

E. H. Phillips.

MEMORANDUM

Edward Harold
Phillips

Born - Oct. 10, 1880

Died - March 3, 1901

age 20 - unmarried

Son of George Phillips and
Mary Robinson

Year 1897

Squirrels - 1-1-1-1

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Gophers - 1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1

Mudhens - 14-5-3-4-2-1-1-1
-2-1-2

Bell divers 7-1

Muskrats 4-4-4-1-2-3-2

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Rabbit 1-1-1-1-1

Ducks 1-1

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February

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New Year January. 1897

Fri 1 They fired the cannon
off at 12 o'clock in the ^{night}.
Shot 3 squirrels. Johnny
Warnke fell off of a ^{stack} hay
& today the doctor said he
cannot live. Pa fixed his
revolver. Copied "Over the Waves"
for Violin & Cornet.

Sat 2 Sawed our pile of wood
with the buzz saw

Sun 3 Stayed at home, practiced
on cornet. V and
it rained all day.

Mon 4 School - * 1/2 day - x Pa fixed
fence very cold.

Tues 5 Pa went away. * 3/4 da.

Wed 6 A house burned last night
& 4 children burned. (But her
house) Parzy came * 1/2 da

Thurs 7 * 3/4 da.

Fri 8 Put wood in the shed.
Fenske battered his wife's
head

Sat 9 I drove the horses on the
horsepower for Grandpa while
Pa helped saw

Sun 10 Went skating. Took my
cornet down to Grandma's
and played with my

Mon 11 Took a load of manure
up to the farm.

Tue 12 Teamed straw with
Barzy 1 day 2 loads.
Pa went on business for P & H

Wed 13 Went for a load of hay but
in crossing a ditch the
reack broke and we had
to unload and draw the
wagon out to fix it. Load

Thurs 14 Took beans to Princeton
with hayrack. Other's load

Fri 15

Sat 16 Getting ready for Sunday.

Sun 17

Mon 18 *

Tue 19 *

Wed 20 *

Thurs 21 *

Fri 22 *

Sat 23 Cleaned our barn

Sun 24 Church - O V

Mon 25 *

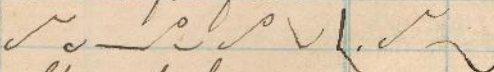
Tue 26 Went and cut off 7 trees for
green wood on forty ^{rod} Gold

Wed 27 Pa & Ma went to Montello
being Sales day. Ellis & I
stayed home & cut wood
Minnie Block (Married)
Very Cold

Thurs 28 *

Fri 29 Hauled 1 load of hay.
Cleared some bushes off
of our marsh.

Sat 30 Helped Grandpa saw wood.
1 load hay & cut wood on our
marsh for fuel

Sun 31 
Stayed home.

February February

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February

Mon 1 but a great big tree &
teamed the bulk of it home
with before's cutting.

Tues 2 Teamed wood to Princeton for
P. & H. Martha Soda married.

Wed 3 ^X Salmoora bought - 15¢. X
Saradines - 10¢. Pa went away
surveying

Thurs 4 * One of Bennier bicycle's springs
broke. They are teaming ice.

Fri 5 Harris hurt Tilda Mueller.

Sat 6 Cleared barn.

Sun 7 O. Read books.

Mon 8 * Pa went to Ripon for scovel.

Tues 9 X Pa came home at noon

Wed 10 We put in 120 cakes of ice &
teamed & Grandpa helped.
Hired Julius Teske & Richard Koch.

Thurs 11 Teamed ice for Uncle Edd's day.

Fri 12 Hauled a load of sawdust from
Harrisville. ^{for} - 50¢.

Sat 13 Grandpa helped us haul wood
from our marsh & cut it with
buzz saw same day also helped
Grandpa saw some wood

- Sun 14 Pa is getting ready for Madison.
 Nov 15 Took Pa, Mr & Mrs Pierce to
 Princeton. Took a load of wood,
 to Princeton for P. & H. &
 helped load car. Warner.
 Tues 16 Took a load of wood to Princeton
 for P. & H. & helped load car till 12.
 Gene had old jack from 10^{am} to 3^{pm}.
 Wed 17 * Borrowed book from school
 library.
 Thurs 18 * Ellis's trinkets came. Took
 Fanny to bull.
 Fri 19 * No school till Wednesday.
 Pa came home.
 Sat 20 Snowed but melted right
 off. Finished hauling
 sawdust for our ice from
 Germania Mill.
 Sun 21 Stayed home & read books
 Pirces had a party for ^{the} old folks.

Nov 22 Washington's birthday.
 Snowed quite hard over 6 inches.
 Fixed pigpen. Pa packing
 up again for Madison.

Tues 23 Took Pa & Ruthie Pierce
 to Princeton to the train.
 Split wood & general repair.

Wed 24 *
 Thurs 25 * County Superintende^{nt}
 visited school.

Fri 26 Took Mabel Pierce to
 Princeton for Ripon,
 stayed there till night
 and brought Pa, Mr. Pierce
 and Mabel back.

Sat 27 Hauled a load hay from
 our marsh.

Sun 28

March 1897

Mon 1 Hauled a load straw.
Pa getting ready for
Madison.

Tues 2 X Took Pa to Princeton in
sitter went back
To beyskie road gave
\$2. to pay for pig.
Told ^{W. H. H.} Wahn ke to come to
see Mr. Parker. Took a
load of manure to farm

Wed 3 *

Thurs 4 X Ma's Aunt Carrie went
to Princeton with Nell.
Mekinely's inauguration.

Fri 5 Hauled the last of a stack
of hay. Went to Princeton
for Mr. & Mrs. Pierce & Pa.

Sat 6 Teamed $\frac{1}{4}$ cord wood for
Mr. Parker. Getting ready
for Sun.

Sun 7 Pa getting ready for Mad.
Warrske Bros sawing logs.

Mon 8 Took Pa & Mr. Pierce to Prin
for train. V. J. 25¢.
Took school library. Book back.

Tues 9 X Took a load manure to farm.
Took a log to saw-mill for 2 in
slabs. Mabel quite sick.

Wed 10 * Sleighing. Frost gone &
very bad weather.

Thurs 11 * Snowing, pretty good

Fri 12 Drifting (Lentons 25¢)
1 happle 30¢. Went to Pri for
Pa & Mr. Pierce.

Sat 13 Hauled 1 load of bear fodder
Snowing. Mr. Carey's business
with Pa!

Sun 14 Mr. Keyes & Freddie Matry
are quite sick.

Mon 15th Teamed 1 load manure
to farm & 1 cord wood from
shop to Mr Parker's house.
Helped P & H saw wood with
2 horses, & I hauled wood; from
3 to 4 to 6.

Tues 16th Went to Wis took 3 packages
to express office and my
friends to depot & came
back with a load of lumber
for R. W.

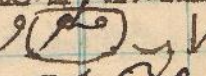

Wed 17th X Went hunting early in
morning = 0. Filled 3 bags
with rye, took them to
mill. The Paul girls & their
mother visited us.

Thurs 18th X's Fitzimmons
licked Gabe's yesterday.
Now very near gone.

Fri 19th Pa came home with stage.
Paul girls went home.

Sat 20th Hauled a load of bean straw
and one of hay

Sund 21st Ringed our pigs noses.
Bob paid up bet with pa. ^{30¢}
Bennie & I practiced on V.

Mon 22nd Pa & Ma went to Princeton
and got 1 V V  & V


Getting ready for Mad.

Tues 23rd * Took Pa to morning train

Wed 24th Teamed 1 load of manure
to farm X 1/4

Thurs 25th *

Fri 26th X Took Mabel & Mary to noon
train, stayed at Pauls and
brought Mr Pierce home.
Pa went home with A. Keoff.
Last day *

Thurs 15 Very rainy. Plowed a little
A letter from Pa. Bennie
borrowed manure wagon
Fri 16 Finished plowing wheat
land.

Sat 17 Went fishing

Sun 18 Very Windy

Mon 19 Ma & Kids came home from
Chicago. Base Ball club
practiced. Broke whiffletrees
on chandmas buggy.

Tues 20 Mr Parker had team $\frac{1}{2}$ hour
A.M. Stanced 2 hours P.M.
Pa went back to Mad. Harrowed
wheat land. Took plow over
to J.H's. Borrowed drill &
drilled

Wed 21 Finished drilling wheat &
oats & took drill home. Ellis
went for Pa at Riv.

Thurs 22. Lobeyskie visited us. Went
fishing speared 7 success gave
them 5 along A.M. - P.M. speared
over 25.

Fri 23 Pa went to Mad. Plowed Mr.
Parkers land.

Sat 24 Harrowed Mr. Parkers land.
Very rainy. Ellis & Horrie went for
Pa & Mr. Pierce.

