**HENRY H. SCADIN DAIRIES**

**1898**

*Saturday, January 1*
*Ther.: 24+*
*Wea.: Cold and windy*

Bought a load of wood and chopped it all up this afternoon. The wind was furious and cold, and I felt as cold as ever last winter. Had a letter from Kate tonight.

*Sunday, Jan. 2*
*Ther.: 19+*
*Wea.: cold*

Last night the coldest of season so far. I attended the Episcopal church this forenoon, 16 others there. Went out to Mr. Howes for dinner. We did a little singing afterward.

*Monday, Jan. 3*
*Ther.: 30+*

It has moderated. I printed up and finished all but burnishing a lot of views. Took another view of Tryon this forenoon. Developed tonight.

*Tuesday, Jan. 4*
*Ther.: 50+*

Been warm and pleasant all day. Clouding a little tonight. I took some views over and showed them to Mr. Godshaw. Left some at the drug store. Went over to the Pacolet valley this afternoon a little while. Took a portrait this afternoon.

*Wednesday, Jan. 5*
*Ther.: 63+*
*Wea.: fine*

This morning I went out and took a baby's picture, then I went down and got a view of the high trestle on the Railway. This afternoon I went out to Lyn and was taken through the knitting factory there. Been a warm day.

*Thursday, Jan. 6*
*Wea.: rainy*

It rained about all day. I wrote an order for some Photo Goods. Marked some negatives and wrote a letter to Kate. Had a letter from Hiram and they had a freeze there last week.

*Friday, Jan. 7*
*Wea.: clear, moderate*

I went out viewing this forenoon, taking two views of the Knitting Mill at Lyn. Had a letter from Mr. Jacobs at noon telling me to go ahead with the views, so I will close up here soon. Did some printing this afternoon.

*Saturday, Jan. 8*
*Ther.: 64+*
*Wea.: warm, fine*
I worked today at finishing up a batch of photos. Had another letter from Jenks hurrying me up about the mining views they want. Sold some more of my etchings to an artist, who spends her winters here.

**Sunday, Jan. 9**

*Wea.*: warm, cloudy

Did not go to church today as I had so much writing to do in connection with my going away. Called out in the Pacolet valley this afternoon.

**Monday, Jan. 10**

*Ther.*: 70+

*Wea.*: warm

Have been very busy all day packing up to leave tomorrow. It has been so warm that I did not need any fire. Sent off for a lot of photo goods. Had a nice lot of etchings from Kate tonight. Packed my trunk tonight.

**Tuesday, Jan. 11**

*Wea.*: rain

After I got ready to leave this morning it began raining. Left Tryon on the noon train. Stopped 2 hours in Hendersonville and then came to Brevard, where I am staying tonight.

**Wednesday, Jan. 12**

Mr. Hays came down with his team last night, and I drove them back for him today, so was very lucky. It has been a good day but is raining tonight. Am at Sapphire again.

**Thursday, Jan. 13**

*Wea.*: Cooler and clear

Mr. Burlingame took me all about the line on my land this forenoon, and I am well pleased with it. I picked out a place for house site and cleaned off a little of the ground this afternoon. Staying with Lowry Verner tonight.

**Friday, Jan. 14**

*Wea.*: clouds

I looked about on my place this forenoon. Found some very pretty spots, and one beautiful little glen. Cleaned out a couple of springs. Had letters from home tonight.

**Saturday, Jan. 15**

*Wea.*: rain

This forenoon it rained about all the time. I rode Mr. Burlingame's horse over to his place and took his dinner. Worked a cleaning a road out on my place. Took Mr. B. and Lucy over to see my Glen.

**Sunday, Jan. 16**

*Wea.*: Clear

I went to the Sapphire Sunday School this forenoon then took Lowry Verner over to see my place, then went up to Mr. R. A. Jacobs with him to dinner. Went to hotel to a sing this evening.

**Monday, Jan. 17**

*Wea.*: rain

It has been a cloudy, chilly, disagreeable day. We all expected snow. I chopped up some wood this forenoon. Mr. B. and I sent an order for fruit trees. Wrote a letter to Kate tonight.
Tuesday, Jan. 18

The weather continues raw and chilly. I made a ground glass for my camera this forenoon. Went over to "Kate's Glen" this afternoon with Mrs. B., Miss Stolzenback and Mr. Geo. Jacobs.

Wednesday, Jan. 19
Wea.: rain and sleet

It has stormed all day, raining and sleet ing. I went with Mr. Burlingame and helped him put on lathe in his house. I am getting anxious to go to Highlands as my mail must be going there now.

Thursday, Jan. 20
Wea.: clear and warmer

This has been a beautiful day. I went up on Mt. Toxaway this forenoon and made views of the Club House. This afternoon I did some viewing for Mr. Jenks, with my large camera which came today.

Friday, Jan. 21
Wea.: Fine

Mr. Crisp's team took me and my things to Highlands today. I walked considerable and had a fine chance to use my field glass. Am going to stay at Mr. Rideouts while here.

Saturday, Jan. 22
Wea.: rain

Spent the day in getting my things in shape for photo work. Have a room in back of house for developing and developed 3 8 x 10's tonight. Had a letter from Kate this evening. It is warmer and rains hard tonight.

Sunday, Jan. 23
Wea.: cool, pleasant

Went to church this forenoon and heard Mr. Wade preach. This afternoon the team came from Cullasajee and took me and camera down the mountain to that point where I am to begin my job of viewing.

Monday, Jan. 24
Wea.: pleasant

Have been hard at work all day making views at Corundum Hill. Exposed 17 plates. Called and took supper at Mr. Geo. Jacobs tonight. Am tired.

Tuesday, Jan. 25
Wea.: rain

It rained hard during last night. Went to the Elijay mines to make views. It rained quite hard before we got back. I had a letter from ma and a p.o. order for $60 in it. Called at Geo. Jacobs.

Wednesday, Jan. 26
Wea.: Cool, clear

Took a view of Mr. Geo. Jacobs house this morning and also the original Cullasaja apple tree. Viewed a Corundum mine on top of a mountain and a man's house in the valley. It is much colder.

Thursday, Jan. 27
Wea.: bright
I started with two wagons this morning and went to the Corundum mines at Buck Creek over the Nantahala mountains into Clay Co. We camp in a log cabin. Had a nice trip.

Friday, Jan. 28
Wea.: bright

Spent today in making views on the mining property. I like the country up here very much and Buck Creek is the prettiest stream I about ever saw. I get very hungry and eat hearty.

Saturday, Jan. 29
Wea.: clear

We came back to Cullasaja today. Camped for dinner just this side of the Nantahala's. We also stopped and had supper, then drove in by moonlight. I have enjoyed this trip. Found two letters here from Kate.

Sunday, Jan. 30
Wea.: cold, snow

This morning it was snowing and was much like winter. I took dinner with the Jacobs and spent most of the afternoon there. Wrote to Kate this evening.

Monday, Jan. 31
Wea.: cold

It was cold and blustering today, with snow flurries this forenoon. I took some views and then climbed a mountain to get a sight of Franklin.

Tuesday, February 1
Ther.: 6+
Wea.: cold

It has been a cold day. I walked up to Highlands. It was snowy on top of the mountains and hard walking. Took supper and spent the evening at Mr. Bascom's. Very cold tonight.

Wednesday, Feb. 2
Wea.: cold

Wrote some letters this forenoon and sent $30 to Mr. Burlingame to pay on my little house. It is real cold and some stormy tonight. Cannot do any photo work.

Thursday, Feb. 3
Ther.: 0
Wea.: cold

It was the coldest of the season this morning. Have done nothing today but loaf about. Wrote a letter to Kate. Called at the Higlands House this evening.

Friday, Feb. 4

Not quite so cold this morning. The Cullasaja team came for me this afternoon and took me to Laurel Creek, Ga. I am staying at a typical mountain house. Cook by the fireplace, all sleep in the same room.

