Thursday, July 1, 1869.

Very strong west wind till about 5; then it ceased & looks as though we should get a rain soon.

I and father plough'd between the potatoes today; it was very weedy. I have also hoed a few shews. I rather guess that this is the last year that we shall raise shews on beware. If we make enough we shall plough them out.

Friday, July 2, 1869.

Warm, pleasant...indy. I have hoed the Harrison potatoes (187) hills in all.

Have also finished doing the crops. Have also planted fodder corn where the potatoes did not come up.
Saturday, July 3, 1869.

It was been a very warm pleasant day.

Paid Willie Eaton 15 do. for riding the horse to cultivate the corn this morning which we finished.

Went to a picnic in the pine grove behind Bolen's. House this forenoon; had a good time.

Sunday, July 4, 1869.

Very hot. Eeater to night a strong wind blew.

Went to Sunday school this morning. We fixed the fence in the home pasture where the Bull got out.

I shaved with a razor for the first time and I guess it will be the last.
Monday, July 5, 1869.

Cool & Windy.
Have hoed corn to day.
Mr. Rosell has helped us hoed.
Mr. Dillingham & Co. one half day.
Father has walked in the hops.

Tuesday, July 6, 1869.

Pleasant.
I and Mr. Rose have hoed corn all day, and
Henri Dillingham half a day.
Father has worked in the hop field.
Finished haying corn to day.

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Wednesday, July 7, 1869.

Pleasant.

I have finished shoveling potatoes to day. 

Dillingham worked from 4 o'clock till 5 in the afternoon.

Thursday, July 8, 1869.

Has been pleasant this forenoon. Rained a little about 4 o'clock. Worked part of the beans in the hogs. Mr. Rose helped half a day.

Went to see a snowing match this afternoon between the Buckeye and Kenippen.

Mother went to Mexico Corners in the afternoon; to Mrs. Parks's & the sewing circle which met there. 

Further work in the vines.
Friday, July 9, 1869.

Cloudy this forenoon. Rainy this afternoon.
Hoe'd hops a little this forenoon.
Father worked on the vines.

Saturday, July 10, 1869.

Pleasant.

I have hoed hops and Beans.
Father has put up the strag vines on the twilites.
Our Plums are going nice.
Sunday, July 11, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant, windy. The Universalist Sabbath school had a concert at the meeting house this afternoon. It was very good.

Went to the Chapel in the forenoon to meetings.

Monday, July 12, 1869.

Cooler today. Windy, out west. I have hoed Beans. Father has marked on Hops.
Tuesday, July 13, 1869.

A Warm & Pleasant.

I have finished haying the Beams at five P.M. I hoed and sanded the Tomatoes after supper. Got a pair of suspenders at Chas. (a few days)

Father worked in the hop.

Wednesday, July 14, 1869.

Warm & Pleasant.

Father & myself have moved the Orchard to day. Mr. Redder & father got the grey cow down off the Hill pasture and gave her a dose of saltpetre. She is looking pretty poorly now.
Thursday, July 15, 1869.

Drizzly.
Father and I went a little out west to the hop field.

Friday, July 16, 1869.

Drizzly. This morning, but it cleared up at 2 o'clock P.M. warm and pleasant.

Father and I saw the price of land at the end of the week this afternoon.
Saturday, July 17, 1869.

Pleasant. Very strong northeast wind most of the day. Have got my two loads of hay today.

It was cool tonight.

Sunday, July 18, 1869.

Warm and pleasant. Fed grass and corn to the beef cattle back to pasture today. Brought the heifer calf down and put her in the orchard with the pansies.

Got my two loads of hay today.
Monday, July 19, 1869.

Pleasant weather. Father and I mowed an acre. Scot and I mowed an acre and a half for us. Willie Eaton helped us make this afternoon. We put up 97 bales.

Tuesday, July 20, 1869.

Another good day.

We rose came here at 10 o'clock and worked the rest of the day. Willie Eaton worked most of all day. We got in 7 loads of hay. Raked and put up 5 1/2 bales more. Scot Chase mowed another piece of grass this forenoon.
Wednesday, July 21, 1869.

Cloudy and drizzly.
Got in two loads of hay this morning.
Mr. Rose helped us this forenoon.
We mowed a large piece of the oats.

