

## 1911 Diary of Milo McLaren and Luvia Somers McLaren, Barnet, VT

[Milo McLaren wrote most of the entries from January – May.]

Sunday, Jan. 1, 1911      Cold in morning Warmer with some snow towards evening Went to Church Mr. Hawk preached

Monday 2              Weather warm Snow nearly all gone We washed Churned Carroll went to Barnet after a load meal in afternoon Lura is at Don Judkins

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Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1911      Fair and warm in forenoon drew in stove wood after noon went over to Joseph Roys on a visit Warm soft snow fell

Wednesday 4      Weather verry Cold Carroll & I went to the wood chopping in fore noon. Went to a meeting in the Church in after-noon Carroll went down to Mr Hawks to reherse singing for a play

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Thursday, Jan. 5, 1911      Weather cold & clear Churned in forenoon Carroll went to Barnet with 7 bu. potatoes for Dr. Eliott and drew home some meal potatoes 50 lb

Friday 6              Carroll & I chopped wood in fore-noon Martin came up from Barnet and made us a visit in after-noon Carroll went to Peacham to a reception in eve.

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Saturday, Jan. 7, 1911      Weather warm Carroll went to Barnet with 35 bu potatoes @ 85 cents bu

Sunday 8              Went to Church Herd of the accident of Mr. Bundy of St. Johnsbury who fell off the train at McIndoes

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Monday, Jan. 9, 1911      Weather warm untill eve. When the wind began to blow verry hard from the west Drew out manure in afternoon

Tuesday 10              Weather cold drew out manure in fore-noon Luvia & I went down to Mary Anns in after-noon Carroll drew out manure in after-noon

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Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1911      Verry warm weather Carroll & I drew out manure Harvey Burbank Stayed here and we all went over to the Center to a spelling school Elsie stood up the longest in her grade Carroll sold a Cow to Fred Belgrove

Thursday 12              Weather warm but a little colder than yesterday Finished drawing out manure have got it nearly all out

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Friday, Jan. 13, 1911      Colder Carroll went to Barnet Sent 47 lbs Butter to Hyde Wheeler Co. Went to a play over to the vestry in eve.

Saturday 14 Luvia & I went to St Johnsbury with Mary An to prove the will of her Husband Henry Somers

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Sunday, Jan. 15, 1911 Attended church at the Center

Monday 16 Helped to wash & Churn in fore-noon Weather verry cold and windy Carroll went to Barnet with Butter

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Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1911 Weather verry Cold and windy Carroll and I chopped wood in the woods

Wednesday 18 Chopped wood Luvia & I carried Grand-marm over to W Barnet to See Sarah McMillan who is sick

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Thursday, Jan. 19, 1911 Luvia & I went went up to Peter Goslant's visiting had a nice time

Friday 20 Weather warm and sunny Churned in fore noon after noon Carroll and I put stove wood into the shed and trimmed some pine trees down beside the road

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Saturday, Jan. 21, 1911 Luvia and I went to St Johnsbury She to get a set of lower teeth I to have one of my Eyes operated on Hester also to see Dr Hartshorn Carroll and Elsie stayed at home

Sunday 22 Weather warm All went to church

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Monday, Jan. 23, 1911 Weather warm and sun shining Helped wash Carroll went to St. Johnsbury

Tuesday 24 Weather warm South wind Carroll & I went to the woods and chopped in fore-noon I went down to B in after noon Miss Jakes, the teacher is here to night

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Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1911 [no entry]

Thursday 26 Weather warm Carroll went to Barnet after a load of meal he has a bad cold

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Friday, Jan. 27, 1911 Weather warm rained in after-noon and eve. Carroll & I began to draw up wood Carroll went to a play at Peacham

Saturday 28 Weather cold & verry windy Churned in fore-noon Lura and Elsie and Hester went down to Barnet to the closing exersizes of the Schools Luvia and I went also in after-noon

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Sunday, Jan. 29, 1911 Weather clear & cold Luvia sick so she did not go to Church the rest of the family went except Grand ma who is at W. Barnet

Monday 30 Weather cold and verry windy Luvia not verry well but a little better

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Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1911 Washed and Churned Luvia much better

Wednesday, Feb. 1 Weather fine & cold Carroll and I worked at the wood

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Thursday, Feb. 2, 1911 Snowed nearly all day Went over to West Barnet after Grandma in fore-noon I carried the women over to the Vestry to Ladies Add meeting

Friday 3 Went up to St Johns bury to se Dr Hartshorn but found he was sick so did not see him came home on 11:30 train Worked drawing wood in after-noon

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Saturday, Feb. 4, 1911 Snowing hard Churned 5 ½ lbs Butter

Sunday 5 Clear and Cold All went to church Martin G. came over and got some dinner Lura also is here

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Monday, Feb. 6, 1911 Cold and clear Helped to wash Carroll carried Lura down to Don Judkins We worked in woods after noon

Tuesday 7 Stormy Carroll went to B. with butter for Alice Dow 79 ½ lbs and Lillow 22 lbs Drew one load of wood and stopped on account of storm

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Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1911 Cloudy Martin Turner and man with Snow Roller were here to dinner also Mr and Mrs Hawk were here on a visit

Thursday 9 Fair and warm Churned 61 ¾ lbs Butter Carroll went over to West B- Luvia and Elsie and Hester went down to Mary Anns I drew wood from the woods. George Blair came to load cow in eve

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Friday, Feb. 10, 1911 Warm Carroll went down to B- after meal Hyde Wheeler 49 lbs Butter drew wood in after-noon Clarence Chamberlin and Tom Priest came in eve.