Saturday, Feb. 5
Wea.: snow
Started out this morning to make views but only got two when it began to snow. Came back to Highlands and began fixing up the dark room. Developed some.

_Sunday, Feb. 6_  
_Wea.: bright_

Went to church this forenoon. It is thawing in the sunlight. Am hoping for good weather to work at my picture business. Wrote a letter to ma and one to Hiram Glover.

_Monday, Feb. 7_  
_Wea.: Fair, warmer_

Have been at the developing all day. It was a cold job this forenoon and I had to keep warming the developer all day. Had a letter from Kate tonight.

_Tuesday, Feb. 8_  
_Wea.: fair_

Spent all day and late this evening developing. Have 12 more exposed plates. Mrs. Rideout is sick with the Grippe. I seems to get a little warmer each day.

_Wednesday, Feb. 9_  
_Wea.: mild_

I began labeling the negatives this forenoon. This afternoon I finished developing all exposed plates. It has been a comfortable day to work.

_Thursday, Feb. 10_  
_Wea.: mild_

I finished marking what negatives I have on hand this forenoon. This afternoon I walked down to Pine Mountain, Georgia to be ready to make views tomorrow.

_Friday, Feb. 11_  
_Wea.: warm, cloudy_

This has not been a fair day, for the clouds and smoke but, I made what exposures I needed and walked back to Highlands this afternoon. Went to a sing tonight.

_Saturday, Feb. 12_  
_Wea.: bright and warm_

Been at work all day and till 10:30 tonight. Printed and finished a batch of photos, and developed some plates. It has been a lovely day. Heard that I won 2nd prize on my views at the exhibition at Jackson, Mich, P.A. of Mich.

_Sunday, Feb. 13_  
_Wea.: mild and bright.

Went to church this forenoon. Wrote several letters this afternoon and also took a walk about the lake and called on Dr. Anderson.

_Monday, Feb. 14_  
_Wea.: mild and bright.

Printed photos about all day. Developed the last of the Ga. Views this evening. Had a letter from Kate tonight.
Tuesday, Feb. 15
Wea.: cold

It has turned colder tonight. I finished a batch of views and did up a package of 53 to send to Mr. Jenks in the morning.

Wednesday, Feb. 16
Ther.: 16+
Wea.: cold

Been printing views all day long. Mr. Blaine from Cullasaja called and brought my McIntoch coat. They want me to come back down there again.

Thursday, Feb. 17

Tried printing this forenoon but it soon got so cloudy that at noon I quite. Tonight it rains. Tried a fancy photo of Miss Elsie. Sang songs tonight.

Friday, Feb. 18

It rained hard all last night. I could do no work this forenoon, but printed this afternoon. Went to choir practice at Mr. White's tonight.

17 days at Rideouts.

Saturday, Feb. 19

Foggy all day so I could not print. Went up to Mr. Walden's this forenoon and had my hair cut. Took several portrait negatives this afternoon. Young people had a candy ball[?] here this evening.

Sunday, Feb. 20

It stormed some this forenoon, but was clear and pleasant this afternoon turning colder tonight. I went up on Satulah Mt. and took my field glass. Fine views.

Monday, Feb. 21
Ther.: 14+
Wea.: cold

Snow on the ground this morning and cold windy weather all day. I did a half days printing, but it was disagreeable work.

Tuesday, Feb. 22
Ther.: 11+
Wea.: cold

Printed all day and almost finished from the mine negatives. I also did some retouching and portrait printing. Don't feel very well but hope I can escape the prevailing cold.

Wednesday, Feb. 23
Wea.: milder

Took a walk out toward Shortoff this forenoon. This afternoon I finished up a small batch of portraits, etc. Feel better than last night.

Thursday, Feb. 24
Wea.: cool, windy

Worked all day finishing on the mine views. Had a hard toothache last night and don't suppose cold water soaking will help it any.

Friday, Feb. 25
Ther.: 31+
Wea.: pleasant

Toned and finished 54 8 x 10 views today. The wind blows but the latter part of the day was pleasant. This morning it snowed. Am going to the singing practice tonight at Mr. Cobb's.

Saturday, Feb. 26
Wea.: snow

Finished the last batch of the mine views today and have them done up ready to box tonight. We had quite a snow storm this afternoon, but it is mild weather.

Sunday, Feb. 27

The snow went off today. Went to church this forenoon. Wrote some letters and called on Mr. Manley this afternoon and looked his place over.

Monday, Feb. 28

I packed up the mine views and negatives for shipping. Looked over all the Highlands views at Miss White's and made out a list to print. She is going away for a while.

Tuesday, March 1

Printed some photos this forenoon and also went up on Satulah Mt. This afternoon I took my camera and made 3 stereoscopic views going out as far as Highland Falls.

Wednesday, March 2
Wea.: rain

Finished up some photos and calendars today. I rained about all day. Wrote letters to Kate and Hiram Glover. Developed the Stereo plates this evening.

Thursday, March 3
Wea.: cloudy

Been about sick with a cold all day, but went up on Satulah mountain to take some Stereo views this forenoon. Kept in the house all the afternoon.

Friday, March 4
Wea.: clouds

Stayed in and doctored my cold most of the day. Tried taking a few portraits this afternoon. Felt too sore in my throat to go to the sing tonight.

Saturday, March 5
Wea.: bright

Went up on Bear Pen Mt. this morning and made an exposure of one Stereo plate. Printed a lot of photos for Mrs. Bascom. Developed some plates this afternoon.
Sunday, March 6  
Wea.: bright

Did not go to church today on account of my hard cold. I took a walk this afternoon over to the cemetery, and on a new road down to Pinkertons Pool.

Monday, March 7  
Wea.: bright, milder

I did some retouching and printing this forenoon. This afternoon I finished a batch of photos and made couple more portrait exposures.

Tuesday, March 8  
Wea.: bright

Mr. Rideout went with me to a pretty fall on the Cullasagee river this forenoon. This afternoon I went out and called on the Cobb family. Developed plates tonight.

Wednesday, March 9  
Wea.: bright

Got ready this morning and came through on foot to Sapphire. Called at Col. Alley's in Whiteside Cove. Got here about 4 o'clock.

Thursday, March 10  
Wea.: warm, clear

Worked this forenoon chopping down dead trees. This afternoon marked out the ground and began setting fruit trees. Mr. Dave Miller helped me all day.

Friday, March 11  
Wea.: warm, foggy

Worked hard all day putting out trees. Mr. Arthur Miller began to build my little house. Mr. Dave M. helping him. I am very tired tonight.

Saturday, March 12  
Wea.: warm, foggy

I finished setting out my fruit trees and vines today and got them all trimmed and a plat made so I cane locate them all. It threatened all the time to rain but has not yet.

Sunday, March 13  
Wea.: rain

I walked back to Highlands today and had a rainy time of it but was glad to get back. Found a check from Hampden Co., for $65. 69, also a letter from Kate.

Monday, March 14  
Wea.: Rain

It stormed more or less, and I was lucky to have come back yesterday. I let Mr. Bascom have my check and took a due bill. Let Miss Elsie take my guitar to play on.

Tuesday, March 15
Wea.: misty

I fixed up a salting batch and salted 61 8 x 10 pieces of plain paper today. The air is so damp it doesn't dry fast at all. News of approaching war with Spain seem to grow stranger.

Wednesday, March 16
Wea.: foggy

Salted more paper this forenoon. This afternoon I went up Satulah Mt. above the clouds, but could not get a good photo. Had a letter from Kate tonight.

Thursday, March 17
Wea.: warm

Retouched couple of negatives this morning. It cleared up about noon and after dinner I took my camera and went to Cullasaja falls and Cullacaleski falls after views. It was very warm walking. Developed the plates tonight.

Friday, March 18
Wea.: warm

It has been foggy most all day, so I got nothing done. It cleared up just before night. Had a letter from Vida and one from Hiram Glover.