Thursday, July 22, 1869.

Pleasant. Windy.
Have maked up 65 tumbles of hay.
W. Eaton helped this afternoon.
Sot Chose mowed a little this P.M.
Friday, July 23, 1869.

A very good hay day. Have got in 4 loads of hay, and raked and tumbled up over a hundred bales more. Mr. Rose came at 10 A.M. and quit at 7. Willie Eaton worked this afternoon.

Saturday, July 24, 1869.

Blotchy, warm day. Have got in six (6) loads of hay. Scott & Chase mowed the piece below the hop field after supper. Mr. Rose worked from 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.

W. Eaton 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.
Sunday, July 25, 1869.

Very hot today.

Have raked up
the grass and mowed for us
last night
and tied it up.

Had Scott Chase's
horse take to it
not like it very well.

Monday, July 26, 1869.

Very warm today.

Had a
thunder shower about 1/2 o'clock
which wet our hay about 3 loads of it that
we did not have time to get in.

Got on the load of hay.

Mr. Chase helped
us from 6 till
half a day.
Tuesday, July 27, 1869.

Hot, cloudy and showery. Got in a load of oats for our horse, then we got in a load of hay of our own. Then a shower came and wet the rest of 2 loads. The hay was all made.

Wednesday, July 28, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant. Have got in three (3) loads of hay. Mowed some this morning. Have got in 28 loads of hay so far.
Thursday, July 29, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant.

Had some showers.

I cut up some old dead apple trees this forenoon.

Friday, July 30, 1869.

Have had a S. W. west wind all day; so it has been somewhat cooler than it was yesterday.

Have got six two small yags.

Have mowed and cocked up 28 tumbles.

Lee helped us get up the hay.
Saturday, July 31, 1869.

Good hay day. Have got in one load of hay. Mr. Stockbridge worked for us to day.

I have felt unwell all day. I had a vomiting spell after supper and was pretty sick.

Sunday, August 1, 1869.

Pleasant day.

I feel much better this morning, am in hopes to be all right by tomorrow.

Father and Mother have rode up to the pasture to sell the young cattle.
Monday, August 2, 1869.

Pleasant.
Have got in three loads of hay.
Mr. Stockbridge worked for us to day.

Tuesday, August 3, 1869.

Warm and cloudy.
Have finished our mowing today. Stockbridge came at 9 o'clock.

I put had a heat to day.
Monday, August 2, 1869.

Pleasant.

Have got in three loads of hay.

Mr Stockbridge worked for us to-day.

Tuesday, August 3, 1869.

Warm and cloudy.

Have finished our mowing to-day. Mr Stockbridge came at 8 o'clock and worked for the rest of the day.

Spent a few hours at home.
Wednesday, August 4, 1869.

Good hay day.
I have finished our haying on the farm for this year. Got in five loads.

stockbridge worked half a day.
I piled wood this afternoon.

Thursday, August 5, 1869.

Cloudy.
Father hooed some weeds in the potatoes I piled wood.
Friday, August 6, 1869.

Pleasant. Cool west wind.

Father hock hops. I finished piling the wood about 3 o'clock. I then worked pulling mongrel beans the rest of the day.

Saturday, August 7, 1869.

Very cold last night. Have had rain squalls today. There was a total eclipse of the sun in some parts of the U.S. I viewed about 3/6 of it here observed Father and myself huck hops.
Friday, August 6, 1869.

Pleasant.
Cool west wind.

Father had hops. I finished picking the hops about 9 o'clock. I then worked pulling mongrel beans today.

Saturday, August 7, 1869.

Very cold last night. Have had rain equals 5 days.

There was a total eclipse of the sun in some part of the U.S. It was about 3/4 there observed.

Father and myself had hops.
Sunday, August 8, 1869.

Very cold night. Threw at 40. Pleasant.

Rode up to the pasture this morning and called the cattle. Rode up on the plains and saw the horses; they are affected by the drought badly.

Led the bull up onto the hill tonight.

Monday, August 9, 1869.

Pleasant.

Had a cold night. Threw a 39. Have horeh hops today.

Ben Learnt came down here and told us to night that our bull had killed one of his speckled mares in fighting.
Tuesday, August 10, 1869.