Saturday 11 Pleasant Churned in fore-noon drew wood in after-noon

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Sunday, Feb. 12, 1911 All went to church

Monday 13 Washed in fore-noon drew up wood in after-noon

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Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1911 Clear and fine Churned in fore-noon Went over to the Vestry to a church meeting in after-noon Carroll went down to Barnet and got 18 hundred pounds of Frank Coes phosphate

Wednesday 15 Clear and fine Finished drawing up wood Ed Strobridge and wife came over after some butter at 28 cts

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Thursday, Feb. 16, 1911 Clear and fine Carroll drew two loads of Ice. 42 cakes I did chores

Friday 17 Warm South wind rain in eve. Carroll drew one load of Ice 21 cakes did not do much but chores

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Saturday, Feb. 18, 1911 Clear and fine Carroll went to Barnet after a load of feed in fore-noon Churned I went over to W. Barnet after Grand-marm Carroll fixed the horse cribs

Sunday 19 Clear & cold North wind All went to church Lura came home Went back to Dons in eve.

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Monday, Feb. 20, 1911 Washed in fore-noon Carroll went over to East Barnet after a load of Saw-dust for the Ice. Snowed in after noon

Tuesday 21 Carroll and I picked over apples Bert A- came after Butter Carroll went to Barnet ~~after~~ with Butter for Alice Dow he went to W. Barnet in eve.

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Wednesday, Feb. 22, 1911 Fair in fore-noon snow Squally in after-noon Churned in fore-noon Sent 20 lbs Butter and 15 doz Eggs to Lillow Jed Leonie came a while Carroll went to B after a load of meal also went to Peacham in eve to a play

Thursday 23 did chores in fore noon. Luvia & I went to McIndoes in after- noon with the Clock to be repaired by Andrew Gutherie

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Friday, Feb. 24, 1911 Clear and windy did chores in fore-n after noon Carried Grand-marm up to see Mark Gilfillan who is sick but is better now

Saturday 25 Warm and clear Carroll & I went over to Geo. Nutters with his Corn cutter came home by Elmer Somers Carroll went over to W. Barnet after some Barley feed

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Sunday, Feb. 26, 1911 went to church Lura came from church went back to Don Judkins in eve

Monday 27 Warm and clear Helped to wash and Churn in fore-noon Carroll and I put fire wood in the shed in after noon Colder in eve with high wind all night

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Tuesday, Feb. 28, 1911 Verry Cold and high wind did the chores in fore-noon Grand-ma & I went to the funeral of Mrs. Marrion Gammell at Alva Blandins in after noon Carroll went to Barnet and got a load of feed and in after a ton of phosphate Swifts

Wednesday, Mar. 1 fair but a little haze Churned Carroll went down to Barnet with butter in after-noon Mrs. Roy and Nellie Smith came in After-noon

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Thursday, Mar. 2, 1911 changeable Ralph Somers and S. Bogie began sawing wood here about 11 o'clock

Friday 3 Finished sawing before dinner moved over to Jims after dinner Bill worked the rest of the day

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Saturday, Mar. 4, 1911 Pleasant & sunshiny visited to day Frank & Iantha here Ed Richard & Louisa also Martin brought the girls sled

Sunday 5 Pleasant went to church

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Monday, Mar. 6, 1911 Pleasant washed & churned done most of ironing

Tuesday 7 Pleasant but cold went to town meeting had dinner at Emmas grandma went to Mrs Somers

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Wednesday, Mar. 8, 1911 [no entry]

Thursday 9 [no entry]

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Friday, Mar. 10, 1911 Finished splitting wood.

Saturday 11 [no entry]

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Sunday, Mar. 12, 1911 [no entry]

[no entries through Thursday, March 23]

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Friday, Mar. 24, 1911 quite warm Went to church this P.M. not many there

Saturday 25 Warm drew out manure this fore noon went to Church this P.M. and after meeting went over to fathers com-misoner meeting Moses wasn't there

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Sunday, Mar. 26, 1911 warm all went to church communion to day

Monday 27 Rained Washed & churned 62 ½ lbs butter P.M. worked around barn made a pig pen for old white sow

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Tuesday, Mar. 28, 1911 Warm Carroll went to B with butter Jas Allen came to confer with Luvia in regard to A.B. Somers estate Scattered Buckets in after-noon Snow verry deep

Wednesday 29 Warm Carroll & I tapped trees in fore noon. Carroll in after-noon Luvia Grandma & I went to a church meeting in after noon

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Thursday, Mar. 30, 1911 Luvia & I went over to West Barnet Carroll drew two maple logs over to the Saw mill one for drag planks the other one for 1 in boards

Friday 31 Carroll and I worked in woods with Buckets Luvia and Mrs. Higgins went to Peacham to Mrs. Bill Kimballs fun-eral Luvia & I went to Barnet to a recep-tion given to Dr Haselton receipts \$165.00

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Saturday, Apr. 1, 1911 Cold Carroll went to W. Barnet to get a shoe put on duffer Shoveled Snow in woods for roads

Sunday 2 all went to Church Mr Hawk is going away on a vacation for 3 or 4 weeks

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Monday, Apr. 3, 1911 Weather verry cold for this time of year have not made any sugar yet. Washed & churned 60 lbs Butter Carroll and I sawed up a little Pine wood limbs

Tuesday 4 fine Carroll went to B- with butter and got feed All smith & wife and Rosie Higgins Smith called a little while Martin and Emma where here visi-ting Carroll drew the first load of planks for silo

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Wednesday, Apr. 5, 1911 Snowed in night raining this morning Bogie came to whitewash the parlor I went over to Carters mill and got a load of silo lumber on a sled Snow all the way

