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Miss B. C. Carpenter
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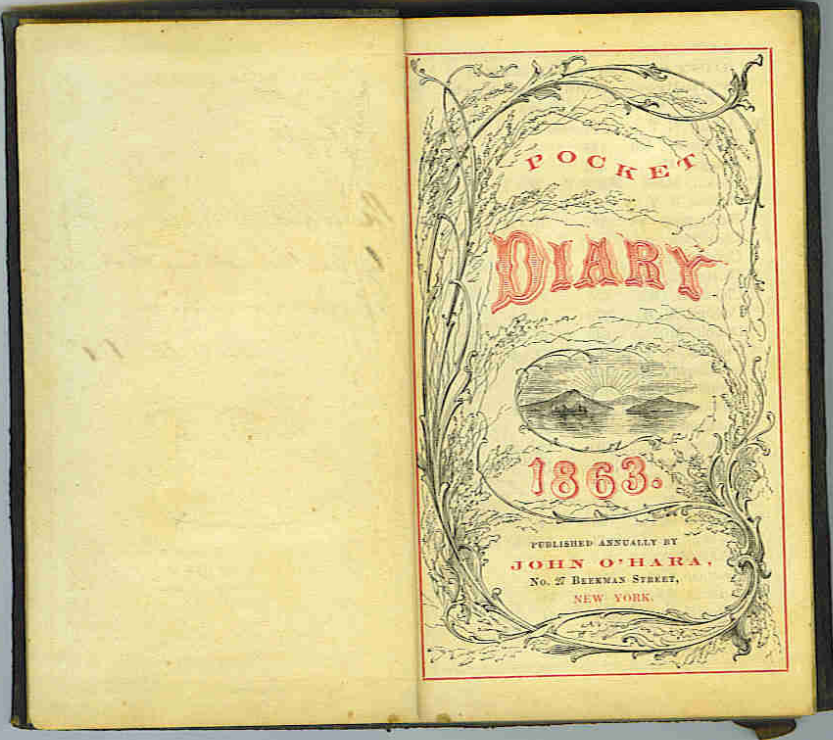
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3	Tu	6 22s	11 43	4 24	3	Th	7 6m	morn	4 28
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23	Mo	6 55s	5 6	9 44	23	We	7 22s	5 56	10 11
24	Tu	4 37s	6 10	10 33	24	Th	4 28s	6 46	10 59
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 1863.

Left Lansingville yesterday
 Stopped at the Hotel Ithaca
 Called early on Br Barns
 VonHabeck and Mr Bowles
 took the Cars at 8 A.M. for
 Elmira Stopped at the
 American took watch
 of Cowen to Johnsons to be
 set running R. Cotton
 from Wife Scava Harris
 Booth entered on Elmira
 Jan 1st 1863

FRIDAY 2

Cold morning letter from
 Booth wrote to Wife D to
 Booth and Haley said
 Nutter no trouble about
 the title of his lot in Wellbu
 rgh - his house is burnt
 good luck for him I have
 done but little to day -

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1863.

Rose early fine weather saw
Van Camp in ice cannot
agree - Saw David Post
rode to my lots in S. Port.
how much I have to do -
"got boots taped," Saw D. M.
Ellis - he will pay for pole
and whiffletree \$1.50 -

I think D. M. Baldwin may
buy my 2 lots in S. Port.
(see opposite)

SUNDAY 4

Disturbed & uneasy morning
since all last night with the
groan and sadning tone of
singing of a woman in room
near mine I have learned
the cause - Heard Rev. Norman
at Heddins Ch - a Redeem the
time Good - saw Capt. Henry
& asked Biled with to take dinner
at the American He did not ask
me (went to Harriet) He is
dead -

MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 1863.

Weather mild warm - have done
more nothing, yet worked & have
taken Baldwin to my lots but it
dont take I may be oblig'd to
sell to Trenton - but I dread his pay
I cannot dispense of collecting any
money - I am glad I took some
with me -

TUESDAY 6

Had half the night slept but
little - R. letter from Halsey \$20
from S. L. Booth lot of shells
2nd \$10⁰⁰ 10⁰⁰ Engage a Cask
on a day Monday 12⁰⁰ - I am
weary of this kind of business
But bought 2nd \$10⁰⁰ of the bank 3⁰⁰
5⁰⁰ Engage it himself of Thomas
for 1⁰⁰ 2nd Carman

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1863.

Cool this morning, slept but little & evening in head rose early, saw Fontaine's gun later but ticket Chicago - to St. La 3/16/85. Left my machine & with Mr. Spiby to sell & to look for the 2 missing - Sold 2 lots to Paris, some - some better. Very talk with Mr. Camp - find some Mr. Perry & Mr. S. at main table, reception of an order.

THURSDAY 8

Woke at 2 morning and sleep for me - hope to be off at 11:25. Left for Buffalo - some - some but ticket to Buffalo.

Reached Buffalo 11 P.M. Stopped at O. Hotel. Met with Dr. C. B. Casome, Sam. H. Hechster, Sam. H. Sawyer, Mr. Wenship settled for supper for 45¢. My gun case well - but I am left hands gone.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1863.

Settle with Wenship Mr. Hechster. Lacey's lot of Bryan's ticket to Schrad 35¢ took Car. 6:25 P.M. Stopped at Lappin's Bridge till 11:45 P.M., Arrived at Buffalo 5:75.

SATURDAY 10

Reached Detroit 11 A.M. and Parma 2 P.M. Arrived. I was met me at depot. To take me home. Glad to find my wife and the children well and in fine spirits. I feel truly grateful to God that life & health has been spared us.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 1863.

Rose late - with the cold but fine
roads very bad all stay at
home I feel some fatigued with
journeying - how pleasant this sweet
family

MONDAY 12

Sufficiently cold to be pleasant
and healthy, we have many calls
to make, all are happy & singing
happy middle family -
made present visit at Mr & Mrs
Upton's dinner and part of afternoon
- afternoon and evening at
Mr Deans very good visit
indeed - had a good visit
evening on return with Maria
(Mrs Stubbs) I enjoy these visits
I have several engagements
on my hands a head

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1863.

Rainy & fresh & air chilly & air
we have two visits to make party
in Parma all ministers of place invited
Church - Chandler - Edwell - all house
of Mr Campbell, we made the visit
It was a splendid party. Evening
at Lewis Brown's better than the other
Gent & Lady's, Myden & Kinnellton
Mr Brown & Elizabeth Childs Self &
rich or part Lewis & Susan are all
that can be desired.

WEDNESDAY 14

Quite warm. John Hubert got
got up a magnificent party
for an infirm present Hughes & Lady
A very pleasant time & Chapel. "
rich repast - roast, Dean - "
turkey and many & Mineu "
varieties - good & Walden - "
Cassant wine, fruit & Brown - "
- this evening & Van Voorhis -
Harriet quite unwell & Fox & Lady
and not wonder so & Dean & Lady
many calls & parties & Mrs Mc Gee

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1863.

Cold and chilly - Harriet quite smart. after a good nights sleep. took cars at Parma 2 P.M. for Lakewood - Mrs Foster called Mrs Stables went with us Sabbaugh - Great time Hunt Carrie played the piano finely

FRIDAY 16

Made many calls & bot water to Spittadles on ground, saw Conley Bot Book & Pen - Stamps Basket ye Room Paper & took tea at Mr Knoffs - evening at Deans large party Dinners & Lady Foster & Lady Mrs. Thorne Miss Downes Miss Phelps Mrs Stables &c

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 1863.

Took Cars for Parma at 5 A.M. paid fare 1.05 all well at Millies he met us at depot, took us home - good Roast turkey. Harriet - tired, and no wonder. Harriet loved wept she shall have rest - quit - They say I must preach tomorrow, in Parma - well I will try. "hope God may help me" whose opinion is P. & R. 22 1/2

SUNDAY 18

Cold & some weather. Good with Rev. Colwell to Canfield. Oh how I like preach. I preached at Union Ch. Parma 2 P.M. John 12:35-36 - Evening in Elder Church & Fine house on 15th - 15 very large congregations. "I think God helped me" Staid at Dr Campbell's over night - He took us home in morning to my pack.

MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 1863.

Still cold. Harriet & I have been packing trunks & several calls. Harriet quite weary - bad cold, several calls in the evening, to take leave of Mr. I can think of no one who has so many warm hearted friends. I hope she may meet with friends in the far off land of her destination.

TUESDAY 20

Cold & hail some - we are making a finish of packing, but paid the bill of Pedlar, Tom better - several calls afternoon and evening. Edmondson and John Upton - Gualic - Upton afternoon & evening

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1863.

Rose early - warm pretty good sleighing, finished packing. Strapped the trunks, took them to Depot - got them checked to Chicago - now at Mr. Devoe when we take dinner with them. Mr. Allen's Poices & his wife are with us. we soon take our leave. Oh what a beautiful day. Depot from 1 to 10 miles of a fine snow. I packed the trunks at 10 P.M. my trunk was hot others 4-5.