Sun 25 I Practiced.

Mon 26 Pa went surveying. Plowed
on J. H's. for corn

Tues 27 Pa went surveying. Plowed
Teamed / load manure

Wed 28 Helped Ma with garden.
Got boat over dam. Quite rainy.

Thurs 29 Plowed. Pa. came home
from surveying.

Fri 30 Plow ran in stump & broke stand
Pa went to Riv. & brought plow to them.

Sat 1 May 1897

Finished plowing on J.H.'s
Teamed 1 load manure.

Sun 2 O-9 Practiced. Carl Hamko
was here from Pir. Hung ^{lay} baskets.

Mon 3 2 loads manure. Came
back from surveying for
Curran

Tues 4 Pat & I teamed 5 loads
manure.

Wed 5 4 loads manure.
Getting ready to scrape
garden

Thurs 6 Scraped garden. 4 loads
manure

Fri 7 Pa fixed place on wagon
for horse & venter. 3 loads
manure. Dragged part of garden.

Sat 8 2 loads manure 1 from E.P.
Plowed bed in lower garden.

Sun 9 19 Practiced O-O Sunday ^{school}

Mon 10 Cleaned some stuff out of
cellar. Pa went to be at
Pat's then surveying

Tues 11 Dragged bed, took Plow & scraper
home, then dragged on J.H.'s
land. Went to band practice =

Wed 12 Finished dragging on J.H.'s &
took drag to 70. Spread manure.
Heavy rain.

Thurs 13 Had a manure spreading
bee including, E. Ferke,
H. Phillips, Ellis & I sawe finish

Fri 14 Fixing up around

Sat 15 Idea nets, borne

Sun 16 O-O

Mon 17 Commenced plowing for
corn on 40. Pa & Ellis
went for hay. Carrie Black
Packing up for Chicago

Tues 18 Plowed. Pa & Ellis went for
hay for P. & H. Pa took Aunt
Carrie to train

Wed 19 Finished plowing 1 land.
Went to farm for marker
took it home & fixed it.

Thurs 20 Marked J. H.'s. land & planted
it

Fri 21 Plowed. Surveyed line between
Wn. Theft & us. Pa went away
came back at night.

Sat 22 Finished plowing corn ~~land~~
land on 40. Raining

Sun 23 Some of Montello's I
helped us practice.

Mon 24 Draggled and marked corn
land & planted some.

Tues 25 Finished planting corn
& sugar case

Wed 26 Plowed garden at home. Planted
a patch of watermelons on 40.
also the popcorn & a little strip of
corn on J. H.'s. land.

Thurs 27. Ascension day. Fixed place
for pigs. Learned to ^{curse}

Fri 28 Pa got the power saw and we
sawed our wood.

Sat 29 Pa plowed on J. H.'s.

Sun 30 Germania I played Pri.
Score 18 to 24 in Pri's favor.
Band played on grounds.

Mon 31 Last day of May. Pa took
plow bottom back to Pri.
I got No. 146 standard ^{draggled}

Tues 1 June
Pa is making wagon boxes
Finished dragging. Plowed
for beans on 40

Wed 2 Plowed. load manure
Rainy. Aniel Priebe's baby
scalded.

Thurs 3 Finished plowing 1 land
load hay. Aniel Priebe's
baby died last night

Fri 4 Aniel Priebe's baby buried
Pamade bean marker
started marking bean
land 1 load manure

Sat 5 Pam worked on road & rained
dragged corn on 40

Sun 6

Mon 7 Marked bean land on J.H's.
planted some. I feel sick
They had a picnic at Hollander's

Tues 8 Finished marking & planting
bean land on J.H's. Pa flowered
on 40

Wed 9 Pam finished plowing for beans
& potatoes on 40

Thurs 10 Planted 1 patch potatoes
I dragged bean land &
Pam worked one way

Fri 11 Planted potatoes & beans

Sat 12 Cultivated. Finished
planting on 40

Sun 13 Tom Wells came

Mon 14 Cultivated




Tues 15 Cultivated on J.H's. ^{at time}


Wed 16 Replanted corn, where gophers
and worms ate it

Thurs 17 Commenced cultivating on ⁴⁰

Fri 18 Cultivated
Sat 19 Planted beans more than
one patch.
Sun 20 Mine Played Prt score
12 to 15 in Prt favor. Pa and
Ma went to Borty's.
Mon 21 Cultivated corn Pa & Ma
hoeing sugar cane
Tues 22 Finished cultivating
corn see on 40 & started on
beans Pa & Ma went Montello
Wed 23 Rained all day.
Thurs 24 Finished hoeing sugar ^{cane}
& then cultivated.
Fri 25 Cultivated beans on J.H's.
Sat 26 Cultivated A.M. Pa went
for hay & then went away
on business.
Sun 27 O & Pa & I went to play
Kingston but did not come
so they played Mai. Sea ^{11/23}

Mon 28 Sprouted potatoes. Rained
hard
Tues 29 Went to see Diamond about
surveying & while there went
upon observatory hill. Rained
Wed 30 Pa went to survey for Diamond
Cultivated bed of J.H's beans &
commenced on ours.
Thurs July July July
Fri 1 Cultivated
Fri 2 Cultivated
Sat 3 Finished cultivating beans
on 40 & 2 patches potatoes
 Princeton celebrating.
Sun 4 Boys are excited.
Mon 5 Mon. week no & we are
celebrating. We are playing
in board running stands
& bowry.
Tues 6 commenced cultivating on
J.H's 2^d time.

Wed 7 Cultivating. Pa & Ma
 hoed corn on J.H's.
 Thurs 8 Cultivating on 40 Pa & Ma
 finished hoeing on J.H's
 Fri 9 Cultivated. Rained.
 Sat 10 Cultivated 1/2 day.
 Rained 1/2 day.
 Sun 11  Came across 2 boys escaped
 from Waukesha.
 Mon 12 Cultivated. Boys brought
 into court & it was resolved
 to send them back.
 Tues 13 Cultivated.
 Wed 14 Artie Semerman drowned
 from 1st bridge cultivated
 Started cutting rye.
 Thurs 15 Cutting rye.
 Fri 16 Artie Semerman buried,
 cut rye.
 Sat 17 Finished cutting rye & shocking
 Sun 18  

Mon 19 Commenced cultivating on J.H's
 twice second time.
 Tues 20 Cultivated on J.H's. Rained.
 Wed 21 Pa & Ma greened & patch potatoes
 and dugged the other. Plowed
 for turkips. Rained hard in night.
 Thurs 22 sowed turkips. Reshocked rye.
 Cultivated & patch potatoes.
 Fri 23 Cultivated all beans on J.H's.
 Sat 24 Cultivated all beans on 40-1
 way. Tried to cut oats but were
 too green.
 Sun 25  Rained all afternoon.
 Mon 26 Rained 1/2 day. Pa & Ma picked
 a few berries. Mr. Day ate supper here.
 Tues 27 Pa moved grass. He picked
 berries then stood up rye.
 Wed 28 Cut oats 40 lb. - P.M. Raked
 hay & coched it
 Thurs 29 Finished cutting oats & wheat.

Fri 30 Teamed 2 loads rye & stacked them.

Sat 31 Teamed 2 more which finished stack.

August 1897

Sun 1 ☉ ▽ Rained

Mon 2 Set our oats & wheat over & got our rake from marsh & hoed beans on J.H's.

Tues 3 Hoed beans on J.H's.

Wed 4 Pa went to Pri cultivated beans on J.H's. 40.

Thurs 5 Stacked all of oats & steamed all of wheat.

Fri 6 Old Lady Fenske died. Stacked wheat then 2 stacks of hay on J.H's. marsh. ~~1897~~ Pa commenced cutting hay on our 20. Rained.

Sun 7 Old Lady Fenske buried ☉

Mon 9 Plowed on 20.

Tues 10 Walter & Mrs. Rich went away! Stacked 1 stack

Wed 11 Stacked 1 stack

Thurs 12 " " "

Fri 13 Mowed & cocked.

Sat 14 Stacked 1 stack.

Sun 15 ☉

Mon 16 Mowed. Teamed 1 load home.

Tues 17 Stacked 1 stack & raked.

Quite rainy

Wed 18 Plowed. Rained hard.

Thurs 19 Stacked 1 stack

Fri 20 Guess we are all through on our marsh. Stacked 1 stack

Sat 21 Teamed 4 loads manure etc.

Sun 22 ☉ ☉ ☐

Mon 23 Teamed manure.

September 1897

Tues 24 Pa went to lay out race track.

Wed 25 Pa went to make plan of Mrs Spains house. Plowed.

