

HENRY H. SCADIN DAIRIES

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Thursday, January 1

It has been a mild day, cloudy some of the time but enough sun for me to get my printing done. Tonight it appears like raining soon. Went to Sapphire tonight to mail letters.

Friday, Jan. 2

Rained all last night and most of today. I finished photos.

It is quite warm.

Saturday, Jan. 3

Mild pleasant day. Clouded over this evening. I went over to Glover's new place and found D. and T. Miller at work cutting trees.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to deliver photos.

Sunday, Jan. 4

This morning the ground was white and it was snowing in a way that I looked for a prolonged storm, but it all melted and the afternoon the sun shone some. It has grown colder tonight. I took our letters to mail this evening.

Monday, Jan. 5

We did the washing this forenoon.

It began to snow soon after noon and then it almost rained. Tonight it seems hardly to know whether to rain or snow.

I went for the mail after supper so Kate could hear about her father's death. His funeral was last Thursday.

Tuesday, Jan. 6

Ther.: 21+, 26+, 19+

It turned cold last night and has been pretty sharp all day. I did a little sawing and chopping of wood.

Wednesday, Jan. 7

Ther.: 29+, 42+, 28+

Grew warmer this forenoon and then grew cooler. Tonight the wind howls wildly. I hauled up wood with the wheel-barrow this forenoon.

Cut some deadened trees this afternoon and went to the office for the mail.

Thursday, Jan. 8

Ther.: 15+, 26+, 16+

This has been a cold and windy day. I went to Arthur Miller's this morning and bought some lumber which Mr. Jeff Reid will draw for me in a few days. Spent most of the day in cutting wood. We put up the heater again this afternoon.

Friday, Jan. 9

Ther.: 13+, 34+, 32+

Cold this morning but moderated considerable.

I went to Sapphire this forenoon to deliver some Stereo views.

Been doing odd jobs about the place this afternoon.

Saturday, Jan. 10

The sun shone today and it was quite pleasant.

After dinner I went to Dr. Grimshawes to see how Mrs. G. was, finding her very poorly indeed. Went to Sapphire this evening for the mail. It clouded and began to snow tonight.

Sunday, Jan. 11

Ther.: 42+

The ground was all slush and snow this morning, then it rained, turned warmer and melted the snow off. Then this afternoon the sun shone some. Went over to the Bluffs with D. Miller this afternoon. Mrs. Burlingame called. A possum was noseing about the hen roast and I shot but missed him.

Monday, Jan. 12

Ther.: 11+, 22+, 10+

It turned cold during last night and was very keen this morning. Coldest of the winter so far.

Helped Kate wash this forenoon.

Wrote some letters and went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Tuesday, Jan. 13

Ther.: 8+, 30+, 24+

Bitter cold this morning. I took Kate's Kodak and went to the Thompson Falls to get a photo of the ice scene. Then I went on through the valley and over to old Mr. Ravis' place, from there I went a trail across to Mr. Marshall's and back home tonight. Was on a good deal of new country that I had never been on. Dave and Thad Miller finished Hiram's fence today and I paid them off for it.

Wednesday, Jan. 14

Ther.: 32+

Grown warmer and seemed like snow all day but has cleared off bright tonight.

I chopped down 7 trees this forenoon to open up the view from the building site on the hill.

Went to Sapphire for the mail this evening.

Thursday, Jan. 15

Been a nice winter's day.

Mr. Dave Miller and I have been sawing wood all day.

Friday, Jan. 16

Ther.: 32+, 50+, 38+

This was mother's birthday and I hope she had a pleasant day.

Sawed wood again all day.

It feels and looks like snow tonight.

Saturday, Jan. 17

Ther.: 58+

Been warm and pleasant.

Continued sawing wood.

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Sunday, Jan. 18

Been a beautiful day. Kate, Dewey and I took a long walk down the gorge south of our place to the Mica mines.

Mr. Erskine called here this afternoon and he and I went up on Rainy Knob.

Monday, Jan. 19

Ther.: 22+, 38+, 25+

Quite cold this morning. We did the washing and then I went at photo work in the shop for the rest of the day.

Went to Sapphire tonight to mail our letters.

Tuesday, Jan. 20

Ther.: 32+

Raining this morning and all outdoors very icy. It has stormed all day.

I finished a batch of photos.

Wednesday, Jan. 21

Ther.: 34+

Been quite a pleasant day.

Took finished photos over to Sapphire this afternoon.

Kate and Dewey both feeling pretty well now.

Thursday, Jan. 22

Cool and raw part of today but quite pleasant and I did a lot of photo printing on Geological negatives for Prof. Lewis and Pratt.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to send orders for photo paper and Albums.

Friday, Jan. 23

Been a beautiful day. I finished printing the geological photos.

Kate and Dewey called at Burlingames this afternoon.

I went to Sapphire tonight but got no letters from home.

Saturday, Jan. 24

It snowed some this morning, then turned to rain for most of the day.

I did a double job of photo finishing, running 25 prints through the baths.

Sunday, Jan. 25

Been a beautiful day.

Mr. Erskins and Mr. Glazner of Sapphire called and looked over my orchard this forenoon.

Kate has been having a bad headache all day.

Caught three mice in the trap in the last 24 hours.

Monday, Jan. 26

Another fine, warm day. We went up in the orchards before breakfast to look over the clouds that hung over South Carolina. Caught another mouse last night making 4 in 24 hours. Heard no more mice. Fixed up the photos and took them to the mail this afternoon.

Tuesday, Jan. 27

Rained and drizzled all day.

Did some writing of letters.

Did up photos for Mr. Hays and took to the office this afternoon. The mud is very deep.

Wednesday, Jan. 28

Quite pleasant this morning but clouded up and rained this afternoon.

I did some photo printing.

Thursday, Jan. 29

Went to the new lake today, having Mr. D. Miller go along to help carry my things. The day promised to be all desired but the fog drove in the valley so I could do nothing. The mud is the worst I ever saw it. We rode a couple of horses back to Sapphire.

Friday, Jan. 30

Ther.: 28+

Turned cooler today and been quite windy. I finished a batch of photos.

Saturday, Jan. 31

Turned warmer again. Looks stormy tonight. I went to Sapphire this forenoon. The colored enlargements had come, but are disappointing. I know Kate can do much better. Had an early dinner then walked to the new lake where I made some photo exposures. Am staying at the Commissary all night.

Sunday, February 1

Spent best part of today rambling about the new lake. There will be very fine scenery there.

Came back home toward night.

Called at Burlingames tonight. Mr. B is quite sick. Dr. Grimshawes wife died last night.

It is warm and threatens rain tonight.

Monday, Feb. 2

It has been cloudy all day. Went to the funeral of Mrs. Grimshawe at the Bohana graveyard.

Tuesday, Feb. 3

It has rained about all day.

I began to salt paper for making photo views on. Mr. Burlingame brought our mail.

I went over to Sapphire this afternoon to mail letters and get the plates I exposed at the new lake.

Wednesday, Feb. 4

Developed plates and salted paper. Split some wood and made a trip for corn to "The Bluffs."

It has turned colder tonight and the wind blows hard.

Thursday, Feb. 5

Ther.: 20+

Pretty cold this morning, but has moderated. I piled up the lath that Arthur Miller drew for me last Saturday. Kate has a very hard cold tonight.

Friday, Feb. 6

Kate and Dewey both have bad colds. I got breakfast for myself this morning and let them rest. Marked negatives and did some printing.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to get oil and do some other errands. We are having a storm of sleet tonight.

Saturday, Feb. 7

Ground was covered with sleet this morning, but it has rained all day and melted it off. Kate and Dewey seem better of their colds. I finished a batch of photos this forenoon.

Sunday, Feb. 8

Been a changeable day, pleasant at times then chilly and seeming like snow.

I called at Mr. Burlingames this afternoon.

Monday, Feb. 9

Been a fine bright day. I went to Sapphire this forenoon to get last week's mail and do some errands. Did considerable printing of photos this afternoon. Burned a brush pile and cut a little wood this evening.

Tuesday, Feb. 10

Worked up some wood today but a rain came up this afternoon and stopped my working.

Arthur Miller finished drawing the lumber I bought of him. He said Fannie Alexander died this forenoon.

Wednesday, Feb. 11

Rained all last night and this forenoon. I made a few experimental Bromide prints this forenoon. Went over to Sapphire this afternoon to mail letters. It is some cooler and quite clear tonight.

Thursday, Feb. 12

Nice day.

I did a lot of photo printing.

I am bunged up with a cold tonight.

Friday, Feb. 13

Ther.: 62+

Been a very warm day for this time of year. I finished a batch of photos this forenoon. This afternoon I began setting out fruit trees. Planted 5 Mulberry and 12 peach trees. Went to Sapphire tonight.

Saturday, Feb. 14

Planted 38 peach trees today getting them all out. I took 8 of them over to "The Bluffs" and set them. It showered some this afternoon. Went to Sapphire tonight to get the mail.

Sunday, Feb. 15

It has been cloudy the most of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson and little girl and Mrs. Heeland called on us and looked over our orchard.

It is still very warm and the peach buds are swelling.

Monday, Feb. 16

It has rained all day, sometimes very hard. Tonight the wind blows in fitful gusts and there may come a change in the weather. Kate is feeling miserable and here feet trouble her badly. I finished a large batch of prints.