"Very hot day.
Their 90 in the shade.
Have hoed hops.
Father and I went up and got the Bull this morning.
There has not been any rain to wet the ground any for 257 days.
Things are wilting badly for want of a good rain."

Wednesday, August 11, 1869.

"Very hot day.
Their 90 in the shade.
We finished haying this morning, then we pulled out the thistles and weeds.
Tore the yellow-eyed beans, and made out a day's work tying the hogs, where they had fallen down."
Thursday, August 12, 1869.

Very warm day. Have been tying hops to day. Mother went to Canton and back to day.

Friday, August 13, 1869.

Pleasant and warm. Wind out Eastmost of the time. Have been helping tying the hops up to day. Father paid Freeman Griffith one dollar for a bucket windlass.
Saturday, August 14, 1869.

Pleasant.
Have been tying up horses.
Uncle Bradley and Sarah and George came here to night.
Freeman Griffith has our wagon to go to Phillips with to haul some good next week.

Sunday, August 15, 1869.

Has been a rainy day. Father and I went up and mow the grass that Mr. Parker left on his meadow and some that he has left. We did not think it was the getting.

Uncle Bradley went home this afternoon.
Monday, August 16, 1869.

Cloudy day.
I have cut a few bushes and have tied up a few hops. Father went with Dewitt Chase to see a piece of Meadow land this afternoon.

Mr. Mitchell says our hops are stout.

Tuesday, August 17, 1869.

Cloudy day.
I have been tying up hops to day.

Father has put a new bottom in the farm wagon body.

Mother Sarah and Cadia went to the Miner at opening at Penn this afternoon.
Wednesday, August 18, 1869.

Cloudy. Warmer to-day.
I have been hauling muck to dry on the grass-hill and to top dress it; I spread the muck as fast as I hauled it out of the waggon.

Father has worked making a hop box to-day.

Thursday, August 19, 1869.

Cloudy & warm.
I have been hauling muck and spreading it to-day.
Father has worked on the hop box.
Wednesday, August 18, 1869.

Cloudy. Warmer to-day.

I have been hauling muck to dry on to the grass land to top dress it; I spread the muck as fast as I hauled it out of the wagon.

I have worked making a hop today.

Thursday, August 19, 1869.

Cloudy & warm.

I have been hauling muck and spreading it to-day.

Father has worked on the hop hop.
Friday, August 20, 1869.

Rained all last night and some of the forenoon.
It is very hot this afternoon; and evening.
Father worked on the hop top.

I hauled much this afternoon.
Mother got home from the spring this afternoon; she heard that Uncle Bradley was thrown out of his gig and injured slightly; but did not claim all the particulars.

Pleasant.

I have hauled much all day.

Aunt Sarah went to cotton this morning.

Went to a temperance lecture to night at the Church. (by Rev. Gerald.)
Sunday, August 22, 1869.

Pleasant.

He has been on the hill and salted the cattle and gave the cows a dose of salt.

The afternoon went up and saw Mr. Mitchell's hop field and the Bracketts' fields.

Also major.

Went to the afternoon meeting at the chapel.

Went to the Commanders' lecture in the evening.

Monday, August 23, 1869.

Pleasant.

Wind out west.

Have hauled much to day.

Father has worked on the hop top.

Aunt Sarah pays Uncle Bradley is much better than he was.
Tuesday, August 24, 1869.

Warm & Pleasant.
Father worked on hops.
I spread much.
I added to the weights & tonight I da and it was weight to readfield.

Wednesday, August 25, 1869.

Cloudy this afternoon.
Rained this afternoon.
I hauled much this afternoon.
I play in to my weights to night.
Father worked on hops.
Thursday, August 26, 1869.

Pleasant.
Windy. (out west)
I have finished hauling manure on to the grain land to day. Father has nearly finished the hop to.

Mr. White and I came back to day.

Friday, August 27, 1869.

Pleasant.
I have hauled muck into the Barn cellar to day.
Saturday, August 28, 1869.

Pleasant, rained this afternoon.

Mitchell commenced picking hops today.

Went to pasture and got the hay.

Father sold his lambs to Ben Lease at $3.50 per head, excepting four, which he reserved.

Bought 200 log h.p.

Bagging cloth, 2 cases, $3.37.

