart with Billy Bingham in cart. **Jim** in Buggy, Charlie.
- 27 (SATURDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Walk to **Barney Currans**. Up to Pipers Hill, across fields, to **Drummonds** by **Sir's**. Down by **Campbells**, home for dinner. Down 6th line, across to **Watsons**, Charlie & cart. To Palgrave, to Station, Back up to Ballycroy, got Enterprise, home at 6. **Pa & Maggie** to Bolton, Nelson in Buggy. Today. **Willie**, **Lizzie**, **Ann** here all night.
- 28 (SUNDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Chore. Dress, to **Binghams** for tea, to Palgrave with **Billy** in cart, to Church, **Jim Bible & Laidlaw** preach. In **Coulters**, chat. **Tom** there. Home with **Billy** at 12:30?.
- 29 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. Snow, stormy. To home. Walk to Palgrave, load car potatoes, 462 Bags, at Church at night, stop in car all night, Keep fire on. Tea at **Coulters**.
- 30 (TUESDAY) Stormy, cold. At Palgrave, Keep fire in car. Got \$ 103.00. By express from **Perrin**. To **Coulters** for dinner. Left Palgrave with car at 2 o'clock, got to London at 11:30 at night. Met **Perrin** at St Mary's. Stop at **Hodges** all night.
- 31 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. At London. Breakfast at **Hodges**. 25 cts. Left London at 7:30 on train to Georgetown. On weighfreight to Palgrave at 2:10. **Bill Jardine** Conductor. Got ride up home with **William**

Clarke in cutter. Gave him \$ 2.00 for Laidlaw. Pay Mrs Watson \$ 11.60?. XXXXXXXXX. Maggie Stevens here

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- 1 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To **S. Kelly's**, pay him \$ 10.00. To Mill, ask **Alex** about lumber. To **Campbells**, pay **Ned** \$16.80. To **Innis's**, pay **Bob** \$ 8.80. To **Chapmans**, pay **George** \$ 9.12. Had Dinner. Walk home. Had toothache. Chore. Keep salt to ear. Very sore.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Drive to Tottenham, Nelson & cutter. Left hack at **Moffats**, 10 cts, got **Toms** watch, \$ 1.00 & **Willies**. **Bob Lavery** with me. Got tooth pulled at **Brooks**, 25 cts. Home, had tea. To Palgrave, Polly in cutter. Write letter to **Perrin**. Empty potatoes. Home, **Kidd** up with me, going to Mono Mills.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Hitch Jack in cutter, to **Barney Currans** with 10 Bags, pay **Mrs Curran**, \$ 7.80. To Office, got Enterprise & letter from **Sarah** for **Maggie**, home, chore, split wood, shave.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Clear, very cold. To home, chore. Dress. To Palgrave with Liz & Maggie to Church, Quarterly meeting, Laidlaw preach. Home again for Dinner, Polly & Nelson in Sleigh. Chore, read, sleep. Mr Kidd here for tea. To Palgrave Church at night, Polly & Nelson in Sleigh. With Mr Kidd. Lizzie & Maggie. Rutherford gave a Bible reading, Mr Laidlaw preach. Big crowd. Cold night. Home at 10.
- 5 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Hitch up Jack & Polly, haul wood from Bush to house in Sleigh. To Palgrave at night, to Church, **Laidlaw** preach. Home at 10:30.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Chore. To Bush, help Jim split & pile wood. Mr & Mrs Laidlaw & Myrion here for Dinner. To Ballycroy, got papers. Home, write for Enterprise. Dress, walk to Palgrave, to Station, got \$ 88.00. By Express from Perrin. Write letter to Perrin. Post 4 letters on train. 1 to Perrin. 1 to Enterprise. 1 to Mrs A. J. Roberts. 1 to Lettie McMahon. To Church, Laidlaw preach, Big crowd. Home in Buggy with Maggie. Liz & Jim had Polly in cart.
- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Binghams, help **Billy & Jim** haul straw into Barn, to **Currans**, to Ballycroy, to Office. Home, chore. To Palgrave, to Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach, Polly in cart with **Maggie**. Got letter from **Billy Bingham** today.
- 8 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Buy potatoes. To Palgrave Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach, home in cart, Polly with Maggie at 10:30. Flo Sugget there.
- Thunder & lightning 9 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, snow. Rain. To home. Walk to Palgrave, load potatoes, got \$ 160.00 by Express from **Perrin**. Had Dinner & tea at **Coulters**. To Church at night, **Laidlaw preach**. Up to car, put on fire. **Billy Bingham** with me, home in cart with **Billy**. Heavy rain, thunder & lightning.
- **Sophia Pettinger 18 today** -10 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, Blustry, cold, windy. To home. Walk to **Binghams** 6:30. Feed. Ride to Palgrave in wagon with **Billy Bingham**, **Jim** & Willie Faulkner, Nelson & Louisa. Load potatoes in car, finish put in 410 Bags. Start car to St Marys at 2 o'clock. To **Coulters** for Dinner. To **Pettingers**, chat. To Store, write letter to **Perrin**, put in Shipping Bill. To **Coulters** for tea. To Station, post letter on train to Perrin. Got ride up with **Wm McElwain** in Buggy. Chore. Shave. Write here.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Fine, cold. To home. Chore. To **Kelly's** for red heifer. Home, wash, dress. **Mary Ann Boyce and Ed & Flo. Sugget & Billy Bingham & Alex Coulter** here. To Church at night, in cart, Jack in, with XXXX. **Mr Steele** preach. Home in cart with **Maggie**.
- 12 (MONDAY) Very cold. Snow, Storm. To home. Chore. Help Jim haul 2 load hay from Stack to Stable. Walk to Palgrave, to Council meeting, got \$ 4.00. From **McCort**. To **Mrs Pettingers** for tea, Stop all night, had Sing. Big storm, snow drifts.