Tuesday, Feb. 17

Ther.: 6+, 12+, 5+

It turned suddenly cold during last night, and has been quite fierce all today. It gives promise of being the coldest night of the winter. I fear the peach buds are surely killed now. I cut wood and kept up fires. Went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Wednesday, Feb. 18
Ther.: 12+, 18+

Moderated some today but pretty cold yet. I went over and visited old Mr. Marshall, and helped the boy saw wood this afternoon. Took a couple of Kodak views at the Twin Falls of the ice display.

Thursday, Feb. 19
Ther.: 14+

I finished a big batch of photos today. It thawed where the seen shone.

Finished, Feb. 20

Been quite moderate today.

I went to Sapphire this forenoon to get the mail.

Put the photo views in one of the new albums this afternoon and they show up well.

Caught 2 mice this evening.

Saturday, Feb. 21

I went to Dr. Grimshawe's this forenoon to get some more medicine for Kate. Fixed up the other album of views and took one over to Sapphire to show some of the folks this afternoon.

It has cleared up very nicely.

Sunday, Feb. 22

Been a fine day.

Dr. Thornton came over to take dinner with us and look about at our orchard.

I called at Burlingames to see some new Belgian Hares he has just got.

Monday, Feb. 23

A nice day.

Had Dave Miller cutting dead trees on the slope above the house.

I made a batch of plain paper prints.

Went to Sapphire tonight after supper.

Tuesday, Feb. 24

Fine day.

Printed and finished a batch of photo views.

Mrs. Cheatham and the Doctor's sister called here this afternoon.

Mr. Miller continued cutting dead trees.

Wednesday, Feb. 25

Went to Sapphire this forenoon to send the albums and views down to Brevard. This afternoon I sawed wood with D. Miller's help.

It looks stormy every evening.

Thursday, Feb. 26

Dave Miller and I marked out the ground for the fruit trees on Hiram's land this forenoon.

Been getting up wood and doing odd jobs so as to be ready for going to Brevard tomorrow.

Friday, Feb. 27

Got up at 4 o'clock and after having some breakfast walked through mud and rain over to Sapphire to take the hack for the train to Toxaway. It has rained all day. I saw Mr. Hays and had a long talk about my work for the coming year. The rivers are rising and a flood is looked for. I am stopping at Mrs. Jacobs tonight.

Saturday, Feb. 28

The storm of rain and wind was terrific during last night. The wagon bridge and new Ry. Trestle at Toxaway was washed away. I had to hurry away on the train and then as no hack came up I walked home. A number of new carpenters walked as far as the new lake with me. It was better walking than I looked for. Turning cooler tonight.

Sunday, March 1

Been a pleasant day. Daisy Burlingame stayed here last night. Kate did not think I would be home.

I just rested and read all day.

Monday, March 2

Helped Kate do the washing this forenoon. We wrote some orders for strawberry and raspberry plants and a few plum trees. Also an order for some goods to Montgomery Ward and Co. and I went over to Sapphire this afternoon.

It feels and looks like a snow tonight.

Tuesday, March 3

Clear and pleasant again today. We went over to Kate's place for corn and husks this forenoon. I did some printing this afternoon.

Fixed up a couple of grape vines near the shop.

Wednesday, March 4

Been cloudy all day and threatening rain, with mist tonight. I set out the new currant bushes today, taking a few over to The Bluffs.

Thursday, March 5

Went to Sapphire this morning to send a telegram to Dor. He wrote there seemed to be some trouble in the Probate office about their father's will. Finished a batch of photos this afternoon. We had a hard rain. Began to trim apple trees.

Friday, March 6

Trimmed apple trees this forenoon. Set cherry, plum and apple trees. It is real warm weather. I went to Sapphire tonight and the road was full of toads. It has been cloudy and threatening rain.

Saturday, March 7

Been rainy all day. I spent most of my time in experimenting on Cyko developing paper. It is so warm the currant bushes are starting fresh buds.

Sunday, March 8

It rained hard during last night and pretty much all this forenoon. I called at Mr. Burgesses this afternoon to get him to haul some flour over from Sapphire tomorrow. Ed Raines was here a little while as were Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame this afternoon.

Monday, March 9

Helped Kate do washing this morning. Mr. Burgess brought flour, oatmeal and wrapping paper.

I took a lot of views over to the Sapphire Inn this afternoon and did quite a rushing business. It has been very warm and rained some just before night.

Tuesday, March 10

Rained hard during last night.

Pruned some apple trees this forenoon and planted a dozen new ones this afternoon. Fear I have found some San Jose scale louse, and Kate fixed a dope and painted them. She washed a lot of the trees also.

Wednesday, March 11

Rained last night and this forenoon.

A party from the hotel called about noon and had me make some horseback photos.

Thursday, March 12

Planted out the remainder of the apple trees that I can put out here. Have 13 to plant on Kate's place. It did not rain today but is drizzling again tonight.

Friday, March 13

Still very cloudy but it did not rain today. I went to Sapphire this forenoon. This afternoon I had Mr. Miller to help and I set out 13 apple trees on Kate's place. I have the trees all set now.

Saturday, March 14

Cloudy and dull yet.

I did a number of odd jobs about the garden and got some corn over from "The Bluffs."

Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail. Kate had letter from Dor and things look brighter up there.

Sunday, March 15

We had a chicken dinner today.

It has remained cloudy but with an occasional peep of sunshine.

Read and rested all day.

Monday, March 16

Cloudy all day.

I helped Kate wash this morning, and then I went to Alfred Miller's to get some syrup to eat on Corn Meal mush. Went to Sapphire this afternoon to telephone to Brevard to see about a ticket for Kate to go home on.

Tuesday, March 17

Misty all the forenoon. I went to Dr. Grimshawe's this afternoon to take a photo of the baby. It was quite pleasant toward evening.

Wednesday, March 18

Went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon, going in a buggy from Sapphire. Spent the afternoon on the lake making views. It has been a fine day. Am staying at the Commissary.

Thursday, March 19

A misty, foggy day and but little photo work done. Am staying over in hopes of better weather tomorrow.

Friday, March 20

Bad weather continues. I made exposures on the views wanted and walked home this afternoon through mud and rain. I developed 16 plates tonight and think I have some pretty good negatives.

Saturday, March 21

Had Dave Miller help me get Hiram's new fruit out of the box and heel them in over on his place. He planted the grape vines and peach trees, then rain put a stop to work. Went to Sapphire tonight for the mail.

Sunday, March 22

Rained very hard last night and has kept it up most of the day and is raining tonight. Heard that a big flood was on in the Mississippi basin now.

"Varmints" are gnawing my fruit trees and eating of the peach buds.

Monday, March 23

We had a very heavy rain during all last night. It cleared up this morning and has been a beautiful day. A party of people came over from the hotel about noon. I did a lot of printing this afternoon. Went to Sapphire to mail letters. Water was so high the mail did not go today.

Tuesday, March 24

Been a pretty fair day though looking some like a storm again. I finished a batch of photos, and some of the views I got at Lake Toxaway are very fine. I went to Sapphire tonight for the mail and to deliver photos.

Wednesday, March 25

Ther.: 30+

Spent the day in making a lot of Sepia prints. It was freezing a little this morning. Has been bright all day.

Thursday, March 26

Ther.: 34+

Very pleasant day.

Fixed up photos this forenoon and took a lot over to the hotel this afternoon.

Kate has decided not to start north till next Monday.

Friday, March 27

A little frozen crust on the ground this morning. It has been a pleasant day and I printed and finished a batch of Sepias. Went to Sapphire toward evening. Kate and Dewey went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Saturday, March 28

Kate packed her trunk and I had it hauled over to Sapphire this afternoon. We did a washing this morning. It rained a little and has been very threatening. I had some freight hauled over and opened it up. Have one box yet to come. Had a letter tonight from Neeley in Cuba and I guess he will come up here.

Sunday, March 29

Rained last night and all today. Kate has the lunch ready and she and Dewey expect to start north tomorrow.

We popped some corn and had a very good time all by ourselves.

Monday, March 30

It stormed all last night.

We got up very early and Kate and Dewey were ready to go at 5 o'clock, but the hack did not come. There was quite a snow squall this forenoon.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to see when Kate can go and we decided on Wednesday.

Tuesday, March 31

Been a nice day.

Went over to Sapphire right after dinner to deliver photos. Got my check from the company and settled my grocery and freight bills. We had a call from Mrs. Stolzenbach and daughter and Mrs. McConnell this afternoon.

Wednesday, April 1

We got up early this morning and had to wait for the rig to take Kate and Dewey over to Sapphire. At last they are started on the journey for Michigan. Dave Miller worked for me and we made a bed and I planted the new strawberry plants. He finished hoeing about the trees. It has been warm and pleasant.

Thursday, April 2

Been real warm. I printed some this forenoon. Went to Sapphire this afternoon to send an order for albums and some films to be sent to Kate. She and Dewey are in Michigan now if trains ran all right. I began to water the new strawberry bed tonight but darkness stopped me.

Friday, April 3

Another nice day. Tonight it is starting in on a rain storm. Wind has been south and quite heavy. I planted some potatoes and peas this forenoon. Did some printing this afternoon. Had Dave fix up the fence all around. Suppose Kate and Dewey are visiting in the old home.