Thursday 6 Warm Churned in fore-noon

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Friday, Apr. 7, 1911 Gathered and boiled sap

Saturday 8 Boiled sap and made 7 or 8 Gal. Honey

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Sunday, Apr. 9, 1911 Snowed 2 or 3 in We all stayed at home Mr Hawk being away on vacation

Monday 10 Changeable Washed and Churned 68 lbs Butter Gathered sap in after-noon

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Tuesday, Apr. 11, 1911 Fine & clear Gathered and boiled sap

Wednesday 12 boiled sap and sugared off Martin came in fore-noon Bill Higgins Martha Jenny Judkins Jas. Allen wife & Elsie & Bert, Clo(??) Bailey and wife & Mr. Bogie were all here to a sugaring off

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Thursday, Apr. 13, 1911 warm Gathered sap in after-noon Churned in fore noon

Friday 14 warm rained Gathered Sap and did chores in fore noon Carroll boiled Sap in after-noon

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Saturday, Apr. 15, 1911 warm Boiled Sap in fore noon Henry Gilfillan called at Sugar House Sugared off in after-noon

Sunday 16 Mr Hawk absent on vacation Carroll went to Barnet to church and to bring Lura home

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Monday, Apr. 17, 1911 Carroll went to B- with butter Elsie and Hester started to School Carroll had a surprise birth-day party in eve. Sap is running

Tuesday 18 pleasant but cold wind Carroll went to Barnet with Lura in fore-noon we gathered 3 tubs full sap in after-noon

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Wednesday, Apr. 19, 1911 Warm and clear did chores and worked on the road 2 hours Carroll boiled sap in fore-noon

Thursday 20 Gathered sap in fore-noon Carroll boiled in after-noon I went over to Chas. Goss and Wilber Nelsons Road verry bad

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Friday, Apr. 21, 1911 warm Carroll went to Barnet with double team after feed Sugar pails & cc, in fore-noon We Sugared off about 175 lbs sugar Fred. McLaren came to the camp also Churned 62 lbs butter Fenton Judkins came in eve after butter

Saturday 22 Elsie and Hester went to Barnet with dray Black Billie with 40 ½ lbs Butter 22 cts Carroll and I did chores and gathered sap which is running verry good Carroll went to West Barnet in eve

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Sunday, Apr. 23, 1911 cold and raw Mr Hawk absent did not to church

Monday 24 Washed & Churned Gathered Sap Bogie came and put a few new Slates in the barn roof Stayed all night

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Tuesday, Apr. 25, 1911 Carroll went to Barnet with butter I boiled Sap Bogie whitewashed the Kitchen

Wednesday 26 Martin came up in morning got a tub of sugar and his Rifle Carroll & I Gathered buckets and washed them Bogie trimmed the pine tree and finished white-washing

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Thursday, Apr. 27, 1911 Sugared off for the last time for this season Luvia & I went to West Barnet in after-noon

Friday 28 Churned in fore noon 64 lbs Carroll went to Barnet afternoon picked Stones off the field beside the pasture

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Saturday, Apr. 29, 1911 verry warm and fair finished picking stones Carroll harrowed in after-noon on the field beside the pasture

Sunday 30      Carroll Luvia and Grandmarm went to W. Barnet to Church

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Monday, May 1, 1911      warm & Showery washed

Tuesday 2      [no entry]

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Wednesday, May 3, 1911      [no entry]

[no entries through Wednesday, May 31]

[Luvia McLaren wrote entries for remainder of year]

Thursday, June 1      Baked this AM went to aid meeting Mrs. Brock away so acted as president rained on way home went up to Marthas

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Friday, June 2, 1911      [no entry]

Saturday 3      Bogie here and papered the sitting room staid all night

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Sunday, June 4, 1911      all went to church Lura came home to dinner

Monday 5      Washed & Churned & moped floors Grandmas birth day

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Tuesday, June 6, 1911      Staitened out the sitting room hung the pictures oiled the floor grandma went to W. B. Milo finished planting corn

Wednesday 7      Baked some in forenoon Fannie Gilfillan here for dinner spent P.M.

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Thursday, June 8, 1911      Churned & moped floors & oiled them Alice Manning came after Supper Staid all night

Friday 9      visited with Alice this forenoon Mabel blair came after her this P.M. cut out a skirt white one for Elsie & partly made it Owens folks had a surprise Lura came home from busines meeting

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Saturday, June 10, 1911      Sewed on the girls dresses & finished Elsies skirt grandma came from W.B. Lura & Elsie went to W.B. to get her some shoes Chandler Morrison here to pay Milo some money

Sunday 11      Childrens day all went to church Alice Manning came hom with us from church

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Monday, June 12, 1911      washed this A.M. Leslie here for eggs he had 14 doz 18 cts \$2.52



Tuesday 13 Churned this A.M. had 78 lbs. this P.M. went to Barnet grandma went to Emmas Carroll went to the feed store

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Wednesday, June 14, 1911 Owens Auction day Large crowd things sold well Jim over for Butter in eve.

Thursday 15 finished ironing Chandler Morrison here also Elmer bought a fire ex-tingusher

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Friday, June 16, 1911 [no entry]

[no entries through Friday, June 23]

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Saturday, June 24, 1911 This should have been Elsie's graduation if there had been enough to do so only seven out of 60 passed exams.