Thurs 26 Went to help T. & L. Bour
thresh then Wm. West then Wm.
Week & Pa helped him.

Fri 27 Finished threshing Wm. Week.
then threshed ours 219 bu
Helped Grandpa's Rock.

Sat 28 Pa took beans to Pri brought
home a load of lumber for
P & H & took Jersey to Dick
bull. 1 load hay. Came

Sund 29 home too late for

Sund 29 Fixed Transit

Mon 30 Plowed. Beans getting ripe.

Tues 31 Took Pa to Mrs Spain's to
build house & came home at
night.

Wed 1 Plowed Jessie calved in
night & had to go to pasture
to get her.

Thurs 2 Plowed

Fri 3 Plowed & dragged all of rye land.

Sat 4 Elli & I went to get pa from
Spains .

Sun 5

Mon 6 Sowed 3 bags rye.

Tues 7 Finished sowing 1/2 bags rye
while Elli dragged AM. PM.
I dragged while Mad Elli pulled
beans.

Wed 8 Finished sowing rye at ⁴⁰ JH's
PM. Pulled beans on JH's.

Thurs 9 Pulled beans.

Fri 10 Pulled beans 1/2 day. Rained
Pa came home from Spains

all

Sat 11 Pulled beans on J.H.'s & dug
up some of the ground for rye
with cultivator. Teamed boards
for our band picnic.

Sun 12 Band had picnic. Lemonade
beer stand & bowry. Had lots
of trouble in night. Krueger
pulled on Bill Graber for dancing
with Alvine.

Nov 13 Pa went away come back in
evening we turned over beans
& teamed in 1 load. Very warm.

Tues 14 Teamed 1 load of beans from J.H.'s
& pulled 1 load on 40. Teaming all
to barn. Pa went surveying.

Wed 15 1 load beans from 40. Started
Junior Band* learned 3 pieces
Rained most all day Pa came home.

Wed 15
Symbal
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Thurs 16 Sowed rye where we had beans
on J.H.'s & cut some corn

Fri 17 Pulled beans & cut corn on 40
Show in school did not go.

Sat 18 Cut corn & teamed in beans
we pulled Fri 17.

Sun 19 Went hunting 1/4 Muds hen

Nov 20 Cut corn. Pa went surveying
came home at night.

Tues 21 Pa went away to survey & build.

Wed 22 1/4 Muds. Cut corn. Milked Genes
cow 1x

Thurs 23 Finished big patch of corn
Milked Genes cow 2 times.

Fri 24 Hired Mrs Teske 1 day & Mrs
Krenke 1/2 day. Commenced
cutting sugar-cane. Milked
Genes cow twice, 3 Muds 1 Hell.

Sat 25 Hired Mrs Teske 1/2 day. Cut sugar-cane.
Milked Genes cow twice.

Sun 26 Knocked nuts. 7 Akids,
 Mon 27 but sugar cane and teamed 2
 loads to Kings.
 Tues 28 but last 2 loads of cane &
 teamed it to Kings. but popcorn.
 Wed 29 Pa quit job at Spains.
 Pulled beans 1/2 day.
 Thurs 30 Pulled all of our beans & teamed.
 them in. Cultivated rye in on
 bean land. 2 Akids,

October

Fri 1 Put rye in on bean land
 Sat 2 Threshed our beans 5 hrs.
 Invoiced Wood Best's job off for Pa.
 Sun 3 Last day of Any Jersey
 broke her leg. We had to kill her
 * sold some of meat. teaching.
 Mon 4 1st day of school * Ruthie Parer
 but corn & sowed rye on J.H's.

Tues 5 Finished cutting corn & sowing
 rye on J.H's. Picked up sugar
 cane heads on 40. Sent for Marie
 of Ly or Kealy.
 Wed 6 Picked up garden stuff
 while Pa fixed plow for ditching
 & had horses to harness.
 Thurs 7 Teamed pumpkins.
 Fri 8 Went ditching & making road
 to 20 on Kusherskie last 2 1/2 hrs.
 Sat 9 Teamed pumpkins & paid Mrs.
 Taske. Pa made deck of our road
 to 20.

Sun 10 My Birthday. Grandpa gave
 me a book, & my traps
 Mon 11 Frats dug potatoes I plowed
 rained. All mud
 Tues 12 Frats dug potatoes.
 Wed 13 Frats dug potatoes.
 Thurs 14 Finished digging potatoes.

Fri 15 Plowed Pa took down old
corn crib. 1 rat.

Sat 16 Plowed 1/2 day. Moved part of
old woodshed. 2 rats

Sun 17 Soaks,

Mon 18 Pulled turnips & plowed. ^{2 rats}

Tues 19 2 rats Finished plowing.

Wed 20 Pa went surveying to Montello.
came home at night. Ellis
dragged in pile Richard Fenske
& I husked & pulled turnips ^{rats}

Thurs 21 Ellis while pa put up corn AM. P.M.
husked corn 2 lbs in crib. 2 rats.

Fri 22 1 rat Pa hauled 4 load stone for Kreyger.
Husked on J.H.s. 1 mud.

Sat 23 1 rat Husked corn on J.H.s. load hay.

Sun 24 1 rat. 1 mud.

Mon 25 Husked on J.H.s. 1 load sand for Kreyger.

Tues 26 1 rat 3 load stone AM. & dumped for Kreyger PM.
Husked J.H.s. Pa working for Pierce.

Wed 27 1 rat Husked J.H.s.

Thurs 28 ^{hot} " " "

Fri 29 Soaks " "

Sat 30 1 rat Husked on J.H.s. 1 Hell.
Kreyger's foundation done.

Sun 31 1 rat.

November

Nov 1 1 rat. Stayed at home & helped
mawashi, Fred Sly & Holtz are
building for Kreyger

Tues 2 Finished husking on J.H.s. AM.
1-3 horse load of lumber for Kreyger
2 rats - 1 mud.

Wed 3 1 load sand for & 1 load 12 1/2
feet lumber for Kreyger.

Thurs 4 1 load 14 20 feet lumber for
Kreyger. Mac Ellis husked on J.H.

Fri 5 Pa & I fixed hen house. Rained all
day. Ma helped Grandma quilt

Sat 6 Husked corn, Hauled potatoes
from heap into cellar.

Sun 7 1 rabbit, 1 duck

Mon 8 Pulled all our turnips on 40
Passes through at Pierce's
2 rats. Study circle started.

Tue 9 Mrs Teske helped us husk
corn, fat. 2 Huds.

Wed 10 1 rat husked on 40. Quite cold.

Thurs 11 Too cold to husk. Picked up around
house. Pa commenced work for ^{hanger} freezer.

Fri 12 Husked corn on 40 Richard Fausti
husked 5 1/2 bu for 13 1/4.

Sat 13 Husked corn on 40. 1 duck. Pond
frozen over.

Sun 14 1 rat 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2

Mon 15 Pa made tank for Pe H Husked
Parker had a farm shipped to him

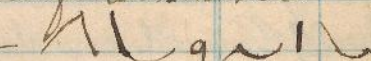
Tue 16 Husked corn. Teamed 2 loads
home that were not husked.

Wed 17 Snowed 1/2 day. Husked corn & teamed
some in barn on 40 that was
not husked.

Thurs 18 Husked corn at home.

Fri 19 August Kemmerman helped us
husk 1/2 day.

Sat 20 Grandpa helped us husk 1/2 day
all corn on field husked.

Sun 21 

Mon 22 Commenced painting on Pierce's barn
from 7.30-12.30 Sold my first 49 for
\$3.95. Lawsuit vs Mott & Martin.

Tue 23 Painted from 9-11.31

Wed 24 I went to study circle. Another
lawsuit vs Mott & Martin. Mott's went on ^{town}.

Thurs 25 Painted from 8-5

Fri 26 Thanksgiving day had dinner
at Grandma's Amiel Beckwith
killed by runaway team. Snowed 3 days

Thi 26 Brought bobs from 20. Painted
2 1/2 hrs. Snowed 1/2 day.

Sat 27 Teamed corn stalks 2 loads.
Old man Leighton tied.

Sat 27 Painted 2 hrs Fixed up for
Sunday.

Sun 28 Hunt & got my traps from
pond Samel buried.

Mon 29 Teamed corn stalks 2 loads
Old Leighton died

Tue 30 Teamed 3 loads corn stalks.

December

Wed 1 * Pa went surveying.

Thurs 2. Old man Leighton buried
rat Sam Fenner died

Thi 3 Grandpa helped us get 1 load
wood. Pa bought one ax \$1.00.

Sat 4^X Pa hauled 1 load wood A.M.

Pa went to Pri with beavers and
paid Lane for Alb Ellis owners. \$5.00

Sun 5 / rat Old Fenner Buried.