Saturday, April 4
Ther.: 28+, 42+, 30

After a thunder storm last night it turned suddenly cold and was freezing this morning. Tonight I fear damage to fruit will be done. I worked at finishing photos most all day. Went to Sapphire tonight to get the mail. Had two cards from Kate. They were late getting to Cin. So I don't know when they got home.

Sunday, April 5

I went down to Tip Top today with Mr. Ed Raines and Lucy and Jennie Burlingame. We climbed to the top of Lookout Mt. and I found some superb views for future photo work. We had dinner with Ed's folks and spent a very pleasant time. It was late when we got home and I had supper at Burlingames.

Monday, April 6

This forenoon I went to Sapphire and took a lot of horseback photos. Did not get home till 1 o'clock. Went to the P.O. tonight expecting word from Kate, but got none. It has been cloudy all day.

My corn bread was all right tonight, but I am mighty tired.

Tuesday, April 7

It has been a rainy day. I developed all exposed plates and did some writing of letters. Wanted to go for my mail tonight but it stormed too hard.

Wednesday, April 8

We had a downpour in earnest last night and this morning. It cleared up about noon and has grown some cooler. I went to Sapphire this afternoon and found a card from Kate at Dexter. It was snowing there. I got some trees, roses, and berry bushes by mail which I set out right away.

Thursday, April 9

Got up early this morning and walked to Lake Toxaway, where I made some views about the new hotel works. It has been a bright day. One hen missing tonight, but she may be on a nest somewhere.

Friday, April 10

Been at summer heat today. I did a lot of printing.

Found the missing hen and her nest with 12 eggs.

Went to Sapphire for the mail. Got a letter from Kate. She had only been home a couple of days. It looks stormy again.

Saturday, April 11

Planted some peas and a few hills of sweet corn this morning. Started printing but it got so cloudy I quit. Thought it was going to rain but it cleared up. Been real warm. Took some potatoes and eggs over to Mr. Burlingames. He got my mail tonight. I just saw the last end of the eclipse of the moon.

Sunday, April 12

Had a number of callers this forenoon from the Inn. Took dinner with the Burlingames and then went to Sapphire to preaching, Mr. Douglass of Brevard being up. I took supper at the Inn with Dr. Thornton. We had heavy showers during the afternoon, and it is raining again as I just got home tonight.

Monday, April 13

Been a rather rainy day, though pleasant part of the afternoon. I finished a large batch of photos.

Tuesday, April 14

Ther.: 38+

Thought it was going to be a fine day, but clouds and mists came and put a stop to my printing. I made corn bread and baked potatoes at noon and had a Dr. from Dayton, Ohio to share them with me. He was over here hunting. Went to Sapphire this evening. Had a letter from Kate. It has grown very cool.

Wednesday, April 15

Ther.: 34+, 36+

A genuine snow squall prevailed this morning. Been pretty cool all day. I finished up a batch of prints today. Did it in the kitchen where I could keep warm.

I am too sleepy to read any tonight.

Thursday, April 16

Ther.: 40+

Not quite so cold today. I sorted marked and fixed up a lot of views, some to send away by mail. Shelled about all the remaining corn. Shot a rabbit this evening just as I was ready to go to town. Was disappointed in not getting a letter from Kate.

Friday, April 17

Ther.: 36+

Did a lot of printing today as it has been nice and clear. Had Mr. Miller digging up more garden.

Went to Sapphire tonight and had a letter from Kate and Ma. Called at the Glazeners a little while.

Saturday, April 18

Had D. Miller help me saw wood this forenoon. Did some slicking up about the house today so it would look more presentable. Mr. Erskine came tonight to stay over and take a trip to Whitewater tomorrow. He brought me another letter from Kate.

Sunday, April 19

It threatened rain so much we gave up going on the tramp, and sat about reading and talking. As it did not storm much we went for a call on Dr. Grimshawe this afternoon. Took supper at Burlingames tonight and spent the evening.

Monday, April 20

It started in very pleasant this morning, then clouded and rained at noon then became pleasant again. I pruned the oldest fruit trees this forenoon. Went over to Kate's place and planted some Red raspberry plants this afternoon. It was a lovely view from there today. Mr. Heelan called on me a little while. Went to Sapphire and got some clover seed and a new hoe.

Tuesday, April 21

Been a bright and beautiful day. I helped Mr. Dave Miller unload and set up his new organ this forenoon. Printed on film photos during the middle of the day. I took supper with the Millers and tried my hand at playing on their organ.

Wednesday, April 22

Ther.: 38+

Been a pleasant but windy day. I printed and finished a batch of plain paper prints. Went to Sapphire tonight and took supper with the Heelans at the Inn. It has grown alarmingly cold tonight.

Thursday, April 23

Ther.: 33+, 36+

Cool and cloudy most of the day.

I took a lot of views over to the Sapphire Inn this afternoon, but did not make any sales. It made me a little blue as I want some money to send to Kate.

Friday, April 24

Ther.: 30+

Things were pretty well frozen up this morning. I fear much of what remaining fruit buds there was is now killed. I made another batch of plain paper prints. Went to Sapphire tonight and got good letters from both Kate and ma.

Saturday, April 25

I did a little grafting this morning, putting in some Porter scions that Fred Waters sent. Finished a batch of photos. Lucy and Daisy Burlingame brought me a pie, bread and doughnuts. It rained some today and is much warmer.

Sunday, April 26

Been windy and some chilly. I was down at Mr. Smith's on the old Henry Miller place today and had dinner with them. Mr. Burlingame called and I went home with him to supper.

Monday, April 27

Did a little printing this morning then went at sorting, marking and doing up photos. Late this afternoon I went at sowing clover seed through the orchard. Tonight I went over to the hotel and disposed of some photos and raised some money. I want to send for Kate and Dewey soon.

Tuesday, April 28

Warm and pleasant. I went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon to deliver photos and collect some money. Ate diner at Mr. McGuire's and fixed up an agency for my views with his boy Willie. I rode down in a wagon from Sapphire, but walked back.

Wednesday, April 29

Ther.: 80+

Been a very warm day. I finished some of Kate's Kodak photos and wrote her a letter. Got Mrs. Burlingame to trim my hair this afternoon. Went to Sapphire and Kate some money to use in coming home.

Thursday, April 30

Been warm today. I planted some beans, beets, radish, lettuce, and sweet corn this morning. Printed a lot of film photos. Went to Sapphire and sold some views to people at the hotel.

Friday, May 1

Real cool this morning.

I spent most of the day I printing from films.

Went to Sapphire tonight. Had a letter from Kate. She is suffering with boils.'

Clear and cool tonight.

Saturday, May 2

I did some gardening today and finished a lot of photo prints also. Had a letter from Kate tonight and she is better of the painful boils that have troubled here. I think she will soon be coming back and Nellie with them. I called at Burlingames tonight.

Sunday, May 3

It drizzled rain a little most of the forenoon and there was quite a thunder shower this afternoon. I went to Burlingames and took supper this evening.

Monday, May 4

Been a nice day. I sowed some flower seed for Kate this morning. Finished a large batch of prints. Did some developing tonight. Caught one mouse and think there is another in the house.

Tuesday, May 5

Did a large finishing again today.

Went to Sapphire tonight but got no letter from Kate so I don't know whether they are coming this week or not.

Wednesday, May 6

Did a lot of fixing up photos and negatives to send away. Sowed some more clover seed. Cleaned the spring and did several odd jobs. Went to Sapphire tonight but got no letter.

It seems to be clouding up.

Thursday, May 7

Planted some in garden and did a lot of photo printing.

Went to Sapphire tonight but got no mail.

Called at Burlingames as I came home.

Friday, May 8

Finished photos today. Went to Post Office tonight and found letter from Kate. She intends to start back next Tuesday. I fear she has not felt well enough to enjoy much of her visit home. It looks stormy tonight.

Saturday, May 9

This is Dewey's birthday and I wonder how he is spending it.

I finished up another lot of photos.

Went to Sapphire again tonight.

Sunday, May 10

Quite cool today. I went over to Dr. Grimshawe's this morning. Am packing up to go to Lake Toxaway this evening to spend a couple of days view making.

Went to hear Mr. Douglas preach this afternoon.

Monday, May 11

It has been so dull and cloudy I could do no work to speak of today. Was out in a small row boat and got caught in a shower.

Tuesday, May 12

Not a good day but I managed to expose some plates this afternoon. Was in the new hotel with Mr. Jacobs today. It is going to be a fine house.

Wednesday, May 13

Still cloudy and misty. I went down by the Toxaway Falls with a young man this morning. Hiram came to the Commissary this noon, and after dinner we were rowed across the lake and came to Sapphire over Mt. Toxaway. The view looking over the new lake is very fine. I suppose Kate, Dewey and Nellie are in Brevard tonight.

Thursday, May 14

Hiram helped me set out some tomato plants this morning. We went to Sapphire after dinner and I wheeled a barrow with some of the tent thing. I expected the folks for sure but they did not get to Brevard last night for some reason.

It is showering some tonight.