THURSDAY 22

Reached Quincy 12 noon & made journey well till 2 P.M. on freight. Oh the mud, bog sty. full of ice. about 4 P.M. Palmer & I reached St. Joe. J. A. M. at Quincy Harriet quite fatigued. Cup of strong tea & increased her

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 1863.

Reached St. Joe 7 P.M. Harriet
enjoyed the journey well - we
are expecting one of the boys after
W.D. hope one will come - I have
to a piece over the Ct. my flight
not arrived - Hesterly & I talked with
my settlement with Mrs. Hesterly
at Buffalo City. Saw two poor
seats of war know him since
him 3 weeks ago - spoke highly
of him -

SATURDAY 24

At St. Joe we in the river
our teams can cross we cross
with our trunks in self made
home with Thomas Packer &
Jan. Strick - very tired
reached Highland 9 P.M.
Myra came well - seems glad
to see us. Harriet enjoyed
the journey beyond any
expectation - fine fare home
\$3.00 Luggage - 30¢

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25, 1863.

Very pleasant morning but quite
cloudy. Myra not well enough
to go to church so we all stay at
home. Harriet writing home
George & Myra in Parkers. I feel
stupid & have overtaxed myself
Gen. Taylor called pleasant about

MONDAY 26

Very pleasant made few calls seems
like home. George fetched load
of corn - and load of lumber
Harriet seems contented
she & Myra I think will enjoy
each others society. Myra
returned to bed at 10 - all night
she should have used more
but she is prudent -

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1863.

Pleasant but cold. George took
burner to Bonsteads. Hammet
got down Mrs Leason's sheep
& swine. Called Frank Smith
called - he keeps the whole hog
and will kill me another
I called on Mr. Linn's family
saw Mrs McCary Mrs Linn & wife

WEDNESDAY 28

Pleasant weather. Brainerd called
will pay Monday \$120 - Hainsville
paid \$144 took up on the mortgage
called at Mr. Brown's saw Mrs
McCary Mrs. Abner's case
Mrs. Baylip & Lady called in
evening

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1863.

Cool & pleasant. All well and
in good spirits. George gone to
help build bridge, over Cedar Creek
Charles came over. Julia quite
unwell. Hammet and I rode
home with him. He nursed
Julia. did many things for her
she seemed much better.
Heavy wind and cold.

FRIDAY 30

at Charles pleasant this morning
Julia some better. Will Gees
called I went to Jays Law
Person he cannot furnish
me or George Leason's
I am tormented with tooth
ache Hammet has been very
busy doing the work and
nursing Julia. She must be
weary. Charles went with Geo
Whitney Mr. team ran away with
C. Haggan no great alarm

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 1863.

At Chas's & a sleepful morning
tormented with a bad tooth
Julia much better
Chas and Julia are much
pleased with Harriet
Chas getting ready to take us
to Nighthawnd, Martin Poree
near death. I pray he may
be prepared. Betty grows
finer and is a pretty girl but
needs much cultivation.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Cold and high wind, Self, Harriet
and Myra tended Ch in University
heard Jovon. On light affliction
he was very calm.
Harriet wrote to Childrensama

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1863.

Cold blustering. Harriet and
Myra have done large washing
I kept some drew water made
fire - Intensely Cold

TUESDAY 3

Very cold this morning trans-
cribed receipts & disbursements
in new Cash Book. It came
out all right. I am glad
I have been so accurate.

Sci. Nihil pa. see note p. 20

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1863.

Continued cold, Maxwell made a long call, he is honest but moderate. Carrie Edgely call four minutes, Nothing of importance took place.

THURSDAY 5

Weather more moderate, I am much better, Let Mr. Niven have my ticket from C to 6, 8, \$16.95 - a return. Harvest & Nye are leaving. Mr. Dean Allen called to buy the Laugher place.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1863.

Saw Hunter and son they want to purchase a place saw saw Allison and Weston and son - about place

SATURDAY 7

Cold but misty. Maxwell bought load of wood \$2.25 & exchanged boxes =

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1863.

Cold damp weather. All staid at home but few at Church.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1863.

Quite cold. I rode to the Point with Smith bot Alcohol Camp phis. Coal Oiled paper 27¢
Came home late cold and tired
Revised from Mr. Ewin ^{to Daughter} Lady Mrs
McCrory Gen Bayly McMiner &
Lady M. and F. Bayly most
pleasant and interesting time.

MONDAY 9

Harriet and Myra washed
Chas and Julia spent the
day with us

WEDNESDAY 11

Rather mild and pleasant
Harriet cleaning house Myra
ironing. Had my moving
to the Mission. Sorry to have
him leave. Harriet has written
long letter to Children I added
a little dressing & new Storm

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1863.

Pleasant Perry called,
called evening at Mrs
Leavors. Ella & Mary
from the cot - did not
want any of me -

FRIDAY 13

Left for St Joe - with Ellis
Stimpson - Cold and chilly
reached Hesper evening
every thing arranged. I will
not go there again -

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1863.

Awful thunder storm at St
Joe rose at 2 1/2 AM. Ella,
took car 3 - 4 but her tickets
helped the direct girl and
bide her farewell - may
Heaven protect her,
Do crossing the R to day
Staid at the Pacific Hotel
Slept but little

SUNDAY 15

Oh that I could be in the
Sanctuary of God - but
I am here and have been
24 hours to cross the River
This ferry is a nuisance
Blackstone should be
suppressed -
We crossed at 1 P.M.
Reached Troy evening
Stopped at Sonnets Hotel

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1863.

At 10 o' Ray Rose early 4 A.M.
took breakfast reached
home about 12 noon -
all well - Poor sign yet
seek I do hope he will
get well.

TUESDAY 17

Pleasant but muddy Geo &
Anna went to Charles -
Harriet did the work & said
she - "Sign some better"
I made several calls
Dined to Patton's Mrs. Law
put up 2 hams to smoke
Letter from Mary to Harriet
Letter to me from Stephen Taylor
with the aff. deposite. One from
Fran Campin -

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1863.

Warm and muggy - called on the
two Smiths - saw Cha. for a
Cubbard in cellar Sign much
better & muddy very

THURSDAY 19

Unpleasant weather snow & sleet
Saw the Cams to paper & white
wash the rooms. went home to
bad weather - we have a
happy home Harriet is all
I clear up or desire.
I hope I may ever be worthy
of her esteem.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1863.

Pleasant over head but
horrible under foot
Aller ~~arrived~~ took our
Ladies to Ely ~~at~~ George
& Lick in bed. I am but
little better. Frank Smith called
we will go to the Post on
next Monday to see Postlet
Lau gon for the girls. ~~He~~
returns safe - Geo. quite unwell
at ~~Ample~~ ~~Ample~~

SATURDAY 21

Cold wholesome weather,
I am very grateful that
I have ~~found~~ a com-
panion to assist and
pleasant. Mr & Mrs Morrill
called on us I bought butter
if them he brought me a small
load of wood, honest fine
fellow.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1863.

Pleasant over head, but very
muddy. but little doing as to
meetings in Richmond to day.
B'n Church quite divided. Harriet
and I called on Lis Seaver in
evening. pleasant talk & Home
S.P.M. Harriet writing to her
daughter Mary Schenley. I am
half sick with a cold, but have
first rate courage. I am hung-
ry for a good Methodist meeting

MONDAY 23

snow & sleet. froze hard last night
dreary month for working men
does well for those who have
nothing to do and plenty on hand,
mailed 2 letters Parma Jackson
to Saffron B'n Doty called for the Post
Storm prevented. Still called I am having
a kind of article he takes Matthew from
H. M. are great at washing all down
with the evening paper pleasantly. He
and I are sewing Geo reading and
I am writing this

Pleasant
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1863.
Early morning Doty and I went
to the Point made arrangements
with A. Powell to pay my interest
and undertake Montgoz's ash
have notes of \$250. B. H. W. Bouch's
I caught bad - quite unwell in
the evening Harriet and I lit up
with little Elle Devine poor little
thing I fear she will die -

WEDNESDAY 25
Raining Morning. I came home from
watching the St. Francis game etc.
Left till 9 A. - Chalmers and I went
came - commenced sailing after they
left home. Geo went for load corn
jodue home very well, all coupled
very comfortably by good fire.
Harriet cooked rabbit for dinner
very good. Some injucery about
Jefferson's witness, not so pleased
as I could wish.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1863.
most mild and pleasant. Brown
called and paid note \$9.25 - I saw
him 75th - Montgoz very gone to Proj
to buy his hogs. I sent letter to
Proj - Sutton called on money - I let him go
Sutton's but his loan 725 - John & Wade
let him \$50 - (60 days)

FRIDAY 27
Pleasant but very muddy. John
Proj called offers his gray horse
for \$90 more \$100 - I will take one
of them called on On D. Terrell's
on the Detroit road Proj's horse
Geo goes to see Hauss sleep Proj
comes tomorrow or Monday -

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1863.

Pleasant weather, still cloudy
Chad called - I mended a brace in
chamber - he all in good spirits
Frank got us for good
Rev. Gardner called Stair over
night, pleasant visit

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

Cold chilly wind - rode to Dtygo
with Ketsmiller to meeting
Gardner preached on "mirth of
Christ" good talk. I closed
Harriet rather liked the meeting
"gave me his letter and pointed
I gave Gardner \$5 - fifteen
in all for the year

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1863.