13 (TUESDAY) Snow, cold, clear, cold. At **Pettingers** for Breakfast. To Station, no mail train today, Dinner at Coulters. Ride up home in Sleigh with **Jas Sloan**. To **McElwains** with **Jim** for 300 ft lumber for **Mr Laidlaw**, \$ 2.70 pd. Home for tea, to Palgrave in Sleigh, Jack & Polly with lumber. **Jim**, **Liz & Maggie**. To Church, **Laidlaw** preach, home at 10:00, very cold, calm.

14 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, mild. Snow at night. To home. Chore. To Binghams, Jim & I help out feed.

Duffy's Engine. To Palgrave at night at night, Billy Bingham & Duffy move Engine to Palgrave. To Church, old clothes. Laidlaw preach. Home on Bob Sleigh with Billy to gate. Up home with Jim, Liz & Maggie. At 10:30. Jack & Polly in Sleigh.

15 (THURSDAY) Fine. Cold. To home. Chore. Cut **Wm. Wilson's** hair. To Palgrave, Polly & Jack in Sleigh, haul wood from **Gibson's** Bush for **Alex Coulter**, gave **Mrs Pettinger** 1 Bag potatoes. Got letter from **Perrin** & letter from **Albert Little**. To Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach. Drive home in Sleigh. Tea at **Coulters**, put colts in **Bradleys** Stable.

16 (FRIDAY) Very cold, N. wind. To home. To **James Snells**, Polly in cutter, look for potatoes. Down 3rd line, across to 5th line, up home for Dinner. To Ballycroy with **Liz**, in Office. Up to Cedarville, across to **Livingstones**, **George** not there. Down home. Write letter to Perrin. Chore, tea, walk to Palgrave, post letter on train to **Perrin**. To Church, **Laidlaw preach**. Join Church tonight. Home in cutter with **Liz & Maggie**. Nelson.

17 (SATURDAY) Clear, milder, soft. To home. Help **Ma** fill 7 Bags potatoes. Help **Jim** load up 5 Bags wheat for grist. 7 Bags potatoes to Bolton, colts in Sleigh, **Lizzie & Jim**. Hitch Nelson in cutter, drive down 6th line, to **Mick Keenahans** for Dinner. To **Frank Horans**. Up 4th line, across to 6th, up home, feed Nelson. To Ballycroy, got letter from **Perrin**. To **Joices** at Pipers Hill, across & down to **Chapmans**. Home for tea. Cut **S. Kelly's** Hair & **Jim's** at night. Shave **Jim** & myself.

18 (SUNDAY) Clear, mild, to home, chore, dress. To Palgrave in Sleigh with Jim, Liz, Maggie, Margery Faulkner. Gertie Jefferson & Minnie Andrews. To Church, Laidlaw preach. Ride home in cutter with Billy Bingham. Moonlight.

19 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Walk to Palgrave, load potatoes. Dinner & tea at Coulters, to Boyces at night with Billy Bingham. Jim. Alex Coulter. Liz. Maggie. Nettie Zimmerman. And Emma Shinaman. Polly & Jack in Sleigh. Florence Sugget there. Back to Palgrave at 3 o'clock in morning, to Station, sleep in car to morning. Keep on fire.

Mary McClelland & William David Reaney married today at Palgrave - 20 (TUESDAY) Clear, cold, Blustry at night. At Palgrave. At Coulters for Breakfast & Dinner. Got \$ 155.00 by Express from Perrin. Finish load car, put 448 Bags in it. Bill for 34?, got ride to Ballycroy with Sam Reaney in Sleigh. Ride home. Chore.

Rawn & Pettitt today – 21 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Write letter to Perrin. Pay S. Kelly, \$ 9.00, Billy Bingham, \$ 27.00, Miller Hamilton, \$ 7.00. Pat McGerrin, \$ 7.00. Home for Dinner. To Palgrave, Jack in cutter, help Laidlaw close up driving house. John Jefferson & Billy Clarke there, had tea at Laidlaws. To Station, post letter on train to Perrin. Albert Little. Card to T. Eaton, Co (90 Yonge St), Duffy & Dave Henderson here at night. Duffy cut my hair.