Friday, May 15

Had a card from Kate and a letter from ma saying Dewey was ill with earache and they could not come this week. I went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon, then took my 8 x 10 camera and climbed up Mt. Toxaway to get some views. Had dinner at the Lodge, Mrs. Crisp being there now. Had another letter from Kate tonight saying they thought Dewey better.

Saturday, May 16

Did a lot of developing today and this afternoon was so fine I took my camera and went to the Sapphire Lake and made some views. Hiram was at his tent all day.

Had a letter from Kate and she reports Dewey some better.

Sunday, May 17

Had Hiram cut my hair this morning. I was at Burlingames at dinner, and Hiram and I were there for supper and spent the evening.

It has become warm and dry.

Monday, May 18

I did some hoeing in the garden and among the small fruits. Did not hear from Dewey today and hope they will be home this week.

Hiram and I took a walk over Rainy Knob this forenoon.

Tuesday, May 19

Warm and dry. I planted some sweet corn and some beans this morning. Printed a lot of view photos this afternoon then went to Sapphire. Had three letters from the folks. Dewey is better, but they don't know when they will come home.

Wednesday, May 20

Hoed some in the garden this morning.

Finished a batch of photos this afternoon.

We had a good shower this afternoon, which garden things need very much. Hiram did not bring me any letter tonight.

Thursday, May 21

Took photos to the office this morning and then went to Lake Fairfield to make some views. It was pretty warm walking today. Soon after I got home there came a very heavy shower. I did not hear from the folks. Hiram took down his tent. I have a bad cold.

Friday, May 22

Hiram went away this morning to begin business at Lake Toxaway. It leaves me all alone again. Printed a lot of photos. Went to Sapphire after the mail. A letter from Kate says Dewey improves but slowly. She hopes to come home next week.

Saturday, May 23

Ther.: 83+

I finished a batch of photos this forenoon, and took some over to the office this afternoon where I learned the folks were on the road up from the station. They came in a short time and we all rood over home in the hack. Dewey looks pretty puny. I am glad they are home again.

Very warm weather.

Sunday, May 24

Ther.: 87+

We did little but rest today. It has been a very warm day.

Mrs. Burlingame called to see the folks.

Monday, May 25

I did some printing today.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon and found that Kate's trunk had come.

Tuesday, May 26

Did some hoeing this morning and after breakfast I went over to Kate's place and did some hoeing. Mr. Alexander brought Kate's trunk.

I finished a batch of photos.

We had a call from a Mr. Davis and his daughter.

Wednesday, May 27

Hiram came back from the lake today.

I went to Sapphire and brought home a kitten this evening.

Thursday, May 28

Finished photos this forenoon. Went to Sapphire and on up the big mountain this afternoon. I got caught up there in a rain storm and am having to stay all night with the Crisps at Mountain Lodge.

Friday, May 29

Came back home this forenoon. Began fixing up the large albums this afternoon. Nellie is quite sick.

We had strawberries for supper.

Saturday, May 30

It rained all last night.

I did a little garden work.

Finished up the albums and took them over to the office this evening. Nellie is better today.

Sunday, May 31

Stormed hard last night and rained a good share of today. Hiram and I took a walk over his place and on to Kate's

Monday, June 1

Heavy rain last night. I fixed some grape trellis and split some wood this afternoon, but the rain put a stop to my work. Read and rested all this afternoon.

Tuesday, June 2

Misty all today but not heavy rain. Hiram and I went to Sapphire this forenoon.

Had a telephone message from Mr. Hays asking me to come to Brevard tomorrow.

Wednesday, June 3

Hiram and I left home this morning. He went as far as Lake Toxaway and I went on to Brevard where I have done some photo work for Mr. Hays. It has not rained today and been fairly pleasant. I am stopping at The Franklin.

Thursday, June 4

Foggy this morning so I could do but little view work. Came to Toxaway on the train and expected to come further on the special but got left and had to foot it up to Lake Toxaway where I am storm stayed for the night as it rains very hard. I took supper with the Jacobs.

Friday, June 5

It has rained all day. I came home today and found the folks all right.

It rains tonight.

Saturday, June 6

There has been some pleasant weather today. Did a little printing and then hunted bugs on the grape vines. Went to Sapphire for the mail tonight. The dam to the lake at Sapphire broke yesterday evening and the water all ran out.

Sunday, June 7

Been a pleasant day. Read and rested all the forenoon.

Called at Burlingames this afternoon as Nellie wanted to go to Sunday School with the girls. Miss Bradley and a lady came from Grimshawe to order some photos.

Monday, June 8

Been a fair day and I made and finished a lot of photos.

Hiram came back tonight.

Dewey has had a time with the earache and seems real sick tonight.

Had Mr. Dave Miller at work in the orchard.

Tuesday, June 9

Dewey has been better today. I worked in the garden all the forenoon.

Fixed up a lot of photos and took them over to the office this afternoon.

It thunders and seems very stormy tonight.

Wednesday, June 10

It was fair this morning, but rained at noon and drizzled considerable this afternoon. Daisy Burlingame made us a visit today. Did some developing and got up some wood. We had a call from some Florida people toward evening.

Thursday, June 11

Went to make views for the Company, going to Lake Toxaway for dinner then on to the railroad at Flat Creek where I got out of the carriage and went on foot taking views by the way, to Toxaway. There is a grand cliff at Suebee Mountain.

I am staying tonight at Mr. Marshall's.

Friday, June 12

Left Toxaway this morning and walked up the track taking views. Had a short ride on the locomotive of the work train. Got to the Commissary at 1 o'clock. Took two views on the lake and walked over Hawk Mt. this afternoon.

Called at Mr. Jacobs this evening. It has grown very cool.

Saturday, June 13

It was cold last night and Mrs. Crisp said there was ice in a bucket at Mountain Lodge. I did view work at Toxaway falls this forenoon and came home over the big mountain this afternoon. I am pretty tired tonight. Found the folks all well. Had strawberry shortcake for Supper.

Sunday, June 14

Hiram and I took an exploring tramp down the gorge of the Thompson river and we saw some beautiful falls. Kate and Nellie went to Sunday school this afternoon.

Monday, June 15

Been a fine day.

Helped Kate do her washing this forenoon.

I went to Fairfield this afternoon to take some photos to the Inn. Did developing tonight.

Tuesday, June 16

I went to the Bohana school house to give in my property to the List takers this forenoon. This afternoon I did some printing on the negatives I made on the railroad.

Wednesday, June 17

Printed some this forenoon and this afternoon I finished a large batch of photos.

There was thunder storms about but it only sprinkled here.

Thursday, June 18

Took photos to Sapphire this morning to be sent to the company at Brevard.

Did a lot of boring this afternoon.

Seems to have the grip on a bad cold.

Friday, June 19

Felt miserable all day. Wrote some letters and went to Sapphire with Hiram this afternoon.

We are having very pleasant weather.

Am doctoring heroically tonight to try and break up my bad spell.

Saturday, June 20

It rained this morning which was good for the garden. Hiram left for the lake this morning and from there goes to Brevard.

I have been sick all day, but think I am better tonight.

Sunday, June 21

Real nice day.

Dewey is sick with earache again. He seems better tonight.

I have lain about half sick all day.

Monday, June 22

It drizzled some this morning and showered a couple of times this afternoon. Kate went to Dr. Grimshaws to see about medicine for me.

Tuesday, June 23

In spite of ill-feeling I finished a batch of views for the company.

Kate and Nellie took them to the office and made some calls.

It is becoming dry again.

Wednesday, June 24

Have kept my couch most of today to try and recuperate.

Kate made a visit to her place this forenoon.

We still have strawberries today completing the 4th week of them.

I wrote out my will today.

Thursday, June 25

I still am on the sick list.

The folks picked a lot of raspberries this afternoon.

Mr. Burlingame brought our mail tonight.

Friday, June 26

We had a nice and much needed rain this forenoon.

I visited Kate's place but the trip made me very weak.

Saturday, June 27

It has been cloudy most all day.

I did nothing as usual.

Sunday, June 28

Stayed at home very close all day.

Mr. Burlingame called this forenoon.

We had a good shower this afternoon.

Monday, June 29

It has been a fine day.

Helped Kate do the washing by turning the washer a little.

I feel better but far from strong.

Tuesday, June 30

I walked over to Dr. Grimshawe's this forenoon to get some medicine and have him see me. It was a hard trip for me.

Wednesday, July 1

I have not felt as well today.

We had a shower.

Thursday, July 2

Feeling a little better today.

We had a heavy shower at noon.

Kate finished some photos today.

Friday, July 3

Been feeling a good bit better today. Kate and Nellie went to Sapphire this forenoon to get the mail and some supplies. We had one short shower this afternoon.

Saturday, July 4

Not much celebrating today.

I am gaining right along now I think.

Saturday, July 5

Dewey and I called at Burlingames this forenoon.

Did a little writing and some reading. We have had some showers this afternoon.

Monday, July 6

Helped Kate wash this forenoon and did a little mowing of weeds.

This afternoon Mr. Neely arrived from Florida. I had given up his coming.

Still feeling better.

Tuesday, July 7

Have not felt so well today and suppose I over did yesterday. Took Mr. Neely to see Kate's place and Rainy Knob.

Kate, Nellie, and Dewey took dinner and spent the afternoon at Burlingames.