Cold wind all well "Dot of
John Roy Mare with fold 12 yrs
Old \$100 - he pd me \$50 cash all
the note - Geo² saw gave birth
to his calf "Doct Myers is
a good neighbour, I dropped
a pig - I did it but I could,
Harriet washed poor girl work
to hand, but she will have
her own way "I hope she may
have more quiet and rest
she must have it ^{and a rest}

TUESDAY 3

Old, ground frozen, yesterday
a splendid letter from Dan Upton
"now good for us to hear from the
dear ones we love so well"
opened potato holes, "Case went
into the well" Geo commenced
digging well 2nd time on his place
from fellows, Harriet got up, coast
pig, "It was good, she is eternally
making snifters" just got home
to her liking "a useful time with
a rat"

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1863.

Clear and cold George gone to his
 wills Culver from Leavenworth -
 best letter from Abner & Jim let
 Mr Detrick have it with his wife is
 dangerous. "Oh God in mercy spare
 her life" but they will be done.
 "John Culver dined with us"
 "I shall here make no comment
 on her letter," I, P. Wade, borrowed
 for few days \$100 - Rode to my
 place 2nd very cold - sorry I did
 not mind my wife - took her coat
 cold night - but pleasant this
 morning - Mrs Detrick died
 6 this morning "Oh my God help the
 dear man and his dependant child-
 ren" "Go gone to his well" "So long
 honore a cable rope" "Harriet
 works to hard" how can I help
 it? I hope to make it more pleasant
 for her.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1863.

Mrs Detrick was here to
 day. Coffee behind a time we waited
 at Chappell long while for Lewis left
 without - only time to go to the
 grave before night.

SATURDAY 7

Quite a snow last night - pleasant
 to day - let Chad have my quarter
 watch - best Ham from Somersham
 re letter from A. B. Patterson and
 answered it.

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 1863.

Cold wind even for March
Harriet Ann I attended at University
the funeral of Mrs. DeWick Dr.
Patton talks good Church in
rather a bad condition. I hope
they may soon prosper.
Mr. Bagley called in the evening
pleasant time.

MONDAY 9

Cold night frost hard, more
pleasant this morning. Mr. DeWick
Gray gone to his well. I do know
Baxter called for B. & Stiles 30c
\$9.35 but \$6.00 was the due - sum of
suffered to be \$6.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1863.

Pleasant. George still at his well
for success. Lent to Nation
of 600, by \$60 - 12 pr cent.
Ed. motto is dishonor.

WEDNESDAY 11

Frost hard last night. Gas gone
to well again. Has dug soft
mud water. William & Billy draw
my straw for me. Williams
Thos has gone to his father's
The rabbits have spoiled some
of the trees it is to bad.
One of the trees is determined
to set, leave to complain her in
Just heard the Lansing will
Church is burned, letter from
Patmer, want help.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1863.

Pleasant - George - gone to his well - Myra gone to Mide; Esq. Cole called a pd \$12 - cash and \$21 1/2 in lumber at Sack & Co's, Bal - down 480 - 30 he pay 20 ft more for grove in the 6 1/2 ft

FRIDAY 13

Very pleasant weather - I cannot say that all is pleasant - Smith is while washing de - George returned from well Case - sick done nothing I got 50 lb flour from Devine - Frank Smith's wife staid afternoon let her have some things, now the P.M. all very tired

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1863.

Very pleasant - Smith work on house - George gone to his well - we are getting ready to start for White Cloud - I labour and am heavy laden with the thoughts of preaching - may God help me - Left and wife rode to White Cloud - Staid at Br ^{overnight} Leaning - pleasant time.

SUNDAY 15

Road to White Cloud - put up at Br Darlings - tried to preach two discourses from Acts 17-31 to full congregations - did not have as much freedom as I could wish but no cause to complain - took wrong road going - and also returning.

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1863.

Pleasant returned from White
Colored reached home noon
pa Sol Miller \$2 - we full
for Chief - worked some
in afternoon - wrote letter
to Huxley by Detrick -
George got water and corn
- men & Stoning well

TUESDAY 17

Sent letter and note by Detrick
to Huxley & Coe - took potatoes
from hole prepared white washed
cleaned house &c - Smith help
forenoon - Harriet has work
- sd very hard. I am sorry to
have it so - we are all tired
when shall we find rest on
earth!!

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1863.

Pleasant - rode to my place. Saw
Smith. met Charles. came back
sent letter to Benson, Harriet paper
lower Bed Room put up bedstead
killed two Roasters Col. Wheeler
Nov 13th. called saw Froze few
days since Geo been fixing his
fence on his place let Cha have
\$2. Bill - dont know how good
it is. all tired. Mr Jennings
called on me - -

THURSDAY 19

went to Hawk Smiths - he dug
the grass in 5 hours - mus Amite
- my. Birds washed. slight thunder
storm. I have been transcribing
description of lots on which to
pay taxes - or bid off in three
counties.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1863.

Very pleasant removed the
remains of my Dear Wife & also
also my Son Liana to the new
Cemetery, moved little Charlie
Rec letter from him He is well
Charles went to mill took
Sif be fall wheat for me
Poor little Attie had a tooth
extracted in Brownsfield
called in the evening

SATURDAY 21

Very fine weather. Botched my
at Frank Smith's & called my 1/2
deacon. Anne Williams left
Mip. Paid one on note \$9.00
Ad Co. Order \$9.28 Bot of him
2 cords wood \$4.00 very tired
evening thunder storm
heavy wind & rain

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 1863.

Pleasant. He and I went to
hear Dr. Puffer's sermon short
but so much & edifying.
He wrote to his Cousin
Nick - I wrote little sent
sample poplin sent for a
year, to be sent by mail
"Mrs Sarah Peel gave birth
to a child last night"
set two hens .15 Egg each

MONDAY 23

Cool morning rode to Gray
with Mr. Callough as witness
Set it put of till next Monday
30th returned very cold -
glad to get home. How sweet
is home

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1863.

Cold and windy. Wrote to my
place, saw Chandler and Frank
Smith returned quite chilly.
Chas. Subia's wife came over
Harriet making fruit cake
Bot Government Stamps of
Ezra Johnson, Geo. Subia his
order to Mr. Cary for \$75

WEDNESDAY 25

Very pleasant out doors and
in doors to day. It has been
quite agreeable, all day in happy
Called at, Detrick's in morning
set 2 hrs. at Shaker for 16 -
planted stair-way. so busy all
day. George cut up corn stalks
in his place

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1863.

Fine weather worked about
the house removed the back
wing - helped a little in middle
room. Harriet took up carpet
and did a thousand things
now 9 evening she is still
at it - and like to be I rode
to my place. Smith will
leave it - I have no objection
I am weary will retire

FRIDAY 27

Fine weather - Last's privy in place
garden 2 1/2 hours - Pa Frank Smith
at full. He gone to the Bay
George gone to the Point and
perhaps to White Cloud - I have
been very busy in Chores
about - Subia's wife wrote
Frank, Smith, he helped
me drive mine home -
tried to settle with Brother
- for a but his life is wrong

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1863.

Pleasant - helped some in
the house, cleaning Chamber
Harriet repaired stair way
cleaned Chamber & regilla
-ted many things, we
were both tired at
night

SUNDAY 29

Cool and pleasant - B. and
I - heard Dr. Poxton give
- well - "Finally for you will
be very good quite
affecting" Dr. Galanis
preaches at 2 o'clock but
we cannot attend -

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1863.

Wrote to Gray - on horse back -
Mr. Colbough, somewhat disapprov-
ing - I got there in season
for tax, received Hamaz -
signed petition for Curr's pardon
Stopped at Smiths Hotel

TUESDAY 31

Powlett's driver Suit came on
Judgment in favour of Powlett
reached home after noon
Mrs. Leaven - Jane Thompson at our
house - pleasant time -

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1863.

Pleasant morning. Saw
Rotherford, he is hard case.
George rode to the Island
but failed to enquire for
me respecting lumber,
many are willing to receive
favours - but few are as
willing to impart them

THURSDAY 2

Dry and windy a day
of interesting events. On this day
in 1801 Copenhagen was bomb-
arded. To day George fine
mare had a good horse colt
at 2 P.M. his wife presented
him with a fine boy of
9 lbs. I have been quite
busy of course - made gowns
set out strawberries & sweet
parsnips & cabbage,

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1863.

Very dry ~~and~~ windy ~~and~~
~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ~~and~~
George
went for a girl - had the good
luck to get. Martha Walker
after noon hauled load of
pots from McLoughlin
place. Jim Bayly's hats
towards Cobben. Myke
and boy very smart &
very attentive - happy
family. see

SATURDAY 4

Dry and heavy wind - need
rain. George went his lot
ploughed for his widows
bedge. Large mass meeting
at the University, rope class
horse thieves prompt action
was taken to surprip it
and bring the Rascals to
justice several called to
speak. Hubbard lost Nanfort.
Young Gardner and others -
Mara and Babe very smart

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 1868.