Saturday, March 19
Ther.: 72+
Wea.: warm

I went to Glen Falls this forenoon and made an 8 x 10 view. This afternoon I fixed up some paper and made some blue prints. It has been a pleasant day.

Sunday, March 20
Ther.: 72+
Wea.: warm

Went to church this forenoon and sang in the choir. This afternoon I took a walk up Satulah Mt. to a place called the "Sea of Views." Been a warm day.

Monday, March 21
Wea.: warm

I did some printing this forenoon. This afternoon I went to Pinkertons Pool for Stereo views. Took an interior for Mr. White's folks. Warm, hazy weather.

Tuesday, March 22
Wea.: warm

I had Mr. Ravenel's riding horse today and went with Mr. Wright down the Cullasaja river to get some views. There is fine scenery down there. It was a good day for us.

Wednesday, March 23
Wea.: warm

I did some printing this forenoon, and also made a few small blue prints. This afternoon I went down the Walhala road several miles to get a view of Satulah Mt.

Thursday, March 24
Wea.: cooler

Took a photo of a store this morning and then went at printing, but at noon there came a rain and stopped me, so I finished a batch this afternoon. It has stopped raining tonight.

Friday, March 25
Wea.: cool

I went up on Satulah this morning and tried to get a panoramic view then I went on Bear Pen and took a view of Highlands from there. The air was quite clear.

Saturday, March 26
Wea.: mild

Printed up a set of views ordered by Mr. Symington. Also got a few prints from negatives made yesterday. Developed more plates tonight and sensitized lot more paper for blue prints.

Sunday, March 27
Wea.: rain

It has been cloudy and rainy all day. I did not go to church as I had a bad headache. Took a nap after dinner and felt better.

Monday, March 28
Wea.: rain

It has rained hard all day. I finished up a batch of photos and fixed up the Syminton work. Had a letter from Ma and Kate tonight.

Tuesday, March 29
Wea.: rain

I mailed Mr. Symington his views this morning, then I got ready and walked to Sapphire. It rained very hard last night, and the water was so high I had to take the main road. It rained quite hard today also.

Wednesday, March 30
Wea.: misty

This forenoon I went to Dave Miller's and got him to go with me over my place to show him what I wished down. Saw my little house. Went to the Co.'s office and got an order for views form Mr. Hays. It began to clear up this evening.

Thursday, March 31
Wea.: clear, cool

There was frost and some ice this morning. I walked back to Highlands this forenoon, and this afternoon I printed views and made a lot of Blue prints. It is cool.

Friday, April 1
Wea.: cool

This was Kate's birthday. I finished up some photos and then began packing up my negatives and tools. Hope to start for home next Monday.

Saturday, April 2
Wea.: chilly
Worked hard all day packing up my tools and goods, and partly packed my trunk tonight. Insured my Sapphire house with Mr. White for Seventy-five Dollars. Felt tired tonight.

Sunday, April 3

I wrote 12 letters today and it made me tired. Finished packing my trunk. Called on Mrs. Davis this afternoon. It looks stormy tonight.

Monday, April 4

Got up at 5 o'clock this morning and made some coffee and oats. Left at 6 o'clock with the wagon and rode to Walhalla, where I got a livery and went to Westminster where I took the train and came to Atlanta. It rains hard.

Tuesday, April 5

Got up early this morning but the train was late and kept on getting late all day so missed connection at Cincinnati and have to stay all night. There was snow in Kentucky.

Wednesday, April 6

Came through Ohio today. Plenty of signs of the flood in the Miama valley. Had supper in Detroit and came to Delhi about 10 o'clock. Will was there to meet me.

Thursday, April 7

Got my trunk over from Delhi today and unpacked it. It freezes nights and is very cool and March like. Been looking at pictures and books good deal.

Friday, April 8

I wrote some letters and sent some orders for Photo stock. Went up to Dexter this afternoon. Went to the sing at the church tonight.

Saturday, April 9

Helped pa and Willie in cleaning up for the new barn site during the forenoon. Geo. Martin was here at dinner. Willie and I made some berry crates this afternoon.

Sunday, April 10

Went to church this forenoon and sang in the home choir once more. They had Easter exercises. It threatened rain, but has cleared off this evening. Went to church tonight.

Monday, April 11

Helped do the washing this morning and then Kate and I went to Ann Arbor. I got some stuff for my photo work. It has been warmer and a very pleasant day.

Tuesday, April 12

Wea.: warmer

I worked today at salting plain paper. I made a board for holding it when I sensitize and fixed a few sheets tonight to print tomorrow. Been getting warm.

Wednesday, April 13
Found I had made a mistake fixing my paper, so had to go to Ann Arbor again for more things. Went on train and walked home. Vida had telegram that her father was dead.

**Thursday, April 14**

Salted paper this forenoon. Went to Dexter this afternoon and got freight from Philadelphia. It was a windy and dusty ride. It is very dry. Pa began digging for his new barn cellar.

**Friday, April 15**

I made up a large batch of photo Etchings today, and silvered paper for tomorrow's work this evening. Ma and Vida went to a reading at the M. E. Church.

**Saturday, April 16**

It was not very clear today and bothered me about printing, but I got a batch done. Pa and I burned a march tonight. We had a fruit ice when we got all done work.

**Sunday, April 17**

It has been a pleasant day but turned cool this evening. I did not go to church today. Kate and I drove over to her folkses this afternoon. Thunders tonight.

**Monday, April 18**

There was some rain last night and it has sprinkled and spit hail during today. Made a cupboard for my negatives. Vida and I went to Dexter this afternoon. It is very cool.

**Tuesday, April 19**

Wea.: cool

It has been a rainy day. I spent the forenoon in putting up some new window shades. We heard this evening that war with Spain had been declared.

**Wednesday, April 20**

Wea.: cool, misty

I printed and finished a batch of photo-etchings, mounting most of them. Got through in time to help Willie draw up some wood, we burn a good deal this weather.

**Thursday, April 21**

Wea.: warmer

I made another batch of pictures today. It was sunny and pleasant. Pa went to an auction and bought a horse.

**Friday, April 22**

Wea.: rain

I went to Ann Arbor this forenoon to take photos I have made for Mr. Hays to get them bound in books. Lizzie and Marion came home with me. It was rather a rainy trip.

**Saturday, April 23**

Wea.: Cloudy
I mowed the lawn today. Went to Dexter this forenoon. Pa hitched up his new colt this evening. I spread some straw in the field.

**Sunday, April 24**  
*Wea.: cool*

Took Kate out for a short ride this forenoon. Did not go to church. Pa and Horace Sayles went to Dexter this afternoon. They got some more war news.

**Monday, April 25**  
*Wea.: Cool and damp*

It rained some today. Helped wash this morning, then signed up a lot of photos. Don was here to dinner. I dug about some peach trees and put ashes around them.

**Tuesday, April 26**  
*Wea.: warmer*

Printed a lot of Blue Prints but spoiled most of them. Went up to Dexter this afternoon with Ossian Kenny. There was no important war news.

**Wednesday, April 27**  
*Wea.: warm*

I took Lizzie and the baby back to Ann Arbor this morning, did some errands, and got home at noon. Helped draw gravel and stone this afternoon.

**Thursday, April 28**  
*Wea.: clear*

Went to Dexter this forenoon and sent pictures by express to Sapphire. I carried hod for the stone mason this afternoon. It rains some this evening.

**Friday, April 29**  
*Wea.: pleasant*

I went to Ann Arbor on the train at noon and bought a kodak for Prof. Harvey. Walked home and took views with it to test by. Developed them tonight. Pa and Ma went to Dexter.

**Saturday, April 30**  
*Wea.: clear*

Helped Willie draw stone this forenoon. Pa went away and traded horses. Mowed the lawn this afternoon. Got pretty tired.

**Sunday, May 1**  
*Wea.: warm*

Took a nap this forenoon and loafed generously all day. A good many teams and wheels went out to Island Lake where the soldiers are camping. It has showered several times.