Sunday 25 went to church took Laura Wardens class today Lura finished work for Don Judkins

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Monday, June 26, 1911 washed & moped floors Lura & I went strawberring picked 4 qts. Martin here helping get in hay from Back field Cut Elsie's plaid Gingham

Tuesday 27 churned and ironed some Lura went up to Blairs to make aprons

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Wednesday, June 28, 1911 Elsie sick to day did not go to school today her bantam hen died to day the girls went up to Darlings for strawberries got 11 qts. sewed on Elsie's Dress

Thursday 29 sewed some on Elsie's dress Lura & I went to West Barnet she bought some muslin for dress & black waist I bought some shoes for my self and a pair for Milo

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Friday, June 30, 1911 very warm baked some pies Lura & I went to Hez. Somers the scholars are having a picnic as school closes. Tom & Lilla came Men set the electric light poles Mr. Hawk called with Mr Gilkerson

Saturday, July 1 Verry warm fried doug-hnuts made bread went to Ed Richards Auction

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Sunday, July 2, 1911 Hot today went to church Mr. Hawks sister & husband there also the Murrays from Brocton, Mass.

Monday 3 got up before 4 Hotter to day than yesterday washed and churned. washed most everything in the house heard Moses had bought him an auto Britamart Somers here got 16 # butter Carroll mowed below farm

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Ther 100 Tuesday, July 4, 1911 got up at 4 awfully hot no one celebrated but Lura went to W.B. with Gilfillans Hawks & Murys (Ironed all day most) Mrs. Nutter Elton after butter also the Murys came up in their auto with Mr H to get some Butter mowed more hay below barn

Wednesday 5 Baked pies cookies cake marked Luras Handles and clothes ironed some Lura packed her suit-cases men mowed finished below barn got in several loads

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Thursday, July 6, 1911 hot again got up at 4 Don up here before 5 to take the girls to St Johnsbury Carroll began getting in hay early this morn. had a hard thunder shower this P.M. & one this eve. blew down a lot of trees at McIndoes I cleaned up the chamber and picked over some old papers & wrote to Mrs. Kinerson

Friday 7 Nice & cool after thunder shower Churned men spread out hay Tom & Lilla here after butter C & M got in hay untill time to go to Barnet with butter I wrote to Uncle William sent Mr Eiles 20 lbs B Alice D 22 Carroll went to B. meeting

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Saturday, July 8, 1911 some warmer today baked pies and cake and bread Milo and girls went after cow at Button pasture. got a card from Lura Jennie came up after some Butter Carroll & Milo finished getting in hay below barn

Sunday 9 still warmer went to church had Laura Wardens class put Carroll in Sec. in Luras place Rosie at church also Xerxes & F Strobridge Tom & Lilla Little kinten at Allens

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Monday, July 10, 1911 Hot washed - 104° shade Elton here mad Ice cream heard Moses had an auto have six little pigs

Tuesday 11 Hot got up early & got to ironing Rosie & her cous. from Conn. came up for Some butter Martin came up to get in hay made ice cream for supper

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Wednesday, July 12, 1911 a little cooler to day churned to day Carroll mowed across the road to night last piece to cut made more ice cream for dinner & supper

Thursday 13 cooler today fine hay day got in 10 loads hay 4 after supper Martin went to Barnet to see if any word came from Milo. Sent Lura her dress Mr & Mrs H & Dorathy called here on their way to Blairs & Lackies

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Friday, July 14, 1911 Beautiful day finished haying to day Martin staid all night Mr Piper died to day

Saturday 15 [no entry]

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Sunday, July 16, 1911 All went to church

Monday 17 Washed and churned to day

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Tuesday, July 18, 1911 Milo Gibson came to town to day Carroll went to B with 2 Calves this morning went over to Elmers this eve.

Wednesday 19 Mrs. Courson came this morning so did not get much done Carroll Elsie H & I met over in Jims berrying got about 11 qts Milo & Martin called while we were gone

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Thursday, July 20, 1911 put up six qts. berries made some pies piceck the old Rooster for dinner to morrow washed windows getting ready for company Leslie here for eggs had 28 doz. .20

Friday 21 Pleasant Mr & Mrs Hawk & Dorathy Mury here for dinner

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Saturday, July 22, 1911 Churned this morn. & baked some Milo started for B- with the butter & met an auto. got smashed up

Sunday 23 Pleas. we all walked to church to day rode home with Martin. Milo was also here to dinner wrote to Lura Young people had their meeting out of doors

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Monday, July 24, 1911 Rained most all day had a thunder shower this P.M. Carroll went down to Judkins Leslie Lackie here for eggs had 17 doz 22 cts

Tuesday 25 Cloudy part of time Milo worked with barley in fore noon Carroll went to Barnet with a hog Churned this P.M. had 50 ½ lbs. Carroll & Milo took in one load of barley this fore noon baked Bread pies cake & made dough nuts Mr. Hawk here for B-

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Wednesday, July 26, 1911 Pleasant Picked the currants & made jelly Ironed. the girls have gone down to visit Dorathy Mury this P.M. Carroll & Milo are getting in Barley sent letter to J.H. Ferguson Dorathy Dalrympe here this PM

Thursday 27 Pleasant Milo & Carroll worked with barley Carroll went down to stage with butter Fannie got away and ran up to Bills Dorathy D. Ethel C. Muriel Somers visited the girls also Elizabeth & Frances N here after butter

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Friday, July 28, 1911 Cloudy in morning Milo & Carroll hitched Fannie up & went to B. to get the harnesses fixed did not meet any autoes rained this P.M. Carroll & I went to the meeting this eve. Carl Ferrin here for butter got a few Pot atoe baked pies & bread and made doughnuts

Saturday 29 Pleasant went to church this afternoon rained untill noon Milo Elsie & I went to W. B. after chores got a pattern for Elsies dress & the dress also got me a house dress Leslie here & got 15 doz eggs Paid .22