Jack Cobean moved from Ballycroy to Badjeros today - 22 (THURSDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. Split wood at house. To Ballycroy, got papers. To **Binghams** Swamp, help **Willie & Tom** split & pile wood. Home, chore. To Palgrave at night, Polly & Jack in Sleigh. **Jim, Liz & Maggie**. To League. Home at 10:30. Big time at Ballycroy.

23 (FRIDAY) Clear, very cold. To home. Chore. **Willie** & I haul some wood home. To Ballycroy, got Enterprise, home, Dinner. Sleep. Cut some limbs. Chore. To Palgrave at night with **Lizzie**. Polly in cutter.

To Station, write card to **Perrin**. Mail on train. Put Polly in **Bradleys** Stable, to Concert in Church. **Edith Mason** sang. **Mrs Britt Strangeways** recite, good concert, over 100 there. Home in cutter with **Liz**. **Dan Maybee** recite. **Mrs McKinney** & her daughter sang. **Mrs Laidlaw, Mrs Sloan & Will Lindset** sang. **Britt Strangeways** made speech, charmeter? study. Very cold night, Northern Lights.

Very cold, 20 below zero - 24 (SATURDAY) Clear. Very cold. To home. Chore. Haul wood home from Bush, Polly & Jack, to Ballycroy, get card about money. To **Binghams** Swamp, get pine tops. Home, haul wood. To Palgrave at night, to Station, get \$ 70.00 by Express from **Perrin**. Got sweets, 10 cts at **Mrs McMahons**. Home in cutter. Very cold. Shave.

25 (SUNDAY) Clear, cold. To home, sleep to 10:30. Chore, dress, to Palgrave Church at night in Sleigh, Polly & Jack. With Liz. Maggie. Jim. Willie & Billy Duffy. Laidlaw preach. Home at 9:30, chore.

26 (MONDAY) Clear, milder. To home, help Jim haul wood, Polly & Jack. To Ballycroy, Nelson & cutter, got letter & card from Perrin, got letter for Lizzie. Got 2 lbs horse salts, 10 cts pd. To Palgrave. See Laidlaw. To Carters. To Taylors. Horan's. Keenahans. Winox?'s, Currans & Binghams. Home at 7:30, chore. Mr & Mrs Wm Boyce & family here today. Horses & sleigh.

Sleighing party here - 27 (TUESDAY) Clear, fine. To home. To Chapmans, J. P. Hislons. Hamiltons. To Ballycroy, got 10 cts worth Sulphur, 5 cts copperas. Home for Dinner. To Palgrave, meet Perrin. Drive to Sam Reaneys. Arcoss to town line, down to Jas Snells. Then home for supper, Perrin stop here all night. Sleigh load here. Ed Boyce. Mary Ann. Flo Sugget. Billy Duffy. Dave Henderson. Joe Lavery. Jim Kidd. Alex Coulter. Billy Bingham. Willie Faulkner. John Buckwell & Mrs Buckwell. Lizzie Lavery. Mary Lyons. Minnie Andrews. Ruth Pettinger. Stop to 1 o'clock, went home. Fine night.

28 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Chore. To Palgrave with **Perrin**, Jack in cutter. At **Coulters** for dinner. Put Jack in **Nagles** Stable. Help Perrin load potatoes. To **Pat Burn's**. Take Bags up for **Cosgrove**. Home, chore. To Bed at 9 o'clock.

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- 1 (THURSDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Hitch Jack in cart. To Ballycroy for Bags, to Palgrave, fill 43 Bags, load into car, weigh 46 from **S. McClelland**. To **Coulters** for Dinner. To **Carters** for tea. Back to Palgrave. See **Mrs Bradley** sick. Road very muddy. To League, **Nate Henderson** XXX. Road very muddy. Chat to **Silvie**. Home at 11:30.
- 2 (FRIDAY) Clear, mild, cool. To home. Chore, Split wood at house. To Ballycroy, got papers, syrup (11) & coconut (3). Home, Dinner. Help **Pa** & George Hamilton fill 7 Bags potatoes. Sleep, chore. To **Binghams** at night, chat to **Billy, Tom & Willie** there. Bring axe home, **Jim** away, Jack in cart. Home at 11 o'clock.
- 3 (SATURDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Help Jim cut wood in Bush. To **Owen McGovern's** sale afternoon. XXX in cart, road very muddy. Supper. Sleep. Shave. To Bed at 12.
- 4 (SUNDAY) Clear, warm. To home. Chore. Dress. Hitch Polly in cart, drive to Palgrave. Then to **Thos. Boyce's** with **Alex Coulter**. Sing, chat, tea, to Palgrave Church at night, **Mary Ann** & I in cart, **Florence Sugget, Alex Coulter & Ed Boyce** in Buggy. Jim Bible preach. Chat to **Sylvie & Minnie**, to see **Mrs Bradley** very Sick. Call at Coulters for **Lizzie**, home in cart with **Lizzie**. Dark night. Road very muddy.
- 5 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. Split wood at house. Help Jim & S. Kelly to cut pigs. To Bush after noon, help Jim saw wood in Bush. Cut Tom & Willie's hair at night. They went to Binghams. Then.
- 6 (TUESDAY) Fine. Rain. To home. Help **Jim** to cut wood in Bush. Hitch Polly in cart, drive to **Livingstones**, to **Innis's**, to **Lyons**. To Ballycroy, see **George Livingstone**. To Palgrave. Send post card to **Perrin**. & letter to Enterprise. Put Polly in **Nagles** Stable. Stop all night at **Pettingers**.