**Monday, May 2**  
*Wea.: warm*

Helped wash this morning and then I sprayed the gooseberry bushes and some currants and some grape vines. This afternoon I went to Dexter and expressed the little camera to Mr. Harvey. All excitement over the war.
Tuesday, May 3
Wea.: cool

Pa and I went to Delhi this morning for the carpenters tools, then we drew a little wood and went to drawing stone for the barn wall. Split some wood this afternoon.

Wednesday, May 4
Wea.: cool

Helped pa start plowing for corn. Helped Will draw stone, spread manure. Put some ashes about the plum trees. Kate printed photos for me and I trimmed them tonight.

Thursday, May 5
Wea.: cool, rain

Went down to Wheeler's this forenoon with Willie to saw out some strips for his crates. It rained a good share of the day. Kate began finishing the photos and I completed the job this afternoon and evening.

Friday, May 6
Wea.: frost

I spread straw this forenoon. Put ashes around the pear trees. Went to Ann Arbor this afternoon and came back on the evening train. Stopped at the parsonage and got a dish of sherbet.

Saturday, May 7
Wea.: warmer

Spread straw and sharpened the lawn mower this forenoon. Mowed the lawn this afternoon and hunted steel buttes off the grape vines.

Sunday, May 8
Wea.: warm

Kate and I went over to her folks and took dinner today. Don went to Dexter and got the official news of Dewey's victory at the Phillipine Islands over the Spanish fleet and forts.

Monday, May 9
Wea.: fine

Got up about 3 o'clock this morning and did some tall riding on Will's wheel. At 5:10 a boy was born and we named him Philip Dewey Scadin. Carpenters began work on the barn today.

Tuesday, May 10
Wea.: Rain

It rained about all the forenoon. I went to Dexter this afternoon to mail letters and do errands. Kate and baby seem to be doing well. I receive many congratulations.

Wednesday, May 11
Wea.: Fine

The baby has been sick today and we are worried about him. Drew stone, split wood and did various jobs. Worked in the garden some hoeing and planting peas.

Thursday, May 12
Wea.: Fine

Got up at 3 o'clock and rode the wheel to Dexter for the doctor as baby was very sick. After breakfast I went to Ann Arbor on the wheel. The baby seemed to be better this afternoon.

Friday, May 13
Wea.: Fine

Did some dragging and helped draw stone this forenoon. Took Willie's wheel and went to Ann Arbor this afternoon to attend the May Festival concert. Went tonight also. Am staying all night at McAllasters.

Saturday, May 14
Wea.: Warm

Got up at 4 o'clock this morning and rode home to breakfast. Found Kate and baby all right apparently. Carpenters and masons went home early this evening. It seems like rain and sprinkles tonight.

Sunday, May 15
Wea.: Warm

Henry, Kate and Lawrence came over from Hamburg to see us and the baby today. The baby has been real good all day. Mrs. Case's husband and boy came down to see her.

Monday, May 16
Wea.: Warm

Helped Willie draw stone this forenoon. Planted some sweet corn, hoed in the garden, hunted bugs off grape vines, sprayed gooseberry bushes, and did chores this afternoon. It continues very dry.

Tuesday, May 17

Mixed up Bordeaux and paris green and sprayed the plum trees this morning, also sprayed some currant and gooseberry bushes. Kate and "Dewey" seem to be doing well.

Wednesday, May 18
Wea.: Shower

Worked at spraying some this morning, then helped saw and work on getting barn timbers in shape. Had to go to Dexter this afternoon to get harness mended.

Thursday, May 19
Wea.: Showers

Had to go to Dexter again this morning. Then I drew stone for the masons. This afternoon I worked with the choppers scoring timber in the woods. It has been a warm day with a little rain.

Friday, May 20

We had a heavy rain last night which soaked up the ground good. Mowed the lawn and helped haul timbers. Kate sat up in a chair today. This building is hard work.

Saturday, May 21
Wea.: Rain

The carpenters went home this morning for a few days stay. There came up a big rain that stopped the masons again. Nettie West came up from Ann Arbor.
Sunday, May 22  
Wea.: Fine

Mrs. Case went home for a short visit today and Kate and I with Ma's help took care of the baby. He was not real well. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sutherland called. It sprinkles again tonight.

Monday, May 23  
Wea.: fine

We had a shower early this morning and then it cleared up. I helped draw logs to the saw mill today, and also did some spraying on fruit trees.

Tuesday, May 24  
Wea.: fine

Hoed in the garden and helped draw stone this forenoon. Mrs. Case brought the baby out in the dining room at noon. Will and I planted melons this afternoon.

Wednesday, May 25  
Wea.: Fine

I went to Ann Arbor with Mr. Sharpy this forenoon to get him help on the barn wall. He hired a darky. The carpenters came again today.

Thursday, May 26  
Wea.: Fine

Been working at hauling logs and lumber about all day. I went to Delhi for flour this morning. It was about 8 o'clock when I got my supper tonight.

Friday, May 27  
Wea.: Fine

Dug some in trench on barn wall this morning, then took wheel and went to Wheelers and will Burnett's. Mowed lawn this afternoon. Had a letter from Mr. Hays with check.

Saturday, May 28  
Wea.: Showers

The masons finished the wall this forenoon. Pa went to Hamburg and brought aunt Eliza Whitmore home with him. We had a hard days work getting a 40 foot beam out of the woods. A hard shower at noon.

Sunday, May 29  
Wea.: fine

I took the nurse who has had care of Kate and baby home today. We will have to get along best we can alone now. It has been cooler than usual today.

Monday, May 30  
Wea.: very fine

This has been one of the most beautiful days of this spring. We had a bee and drew a carload of lumber up from Delhi. I have my fingers sore from handling lumber and stone.

Tuesday, May 31
Pa was very sick last night with congestion of the lungs. He became easier today. I went to Lew Bennetts raising this forenoon and rode the wheel about giving invitations to our raising this afternoon.

Wednesday, June 1

We have been getting ready for our raising. I went to Dexter this evening for the things cooked at the bakers. Pa has been getting better.

Thursday, June 2
Wea.: Warm

We had the barn raising today. There was about 150 people here. We did not get quite through. Pa was out some to see. It was a hard day for us all.

Friday, June 3
Wea.: hot

Some of the neighbors came and helped us finish putting up the rafters on the barn. I got my freight from Highlands yesterday. It has been a hot day.

Saturday, June 4
Wea.: hot

I worked at various jobs today. Pa went out to Hamburg this forenoon. We found a few ripe strawberries this afternoon.

Sunday, June 5
Wea.: hot

Kate and I took the baby and went over to father Queal's to dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Stark of Hamburg were over here. Willie and I made currant ice.

Monday, June 6
Ther.: 90+
Wea.: hot

I took chairs and tables of the Farmers Club over to the Parsonage this morning. Uncle John and aunt Ann came down and spent the day.

Tuesday, June 7
Ther.: 90+

Sprayed some plum trees this morning. Pa and I went to the woods and got some long poles for staying at the barn. We had strawberries for supper. The minister was married today.

Wednesday, June 8
Wea.: hot

I did some work on photography today, retouching and printing on negatives I made at Highlands. We had a little shower at noon, but not enough.

Thursday, June 9

I went to Dexter on the wheel this forenoon to see the doctor about the baby. He is not doing well. I printed on photos this afternoon.
Friday, June 10
Wea.: rain

I printed photos this forenoon and finished up a batch this afternoon. There came up a heavy thunder shower at supper time and broke the drouth. Dewey has been better today.

Saturday, June 11

Did up photos for mailing this forenoon. This afternoon I went to Ann Arbor. Brought Lizzie and Marion home with me. More rain.

Sunday, June 12

Spent the day I resting and snoozing. It was very warm. Little Dewey seems to be sick with something about all the time.

Monday, June 13

It rained hard this morning while we were picking Will's first bushel of strawberries. He sent them to Detroit. Another heavy shower this afternoon.

