

HENRY H. SCADIN DAIRIES

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Wednesday, January 1

Been a bright, nice day. Kate and Dewey went to Sapphire and had dinner with Mrs. Woolridge at the Inn. I did a lot of printing from films and then went for Kate and Dewey.

Thursday, Jan. 2

Finished Dr. Pratt's film photos today.

Kate had me show her how to develop films tonight, that she had exposed in her new Kodak.

Friday, Jan. 3

Ther.: 26+

It has blown hard all day and tonight it has turned cold.

Had Mr. Jake Miller help me saw wood today.

Went to Sapphire this evening for mail.

Saturday, Jan. 4

Ther.: 20+, 24+

Mr. J. Miller helped me saw wood and we stuck to it all day.

It has been a fine clear day.

Sunday, Jan. 5

Ther.: 16+

Been a beautiful day. Wrote letters most of the time.

Monday, Jan. 6

Worked some at the wood pile.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon to show photos to some tourists but they left this morning.

Tuesday, Jan. 7

Been warmer today, and appears to be preparing for a storm.

Worked at the wood this forenoon.

Printed some photos and went to the P.O. this afternoon. We sent off books we had intended for Christmas.

Wednesday, Jan. 8

Worked on the road all day.

Beautiful weather.

Thursday, Jan. 9

Finished a batch of photos this forenoon.

Trimmed some grapevines and went to the P.O. this afternoon.

Kate had a letter from her father saying he would come next week.

Weather fine.

Friday, Jan. 10

Went to Arthur Miller's this forenoon and we fixed up the deed so I now own the land on this side of Rainy Knob, and the top. I made an inside cellar door this afternoon and got it ready for a cold spell.

It has been a warm day.

Saturday, Jan. 11

Ther.: 32+, 30+, 16+

Grown cold all day.

I worked at the wood pile and grubbing brush in the back yard.

Went for the mail this evening.

Sunday, Jan. 12

Ther.: 13+, 21+, 14+

Been a cold day.

Wrote and read most of the day.

Monday, Jan. 13

Ther.: 11+, 18+

I went to the Whitewater Falls this forenoon to make some ice views. It looked very grand.

Took dinner with the Marshalls.

Tuesday, Jan. 14

Ther.: 26+

Been warmer today. Worked at the wood some and filed my one man saw.

Kate and Dewey went to Burlingames for a call when I went to the store this evening.

Wednesday, Jan. 15

I went to Toxaway on foot today. It has been quite warm.

I am staying at Dr. Fishers tonight.

Thursday, Jan. 16

Walked in to Brevard this morning.

Did a lot of errands and settled with Mr. Nichols on the photo business.

Kate's father came in on the train this evening. It has been windy and grown colder.

We stay at Mrs. Jacobs.

Friday, Jan. 17

We came to Toxaway this forenoon and I got a team to bring us to this side of the Miller ford and we walked home. Dewey was glad to see his grandpa. It has been a fine day.

Saturday, Jan. 18

Been some cloudy all day, and tonight it is snowing quite hard. Showed father Quail about over the orchard. Went to Sapphire for the mail.

Sunday, Jan. 19

Been a very bright day, and the snow has melted fast.

Father Quail and I took a walk up on Rainy Knob.

Monday, Jan. 20

Been cloudy all day and seems like another snow storm coming. I went to the camp of the surveyors that are locating the railway line to Sapphire, but they were all away.

Kate is suffering with toothache.

Tuesday, Jan. 21

It snowed, sleeted, rained and did all kinds of storming this forenoon.

Kate's tooth pains her so badly I went to Dr. Grimshawe to get medicine for here. It has turned cold tonight and very windy.

Wednesday, Jan. 22

Ther.: 28+, 40+

Been clear all day. Went to Sapphire this forenoon to get order for photos from Mr. Hays.

Father Quail helped me saw some wood this afternoon.

Kate's tooth still aches.

Thursday, Jan. 23

Ther.: 50+

Did a lot of printing today. Went to the office for the mail this evening. Mr. Wooldridge with a Mr. Beaty of Pittsburg called this afternoon.

Getting warmer but the snow still hangs on about our house.

Friday, Jan. 24

Worked at finishing photos all day.

It rained a little but has cleared up tonight.

Kate still has toothache.

Saturday, Jan. 25

Father Quail's trunk came today and he got out his gun and took a hunt, but got no game.

Made plain paper photos.

Called at Burlingames and got the mail tonight.

It is threatening to storm.

Sunday, Jan. 26

Been misty all day.

We all stayed close at home, reading and resting. Mr. Cobb called on us this afternoon.

Monday, Jan. 27

Been rainy and cloudy all day.

Wrote an order to The Storrs and Harrison Co. for trees, seeds, vines, etc., amounting to about \$10.

Took a fine lot of views to the office this afternoon.

Tuesday, Jan. 28

Ther.: 32+

Been a rainy day.

I spent some time in making some photos on Bromide postal cards.

Went to Sapphire this evening for the mail and some kerosene oil.

The rain is freezing tonight.

Wednesday, Jan. 29

Ther.: 48+

Drizzled all day.

Wrote letters and made an order to Montgomery Ward and Co. for a lot of things.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon.

There are signs of a change in the weather tonight.

Thursday, Jan. 30

Ther.: 60+

Been quite a pleasant day.

I printed a lot of photos.

Dave Miller worked here all day working up wood with father Oneal and grubbing.

Friday, Jan. 31

Ther.: 58+

Been a rainy day. I finished photos.

Mr. Cobb made us a visit and took dinner with us.

It is raining tonight.

Saturday, February 1

Been a warm and drizzling day.

Spent a good deal of time experimenting with Bromide Paper.

I chopped down a tree just before supper to help my appetite.

Sunday, Feb. 2

Ther.: 36+, 26+, 18+

It was very pleasant early this morning, but suddenly grew colder and squally making it a disagreeable day.

I took the photos I have just completed over to the office this afternoon.

Monday, Feb. 3

Ther.: 13+, 32+, 24+

Quite cold this morning.

Mr. Dave Miller was here today and we worked up wood.

I went to Sapphire this afternoon to send an order for Linen Paper to make Sepia prints on for the coming season.

Tuesday, Feb. 4

Ther.: 18+, 22+, 14+

It appeared to be growing warmer this morning but changed and grew colder.

Sawed wood all day with Mr. Miller.

Wednesday, Feb. 5

Ther.: 10+, 28+, 24+

Been a very nice day. Sawed wood this forenoon. Went to Sapphire and settled with the Co. for work to day.

Last night was very cold, but it moderated some today.

Seeds from Storrs and Harrison came today.

Thursday, Feb. 6
Ther.: 27+, 40+, 31+

Cloudy this forenoon and clear this afternoon. Sawed wood again.

Took father Quail to see the saw mil on the Thompson River, this afternoon.

Called at Burlingames for the mail tonight and had a letter from The Nantahala Co. with a check to bal. ded.

Friday, Feb. 7

Been a nice winter day. Sawed wood this forenoon. Developed plates this afternoon.

Received check from The Nantahala Co. to pay for the work I did last December.

Saturday, Feb. 8
Ther.: 24+, 24+, 18+

Been cold and windy.

We worked at clearing in the south cove where I am going to plant peach trees. I went over the mountain and got little Alda Miller to play with Dewey.

Went to Sapphire for the mail this evening.

Sunday, Feb. 9
Ther.: 13+, 34+, 30+

Pretty cold this morning.

I went with father Quail to see the Narrows this afternoon.

It has been a fine day.

Monday, Feb. 10
Ther.: 30+, 16+

Grew cold again today.

I printed plain paper, but did not get the batch done.

Went to Sapphire this evening for the mail.

Tuesday, Feb. 11
Ther.: 18+, 38+, 28+

Cloudy all the forenoon but clear this afternoon.

I finished a batch of photos.

Mr. Miller still working at clearing in the south cove.

Wednesday, Feb. 12
Ther.: 26+, 28+

Worked at clearing land this forenoon.

Wrote letters and took them to the mail this afternoon.

Had a letter from Fred Waters, of Benzonia. He still has notions of coming south, and I will try and get him here.

Thursday, Feb. 13

Ther.: 20+, 30+

Been a beautiful day.

Worked some at cutting wood and some at photo work.

We cut the brush around the upper orchard.

Kate did some color work and I fixed up a nice book of Sapphire views.

Friday, Feb. 14

Ther.: 26+, 26+, 25+

Father Quail and I burned the leaves outside the south fence this forenoon. It began to snow at noon and tonight it is 6 inches deep and still storming very hard. It is the heaviest snow storm I ever saw here.