- 7 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. At Pettingers, Breakfast. To Station. Hitch up, drive home. For Dinner. Help Jim cut wood in Bush, afternoon. Chore. Write here.
- David & Mary 8 (THURSDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Chore. Help Jim haul hay. Help Jim & Pa bring Big sow and 8 young pigs. Help Jim saw wood in Bush. Perrin in Bush gave me \$ 187.00, chore. To Palgrave in cart with Maggie. To Station, Perrin went to Caledon East on train, Mary McClelland & Wm David Reaney start to north West. Big crowd at Station, to League. To Coulters, see Will Sick. Home in cart with Maggie. Road muddy.
- 9 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. To **Livingstones. Lyons. O' Leary's?**. Office, got papers. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. Home for Dinner. Take 90 lbs clover seed to **Mrs McMahons** for Dick Doherty. To **J. Wilsons. Burns. McCauley's**. To Palgrave. Put Polly in Stable, fed her, tea, chat. At 15. To Church, Hill with **Alex Coulter, Laidlaw preach**. Then home at 11. Road muddy.
- 10 (SATURDAY) Foggy. Clear, mild. To home. Walk to Palgrave with **Billy Bingham**. Ride with **Jim Sloan**, load potatoes. At **Coulters** for Dinner & tea. **Billy** to Toronto & **Laidlaw, Myron & Sylvie**. Up town, walk around Block. To **Coulters**, chat. Home in cart with **Billy Bingham**. Ride with **Jim Sloan**.
- 11 (SUNDAY) Story, west wind, cool. To home. Chore. Write letter to 125. Chore. Dress, to Palgrave at night with Maggie, Jack in cart. Call, see Will Coulter. To Church with Maggie & Mary McFadden. Laidlaw preach. Home in cart with Maggie at 10:30. Moonlight. Cold.
- 12 (MONDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Walk to Palgrave down 6th line with **Martin Mack**, chicken, to **Coulters**. To Station, load car, put in 489 Bags. To Thedford. Billed it, 357 Bags, to **Coulters** for Dinner & tea. **Albert Little** came Back tonight, **Jim** & **Albert** went home in cart, I walked, called at (**Ben Rolleys**), (**V. H. M**.), walk home at 11:30. Read.
- 13 (TUESDAY) Cloudy. Rain. Cool. To home. Chore. In Bush, help **Jim** saw wood. Home, read, chore. To Office, get letter from **Lettie** &. Paper. Got 2 yds lining, 28 cts pd, got 5 lbs salts, 25 cts pd. Got 9 postage stamps. Home, chore. 27 cts pd. Play flip at night.
- 15 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, squaly, snow, misty. To home. Chore, oil cart. Help Jim fix Door on pig pen. XXXX, chore. To Palgrave, Lizzie & I, Polly in cart, send post card to **Perrin**. To League. **Will Lindsey** lead it. Lesson about Jonah. To Parsonage, Liz & I. Chat. Then home at 11 o'clock.
- 16 (FRIDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Hitch Polly in cart. Drive up to **Livingstones**. To **Hislons**. To **XXXXXXX**, to **Irwins**. To Hockley for Dinner (40 cts), feed Polly. To **Lindseys**. To **Snells**. To Mono Mills. To Church Meeting. Drive home for Supper. To Ballycroy Church, **Kennedy** not there. Fine night. Home?. Cut **Will Stevens** hair.
- 17 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, misley. To home. In Bush, pile wood, **Tom** split. To Ballycroy, got paper, came? from **Lettie McMahon**. Home, hitch Jack in Buggy, to **Livingstones**, across, down to Palgrave, send card to **Lettie**. Send message to **Perrin**. Home. Cut **Billy Binghams** hair & shave him. Shave myself. Sleepy.
- 18 (SUNDAY) To home. Drive to Palgrave S. School with Maggie, Polly in Buggy. To Cedar Mills, to Toms for Dinner, chat, tea. Very warm. Roads very muddy. To Palgrave Church at night. Mrs Laidlaw preach, Mr Laidlaw sick. Home in Buggy with Maggie at 9:30, rain after we got home.