Tuesday, June 14

Willie shipped 3 crates of berries this morning. I spread straw this forenoon and pa began plowing summer fallow. Rain today noon.

Wednesday, June 15

Picked some strawberries today. Took Kate for a ride this afternoon. It has turned cooler.

Thursday, June 16

Picked berries and spread straw this forenoon. Went to Ann Arbor this afternoon. We have had to begin feeding poor little Dewey on a bottle.

Friday, June 17

Cultivated corn this forenoon. Kate went to see the doctor about Dewey. Picked a lot of strawberries this afternoon.

Saturday, June 18

Pa went to Whitmore Lake for lumber this forenoon. I did some more cultivating. Picked berries this afternoon. Took some to Ed. Ball's folks. Dewey pretty sick all last night.

Sunday, June 19

This was children's day at the church and I went in the choir to help them sing. Dewey has seemed pretty well today.

Monday, June 20

Cultivated corn today. It grew decidedly cool this evening. Mr. Sharpy painted the barn wall.

Tuesday, June 21

Finished cultivating corn this morning and went to picking strawberries. Got a bushel for canning.
Wednesday, June 22
I printed photos this forenoon. This afternoon I mowed some grass down to commence the haying. We put on the barn doors this noon.

Thursday, June 23
Went at cultivating corn again this morning. A track was put in the peak of the barn for a hay and grain carrier.

Friday, June 24
I cultivated corn part of the forenoon. Raked up the hay this afternoon and cocked some of it up. It has been very hot and I am losing my appetite. Kate and Vida went to Dexter tonight.

Saturday, June 25
Cousin Lizzie went back to Ann Arbor this forenoon. We had a rain last night and this morning and wet all our hay. We fixed a barn bridge. Mr. Calkins of A.A. called this afternoon.

Sunday, June 26
Spent most of the forenoon in a sound sleep. Kate and I took a ride this afternoon and called on her folks.

Monday, June 27
Worked in the garden some this forenoon. We had several showers. Made a large stand for my burnisher. Worked in the hay this afternoon, and went to Delhi.

Tuesday, June 28
Drew hay this forenoon for the cow shed. This afternoon I picked berries and Will worked in the hay. They put several loads in the new barn with the slings.

Wednesday, June 29
Worked at haying most all day. It is very hot now and it takes the tuck out of me. We had a freezer of strawberry sherbet tonight.

Thursday, June 30
Ther.: 90+

Hotter! Worked at haying all day. The tinners came and put the conductors on the new barn. We put in 10 loads of hay.

Friday, July 1
Ther.: 96+

Awful hot. We finished drawing the hay from the field that was cut. I almost gave out with the heat. Nettie West came from Ann Arbor to stay awhile.

Saturday, July 2
Ther.: 95+

Finished some photos this afternoon. Willie went to Ann Arbor and Pa to Dexter this forenoon. Picked
Sunday, July 3

Read and dozed the day away mostly. The strawberries are beginning to get some what scarce. News of a big battle in Cuba are coming in.

Monday, July 4

This has been a cool and beautiful day. Will and Vida were away to a picnic all the afternoon. Pa mowed a lot of grass in the south field.

Tuesday, July 5

Cousin Lizzie went back to Ann Arbor on the train this afternoon. Will Burnett began work here at noon. We hauled considerable hay. I mowed some this evening.

Wednesday, July 6

It has been a nice day for haying, there being a cool breeze.

Thursday, July 7

Ther.: 92+

Getting hot again. Worked in the hay all day.

Friday, July 8

Went to Ann Arbor this forenoon to get binding twine. It was a hot ride. It sprinkled a little after dinner. Mr. Dolbee finished painting the barn and went home.

Saturday, July 9

Cool breeze from north all day. Willie cut wheat. Will Burnett and I drew hay. We set up the wheat late this afternoon. Had an orange sherbet tonight.

Sunday, July 10

Very cool for summer today. I slept a good share of the day. Geo. Martin called a few minutes this afternoon. It grew warmer toward night.

Monday, July 11

Helped pa set up wheat after the binder this forenoon. The machine broke down this afternoon so we could not finish. I picked some cherries.

Tuesday, July 12

Will Burnett was here and we ran two teams drawing wheat into the new barn all day. We unloaded with the slings. Wind is east and it grew warmer. It is getting very dry and dusty.

Wednesday, July 13

Drew wheat with one team today. Willie got a binder and finished the cutting.

Thursday, July 14

Finished drawing wheat this forenoon. Got it all in one bay of the barn. Pa mowed hay and I picked a lot of cherries.
Friday, July 15

Kate got frightened about the baby so we went to Ann Arbor with him to see Dr. Hale. It was a hot and dusty ride but it seemed to do him good.

Saturday, July 16
Ther.: 94+

We got in a lot of hay today. The air is full of smoke. I burned off the old strawberry patch. Ma, Vida and Willie went to Dexter tonight.

Sunday, July 17
Ther.: 92+

We had a little shower during last night, and it has tried to rain this afternoon. Willie got some ice and we froze a sherbet. Dewey has been sick all day.

Monday, July 18

Pa mowed the last of the grass down this forenoon and the most of it was drawn in this P.M. I picked some cherries.

Tuesday, July 19

Went to Ann Arbor on the wheel this morning and then to Detroit on the electric cars which have just begun running. Visited at Will Stevens. Got back to Ann Arbor about midnight. A good shower today.

Wednesday, July 20

Came home from A. A. this morning and went to hoeing potatoes. Hiram Glover came down from Jackson to see me. I took him to the train at Dexter tonight.

Thursday, July 21

We finished hoeing potatoes this morning. Pa went to Whitmore this P.M. Willie and I repaired the binder. Picked some apricots. The Phelps called on us tonight. It is cool.

Friday, July 22

Worked at printing and finishing photos all day. Pa and Willie cut the oats this afternoon.

Saturday, July 23
Ther.: 94+

Burnished photos this morning. We burned off the strawberry bed this afternoon. Kate and I went to Dexter tonight. Hot weather.

Sunday, July 24
Ther.: 96+
Wea.: hot

It has been a very hot, oppressive day. I wrote some letters and took some naps. The baby has been quite worrisome.

Monday, July 25
We had heavy rains this morning and afternoon. Horace Sayles is here sick. I took him to Dexter to get medicine tonight. All last night was very hot, but rains have cooled the air.

Tuesday, July 26

I went to Delhi this forenoon as we were looking some for Miss Powell on the train but she did not come. Cut wild lettuce this afternoon.

Wednesday, July 27

Ther.: 92+

Rode the wheel up to Dexter this morning. Pa started plowing the sod field over south. We capped the oats for more rain is coming.

Thursday, July 28

Willie went to Don's to thresh today. I drew some stone and filled a gully in the field pa is plowing. Bertha Powell came tonight.

Friday, July 29

I set out the oats again this morning. Took Kate and baby for a ride. Went to Wheelers tonight to an ice cream social.

Saturday, July 30

Finished a batch of photos today. It was rainy this morning. Henry Queal's wife and boy visited here today. Went to choir practice at the parsons tonight.

Sunday, July 31

Went to church both forenoon and evening. Kate, baby and I drove over to her folks this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Martin called this afternoon.

Monday, August 1

We drew in the oats this forenoon and I wrote some letters. This afternoon I fixed up a lot of views and took them to Dexter to mail.

Tuesday, Aug. 2

Sprayed plum trees and did odd chores this forenoon. Washed out some salted papers this afternoon. Dewey is not as well as usual.

Wednesday, Aug. 3

Continued washing paper and printed and finished a few pictures. Pa went to Mrs. Weston's funeral at Dexter this afternoon.

Thursday, Aug. 4

Rode the wheel to Ann Arbor this forenoon to see the Dr. about Dewey. This afternoon I salted plain paper. We had ice cream tonight.

Friday, Aug. 5
I printed and finished up a large lot of Photo Etchings today. Kate took Dewey in his cab down to Kenny's this afternoon. He seems very frain.