Saturday, Feb. 15

Ther.: 25+, 38+, 30+

The snow was over a foot deep on a level this morning. Had to shovel paths, unload the shop roof and do a lot of such work. I plowed through the snow to Sapphire about noon. It is said to be the heaviest snow here in 10 years. Had a letter from ma, and poor pa is fast losing his sight. Think I will go up and see him in the spring.

Sunday, Feb. 16

Ther.: 34+, 28+

Been writing letters most all day.

It thawed a little but not much.

Has looked like snowing again.

Kate is sick with headache.

Monday, Feb. 17

Ther.: 18+, 28+, 15+

It has grown cold, and the deep snow will stay on till a change comes. Finished photos today and took them to the office this evening. We are having a regular "norther" tonight.

Tuesday, Feb. 18

Ther.: 13+, 36+

Been a beautiful day.

Made more paths through the snow to wood piles and gates.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon but got no letters from home as I expected.

Wednesday, Feb. 19

Ther.: 31+, 39+

Been quite mild today and the snow is settling.

Made photos for booklets.

Thursday, Feb. 20

Ther.: 30+, 30+, 34+

Snow and rain today.

It is warmer tonight and raining quite hard.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon for the mail, but had no word from pa.

Friday, Feb. 21

Ther.: 36+, 51+, 36+

Raining this morning, but cleared up and we had considerable sunshine during the day. The snow has melted very fast. I took some photos of Dewey this afternoon.

Saturday, Feb. 22

Ther.: 34+, 48+, 40+

Been a very nice day. I salted paper.

Went to Sapphire for the mail tonight. Had a letter from ma and pa is no worse. May get better.

Sunday, Feb. 23

Ther.: 34+, 50+, 39+

Been a very nice day. Father Quail and I took a walk this forenoon over and around Rainy Knob.

Daisy Burlingame called on us about noon.

Monday, Feb. 24

Cloudy all day and raining hard tonight.

Went to the post office late this afternoon but the mail was so late I did not wait for it.

Tuesday, Feb. 25

Ther.: 42+, 37+

Been pleasant but windy.

Went to the office this afternoon and got the mail. Had a letter from ma. Pa is growing steadily worse and there is no hope of his getting well. Think I must go to see him soon.

Wednesday, Feb. 26

Had telegram from Will that pa was very bad and to come if I could. Kate packed my satchell and I was off on foot at 1 o'clock. It was some bad footing but I got to Toxaway by dusk. Am staying at Emory Millers.

Thursday, Feb. 27

Got up early and was on way to Brevard by moonlight. Left Brevard on noon train for Hendersonville. It is raining hard. Train very late. Am taking sleeper coach for Cincinnati from Knoxville tonight.

Friday, Feb. 28

Got to Cincinnati too late for early train, so had to wait till 1 P.M. Train lost time so did not get to Detroit till late and the M.C. stopped fast train at Delhi to let me off. I walked out to the old home. Got a lantern at F. Litchfield's to light the muddy road. He told me that cousin Vida's funeral was today. Found pa alive but very low.

Saturday, March 1

Pa knew me this morning, but he could not talk or see. The doctor thinks he cannot live but a few days. It is a very sad home. Poor ma is almost broken down, pa in dying condition and her comfort Vida dead. Charlie Peirce is here.

Sunday, March 2

I went to church this forenoon seeing many old friends.

Ma had a telephone message from aunt Eliza Whitmore that she would be in Hamburg tomorrow.

There has been a good many callers.

Monday, March 3

I have settled down to helping care for pa and helping Will with his chores.

Pa seems go to be about the same.

Tuesday, March 4

Pa shows little it any change.

Papers report very heavy floods last week. Asheville cut off on railway service. I get no mail and know Kate cannot hear from me. I took supper with Dor and Nellie. They are all right.

Wednesday, March 5

It keeps cloudy and gloomy. No change in pa.

Thursday, March 6

It is dry in this country and rain is needed but fails to come. The air is raw and chilly.

Friday, March 7

Dr. Chase and Ed Ball thought pa would grow worse by today but he has not. The doctor say there is no hope.

Saturday, March 8

Pa holding up as good as when I came.

Cousin Henry Twamley will be buried at Chelse tomorrow.

Sunday, March 9

Did not got to church today.

Wrote to Kate every day either a card or letter.

Monday, March 10

Will and Charlie went to Dexter today. The mail brought a little kodak that I ordered from Philadelphia. Rural delivery is a great thing for the folks here.

Tuesday, March 11

No change much in pa's condition and I begin to wonder if the doctor knows or just guesses as to what is likely to happen soon.

Aunt Eliza is suffering from a bad cold.

I am hearing from home now. The flood was bad in that region.

Wednesday, March 12

Charlie Pierce left for the west this morning. It rained hard last night. The roads are very muddy.

Thursday, March 13

Got another letter from Kate today. They were well only Dewey had a boil.

It has been a sunny nice day. We get pa up in a chair each day for a change. Esther Johnson was here a while this afternoon.

Friday, March 14

Been a pretty nice day. Pa seems pretty bright today most of the time. The wind is east and it looks like a coming storm.

Saturday, March 15

Spent a good part of the day with Dor and Nellie. Dor and I went up to Dexter this afternoon and I met many acquaintances. Had letter from Kate when I got back home tonight. She has begun gardening. It has been cloudy and windy all day.

Sunday, March 16

Pa has been very sick all day. The doctor vomited him to get up the phlem in his throat and he did not recover for the effects of the dose.

It has been a very windy day and is colder tonight with squalls of snow.

Monday, March 17

Been a cold and blustering day. It is going to freeze very hard tonight.

Pa has been fairly quiet today, but there is no improvement in his condition.

I cleaned out the old organ, it had become very dusty.

Tuesday, March 18

Almost bitterly cold this morning. Pa has appeared weaker and I believe is slowly failing.

Drove horse power for Will to cut corn stalks this forenoon.

Wednesday, March 19

Pa has had hard coughing spells today and tonight it seems as though he would choke.

It has been warmer. I went to Dexter this afternoon and did a lot of trading.

Thursday, March 20

I went to Ann Arbor today, going and coming on the cars. Had a good visit and dinner with Elmer Cushman. Called on a number of friends.

Pa has been about as for the past few days.

Friday, March 21

Pa still seems to be failing slowly but surely. He seemed very bad tonight.

It has grown warm today and the sky looks stormy tonight.

Saturday, March 22

We thought he could not live through today, but he did and is having to suffer so hard tonight.

Sunday, March 23

Pa's suffering seemed to end this morning and a gradual sinking came on. We watched to the peaceful and quiet end came at a little past 6 o'clock this evening and he went to his long rest. Poor ma is bearing up better than I feared she could.

The weather is beautiful.

Monday, March 24

We have been busy today preparing for the funeral tomorrow when we will lay poor pa in his grave.

I walked over to Delhi and back this forenoon.

The undertaker came and put pa in the nice casket Will selected and he looks very nice.

Tuesday, March 25

It has been a fine day. We lay poor pa away to his final rest in the cemetery on the corner. He was so loved by all his neighbors that there was a large crowd at the funeral. We put Vida in her grave at the same time. Pa looked very calm and nice in the beautiful casket. Poor ma stood the ordeal very well but she had a hard time.

Wednesday, March 26

I took aunt Eliza to the train at Hamburg this forenoon and then went and made Henry Oneal and wife a visit. Called on Mr. William Ball a few minutes. It has threatened to rain this afternoon.

Horace Sayles came tonight.

It is very lonely for ma now.

Thursday, March 27

Will went to Dexter with oats this forenoon.

I went over and took some Kodak exposures about Kate's old home this afternoon.

Ma and I began looking over old things to put away. It has been a pleasant day.

Friday, March 28

Been rainy all today.

Ma and I took dinner with Mrs. Kenny and Ida. I also called on Bert and Ossian.

Went to Delhi tonight to meet Nettie West.

Saturday, March 29

Looked bad this morning but was a nice day after all. I walked to Dexter and took dinner with uncle John and aunt Ann. Called on Doane and family.

Will and Millicent went down to their house to stay a day or so before moving up here. I went home with Will tonight and took supper with them.

Sunday, March 30

This has been a windy and stormy Easter. There was no service at the church. Dor and Nellie took dinner with us.

It has turned cooler this evening.

Monday, March 31

There was a regular blizzard on this morning snowing and blowing very hard. I took Nettie West to Delhi. We have been very busy looking over old things and moving some things up into ma's rooms in the front of the house. I called at Edwin Ball's home this afternoon.