- 19 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cool. Fine. To home. Chore. Hitch Polly in cart, drive to **Liggets**, to Connor, up around by Hockley, down town line, home for Dinner. Up to **O'Learys** around by **Livingstones, Tom Guests**, down home, help cut feed. **Sams** Engine. **Kellys** Box. Tea, drive to Black Horse with **Liz**, to Church. **Mr Laidlaw preach**. Left Box of eggs at **Stycks** for **Jones**.
- 20 (TUESDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Chore. To **Sikes** with Box & Keg of eggs & Basket of Butter, to Office, got letter from **Perrin**. Home for Dinner. To Palgrave. Put 2 loads of potatoes in **Pettingers** cellar. Tea with **Harry**. To **Rolleys**, feed Polly, tea. (V. H M.). To 8th line, to **Laidlaw's** party, stop to 11:15, play, sing. Came home by 8th line. Home at 12:30, fine moonlight.
- 21 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, cool, misley, fine, cool. To home. Help Jim grind axes. Sleep. To Ballycroy, got card? for Liz from Lettie. Walk to Palgrave. Sold 52 Bags potatoes to Isaac Matson, \$ 18.80 paid. To Coulters for tea. Walk to Black Horse Church with Alex & Joe. Laidlaw preach. Walk to Palgrave, to Coulters all night. Alex & Joe went to Boyces with XXX.
- 22 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool, misley, cold. At Palgrave, Breakfast at **Coulter's**, to Station. Walk to Ballycroy, got letter from Perrin with \$ 40.00 in. Home for Dinner. Bought? 74 lbs Beef from **James Guest**. At $4 \frac{1}{2} = $ 3.33$ pd. Took it to Cedar Mills for **Tom**, tea. Back to Palgrave, home. Polly in cart. Road muddy. To League.
- 23 (FRIDAY) Fine, windy, cool. To home. To **Binghams**, chat to **Billy**. To Ballycroy with **Billy**, got soap, 5 cts pd. Home for Dinner. Chore. To Black Horse at night with Polly in cart, **Laidlaw** preach. To **T. Boyce's** party. Then home at 4 o'clock.
- 24 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Dress, walk to Palgrave on train to Toronto with Maggie?, got Clover seed, 30 lbs & 1 Bag. 20 cts. Zomammoth?, \$ 3.15 pd. Got valse, 50 cts, oranges, 30 cts. Brush, 20 cts. Bananas, 15 cts. Sat for pictures, 1 doz, \$ 1.00 XXX. Back to Palgrave on train. Maggie went home with Liz in Buggy, I walked, got XXX XXXX.
- Easter Sunday 25 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, cold. To home. Chore. To English Church, Palgrave, **Kennedy** preach, to **Coulters** for tea. To Methodist Church at night, **Laidlaw** preach. To **Coulters**, chat. To B. R., chat to 111. V. H. N. Walk home, cold night, to Bed at 12?, very cold day. **Alex & Duffy** walk to Ridges & Back. With **Florence & XXXXX Sugget**.
- 26 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cold, Blustry. To home. **Jim** go to Palgrave for plaster, 1 ton, \$ 4.85. I went to tell **Billy Bingham**. Home for Dinner. Hitch Jack in cart to Ballycroy. To Palgrave, to Station, telegraph to **Perrin**. Start to **Lyons** Sale, to Late, **Michel** & I Back to Station, see **Buckwell**. Got Basket at **Sam McClellands**. Bags at **Coulters**. Home in cart at 6, very cold.
- 27 (TUESDAY) Cold, Blustry, clear. To home, drive to Mona Road, see **Alexander**. To Caledon East, feed Polly, Dinner at **Hantons**. Across to 5th line to **Mills & Allans, to Kenahans & Minocks**, up 6th home. Tea. To Black Horse at night with **Liz**, to Church, **Laidlaw** preach. Home at 11. Road hard & rough.
- 28 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. Snow at night. To home. Help Jim haul 1 load hay from Stack to Stable. Fill 5 Bags oats & peas for chop. Dinner. To Jos. Stych, got \$ 7.12 from Jeo. For Jones. To Burns. Elliotts. Lipsets. To Palgrave, write letter to Perrin in parsonage. Home for tea. To Ballycroy, hear Proff. Halls lecture, 5 cts. Home at 12:00.
- 29 (THURSDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore, split wood at house. Cut **Albert Little** Hair & shave him. Shave myself. **Jim** to Bolton with grist. To Palgrave Literary entertainment, help **Maggie** to sing. What Will the Harvest Be. **Albert** drive **Maggie** home. To **Bradleys**, old lady very sick. Leave **Mary** home. Walk home. Dark.

30 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Split wood, chore. To **G. Irwin's?** sale afternoon. Got Binder, \$ 45.00, light double tree & knife, 15 cts pd. Home. To Ballycroy, got letter for **Jim** & Enterprise. **Albert** here at night, play mouthorgan. **Duffy & Dave Henderson** here at night. **Jim** at **Young's** sawing Bee. **Billy Bingham** to sale with me. **Duffy** cut my hair, I cut his.

31 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild, windy. To home. Chore. To **G. Irwins** with **Jim**, Bring Binder, home for wagon. Put it in Barn. Chore. Fix turnip, cutter up on Bench, **Albert** here.

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1 (SUNDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore, read. Wash, dress. Chore. To Palgrave at night, to Church with Maggie & Silvie Laidlaw in Buggy. Mr Steele preach. Home with Maggie in Buggy at 9:30?.

Start advance – 2 (MONDAY) Fine, clear. To home. Split wood at house. In Bush, help Jim saw wood. To Office, got letter from **Perrin**. To Palgrave, see **Buckwell**, order refrigerator car. To Hall, Pay \$ 1.00, act vice president closing. Home in cart at 12. **Harry Matson** got ride with me. **Liz** to Bolton today, Nelson in Buggy with eggs.