Saturday, Aug. 6

I marked and fixed up a lot of photos this forenoon, and took them to Delhi this afternoon and sent to Highlands by express and mail.

Sunday, Aug. 7

Dewey has been very sick all day. Dr. Blair from Ann Arbor was here and we got him to tend to the case. He gives us but little hop for baby's life.

Monday, Aug. 8

Kate and I worked over little Dewey for 4 hours last night to keep him alive. He seems to have turned for the better this morning. Dr. Blair was here at noon. We had a hard rainstorm.

Tuesday, Aug. 9

Baby has been very much better today and we have hopes for his recovery. Geo. Martin, wife, and little girl called this afternoon. I went to Ann Arbor this evening.

Wednesday, Aug. 10

I printed and finished a few views. Dewey got worse again and we sent for the Dr. tonight. Willie was sick today. I dragged on the summer fallow this afternoon.

Thursday, Aug. 11

Baby some better today. Went to Dexter this afternoon to mail letters and get food for little Dewey. Developed plates tonight.

Friday, Aug. 12

I went to Ann Arbor on the wheel this forenoon to get medicine for baby. Picked some pears this afternoon. Received a letter and photo from Louie Connett of Ohio.

Saturday, Aug. 13

The young people had a picnic at Whitmore Lake this afternoon but Willie was the only one who went from here.

Sunday, Aug. 14

Uncle John and aunt Ann Spoor were here today, also Ed. Sayles and wife from Pinckney. Dewey had a hard night but seems better again today.

Monday, Aug. 15

It threatened rain this morning and showered a little. Bertha Powell rode her wheel as far as Smiths when I went to Ann Arbor this afternoon.

Tuesday, Aug. 16

Willie went on an excursion to Detroit today. Dewey seems a great deal better. I worked in the wood shed some piling wood and kindling.
Wednesday, Aug. 17

We tore away the temporary bridge to the new barn and began scraping dirt for the permanent one.

Thursday, Aug. 18

We continued work on the barn bridge. It rained hard during last night. We had strawberry sherbet tonight.

Friday, Aug. 19

Finished grading this forenoon. Jay McColl was here a little while. I rode the wheel to Dexter this afternoon for the mail.

Saturday, Aug. 20

Wrote some letters this forenoon. Went to Ann Arbor on the wheel this afternoon to see the Dr. but did not find him.

Sunday, Aug. 21

Stayed close at home all day. Dewey has seemed better in most ways. It has been pretty warm.

Monday, Aug. 22

After hoeing cabbage and doing odd chores. I went to Ann Arbor on the wheel and settled with Dr. Blair. Getting hot again.

Tuesday, Aug. 23

Ther.: 96+

Treated a lot of paper to a salting today. It has grown hotter still. Thunders and threatens to rain tonight.

Wednesday, Aug. 24

Went to Ann Arbor on the cars and got all my money out of Bank. Then went to Dexter and paid $100 to Creamery Co. for pa. Doane, Dr. Randall, and Arthur called.

Thursday, Aug. 25

Did some more salting of paper. Split some wood and chored about generally. Took Kate and Dewey for a ride.

Friday, Aug. 26

It has turned much cooler. Retouched some negatives and took a photo for Bertha Powell.

Saturday, Aug. 27

Willie and the girls went to Base Lake today. I took the wheel and went to Ringling Bros. show at Ann Arbor, taking cousin Lizzie in with me. Jessie Williams is here.

Sunday, Aug. 28

We took baby for a good ride this forenoon. Ben Sutherland, wife and baby called this afternoon. It is growing warmer.
Monday, Aug. 29

We did the washing again this morning for the first time since May. Will and I went to Ann Arbor this afternoon and got a Bedroom set ma had bought of Lizzie. Very warm.

Tuesday, Aug. 30

Been very hot today. Helped pa draw some straw this forenoon. Took Kate and baby for a ride this afternoon and called at McColl's.

Wednesday, Aug. 31

I printed and finished a batch of Aristo Platino paper today, and they came out very well. The young folks had a spree here tonight.

Thursday, September 1
Ther.: 94+

Bertha Powell left for her home in Cleveland today. It is very hot, dry and dusty. Lizzie and Marion came home with Willie.

Friday, Sept. 2

Pa and I cleaned out the basement to the new barn this morning. I helped Ossion Kenny fork out beans this afternoon. Hot.

Saturday, Sept. 3

I spent today at Whitmore Lake, taking photo views and seeing the sights at the Farmers picnic. It was a very hot and dusty day.

Sunday, Sept. 4

Lizzie and I went to Ann Arbor this forenoon to see the Dr. about Dewey. The extreme heat has used him badly. We had a shower last night.

Monday, Sept. 5

It rained again last night. Pa and Willie began cutting corn. I finished up some Plain Paper prints for Highlands Booklets. We are living high on water and musk melons.

Tuesday, Sept. 6

We had a very heavy rain this morning. I did some writing and picked some peaches. Went to Dexter this afternoon for flour and meat.

Wednesday, Sept. 7

We did our threshing this forenoon. It has turned cool. Tonight I developed the plates I exposed at Whitmore last Saturday.

Thursday, Sept. 8

Dr. Blair, wife and little girl have been here today. The Dr. was out hunting Lizzie and Marion went home on the noon train. Feel miserable from a pain in my head.
Friday, Sept. 9

Picked some plums this morning. Went to Wheelers for sugar. Dewey was 4 months old today and we tried to get his photo again. It is almost cold.

Saturday, Sept. 10

The Farmers Club met at Latsons today and pa, ma and Vida went. I picked some garden stuff and helped Kate take care of baby.

Sunday, Sept. 11

The first fall frost and only a little of that was on the ground this morning. Grapes are becoming good now.

Monday, Sept. 12

Willie began drilling in wheat today. I picked a bushel of peaches for the folks to can. It has grown warmer.

Tuesday, Sept. 13

Picked some plums this morning and did a few odd jobs. Kate and I took Dewey for a ride this afternoon and called at the parsonage.

Wednesday, Sept. 14

Ma and Vida went to Ann Arbor today. I helped Kate tend baby and do the housework.

Thursday, Sept. 15

I picked more peaches and plums this morning. We had a rain this afternoon so pa couldn't finish drilling wheat.

Friday, Sept. 16

Picked the last of the peaches this morning. Helped finish up the corn cutting at noon. Made some proofs and fussedd about all the afternoon.

Saturday, Sept. 17

I spent most of the forenoon taking portraits of Bert Kenny's little girls. I developed the plates tonight.

Sunday, Sept. 18

This was my 37th birthday. Had several presents. Went to church both forenoon and evening. Think I will grow a beard again now.

Monday, Sept. 19

Picked some grapes this morning. Willie went to Ypsianti to get some new tires on his wheel. Pa and I went to Dexter this afternoon.

Tuesday, Sept. 20

Made up a batch of plain paper photos today. Had some portraits to take. I rode the wheel over to Edgar Olsawers this evening.

Wednesday, Sept. 21
Rode the wheel to Ann Arbor this forenoon to get some photo stock. This afternoon I retouched some negatives.

Thursday, Sept. 22

It has been a misty day. Kate and I went to Dexter this afternoon.

Friday, Sept. 23

Pa and Willie took off a load of old hens this forenoon. It has been drizzling more or less all of today.

Saturday, Sept. 24

It rained very hard this forenoon. It is probably the equinoctial storm. It seems like clearing up this evening.

Sunday, Sept. 25

Kate and I took Dewey and went over to her folks to take dinner and spend most of the day. Baby seemed real well today.

Monday, Sept. 26

I went to J. W. Reeve's to take a view of his house this forenoon. Finished up some Platino photos this afternoon.

Tuesday, Sept. 27

Commenced at 5 o'clock this morning and tonight I have a large lot of mounted Photo Etchings. Edgar Olsover called this afternoon.