Mon 6 Teamed hay 1 load Snowed
hard all day.

Tue 7^X Teamed corn stalks 3 loads all home.

Wed 8 Sawn wood all day.

Thurs 9 * Sales day at Hunt. Pa went.

Thi 10 Shingled buggy shed roof.

Sat 11 Put all our wood in buggy shed.

Sun 12 ~~Pa~~ Played on street. Long went
skating on mud lake.

Mon 13 * Pa teamed 1 load wood home.

~~Pa~~ ^{rat} traps home found 1 trap.

Mon 13 Pa put wood on J.H.'s. teamed
some of it home after 4 o'clock.

Tue 14 * Pa teamed 1 load wood. Got long
traps from pond / rat & found 1 trap.

Wed 15 * Pa teamed wood
Thurs 16 Killed old borrow. Ruthie sick
Mabel taught 1/2 day. Sold my
3 furs at 30¢ to A. Sememan.

Fri 17 * Pa teamed wood.
Sat 18 2 loads hay from Jtt's, Pa took
manure to 40. 1 rabbit.

Sun 19 0
Mon 20 * No school till after New Year.
Load wood

Tues 21 Pa went to Montelle with a
load potatoes 43¢ a bu.

Wed 22 1 load wood from 20 Xmas trees
from Kennebec marsh

Thurs 23 Load of wood from 20, &
1 load from Jtt's.

Fri 24 Split wood & worked roads
before Xmas

Sat 25 Xmas!

Sun 26 Dance at A. Ties' house & ^{Kreuger,}

Mon 27 Sawed our big pile of wood
with circular saw.

Tues 28 Finished sawing & teamed a
1 load hay. Fine weather.

Wed 29 1 load hay & small load of wood.
very warm & lightning most gone.

Thurs 30 Snapped corn in barn at 40.
Getting colder. Spitting. 2 dogs in

Fri 31 Put wood in ~~the~~ buggy shed.
from snow. Snowed a little.

~~Study~~ Study Circle had Oyster supper
at Grandma's house & watched the
old year out & the new year in.

Adieu old year your work is ^{done}
Some give brought with some to

Good bye old year,
 Your work is done,
 Some you've brought sorrow,
 And some you've brought fun,
 Now we are going to turn over a page,
 And you are obliged to get off the stage.

January on,

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Ducks 1 | ^{Falls} 1-2
 Hinks 1
 Yellowlegs 1 | Prairie Hens 1
 Madhens 13-15-13-5-12-7-4-3
 -3-4-1-4-2-2-4-1-17-1-2-3-2-1-3-2
 (95)
 Rabbits - 1
 Muskrats 2-5-2-5-7-2-4-2-5-3
 -7-1-3-3-4-3-4-5-5-6-3 * 1-4-3-1-4-1
 Squirrels 1-1-1-1
 Partridges 1

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January

Sat 1 ~~Jan~~
 Sun 2 Fixed violin.
 Mon 3 * Pa & Ma went to Pri with beans
 16-4816-80c bu Vera & Ray had pictures
 taken O.
 Tues 4 * Pagot Huller for P & H \$1.50. O
 Wed 5 *
 Thurs 6 *
 Fri 7 * Pa took load manure to 40.
 Sat 8 Debate at Beechboro. Ant. v. C.
 Nature. latter won.
 Sun 9 Chas. Shvederskii on business
 Mon 10 * Pa went to Oxford to survey
 for Mr. Foote helped work.
 Tues 11 *
 Wed 12 * Pa came home.
 Thurs 13 *
 Fri 14 *

February - 2

Sat 15 Old Band gone up.
Sun 16 Shower's horse sick. P & H Building
Hall & Warehouse.
Mon 17 * One load manure to 40.
Pa went surveying.
Tues 18 * Mr Block of Animerda was here
Wed 19 * " " went for home.
Thurs 20 * Pa broke level on Transit & had to come
home.
Fri 21 X Load hay
Sat 22 X
Sun 23
Mon 14 * Pa went surveying helped wash.
Tues 25 * Pa came home
Wed 26 Pa settled accounts at Kings \$2.60
at Freddie's \$2.00 at Westmerth \$3.30
Thurs 27 2 loads hay making stack at home
Fri 28 2 loads hay
Sat 29 Cleaned out ice horse for ice.

Sun 30

Mon 31 Teamed & sawed ice with Nicksby
& VanBaish 112 cakes

1898 February 1898

Tues 1 * Pa went to Oxford surveying

Wed 2 *

Thurs 3 *

Fri 4 *

Sat 5 * Band to organize next Tues

Sun 6

Mon 7 *

Tues 8 *

Wed 9 * Hells Med. Co. in town. Went to show.

Thurs 10 Went to show again.

Fri 11

Sat 12 Band played at show for 11¢ apiece.

Sun 13

Mon 14 Pa worked for Piers' manure.

Tues 15 * Pa teamed manure

Wed 16 * " " "

March-2-1898

Thurs 17 * Went for sawdust ice from Tom Wells 1 load.

Fri 18 * 1 load sawdust again from Tom Wells for O. Pa & Ma went to Pri. Examination in Arithmetic 90% First lesson in Algebra.

Sat 19 Snowed hard all day. 2 loads of wood from J.H's.

Sun 20 Snowed all day

Mon 21 * Pa worked on road A.M.

Tues 22 Washington's Birthday, Herman ^Wtshe died.

Wed 23

Thurs 24 1 load wood. Went to Leopoldt ^Tapes & executed a mortgage to H. Kiesel.

Fri 25 Went to Pri with rye 47% etc. Co.

Sat 26 Pa got one load lumber for Gene who is going to build Unloaded 1 load hay for H. J. Beckwerth

Sun 27

Mon 28 * Pa teamed 1 load lumber for Gene, March March March March

Tues 29 1 load of hay. Pa & I figured a mile for Rye 1898 March 1898

Wed 29 * Pa teamed 1 load hay alone. Hay all home. Steamed bean fodder. Maria's Birthday Party over to Ed's.

Thurs 30 * Pa sat up with old Rye. Party up to Piers

Fri 4 * 1 load wood.

Sat 5 Wood from marsh 2 loads.

Sun 6 A tramp in town a hot time.

Mon 7 Hauled 2 loads of wood from J.H's.

Tues 8 " " " " " " " "

Wed 9 * Pa teamed 2 manures

Thurs 10 * " " " "

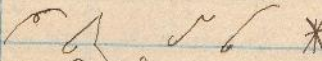
Fri 11 * " " " "

Sat 12 *

Sun 13

Mon 14 *

Tues 15 *

Wed 16 *
 Thurs 17 *
 Fri 18 * Rainy
 Sat 18 Pa bought cornsheller \$2.50.
 Sun 20 Success / pickerel
 Mon 21 *
 Tues 22 X
 Wed 23 X Pa sold potatoes & Rye ^{potatoes rye} (42) & (4) Dets.
 Thurs 24 *
 Fri 25 X
 Sat 26 X
 Sun 27
 Mon 28  *
 Tues 29 X Pa went surveying
 Wed 30 * Examination in constitution
 80%
 Thurs 31 *

April 1898

Fri 1 * last day of school.
 Sat 2 Spread manure & plowed
 Sun 3
 Mon 4 Teamed 5 loads of stone for Gene.
 Tues 5 Plowed & spread manure. Caucus
 at Town House. Warmier elected chairman
 of Town.
 Wed 6 Spread manure & plowed. Surveyed
 North end of 40
 Thurs 7 Pa sowed wheat while I dragged.
 Fri 8 A.M. Burned a little island on 20.
 Dragged wheat in & Pa bought
 Farmer for \$15.00
 Sat 9 Plowed & cut fence posts on S.H.
 Sun 10 Easter O
 Mon 11 Teamed 9 loads of stone for Gene.
 Tues 12 Surveyed for Hunch
 Wed 13 Surveyed for Mrs. Lebella & Charlie Baker.

- Thurs 14 Plowed & spread manure & burned strip of land between Wm Wickhamill & us.
- Fri 15 Plowed dragged & sowed oats on 40.
- Sat 16 Plowed & sowed oats. Pa teamed 60 bu. & 40 lbs eye for Wamper & Matz.
- Sun 17
- Mon 18 Plowed for more oats & sowed last ^{on 40}.
- Tues 19 Rained all day. Dragged all the oats in on 40. O
- Wed 20 Plowed on S H's & cut fence posts. 1 load stone for Gene.
- Thurs 21 Scraped away from where old fence was at home. Rained all day.
- Fri 22 1 Huck 2 hrs. 3 loads stone for Gene.
- Sat 23 1 lb sand
- Sun 24 Jim took all the Grandchildren
- Mon 25 Finished teaming stone for Gene in all 26. Foundation done.
- 23* 1 load lake sand for Krueger
- Tues 26 Spread all manure. 2 loads sand for Krueger. Pa plowed on Hagner.