Mother and Geo. made 4 hops bags of flax.

Sunday, August 29, 1869.

Pleasant, had a first-rate rain last night.

Went to pasture and salted the stock.

Rode out with the girls, and got some choke cherries.
Monday, August 30, 1869.

Pleasant.

I have been cutting weeds in the potato field.

Father has worked on the well.

Tuesday, August 31, 1869.

I have been a cold, cloudy day. (out Net)

Have had rain pretty well this afternoon.

I have been cutting weeds in the corn field.

Father has worked on the well.

The young cattle got out again today.

I drove them back and went over the brush fence.
Wednesday, September 1, 1869.

Has been a squally day.

Mother and I have worked on the well today.

Mother got back from Canton today.

Thursday, September 2, 1869.

Noisy today.

Decided to go to the mill to get a half bushel of corn and a half bushel of rye at the mill.

Father worked on the well today.
Friday, September 3, 1869.

Cloudy.

I have hauled 2 cords of wood from the Brickyard and to Mitchell's hop house; to dry our hops; we shall commence picking ours tomorrow if it is fair, with some hopes. The cotton gins are here at last, picking to pick soon.

We hauled the hops down to our field tonight.

Saturday, September 4, 1869.

It has been a hot day.

Have picked hops.

The cattle got out again today.
Sunday, September 5, 1869.

Pleasant.
Very hot day.

Gather and myself drove the young cattle back to the pasture this morning. We found all the sheep and lambs. The ram lamb was not in the flock we know now that he died in the pasture before shearing time. For there was but 21 then and there is the same now.

Ben Leavitt goes to make a fence between us and corners and repair the Bemis fence $120.00.
Tuesday, September 7, 1869

Very hot. Thunders. Have picked hops. Very warm night. Wind out on the

Wednesday, September 8, 1869

Cloudy & Warm all day. I commenced training our supper and training Ward now.

The young cattle got out and we drove them back this afternoon and got good hops.
Thursday, September 9, 1869.

Cloudy.
Have picked hops.

Friday, September 10, 1869.

Cloudy + dreary.
Have picked hops.
Saturday, September 11, 1869

Pleasant
Have picked hops.

Sunday, September 12, 1869

It was cold last night. Have had a pleasant day.
Have finished picking hops at half past eleven to day.
I carried the cobran girls home this afternoon.
Monday, September 13, 1869.

Pleasant.

I have pulled all of our Beans alone today.

Father has stacked those in the shed and some in the corn.

Tuesday, September 14, 1869.

Very warm. Pleasant.

Father and I have stacked Beans today.

It is warm tonight.
Wednesday, September 15, 1869.

Pleasant. Very hot.

I mowed the oats this forenoon. Nearly done.

Father finished stacking the beans.

I went to the lyceum to-night.

Thursday, September 16, 1869.

Pleasant. Rain last. Cloudy this afternoon.

We got in the oats to-day.
Friday, September 17, 1869.

Cloudy day.
I commenced digging a ditch and took the pasture to day worked until this forenoon.
Mother and I went a blackberrying this afternoon with a company to Liffey mining.

I went to the weekly meeting to night.

Saturday, September 18, 1869.

Cloudy day.
Willie Eaton and myself have him off all day after our crops and black not found them.
Sunday, September 19, 1869.

Pleasant.
Father and I went and hunted up the calves to-day; we found them in the woods back of the pasture by the brook.
We drove our calves home and put them in the field with the others.

Monday, September 20, 1869.

Pleasant.
I have been ditching to-day.
Father has worked on the well.
I have commenced picking cranberries to-day.
I got a pair of alder for five cents.
Tuesday, September 21, 1869.

So cloudy.
I worked on the ditch.
Father on the well.

Wednesday, September 22, 1869.

So cloudy.
I have worked on the ditch.
Father on the well.
Thursday, September 23, 1869.

Pleasant and warm.
I have been ditching.
Father has worked on the well.
There was a drove of cattle put in the yard an hour or two.

Friday, September 24, 1869.

Pleasant.
I ditched this forenoon.
Father and I got the beans this afternoon.
Saturday, September 25, 1869.

Pleasant.
I shocked part of the corn to-day.
I went for sand to a party with Cornelia and Melba Bassett.