Wednesday, Sept. 28

I rode the wheel to Ann Arbor this forenoon to see Dr. about Dewey and get some photo stock. It has been a very fine day.

Thursday, Sept. 29

Ther:+

Retouched negatives and printed and finished a batch of photos. Pa and ma went to the Fair at Ann Arbor. It has been a warm day.

Friday, Sept. 30

Spent forenoon in boxing up pictures and writing letters. Kate and I went to Dexter this afternoon and took baby up to Uncle John Spoor's. Some showers.

Saturday, October 1

It has been cloudy and misty today. Vida's brother Charlie came tonight direct from California. He has had a long trip.

Sunday, Oct. 2

The weather continues real warm and it seems to hurt the baby. The Dr. was here this afternoon to see him.

Monday, Oct. 3
Went to Ann Arbor on the wheel this morning and out to Olsavers and Merrills this afternoon. It continues very warm. Am prepared for a trip tomorrow.

Tuesday, Oct. 4

It rained all last night and misted all day, so I did not go on photographic trip. Pa, Charlie Peirce and myself went to a social at Mr. Winslows tonight.

Wednesday, Oct. 5

It has been dull and cloudy all day most, clearing off toward evening. Took Kate and baby out for a ride. Picked some apples.

Thursday, Oct. 6

I fixed up some paper and made some blue prints today. Pa took off a load of hogs that he had sold. It is quite cool weather.

Friday, Oct. 7

Charlie Peirce and I went to Ann Arbor today. He took dinner at McAllasters and I at Dr. Blair's. I visited the Museum with him.

Saturday, Oct. 8

Ma, Willie, Vida and Charlie went to the Farmers Club meeting at Mrs. Chamberlains. Kate and I took baby for a ride this afternoon.

Sunday, Oct. 9

Kate went to church today and I took care of Dewey. He seems to be feeling pretty good lately.

Monday, Oct. 10

I went up to Dexter this afternoon and took some views of the Soldiers Monument and some little scenes. Also a view of the editors house. Took photos of Dewey this morning.

Tuesday, Oct. 11

It rained hard about all last night and this forenoon, but cleared up nice this afternoon. I retouched some and did a little printing.

Wednesday, Oct. 12

I went out and took a photo of two little children this forenoon. Did some printing this afternoon. Pa went to Ann Arbor after cement for his new stable floor.

Thursday, Oct. 13

I finished off a batch of photos this forenoon. Did some writing and doing up of photos this afternoon. It has been misty and cool.

Friday, Oct. 14

Cool and misty today. I helped husk corn this forenoon. This afternoon it rained and I took photos of Charlie and Vida.
Saturday, Oct. 15

Finished a batch of photos this forenoon. A little frost this morning and a clear fine day. Edgar Olsaver called this afternoon. Had a sing tonight, a little like of old.

Sunday, Oct. 16

Wind east again and more indications of rain, but today was fine. Dewey does not gain any flesh and is very nervous today.

Monday, Oct. 17

Went to Dexter this forenoon to mail letters and photos. Dug some potatoes this afternoon and helped draw some gravel.

Tuesday, Oct. 18

It rained again last night and this morning but cleared up so that ma started with horse and buggy for Salem to attend a convention.

Wednesday, Oct. 19

Rode down to Ann Arbor with Bert Kenny to get medicine for Dewey and do some errands. I walked back. It is quite chilly, but we get no frosts. Ma came home tonight.

Thursday, Oct. 20

Masons came and laid cement floor in new cow stable. I did some photo printing this forenoon. Went to Dexter this afternoon to see about excursion to Omaha. Guess pa and ma will go.

Friday, Oct. 21

Charlie Peirce and I went out to Henry Queal's and he went fishing on Strawberry Lake. We caught nothing. It rained some and tonight soaks down goodly.

Saturday, Oct. 22

I finished some photos this forenoon. It was cool and cloudy all day. Pa went to Dexter this afternoon. He and ma are going to Omaha next week.

Sunday, Oct. 23

It has been quite a clear day, and I was sorry I could not work at photo printing. Mrs. Ball is here from Grass Lake on a short visit.

Monday, Oct. 24

Considerable excitement today. Pa, Ma and Charlie Peirce getting ready and starting for Omaha tonight. I drew milk to the Dexter Creamery this forenoon. Willie took folks to Dexter tonight.

Tuesday, Oct. 25

Will and I dug and drew potatoes and drew corn. Willie helped Ed. Ball thresh Buckwheat this afternoon. It began to rain toward night and is soaking down.
Wednesday, Oct. 26

Rained all last night. Turned cold and snowed this forenoon and is freezing tonight. We got all fixed for the freeze that we could. Had a postal from ma written in Chicago.

Thursday, Oct. 27

Ice 1/2 inch thick in water troughs this morning. It has been a clear day. I finished up some photos. It is warmer tonight.

Friday, Oct. 28

Drew milk to Dexter again this forenoon. Had a card from the folks in Omaha. Sawed some wood this afternoon.

Saturday, Oct. 29

Went to Dexter with milk this forenoon. Ed. Sayles was here to dinner. Will and I dug potatoes this afternoon. It looks stormy again.

Sunday, Oct. 30

Misty, cool and cloudy. Will had a letter from ma. They are having a good time.

Monday, Oct. 31

I went to Ann Arbor today. Took dinner at McAllaster. It has been a cold, raw day. Bert Kenny drew the milk to the Dexter Creamery.

Tuesday, Nov. 1

Will and I jumped into the work and got all the potatoes dug and drawn. It looks stormy tonight. I did a little developing in the kitchen tonight.

Wednesday, Nov. 2

I went to Dexter with milk for the Creamery this forenoon. Vida got a letter from ma. Willie and I husked corn this afternoon. Zoe horse is sick tonight and keeping us up late.

Thursday, Nov. 3

We did not get around very early this morning. We had a letter from ma this evening saying they were coming home and Willie went to Dexter after supper and got them. They have had a fine trip.

Friday, Nov. 4

I silvered and printed photos today. Was afraid the sun would not last, but it has been fine day. Our folks are going to keep the milk at home now.

Saturday, Nov. 5

It rained all the forenoon and one hard wind and rain this afternoon followed by a fine rainbow as sun set. Pa and Vida went to Dexter this afternoon.

Sunday, Nov. 6
We had some lively snow squalls this forenoon. I took a good nap before dinner. Been reading and tending baby this afternoon.

Monday, Nov. 7

Sawed some wood today. Wrote an order for Calendar pads and went to Dexter on the wheel. Had a letter from Dave Miller saying his little girl was dead.

Tuesday, Nov. 8

Went to the town hall and voted this morning, then I took my camera and went to Dexter to make views. It got cloudy and rained before I finished, but got good lot of views.

Wednesday, Nov. 9

Ground covered with snow this morning. Raining tonight. Dewey 6 months old but too dark a day for a photo. Received $9 from Highlands. Wrote order for "Ladies Home Jour." to renew.

Thursday, Nov. 10

Very stormy day of rain, sleet and snow. It is snowing hard tonight. I went to Delhi and met Lizzie and Marion at the train this forenoon. Water was running over road in places.

Friday, Nov. 11

I printed and finished some photos as the sun shone today, which is very unusual. I also took some photos of little Dewey. Quite a snow fall last night.

Saturday, Nov. 12

Ma and Vida attended the Farmers Club meet at Edwin Ball's. Willie and I cut and drew some wood. It is warming up and snow melting off. Had letter from Prof. McGee of Waynesville, N.C.

Sunday, Nov. 13

Some mists and snow squalls today. Father Queal was here during church time. He expects to go to Florida in a few weeks.

Monday, Nov. 14

Split some wood this forenoon. Kate and I went to Dexter this afternoon after I had taken a photo of Will Rosier. The roads are very muddy.

Tuesday, Nov. 15

It was a fairly sunny day and I made quite a batch of photos using up the last of my Aristo Platino paper. Did a little developing tonight.