Tuesday, April 1

It has been cold and windy all day. We have been busy tearing up and changing things about. I went to Ann Arbor on the cars this afternoon to get my watch and do some errands. Ma and I took supper with John Williams' folks.

Wednesday, April 2

Been busy packing and getting ready to leave for home tomorrow. Made several calls on neighbors to say goodbye. It stays cold and windy.

Thursday, April 3

Nice and clear this morning and I had to say goodbye to my poor mother and the others and start for home. Will took my to Delhi to the early train.

Got to Cincinnati tonight and am taking train for Knoxville.

Friday, April 4

Came on to Asheville today and made a call on Mr. Tarbell the photographer. Went to see a Drama played at the Opera House tonight.

Saturday, April 5

Took some walks and a street car ride this forenoon.

Came to Brevard this afternoon. Found two letters from Kate.

Sunday, April 6

It is cloudy and windy today. Went to Church this forenoon.

Monday, April 7

It has been so rainy today I could do no work and so just loafed about. Bought a suit of clothes.

Tuesday, April 8

Been quite clear but cold and windy all day. Think it will freeze tonight.

I made some photos today and packed up ready to go home tomorrow.

Wednesday, April 9

Been cool but a nice day.

Came home, getting here about 4 o'clock this afternoon. Met Kate and Dewey down in the glen. It was 6 weeks ago that I left here to go to pa's bedside.

Thursday, April 10

Went to Sapphire this forenoon to buy groceries and see about having trunk and things hauled over.

We took down the heating stove as the fireplace is enough now.

Friday, April 11

Been warm today. I cleared the dark room and mixed up some chemicals.

Sent for a lot of photo goods to open up for the season trade.

Saturday, April 12

Did a lot of developing today.

Trimmed some apple trees toward evening.

Sunday, April 13

Father Quail and I went up on Mt. Toxaway today. We had a lunch with us and was on the summit a couple of hours at noon. There are many forest fires raging about the country.

Monday, April 14

Been cloudy all day and rained some toward night.

Had Dave Miller washing apple trees and looking for borers.

I went and looked over Jake Miller's place. He wants to sell it to me.

Developed a lot of films for Ed Rainer.

Tuesday, April 15

Went to Sapphire this forenoon to see about a land dicker.

This afternoon I started making a trail up Rainy Knob Mt.

It has been very foggy.

Wednesday, April 16

Spent all day in fixing up the land deal with Mr. Jake Miller. Had the deed made to Kate so it is now her property.

Dewey was very sick with croup last night and Kate was up all night.

It threatened rain but did not.

Thursday, April 17

We had a forenoon of rain.

This afternoon I did some grafting and pruning.

Went to Sapphire again this evening.

Friday, April 18

Did photo printing today but clouds made it slow work.

Mr. Dave Miller and father Quail finished the trail up Rainy Knob.

Went to Sapphire after supper tonight.

Saturday, April 19

Finished photos today.

We had a hail storm and then a heavy thunder shower this afternoon.

Mr. Miller continued the trail on to Kate's new place beyond Rainy Knob.

Sunday, April 20

It has been a very nice day. Kate and her father took a walk over Rainy Knob to her place. I stayed with Dewey and wrote letters.

Went to Sapphire for a while this afternoon.

Monday, April 21

Been warm and pleasant all day.

Did developing and printing.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to see about having father Quail's trunk hauled to the station.

Had a letter from ma and she is in Jackson now.

Tuesday, April 22

Been warm today. I made a lot of photo prints.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon and made arrangements to have Mrs. Heelan sell my photos at the Sapphire Inn this season.

It looked some stormy today.

Wednesday, April 23

Father Quail left for home this morning. I went over to Sapphire with him and saw him in the hack.

Finished some photos today.

It is warm weather now.

Kate got some new hens and chickens.

Thursday, April 24

Another warm day.

Finished photos again.

Went to Sapphire this evening. Had an order from the Company for a lot of views.

Kate planted more stuff in the garden.

Friday, April 25

Been a very nice day.

I finished up a lot of plain paper photos.

Saturday, April 26

It was misty this forenoon, but cleared up this afternoon.

I took a stroll over on to Kate's place by way of our new trail over Rainy Knob.

Went to Sapphire this evening.

Sunday, April 27

It has been a fine day.

Kate, Dewey and I went over the Rainy Knob trail to her place. Mr. Jake Miller moved away today.

Monday, April 28

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs were here to dinner today, and we enjoyed their company very much.

I printed photos but was bothered by clouds so I was very late with work tonight.

Tuesday, April 29

Been pretty cloudy all day and it rained quite hard this afternoon.

I printed and finished some Sepia prints.

The trees are leaving out and the air is like summer.

Wednesday, April 30

Finished photos again.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon and took the big enlargements over to be sent to Mr. Hays.

Mr. White of Highlands came to spend the night with us.

We had a shower this afternoon.

Mr. D. Miller planted potatoes and sweet corn in our garden.

Thursday, May 1

We had a shower this forenoon. I went over on Kate's place and worked the grape vines.

Worked at odd jobs about the house this afternoon.

It is warm, nice weather.

Friday, May 2

Ther.: 82+

It is very warm weather.

I did a lot of printing.

We heard thunder and had a little shower.

Saturday, May 3

Ther.: 82+

Another very warm day. Kate sick with a sort of Cholera Morbus. Dewey sick too.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon. My photo stock was there and I had Mr. Alexander haul it home tonight together with a barrel of flour.

Sunday, May 4

Went to services at the Union Church this forenoon and heard Mr. Marshall preach. Came back over Rainy Knob and just got home before a shower.

Weather continues warm.

Monday, May 5

Did a big job of photo finishing today.

We had lots of threaten and some little sprinkle.

I went to Sapphire after supper tonight.

Saw Mr. Aiken and Mr. Hays.

Tuesday, May 6

I worked around my young pear and plum trees this forenoon. This afternoon Dr. Crane of Cincinnati came over from the Inn and I showed him over our place and took him up on Rainy Knob then I went with him to Sapphire.

Wednesday, May 7

Examined all my apple and peach trees for borers this forenoon.

Went over on Kate's place this afternoon.

The Dogwood is all in bloom now and the Azalea is coming out.

Thursday, May 8

I went to the Whitewater today to make trout fishing photos of Mr. Marshall in the river. It has been a fine day.

Friday, May 9

This was Dewey's 4th Birthday.

It rained quite hard last night.

I went to Sapphire this afternoon to make a view of the hotel.

Been a beautiful day.

Saturday, May 10

Finished photos today. Did some hoeing in the garden this afternoon and went to Sapphire after supper. It has been a fine day.

Sunday, May 11

Mr. Burlingame and Lucy were here at dinner and spent some time today. We had a nice shower this afternoon.

Monday, May 12

Made some Blue print Booklets this forenoon and developed some plates.

This afternoon we had callers from the hotel.

Tuesday, May 13

Went over to Sapphire this morning. We had a good many callers today.

Wednesday, May 14

I printed Sepias this forenoon.

We had a hard shower this afternoon.

I went to the hotel this evening with views. There are a good many people there.

Thursday, May 15

Been pretty foggy all day but I did some printing. We planted some melon and pumpkin seed this afternoon.

I have been salting plain paper.

It is raining softly tonight.

Friday, May 16

Been cloudy all day and rainy this afternoon and tonight.

Had Mr. Dave Miller working for me this forenoon and he killed a big rattle snake. Kate lost one of her young chickens today.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to get the mail.

Saturday, May 17

Been rainy and cloudy till toward night when it broke away and seemed to be clearing up. Kate, Dewey and I went over to "The Bluffs" and I hunted potato bugs.

Sunday, May 18

Nice forenoon and rainy afternoon.

Lucy Burlingame came tonight to begin working for us tomorrow.

Monday, May 19

It rained very hard last night and this morning then cleared so we had a pretty good day.

I went to Sapphire tonight.

Tuesday, May 20

Finished Sepia prints today. Tried some views from Rainy Knob this afternoon.

Went to Sapphire tonight to deliver photos and collect some money. I was badly in the dark coming home and it threatened to rain and did after I got home.

Wednesday, May 21

I went to the lower Whitewater today to get some views. It was a dark walk coming home tonight. There was a hard shower while I was at Marshall's this evening.

Thursday, May 22

Went to Sapphire this forenoon to deliver photos and mail letters. It was quite misty but no real rain. Put out some tomato plants.

Friday, May 23

We did a lot of printing today.

Mrs. Hays, her sister and mother called on us.

Mr. Peterson and Mrs. Heelan came to get a view from Rainy Knob.

Saturday, May 24

Finished photos today. It has been a nice, warm day.

I went to Sapphire this evening.