Still dry and high wind - Geo
you with wine to Troy -
I feel very sorry for her - she
has a task quite too much
it grieves me but I see
no help for it I hope she may
have ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~best~~ ^{best} but
when? Harriet wrote to Haddy
I to Mrs De Coc Nick - our
poor girl says she is sick

MONDAY 6

Most beautiful day no wind
planted onions in morning went
with three teams for lumber
one brought 1665 ft one 946 ft
71 - 626 ft in all 3227 ft
minus on 30 studs 40 ft also
155 ft fall short of Cole's
Bill 195 ft p. d. am Spr?
- nger \$4.00 George took home
the miserable girl -
Myra as comfortable as can be
expected? Harriet does all she

TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 1868.

Myra comfortable Harriet has it
to hand she will not and
thinks she cannot help it
worked in garden
Scarles paid \$20. but on note

WEDNESDAY 8

Went with Chas. Davis to Point
got Valerian Soda Machine to Home
for \$50. in place of W. D. G. man
likes his - planted onions in after
noon - George let out wellows
Red letter from S. L. Booth

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1863.

Dry and windy. John's says
hogs very troublesome.
Exhausts nearly my patience
and it requires much to bear
with hogs all round.
John Neal pd. 9.30 cut to 187
Mrs. Robinson & Kilmilla Collier
Let Johnson haul 100 brick
written to Phil French about much
Fine

FRIDAY 10

Very high wind. Saw a fine
horse colt this morning. A. Minner's
Little Myra very sick. She has much
to do - some she had not remained
in March - until our troubles
were past - sent letter to P. French
and one to J. L. Booth - Little Myra
no better. Her case is dangerous,
I am Corbett he will do my work
Smooth News & Chambers
wrote to J. W. Gorman - Doris pro

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1863.

Little Myra is all my pain
feel most intensely. May God
support them. died about
nine this morning. Can't help
to lay her out. I am very busy
about little matters about house
and barn. do very little in garden

SUNDAY 12

Very pleasant. Went to Dorchester
to meeting heard Mr. Gossner
"What a man Somewhere"
Funeral of Little Myra Monday
at 2 P.M.

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1863.

Present - Let A. Munroe have 10 pines
fencing Mt. Farm in garden
for potatoes. Planted potatoes
and corn - south end of garden
Mat. Seal's child died this
morning some 4 weeks old -
Mrs. Peutherford washed but
Hannit has it very hard
but little prospect of suit
for her. I wrote Sam Hannit
to Lucind. Hughes set up late

TUESDAY, 14

Gentle rain last night much more
needed. Had talk with Mr. Swin
about Cemetery and disappointed
in his views. Re. Deed from
J. L. Booth. "shall not execute it
until I see the money." Planted
corn - onions & potatoes in garden
Hannit brooding always at work
evening very tired. How
work is never done. How
can she help it?

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1863.

Present - rode to my place - fixed
things - worked in garden worked
with wife at Thompsons with Dr.
Paffton & Hamby de - called at tea
Mrs. Thompson very smart fine lady
Mr. D. Stride called in evening
about my fence. God will
help her it

THURSDAY 16

Some thunder little rain about
3 A.M. I am ready to go to St.
Jac's waiting for Pitts Miller
fine morning. Stopped short time
at Troy discharged Arbut's
Mortgage of \$100 - looked at
Seavers. Had tiller. reached
St. Jac in afternoon staid at
Buxley's

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1863.

At St. Lucie, pa. My wife & I
for goods \$57.93 Paid for
clothing \$27.10 Sewing for
freight - \$3.40 Lumber \$1.50
Husky pa. me \$65.20 -
made a tray 12 night

SATURDAY 18

Cold came home 9 AM
Set out 13 apple trees -
Man & colt went to Syracuse
Geo went after them & I worked
about house and in garden -
tired & most discouraged -

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 1863.

Cold last night. Cow had calf
her bag was a fully swollen milk
trouble with her. Sattoby led
to me, about her.
We did not go to meeting.
we could not. sorry for it.

MONDAY 20

Cold night - much trouble with
my cow. Mrs. Ruthers for a wash-
ing. Little Rollin Johnson has
the small Pot & Lomas brought
it. He had better stand at
Lor month for Mrs. Ruthers for
\$1.25 for George and \$1.00 for two
more washings - bot 1 lb. ments
& Menors - \$1.2

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1868.

Pleasant day my work is about as usual. Choring about 1/2 & 1/2 looked over some of the road. Geo. took his horse to Cha. Carpenter came. road workers - Mrs. Minner Mrs. Baff and Cory are with us.

WEDNESDAY 22

Cool and dry. Let Mr. Allen have my 1st class ticket from Chicago to St. Joseph. To pay 16⁹⁵ or return. "Run Alpha Wright from St. Joe called & took my horse to Charles Clyde taken suddenly with sore throat

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1868.

Pleasant Geo. went to Island for shingles. I worked about the house yard garden. Harriet had visitors Mrs. Leaven and Mrs. Thompson - Harriet & Jennings. Sent letter to J. W. Elmore.

FRIDAY 24

Appearance of rain. Hauled my front yard sowed timothy and clover. Afternoon went to the Point had lunch at hotel. Can leave St. Joe for 20. My horse is fine before a buggy. Came from Point in 40 minutes. Harriet made several calls. Nya improving finely. Edward is very smart grows finely. hope he will make as fine a man as his Dad

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1863.

Fine shower during the night
pleasant this morning.
Plover lost. Ch. better 25 9 77
put him 75 out lower him 75
fine bal. 25 cap 65 - 9 77
sold him 1st edge 30 - 25
Frostburg had him forward
Charge - 100

SUNDAY 26

None later quite a job with Cass
come out all night. some spring
- long of rain. I am almost sick
of life. Oh that I was a better
Christian. My dear wife has
much to try her and yet she
bears it with fortitude and
some patience.

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1863.

Good weather slight sprinkling
Corbett came 4 P.M. fixed for another
Mrs. Butler's face washed & sauce
came home. set her over pig pie
Samuel set out roses, John
Mackelroy took -- to Chas

TUESDAY 28

Damp fine weather Corbett &
Mitchell worked on smoke
house I rose early worked
hard - helped tuck mason
planted radish peas lettuce
had company Mrs. St. Mitchell
and Robinson. Came & dined
Celia. Myra quite unwell
Samuel ready for any case
- organ eye from girl she
must be weary

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1863

Fine shower during the night
pleasant this morning
Brown - bot - 6 bottles 30¢ 99¢
pd him 75 cent bought him 10¢
him bal. 25¢ and 65¢ goods -
sold him 1 lb coffee 30¢
Armstrong had him forward
Charge - 10¢

SUNDAY 26

Rose later quite a job with Coco
come out all night some spring
-ling of rain. I am almost sick
of life. Oh that I was a better
Christian. My dear wife has
much to try her and yet she
bears it with fortitude and
some patience.

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1863

Good weather slight sprinkling
Corbett came 4 PM fixed furnace
Mrs Butler's face washed & shaved
Came home set her over pig pen
Harrist set out roses, 1 lb
Mackelroy took -- to Chas

TUESDAY 28

Damp fine weather Corbett &
Mitchell worked on smoke
house I rose early worked
hard - helped build mason
planted radish peas lettuce
had company Mrs Pitts milled
and Robertson. Came Edgerly
Celia Myra quite sensible
Harrist ready for any one
- organ of poor girl she
must be weary

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1863.
Corbet worked on Smoke
house Mitchell helped -

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1863.
Fine weather George and Corbet
gone to his place, to build them
- my - Martha - Mackelway, came
to help Hamlet - Carpenter
came after noon worked at
Smoke house.

THURSDAY 30
Good weather went to the Pond
for stone for George finished
Smoke house, did heavy
Chores Hamlet found
worked hard we are
all tired - I am very -
must go to bed

SATURDAY 2
Carpenter finished work / a
them \$5 fine shower today
evening some hail - Baby
very well -

SUNDAY, MAY 3, 1863.

Heavy shower during the night
Harriet called up to attend to
The Lock Nigra and Bale
quite unwell Harriet and
I rode to Doty's to meeting
heard Dr Gardner on Gelatin
in the first good talk, not much
preach, heavy shower and hail
as large as hen egg

MONDAY 4

Cold damp weather.
have done but little.
trying settle with Seaver

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1863.

Cold and some rain my fine
coll did this forenoon.
took note of D. neck of Seaver
over of \$39.55 - also wheat \$ -
and on his note \$126.00 having
\$100 due - Wellman bid for 1/2
wine \$5 - Chas came over

WEDNESDAY 6

Some cold, rode to my place
made some bargain with
Seaver - Robert came to
Seaver -

MONDAY, MAY 11, 1863.