- 427 7 loads sand for Krueger & (C)
 Pa went to Pri for Wamper & Matz
- Thurs 28 4 loads sand for Krueger. Scraped garden.
- Fri 29 Took Daisy to Bull. Finished garden fence. Plowed 2 loads sand & (C)
- Sat 30 Took Jessie to Bull. Finished garden fence. Plowed.

- ## 1898 May. 1898
- Sun 1 Sunday school commenced. ⊕
- Mon 2 Plowed on S H's 3 loads sand for Krueger. Made two gates.
- Tues 3 Sawn wood with buzz saw
- Wed 4 Finished sawing wood.
- Thurs 5 Stretched wire one East & South side of Grandmas pasture.
- Fri 6 Stretched on west side.
- Sat 7
- Sun 8
- Mon 9 Plowed

Tues 10 Plowed

Wed 11 Plowed.

Thurs 12 Plowed

Fri 13

Sat 14

Sun 15 ☉

Mon 16 Dragged marked & planted ^{corn} on 2 H's.

Tues 17 Finished planting on 2 H's &

Dragged marked & planted on 2 ^{H's} ^{corn} ^{field}

Wed 18 Dragged & marked on 2 H's

Thurs 19 Finished planting on 2 H's Plowed on 40.

Fri 20 Plowed. Looked 10 of a marsh over.

Sat 21 Plowed marked dragged & planted on 40.

Sun 22 ☉

Mon 23 Finished planting corn on 40 &

Planting sugar-cane.

Tues 24 Finished planting ^(strip of) pop-corn & Potatoes & sugar-cane.

Wed 25 Plowed & dragged on 2 H's.

Thurs 26 Dragged marked & planted ^{potatoes} on

Fri 27 Planted & dragged corn on 2 H's.

Sat 28 Surveyed for Canal near Montello S

Sun 29 ☉

Mon 30 Decoration day ^{we} went to Montello

Saw military company & planted corn on 2 H's

Tues 31 Planted potatoes on 40.

1898 June 1898

Wed 1 Planted potatoes on 40

Thurs 2 Planted beans & potatoes & dragged corn on 2 H's.

Fri 3 Ellis took Loequis to himself Teamed manure.

Sat 4 2 loads sand for Krenger.

Sun 5 ☉ Loe

Mon 6 Finished spring plowing. Dragged corn & potato land Teamed line for Lane.

Tues 7 2 loads sand, tank of water
 & mortar boxes for Sene. Raining
 Wed 8 Plowed. 1 1/2 loads sand for Sene
 & 1/2 for Krueger Planted beans on JH's
 Thurs 9 Pa got bricks for Sene Cultivated
 corn & planted beans on JH's
 Finished planting on 40. ¹ ^{load sand} ^{Sene}
 Fri 10 1 load gravel for Krueger.
 Plowed & planted beans on JH's
 Rained most all day.
 Sat 11 Planted beans on JH's
 Sun 12 ⊕
 Mon 13 Cultivated on S.H's. 1 load sand
 & 1 tank water for Sene
 Tues 14 Cultivated on S.H's.
 Wed 15 Cultivated on S.H's, 40 and JH's &
 hoed on S.H's & 40.
 Thurs 16 Cultivated on JH's.
 Fri 17 " " "
 Sat 18 " " "
 Sun 19. ⊕

□

Mon 20 Cultivated on JH's. Pa fixing
 stairway □
 Tues 21 Cultivated on JH's. □
 Wed 22 Finished cultivating on JH's &
 then some on 40. □
 Thurs 23 Cultivated on 40. Rained □
 Fri 24 Cultivated on 40. Plowed & sowed
 buckwheat on JH's. Rained □
 Sat 25 Fixed stairway at home. Social
 at Pierce's □ Rained
 Sun 26 Fell off of shell & hurt my neck.
 Mon 27 Pa cultivated on 40
 Tues 28 " " " "
 Wed 29 I cultivated on S.H's.
 Thurs 30 " " " "

1898 July July 1898

Fri 1 Cultivated on JH's.

Sat 2 " " " Planted potatoes.
Hoes sugar cane cultivated & potatoes

Sun 3 ☉

Mon 4 Went to Pri celebration.

Tue 5 Cultivated on JH's

Wed 6 " " " 7 on 40

Thurs 7 " " "

Fri 8 Butting rye.

Sat 9 Cultivated beans on JH's & cut rye.

Sun 10

Mon 11 Cut Tias's rye @ 2.50 ^{Ma} Ma, ^{Jule} Jule take
& Mr. Sherman take hoe beans on JH's.

Tue 12 Cut rye & M & Binder hoes down.

~~Wed 13~~ Hoes potatoes on 40. Pa got 2 ^(two)
McCormick Binders from Mon for P & H.

Wed 13 Cultivated on JH's. Pa got 2 more
binders from Mon for P & H.

Thurs 14 Cultivated on JH's while Pa & Ma
hoed. Sat up new McCormick
Binder Pa bought & cut rye on 40

Fri 15 Finished middle & south patch of
rye on 40 & started on North patch

Sat 16 Finished North patch on 40 &
about 1/2 on JH's. Dry weather.

Sun 17 ☉

Mon 18 Finished rye on JH's & cut. Ch's
Morris's patch for \$1.10.

Tue 19 Commenced stacking 2 loads rye &
Grandpa helped. Rained hard.

Wed 20 Cultivated corn on JH's & put in
patch of turnips.

Thurs 21 Grandpa helped stack 3 loads
rye which made 1 stack.

Fri 22 Grandpa stacked a stack of
bloads.

Sat 23 Cultivated on JH's. Dry.

Sun 24 ☉

Mon 25 AM Cultivated on JH's. Commenced
cutting wheat & oats on 40.

Tues 26 Finished wheat & 1 patch oats
 Wed 27 Cut all of our oats on 40+ cut some
 for Grandpa. Sprinkled.
 Thurs 28 Finished Grandpa's oats. Cut
 a little hay on West. road
 Fri 29 Stacked all of rye. Teamed 1 load manure ^{Rained}
 Sat 30 Stacked all of oats & wheat " " "
 Sun 31

1898 August 1898

Mon 1 Cut about 2 acres of grass. Rained.
 Tues 2 Made 2 screen doors. Pa Settling
 For Binder. Rained all day.
 Wed 3 Finished screen doors.
 Thurs 4 Teamed 1 load manure 20.
 Fri 5 Threshed our grain 841 bu
 106 of oats, 41 of wheat, 194 of rye
 Sat 6 Threshed for Pierce & done
 Sun 7
 Mon 8 Threshed last of Pierce's grain.
 Made contract for me as water-boy
 Threshed for Grandpa & moved to Frank Rogack.

Tues 9 Finished Frank Rogack 286 bu
 started on Martin " Broke
 fishback shaker & took it to Mon.
 Wed 10 Started again on Martin's & broke it ^{again}
 fixed it at home went back and
 finished 250 bu.
 Thurs 11 Moved to Mike Tins broke two
 bottom shakers & had new made
 in Harrisville. Finished 280 bu &
 moved to Joe Bluckenshies broke other
 shaker; fixed it & threshed 1 stack
 Fri 12 Finished at Bluckenshies 296 bu &
 started on August Matz's
 Sat 13 Finished Matz's 608 bu, Robbitts
 Kinsels 507 bu & moved 3 miles
 to August Wigenber then came
 home
 Sun 14
 Mon 15 Finished August Wigenber 464 bu
 moved to Julius Matz threshed some
 Tues 16 Julius Matz 509 bu & started on
 Ludwig Tinsens

Wed 17 Louis Timm 2194 bu & did most
of August Goodreans.

Thurs 18 August Goodrean 570 bu Herman
Kohnke 362 bu & started on Robt Timms.

Fri 19 Robt Timm 354 bu.

Sat 20 Witt 430 bu & then moved to
August Gelmor & finished 1 setting. ^(same house)

Sun 21 ☉

Mon 22 Finished August Gelmors 522 bu
& started for Westfield! Stopped
at Hugh Rooney's

Tues 23 Hugh Rooney 267 bu Jack Douglas
350 bu & started on Carl Coopers.

Wed 24 Carl Cooper 300 bu. Newton Camel
220 bu & stopped at old man Leopards.

Thurs 25 Old Leopard 181 bu August
Leopard 587 1/2 bu then to Paul Anzy.

Fri 26 where P & H sent huller.

Fri 26 Got Separator from Leopards because
it was too damp to hull. Threshed
A.M. & Hulled P.M. for Anzy.