3 (TUESDAY) Clear, cool, S. wind. To home. To Palgrave, got 2 Shoes on Polly, got wheel fixed. At **Hendersons**. To Station, got \$ 165.00 from **Perrin** by express. To **Maybees** on 10th line. To **Lipsetts** for Dinner. To **G. Elliotts**. To Palgrave, write letter to **Perrin**. Gave letters to **Buckwell** to post on train. To **Jim Alleys** on 5th line. Up to **Matty Minocks**. Up to **Pat Finertys**. Up home for tea. To Ballycroy, got \$ 40.00 changed. Call, see **Pettit**. Home at 9:30. Rain.

Old Mrs Bradley Died today - 5 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. Chore. To Palgrave. In wagon with Jim, load car potatoes, put in 437 Bags. Alex Coulter help me, paid Alex \$ 1.00. Billed car 30,000 XX London car No. 3341. Left at 7:30 at night. To League. Mrs Laidlaw lead. Home in cart with Billy Bingham.

A. J. Roberts 4 years old today - 6 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool. To home. In Bush, help **Jim** saw wood. Dress, shave, walk to Palgrave, post letter on train to **Perrin**. On train to Alliston, to Trimbles. To **Youngs**, see **Jim Trimble** at Hepworth, to 125 all night. **Old Bill** there. (1) at 2 o'clock.

7 (SATURDAY) Fine, cool. At 125. Alliston for Breakfast. To Station on train to Palgrave. Ride up home in Buggy with Liz. Dinner. Jim went away to train today. To Orangeville, Polly in Buggy, to meeting in Son's of Ireland Hall. Got leather, \$ 2.00. Shafts & whiffletree for cart, \$ 1.00?, whip 30 cts. Felt 10 cts. Coil spring \$ 1.00. Hostler 10 cts. Home at 8 o'clock. Kidd & Charlie Gibson? stop for tea. Willie Faulkner here. S. Kelly here.

8 (SUNDAY) Squaly, cold, clear. To home. Chore. To Palgrave, to Sunday School in Buggy with Liz & Maggie. Duffy drove them home. Jim away. At Coulters for Dinner & tea. To Station with Alex, compose. To Church at night, Laidlaw preach. To Castle?, to 4:30, walk home. Sleep to 7:00?.

9 (MONDAY) Clear, cold. To home. Chore. In Bush, help **Willie** saw wood. To Binghams, chat to **Billy. Simon. Finerty** there. Start to work. Home, cut wood. Chore. **Jim** away. Came home.

- 10 (TUESDAY) Cloudy, stormy. Snowstorm afternoon, East wind, Big storm. To home. Help **Jim & Willie** haul home wood in wagon, split wood. Help **Willie** with Kettle & pot over XXXXX, **Willie** & I pile wood in Bush. In house, fix harness & halter. Chore. Read. To Bed at 9:15?.
- 11 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Chore. Help **Willie** fill 6 Bags peas & oats for chop. **Jim** to Mill, Charlie & Nelson run home. **Jim** took cart to Palgrave to be fixed, to Ballycroy, got paper. Brass rivits, 18 cts pd. Help **Jim** haul out wood. Boil sap. To **Jas Snells** with Polly in Buggy Bags?.
- 12 (THURSDAY) Fine, warm. To home. To Bush, help **Willie** tap 11 trees, Boil sap, cut wood. To Palgrave at night with **Willie**, Jack in Buggy. 19 lbs dried apples to Ballycroy. 5 cts per lb. 95 cts Due Bill. To League, walk home at Castle to 12:30. **Liz** came home with **Jim. Pa** to Orangeville Fair today, Nelson in Buggy.
- 13 (FRIDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Help Jim to haul hay from Stack. Take rack of put on Box on old wagon, haul home wood. Ring pigs. To Ballycroy at night, got carrot & onion seed. Ride home with S. Kelly. Willie here, Boil sap.
- 14 (SATURDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Help Jim sow 4 Bags plaster on flat field. Haul 1 load wood. Clean 22 ½ Bushels oats. To Binghams for 4 Bags. To Ballycroy got castor oil, 23 cts. Home. Chore. Cut S. Kelly's hair at night, shave Albert Little & myself. Fine moonlight night. Jim to Downeys for seed oats Banner. Willie here.
- 15 (SUNDAY) Fine, very hot. To home. Chore. Walk to Palgrave Church at night, Laidlaw preach, for drive down 7th to 23 Hill & Back. With M. M., Billy's mare & cart. To Castle to 3:15. Walk home. Lawrence Coulter here today. & Willie Faulkner.
- 16 (MONDAY) Fine, mild. Rain at night. To home. Chore. **Willie** & I sow 3 Bags plaster on flat, XXX Jack & Polly in wagon. Drive to Bolton, Polly in Buggy. With 41 Doz eggs, 10 cts, \$ 4.10?, & 10 lbs XXXX, (20) XX, got \$ 2.00 sugar. cotton, 5. 10 buckles. Home at 5:30, tea. To Palgrave at night to 268 Connor XX?. **Willie** went home tonight to Cedar Mills. **Jim** at **Martin Mack's** Plowing Bee. At **Wilson's**.
- 17 (TUESDAY) Clear, hot. To home. Chore. To **Mrs. E. Wallace's** funeral with **Pa**, Jack in Buggy, down to sidle line across to 6th line, up home, put manure on little garden. Write for Enterprise. Pick Stones. Walk to Palgrave, post letter on train. Up 6th to 30, chat. Fine moonlight night. Home at 10:30?.
- 18 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, warm. To home. Sow clover seed on fall wheat with Drill, Polly & Jack start to harrow in middle field. Help **Pa** clean 6 ½ Bushels Barley. Chore. To Bed at 8.
- 19 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot, thunder, shower at night. To home. Harrow in middle field with Jack & Polly. Chore. Jim Start to sow Barley & Banner oats today. Slim Jim here for Breakfast. Jim to Palgrave, Dolly in Buggy tonight. Maggie to Palgrave, to Mrs Buckwells, take first lesson painting. Jim to Palgrave, Dolly in Buggy tonight.
- 20 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. Cloudy, rain. To home. Finish harrow middle field. Harrow fall wheat, 7 acre field. Help plant some potatoes in garden. Chore. **Charlie Reaney** here at night.
- 21 (SATURDAY) Cloudy, misley. Fine. To home. Chore. Make 2 home straps. 1 Brest strap. Fix halter. Fix Box. Pick Stones of hill. Fix fence. Pile rail. To Palgrave with Jack for cart. Paid **Henderson**, \$ 1.85. **Maggie** home with me. By Ballycroy, got paper. Home. Cut **Jim** & **Frank Mack's** hair. I cut off mustaches tonight?. **Myself & Albert**.
- 22 (SUNDAY) Fine, clear, cool. To home. Chore. Dress, to Palgrave S. School with **Maggie**, Polly in Buggy, home for Dinner. **Mrs Coulter & Tom** up with us. **Tom** & I to Binghams, chat to **Billy**, had tea with him. Up home. **Jim & Duffy** there. **Tom** & I start to walk to Palgrave, got ride with Billy Bingham in Buggy. To Church.