Went at 10 to Suffolk County to
-view Highland Cemetery
Association - rains yet
gloomy day -
-Sawson sold his house
and lot in Highland to
Mrs McCarry for \$450 -
Sent seed and letter to
Samuel Sapham Simoku

TUESDAY 12

weather fine I rode to Chas
Carnys and to Maxwell's
came home weary
Rd letter from J D Booth
of Rochester with Draft of
\$26.86 to pay for several
Accounts in State of N.Y -
small pay but better than
nothing I have planted
Lattice watermelons in
garden seaward I settled
I took note of Mrs McCarry

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1863.

Sent by H. K. Seaman for Polley
St. Joseph he is to pay for
them - for me his family have
for the east Mrs Ruthford
washing - Mya more help
-sp then ever, we are quite
discouraged, William Dean
from Hamatha called I let him
have Thomas Maxwell statement
concerning Rebecca Manhart -
Send Warrant Benjamin on
notes \$141.60

THURSDAY 14

Cemetery
meeting Mrs Curran
Pleasant fine weather I work
on my hen house - George gone
to Chas took my mare Mya
is as help as a child heard
to take care of her - It pains
me that David is obliged to
do st, Orval called in the
evening I let him have
money to pay Crow -
Seaver returned from St Lee
13th my Policies

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1863.

Myra no better. George and Ruthford gone to fix his fence over Lida Creek. I wrote to Aunt Crow-Clifton Springs. My work about home in garden and many things. Rec letters from Mary Swan also from Miss Flights. Glad to hear from Nick.

SATURDAY 16

Myra very unwell. Geo gone for the East. Harriet has her hands full. Doct thinks Myra case critical. I cannot think her dangerous. Board of County Association met at School Room. Adopted a Constitution. Close of meeting Johnson talked like an old fool. Mrs Robinson watched with Myra.

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 1863.

went to Chas in buggy for girl went to Lorp. no success. Chas had gone to Island for girl. Grandma called in morning - also in afternoon. Harriet cannot and shall not take charge of Myra and be over any longer. She has done her part fully.

MONDAY 18

Fine weather. Myra some better. Draged and removed out my potatoe yard. Got 3 bu. fine - loss of Ruthford. Had 7th for them very fine. Harriet bathed it with Linnament helped it much.

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1863.

Pleasant, planted potatoes
5 bu. Willie helped some
he is unwell and quite
Red letter from Lem. He has
returned to Corinth. Miss
has been on several long
marches, in fine spirit
Pattler God be thanked that
he has been protected,
George gone for a girl.

WEDNESDAY 20

very pleasant but high wind
plowed part of my yard
over again. Set Omeal
have \$500 pays out from
13th - Myra not much better
Neighbors very kind
especially Mrs. Robinson
we miss Mrs. Scaves much
glad Scaves remains.
We have a good girl,
quite a relief to Hadden

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1863.

Heavy wind I marked out the beds
of yard and planted potatoes, corn,
watermelons - cantaloupe - cucumbers
- beans Tomatoes &c. Myra some
better Sarah is an excellent
girl, good enough for any
gentleman. Hadden has quite
over done himself. Fine shower
toward evening

FRIDAY 22

Thunder shower this morning
Harriet sick in the night
better this morning Myra
no coors - feel excruciating
I worked about home quite
weary at night we are all
tired. George went to his place
to set cabbage plants &
heavy showers through the
day, settled with Anne & Sim
ph. line \$460 Red letter from
Sim has sent by Express

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1863.

Fine day for work and I improved it sent paper and letter to Jim H. & I wrote to Dan & Mary Hpton, Mrs Williams at the Mission died this morning sad affliction May God support the husband and children

George & ...

SUNDAY 24

Delightful morning Myra better preparing to go to Mrs Williams funeral. Aunt Rebecca McQueen performed services I think it would have been more proper for some one else. Left Mark the perfect man. I'll write letter to my Sisters - (P.M.)

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1863.

Correct helped to fence 3/4 way

... at one very early ...

TUESDAY 26

Correct helped to fence 3/4 way & over and I went to paint Showers =

... Mother and child ...

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 1863.

Pleasant. Mr. Potter from Dr. Patterson
ploughed garden "

[Faint, mostly illegible handwriting]

THURSDAY 28

Pleasant. Myra some better,
worked in garden,
George went to his place

[Faint, mostly illegible handwriting]

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1863.

Fine shower afternoon
Our dear Caroline Edgerly
died this morning & her
loft is her grave

I am very weary & can
endure but little.
Myra bears the top of her
dead sister ~~with~~ with
Christian fortitude

SATURDAY 30

Very pleasant fine gloomy
season. I am quite unwell
- Mr. Carr & Edgerly beside
this afternoon with her
babe on her arm so
Mother and Child are
at rest. Br. Scaven called
spent some time glad to
see him. Myra still in
bed if she would try to help
herself a little more."

SUNDAY, MAY 31, 1868.

Delightful morning I am
some better Miza still
helpless Harriet and Ann
went to Church
I staid at home

MONDAY, JUNE 1

I went to St Joseph took
the train stopped at Hoppy
Rd \$100 Express office from
Simon Saxon Machine, at
Bright Office 9¹⁵ freight

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1868.

Squabby weather left St Joseph
9 A.M. via Record at Troy
for recording Mortgage
and revenue stamps
got home at 5 P.M.
Horse thieves brought to
Highland Miza worse
doleful case
two prisoners brought I saw
them concerned with them

WEDNESDAY 3

large concourse of people
attended. The prisoners are
executed. very hard but
how could they have been
obtained.
James B Melvin
Leecompton Kansas Apr 23
William Cannon
Plat Co. No. Apr 15 Wife and
2 Children

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1863.

Rained early in the morning
Myra no better melancholy
scenes gather around us

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes]

FRIDAY 5

Fine day - worked in garden
Geo sent for Sophronia Myra
about the same Harriet had
to work as usual -

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes]

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 1863.

Pleasant - Sophronia came in well
Myra no better

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes]

SUNDAY 7

Heavy rain during the night
Myra no worse have some
hope - Irwin preached in the
morning Robinson afternoon
Sophronia cheers us and
keeps us in good spirits -

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes]

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1863.

Heavy thunder much rain
noon Myra no worse
Josephine seems quite
cheerful and jokes us
all so - dear girl I love
her

TUESDAY 9

Still rains I am unwell
all Myra no better I feel
sad Josephine does all
she can Harriet has
it very hard where
we shall land I cannot
tell I hope God will
care for us - Dr Long
did not call to see Myra
she is failing

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1863.

Fair weather we have had
much rain. Myra is very
sick call for Dr Leigh
Dr Long present the case is
considered almost hopeless
the Babes taken to Mrs Pealer
Stewart paid \$25 Thomas Carry
paid me in full \$181¹⁵ I am
glad all the children think
so much of Harriet.

THURSDAY 11

Pleasant Myra's case consider
hopeless. The only ground of
hope in life remains
James Plank wants \$150
gave his note but to bring
not to give - we are all
sad - may God have
money on us how timely
Josephine coming,
Myra still lives. Dr Leigh
will stay all night -

FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1863.

Heavy thunder much rain
Drew noon Myra no worse
Lophrone feels quite cheerful
and makes us all happy
Sweet girl how I love her
now W. M. Dear Myra is dying
Oh how intensely painful for
poor George I pray grace may
support him in "the shafts thro' time
and thine ever peace was slain"

Myra - a nice Larry a little more
Myra has self SATURDAY 13
Loves the Lord in name an of hope
prays George feels deeply & hope
"it may lead him to Christ
So happy spirit took its flight
at 5 o'clock 3 P.M.

Saturday 13

Pleasant and warm I hope
at 3 P.M. now 2 we are
waiting in sadness ^{the body} in
Spoke well. I saw Dear
Myra consigned to the grave
Dowel for me \$2.34 owes me
\$6.60

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 1863.

Invited Myra's funeral
on "Requiem" and the dead Gen. I
say nothing respecting the merits
of the sermon he said many
good things, very warm.
George is very sorrowful, I
know how to pity him, how
timely the company of Lophrone

MONDAY 15

Went ploughed out garden
and yard Peter Sulphur hoe
1/2 day Prady had buggy to
take Sarah home -
Babe taken to Mat Neal's
Sarah Duker Neal takes
it at 8 o'clock - good
place -

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1863.

Baker from Sepika
Propose on Income tax
called up 440 - 3/4 @ \$13.20
Stoney came to help.
I put out 1/2 - Baker did
not understand his business

WEDNESDAY 17

Case helped me fix fence
very warm in afternoon

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1863.

rained in the night
worked at many things
about house - fixed gate
buggy and he brought
back home

FRIDAY 19

pleasant, finished my fence
on the farm. Case & Corbet
helped. Sophronia and the babe
rode with David Babbet
to Charles'.

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1863.

Matthews place sold 3 P.M.

I bid it of at \$443.46

Damages 396.91

Cost 46.55

Rabbit drove on The Wade

Circle notes \$15.47 pd taxes

in Armaha Co \$12.30

Sam Wade clandestinely took

some \$500 Tex certificate

left with Rabbit to secure

payment on Dana Note

SUNDAY 21

Pleasant and cool. Mr. Wickman
preached 11 A.M. in
City Chapel. Harriet and I
went to news. House to hear
Dr. Gardner. Mr. Springer
very sick. I fear for him.