Wednesday, July 8

Been sick all day and doing nothing.

Thursday, July 9

Kate, Nellie and Dewey went to Sapphire to spend the day. We had a heavy shower just after noon.

Mr. Neely went to Sapphire and came home with the folks this evening.

Friday, July 10

I felt better today and walked over to Sapphire and back this forenoon. This afternoon I have done several odd jobs and did some developing of films.

It rained about but not here.

Saturday, July 11

Mr. Neely and I fixed up some grape vines and put sack on some of bunches of young grapes.

This afternoon Mr. Neely and I went to the Twin Falls.

Sunday, July 12

Several showers during today.

Mr. Neely and I called at Burlingames this forenoon.

Monday, July 13

It was a rainy forenoon, but Kate washed and it cleared up this afternoon.

I went up in the orchard and got a few peaches of the Alexander kind, the only ones to bear any this year.

Tuesday, July 14

Ther.: 50+

It has been a fine day.

I did a lot of photo printing today, the first in a long time.

Mr. Neely worked in the orchard today.

Cool weather.

Wednesday, July 15

Printed again this morning and this afternoon I finished a large batch of prints.

Mr. Neeley continued work among the orchard trees.

It has been a fine day.

We have cool nights now.

Thursday, July 16

Fine day with a light shower this evening. Nellie and I went to Sapphire this forenoon to carry mail and get groceries.

Prepared to build a new work table in the Shop this afternoon.

Friday, July 17

I made a work bench in the shop this forenoon.

It has been quite cloudy all day so I could not print. Mr. Neely and I went over to "The Bluffs" and picked some huckleberries. We planted some sweet corn tonight to try if it will do any good.

Saturday, July 18

Finished a large batch of photos today. Mr. Neely and I made some new back steps to the shop this morning.

It has been a fine day.

Sunday, July 19

Mr. Neely and I called at Dave Miller's this morning and looked at his orchard.

Read and rested most of the day.

We had a shower this afternoon.

Monday, July 20

Been a clear beautiful day.

Mr. Neely went to work for Mr. Burlingame today. Dr. Thornton and a party from Fairfield called this forenoon. They took a lot of my views up to the agent there for me. I went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Tuesday, July 21

Very pleasant day.

I did a large job of printing.

Did some garden work this evening before we had supper.

Mr. Neely worked at Burlingames.

Wednesday, July 22

Did some Blue Print work this morning.

Went to Fairfield this afternoon and straightened out my photo business there.

Thursday, July 23

Printed this forenoon and finished this afternoon.

Mr. Neeley began working out the young peach orchard. He killed a rattlesnake over there. It has been a fine day.

Friday, July 24

Been a fine day and I got off a lot of photos.

Mr. Neely finished work in the peach orchard.

Saturday, July 25

Went to Sapphire early this morning. It has been a warm day.

Finished a batch of photos.

Mr. Neely and I went for huckleberries after supper.

Sunday, July 26

Been a very nice day. Mr. Neely and I took a trip up Bear Pen Mountain this forenoon. We took in the scenery and got a few huckleberries.

Monday, July 27

Helped a little at the washing this morning then put in the rest of the day at photo work.

Went over to Sapphire tonight to take some views for the company.

Tuesday, July 28

I went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon to make new views. The Railroad in there now and train service will begin Saturday.

The weather is very warm.

Made several views about the Lake this afternoon.

Wednesday, July 29

Did not sleep much last night on account of fleas at the Commissary. Went down the track to the high trestle this forenoon. There was a very heavy storm of rain and wind shortly after noon.

I walked home this evening.

Thursday, July 30

Went to Sapphire this morning, but my coat and exposed plates had not been sent up. Developed what plates I had. We had a hard shower this afternoon.

Friday, July 31

Been a fine day. I did a lot of printing.

Mr. Neely began cutting out brush behind the fence around the orchard. Nellie's organ was brought tonight and it is in bad shape. Kate and I went to her place and picked huckleberries.

Saturday, August 1

Nellie has been sick all day.

Finished up 102 prints.

We had a good shower and it is raining some tonight.

Sunday, Aug. 2

Been quite a rainy day. This afternoon I went at the organ and managed to get it fixed so it works fairly well.

Nellie is better today.

Monday, Aug. 3

More showers today.

Been working at my printing and film developing.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to get my mail. Had a letter from ma. Uncle John Twamley is visiting there now.

Tuesday, Aug. 4

Finished photos this forenoon.

We had more rain this afternoon.

Mr. Neely helped me carry my things over to the office tonight as I want to go to Lake Toxaway tomorrow.

Wednesday, Aug. 5

Went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon and have been making some views today. This was opening day at the new Inn, but it is far from finished yet.

I went home with Ernest Rains tonight.

Thursday, Aug. 6

Went out on the lake this forenoon and made a few views. Came home this afternoon and found the folks all right.

Friday, Aug. 7

Been working in the shop all day. Went to Sapphire toward evening to get the mail.

Fine day and no rain.

Saturday, Aug. 8

Printed and finished photos today.

Nice day.

Mr. Neely has worked at trimming out trees in the orchard.

Sunday, Aug. 9

Took Mr. Neely around the boundary of Kate's place.

Kate, Dewey and Nellie went to Sapphire to Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Aug. 10

Helped a little at the washing and fixed up photos to go to various places.

Started for Fairfield just after dinner, Mr. Neely going along. We just got to Sapphire as a big rain came on. I went on after the rain. Mr. Neely coming home.

Tuesday, Aug. 11

I walked up on Mt. Toxaway this morning to take photos to Mrs. Crisp. She had sold about out. Picked some huckleberries and brought home. They are fine up there. It has not rained today.

Wednesday, Aug. 12

Did some printing this forenoon. A Mr. Prawner and daughter called here a while.

Mr. Neely and I looked out a trail to Kate's place and he began work on it. I went to Sapphire this evening. Our freight from Chicago is there.

Thursday, Aug. 13

Did printing this morning and then put in rest of day finishing.

Our goods from Chicago were brought over from Sapphire this evening.

Friday, Aug. 14

Kate and Dewey rode D. Miller's horse down to call on Mrs. Alfred Miller this forenoon.

We had a heavy shower this afternoon.

Carried a lot of photos over to Sapphire this evening.

Saturday, Aug. 15

Did some printing today but clouds and showers cut the work short.

I began making a bedstead for Dewey today.

Sunday, Aug. 16

Kate and Nellie went to Sapphire to church this forenoon. Dewey and I stayed at home. Mr. Neely is moving his things over to his place.

It did not rain today but threatened.

Monday, Aug. 17

I managed to do considerable printing today.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to mail letters.

Tonight it is gently raining.

Put up Dewey's new bed today.

Tuesday, Aug. 18

Did a large finishing of photos today.

Dewey and Nellie went to Burlingames for dinner to celebrate the twins birthday.

Nellie began taking music lessons at Sapphire.

We had showers.

Wednesday, Aug. 19

More showers today.

I went to Sapphire this forenoon. Finished photos this afternoon.

Thursday, Aug. 20

There was no rain today though it looked like it some. Nellie went to Dr. Cheatham's to spend tonight and tomorrow.

I took a trip to Fairfield this afternoon.

Mr. Neely has gone to live in his new home.

Friday, Aug. 21

I was over in the peach orchard this forenoon, and am much pleased with the growth of the young trees. Spent the afternoon in looking over trees for borers and lice.

No rain today.

Saturday, Aug. 22

Went to Sapphire this forenoon to do errands and see about getting some supplies over by Mrs. Henckle's team this afternoon. Finished looking over the apple trees this afternoon.

Pleasant day again.

Sunday, Aug. 23

Been a very nice day.

Mr. Neely came over for dinner.

Kate, Dewey and I called at Burlingames this afternoon.

Monday, Aug. 24

Had both Neely and Dave at work for me today. I printed a lot of photos and got ready to finish them. Went to Sapphire this afternoon. Fixed up the new grindstone.

Dewey has a very bad cold.

It has been very warm today.

Tuesday, Aug. 25

Finished a lot of photos today.

Hot day again.

Wednesday, Aug. 26

Went to Fairfield this forenoon and up on Mt. Toxaway this afternoon to take photos to my agents. It was a hot walk up the mountain. I got some berries to bring home.

Thursday, Aug. 27

I got up early this morning and had the folks up so they could go on Rainy Knob to see the sun rise. I went to Lake Toxaway to make views for the company. Have to stay all night and walk tomorrow.

Friday, Aug. 28

Made some views of the Toxaway Inn this morning, then Ernest Raines and I went to Panther tail mountain, where I hope I got some fine views. We had a great tramp over rough places. We were pretty tired when we got back. I had dinner at the Inn tonight and then a buggy brought me to Sapphire and I got home about midnight.

Saturday, Aug. 29

Did developing, went over to Sapphire and took a good nap and so the day passed.

We had a little shower this afternoon to freshen up growing things.

Mr. Reid came and fixed up the deed of land Kate has made of her place to Mr. Neely.

Sunday, Aug. 30

Helped Mr. Neely take his stove over to his cabin this morning.

It has been a nice day and has turned cooler.

Monday, Aug. 31

Dewey got up with an earache this morning but some better tonight. Worked in the shop most all day. Went to Sapphire toward evening to mail letters.