Sunday, May 25

It has been a beautiful day.

We took a walk up on the orchard hill this forenoon.

A little shower came up quickly from the west this afternoon.

Monday, May 26

I loaded myself with camera, Kodak, satchell etc., and started for Highlands this forenoon. Got to Whiteside Cove in time for dinner at Grimshaws. It sprinkled some but I went on the Highlands this afternoon.

Made several exposures on the way over.

Tuesday, May 27

Went up on Satulah this forenoon. Mr. McGee was with me. Made some calls and saw Russel about handling my views again this year.

It has turned very cool and people are fearful of frost.

Wednesday, May 28

Ther.: 36+

There was no frost but it was the wind that prevented.

I got out very early and left Highlands before any one was up at the Satulah House. Went all over the top of Whiteside mountain and came down under the cliffs a new way to me. Had dinner at Grimshaws again and then came on home.

Thursday, May 29

Been busy all day developing films and plates.

It stays cool and is dry.

Friday, May 30

Beautiful day.

Been fixing up films most of the day.

Had Mr. D. Miller doing farm work.

Kate and I went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Saturday, May 31

Finished photos and did a little hoeing among grape vines, etc.

Went to Sapphire to take film to people at the Inn.

It rained on me a little before I got home.

Sunday, June 1

We had rain last night and this morning.

Mr. Wooldridge, Mr. Peterson and Dr. Thornton called and we treated them to strawberries. We had them ourselves for the first time this season.

Monday, June 2

Been a very nice day.

I went to Fairfield with a man and wife who have bought a lot by the lake. Made several views for them.

Mr. D. Miller worked among my trees today.

Tuesday, June 3

I was sent for this morning and when I got to Sapphire I found that Mr. Jackson, the most noted view photographer of America, was there and I had the pleasure of going with him to make some views. It has been a fine day.

Wednesday, June 4

Went to the Narrows early this morning where I met Mr. Jackson and then we went to the Horse Pasture Falls. I came home at noon and he went up on Mt. Toxaway.

Thursday, June 5

Mr. Jackson came over and took breakfast with us this morning, then we went to the Whitewater Falls. The water was too low for a good photo of the falls, but he made some exposure. When we came back we went up on Rainy Knob for a view of Mt. Toxaway. I went to Sapphire tonight.

Friday, June 6

Was with Mr. Jackson this forenoon going over Bald Rock on foot.

I said good-bye to him and came home at noon. He leaves tomorrow morning.

It threatened rain but did not get to business.

We have strawberries every meal.

Saturday, June 7

Went to Dr. Grimshawes this forenoon and got some medicine for Dewey's throat. Went to Sapphire with photos and films this afternoon.

Sunday, June 8

It was a beautiful forenoon but blew and rained some this afternoon.

We had some callers from the hotel and treated them to strawberries.

Monday, June 9

Worked at photos most all day.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to take photos and mail letters.

Tuesday, June 10

Spent the day making views at Fairfield, Sapphire and down the river.

It has been a warm day.

Did a lot of developing tonight.

Wednesday, June 11

Our 18th wedding anniversary. Made Sepia prints today. Went to Sapphire this afternoon to send order for more stock.

Getting very dry and our strawberries are failing fast.

Thursday, June 12

Ther.: 94+

Been the hottest day of the year so far. Worked at the photos all day.

Friday, June 13

Went to Fairfield this forenoon to carry up a start on the views I will have on sale there. Been printing this afternoon.

It has thundered about all the afternoon but only a little shower came tonight.

Saturday, June 14

We finished a large lot of photos today.

Kate and Lucy went over to Thad Miller's to take a photo this afternoon.

It is raining tonight.

Sunday, June 15

We have had a good soaking rain. Showers this forenoon and this afternoon.

Mr. Peterson was here at dinner and made quite a visit.

Monday, June 16

Took a lot of photos over to Sapphire this forenoon.

I took Dewey down to see the saw mill this afternoon. It was a great treat to him though he was some frightened. We got in a little rain before getting home.

Tuesday, June 17

Went to Fairfield with views this forenoon. Took camera and made a couple of exposures.

It is quite warm again.

Had Mr. D. Miller mowing in the orchard.

Wednesday, June 18

Went to Sapphire this morning to take some work and make some collections.

Thursday, June 19

Went up on Rainy Knob early this morning to view the sunrise, but it was no good for a photo. Went to the Whitewater river to get a photo of Maiden Hair Ferry. Coming home I stopped at the school house and listed my taxes.

Went over to Sapphire tonight.

Shower this afternoon.

Friday, June 20

Kate and Dewey went to visit the folks at the Sapphire Inn, staying to dinner and spending the afternoon.

I did a little hoeing in the garden this afternoon.

We had some rains again.

Saturday, June 21

It was rainy this morning and we did not hustle much.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon and got a wagon to haul my groceries and things over. We are pretty well fixed now for the feeding of our expected guests.

Sunday, June 22

Ther.: 52+

Cool this morning. Been a nice pleasant day.

Stayed close at home all day.

Monday, June 23

Worked at the photos most all day.

Tuesday, June 24

Hoed in the garden this forenoon. Fixed up a lot of photos to be mailed and took them to Sapphire this evening.

Been quite cloudy all day and is misty tonight.

Wednesday, June 25

Went to Dr. Grimshawe's this morning but he was not at home. Kate and Dewey went along as far as Mr. Burgess's.

This afternoon I spent on Rainy Knob opening up some of the views.

Thursday, June 26

We had a hard shower last night and some rain this morning.

This afternoon I went to Fairfield.

Rain again tonight.

Been a warm day.

Friday, June 27

Ther.: 9+

Did considerable work in the orchard and vineyard today, and also began clearing the summit of Rainy Knob.

It is very warm weather.

Saturday, June 28

Hoed in the garden and orchard today.

Went over to "The Bluffs" and dug around grape vines and picked some huckleberries. It is warm tonight and seems like rain.

Sunday, June 29

Been a warm day.

I slept good share of the forenoon and wrote letters this afternoon.

Went over to Sapphire this evening to mail the letters.

Monday, June 30

Ther.: 90+

Went out making views today. Took in the High Falls and then went to the new lake basin, where business is booming. It was a long, hot walk and I took a good wade in the river as I came home.

Tuesday, July 1
Ther.: 90+

Worked at the photos this forenoon and went to Sapphire and Fairfield this afternoon. Been pretty hot today.

Wednesday, July 2
Ther.: 87+

Worked in the shop most of the day.

There was some thunder and a little shower this evening.

Thursday, July 3
Ther.: 94+

Been a very hot day. I went to Sapphire this forenoon. Worked some on my road this afternoon.

We tried photographing Rhododendron again tonight.

Friday, July 4
Ther.: 92+

Hoed in the garden considerable today.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to take some new photos. It rained hard over there and none at home. It is hot and dry. We went up on the hill to see some of the fireworks at Sapphire.

Saturday, July 5
Ther.: 88+

Continues hot and dry at our place.

Kate and I visited her place this forenoon and I went to Sapphire this afternoon.

There were showers all about us this evening.

Sunday, July 6

We had a good many callers for a little while about noon.

This evening I took my camera and went up on Mt. Toxaway to spend the night and get an early start tomorrow for the Cold mountain.

Monday, July 7

Left the Lodge early this morning and walked to the Summit of Cold mountain to get a view of the lake basin. It was a hot walk and I got back just as a heavy rain came on. The view was very fine this afternoon and I tried exposures on two. Came home tonight.

Tuesday, July 8

Went to Dr. Grimshawes this morning to see him about Dewey's throat. He came to see him this evening. Went to Sapphire tonight.

Wednesday, July 9

Left home and spent some time at Sapphire waiting for the hack to go down to Toxaway. We were in a heavy rain storm on the way down. Mr. Alsop took me in to the hotel to dinner with him. Got to Brevard and am staying with Hiram. We had supper with Mrs. Jacobs.

Thursday, July 10

Spent the forenoon in running about errands. A heavy shower came up at noon at noon. Hiram and I went to the train tonight and met ma and the girls. We all went to Mrs. Jacobs for supper. Ma seems to have stood the journey all right.

Friday, July 11

We all came up to Sapphire and home today. We had a rather rainy trip but got up here all right.

Saturday, July 12

Been a very foggy and cloudy day.

Developed plates and films.

Lucy went home tonight and will try working by the day next week.

Sunday, July 13

It cleared up this morning and has been a nice day.

We have been up in the orchard and Kate, Bertha and I went over to The Bluffs this afternoon.

We had callers from the hotel today noon.

Monday, July 14

Pleasant this forenoon, but we had a hard rain this afternoon.