- **Jim Bible preach**. **Mr Laidlaw** sick. To **Coulters**, chat, to **H.M**. with **Mary** (1). Down track for walk with **Mary**. All night. Up to stack. Up home.
- 23 (MONDAY) Cloudy, cool. Walk up home. Change clothes. Help **Pa** to fill peas in Barn, 8 Bags clean them. Harrow hill above house. Chore. **Jim** sow peas.
- 24 (TUESDAY) Clear, cool. To home. Chore. To Swamp on new road for Balsam trees. Help **Jim** get muck in Palgrave swamp. Haul home trees. Help **Jim** plant Balsam trees in garden. To Palgrave, Polly in Buggy. To Station, post letter on train to Enterprise. In **Laidlaws**, play flip. In English Church. Home at 10.
- 25 (WEDNESDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Help Jim plant trees. Help Pa fill 6 Bags peas & oats for chop. To Jas Snells, Jack in cart for potatoes. Got none. Home for Dinner. Help Jim move fence at Bush. To Ballycroy at night, got letter from Perrin. To Proff Kents lecture in hall, 15 cts, home at 11. Got fashion paper for Lizzie. Stewart Masons. Hazards. Orrs. Billy Bingham here for his oats. Banner.
- 26 (THURSDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Help Jim move rails. Pick up Burn off. Jim start to plow new land. To Palgrave at night, Polly in Buggy with Jim. Drive to Sheep, Jack in cart with Mary. Home at 10:30?. Back to Beattys.
- 27 (FRIDAY) Fine, hot. To home. Help **Pa** clear fence road. To **Binghams** for gage. Burn Brush. Fence till night. Chore. **Morman**? Brought telegram from **Perrin** to pay 45. **Jim** to Palgrave tonight, Jack in cart. **Jim** plowing new land.
- 28 (SATURDAY) Cloudy. Rain. Misley. To home. Chore. Help **Pa** fence at Bush. Buy potatoes afternoon, up to **J. B. Lindsey's**. Back home for tea. To Ballycroy, got paper. To Palgrave, gave list of potatoes to **R. J. McClelland**. Crowd on level trotting horses tonight. Shave **Albert** & myself.
- 29 (SUNDAY) Clear, hot. To home. To Palgrave S. School with Maggie, Jack in cart. Jim & Billy Bingham went to Toms, Cedar Mills. Liz went to Gibsons, Polly in Buggy, Maggie & I home, chore, sleep. To Church at night, Palgrave, with Maggie, Steele preach. Home at 9:30, Albert here. Gave letter to Bob Coulter for T. C. for Perrin.
- Niece Letties 13th Birthday 30 (MONDAY) Clear, fine. To home. Hitch Polly in cart, drive to Watsons, to Bretts. Up to McKenna for Dinner. To Uncle Bill McMahons. He was in Bed. To O'Learys, over to Irwins. Down to Lee's. Then down to town line, home at 8 o'clock. Got 305 promised at 50 cts. To Bed at 9:15. See Uncle James Daroak in garden. Plant potatoes. Jim plowing in field??.