Wednesday, Nov. 16

A fine, sunny day and I printed and finished a lot of Photo-Etchings. It has grown warmer tonight and seems like rain again. Pa began sending milk to Dexter again.

Thursday, Nov. 17
Went to Ann Arbor on the train this morning. Came back on foot and did some photo copying for Dexter Booklet. Cloudy again.

Friday, Nov. 18

Silvered and printed a lot of paper today as the sun shone by spells. Pa and Will drew in what corn was husked in the field. Vida and Will have gone to dance at Phelps tonight.

Saturday, Nov. 19

It rained some this morning but cleared at noon. I fixed up some booklets, Calendars, and views to mail and took them to Dexter this afternoon.

Sunday, Nov. 20

Father Queal came and took me out to Henry's, where we stayed to dinner, had a pleasant little visit and then came home. There is a raw south east wind.

Monday, Nov. 21

There was considerable sunshine today and I ran off a lot of photos for the Dexter booklet. Little Dewey has a very bad cold. There is a rehearsal at the church tonight for an entertainment.

Tuesday, Nov. 22

Been a squally day. It has turned very cold tonight. I cut up some wood.

Wednesday, Nov. 23

Willie and I sawed up some wood this forenoon and I drew it up this afternoon. Froze hard all day.

Thursday, Nov. 24

Today was thanksgiving. Kate and I took dinner at her folks. Ma took care of Dewey while we were away. It has been a very pleasant day, but cold.

Friday, Nov. 25

It was sunny today and I did a lot of photo printing. An "Uncle Sam' entertainment at the church tonight. I blacked up and sung Dixie Land for them. It is snowing.

Saturday, Nov. 26

Couple of inches of snow this morning. I took Lizzie and Marion to Delhi for train home. Finished photos this afternoon. Been some stormy.

Sunday, Nov. 27

There was beautiful frost work on trees etc. this morning. It has been a beautiful day. Stayed close at home all day.

Monday, Nov. 28

Spent the forenoon in fixing up calendars. Vida and I went up to Dexter this afternoon. I sent a lot of calendars off south. We had a grist of mail. It snows again tonight.
Tuesday, Nov. 29

I spent the day sawing wood, mixing chemicals, and salting plain paper. It has been thawing today.

Wednesday, Nov. 30

Sawed and split wood this forenoon. Went out north and tried to take a baby's photo this afternoon. It has been very chilly day.

Thursday, December 1

Kate and I drove down to Ann Arbor this forenoon to do some trading. The roads are very good but the snow still covers the ground.

Friday, Dec. 2

I printed and finished leaves for the Dexter Booklet. It was not an extra good day. W. Cook and Frank Williams were here this P.M. Kate was over at her folks most of the day.

Saturday, Dec. 3

I fixed up a show card of my Dexter Booklet and took it up and the Postmaster put it in his front window. It has been mild weather, and roads getting muddy.

Sunday, Dec. 4

Been squally some today, and tonight it is snowing hard. It has been thawing all day though. Dewey has been better than for several days back.

Monday, Dec. 5

It was sleighing this morning. Had to shovel snow and make paths. Sawed considerable wood today. Went over to father Queal's and took dinner.

Tuesday, Dec. 6

Have had a bad day to print. Snowed about all the time. Kate and I went over and saw father Queal start for Florida. Austin Smith and wife were here tonight.

Wednesday, Dec. 7

Stormy a good deal today, but some sun at noon. I finished off some photos for the Dexter booklet. Dewey ate some squash at noon and for some reason is acting sick tonight.

Thursday, Dec. 8

Ther.: 15+

Spent the forenoon chopping in the woods. Drew a load up this afternoon and did some sawing. Sun shone some today but there were squalls of snow.

Friday, Dec. 9

Sawed some wood this forenoon. Went up to Dexter this afternoon and took some of the Dexter Booklets. Had letter saying Chas. Hull of Highland, N. Y. was to be buried today.

Saturday, Dec. 10
Been a windy blustering day. Pa and ma went to Farmers meeting at Stearns Wheelers. Will and I sawed wood forenoon. I finished more leaves for Booklet this P. M. Received order from Tryon for Calendars.

Sunday, Dec. 11

I took a cutter ride this morning out to Edgar Olsavers. The roads are badly drifted. Sun shone good deal today.

Monday, Dec. 12

It began snowing this morning and stormed hard till noon. It has grown colder this afternoon, and cleared off. Have been printing all I could.

Tuesday, Dec. 13

Ther.: 4+

Coldest morning and day of the winter so far. I printed photos this forenoon and finished a batch this afternoon. Made a lot of Calendars for Tryon.

Wednesday, Dec. 14
Ther.: 3+

Cold today. Willie took Vida to Ann Arbor and she went to Detroit on the Motor to visit the Hubbells. Finished a batch of prints this afternoon.

Thursday, Dec. 15

I printed and finished a lot of Booklet leaves today. Pa and Willie took a couple of beefs to Dexter. Ma went to a missionary dinner. I sent for a new Vive hand camera.

Friday, Dec. 16

It has been cloudy and bothered me about photo work today. Is growing warmer.

Saturday, Dec. 17

Thawed a good deal today. Pa and Ma went to Dexter and took dinner. I printed and finished photos.

Sunday, Dec. 18

Been quite warm today and the snow settled fast. It may spoil the sleighing. Will Burnett was here at dinner.

Monday, Dec. 19

It has stormed all day, a freezing rain, everything is all ice. I did a lot of calendars and pictures up to send away. Vida came home tonight.

Tuesday, Dec. 20

Went up to Dexter this morning and spent the day there canvassing for my Souvenir Book. Sold quite a few. Took dinner with aunt Ann. Walked home after dark.

Wednesday, Dec. 21

Kate and I went up to Dexter this forenoon to do a little Christmas shopping. We took a buggy as the sleighing is in bad shape. It keeps on thawing. Tried new camera today.
Thursday, Dec. 22

It has been raining about all day. Will and I got up some wood and have been sawing in the woodshed. I tried a flash light photo tonight.

Friday, Dec. 23

I went to Ann Arbor on the cars this forenoon and came back tonight. Took dinner with Mrs. Williams. Called on Cushman. Growing colder.

Saturday, Dec. 24

Finished off some Calendar photos today. Went over to Don's this forenoon and found Kate's mother pretty badly off. We had our Christmas presents today. There was a goodly lot.

Sunday, Dec. 25

We had a Christmas dinner here at home. Pa went up and got Uncle John and aunt Ann. Don Queal and Nellie were here. It was a very pleasant day. I took the folks back to Dexter tonight.

Monday, Dec. 26

Helped do the washing this morning. Wrote some letters and did up some calendars to send Highlands, then Kate and I went out to see her brother Henry and family. It is cold and stormy tonight.

Tuesday, Dec. 27

Sawed wood this forenoon. Went skating on the lake this afternoon. Will and I had fun with a skate sail. It has grown cold tonight and the wind blows. Total eclipse of the moon.

Wednesday, Dec. 28

Went skating a little while this forenoon with Jay and Ray McColl. Did some photo printing. Took Don's skates home this afternoon. Will, Kate and I went to McColls for supper this evening.

Thursday, Dec. 29

Been printing and finishing photos today. It has been very warm and the roads are getting muddy. Kate went up to Dexter this afternoon. Sunshine all day.

Friday, Dec. 30

It rained all last night and this morning. Turned cold and froze up this afternoon. Kate and I went to an oyster supper at Mr. Latson's tonight. I finished up a lot of stereo prints today.

Saturday, Dec. 31

I walked up to Dexter this forenoon and took the train for Jackson. Telegraphed Prof. Harvey that I would meet him there. I took dinner with Hiram Glover and his sister and husband. Met Harvey at his train and took supper with him. Stayed for the evening and went back to Hiram's. It has been a very cold day.

Memoranda
Symington Views Price.

Panorama #1 views 1.70
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47 N. 13th St.  
Philadelphia  

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