I went to Sapphire and Fairfield after the storm.

Tuesday, July 15

I went to Whitewater today to make some views. It has been a fine day. Ma and the girls are still resting.

Wednesday, July 16

Worked in the shop all day. It has been fine weather.

The folks all called on Mrs. Burlingame this afternoon.

Thursday, July 17

I went to the Toxaway Lake Basin today to make views. Was there most of the day. It has been a fine day.

Had a horse to ride back to Sapphire.

Friday, July 18

Worked at developing etc. There was a heavy shower this afternoon.

After supper we all but ma and Dewey went to Sapphire. It was 10 o'clock when we got home.

Saturday, July 19

I had ma and Nettie go up on Rainy Knob this forenoon. Mr. Miller finished the new trail toward Sapphire today.

It has been a fine day.

Sunday, July 20

Snoozed most of the forenoon.

Kate, Bertha Powell and I went to the Sapphire Sunday School this afternoon. There was a sharp little shower while we were there.

Monday, July 21

Been a very nice day with no rain at all.

I went to Fairfield this afternoon.

There are not many people there, and not much sale for my photos.

Tuesday, July 22

I went to Whitewater today and helped care for Lizzie Marshall who is very sick.

I picked some nice blackberries.

Wednesday, July 23

Came home from Marshall's this morning in time for breakfast.

This afternoon I went up on Bear Pen Mt. with the girls.

It has been a fine day.

Thursday, July 24

Did odd jobs about home today.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon and got delayed by a rain.

Went to Marshall's tonight to help again.

Friday, July 25

Came home for breakfast this morning.

Did some printing.

Went to Sapphire for mail etc. tonight.

Saturday, July 26

Kate and the girls went to The Narrows today.

I finished a batch of prints.

It is becoming dry here.

Sunday, July 27

Been clouded all day and this afternoon it set in to raining while we were at Sunday School. We need the rain.

Monday, July 28

We had several showers during the day.

Did some photo printing.

Went to Sapphire this evening.

Tuesday, July 29

The folks all went up on Mt. Toxaway today. It threatened to rain but did not, and it was a fine day for their trip. Lucy and I pushed the photo work.

Wednesday, July 30

I went to Chimney Top mountain today to make some views. It was a hot walk.

Thursday, July 31

Went to Sapphire this morning to take photos to send Mr. Hays. Miss Olive Hays came home with me to spend the day with the girls.

Did a lot of developing this afternoon.

Friday, August 1

Went over to Marshall's today and picked a few blackberries. Found the sick girl pretty bad off.

Saturday, Aug. 2

Kate rode Miller's horse down to Marshall's this afternoon. I went to Fairfield with photos.

Tonight I went to Marshall's to sit up with the sick.

Sunday, Aug. 3

Came home this forenoon by Dr. Grimshawe's. He gave me some cauliflower. It has been very warm. There was a little shower this afternoon.

Monday, Aug. 4

Been a warm day. Threatened to rain but did not do so here.

Mr. Ludlam and a lady called this afternoon.

Went to Sapphire tonight.

Tuesday, Aug. 5

We all went on a picnic to the High Falls today. Mr. Burgess took us with his little mule team. It has been hot all day. The trip tired ma pretty badly, but she enjoyed it.

Wednesday, Aug. 6

Thined the fruit on the Ben Davis apple tree this morning.

There was a bluster and threaten of rain at noon, but it passed off.

I went up to Fairfield this afternoon.

Thursday, Aug. 7

Went to the lake basin and spent most of the day making some new views. Mr. Dave Miller went with me.

It has been a very pleasant day.

Friday, Aug. 8

Did a lot of developing today. Had Dave Miller working in the orchard. Getting very dry. Spring are failing all about.

Went to Sapphire for mail tonight.

Saturday, Aug. 9

Worked at photos and sawing wood.

We had a call this afternoon from Mrs. Thomas Grimshawe, Dr. Lapham of Highlands and a Mrs. Holliday.

Remains dry.

Sunday, Aug. 10

It sprinkled a little this morning and looked very stormy and then cleared of beautifully. Kate, Bertha, and I went to Sunday School at Sapphire this afternoon.

Monday, Aug. 11

Tried batch of Sepia prints but had poor luck.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon.

There was just a little sprinkle as I came home. Water is getting low all about.

Tuesday, Aug. 12

I went on a walking trip with Bertha and Nettie today. Took them over Bald Rock and around Lake Fairfield. We had a picnic dinner at the Eyrie Falls. We went and came on Lake Sapphire in a boat. There was clouds today but no rain.

Wednesday, Aug. 13

Went out this forenoon to make some babies photos.

Kate and I went to her place this afternoon for provender.

Went to Sapphire this evening to mail photos and do errands.

Thursday, Aug. 14

Went to Fairfield this morning to take some colored flower photos. We had fried chicken for dinner.

The folks all went down to Dave Miller's and got weighted this evening.

A storm passed just south tonight but it only sprinkled here.

Friday, Aug. 15

Made an extension to the trail in the glen so we can go down and come back a different way.

There was just a little dash of rain in the afternoon. Tonight the girls and I went to Sapphire and we got caught in a storm coming home.

Saturday, Aug. 16

We had a nice rain last night.

Cut brush and did odd jobs about the place.

Went to Sapphire tonight.

Sunday, Aug. 17

Been cool and pleasant all day.

We had a Mrs. Harris who is an artist at Fairfield Inn at dinner today. We went over to Sunday School but got there too late.

Monday, Aug. 18

Cool enough for fire this morning.

Did developing and hoeing this forenoon.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Bertha and Nettie have packed their trunks and are ready to leave tomorrow.

Tuesday, Aug. 19

Bertha and Nettie left for Asheville this morning. They are going to spend a day or so there then go on home. I went to the new lake basin this afternoon to make views at the dam. It has been hot and dry.

Wednesday, Aug. 20

Did developing this forenoon and went to Fairfield this afternoon.

Hot and dry.

Thursday, Aug. 21

Went to Whitewater today. Made arrangements for peaches to be brought by Mr. Marshall. There was a couple of showers over there but no rain here at home.

Friday, Aug. 22

Worked in shop and garden this forenoon.

Kate and I went to her place for vegetables this afternoon.

I went to Sapphire for the mail tonight.

Saturday, Aug. 23

It has been cloudy and misty most of the day, but the showers were light. We cleaned up the cellar and I developed a lot of films.

Went to Sapphire again tonight.

Sunday, Aug. 24

Been a cool, cloudy day.

Ma and Dewey stayed at Mr. Burlingame's while Kate and I went on to Sapphire this afternoon.

Monday, Aug. 25

Pleasant today and we got off a lot of photos.

Tuesday, Aug. 26

Been drizzling most all day, but it has not rained hard.

I went to Fairfield this afternoon.

Wednesday, Aug. 27

Rain all today.

Sorted and fixed up photos to mail to Highlands and took to Post Office this afternoon. Went up to Fairfield with photos also.

Thursday, Aug. 28

Been drizzling most all of today.

Did a good job of resting and reading.

We had a call from Mrs. Harris, the artist, and a gentleman this evening.

Friday, Aug. 29

Rained this forenoon, but it has cleared off this evening.

Went to "The Bluffs" for tomatoes, cabbage and onions this forenoon.

Went to Dr. Grimshawes after dinner but he had just gone away.

Went to Sapphire this evening for the mail.

Saturday, Aug. 30

Started Lucy to printing this morning and then I got ready and walked to Highlands trying some views on the new Ravenel road.

Am staying at Rideouts.

It has been a fine day.

Sunday, Aug. 31

I called at "Faraway" this forenoon and had a pleasant chat with the people there.

Been a fine day.

Took a walk about the lake this afternoon.

Called at the Davis House this evening.

Monday, September 1

Been very busy all day taking views and groups.

Mrs. Ravenel wishes me to go to her place tomorrow to do work.

I took dinner with Mr. Smith and we talked fruit growing.

Tuesday, Sept. 2

Mrs. Ravenel sent the carriage for me this morning. I made several exposures up there and then they took me over Sagee Mt. on my way home.

I took dinner at Zeb Alleys, then it began raining before I got to Grimshawe's and then it set in and stormed hard. Am going to stay all night.

Wednesday, Sept. 3

Came on home this forenoon and got caught in a rain again. Found the folks all right. We are having a feast of grapes now.

Went over to Sapphire for the mail this afternoon. It has been rainy and cloudy all day.

Thursday, Sept. 4

Did developing today.

Kate and I went to Sapphire tonight.

Friday, Sept. 5

Been quite pleasant today. Lucy was here and we did a lot of printing. Mrs. Harris, the artist, was here at dinner.