Sunday, September 26, 1869.

Cloudy and Drizzly.
Father and I watered the cattle. Went on to S. E. Griffith's log.
Monday, September 27, 1869.

It rained hard till noon; and then it cleared off cool and windy. I cut corn this afternoon.

Tuesday, September 28, 1869.

Cold and windy.
I have finished shucking corn today.
Father has worked on the well.
Wednesday, September 29, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.
I have just retired to day.
Had a little freeze last night.

Thursday, September 30, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.
We have threshed the oats to day.
The yield was 26 bush.
Father has been giving the grist mill.

September has been a very warm month.
Friday, October 1, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.

I have dug potatoes.

Saturday, October 2, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.
I have dug potatoes, and helped bat out the well.

Mother has written to Grandmother to come to day.

(There are 10 bushels of the Harrisons)

Harvested out 3 bushels of corn to day.
Sunday, October 3, 1869.

Rainy day.
Mother has written to Grandmother from the day.

Monday, October 4, 1869.

Rained hard all day. The river is very high, and is rising fast.
He asked out 4 bushels more corn.
DeWitt and Celia came from Canton to day, they got as far as greensboro, and had to leave their horse, as the bridge was carried away. It has cleared off this eve at 8 am.
Tuesday, October 5, 1869.

Cloudy.
The river fell 4 or 5 feet during after 12 o'clock last night. There is an immense amount of damage done by sweeping off houses, tents and mills and bridges that we have heard of. The floors of the saw mill has burst out to day knocking out some under framing with it.

At eleven o'clock last night the river was higher by several feet than it ever has been before. Ditched in the P.M.
Thursday, October 7, 1869.

Pleasant.
Father and myself worked on the road today.

Friday, October 8, 1869.

Pleasant.
Father and I worked on the road today.
Saturday, October 9, 1869.

Pleasant.
Father and I worked on the road in the forenoon. We got in corn in the afternoon. Husked out 2 bushels 1 corn in street.

Sunday, October 10, 1869.

Wind out East all day. Cloudy this afternoon.

We called the young cattle in the Pen. The young cattle got out into the road through some gines, field, and W B a chet drove them down here.

I fixed the fence between us and Bosco this A.M.
Monday, October 11, 1869.

It rained hard last night; cleared off this morning. We drove the young cattle back and mended the fence. I husked corn this afternoon. We husked this eve. Husked out 10½ bushels this makes 19½ bushels small.

Tuesday, October 12, 1869.

Pleasant. I have worked on the road today. Father got in the turnips. Husked out 5 bushels.
Wednesday, October 13, 1869.

Rainy day.
Father and I have hushed corn 10½ bushels (58 in all).
Mr. Reynolds has agreed to take our hops, the best at 12¢ and one ball at 8¢.

Thursday, October 14, 1869.

Pleasant.
I worked on the road with the team today.
Jackson had a dance. I did not dance.
Friday, October 15, 1869.

Cloudy day.
Have baled our hope to day. We had 6 bales of good hope, and one or other not quite so good.

We made 6 bales weigh 1264 lbs and the other 215, 1479 in all.

It is raining this evening.
Got a letter from Charley to day.

Saturday, October 16, 1869.

Raind hard all day. I have husked 40 bushels of it. There is 60 bushels of it.

It is raining this eve.

I am 20 years old to day.
Sunday, October 17, 1869.

Windy day.

Father and I salted the sheep and young cattle to-day.

Monday, October 18, 1869.

Cook and carry.

I have dug 10 bushels of potatoes, and put them in the barn to-day.

Father has worked on the ditch.

Have been to Byfarm to-night.
Tuesday, October 19, 1869.

Cold, windy.
I have dug 1 1/2 bushels of potatoes to day, to spread in the barn floor.
It rains this eve.
Father has ditched.

Wednesday, October 20, 1869.

Cold, windy.
I have dug potatoes day 22 bushels.
Jo & Co nearly done and Mattie Rose helped pick up.
Father ditched.

Jo had a letter from Amborn 10 days.
Thursday, October 21, 1869.

Warmer today.
I have picked over potatoes.
Got in the turnips to day there were 8 bushels of them.
Fatties didn'tched.
It was a very cold frosty night last night.

Friday, October 22, 1869.