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 1863.

Plowed my potatoes and corn
bed garden. Chas. Lophronia
and Nettie came over. George
went home with them. Sale
at Charles;

TUESDAY 23

Plow and refreshing we ate
Dr. Sladdy and I, alone
Oh how sweet is this
kind of solitude. We love
the Bible we love to pray.
Springer I fear no better
Dutton & Bondu came
I let them have \$350. Alce
Bondu \$50. Widny took
note of Mortgage of Dutton
\$400 per year

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 1863.

Pleasant George went to Cha^s. I went to the Point let Paulett have a policy of insurance on it. He put nothing, gave order for my Separators - Frank Star - led to come home with me but met by B^s and returned - Han'et and I went to Cha^s - come home in 35 minutes - Bake grapes finely

THURSDAY 25th

Pleasant I worked in garden - Mr. Drimmond called and gave his note for interest and 40 \$130. I think him an honest man I reduced interest from 20 to 10 per cent.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1863.

Matthie delightful Lophrone come over with Cha^s who went to mile George took Lophrone back and home again I take her to St. Joe tomorrow for Leavenworth give her drift \$27 \$6 Goods made present of 7 1/2 yds poplin piece her mother selected " gave Cha^s new party \$3 50 we are in good spirits. May God save us from Sin

SATURDAY 27th

Took Lophrone to St. Joe for printing Matthews notice \$8 - saw Camp on Sam. Wade affair - Bishop & Barr - lots will be bid in for me - Lophrone took Carr's 10 1/2 Rds. for St. Joe - I gave her \$5 - Staid at Hoopley - terrible shower in the night - very hot day Shipped Machines for the Point

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 1863.

Rained some in the morning
Roads very muddy, was
obliged to come home
heavy wheeling,
reached home after sun
=down

MONDAY 29

Pleasant this morning
Harrist sent letter to Gula

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 1863.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

Hermit went to Chas. Lulia's Coffin
L.P.M. had fine boy 10 1/2 to

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1863.

Went twice to Ch^o July doing well. RD letter from Lophson. Leticia Leavitt's Wood for M^l Leavitt is dead - Shot in the battle at Rappahannock. Sam & Clide had an interview

FRIDAY 3

Went for Hamlet. Lucia quite comfortable. Case to work in my shed harvest he - came home sick. "Gau ran away with her - she had no blinds - Sent for Hamlet - to see Lucia - all must have her."

SATURDAY, JULY 4, 1863.

Poor night. St. gone. Clogs broken all night. "Sittie out too deeds George to William & George take. Went after Hamlet I think I shall learn the way," to Ch^o

SUNDAY 5

Heavy thunder storm. I milked the cows in rain and mud do not attend church. Am very peaceful. Edgway took tea with us. Doct Myers had my buggy to go to Ch^o. Had and I at home very quiet.

MONDAY, JULY 6, 1863.

Warm & Pleasant. Elisha
Bowen bot 3 sheep \$9.50
George went to Chas for Crib
for Baber. I have been trying
to make soap - the direction
for soft soap is not true -

TUESDAY 7

Warm and pleasant. had com-
pany not so agreeable to us
yet we pity the poor fugitives
I resume the soap business
hope for better luck

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1863.

Very warm. went to the Point
my machines have come but too
small only 16 in line -
Jed Evans \$9.40 for George and
myself. Come home with
soap. made 24 lbs of soap
harder sent some soap to George
hoan by Layl

THURSDAY 9

Stacked my wheat. 6 small
loads. there may be 60 bu -
Ruthford & Stichel had seen
further 10 in P.M.

Road George Mason to my
his place set up some
of the wheat shocks &c

FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1863.

Reutherford to Mitchell helped
Stack my wheat - very
warm - may have 50 bu
No letter from A. B. Pattison he
had not Dr. Manier's end
mine - wrote him to deep
Hamilton to Mrs. Robins on way
to see the baby -

SATURDAY 11

Cool and windy - Good
hot meet. I ploughed
some in corn - haid in
Gardner's and load
wood - evening all gone
to preparatory lecture -
hope it may do them good
Oh how they need preaching
of the sterling stamp -

SUNDAY, JULY 12, 1863.

Cool refreshing weather. All at
meeting University Chapel Service
Read and meditated Rev. Hickman
preached on New Birth Loh. 3-3
better than I expected - best words
to good. I united with the
Ch - 9 young converts. George
among them. Deacon Minnie
Gardner - Bayless - Lulu Ann
Stephens - Mrs. Bayless - Andeai
Girl Mrs. My Elroy - see all
halloon of the sacrament
Edinwood churches at 4 P.M.

MONDAY 13

Pleasant morning. I looked for
horses not found - our nigger
girl left - glad of it - she was
far more trouble than prof-
it - made quite a change
of things in house - quite an
improvement - I am truly
thankful to God that George
is turning his attention to
the interest of his soul - joy in
Heaven over one dinner that respect

TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1863.

Cool and some rain -
Sent returns to S. P. Baker
Hoped to have - rectified mistake
instead of \$140 - should be \$200
I feel that there is no home
for me this side of Heaven
obtained prophetic Baker's
letter -

WEDNESDAY 15

Sammy Simpson came to
make drop for Hammett
George drove a load of wood
I had in garden

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1863.

Bob George drove two loads
wood. I worked making grape
frames hoed in garden
Sammy finished dropping good pit.
Mrs Smith's sister favoured us
with all day visit but little
Eddy he weighs 14 to 15 months
old

FRIDAY 17

Rainy morning. Chas came to
return, without making much
stop, wrote to Stephen Taylor, East
but on dinner. I can't tell how
Aunt Hannah always busy. I
wish she would try to do less.
"The flies intolerable." Ballou
= cash book from May 11
Means some \$14 some mistake

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1863.

cloudy and cool. Saw Mr. Good-
-ner called took dinner - He was
as Chaplain for the Army soon
The 13th Kansas. Harriet quite
unwell yet does her work -
she sent letters to Carrie & Mother
she is still a faithful and good
Correspondent, George appears
solitary and disconsolate I
hope he may soon be chee-
-ful and happy.

SUNDAY 19

Heard Rev. McKim on
Priesthood of Christ. He
committed an error "the
Eternity of his Priesthood"
that the happiness & salvation
of saints in heaven depended
upon it "which is absurd"
Harriet quite unwell "not
able to attend Church - I feel
sorry for -- I hope he may
soon feel better" Heard Mr. Good-
-ner at school house & P.M. on being that
will it not?

MONDAY, JULY 20, 1863.

Harriet sick I do the work
out doors and in. Mrs. Hubany
called after noon. Please visit
- no better I fear she will
be sick in earnest.

TUESDAY 21

Cool and refreshing weather
Harriet had a poor night
This morning has the appear-
-ance of autumn - got on
Jones. Carmaline Bollom. helps
her some. I had to go to Mr.
Clara to see W. H. Dixby - no
account - very weary, Oh I
am tired, almost of life.

WEDNESDAY JULY 22, 1863.

Reached White Cloud late P.M. gone poor sleep - waited till 10 P.M. Mrs. Loom had rode home with me stopped at Dr. Robinson's. Hamlet quite unwell.

[Faint, illegible handwriting]

THURSDAY 23

A beautiful morning Hamlet much better. George gone to his place to harvest. Dated for a \$1.25 to buy a few beef. Hamlet and I rode to Cha. returned rather late with a thunder storm. While the elements without are in commotion how sweet to enjoy a calm within.

FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1863.

Cool and refreshing - rained steadily all night. I hesitate about going to Hiawatha. Rode to my place drove out horses and cattle. I think Dr. Gardner cattle broke my fence. I fired my little pistol over their heads to scare them. In loading I tore the bullet went through my hand making a slight laceration.

SATURDAY 25

Quintessence meeting. Price P. E. and Gardner took tea with Hamlet and I went to meet P. E. preached good sermon on Searching the Scriptures very fair with confidence. paid G. \$5.00

SUNDAY, JULY 26, 1863.

I and Hamlet went to
Low fleet - my hand grew
worse so fast we left after
Low fleet. I gave P. L. \$1
May God have mercy
On me and the Church

MONDAY 27

I am very bad and
great pain - Dr Gardner
called I gave him letter
of introduction to
Nichols Linnworth
He leaves to perform the
duty of Chaplain in the
Army goes to Fort Scott -
Kans. Infantry 13th -
My prayer is that he may
be useful,

TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1863.

Very pleasant. I am much
better feel quite encouraged
God is very merciful to me
Harriet quite smart
Granddaddy paid me on note
\$77.75 - leaving due \$25

WEDNESDAY 29

Rained all night - Cloudy
This morning I have to find
recovered that I have
succeeded in milking -
and doing other chores
I am very sad and
-wful my heart is faint
may God have mercy on me
My wife has quite recovered from
her illness. My boys left
for on note \$53.80 sent 6 bu
Wheat to Ot Mills at Point

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1863.