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Sunday, July 30, 1911 Pleasant went to church Comunion today Carroll & the girls have gone to meeting this eve. wrote to May

Monday 31 Pleasant & warmer washed and moped floors and cut Elsie's gingham dress & stitched the yoke Carroll went to B- with butter 40 lbs for G&C 26 cts this P.M. Milo & Carroll finished mowing barley & turned it over that was cut

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Tuesday, Aug. 1, 1911 Pleasant this A.M. had a little thundershower this P.M. enough to stop the men from getting in barley Churned this morn 50 ½ baked bread Ironed caned 2 qts beans Ralph & Mrs Dalympe here this eve. also Henry I worked on Elsie's dress this P.M. Harry came and got 9 ½ doz. eggs .22 cts

Wednesday 2 Pleasant & Hot finished Ironing this morn Milo & girls went over to Button Place with cow M & C got in 6 loads barley girls went up to visit Vianna this P.M. put up 5 cans string beans this P.M.

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Thursday, Aug. 3, 1911 Cloudy in morn. Pleasant in PM. Baked some & moped floors up chamber Jed here working fixing foundation for Silo went to Aid Meeting P.M. cleaned vestry Henry G. taken sick last night so Ruth could not be there

Friday 4 Pleasant & pretty warm baked pies & cookies made a short cake for dinner Jed here built chimney over I went up to Lackies this P.M. to help Vianna can blueberries put up 19 qts had a Check from L.H. Thornton Carroll went over to buisness meeting Dorathy here this P.M. Elizabeth came for Butter this A.M. girls picked 4 qts berries

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Saturday, Aug. 5, 1911 Hot Churned this A.M. Carroll went to B with double team to get feed took 50 box butter baked bread pies cake Iantha & Frank came home Carroll went to Danville to a play in eve. took Freds & Ruths butter to them

Sunday 6 Hot went to church took Sopias class Hiram's wife at church put in comitties to make arrangements for Picnic Myself Laura Warden Fred Gilfillan

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Monday, Aug. 7, 1911 Pleasant & warm washed moped all the floors baked pies & cake cooked chickens for pie Leslie here for Eggs paid 24 cts \$5.80 for 24 doz Horace & Mimie Mrs Thompson Mr. Garvin came about dusk got supper for them & fixed their beds Mary Lackie had a slight shock

Tuesday 8 Pleasant & warm baked chicken pie & made salad got ready for all day away all went to the meeting Milo & Carroll came home done chores. C went back for eve. meeting everything passed off fine company all came back for the night Horse stepped on Marthas foot

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Wednesday, Aug. 9, 1911 Pleasant Hot Horace & his people got started home about 6 in morn I went over to vestry to help clean up got home about noon Rob Stevenson here Carroll went to Black Smith shop

Thursday 10 cooler today churned & made pies Mr Hawk here to see about picnic & to talk with Carroll about singing for Lecture Carroll went over to church to rehearsal in eve. Martin Milo Clark Stuart here for supper had ice cream put up 13 qts blueberries

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Friday, Aug. 11, 1911 Pleasant baked some & fried doughnuts Milo & Carroll drew dirt into the barnyard  
Carroll went to Barnet with butter

Saturday 12 Pleasant baked pies & cake went down to see Aunt Eliza & Mary Lackie

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Sunday, Aug. 13, 1911 Pleasant went to church. Wrote to Lura went to Temperance Lecture in eve.  
Clarence Ferguson & Mr. spoke it was quite interesting Ellie Smith sister from China at church

Monday 14 Warm & Pleasant Washed & Churned Road men here to dinner also John Gilfillan Milo &  
Carroll began cutting oats

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Tuesday, Aug. 15, 1911 Pleasant in morn. got up early & ironed most of M. clothes fried doughnuts &  
made cake & moped floors Mary Ann & her family here to dinner Carroll Milo & girls went berrying got 13  
qts. Carroll went to B. with Alice B. Les L. here for eggs paid 26 20 doz \$5.20 rained this P.M.

Wednesday 16 Cloudy rained in night baked bread & pies & cake put berries & made Jelly Aunt Jennie &  
Uncle Rob here to supper Ironed my dress & Elsie's this eve. Milo went over to Gosses this morn.

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Thursday, Aug. 17, 1911 Beautiful day went to Picnic at W.B. Rygate Corner people there had quite  
a nice time Carroll has gone to Peacham to the Alumni Banquet Mrs Trussel got down knocked down at the  
Picnic by the swing & cut her head

Friday 18 Cloudy churned 45 lbs B Milo & Carroll got oats all in but rakings rained & thunder hard  
this P.M. Elton & Elizabeth here for B.

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Saturday, Aug. 19, 1911 Cloudy Rained hard through the night Carroll Milo & Elsie drove 4 cows to  
Button Place this morn. Carroll went to Barnet for meal this P.M. Mrs Strobridge here for B. Milo & I went  
to Toms this eve. called to see Martha heard Mrs Gib Blair came home Thurs. Night

Sunday 20 Pleasant & cool All went to church but Mary She went down to Freds Mary Helen at  
Church also Cora W. and Family Children went to Prayer Meeting

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Monday, Aug. 21, 1911 Cool & Pleasant washed & moped all the floors Mamie & little Mary here to  
dinner Milo carried her to Ebbs as he went over to Paul Morrisons Yea man here Mr Carson Charlie  
Morill & Karl Ferrin for B got 6 lbs Milo & Carroll went over to Gosses this morn.