Pleasant.
I have picked over potatoes dag & bushels.
Fatties ditched.
There was a shock felt in earthquake blast night.
Saturday, October 23, 1869.

Cold, blowy, and smoky this to day; it rains hard this eve.

I dug 6 bushels of potatoes.

Father finished ditching for this year to day. She finished. She'd ditch a third part drug now.

4 ½ bushels of potatoes dug.

Sunday, October 24, 1869.

Pleasant, strong wind this eve.

Went up to the pastur and salted the horses. Ben Learntw he says that the lambs are to be taken out this week.

Abram Rodford was up here to day.
Monday, October 25, 1869.

Cold, windy, squally. Father and I dug potatoes today. 15 bushels.

Tuesday, October 26, 1869.

Very cold night. The ground froze an inch or so. We got the young cattle down off the last of the corn. This morning our hens and bull.

I minded digging up potatoes today. 14 bushels. Total yield from an acre is about 750 bushels.

We turned the cows into the field today.
Wednesday, October 27, 1869.

Cold, cloudy, and clear.

I have gathered the garden vegetables today.

Father and I have been gathering the apples away for winter.

Thursday, October 28, 1869.

Cold, cloudy day.

I have packed all the potatoes over today, and put the good ones down cellar.

Father has done odd jobs.
Friday, October 29, 1869.

It snowed a little all day, about an inch. Ralph Ridder and myself killed the sick cow. I buried her entrails under the pearmain tree.

I carried the cow up to the pasture this afternoon.

Cousin Richard French and Sewell Goff came here in the evening.

Saturday, October 30, 1869.

Had about 5 inches of snow all last night. Harvested corn all day.

I have thrashed the beans.

Richard and French and mine Goff went on to Mystic river this morning.
Sunday, October 31, 1869.

Cloudy day.

October has been remarkable for a great freshet that caused a great deal of damage.

Monday, November 1, 1869.

Pleasant day.

Cloudy this afternoon.

I cut two holes this forenoon with the pick. This afternoon I hauled stones with the horse and sled from the ditch.
Tuesday, November 2, 1869.

Warm and pleasant. I have hauled off the fiddle with the horse and sold it.

Father has worked on the swamp.

I was measured for a pair of boots to wear with 2 pairs of stockings by Mr. Rose.

Wednesday, November 3, 1869.

Warm and cloudy most all day.

Father and I finished hauling stone this forenoon. I cleared up the storehouse room and hauled two loads of dirt into it.
Thursday, November 4, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant day. I hauled 9 loads of dirt into the shed today.

Father worked on the cranberry bed.

Friday, November 5, 1869.

Foggy morning.

Warm and cloudy.

I finished hauling dirt this forenoon. Worked on the bog this afternoon.

It rains this eve.
Saturday, November 6, 1869.

Head a warm night.
Foggy morning.
Pleasant day.
Father and myself worked on the fog.

Sunday, November 7, 1869.

Fog, snow, gales all day.
Monday, November 8, 1869.

Pleasant.
We worked on the bog all day.

Tuesday, November 9, 1869.

Cold windy day.
Father and I worked on the bog.
Wednesday, November 10, 1869.

Cold, windy day.
I led our bull down to Isaac chase's as agreed upon between father and Bowman, and swapped even with him.
We got a good animal, good size small horns, and a kind disposition.

Thursday, November 11, 1869.

Pleasanter day.
I have been hunting much.
Mr. G. J. stopped here off his way back from Suddes to Silver river today.
Friday, November 12, 1869.

Pleasant day. I hauled much. My father worked on the bog.

Ralph Jarey came up to the party from Canton this eve.

The high school ended to day; they had a by-bum in the eve and after that a sociable.

Saturday, November 13, 1869.

Pleasant day. I have worked with father making a road to the heart and taking a bog this winter.

I subscribed in a club of five got up by Leclia Prince for the Heart and Home one year, $32.40.
Sunday, November 14, 1869.

Bloody day. Looks some like a storm soon.

Ralph Torrey went home this forenoon with Mr. Chaffway.

Monday, November 15, 1869.

Windy day.

I have hauled stumps wood all day around the bog.

Father has now begun mending around to haul sand.
Tuesday, November 16, 1869.