Kate and I went up on Rainy Knob tonight to see the reflection and light from fires in the Toxaway Lake basin.

It looks stormy again tonight.

Saturday, Sept. 6

Picked some grapes, dug some potatoes, mowed some weeds etc. this forenoon.

This afternoon I went up to Fairfield to look after orders and collect some money. Had Lucy finish photos.

Sunday, Sept. 7

Been a pleasant day.

Went with Kate to Sapphire Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Sept. 8

Went over to the Sapphire Inn to take a photo of a four horse team this morning. Started printing when I got back but soon had to quit for rain came on and it has stormed hard this afternoon.

Tuesday, Sept. 9

Rained all last night and the most of this forenoon. Cleared up this afternoon and I did some printing.

Tonight it is growing cool.

We feast on grapes every day.

Wednesday, Sept. 10

Ther.: 44+

I had Mr. Dave Miller begin working for me today. I went up on Mt. Toxaway to make views of the lake basin. It was very clear and good for the work. Heard that there was frost at Highlands and in the French Broad valley this morning. Mr. White and daughter Jessie from Highlands came in late tonight.

Thursday, Sept. 11

Ther.: 48+

Went about on the place with the Whites some this forenoon.

Went to Fairfield this afternoon.

Friday, Sept. 12

Been cloudy all day and showers this afternoon and tonight.

Picked a lot of grapes for Kate to can, and to eat fresh. There are very nice this year.

Saturday, Sept. 13

Been a clear, nice day. I did a lot of printing.

Ma, Kate, and Dewey went over to Burgesses this afternoon.

I went to Sapphire to mail photos.

Sunday, Sept. 14

Ther.: 46+

Cool weather and threatening frost.

Nice, clear day.

Walked over the orchard and thought over plans for increasing it in the future.

Monday, Sept. 15

Nice day.

Picked some ripe clover heads and sowed them about where I wish to start clover in the orchard. Finished a batch of photos this afternoon.

Tuesday, Sept. 16

I went up to Fairfield this forenoon. Went to Kate's place this afternoon and got some potatoes. Mr. Miller is getting the grubbing pretty well done.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Wednesday, Sept. 17

Went to the Toxaway Lake Basin today to try a few new views. Went to the site of the hotel and where the railroad is to come.

It is beautiful weather.

Thursday, Sept. 18

Had a birthday today but don't feel any older. Ma gave me a nice shirt and Will sent me a pair of suspenders. Kate has a tie for me yet to come. I sawed wood this forenoon with Mr. Miller to help. Went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Friday, Sept. 19

Heavy rain last night. Fog and showers today.

I went over to Burlingames this forenoon and fixed their organ.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to send and get mail.

Dewey has a very bad cold tonight.

Saturday, Sept. 20

Chopped down a tree and sawed up some wood this forenoon.

Been pretty cloudy most all day.

I went to Sapphire for the mail tonight.

Sunday, Sept. 21

Been fairly nice day. I went to Sunday School this afternoon. Kate had headache and did not go. Ma has decided to go back north this fall.

Monday, Sept. 22

I did a lot of printing today.

Dewey's cold is pretty bad, and his voice sounds very strange.

Went to Sapphire tonight after supper to get the mail.

Tuesday, Sept. 23

Been busy all day finishing photos.

It is quite warm weather again.

Dewey feels much better, but still has a hard cough.

Wednesday, Sept. 24

Showered some during the day and tonight it rains real hard.

I went to Sapphire and Fairfield this afternoon to deliver photos and collect some money.

Thursday, Sept. 25

We had rain storms both forenoon and afternoon.

I made a trail over south to a spring there under a rock.

Chopped down two deadened trees to make wood of.

There was a little thunder this evening and it is warm.

Friday, Sept. 26

Did a little tinkering of trails, mowing of weeds and cutting of wood. Went to Sapphire this afternoon. We had a couple of hard showers today.

Saturday, Sept. 27

Went up on Mt. Toxaway today to make views. It rained this afternoon and spoiled some of my calculations.

Had a livery rig take ma, Kate and Dewey for a ride up around Lake Fairfield this afternoon.

Sunday, Sept. 28

Been a clear day.

It has grown cool tonight.

Ma, Kate and Dewey called at Burlingames this afternoon.

Monday, Sept 29

Developed plates this forenoon.

Wrote letters and went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Toward evening it clouded up and seems much like rain tonight.

Tuesday, Sept. 30

Been foggy and rainy most of the day.

I went up to Fairfield Inn this forenoon and settled up for the season. The Inn is to close tomorrow.

Helped Kate put down her new carpet this afternoon.

Wednesday, October 1

Had Mr. Miller work today and we sawed up a lot of wood. I also did a considerable job of printing. Kate went over to Dr. Grimshaws this afternoon, riding Mr. Miller's horse.

I went over for the mail tonight.

Thursday, Oct. 2

Sawed more wood today, and did more photo printing. It looked stormy in the morning but became very clear.

Friday, Oct. 3

I finished a large number of prints today. Kate and I went down to Alfred Miller's this afternoon. I engaged our supply of winter apples and got some in a sack to eat now.

Went to Sapphire tonight to mail letters.

Saturday, Oct. 4

It has been a rainy day.

I fixed up photos to send off by mail and took them to the office this afternoon.

Ma is preparing to go home next week.

Sunday, Oct. 5

It rained very hard last night, but it has turned cooler and has been a fine day.

Lucy and Daisy Burlingame were here at dinner.

We took ma about on some of the walks as she will soon leave us.

Monday, Oct. 6

Been a nice day.

Sawed wood all the forenoon.

Picked my apples today and put them in the cellar. Had almost 2 bushels of the Ben Davis apples.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail and to see about the team for the folks tomorrow.

Tuesday, Oct. 7

My poor old mother left for the north today. I wish she could have been contented to stay with us, but she wants to be in the old home. I went with them as far as the Lake basin, where I said good bye. Kate and Dewey went on to Asheville with ma, where I suppose they all are tonight.

Wednesday, Oct. 8

I worked at photos about all day.

It seems very quiet and lonely with the folks all away.

It has been a fine day for them to sightseeing at Asheville.

Thursday, Oct. 9

Went over to "The Bluffs" and got some corn to feed the chickens.

Wrote several letters and did up a lot of photos to send off by mail. Sent money and application blank to become a member of the P.A. of Va. And N.C. Also sent some photos to exhibit.

Friday, Oct. 10

Have not felt very ambitious today and did not accomplish much but to mend a couple of pair of shoes.

It has been getting cloudy all day and this evening it is beginning to rain.

Wanted to go to the P.O. to hear from the folks. Suppose ma is almost home if trains were on time.

Saturday, Oct. 11

Rained hard all last night and this forenoon. This afternoon wind got west and blew it clear. I went to Sapphire this afternoon. Had a card from Kate written at Asheville Wednesday evening.

Sunday, Oct. 12

Been pleasant today. I called at Mr. Burgesses this afternoon and also went over to put my letters in the Post Office tonight.

The cold in my head makes me feel dull.

Monday, Oct. 13

Did some printing today but clouds and mist stopped me this afternoon. I went to Sapphire tonight but did not get a line from any of my folks. Took supper and spent the evening at the Sapphire Inn.

It is showery tonight.

Tuesday, Oct. 14

Been a clear day and grown very cool this evening. I finished photos today.

Went to Sapphire tonight to see if I could get a line from Kate but none there.

Wednesday, Oct. 15

This morning there was a hard frost, the first of the season at our place. Did some fixing in the cellar and went over to Kate's place and got some potatoes. Had a couple of letters from Kate and a card ma wrote at Cincinnati.

Thursday, Oct. 16

No frost this morning and much warmer tonight. Hoed the strawberry beds, cleaned the cook stove and pipe and did several odd jobs this forenoon. This afternoon I went over to Sapphire and called at the hotel. Telephoned to Mrs. Jacobs and she said Kate and Dewey had not arrived there yet. Am setting up to watch the eclipse tonight.

Friday, Oct. 17

Did more choring about home this forenoon.

Took a lot more photos over to the Inn this evening. Stayed to supper with Mr. and Mrs. Heelan.

It has been warm and beautiful today.

Tried telephoning to Kate and Dewey at Brevard but not much satisfaction.

Saturday, Oct. 18

I took a long tramp today, going to the lake basin and way up beyond the head to a mountain home where I had dinner and made some portrait work. Was pretty tired when I got home at a tonight. It is warm weather and threatening a coming storm.

Sunday, Oct. 19

Been a very pleasant day.