Sat 27 Paul Anzy 800 bu grain 43 bu clover
moved huller to Jim Long's

Sun 28 Stayed at Bartz's

Mon 29 Got thresher from Anzy's & threshed
Alfred Camels 104 1/2 bu then ^{hulled}
Jim Long's 18 bu & moved to Sanders

Tues 30 Hulled for Sunder Whisterson

Wed 31 " " " "

1898 September 1898

Thurs 1 Finished Sanders 61 bu, Jack
Douglas 3 1/2 John Dabinski 3 bu "

Fri 2 Moved from Douglas's to Bert
Vaughn's & Hulled there some.

Sat 3 Bert Vaughn 39 bu & then for home.

Sun 4

Mon 5 Moved to Charlie Whitney 18 1/2 bu
& moved huller to Big Ann Shatkey's.

Tues 6 Hulled all day.

Wed 7 Finished Shatkey's 37 bu & started
with thresher again on ^{Feed} Dabinski's

Thurs 8 Fred Wabinski 320 bu, John
Rabr 469 bu then moved
thresher to Sunder Christen son

Fri 9 Threshed till noon at Gunders
& Gene Hartwell came & took my
place with black team I
went to Barty's got some apples
& came home

Sat 10 Cut corn on 40.

Sun 11 Frost !!! 14 mud hens
Social at Grandmas.

Mon 12 Cut corn on JH's with stone
boat.

Tues 13 in Cultivated Rye
Wed 14 15 muds.

Thurs 15 Cut corn on JH's.

Fri 16 " " " "

Sat 17 Cut corn on 40

Sun 18 0 13 muds / hell

Mon 19 Finished cutting corn on 40
& cut some on JH's.

Tues 20 Cut some sugar-cane & teamed
1 load

Wed 21 2 loads sugar-cane.

Thurs 22 Rained all day & Muds

Fri 23 Finished sugar-cane 1 load & Cane

Sat 24 Cut 2 rows of shocks on JH's & sowed
rye on 40. Pa went to Packwaukee.

Sun 25

Mon 26 Finished cutting corn & cut
beans on JH's.

Tues 27 Cut beans & teamed two loads

Wed 28 Dragged ^{land for} rye on on JH's Teamed all ^{beans}

Thurs 29 Pa got corn husks from
Pri. for Tom McDunough.

Fri 30 Sowed & dragged rye in on JH's.
Cut last of beans on 40

1898 October 1898

Sat 1 Finished sowing rye cutting
buck-wheat & dragging on J.H.'s.

Sun 2 12 mnds.

Mon 3 School Commenced. Got
mollasses from Prings
Commenced husking with
McDonow's machine broke
eccentric on engine & they
had to take it to Mon.

Tues 4 Dug potatoes with threshers.
Eccentric fixed & commenced again.

Wed 5 Threshed all of our on J.H.'s & 40 =
= 2 wagon boxes.

Thurs 6 Dug potatoes.

Fri 7 " "

Sat 8 " " & snuffed pop corn.

Sun 9 O. 7 mnds.

Mon 10 Dug potatoes.

Tues 11 Dug potatoes.

Wed 12 Schauer bean thresher around
helped Mrs Mackworth ^{70 lb} us & ^{30 lb} ^{27 lb} ⁷ ^{27 lb}
Set traps 4 mnds

Thurs 13 Helped Haselbrower ^{63 lb} thresh beans
Rained 3 mnds

Fri 14 Trats 3 mnds Pa went to Pri
with beans & Ma went to Chicago.
Grandma Block died today.

Sat 15 Richard Fenske helped us
dig potatoes 5 rats

Sun 16 Aunt Alice's baby died this
morning & Mr Keyes died this
evening 2 rats 4 mnds.

Mon 17 Pa got Ma from Pri. Rained
all day 5 rats.

Tues 18 Aunt Alice's baby & Mr
Keyes buried. Trats rained.

Wed 19 Dug potatoes 2 rats

Thurs 20 Finished digging potatoes

Rained 2 rats

Fri 21 4 rats 1 Mallowid & 2 Muds ✓

Sat 22 husked corn on JH's

" " 2 rats & 2 Muds Teamed loads
stover

Sun 23 5 rats 4 muds

Mon 24 3 rats Pa worked for Parker.

Bandt to help us 2 days to
Pa's 1. husked on JH's

Tues 25 Plastered in house. Snowed all day.

Wed 26 7 rats 1 mud. Teamed 3 loads stover.

Thurs 27 Pa went to Pri with beams
\$1.02 @ bn (12 bn & 6 lb 17 muds

Fri 28 1 rat 1 mud Pa went to Mon. got 7 hands
teeth pulled & took keifer to water.

Sat 29 3 rats. 1 load hay Martha Teske
had birthday party at Keyser's.

Sun 30 2 muds Band organized □

Mon 31 Pa took stove to Mar for
Parker. pulled turnips

1898 November 1898

Tues 1 Pulled turnips. set traps again □

Wed 2 1 sink, 4 rats, 3 muds. Pulled turnips.

Thurs 3 3 rats, 2 muds. Pulled last of turnips.

Fri 4 4 rats 1 mud

Sat 5 5 rats, 3 muds. Teamed 2 loads manure.

Sun 6 3 rats. Saw Gypsies.

Mon 7 Anne died on field while
hauling manure of we do not know
what. We skinned her 6 rats

Tues 8 2 Ducks. Election Took binder
to red barn.

Wed 9 2 muds. Husked corn.

Thurs 10 3 rats snap ped all corn on JH's.

Fri 11 Husked all corn on JH's

Sat 12 Settled bill with us for me
1/22 water-boy \$16.00 & bought
Old Katke for \$23.00. Killed ~~2~~ 1

Sun 13 ○

Mon 14 Teamed 2 loads stalks & 1
load hay daily bought my
83 rats & think for \$9.00 10¢ for rats

Tues 15 Teamed 3 loads stalks.

Wed 16 30.32 lbs eye to Pri 49¢ lb & sold
Hances hide for \$2.00 1 rat

Thurs 17 Pa took eye to Pri. 50¢ lb

Fri 18 " " " " " " " "

Sat 19 4 rats Teamed 3 loads manure.

Sun 20 3 rats & lost 1 trap Vinas birthday

Mon 21 Pa & ma went to Mon. & bought my ⁸⁹ suit

Tues 22 4 rats Pa went surveying. Stormy.

Wed 23 Working on wood pile.

Thurs 24 Spear'd 1 rat Bangued at Grandmas
for Thanksgiving Got my traps
out of ice.

Fri 25 Pa came home.

Sat 26 2 loads hay pa shot rabbit ^{1/2 pair}

Sun 27 Pa went surveying.

Mon 28 Papered & painted.

Tues 29 Teamed 3 loads of manure.

Wed 30 Teamed 4 loads manure 1 prairie hen.

1898 December, 1898

Thurs 1 Pa teamed for Old man Reimke.

Fri 2 1 load manure. Shod horses &
teamed 1 load stalks for Reimke.

Sat 3 2 loads manure & 2 loads wood.

Sun 4 - - - - -

Mon 5 Pa took Pennyfil to Wautona
with Boggle & Belle. ^(Penny) I worked
on stair way.

Tues 6 Pa took Pennyfil to Pri with Belle.

Wed 7 2 loads manure & 2 loads wood

Thurs 8 Pa went to Montello to have
rubber top preserved on & took
papers to John Jones & Mon.

Fri 9 1 partridge Took 1 load manure,
Took old Hartwells bear fodder
to him & teamed all ours home ^(3 loads)

Sat 10 Teamed 1 load stover. Pa
went to Mon.

Sun 11 Got lambs from
Pierce's (Breeder's sheep)

Mon 12 Got Xmas tree & fixed
some up.

Tues 13 1 load Hay.

Wed 14 Took ^{1st} straw to Pa H.
1 load wood.

Thurs 15 2 loads wood

Fri 16 Borrowed Pierce's ^{buzz} saw &
sawed.

Sat 17 Sawed till noon & then
Pierce got saw. Took some wood
into shed.

Sun 18 Gottlieb Wagner burnt
himself & buildings.

People going to see the ruins.

Mon 19 * First day in school in ¹⁸⁹⁶
Hugh Yates teacher.

Tues 20 * Pa drawing maps.

Wed 21 *

Thurs 22 2 loads wood.

Fri 23 1 load hay. Back broke & had
to load again.

Sat 24 Helped old Man Beckwith
with one load hay.

Parrellis got 1. " "

Sun 25 Christmas. Celebrated
at S. Church.

Mon 26 2 loads manure.

Tues 27 3 " "

Wed 28 Put all our wood in
the shed.