Tuesday 22 Pleasant warmer went to St J. Milo Hester & I H. & I. had our eyes tested for glasses  
called on Mabel Somers to see about Elsie's going to School Milo called on Mr Benedict Carroll went to the  
meeting of the trustees to see about repairing horse sheds Francis here in eve.

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Wednesday, Aug. 23, 1911 Cloudy part of day little rain Mrs Dalrymple here to help me sew cut  
Elsie's blue dress churned this morning sewed in PM Carroll away setting Electric light poles

Thursday 24 Pleasant baked 7 pies this A.M. went to the village with butter Mrs Allen came for butter also Belle & Clarence called to see Aunt Eliza found her some better Milo & Carroll making sill for Silo this A.M. Elmer & Lizzie here for supper

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Friday, Aug. 25, 1911 Cloudy Fried doughuts Hester made cake Herb Brock here to help plan Silo Carroll went over to Allens to help thrash Tom & Lilla here this P.M & took supper

Saturday 26 Cloudy rained in night Jed came to cement silo Carroll worked for Jim L- churned 38 lbs. Butter baked bread & pies moped floors

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Sunday, Aug. 27, 1911 Cloudy looked like rain All went to church Rev. Thorp of Brooklyn preached his Text was Wherefore seeing yea are compassed about with so great a cloud of Wit. A Mr Livingston died in church at P. today cow & calf at B. place Carroll & girls drove over

Monday 28 Cloudy & showery Washed mopped shed baked cake faced Elsie checked dress Milo, Carroll & Elsie went over to B place brought home cow & calf She kicked Milo can hardly walk rained nearly all P.M. & has Thundered & lightened & rained all the eve.

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Tuesday, Aug. 29, 1911 Pleasant & cooler baked pies after Mary went Milo carried her to station called & had Clara Smith come up to sew on Es. Dress Herbert B. here setting up silo Threshing Machine came this P.M. Milo went after engine at Chet. Somers

Wednesday 30 Pleasant Threshing machine here Elmer & Elton & Bill Clara here cut Hesters dress Elvie & Ernice wife here to dinner in P.M. Jim Nelsons wife & child here all went to the barn to see them Thresh Lura came from Christmas Cove tonight Carroll brought her up after carrying Clara home

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Thursday, Aug. 31, 1911 Pleasant Threshing today Bert A came in Bill H. place Mr Benedict from St J here to see about Elsie going to school finished threshing about supper time had about 300 bush barley and 50 bush oats

Friday, Sept. 1 Pleasant rained in night churned Herbert here to day also Ralph repairing his engine Lura sewed on her waist made cake Lura & Elsie. Mrs Geo Blair & Mrs Alden Morrill here this PM. Socibal tonight at Mrs Hawks children have gone

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Saturday, Sept. 2, 1911 Pleasant Carroll went to St J. to get chain for silo or cutter I baked bread & pies moped kitchen floor sewed some in P.M. Milo went to W.B. grandma to Freds he brought her home Elton here this eve. for butter had a thunder shower from about 10 till 12

Sunday 3 Pleasant cooler All went to church Mr preached about the laboring man choosing his text in Genesis 29. 30 31<sup>st</sup> chaps. Jacob serving Laban Dr Elliott & wife called. Children gone to prayer meeting wrote to Mary J.

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Monday, Sept. 4, 1911 Pleasant cool washed & moped shed floor Lura made cookies & 2 cakes Herbert B. here Milo went over to Dud. Bs. with Ralphs seperator mowed some rowen after came home Mary Helen G came this P.M. Flora called over to see about E going to St J. Mary here all night

Tuesday 5 Pleasant wind South visited most of AM. made doughnuts & bread Elsie began school at McIndos this morn Milo carried her down Herbert here made pies after M.H.G. went Lura & Hester went for an Auto ride with Moses to Barnet

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Wednesday, Sept. 6, 1911 Rainy in night part of A.M. churned 59 ½ lbs B. Lura went to Greensboro to S.S. Convention with Leslie Lackie Herbert finished silo paid him 6 dollars fish man here bought 2+ piece halibut Elizabeth here for butter finished ironing

Thursday 7 Pleasant washed some clothes & pair blankets made a cake & loaf graham men here putting up Electric light wires went to the aid meeting this P.M. went over to Jims this eve. Lura came home from Greensboro

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Friday, Sept. 8, 1911 Rainy in morn. Carroll went to Newbury to C.E. convention Milo went to W.B. to get horses shod I made pies & sewed some Elsie came home with Esther Roy

Saturday 9 Rainy I made doughnuts bread cake moped floors Mr Hawk called made an apron hemed Elsie's suit Milo & Carroll got in load rowen in morn worked in barn rest of time

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Sunday, Sept. 10, 1911 Pleasant All went to church

Monday 11 Very pleasant washed moped shed Carroll went to Barnet with Alices Butter brought home ensilage cutter & chains Milo worked with Hay I dug onions brought in some ripe cucumbers & some sm(??) Milo & I went over to Elmers a little while this eve.

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Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1911 Rained before daylight & after cleared away & sun shone Churned 53 ½ lbs Butter Mrs Fife here for Butter for Geo. Carroll went down to Fents with some boards to get split up for spout of Elevator Lura fixed my black waist Carroll & Milo have gone to W. B. Ralph Merchant here for butter for Fred McL.