Tuesday, September 1

Been cool and very much like fall today.

Kate and Dewey took a horseback ride to Sapphire this forenoon.

Dr. Thornton and a young lady from Fairfield called here about noon.

I did more printing.

Wednesday, Sept. 2

Finished photos today.

Mr. Neely killed a big rattle snake up in the orchard where he was mowing.

Thursday, Sept. 3

Was over at Sapphire this forenoon to take photos and mail.

Did some printing this afternoon and had Mr. Neely help me saw some fine for kindling.

Picked some grapes in the vineyard for Kate to make jelly from.

Friday, Sept. 4

Worked at the photos all day.

There was a little shower this afternoon.

Saturday, Sept. 5

Went over to Sapphire this forenoon. Made some copies of photos and a drawing of Toxaway Inn today noon. Mrs. Henckle brought us some potatoes and a very luscious musk melon. This afternoon I left here at 3 o'clock and walked to Lake Toxaway to try a moonlight view of the hotel. Mr. Erskine rowed me across the lake at 10 o'clock and I came home.

Sunday, Sept. 6

Been a very fine day. Miss Jenkins the stenographer came and spent the afternoon with us, taking dinner also. We all went over Rainy Knob and called on Mr. Neely in his new home.

Monday, Sept. 7

Did some photo printing.

Kate and Dewey rode Mr. Miller's horse over to Sapphire this afternoon.

I called on Mr. Neely tonight. He has his bachelor quarters very well fixed up.

Tuesday, Sept. 8

It has been cloudy considerable of the day.

Finished a batch of photos.

Went to Sapphire tonight to mail letters and get our mail.

Wednesday, Sept. 9

It has been a warm day.

Mrs. Stolzenbach and Miss McAboy called here today. Mrs. Stolzenbach bought some photos. I did a lot of printing to finish tomorrow. Mr. Philips and Gordon Tanner were here a little while this afternoon.

Thursday, Sept. 10

Finished a batch of photos this forenoon. We had a small shower at noon. I went to Fairfield this afternoon and settled with my agent there. It has not been a good season for me there. Have not had a letter from ma in so long I am worried.

Friday, Sept. 11

Fixed up photos and took over to Sapphire this forenoon. We had quite a shower this afternoon. I picked some grapes and Kate made jam this evening. I tried a couple of interior photos with the wide angle lenses I have on trial and they came out well.

Saturday, Sept. 12

Picked more grapes for Kate this morning and then got ready to travel. Went to Lake Toxaway where I left my camera, then took the train for Brevard. Found Hiram and the girls at his tent. He is not well. Put Kate's \$200 in the Bank for her. Did about all my errands this evening.

Sunday, Sept. 13

Hiram and I took a nice walk this forenoon. It seems pretty warm to me down here.

It has been a beautiful day.

Hiram feels quite sick tonight.

Monday, Sept. 14

Hiram was sick all last night. I did up my errands this morning, then took the train for Lake Toxaway. Spent the afternoon in making interior and porch views at the Inn. It has set in to rain tonight and I have to stay over. Wish I could get home.

Tuesday, Sept. 15

Been a stormy day. I came home this afternoon. Found the folks all right.

Wednesday, Sept. 16

Kept up storming pretty well all today. I developed plates that I exposed at the Toxaway Inn.

Thursday, Sept. 17

Been pleasant today and has grown real cool tonight. I went to Sapphire this forenoon. Kate took a horseback ride this afternoon. I did some printing and some odd jobs.

Friday, Sept. 18
Ther.: 38+

This was my 42nd birthday. Ma sent me \$5 and Kate gave me a pair of nail sizzors. It was cold last night and there was some frost this morning. I finished a batch of photos today. Mr. White of Highlands came in tonight.

It has turned warmer.

Saturday, Sept. 19

Cool this morning but no frost up here though plenty down at Sapphire. Went over to Sapphire this forenoon to take photos to send away. Kate took Dave's horse and went with Mrs. Burlingame to Lake Toxaway to visit Mrs. Jacobs and see the new Inn. They had a nice day. Sawed up a little wood this afternoon.

Sunday, Sept. 20

Been a fine day. Mrs. Burlingame and Kitty took dinner with us.

Kate and Nellie went to Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Sept. 21

Been a fine day.

We had dinner early and I went up on Mt. Toxaway. Mrs. Crisp had sold a lot of my photos. Got back home about dark.

Tuesday, Sept. 22

I went to Lake Toxaway this forenoon and made photo exposures there this afternoon.

Am staying at the Inn.

There has been a good many of my views sold here.

Wednesday, Sept. 23

Began work before breakfast this morning and was busy up to the time the hack left for Sapphire this afternoon.

Got home tonight in time for supper. It has been a fine day.

Thursday, Sept. 24

Went to Sapphire this morning.

Called on Mr. Neely about noon.

Did developing this afternoon and tonight.

Mrs. Jacobs came tonight.

Friday, Sept. 25

Had Mr. Neely help me saw up some wood this forenoon. Kate and Mrs. Jacobs visited Mrs. Burlingame today. Fixed up a lot of negatives for printing from. Did a lot of developing tonight. Mrs. B. and one of the twins came over to spend the night.

Saturday, Sept. 26

Was some cloudy today, but plenty of sun so I got a lot of printing done.

Mrs. Jacobs left for home this morning.

Sunday, Sept. 27

Been a quiet nice day, threatening to rain along towards night.

Kate rode over to Sunday School this afternoon.

Monday, Sept. 28

Kate and I did the washing this forenoon and then I went at the finishing of photos.

Tonight we expected the Glovers and I went out on the road to meet them but they did not come and I went all the way to Sapphire where there was letter saying they would be here tomorrow.

Tuesday, Sept. 29

Cool weather.

Spent the day in choring about and fixing up photos.

Hiram and the girls came this afternoon. I went to Sapphire with photos to mail and leave at the Inn.

Wednesday, Sept. 30

I went to Lake Toxaway again today but got home tonight. I rode both ways in the baggage wagon.

Made several new views on the lake.

Thursday, October 1

Hiram and I went up on Rainy Knob to see the sun rise this morning. We printed some this forenoon and he finished the batch this afternoon. I went to Sapphire to mail letters and do errands.

It is quite warm tonight.

Friday, Oct. 2

We all went to the Horse Pasture falls for a picnic, and had a nice day.

Hiram and I also went to the summit of Round Top Mt.

Saturday, Oct. 3

Hiram and I took a walk over Dobson Mountain through Panther town Laurel, up onto Polack Rock, where we ate lunch then through Greenland forest up onto Mt. Toxaway, where we met the folks who had picniced up there, and so on back home. We were all pretty tired tonight. Had Dave Miller and Neely saw wood for me today.

Sunday, Oct. 4

Been somewhat cloudy all today.

We wandered around over our farms and rested all day.

I had a call from a Mr. Rhodes of Mass., who acted a assistant clerk at Fairfield Inn.

Monday, Oct. 5

Hiram left early this morning for Brevard.

It has been a pleasant day.

I printed some and this afternoon I went to Sapphire and Lake Fairfield to make Panoramic views with a Kodak. Bought some apples of Dave Miller tonight.

Tuesday, Oct. 6

Been more or less cloudy all day and a few showers of light rain.

Kate, Dewey and the Glover girls took a surry ride up around Lake Fairfield this afternoon.

Wednesday, Oct. 7

Rained hard last night and this forenoon. Grew quite pleasant this afternoon, but looks stormy again tonight.

Thursday, Oct. 8

It rained hard again last night, but cleared up this morning and the wind blew very hard. It has grown cool. I finished a lot of photos today. The folks have been gathering chestnuts that the wind has brought down.

Friday, Oct. 9

Cool, bright and pleasant all day.

The folks went to the Whitewater Falls.

I did work in the shop most of the day. Was over at Sapphire this afternoon.

Saturday, Oct. 10

I got up very early this morning and went over to Sapphire, but the surry was not ready and so I walked down to Lake Toxaway. Made some interior views and exposed some Panoramic films. It has been a cool ad windy day. I am to have a pass to the Photographers convention at Greensboro the 20th.

Sunday, Oct. 11

Been a very fine day. We stayed around home all day.

Monday, Oct. 12

Kate, Dewey, Nellie and the Glover girls went to Lake Toxaway today to visit Mrs. Jacobs and see the sights. The Glovers go on to Brevard tomorrow. The folks came back tonight and I met them at Sapphire and we rode home together. I went to Arthur Miller's this afternoon and bargained for some potatoes.

Tuesday, Oct. 13

Been a very pleasant day. I did considerable printing. Fixed pipe so I can have a fire in the shop stove. Had Mr. Neely splitting stove wood this forenoon.

Wednesday, Oct. 14

Printed and finished a batch of plain paper today.

Been getting up wood for the folks to use while I am gone next week.

Called to see Mr. Dave Miller tonight as he is pretty sick.

Thursday, Oct. 15

Finished a large batch of photos.

Maude and Roy Jacobs came today.

Mr. Henry Miller brought us some sweet potatoes.

It was cloudy this morning but cleared up finely.

Friday, Oct. 16

I went over to Dr. Grimshawe's this morning but he was away. Did up a lot of photos to mail and took them to the office this afternoon. Been wheeling up some more wood for stove and fireplace.