Thurs 29 Lawsuit Jahr vs Duchenke

Fri 30 2 loads wood.

Sat 31 Failure at setting power
for E. J. Phillips.

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1899 January 1899

Sun 1 New Year party at Pierce's.

Mon 2 2 loads wood

Tues 3 * Pa shod horses at P.H.'s shop.

Wed 4 * Bottle Engine disabled.

~~Thurs~~ Pa shod our horses.

Thurs 5 *

Fri 6 *

Sat 7 Set saw & sawed.

Sun 8 0

Mon 9 Shod Grandpa's horses

I sawed our wood. Subsawed for boards

Tues 10 Finished sawing.

Wed 11 Sawed yesterday & finished today.

Thurs 12 *

Fri 13 *

Sat 14 2 loads manure from
O.P. Phillis,

Sun 15

Mon 16 *

Tues 17 *

Wed 18 *

Thurs 19 *

Fri 20 *

Sat 21 *

Sun 22

Mon 23 *

Tues 24 *

Wed 25 *

Thurs 26 *

Fri 27 *

Sat 28

Sun 29

Mon 30 *

Tues 31 *

Lawsuits of
Jones & Morris vs
P.H. adjourned.1 load hay & chopped
willows on 20
Sawed Money's & Fanny's
horns off
Pa & A = - V.1 load bedding & cleared
on marsh.* Pa went to Westfield
with injunction.

* Mr Parker died of pneumonia.

* Mrs Parker buried.

* Pa got off his cow back from tax collector.

* Pierce's creamery burned.

1899 February 1899

Wed 1 * Jurgens suing Krueger
for blackening his eye.

Thurs 2 * Taught X for plates who
was subpoenaed as
witness for Jurgens case.

Fri 3 *

Sat 4 Went for P's lost huller
at Sonnenberg's Herman.
about 24 miles, got back
to Rojocks & left it.

Sun 5

Mon 6 Brought the huller home
from Rojocks & put it under
shed. Plates kicked by
horse & Mo* this week.

Tues 7 2 big loads hay from 20.

Wed 8 Very cold

Thurs 9 Pa went to Mon. on account
of Krueger & Jurgens suit.

Fri 10 Pa went again, case set
off to June 6.

Sat 11 Very cold.

Sun 12

Mon 13 2 loads hay.

Tues 14 2 loads hay & started home
stack.

Wed 15 2 loads hay.

Thurs 16 " " Finished home
stack. X

Fri 17 Put up ^{ice} 1 load manure. \
Granery to cutting ice at Lake.

Sat 18 Helped Grandpa put up his
ice & gave him ^{was} 50 cakes.

Sun 19

Mon 20 * 3 loads manure.

Tues 21 * 3 " " "

Wed 22 * 3 " " "

Jessy came in.

Thurs 23) * 3 loads manure.

Fri 24 Pa got power pinion at P. for 75¢.

Sat 25 Pa sawed wood for Honey
Krinke for \$3.00¢.

Sun 26

Mon 27 * Being examined in
Physiology.

Tues 28 Pa seeing to Eff's exemptions.
Being examined in Physiology & Grammar.

Wed 30

1899 March 1899

Wed 1 2 loads wood.

Thurs 2 2 " "

Fri 3 2 " "

Sat 4 1 " " Had an
entertainment ^(Dinner) at school house.

Sun 5 Took ride to Mon. with crowd.

Mon 6 * Examined in Grammar &
started in Arithmetic.

Tues 7 * Finished Arithmetic
Pa fixing power.

Wed 8 Fixed power & moved to
Henslin's

Thurs 9 * Pa sawed wood at Henslin's
Medicine Show in town.

Fri 10 * Pa has whisky ache. Rainy

Sat 11 Sawed wood for old man
Shultz. Had a rain flood
1 load manure 2 squirrels.

Sun 12 Bailing water from barn.

Mon 13 Sawed all old man Shultz's wood.

Tues 14 * 2 squirrels 1 load stover.

Wed 15 * Fred Barty dead.

Thurs 16 * " " buried.

Fri 17 Worked $\frac{1}{2}$ day surveying
for Pennyfil on Railroad

Sat 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ day for Pennyfil. Took
Jetty to B.

Sun 19 Bert & Julius Partz
Fred Day & wife visited, Md.

Mon 20 Surveyed on R.R.
* stayed over night at Hotel.
Leveling for Pennyfil.

Tue 21 Surveyed 7 days & came
home & drew pictures.

Wed 22 P. drawing. E. & I got 2 loads
stover. 5 squirrels.

Thurs 23 *

Fri 24 X Went up around Hugh Yates
& played that Rascal Pat for
church

Sat 25 Stayed at Hugh Yates till
P.M. then came home.

Sun 26 Robt. Weckwerth buried.
Pa got Pennyfil from near Welker.

Mon 27 Wrote at teachers Examination
at Mon

Tue 28 Got through writing at
Examination

Wed 29 *

Thurs 30 Wrote on Constitution *

Fri 31 Surveyed for R.R. Col Pennyfil

1899 April 1899

Sat 1 Sawn wood for Hazelbower &
Buzzy saw.

Sun 2 Easter

Mon 3 Teamed 2 loads hay (all) 1 load
wood.

Tue 4 Pa & I went to Pri. Spring ^{6 mi}

Wed 5 Sawn Old J's wood

Thurs 6 Pa got 1500 of corn at 50¢ a cut.

Fri 7 Sawn our wood & set for
Weckwerth's 4½ cords

Sat 8 Finished Weckwerth's 4½ cords
& Grandpas 1½ cords

Sun 9

Wm 10 Rained 2 loads sawdust.

Tue 11 3 loads manure hot as coals

Wed 12 1 load " Took old binder part

Thurs 13 Pa went Surveying Cleaned barn.

Fri 14 Went to teachers institute at Mon.

Horse 1 day & mrs 1 meal at Pat

Croakers 37½ & Lectured at W.E. Ch.

Sat 15 Lodging 1 meal horse all day

at Pat's 37½ &

Sun 16

Mon 17 Plowing for wheat.

Tue 18 Plowing

Wed 19 Finished plowing wheat land

& dragged.

Thurs 20 Dragged 7 da 1 duck 1 hon (Rain

Ma fell through horses feed

hole & we got Pa & the Doctor.

Fri 21 Sowed & dragged wheat

in & started plowing

oat land.

Sat 22 Plowing oat land. Had

SNth Fanny.

Sun 23 3 ducks

Mon 24 Fired our pasture & hired

Pierce's mules 1 day to

plow for oats

Tue 25 Finished plowing & harrowing

& started dragging Mules ½ day

Wed 26 Sowed oats & dragged ^{some in}

Pa went Surveying to Endeavor.

Thurs 27 Finished dragging oats &

started plowing for corn. (Rained

Took little sow to boar.

Fri 28 Plowed 2 loads manure ^{Rained}

Pa back from Endeavor.

Sat 29 4 loads manure.

Sun 30 Libeyskies visited us 1 snipe

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Mon 1 2 loads manure from E. J. Plowed.
R went to Pri for Peirce

Tue 2 4 loads manure from E. J. Rained
Wed 3 4 " " " Plowed

Daisy got mired Had Peirce's ^{mule} Fan

Thurs 4 2 loads manure & plowed. Had
SNH's Fanny.

Fri 5 Had the mule Fan 2 loads manure
& plowed

Sat 6 Finished plowing corn land
with SNH's Fanny 1 Gopher.

Sun 7 0
Mon 8 Dragged corn land Had Peirce's
Pansy.

Tue 9 Had mule Fan $\frac{1}{2}$ da marking

Wed 10 Commenced planting & finished
marking on 40. Pa started

Thurs 11 plowing for corn on JH's (Pansy)

Fri 12 Finished planting one strip
of corn on 40. plowed on JH's.

Sat 13 Sowed wood for SNH.
Sun 14

Mon 15 Plowed Parker's garden 2 manures
19 gopher Padrawing

Tue 16 Plowed on JH's Padrawing.

Wed 17 Plowed on JH's most done for corn
19 gopher Pa scouting at Pri.

Thurs 18 Finished plowing dragging &
started marking on JH's.

Fri 19 Marked & started planting JH's

Sat 20 Finished marking & planting "
Sun 21 Peirce's mule Dick 1 da. 3 manures

Mon 22 spread 1. R went to Pri.
Tue 23 Peirce's mule Dick $\frac{1}{2}$ da. 4 manures.

Wed 24 Peirce " " " 1 "
Thurs 25 ~~1~~ 2 da. on road & 1 manure.

Fri 26 Teamed 2 or 3 manures

Sat 27 Planted sugarcane etc Rained
Washed Pa acknowledged Shields
Creamery Association.

Sun 28 Took Nell to Stallion.