Cold, rainy, day.
I have hauled stump wood.
Father worked on the hop field this afternoon.

Wednesday, November 17, 1869.

Commenced snowing this afternoon.
Snowed and snowed about 3 inches, and then it changed into rain and rained the rest of the day.
It rained this evening.

Cousin Richard French walked down here from Mexico this afternoon to stay to Thanksgiving with us tomorrow.

Father and I got the 19th from 39 in no. Pansey, our full blood Jersey calf, was taken sick in the night, but she is some better now.
We gave her oil and injections.
Thursday, November 18, 1869.

Fair day.
Richard and I went a bee hunting but did not get any honey.
I went to a dance this eve.

Mr. Goff came up with his family to day. Kissick and wife stopped here with us all night.

Very pleasant eve.

Friday, November 19, 1869.

Very pleasant eavmday.
Richard went up to pruies with Goff's folks this forenoon.
I hauled stumps this rest of the day.

I stopped in to Mr. Weight's to night with Charlie Comto.

Father and I are going to camp tomorrow. Charlie is going to do the chistes.
Saturday, November 20, 1869.

It has rained hard from 7 till 5 in the P.M. Father and I have spread out the dirt I hauled into the sheep shed to day.

Sunday, November 21, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant. Father and I rode up to Gifford's and back on purpose to see his farm.
Monday, November 22, 1869.

Sledder to day; windy. I have spread mulch on the garden out of the wagon as I thanked it I've worked at the house.
The ground is bare and frozen.

Tuesday, November 23, 1869.

Sunny day.

I hauled much this forenoon onto the garden.

Worked throwing the soil off a place to get sand for the Cranberry bed.

Mr G. A called here to day.
Wednesday, November 24, 1869.

Blandy and warm.

I hauled much

I have finished

at night.

I am going to haul

I ordered the

I have finished

Falling

Falling cut hop pods.

hauled a sled this

the next and spread

the grass.
Friday, November 26, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant.
I have hauled much.

Father has cut poles.

Went to a lecture by James Wright (but I live far something) at the eve.

Saturday, November 27, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.
I have hauled much.

Father cut poles.
Sunday, November 28, 1869.

Windy day.

Father and I went up to J. E. Griffiths' cranberry meadow to see about getting some hop poles; we concluded to commence cutting them tomorrow.

Dieke French came here to-day; and went back again.

Monday, November 29, 1869.

Warm and pleasant.

Father and I cut hop poles upon J. E. Griffiths' bog to-day.
Tuesday, November 30, 1869.

Rainy day.

We went up to cut poles, but came home again on account of rain.

I killed a chic.

November has passed without any sleighing. We have had some rain storms and not very cold weather.

Wednesday, December 1, 1869.

We have cut poles on the hill.
Thursday, December 2, 1869.

Very cold day.

We have cut
hop poles on the
hill.

Friday, December 3, 1869.

Very cold day.

We cut hop poles
on the hill.

I have just come
from a Moral
reform meeting

while
they

I have to have a
paper to read by

a lady and gen-

lady appointed.

The ladies performed
their table戏

entertaining the
audience, but the
gents utterly failed.
Saturday, December 4, 1869.

Very cold last night and this morning. We cut 331 holes to day. We have cut 331 holes this week. It commenced snowing about 2 this afternoon and is snowing hard this eve.

Sunday, December 5, 1869.

Pleasant day.

Father signed a petition of Mr. Fieldway for the removal of the post office at the field corner.

It snowed all day yesterday and last night.
Monday, December 6, 1869.

Cold, cloudy day.

We have killed our Pigs to day Mr. Wood — bry butchered them.

They weighed 130 and 187 lbs apiece.

We have sold 71 lbs a 13 cts.

It is snowing hard this eve.

Tuesday, December 7, 1869.

Snowed and blew hard till noon and then it cleared off cold and windy.

We have cleared the wagon away.

It snowed about 16 inches I should think.
Wednesday, December 8, 1869.

It was cold last night, pleasant day.
I have cut some trees and bushes on the fence between us and Mr. Chase today for wood.
I got half a bushel of salt at Chase's.

Thursday, December 9, 1869.

Cold night.
Pleasant day.
Father and I cut 75 poles on the Giffen bog today.
Friday, December 10, 1869.