Wednesday 13 cold as greenland baked pies & ironed some washed out a skirt of Luras this P.M. & ironed it hard frost froze every thing Elsie at home no school fair day at St J. Fent J. here settled up Milo paid him \$13.00

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Thursday, Sept. 14, 1911 Pleasant & warmer washed my black skirt & Luras red one & pressed them

Friday 15 cloudy & rained quite alot cut up cucumbers for pickle this AM. Cut out a skirt for Elsie white flanelette Carroll went to Barnet with Butter after supper

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Saturday, Sept. 16, 1911 Cleared off warm Baked pies Bread doughnuts Lur made two cakes made 4 ½ qts Mustard P. & put up 6 of cucumbers Herbert B here fixing spout of elevator Milo & C got in some corn & pulled the beans Lura H & E went down to Judkins a few minutes a small thunder shower tonight Leslie L. here to have Lura help make his neho(??)

Sunday 17 Warm & summer like All went to church heard the delegates report from Greensboro Convention Mary Brock goes back tomorrow to Boston Mary H. Gates going away this P.M. Arlene Lowell called

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Monday, Sept. 18, 1911 Pleasant washed & moped all the floors Elton here for Butter Herbert here fixing camic(??) a little while Mary B. went to Boston this P.M. I cut a dress gingham for Hester this P.M.

Tuesday 19 Pleasant warmer Ironed Mrs Fife here for B. gave her some vegetables sewed this P.M. Milo went to B. Carroll went to Elmers Milo in P.M. Grandma went to W.B.

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Wednesday, Sept. 20, 1911 Pleasant fixed cucumbers & tomatoes for pickle Carroll went to the fair at W. River J. Milo went over to Elmers cutting corn Mr Hilton here for eggs had 7 doz

Thursday 21 Pleasant Milo & Carroll over to Elmers cutting corn Lura & I made pickle mustard & cucumber Sewed a little Lura & Carroll went to W B this eve. Hester & I picked a bush butternuts rained in the eve. "[rained] hard in night

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Friday, Sept. 22, 1911 cleared off after rain last night churned this morn. Sent Lillas Eggs & Butter Carroll went to B. Don. J. & Andrew H. here to get some Treas. money Lura sewed all day on her skirts Milo & C. over to Elmers this P.M. cutting corn going to the show with Moses Folks

Saturday 23 [no entry]

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Sunday, Sept. 24, 1911 Pleasant

Monday 25 Rainy

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Tuesday, Sept. 26, 1911 clearing away went to St. J. Lura & I she got her a new coat & skirt

Wednesday 27 worked all the day getting Luras clothes ready & ironed some Lura made her a black sateen apron

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Thursday, Sept. 28, 1911 Cloudy worked all day nearly getting Luras clothes marked

Friday 29 snowed cold went up to see Mrs Blair in PM Phoebe Harvey there visiting

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Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911 Sun shone part of time Snow all melted away



Sunday, Oct. 1 Pleasant in morn All went to church Children went to prayer meeting in the eve. Rained hard only a few there Carroll was leader Mr Hawk went to East Barnet to speak

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Monday, Oct. 2, 1911 [no entry]

[no entries through Sunday, Oct. 8]

Monday 9 Pleasant washed & moped floors Moses finished cutting corn Elton & Ralph Mer chant here finished digging potatoes Mary A. here & picked apples Ruth came up with the gingham

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Tuesday, Oct. 10, 1911 Pleasant & warm Ironed & made or cut out five society apron went to Horace Gamels funeral Carroll went to Barnet with Alices butter & the chickens

Wednesday 11 Pleasant Baked pies Bread & fried doughnuts Went to Mrs Hawks to rehearse & sew for the fair F. Elmer here a while this P.M. Mrs Buler here & delivered her book while we were gone

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Thursday, Oct. 12, 1911 Pleasant & warm Churned & picked chickens Milo & Carroll working at corn went over to the vestry this P.M. Martha brought me home Carroll went to B- with butter wind blows awful this eve.

Friday 13 Pleasant but cold made pies & cake got things ready for fair made chicken pie Gladys Clark came home with Elsie from McI. Milo went after them all went over to vestry except Milo had a busy eve got home at ½ past 12 ground was frozen as we came home

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Saturday, Oct. 14, 1911 Pleasant warmer went over to vestry as soon as got dishes washed to clean up Mrs Blair & Margaret went over Lu & I rode with them

Sunday 15 Pleasant still warm All went to church Mr Hawk Preached at W.B. in eve so there was no eve meeting Carroll Elsie & Gladys & Lura went over to the meeting

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Monday, Oct. 16, 1911 Pleasant & summer like washed & churned & moped shed made some jelly pared a few cucumbers & put up some apples clobe Carroll mowed rowen across the road & got in some above the garden Milo took in some of the cabbages & beets

Tuesday 17 Pleasant in morn S wind blew hard went over to Blandens with Martha had a fine time Lura finished the pies & made cake & she & Grandma ironed

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Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1911 Rained all day

Thursday 19 cloudy rained all night sewed some today & made some jelly made an apron this eve. Chandler Morrison here paid \$ 235 Milo worked down to the Parsonage on the ditch all day Carroll went to B this A.M. No school Teachers meeting A.M.

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Friday, Oct. 20, 1911 cloudy Baked cookies & fried doughnuts Milo plowed after churning had 37 lbs. Butter Lura cut a skirt for Elsie

Saturday 21 Cloudy went to McI & Barnet with Milo Carroll went to B. for the grist Sewed this P.M. on Elsie's dress Milo went over to the Button Place Grandma went over to see Rob Stevenson Carroll got in some rowen

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Sunday, Oct. 22, 1911 Sunshiny part of time All went to church rained while in church Rained after got home & in eve. Lura Carroll & Elsie got thrown out on hill hurt them quite bad sent for Dr Mr Hawk brought horse home Sam here Leslie & vianna Ruth & Henry came after prayer meeting got to bed about 11

Monday 23 Pleasant washed & went over to Button place for a heifer gave Mr Gray the calf Anna came up with her father to see Lura & C. Dr. here this P.M. Mrs Brock went to Boston to Mrs Masters funeral (daughters) Mr Hawk went to Penn.