Mon 29 Pagot 1200 of corn of Gordon.

Tues 30 Teamed manure

Wed 31 & Plowed.

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Thurs 1 Plowed & 2 manures.

Fri 2 " & planted beans on 40 ^{1 manure}

Sat 3 Planted Early Ohio potatoes on 40.
Swimming 2 manures.

Sun 4

"

Mon 5 Planted beans on 40. Young W.

Tues 6 Worked at Shields Creamery for
4 1/2 Week. 1 da. 2 manures.

Wed 7 Commenced plowing ry elder
on 40.

Thurs 8 Finished plowing ry in &
marked some.

Fri 9 Started cultivating corn & planted
potatoes on 40.

Sat 10 Cultivated corn & planted potatoes
(on 40)

Sun 11

Mon 12 Pa went Surveying He
planted beans on 40.

Tues 13 Planted " & potatoes on 40
Pa came back.

Wed 14 Plowed strip by barn on 40
& planted potatoes & beans.

Thurs 15 Finished cultivating corn
1 way & started the other way.

Fri 16 Cultivated corn on 40.

Sat 17 " on 40 AM & got
mower from marsh PM.

Sun 18 Finished cultivating corn on 40

Mon 19 & started on He or (Hanes) He

Com
Tues 20 Cutting clover on 40 & PM 1899 July July 1899
Cultivate on H's.

Wed 21 " " "
Thurs 22 " " "

Fri 23 Cut S. patch of clover & plant potatoes.
Sat 24 Teamed S. patch of clover in barn at 40 & cultivated
at H's

Sun 25 Started again
Mon 26 Raked & teamed S. patch of clover into barn.
Tues 27 Fixed pasture fence for calves
Raining

Wed 28 Plowed on 40 & H's.
Thurs 29 Finished cultivating on H's # & cultivated on 40
Fri 30 Cultivating corn & beans on 40.

Sat 1 Cultivated beans & corn on 40 & H's
Permanent to Pri.

Sun 2 O O Ashboro & Germania band practiced for 4th at Ash.

Mon 3 Picked beans & got ready for 4th
Tues 4 Played at Ash. & had a good time.

Wed 5 Cultivated & hoed on 40
Thurs 6 Cut rye for Theis. Cultivated on 40

Fri 7 Pa took beans to Pri (K O) and got some oats. Hoed on 40.

Sat 8 Looking for school
Cultivated & hoed on 40

Sun 9 O
Mon 10 Finished cutting Theis's rye 5 1/2 acres & 1 ball twine

Tues 11 Cut rye on 40 & cultivated
 Had Peirce's mules & da & cut
 rye on JH's.

Wed 12 Finished cutting rye on G.H.'s
 with Peirce's mules & started
 on JH's.

Thurs 13 Had Peirce's mules plowing from
 10 A.M. to 5 1/2 P.M.

Fri 14 Plowed on JH's.

Sat 15 Plowed & sowed turnips on 40
 2 manures.

~~Sun 16~~ Amelia Block & Minnie
 Reinholz of Chicago came
 to visit us

Sun 16 ☉

Mon 17 1 manure & cut rye on
 JH's A.M. with Peirce's mules
 P.M. cut on JH's with his
 horse Jack.

Tues 18 Had "Peirce's" & finished
 cutting JH's rye.

Wed 19 Sowed turnips on 40 & cultivated

Thurs 20 Cut hay 5 acres on G.H.'s
 with scythe P.M. stacked 2 loads

Fri 21 ~~JH's~~ rye
 Finished stacking 2 1/2 loads
 of G.H.'s rye & stacked 2 of JH's ^{social}

Sat 22 Finished stacking the 3
 loads of JH's & got hay from
 G.H.'s to top off with.

Sun 23 ☉ Poked horses shod & logged
 by Carpenter. Went to see
 about school at
 & took Emil King & tod chest
 had grandpas horse.

Mon 24

Tues 25 Cut hay on G.H.'s

Wed 26 Making Hay

Thurs 27

Fri 28 Cut hay on G.H.'s with scythe
 & cut oats on 40 for horses

Sat 29 Made one stack on 20 & cocked hay on G.H.'s.

Sun 30 Last day of this summer Had a picnic on Demell's.

Mon 31 Cut our wheat & started oats (40) Peirce's horse 1 do.

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Tues 1 Stacked 11 on G.H.'s

Wed 2 Finished cutting oats with Peirce's horse $\frac{3}{4}$ do.

Thurs 3 Fixed mower & trucks.

Fri 4 Making winter shed for cows

Sat 5 Teamed four loads oats.

Sun 6 Aunt Annelia & Cousin Minnie went to Bart's & came back. I went to Camp at Corn Lake.

Mon 7 Made last stack oats & whet ~~loads~~.

Tues 8 Cut hay on 20

Wed 9 Cocked " " "

Thurs 10 1 stack on 20 (Rained) Started cutting on Peirce's.

Fri 11 Rained W. M. Mathway " "

Sat 12 Pa took Annelia & Minnie to train 1 stack on 20.

Sun 13

Mon 14 Cocked & cut hay on Peirce's

Tues 15 Stacked 1 stack of " making horse stall

Wed 16 topped off hay stack on G.H.'s Started threshing rye with E.J.

Thurs 17 Brandon as rye 74 bu

Our wheat 18 "

" oats 126

J.H.'s rye 87

Fri 18 Raked & cocked hay on E.P.'s ^{30 5} bu

Cocked & made 1 stack on 20

Sat 19 Haying

Sun 20

Mon²¹ Cut hay on 20

Tues²² Went to see about crystals
Lake School. Coked & raked hay on 20

Wed²³ 1 stack on 20 & cut most of
grass (Rained)

Thurs²⁴ Plowed on Hausie's.

Fri²⁵ Finished cutting hay on 20
& raked & coked most of it.

Sat²⁶ Pled & stacked 1 stack on 20

Sun²⁷

Mon²⁸ 2 stacks on 20

Tues²⁹ Raked & coked last of hay
made 2 stacks & finished
for this year.

Wed³⁰ Started cutting corn on 40
El. Plowed. Tri the bossy died.

Thurs³¹ Cut corn on 40

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Fri¹ Cut corn on H's.

Sat² " " " " " " Am. P.M.
made contract for crystal
Lake school Dist. No 3 for
Tans. @ \$19 per mo. plowing on H's.

Sun³ had picnic on Demell's.

Mon⁴ Finished cutting corn
on H's & started on 40
Finished plowing on H's.

Tues⁵ Cut corn on 40 El. dragged
Wed⁶ Cut " " " " " " Pasowed rye
on H's & JH's.

Thurs⁷ Pierce threshed 8244 Hanger ³²

Fri⁸ Worked for Pat W^m Week.
threshed El. dragged rye in.

Sat⁹ Cut corn on 40

El. " clover " "

Sun¹⁰ Fished with mitt,

Mon 11 cut all our corn
Pa disking on t^hs
Applied for License
Tue 12 Pa disked. I got " "
Wed 13 1 mud 2 shell (2 shots) Plowed
out beans & bunched
Thurs 14 3 ducks ^{real} 2 muds 1 shell (3 shots)
Plowed beans & bunched
Fri 15 1 teal 2 muds (4 s) Plowed
& teamed beans
Sat 16 Plowed all teamed
beans into 40 barn PM
Sun 17 3 teal 3 muds (10 s)
Mon 18 Working beans in Plowed.
Pa has poisoned heel.
Tue 19 2 teal 3 muds (5 s)
Forked up last of beans &
teamed in some.
Plowed & stripped cane
Wed 20 1 teal 3 muds (4 s) Teamed
in all of beans Stripped cane
Plowed

Thurs 21 0 = (2 s) Stripped
cane & cut some Pa had heel
lanced in Pri^{Doc} by McComell
Fri 22 1 mud (3 s) Plowed &
made fence at home
Sat 23 Had Percis mules 1 da to plow
2 teams on JH's & finished
Sun 24 1 mud (4 s) ~~Plowed~~ ^{Finished}
Mon 25 1 teal (2 s) ~~JH's~~ ^{dragged}
Tue 26
Wed 27 Dragging for eye on JH's
husked 1 wagon box of corn
Thurs 28 Sowed eye on JH's &
dragged & husked.
Fri 29 3 teal 1 mud 5 striped (5 s)
Husked corn & dragged
in eye
Sat 30 Teamed 1 load cane to
Kings Threshed 51 bu ^{beans}

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Squirrels 11-1

Partridges 1

Wadhens 14-15-13-5-12-7-4-3-4-2-2
-4-17-3-2-13-2

Muskrats -2-5-2-5-7-2-2-4
-2-5-8-7-3-4-3-4-5-5-3-4-3-4