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- 1 (TUESDAY) Clear, hot, rain. Hot. To home. Fence new land. Split rails. To Palgrave at night, Jack in cart, gave **Alex Coulter** list of potatoes, **R. J.** sick. Chat to **M.** Home at 10:30.
- 2 (WEDNESDAY) Cloudy, windy, cool. To home. Roll peas, Jack & Polly roll fall wheat. **Laidlaw & Iva** here at noon. **Maggie Stevens** here at night, **Liz & Jim** left here home. Wrote letter to 125 tonight.
- 3 (THURSDAY) Cloudy, mild. To home. Cut rails. Finish rolling fall wheat. Start roll oats and Barley. To **Wilson's** for harrow, not there. Home, chore. To **Binghams**, chat. To League at Palgrave with **Billy** in cart, **Eva Beatty** lead. Post letter to 125. & 1 to **A. Sanders**, 560.
- 4 (FRIDAY) Cloudy, cool, fine, mild. To home. To **Kellys** for democrat, Jack & Polly. Home, oil wagon, lunch. To Bolton with **Liz & Maggie Stevens** with eggs & Butter & onions. Got paint & brush, Brass rivits. \$ 1.00. Home at 6:00?, tea. To Kellys with wagon. Home. **Lizzie, Ann Faulkner** came home with us from Cedar Mills.

- 5 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. Cloudy, thunder, rain. To home. Fill 7 Bags peas & oats. 63 cts pd. To Mill with chop, Lizzie, Ann with me. Jack & Polly. Home with chop. To Ballycroy for 6 Bull harrow, home, roll in middle field to rain came (5 o'clock). Chore. Cut Albert Little's hair & shave him & shave myself. Wet night.
- 6 (SUNDAY) Cloudy, rain, mild. To home. To Palgrave S. S. with **Maggie**, Jack in cart, to **Coulters** for Dinner, to English Church. Tea at **Coulters**. To Church at night, with **M**, **Laidlaw** preach, XXXX, down track after Church. Walk home, change clothes, sleep on lounge in parlor. **Duffy** drive **Maggie** home from S. S., Church at night.
- 7 (MONDAY) Fine, cool, very stormy, Dusty. To home. Chore. To **Binghams** for **Toms** mall. To Bash, split rails, carry over creek. Home, chore. Wash feet. Write for Enterprise. **Jim** at Sullivans Plowing Bee on Wallace farm?.
- 8 (TUESDAY) Fine, windy, cool. To home. Help **Jim & Pa** pick roots on new land. To Palgrave at night, Jack in cart, to Station, post letter on train to Enterprise. Chat to **Duffy**, home at 10:30.
- 9 (WEDNESDAY) Clear, mild. To home. Help Jim pick stones of new land. Cut rail cuts. **Billy Bingham & Billy Wilson** chat. To Cedar Mills at night with Maggie, Polly in cart. Cold night. Jim harrow.
- 10 (THURSDAY) Cloudy. Fine. Rain at night. To home. To Orangeville fair, Sell Flower cow, \$ 33.00. Pa? & I, Polly in cart. Home at 3:30?, tea. To Palgrave at night, to League. Rain stop in shed. Home at 12. 10 & 11, set time for XXXX.
- 11 (FRIDAY) Fine, dry. To home. Sow oats in new land, Broadcast with Polly & Jack. Cut off Barrel. XXX Jim harrow new land. S. Kelly & Martin Mack make fence in Bush. Cool night, to Bed at XXX.
- 12 (SATURDAY) Fine, mild. To home. In Bush, split rails, lay worm at creek. To Mill with 6 Bags peas & oats for chop, home. Tea. Fence at swamp. See races on road. Cut **Billy Binghams** hair & **Willie Faulkner's** hair. Shave **Albert Little** & myself. **Jim** got 2 shoes on Jack at Palgrave. **Tom Rogers**, the 1 legged man here for Breakfast. **Jim** finish harrow new land.
- 13 (SUNDAY) Clear, mild. To home. To Palgrave S. School. Home for Dinner. **Alex Coulter & Mrs W. Steele** here. Chore. To Palgrave at night, to Church, **Mr. Pettitt** preach. Meet **Duffy**, chat. Walk home at 1 o'clock.
- 14 (MONDAY) Cloudy, misley. To home. Fix fence at Stable. Help Jim haul home hay from Stack. To Palgrave at night with Liz to Ladies Aid meeting. In Coulters, wait?, ?????, Liz, home at 11:20. Willie Faulkner fish. G. White here with cow.
- 15 (TUESDAY) Fine, mild. To home. Chore. To Cedar Mills with **Willie Faulkner**. Polly & Jack in wagon withe edgeings & 1 Bag potatoes. Home, make crupper? strap, chore. Walk to Palgrave at night, to Council meeting. Appointed delegate, walk home at 11. Fine moonlight.

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