I went to the Sapphire Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Oct. 20

Piled up some wood this forenoon and did odd jobs. Had a bride and groom call just at noon. Went over to Sapphire to meet Kate and Dewey but the carriage brought them to Mrs. Burlingames and so I had to come back to see them. I am glad to have them home again. They have had a good time on their visit.

Tuesday, Oct. 21

Put a lot of our potatoes in the cellar. Printed some photos and corded up some wood.

Mulligan the cat has not been home since Sunday night.

Wednesday, Oct. 22

Went down to Alfred Miller's this morning. He brought us our supple of winter apples today. I went over to Sapphire this afternoon.

It has grown quite cool and is clear, bright weather.

Thursday, Oct. 23

Spent the forenoon in looking over apple trees for borers. I found some but not many.

Did some printing this afternoon.

Set out some Mimosa trees Kate brought from Tryon.

Friday, Oct. 24

I went to the White water falls today to try getting a view such as I have no negative of. Stopped at Dr. Grimshawe's on my way back. It has been a nice warm day. The leaves are fast falling from the trees now. Joined the Appalachian Park Association today, through Dr. Grimshawe.

Saturday, Oct. 25

Been another nice day. Did retouching and printing.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Sunday, Oct. 26

Began raining toward morning and has kept it up all day.

We read, wrote and loafed.

Monday, Oct. 27

It was still raining this morning but it stopped at noon and has cleared off tonight. I finished a batch of photos today.

Went to Sapphire toward evening and had Mr. Marshall bring the box over to the gap that Willie sent from Michigan before ma went away. Things were all right in it.

Tuesday, Oct. 28

Ther.: 32+

Turned cool and this afternoon we had a snow squall that made every thing white. It is going to freeze tonight. It is a sudden cold snap and very early for here I think. I went to Sapphire this forenoon and this afternoon got the remainder of our potatoes in the cellar.

Wednesday, Oct. 29

Ther.: 30+, 48+

It looked and felt wintry this morning and the snow was not all off till half the forenoon was gone. It warmed up and has been a pleasant day. I fixed a trail and Dewey and I wheeled up some firewood. We made out an order for fruit trees and vines, and I sent it to Ohio this afternoon. We hope to have a good fruit farm some day.

Thursday, Oct. 30

I went to the new lake basin today. The water was stopped back just a week ago today and there is quite a little lake started. Took some views at the works and made a group on the way home.

Friday, Oct. 31

Wheeled up a lot of wood today. Went to Sapphire this forenoon to get the mail and some oil.

It has been a fine day.

Fixed some cement about the hearths to the fireplaces this afternoon.

Saturday, November 1

I did some grubbing to extend the garden.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Sunday, Nov. 2

It has been a fine day.

Read and wrote letters this forenoon.

We all went to Sapphire to Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Nov. 3

Another nice, warm day. I took some more things to Sapphire early this morning and again tonight to be sent to Toxaway tomorrow.

A Mr. Orr of Pennsylvania called here this forenoon.

Tuesday, Nov. 4

Left home this morning and walked down to the voting place and then on here to Toxaway where I found Hiram with the tent, and we have got things about ready for business. We are going to sleep in the tent tonight.

Wednesday, Nov. 5

Wea.: Rain

It began raining last night and has been very stormy all today. I came to Brevard this forenoon on the train and have been doing several errands about town, paying our taxes, etc. I guess Hiram will have a lonely time of it in the tent at Toxaway.

Thursday, Nov. 6

Been more or less cloudy, but has not stormed today. I came back to Toxaway and Hiram and I have done quite a business in portraits and views. It is mild weather fortunately.

Friday, Nov. 7

Cloudy again today and very foggy this morning. I went up to an old field on Joshua Mt. this forenoon to get a valley view and out to Cherry field to photograph an old mill this afternoon. It is getting cooler tonight.

Saturday, Nov. 8

Hiram and I have been very busy all day, and it has been a very fine day.

It is quite cool tonight and we will have to go to bed to keep warm.

Sunday, Nov. 9

We pulled down the tent this evening and packed up our things. It was foggy and chilly this morning and I do not like this place to live in.

Monday, Nov. 10

Hiram and I walked up here to my home today. We had a fine time for it. Stopped at the new lake basin at noon to take a look. Dewey has been real sick this evening, something on his stomach does not set well. I went to Sapphire to get mail tonight.

Tuesday, Nov. 11

Spent the day in burning the woods to protect our place from running forest fires. It is fine weather.

Dewey continues to feel badly.

Wednesday, Nov. 12

Had to help Kate a good deal today as she washed and Dewey had to be held most of the time.

Did some printing and tonight developed all my exposed plates.

Thursday, Nov. 13

Printed photos most all day.

Hiram and I went to Sapphire tonight to get the mail.

It is balmy, beautiful weather.

Friday, Nov. 14

It has been more or less cloudy today and bothered about the printing.

Dewey has been sick several days but seems better now.

Saturday, Nov. 15

This has been a fine day and all appearance of storm has gone. I finished a batch of photos and Hiram continued retouching.

Went to Sapphire for mail tonight.

Sunday, Nov. 16

Hiram and I took a walk and looked over Kate's place pretty thoroughly. We found a beautiful glen of rocks below the cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame called this afternoon. Been a very fine day.

Monday, Nov. 17

Cloudy all day and rain this afternoon. We finished a batch of photos but could do no printing.

It has cleared off tonight.

Tuesday, Nov. 18

Been a pretty pleasant day. I went to Sapphire this morning to take and get mail.

Lucy Burlingame helped us print.

Hiram and I went up on Rainy Knob early this morning to see the sunrise.

Wednesday, Nov. 19

We worked at photos all day.

Went over the mountain to Kate's place this afternoon. Dave Miller and wife had just finished gathering the corn.

Hiram and I went to Sapphire tonight.

Thursday, Nov. 20

Very cloudy all day and we did not do any printing at all, but we finished a large batch. Hiram has come to an agreement with Dave Miller to buy some land of his.

I went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Friday, Nov. 21

Been fairly bright and we did a lot of printing. Kate and Dewey went to Sapphire to make calls. Dave Miller came up and he, Hiram and I went over Rainy Knob to look at land lines.

Saturday, Nov. 22

Been a cloudy day.

We started finishing photos very early this morning.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon and settled up with the company and paid my freight bills.

It is cooler tonight and clearing off.

Sunday, Nov. 23

Been a beautiful day. Hiram and I took our lunch and tramped to the summits of the Rocky Knobs, where we got superb views. We called at Mr. Sanders on our way back. It was very clear and we could see to the south well. Kate and I went over Rainy Knob to her place after we got back from trip.

Monday, Nov. 24

Hiram and I been busy fixing up photos to send to Toxaway. It has been cloudy all day.

Mr. Dave Miller has been at work for me fixing around in the cove to set out to peach trees.

It rains tonight.

Tuesday, Nov. 25

Rained hard all last night and showered more or less all today.

I went to Sapphire this afternoon to send an order to Chicago for various things, including a washing machine and wringer for Kate.

Wednesday, Nov. 26

We got up very early this morning to get Hiram off. I went over to Sapphire with him before day break. Got a turkey for tomorrow's dinner. I pruned a lot of my grape vine this forenoon. Went to Alfred Miller's this afternoon to get some syrup and some corn meal.

Mr. D. Miller put in another day's work.

Thursday, Nov. 27
Ther.: 27+, 31+, 24+

It turned cold last night and has been snow squally and blustery all today. We had the Burlingame family and Ed Rains here for a Thanksgiving dinner and had a very good time. Mr. Miller worked half a day.

Friday, Nov. 28
Ther.: 21+, 46+

Pretty cold this morning. I worked some at clearing land for a cherry orchard.

Went to Sapphire tonight and called at Dr. Cheatam's.

Saturday, Nov. 29
Ther.: 30+, 34+, 44+

It looked and felt very much like a coming snow this forenoon, but it warmed up and is raining tonight.

Dr. Cheatam and his family took dinner with us and spent the afternoon.

Sunday, Nov. 30

Been raining most all day. I wrote letters, read and took a nap.

It seems to be clearing up tonight.

Monday, Dec. 1

Been cloudy and misty all today, but no real rains. Chas. Henderson called here this forenoon. I went to Sapphire to do errands and get the mail.

Dewey has a hard cough.

Tuesday, Dec. 2

Rained hard most all day. I went over to Kate's place and husked some corn in the cabin.

Dewey still coughs badly.

Wednesday, Dec. 3

It has been a bright pleasant day. I did a lot of photo printing. Tonight it looks stormy again.