Very cold night. Thursday nineteen below 0 this morning.

We have cut 176 poles to day on J E Griffiths place.

Have been to a lecture by Mr. Parlin on America before Columbus.

Saturday, December 11, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant.

We finished cutting hop poles on C.E. Griffiths to day.

537 poles in all.

Called in to Mr. Weights tonight.
Sunday, December 12, 1869.

It has snowed and rained a little all day, and it is rather misty this eve.

I have been to the Chapel all day, and to a concert in the eve.

He has written to boy Charley O. Hunter's to day.

Monday, December 13, 1869.

I observed 3 inches last night. It has been a very warm pleasant day.

I hauled the wood home that was left after dicing the hops at Mabels.

We got a load of buckwheat hulls at the grist mill this afternoon.

Mr. Goff came here to day; he says he is going to Lewiston Wed at Thursday, and Sister is going with him.
Tuesday, December 14, 1869.

Pleasant day. Very warm.
Father and I made a bridge to haul sand upon, and broke a road out to the swamp.

Wednesday, December 15, 1869.

Very cold night. Therm. 14 below.
I have hauled sand upon the cranberry bed this forenoon. Mr. Woodbury and I killed Peter this afternoon.

Father went to Lewiston with Mr. Goff to day.
I got 2 quarts of kerosene and a gallon of molasses at Chabec this eve.
Thursday, December 16, 1869.

Cold night, blousy day.
I have hauled sand upon the cranberry bed all day. I spread it as near 2 inches deep as I can.

Friday, December 17, 1869.

Very warm and pleasant day.
I have been stripping off a place to get sand to-day.
Saturday, December 18, 1869.

Cloudy day. I finished stripping off the place to get band this forenoon. I hauled some this afternoon.

Father got home from Lewiston this afternoon; he found the folks all well.

Sunday, December 19, 1869.

It rained considerable last night. It has been warm to day. It is windy to night.
Monday, December 20, 1869.

Pleasant day.
I hauled sand this forenoon. Stopped off a place this afternoon to get some more.

Tuesday, December 21, 1869.

Pleasant day.
I have hauled sand this afternoon. I finished stripping this forenoon.

Mr. Goff came down here with his youngest children two girls. He bought a rooster for me that Dick sent for a Christmas present. Mr. Goff says I can go write him to London the next time he goes.
Wednesday, December 22, 1869.

It has snowed this forenoon. It has been hailung this afternoon. It rains this eve a little.

We have winnowed the Beans to day.

Thursday, December 23, 1869.

Had about 4 inches now fall. Pleasant day. Dick French came to day too. I stay with us till next Monday when I shall go down with him and stop a day or 2. I have hauled sand to day.
Friday, December 24, 1869.

Pleasant day. I have hauled sand today. I made Dick a present of a violin book for his Christmas present.

Saturday, December 25, 1869.

Pleasant day. Cold night. Dick and I spent the rest of the day very pleasantly making molasses candy with the girls. We then went up to the Christmas tree at the school. Father and Mother went to Canton this morning.
Sunday, December 26, 1869.

It has been a cloudy day. It is raining some this eve.
Father and Mother got back about 7:4 P.M.

Monday, December 27, 1869.

It has been a cloudy drizzly day. Dick helped me haul sand to-day.
Tuesday, December 28, 1869.

It has been a cloudy, dry day; it has dried the air and been foggy the all day. It rained that night.

Dick and I hauled 10 loads of sand this forenoon.

Mother and I and Dick went to the Theatre.

Wednesday, December 29, 1869.

There has been a strong west wind.

I have been sick with a cold, but feel better now.

Dick Sitter has written to his Mother to-night.

Dick and I hauled sand this afternoon.

The weather has cleared off warm and cloudy. It is looking to-night as though it would storm soon.
Thursday, December 30, 1869.

It has been cloudy this forenoon. Snowed in the afternoon. Dick and I hailed sand in the afternoon.

Friday, December 31, 1869.

Pleasant day.

Dick and I hunted pond.

Marble had a ball. The ball was crowded. Mother Dick and I went to the Chapel to hear the papers.

We have ended our 3rd year at farming here. It has cost us $1,000 to farm it so far. We have great hopes on the hops and Cranberries to make a strike yet.
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