How refreshing the Kansas breezes. This morning here every prospect pleases the only man in "vile" my health some improvement - my hand nearly well yesterday & changed letter with Sam. He concludes to not put up machine till another year. I feel quite cheerful, have hope to trust in God. W. R. Ken 2 Chas. 20
2/60

FRIDAY 31

Atmosphere still bracing and refreshing - my hand improves I feel much better. My mind is calm - Harriet anxious to hear from her children and so on. Charles and family made pleasant visit. Robt. very smart.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1863.

Fine weather. I wrote to Sam. Mpton did business with E. H. Hallock. gave Chattle Mortgage for tent money property I leave with Chas.

SUNDAY 2

Uncertain state fine have write on to Sam - I remain at home today - George and Harriet go to meeting. hope they may be benefited. This evening very tremendous thunder storm. Rain fell in torrents.

MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 1863.

Ground thoroughly soaked -
I picked 3 pecks cucumbers -
Says & Geo paid me \$65 but gave
note for bal \$38.56 George W
Smith came to his place
RD letters from Dan & William
or Mary & Hattie they came
to hear from home.

TUESDAY 4

Saw Jay C. B. rider \$50 pd
Long Line - Cap Break and 11
chained bal of wood from
Nipion RD diff from Patti -
Don \$201 - pd A. J. Mearns \$50
E. C. Beard returned note and
took 20¢ he gave - Tharret
making few calls - Cho^d and
Patti came over - how long
I feel for Cho^d he has it hard -
Geo went to Liverworth =

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1863.

George and I went
to the mill with Smith
Sham got out 23 1/2 pts flour
in bag of good quality
Should have had at 3 1/2 lbs
James M. ~~Ed~~ Elroy Lent
me 109-16 on note - Don't
pay me \$25 he is an aw'fully

THURSDAY 6

Remondous Reed built
right took bridge from
Indian Creek Road, over a
Room leaks aw'fully, should
be fixed soon =

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1863.

Another heavy rain last night
Sedley and I left this morning
I have been over to my place
the flood has taken some of my
fence off. Cap. Neal got 3 left
for only 4.55 for 45 tons of pots

SATURDAY 8

Very pleasant morning Hamlet
quite sick in the night - much
better this morning. I feel com-
forted in family devotion. I
love to read the Bible. There
is a freshness & peace in my
I now more fully appre-
ciate than ever before
Hamlet and I made a call
at Charles - and at Smith's
to see little Edward. I got
a cow of Esqr. Cole for \$75
and Miller \$75

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 1863.

Rained again last night
We do not attend Ch this morn-
ing - engaged in visiting
letter Hamlet and I
passed the day pleasantly and
I think profitably reading
singing & praying

MONDAY 10

Rained again last night
much grain cut and much
dressed. Mrs. Ruthersford
washing. Hamlet singing
and working. Dr. Nutting
sent his boy for \$75 which
I sent Smith and wife. Edna
had little Ed he grows finely

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1863.

Pleasant morning - I had
a sick night almost a
Cholera Morbus - took Laxative
-um - and hot drop much
better this morning Dr
Lony called for \$125 left
his note due Jan 1st 64
George just returned from
Leicesterworth. Mailed letters
to Tom Dyer & Leonard Smith

WEDNESDAY 12

This the Anniversary of the
death of my dear Wife Sam
two years six months & seven
I am exchanging the sorrows
of Earth for the bliss of Heaven
Samuel has gone to the Fines
- at of John Richardson's two
Children - at the University
George Bennett and Wife execut
- ed Bond and Mortgage of \$3000
Mailed Mort - to Gray - for Publishing

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1863.

All right. I rode to the distil
ery and bath & things to be
ready Monday 31st - Examined
Patent House - On the Hill, may
sell separator to the distillery
at the Point. Can get bags of
Muster & Powell "

FRIDAY 14

Fine morning, every thing is
pleasant. We have all we can
desire to make us happy
God is so good. His bounties
so abundant. Sent order on
J W. Hornum, by Dr. Bristol for \$30

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1863.

Very pleasant, what a privilege
to be in my home to read
the bible and love to pray
may we never feel other
-wise - those 4 of my boys
from Peters I went to bed
"boxing, begging" we are
enjoying very pleasant home.

SUNDAY 16

Exceedingly warm. Home
gone to see Mrs Robeson this
"Lick" Sam and I
attended meeting and school
"House" I preached in the
"Pithead" finished my
chores and am weary
The heat oppressive

MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 1863.

Continued very warm -
for Peter \$20 toward wages
and bedstead \$5 - R^d of A. L.
Miner on small note \$6.75
waiting for G^d Tammer - got to see
he may not come to hot - R^d letters
from Mary Jane & Julia Upton -

TUESDAY 18

Still very warm" all well
Took Linsley hats and penknives
to the store sent pistol to
John McElroy"

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 1883.

Cool & refreshing night but
warm this morning. G. gone
to see his boy - H. and P.
getting ready to go to D. M.
- ~~boy~~ - seen to the meeting house
G. sat in the pews. In the
evening good and faithful. I wanted
to preach at 11 A.M. on "God is
a Spirit" John 4:24 - heavy
wind coming home -

MONDAY 24

This morning quite cold
travelling in the evening
Some are sick. I am better
quite so - The burning of
Lawrence and the murder
of so many in that place all
killed by Duontell and his
Cousins. Should be met
with unmitigated retribution

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1883.

Cool and pleasant. Jane Stimpson
not much better. went to Allen
and engaged Cole to move
to morning -
- ~~Stimpson~~ -
- ~~Allen~~ -
- ~~Stimpson~~ -
- ~~Allen~~ -
- ~~Stimpson~~ -
- ~~Allen~~ -

WEDNESDAY 26

Fine weather. Cole moved
for Case and one - some
S. across. Received letter from Grace
and Miss. baked bread in
afternoon
- ~~Stimpson~~ -
- ~~Allen~~ -
- ~~Stimpson~~ -
- ~~Allen~~ -

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1868.

Rainy, soon, then heavy
Let Mr. Kilmiller have leave
to go to the Island -
But he did not go -
Case and I drove hay
2 loads

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Very good and fine weather
I had a walk in garden
I had a walk in garden
I had a walk in garden

FRIDAY 28

Drove 2 loads hay Case
Respect heavy wind
in afternoon - I don't
like Case, and why
should I? George
pitched up 2 loads
It seemed like old
times - to have a boy
help me -

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 1868.

Clear - no heat but
some corn in garden - cut
top stalks in house lot -
and so I go about too much
like an old man - Sam
Stimpson I hear no better -
He quite unwell yet she
works still harder
At evening day she show
him self - -

SUNDAY 30

Cool and pleasant - getting
ready for meeting - It been
to see Sam Stimpson who
is no better - I had Mr
Williams - An Hart except
se

I had a walk in garden
I had a walk in garden
I had a walk in garden

MONDAY, AUGUST 31, 1863.

Pleasant - In Ketchikan
for 19th House
Ricker's letter
for interest due him \$1.41 -
Lamit washed - I am
sick and none to good
natured, try to do a little

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Pleasant morning. Many at
this place - for ~~for~~ ~~at~~
Rev. Dr. Williams called
Sully and young man
stayed last night
Lamit took dinner
with us - Ed with brought
load of latte for George from
Island -

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1863.

Still pleasant. George & Lamit
getting in hay Mr. Hubbard's
Child some 7 years. died 10 AM
Lamit's wife on no better
I am quite unwell
summer complaint

THURSDAY 3

Pleasant - I had a sick
night up after - saw
an account of death of
Mount Brown in Hornells
ville N.Y. - 18 Aug -
Lamit went to the funeral
- at Mr. Hubbard's Child -
I am very weak. Can do
but little -

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1863.

Warm - but fine breeze - some
better rested well through the
night - R's letter from Cassie
Eden - wrote Sam Lapper -
He - well and very busy
Shows no favor to her self
she may hold out in this
way, if so - I will judge
I have many things to do
but unable to any - R's letter
from Sam - fine and well

SATURDAY 5

Fine weather - some better
finished a brace of notes -
with Mrs Robinson & Henry - also
Chad was at dinner - stand
gone to see poor Rollen
Jane Stimpson I fear no
better - Chad went to visit
and lost his great basket
Iowa Point Mill - a Circle
instead of a Blessing - letter
from Mr Pratt

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1863.

Placid day - George went to the
Harriet and I remained at home
both unwell.

MONDAY 7

Warm - heavy south wind
Harriet sent letter to Phoebe
I sent \$30 by A. S. Miners to
her for Sam - I commenced
writing a Will - It is easy to
be impartial and do justly
but not so easy perhaps to
give full satisfaction to all

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1863.

Some weather but rather dry
rain needed. Let Mr. Williams
have my mares to ride a
few days. I find myself
unable to do but very little
Harriet as busy as a Bee
always doing something
George from home perhaps
at the stone quarry. I have
constructed a convenient trough
for my hogs.

WEDNESDAY 9

Some weather. Willy and I went to
the Island brought 4 1/2 thousand
Shingles for \$6 - 8 yds for \$2.25
due for shingles etc - drugs etc
Ligh & drug store 1/2 - my letter
will be ready next Tuesday =

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1863.