Thursday, Dec. 4

Cloudy and rainy all day and tonight it turned cold and snowed some. I went to Sapphire twice today. My fruit trees from Storrs and Harrison have come and I had them hauled over. I put them in the cellar tonight for fear of freezing.

Friday, Dec. 5
Ther.: 30+, 42+, 32+

The wind blew hard and it seemed colder than it really was this morning. The snow all melted off today.

I finished a batch of photos today. It is very clear tonight and will freeze some.

Saturday, Dec. 6
Ther.: 30+, 43+, 33+

Been a fair day. Mr. Miller and I hauled in the trees that I got from Ohio.

Kate, Dewey and I went over to Burlingames this afternoon and I tried to make photos of most of them. It has turned hazy tonight and looks stormy.

Sunday, Dec. 7

A pleasant day.

Mr. Shipman and Miss Belle took dinner with us.

I called at Dr. Grimshawes this evening. Mrs. G. is still very sick.

The sunsets are very beautiful these days.

Monday, Dec. 8
Ther.: 29+

Sawed wood with Mr. Miller most of the forenoon then went to printing. It was cold work and the wind blew hard. Had Mr. Miller fixing for trees.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Tuesday, Dec. 9
Ther.: 29+

Been very pleasant today. Sawed wood and printed photos again.

Wednesday, Dec. 10
Ther.: 29+

Pleasant day.

Finished a large batch of photos.

Mr. Dave Miller got through working for me for the present.

Thursday, Dec. 11
Ther.: 62+

Been real warm and pleasant all day.

We fixed up a lot of Calendars and I took some over to Sapphire Inn to sell. Some of the summer guest are there for the winter now.

Friday, Dec. 12

Been cloudy and quite rainy all day. I did a lot of retouching and marking ready now to print.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to mail some letters.

Saturday, Dec. 13

Been a fine day.

Did a lot of printing.

Went to Sapphire to take some photos and get the mail.

There is smallpox scare down the road as the disease is in a Ry. Camp.

Sunday, Dec. 14

The air has felt very much like snow today.

Dr. Thornton called here this afternoon.

Monday, Dec. 15

There was a frozen rainstorm going this morning. It grew a little warmer and rains quite hard tonight. I sorted over all the apples and a barrel of potatoes this forenoon. Dewey is much interested in learning his letters now.

Tuesday, Dec. 16

It rained very hard all last night and this forenoon. Cleared off this afternoon and is growing cold and windy tonight.

Sent away some photos by mail this afternoon.

Wednesday, Dec. 17

Ther.: 28+

Quite frozen this morning.

I finished some photo printing and this afternoon finished a batch of 127 prints working till late tonight to get them done.

Thursday, Dec. 18

Ther.: 34+

Warmer today and very pleasant.

Kate and I fixed up boxes of leaves, photos etc., and I mailed them this afternoon to go to some of our folks and friends as Christmas gifts.

Our freight from Montgomery Ward and Co. is at the store and I hope to get it drawn tomorrow.

Friday, Dec. 19

Ther.: 58+

Dug out a place under the front porch to put the wheelbarrow and other tools.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon. Mr. Ben Alexander hauled our freight and we got it out of the boxes tonight.

Saturday, Dec. 20

Looked stormy all day, then cleared off for a few hours, but tonight it rains. I went over to Dr. Grimshaws this forenoon to see how Mrs. G. was. She is very sick. Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Sunday, Dec. 21

Rained all last night and half of today. I went over to Dr. Grimshaws this afternoon to see how Mrs. G. was and found that she is still in a precarious condition.

Monday, Dec. 22

We tried Kate's new washing machine and wringer this forenoon and they both worked finely.

I went to "The Bluffs" and sorted over our corn, putting the good in a box.

Split wood this afternoon. Went to Sapphire with mail tonight.

Tuesday, Dec. 23

Split and got up some more wood this forenoon.

I went to the Whitewater this afternoon to see Mr. Marshall who is real sick. Stopped at Dr. Grimshaws and got some medicine for Kate.

Wednesday, Dec. 24

Went to Sapphire this forenoon. Some of the people are getting full of whiskey as it is so near Christmas and a row was had at the store in consequence. We fixed up a tree for Dewey and Kate decorated the house inside. We had Mr. Dave Miller and family here for supper and to see Dewey's tree.

It seems much like snow.

Thursday, Dec. 25

Ther.: 15+

Dewey had a good time this morning.

We all took dinner at Burlingames and went over to Sapphire to the Christmas tree.

Tonight we took supper at Dr. Cheatham's and Kate and Dewey are staying the night there but I came home to take care of things as it has grown very cold.

Friday, Dec. 26

Ther.: 8+, 22+, 9+

Very cold this morning. I set up the heating stove and put a fire in it. Went to Sapphire to get Kate and Dewey. I tried photographing the tree at the school house. We called at the hotel. It was about 1 o'clock when we got home.

Saturday, Dec. 27

Ther.: 8+, 24+, 15+

Cold day. Got up wood and kept up fires.

Finished reading "The Leopard's Spots", a novel of N.C. life just after the war and up to the present time.

Went to Sapphire this evening for the mail.

Sunday, Dec. 28

Ther.: 22+, 34+

Some milder today.

This afternoon I called at Dr. Grimshawe's and then went on to see Mr. Marshall a little while. It has seemed like snow part of the day.

Monday, Dec. 29

We had a hard snow storm and then it turned to rain taking most all the snow off, and making a very stormy day of it. Developed a lot of films.

Tuesday, Dec. 30

We got sad news today noon a telegram from Dor saying Kate's father died of Pneumonia yesterday afternoon. It must have been quite sudden as we did not know he was sick.

This has been a pleasant.

Wednesday, Dec. 31

It has been a pleasant day. Went to Sapphire to mail letters this morning. Did some photo printing. We had letters from home written last Friday and father Oneal was not sick then. Tonight Mr. Reid came and we got the deed of land fixed up for Hiram and I paid the Millers the money.

Cash Account - February

	Received	Paid
26 From father Quail	40.00	
27 R. R. Ticket	40.00	21.15
Stationery and postage		0.26
Dinner		0.25
Tel. Message		0.50
Lunch		0.20
Car berth		2.00
28 Breakfast		0.20
Dinner and Lunch		0.30
Reading		0.25
RR fare		<u>2.16</u>
		27.37

Cash Account - March

	Received	Paid
3 Tooth Brush		0.15
7 Stamps and cards		0.30
15 Hair and whisker trim		0.30
Stationery		0.25
17 Stamps		0.10
19 Cap(.25), pants(.50), sweater(.50)		1.25

	Crach(1.00), batting(.25),socks(.10)		1.35
	Thread(.20), buttons(.05), candy(.05)		0.30
	Kettles(1.25), dishes(.50)		1.75
	Dollhead(.10), envelopes(.10)		0.20
	Pr. Pants		3.00
20	Car fare(.22), stamps(.22)		0.44
	collars(.25), box(.15)		0.40
	Magaznie(.05), candy(.10)		0.15
25	Postage		0.08
29	Dewey's shoes		1.00
	Hardware		0.50
31	From Ma	15.00	
	Postage		<u>0.30</u>
			11.82

Cash Account - April

		Received	Paid
1	Watch cleaned		1.50
	Car fare		0.22
	Belt (.30), eggs (.10)		0.40
	Reading (.20)		0.20
2	Laundry		0.08
3	Ry. Tickey		19.50
	Reading		0.30
	Meals		0.25
	Sleeper berth		2.00
4	Breakfast		0.15
	Porter Fee		0.25
	Theatre		0.20
5	Board		1.30
	Reading		0.10
	Ry. Ticket		1.45
	Hair cut		0.35
	Shoes repaired		0.85
7	Suit clothes		7.50
8	Suspenders		0.25
	Drugs		0.25
9	Candy (.35), Ry. Fare (.35)		<u>0.60</u>
			37.70

Cash Account - July

		Received	Paid
9	Postage		0.09
	RR fare		0.35
	Hair Cut shave		0.35
	Soda		0.10
10	News		1.00
	Paid Nichols		1.00
	Razor		2.00
	Oil cloth		0.44
22	Shoe Tap		0.60
	Car fare		1.40
	Umbrella		1.00
	Tip		0.25

Cash Account - November

		Received	Paid
4	From Fishers	4.00	
	Nails		0.05
5	Oil Cloth		0.10
	RR ticket		0.35
	Taxes		6.74
	Stove Back		0.50
	Shoes		2.35
	Mrs. Heelan	1.25	
6	Board		1.75
	Ry ticket		0.35
	Paste Basin		0.15
	Ker. Oil		0.05
7	Oatmeal		0.15
	Cup		0.05
8	Crackers		0.15
	Oil		0.05

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