It is cloudy and looks rainy tonight.

Saturday, Oct. 17

It rained hard last night and a considerable of today. Tonight it is clear and growing cool.

I got up a lot of wood to last the folks while I am gone.

Went to Sapphire tonight to take part of my things and get the mail. I received a pass to Greensboro and return.

Sunday, Oct. 18

Ther.: 33+

There was frost good and hard this morning. It has been a fine day.

I called on Mr. Neely this morning. He was cooking squirrel and baking apples.

Monday, Oct. 19

Got out early this morning said goodbye to the folks and started for Greensboro, N.C. to attend the Photographers meeting. Had a nice day but was disappointed at having so much of my journey in the night. Am putting up at the Benbow House.

Tuesday, Oct. 20

This has been a full day of work at the convention and I have enjoyed it and think I have gotten some information. There are some good men here and some fine work, too. I walked around a little but not much. Am pretty tired tonight.

Wednesday, Oct. 21

Attended a splendid demonstration of Platino Paper finishing this forenoon. This afternoon I went out to Pomona and visited the Nursery and had a good time. Tonight there was a lecture by F. Dundass Todd, of Chicago. It is quite warm.

Thursday, Oct. 22

Meetings continued today. I did not get any prizes but I do not care for I am not at all ashamed of my work. I attended a minstrel shower tonight and enjoyed it very much.

Friday, Oct. 23

I got out at 5 o'clock this morning to catch an early train but it was late about going. I had a chance to see cotton fields and mills from the train. Got off at Tryon to spend tonight as I could not get to Brevard any way.

Saturday, Oct. 24

Got up this morning and walked out in the Pacolet valley where I had breakfast with the Connors. Took the train about noon and went to Hendersonville. It was cold and windy there. Came on to Brevard tonight and am stopping with the Glovers. The girls are both most sick.

Sunday, Oct. 25

There was a slight freeze last night.

It has been a very pleasant day.

Hiram and I took a ramble out in the woods this forenoon.

Monday, Oct. 26

Mina and Leora Glover left on the train today for Florida.

I did a number of errands and took some walks about. Tried a little skylight work here in Hiram's shop.

It does not seem as cold tonight.

Tuesday, Oct. 27

Cold again this morning. I came up on the train to Lake Toxaway and had a buggy ride to Sapphire and got over home by 1 o'clock. Found the folks all right. Am glad to get home after so long a stay.

Wednesday, Oct. 28

It has been a fine day.

I have been doing odd jobs about and fixed up a cart for Dewey this afternoon.

Thursday, Oct. 29

Printed and finished a batch of Plain Paper photos today. It has clouded up this afternoon.

Arthur Miller called and I paid him for potatoes he sent up while I was away.

Friday, Oct. 30

Been cloudy and some sprinkling all day.

I did some developing of films and the plates of myself that Hiram exposed last Monday. Mr. Neely came and we sawed just a little wood this afternoon.

Saturday, Oct. 31

It rained last night and showers during today. I went to Sapphire this forenoon to do some errands. This afternoon I went down to Dave Miller's and helped them fix their organ.

It has cleared off tonight.

Sunday, November 1

Showered again this morning. I did a lot of letter writing today.

Had some callers this afternoon.

Monday, Nov. 2

Rained again during last night and continued to shower most all of today.

I made some portraits of myself on "Art Cyko" this forenoon.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon to send off mail. Our mail comes up to Lake Toxaway on the train now and gets here at noon.

Tuesday, Nov. 3

I went to Lake Toxaway this morning to make a Panoramic view for the company. The lake was very beautiful for a while when the reflections showed. I made a dozen exposures for Mr. Foulk with his camera. It got cloudy and looks so stormy that I came home tonight.

Wednesday, Nov. 4

It began raining last night and has been at it most of today. It has cleared off tonight. I spent most of the day in developing plates and working in the shop.

Thursday, Nov. 5

Been quite a nice day. I got up some wood and did other odd jobs.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon.

Friday, Nov. 6

Ther.: 32+

I walked to Lake Toxaway this morning getting there just as the hack from Sapphire did. Found that Mr. Foulk had gone hunting for the day so I walked back getting home at 12:30 noon. Did some printing this afternoon and some wood chopping. It has grown cold tonight.

Saturday, Nov. 7

Ther.: 23+, 33+

Pretty cold this morning.

Put in a new axe handle and chopped some wood this forenoon. Went to Sapphire this afternoon to get the mail. Been reading tonight from a book of The New Ralstonism.

Sunday, Nov. 8

Been a fine day.

I looked over the peach trees and they seem full of buds for next years fruit.

Kate had Dave's horse this afternoon and she, Dewey and Nellie went to Sunday School at Sapphire.

Monday, Nov. 9

It has seemed like rain today at times, but has been quite pleasant. Dave and Neely have been burning brush for me today. I finished a batch of prints today. It is clear tonight.

Tuesday, Nov. 10

Walked down to Lake Toxaway early this morning to make some views for Mr. Foulk. He and Mrs. Foulk left the place this afternoon to go to their home in Pa. I walked back this afternoon.

Dave and Neely finished burning the brush on the clearing.

Wednesday, Nov. 11

It has been rather cloudy all day and sprinkles some tonight. I hunted for borers in apple trees this forenoon.

Went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Thursday, Nov. 12

Pruned grape vines this forenoon. The folks got Dave's horse and I tried Kodak snaps of Kate and Dewey on him, and also of Nellie.

Mixed chemicals and developed plates of films tonight.

Friday, Nov. 13

Did considerable printing today. The light is weak for the work now. It looked like Indian summer today. A letter from ma says it very dry weather in Michigan.

Saturday, Nov. 14

Sawed wood this forenoon having Mr. Neely help me. Dave Miller began plowing in my new clearing today. I did some printing this afternoon and then went to Sapphire for the mail. Kate got a new dress from Chicago. Met Mr. Wright from Highlands at the store.

Sunday, Nov. 15

Been a nice day.

Dewey and I walked over and called on Mr. Neely this morning. Kate and Nellie went to Sunday School this afternoon.

It is cloudy tonight.

Monday, Nov. 16

Rained this forenoon some. I finished a batch of prints.

There was a little sunshine this afternoon.

Tuesday, Nov. 17

Rained last night and there was considerable lightning and thunder this forenoon. Spent a good deal of time in doing up photos to send away.

It quit storming this afternoon and I went over to Sapphire.

Wednesday, Nov. 18

Ther.: 26+, 18+

It turned cold last night.

I got up wood and did some chopping also.

Freezing very hard tonight.

Mr. Miller finished plowing the new field this forenoon.

Thursday, Nov. 19

Ther.: 15+

Coldest morning we have had.

I started soon after daylight and walked down to Lake Toxaway with views, a good many of which I sold quite a number. Had dinner with Mr. Erskine, and he rowed me across the lake as I returned.

It has been a pleasant day.

Friday, Nov. 20

Ther.: 22+

I printed and finished a batch of plain paper today.

It has become gray and snow like this afternoon. Kate, Dewey and Nellie went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Saturday, Nov. 21

Ther.: 24+

Chilly weather yet and threatening some sort of a storm.

I did some more hauling of wood.

Went to Sapphire to mail photos and get some things for our dinner next Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Neely brought a couple of birds for Kate to cook tomorrow and he will come to dinner.

Sunday, Nov. 22

Ther.: 32+, 40+

It cleared up and was very nice weather this afternoon. Mr. Neely was here for dinner and we ate up the grouse he killed. Kate and Nellie went to Sunday School and Dewey and I kept house and called at Burlingame's. Wrote a number of letters this forenoon.

Monday, Nov. 23

Helped Kate wash this morning. Cleaned out from under the house and put a new top on the large table. Fixed the cellar door so we can fasten it. Pruned some more of the grape vines over the hill. We are all tired tonight.

Tuesday, Nov. 24

Cut some wood and wheeled up a lot for the fireplaces. Went to Sapphire right after dinner. Mrs. Philips gave me some mince meat for Kate to make a pie from. Been a pleasant day. Smoke from forest fires abounds.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

We had the first snow of the season this morning and it was quite a storm making the ground white. Mrs. Cheatham and sister were here to dinner and spend most of the short day. Had a big rat in my little box trap in the cellar this morning.

Did some developing of films tonight.

Thursday, Nov. 26

Ther.: 22+, 12+

It grew cold during last night and was quite sharp all day. Tonight it has grown fiercely cold. Kate got up a real good Thanksgiving dinner and we had Mr. Neely come over and eat with us. I went to Sapphire toward evening to get the mail. I put a lamp in the cellar tonight.

Friday, Nov. 27

Ther.: 8+, 34+, 18+

Very cold this morning. Mr. Neely came over and we sawed up a log.

I split and wheeled up wood most of the time.

It is not as intensely cold tonight but cold enough.

Saturday, Nov. 28

Ther.: 22+, 28+

It was not as cold today. I wheeled up a lot of fireplace wood this forenoon and then tried to do some printing but had to give it up because paper worked badly. Went to Sapphire this afternoon to get the mail.

Sunday, Nov. 29

Ther.: 23+

Been quietly at home all day.

It has been pretty cold all day and seems sharp tonight.