Took 20 1/2 bushels to mill & pin
ready next Tuesday - George
came home - gone back. Had
got up a splendid dinner but
alas for poor me. I was
suddenly seized with awful
pain in the stomach and
if even could eat & sit =
4 P.M. much better

FRIDAY 11

Warm & sultry. I chored abo
- at rather feeble. A Mr. Lyne
from Italy came to borrow
\$100. But I had none
after very brisk wind from
the N. air full of dust
He & I don't. Still at
Chas. letter from Lottmore
and several of free photos
- apt sent the black p5 sent
by Miner

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1863.

Fine weather but dry. raised
my shop & in Coloured man
helped me. I am well pleased
with the improvement.
Neighbors met to sell
Colored people are flock-
ing to Kansas many are
coming to this place

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1863.

Pleasant cool day. Sent for
Harvey Gee to wash. She came
and she washed - and what
of it? my neck is very pain-
ful - but I must move rain
George & his team gone for
Stone. Rec'd letter from Lulu
at Mrs. Farbox Sam Lappin

SUNDAY 13

Pleasant - I had a pain in
my right rheumatism in
my right neck - very sore
this morning. fear I shall
not be able to go to meeting
Harriet and George attended
Church -

TUESDAY 15

Fine warm. George seems
to be often absent in prayer
time. it grieves me. I try
to be good - and do good
and to use him well -
but there is not the least com-
-union ship between us.
I have dug potatoes. and done
many things Harriet has sown
and works hard. has company
this afternoon - sent letter to Lulu
Mrs. Farbox direct at the Postoffice
Butamant

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1863.

Very dry - many gone for
Gardens & Glass Horns
and Theives I had a pain-
ful night - some better this
morning - rode to Point
with Maxwell but news is
very bad
evening heavy wind some
rain -

THURSDAY 17

High wind and cold
Egan Cole came for his calves
glad they are gone - he paid 10
on Tuesday eve -

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1863.

Pleasant - dig potatoes - David
Hades boy helped - he is of no
use R. letter from Dan once
Mary Upton sad news of sheep
being killed by lightning
my neck is still painful

SATURDAY 19

Cold morning - pleasant after
noon, went with Win Bay
= left for grist - paid 50
for grinding 20 2/3 bu wheat
\$2.60 Hammet wrote to
Mill & Thady

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1863.

Very pleasant the head.
Rev. Mr. Parker in University
on "Behold Island at the door."
He very good, and calculated
to do good. Eggs Bobbin
took dinner with us =
I still suffer with rheuma-
tism. I may not expect
much more East wheat
this side the grave

MONDAY 21

Pleasant went to Troy saw
Grable he does not own
the 40 acres from Hill to me
pa Yape on Mid Bigby 1/2 acre
\$13.55 And on W. V. Bear
\$6.35 took tax Certificate
Returned early in evening
Suffer much with my knee
Oh this Rheumatism,
Coloured Family moved
to my Cabin

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1863.

Went rode to my farm
took provisions to the family
kennel and I rode to see
little Eddy went to Cha.
Saw little Willie & Fof
Coloured girl came to
our house by name Lulu Carter

WEDNESDAY 23

Very pleasant, I had a bad
night one pained me much
Grog Rowden to his place
to fix things, now calculated need
egg potatoes taken with Choke
= took hot pepper mint and
got better, little Lulu does
well so far

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1863.

Ray & Geo. worked a large part of my house. George went to his place make yard. Black woman and boy came to dig potatoes did not crop boy home. I washed up Carpenter, as well as I could. Geo. weather Black girl went home sick -- but little of any way.

FRIDAY 25

pleasant days worked till noon - Oh \$3.50 quit enough. had pleasant talk with Old lady about watering horses at my well. My wife was given a song and thought I was wrong. But I fully think I was right and have laid no foundation for repentance.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1863.

Very pleasant but dry need more much. Frankwell and boy dug potatoes I worked quite to hard. Harriet has it to hard. I think in on both unwise, I will try to change the program soon.

SUNDAY 27

Not any more much we need rain. Harriet attend presbyterian meeting twice. I went to N. meeting heard for Williams on "God is love let God have more buggy and harness" should have kept it for own use.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1863.

Cold and dry, "not much
doing". Left Quincy on
Friday evening about
8 o'clock.

SATURDAY 3

Worked hard all the
morning. Geo. Neal helped
me carry in my stacks -
went to White Chapel
to E. Metcalf. Bro. Price
preached on Examen. I
preached in evening from Lev 13-21 -

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1863.

Love feast in morning
very good. P. E. preached
on ^{performed}
The ordinance of baptism and
sacrament. He reached
home about 5 P.M. -
good for us to be there

MONDAY 5

Cold night. Pleasant this morn-
ing. Geo. went for lime. Someths
Wife and eddy with us all day.
I worked about the barn.
Bro. and Bro. Price called on
us. Oh that I was a better
Christian. I would be good
and useful. I pray God
to give me grace and
salvation.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1863.

Ed. Smith and I went for
lime at Merrick, 11.64 1/2

~~Ed. Smith and I went for
lime at Merrick, 11.64 1/2
I went to the mill
to get some flour
and to see how
the mill was
running.~~

WEDNESDAY 7

Securing hay, donkeys help
one.

~~Ed. Smith and I went for
lime at Merrick, 11.64 1/2
I went to the mill
to get some flour
and to see how
the mill was
running.~~

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1863.

Ed. and Grand will drawing
and stacking my wheat.
now noon snow full of rain.
I work all over. It has
it very hard, went with
Grimall to the Point for stone.
George worked on his house

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FRIDAY 9

Cold - cows gone never stayed
away before. George gone to
his place, to stone his well.
Ewen helps him.

~~Ed. and Grand will drawing
and stacking my wheat.
now noon snow full of rain.
I work all over. It has
it very hard, went with
Grimall to the Point for stone.
George worked on his house~~

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1863.

Cold and snow colder road
out to find cows failed
only got very chilly

SUNDAY 11

Pleasant I had long weary
ride for my cows. ^{One found}
Lambert quite unwell -
not able to stand the
in bed most of the day

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1863.

Cold but pleasant I have
much to do - Harvest some
butter. George, gone to his uncle
Col. Hensch leaves for his
Regiment to day.
after noon making arrangements
to carry up little jobs
went to George's place
looked for Laura not
found

TUESDAY 13

Cool - rain needed -
Evening I went to the Island
I got 14 bunches lath 30¢ 4.20
bat 3-53 lumber for Lewis
to - on farm -

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1863.

Pleasant - but don't want
any more cows (if not
Helen how strange they
stay away - gathered
in after noon
George at his place -
Bot drift of Ben H. P. Rob
is an 87.50

THURSDAY 15

Still pleasant - Harriet
quite unwell has a bad
swelling on her fingers
She works too hard
I have been working
in the Chamber
Made pottice for the finger
of Hollis's foot and then
she suffers much -
at present George been
plastering his house

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1863.

Day is pleasant - Harriet's
finger very bad - She is quite
unwell - Carol took one
Chamber to bottle I have
looked her over for my
Coccol

SATURDAY 17

Very heavy wind all day
still continues now 9 P.M.
Last night large fire at Lassa
Point did much damage
Harriet's finger some better
She bears it with much pain
= once - the applications, not
so agreeable but efficacious

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1863.

Windy during the night but cold and pleasant this morning. Harvest much better but able to attend Church. My Cows do not come now. Can I find them but what is Earth with all its treasures and cares?

MONDAY 19

Heavy wind cleared the Chambers for lathing which caused some confusion went to George for 400 lath found my Cows at the Sator by place on the Wall - glad to get them I have worked very hard am tired - and why not? Harvest much better than done here work

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1863.

Rose early and chose lathed Chamber. Saw traced Loads said. I worked very steady Harvest very smart. Had her work. Her finger nearly well. It has been a very solemn day. It is but a stop between me and death. Oh that I may be prepared for that solemn count. Sent by Yale only \$125 to St. Lee for staff.

WEDNESDAY 21

Cold night. water froze quite thick - but warm pleasant. I lathed for noon. Hacked lime and prepared to mix mortar. Have done for me a great days work. He is very smart. George went the Point to help. Mine on morning. Colloquation was not the most pleasant. Hope God will give us work. 7 o'clock. See Smith was here cut

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1863.

Cold and snow come. Had a very bad night - took cold yesterday. my throat is very sore. Corbett worked all day - I am very well wrote to Thom Davis but I don't know how much he wrote little

FRIDAY 23

Cold night froze and Corbett worked part of hour and quit. my mare is badly hurt - neck is swollen I think G-mare has kept her

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1863.

I rose early - my horse very bad - have done much for her during the day - perhaps too much - barked the house Willie helped me some - Ambery' bled my horse 4 qt - It is thought the disease is Lance = badley swollen -

SUNDAY 25

Pleasant morning rose Louise did chores & am no worse I think she may get well by close attention we are well and should be thankful. have seen = cross the mercies of God. Smith came for George B. sick - came again at night George B. & Janet went over Smith brought to home about 10 evening

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