Monday, Nov. 30

Ther.: 22+

Still cold. Helped Kate wash this forenoon. Went to Sapphire after dinner.

There was a party of folks over from the Sapphire Inn to have me photograph them in a group.

Have to cut lots of wood to keep the fire going.

Tuesday, December 1

Ther.: 23+

Did more wood cutting. Very chilly air all today. A slight snow storm this evening. Went to Sapphire and got my mail and express Calendars for 1904 and other things to fix up for Christmas trade if weather will let me.

Wednesday, Dec. 2

Been a nice winter day.

I spent considerable time in wrapping my young apple trees with paper to prevent rabbits from gnawing them.

Thursday, Dec. 3

Ther.: 24+

It was cold this morning.

I printed and finished a batch of plain paper.

Mr. Dave Miller got our mail tonight, and a letter from ma and Will seems to indicate that we may go back to Michigan next year, but we will hate to leave our home here.

Friday, Dec. 4

Did considerable printing today.

Kate, Dewey and Nellie went to Sapphire this afternoon to help arrange for Christmas doings.

Rev. Louis Lyda was here to get his photo taken.

Saturday, Dec. 5

Tried to do printing but clouds bothered me a great deal. Went to Sapphire this afternoon for the mail.

Believe it is going to grow colder from indications tonight.

Sunday, Dec. 6

Ther.: 22+, 30+

Quite cold this morning. I called at Mr. Neely's this morning to see if he was sick and found him better. When the folks went to S.S. this afternoon I went along to the hotel to take some photos over to a man who is to leave tomorrow. It has been a pleasant day.

Monday, Dec. 7

It has been a nice day and not cold.

I finished a batch of photographs today.

So much smoke came down on us at noon that we were scared and got Dave Miller to come and see if there was a fire near but it was off to the south.

Tuesday, Dec. 8

I got up early this morning and walked to Lake Toxaway to take some photos down and to bring back my large camera.

I had dinner at Mrs. Crisp's and rode back to Sapphire with Dr. Cheatham.

It looks stormy tonight.

Wednesday, Dec. 9

Ther.: 26+

There was 3 or 4 inches of snow on the ground this morning and the trees were loaded with snow too. I fixed up a lot of Calendars and photos and took them over to the Inn and made very good sales. The snow melted some but it has turned cold tonight and is real winter.

Thursday, Dec. 10

Ther.: 26+, 15+

Cold again. There was a fierce snow squall this morning. I chopped up some fireplace wood this forenoon. Mr. Neely was taking his new trees over from here and took dinner with us. I went to Sapphire with some photos this afternoon. It is getting bitter cold tonight.

Friday, Dec. 11

Ther.: 19+, 28+

It moderated a good deal today.

I sawed and got up some firewood this forenoon. Went down to Dave Miller's and we divided the corn and fodder which he raised on shares for us. Went to Sapphire late this afternoon for the mail.

Saturday, Dec. 12

It grew much warmer today and is raining tonight. had Dave Miller help me saw wood most all day. I did some developing tonight.

Sunday, Dec. 13

It has been a nice, clear day but grew cooler and is at the freezing point tonight. Kate has been sick all day, and her eyes are troubling her badly.

Monday, Dec. 14

Kate was not able to do washing today. Sawed wood with D. Miller this morning then went at photo work. It has looked stormy this evening.

Tuesday, Dec. 15

It was clear this morning and grew colder. Mr. Miller is making rails for fencing. I did a lot more printing today. Went over to Sapphire this afternoon.

Wednesday, Dec. 16

Been a nice day. Kate and I did the washing this forenoon. Nellie was quite sick and we sent Dave Miller after Dr. Grimshawe but he was not at home so we sent for Dr. Cheatham. I finished a batch of photos.

Kate is having such a bad time with her eyes.

Thursday, Dec. 17

Fixed up view photos and helped Mr. Miller saw rail cuts this forenoon.

Went over to Sapphire this afternoon to sell some of my views.

Been a fine day and it is beautiful winter weather.

Friday, Dec. 18

Ther.: 24+

Been a pleasant day. I took a walk down the Thompson river to the Lyda settlement where I had never been before. We fixed up a lot of Christmas bundles and I took a bagful over to the Post Office this afternoon.

Saturday, Dec. 19

Cloudy all day and a mixed storm of snow, sleet and rain tonight. I got up some wood and chored about this forenoon. Went to Sapphire this afternoon. I sent an order for fruit trees to plant an orchard on the old home place in Mich.

Sunday, Dec. 20

It rained a good deal last night and snowed this morning so all the ground was white. Most of the snow melted, but soon after noon it grew cooler and is cold and windy tonight. I wrote long letters to both ma and Will in regard to our coming back there next year.

Monday, Dec. 21

Ther.: 22+

It moderated this forenoon and has been a pleasant day. I went to Sapphire this afternoon and took Dewey along to be at a practice for Christmas.

Tuesday, Dec. 22

This has been a fine day.

I puttered about all day but did not accomplish much.

Kate went to Sapphire this afternoon.

Wednesday, Dec. 23

Another fine day. I went down to Burgesses this morning and got a lot of holly for Kate to decorate with. Col. Smith who is staying at the Sapphire Inn made us a call this forenoon and I took him up on Rainy Knob and over my orchard. I took over a bundle of mail this afternoon.

Thursday, Dec. 24

It seemed like storming this morning but cleared up this afternoon. We all attended the Christmas tree at Sapphire this afternoon and had a very good time. We got several packages in the mail today and have been well remembered. Kate has a small x-mas tree for Dewey and has the house decorated with holly.

Friday, Dec. 25

We had quite a Christmas here at home today. It rained quite hard last night and this forenoon, but has turned cold tonight. I went to Sapphire this forenoon to photograph the Christmas tree. Did interior photos at our home this afternoon. Ed Raines and The Burlingame girls were here at supper tonight.

Saturday, Dec. 26

Ther.: 14+, 22+, 12+

It turned cold last night and the wind howled from the N.W. all today. Mr and Mrs. Philips came over and took dinner with us and spent the afternoon. I made some picture postal cards. Went over and got the mail tonight, and we got more Christmas bundles. It is very cold tonight.

Sunday, Dec. 27

Ther.: 24+, 46+, 36+

It warmed up surprisingly today, and has been very pleasant. All the folks but me went to Sapphire to Sunday School this afternoon. I read and rested.

Monday, Dec. 28

Ther.: 26+

Nice, pleasant day. I helped Kate wash and wheeled up wood this forenoon. Went over to Sapphire this afternoon to get mail and do some trading. Some one set fire on my mountain and Dave Miller and Kate had to fight it before I came home. We got some Christmas presents form Ralph and Lizzie McAllaster. I am ready to go to Brevard tomorrow.

Tuesday, Dec. 29

Little Dewey was not feeling well this morning and I almost gave up leaving home, but hoped he would be better and did come to Brevard, where I spent a busy day and am staying all night. Sent Kate's money on to Dexter for a savings deposit and drew all mine out to do trading and have for our winter expenses. It has been a fine day.

Wednesday, Dec. 30

Lowry Jacobs left Brevard on the train this morning and came home with me. We walked from Lake Toxaway and got home soon after noon. After dinner Lowry went hunting and got two nice squirrels for our supper. We went to Sapphire for the mail and to do some errands. It has been a fine day. I sensitized a lot of postals for Blue printing.

Thursday, Dec. 31

Been a very fine day and warmer. I made 50 of the Blue Print Postal Cards this forenoon and took them over to Sapphire this afternoon. There are fires out on the distant mountains. Lowry went over to Sapphire and has not come back tonight. I have to Start a new Diary tomorrow. Mr. Neely took supper with us tonight.

Cash Account

| September | Received | Paid |
|-----------|-------------|------|
| 12 | Carfare | 0.70 |
| | Shoes | 1.13 |
| | Oil cloth | 0.50 |
| | Deed | 1.25 |
| | Incidentals | 0.15 |
| | Hack fare | 0.15 |
| | Stationery | 2.75 |
| 14 | Kettle | 0.45 |
| | Printing | 0.50 |
| | Car Fare | 0.70 |
| | Lunch | 0.05 |

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| | Mr. Priolen | 4.00 | |
| October | | | |
| 19 | Dinner | | 0.25 |
| | Pears | | 0.10 |
| 20 | Frames | | 2.50 |
| | Notions | | 0.25 |
| | Shave and shine | | 0.15 |
| | Car fare etc. | | 0.20 |
| | Stamps | | 0.07 |
| 22 | Board | | 8.75 |
| | Notions | | 0.25 |
| 23 | Board | | 0.30 |
| 24 | Board | | 1.35 |
| | Medicine | | 0.65 |
| | Thermometer | | 0.35 |
| 26 | Blankets | | 2.30 |
| | Mustard | | 0.15 |
| | Hat | | 1.00 |
| | Cap | | 0.25 |
| | Taxes (Check) | | 8.41 |
| | Comb | | 0.25 |
| | Screws(.10), Food(.40) | | <u>0.40</u> |
| | | | 27.93 |

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| To Get in Brevard | |
| Mustard 64# | \$0.15 |
| Blankets | \$2.30 |
| Cap | \$0.25 |
| Ladies felt hat | \$1.00 |
| Pay Taxes | \$8.41 |
| Comb | \$0.25 |

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