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Tuesday, Oct. 24, 1911 Pleasant Churned this morning had 40 ½ lbs grandma done most of ironing I made pies & cake this P.M. Jim & Mrs Allen here this eve.

Wednesday 25 Pleasant Milo went down to the Parsonage with Jim to dig ditch & lay some drain tile got it all done Mrs Nutter here this P.M. I moped all the floors this morning & washed a dress for Hester Carroll went to B- with butter this A.M. Went Hunting P.M.

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Thursday, Oct. 26, 1911 Pleasant Made some more tomato pickle this A.M. Etta Roy here this P.M. Milo plowing to day Lura Ironed the starched clothes Bert Allen got his fingers crushed in Dud. Blaines separator this eve. Had Dr Mackey & Elliott

Friday 27 Snowy & cold this A.M. all melted before noon baked pies & made doughnuts Men here putting in electric lights cleaned up the shed chamber this P.M. men got in before got it done Milo plowed this P.M. Ruth & Mrs Hawk called this P.M.

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Saturday, Oct. 28, 1911 Pleasant churned this morn Milo & Carroll went after the young cattle this A.M. stamped butter after came home men here putting in the E. lights Milo Plowed this P.M. Carroll helped up stairs putting down the floor Lura made cake & cookies got the lights all in had 32

Sunday 29 Pleasant but cold wind went to church this P.M. as Mr H was away Mr Carlson from Peacham Preached for him

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Monday, Oct. 30, 1911 Pleasant got up early washed Geo. Blaine came over this morn & killed a hog Martin here to dinner

Tuesday 31 Cloudy rainy in P.M. cut up meat this forenoon tried out some lard fried up some tenderloins Chandler Morrison here to see Milo

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Wednesday, Nov. 1, 1911 colder tried out some lard Martin here helped Carroll cut corn this morn. moved in the stove Milo drew a load of wood down to Emma Martin led the cow

Thursday 2 Cold & windy Milo & Grandma went to Will Lindys funeral I cleaned house moped the floors up stairs Martin here after pigs for Emma Elton here this P.M. & trimmed some apple trees awfully cold tonight cut sausage meat this A.M.

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Friday, Nov. 3, 1911 [no entry]

Saturday 4 Pleasant baked bread & pies & cake washed up the floors. Don here getting in the Electric light globes Mrs Hawk came for supper & stayed all night She made Elsie's Areo Cap

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Sunday, Nov. 5, 1911 Pleasant all went to church Mrs Hawk had her team all rode but Elsie & H Mr Bromell preached I went to eve. meeting with Mrs. H.

Monday 6 Pleasant got up early & washed had it all out before breakfast but S- churned this morn. Mrs Hawk went home She & Lura went to W.B. Milo & I went over to Ellis Smiths this P.M. stopped at Jim Nelsons

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Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1911 Pleasant Ironed baked pies Lura went down to stay with Mrs Hawk to night.

Wednesday 8 Lura down at Mrs Hawks yet

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Thursday, Nov. 9, 1911 cloudy part of time Just done chores & washed the Henhouse window while Milo & Carroll cleaned it went to Aid mee ting this P. M. found seven panes of glass broken in windows

Friday 10 Cloudy churned this A.M. Lura cleaned out the bureau Carroll drew out manure Lura went to Peacham to a lecture Mr Hawk came home from Penn. tonight School finished fall term

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Saturday, Nov. 11, 1911 Pleasant & warm Milo & Carroll over to Elmers trashing this morn. baked pies & bread Lura made cake & cookies Leslie Lackie came after Fannie this morning F. Hastie came to see about wood Grandma went down to Mary Anns

Sunday 12 Strong south wind warm all went to church Mrs Brock at home Martha & Mr Hawk all have returned Children did not go to prayer meeting as it rained so hard as they were all ready

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Monday, Nov. 13, 1911 Snowy & cold Washed & moped floors this A.M. sewed this afternoon Carroll & Milo cut corn this morn. are drawing manure this P.M.

Tuesday 14 Snows little had enough to cover ground ironed this AM Carroll went to Barnet with a hog it weighed over 400 lbs. grandma & Milo went to W.B. this P.M. She did not come back

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Wednesday, Nov. 15, 1911      Snowing snowed about 4 in in night churned this morn. Lura went to B. to convention Milo & Carroll went to McIndoes to look at a horse Carroll heard about yesterday Elsie & Esther did not go to school today cut off Elsie's red dress

Thursday 16      Windy & cold Milo & I started for W.B. with the new horse but decided he did not like it & only went as far as Mary Anns & came home Milo & Carroll took it home this P.M. & bought one from Walter Phelps I sewed on Elsie's red dress Carroll went to West B. this eve. Alden was over

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Friday, Nov. 17, 1911      Cold 8 below 0 Fried doughnuts & Lura made cake this morn. Sewed & mended some Milo & Carroll drew out manure with the new horse Carroll & Lura have gone to Peacham to a reception. Lura going to Danville if Susie is there

Saturday 18      Rainy Carroll went deer hunting I made bread pies moved table into dining room put bureau in closet moped floors Carroll got home about 8 o'clock

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Sunday, Nov. 19, 1911      cold & snowy All went to church Lura & Carroll & Elsie went to prayer m Hester had such a cold did not go I wrote to Mary Jack & Lilla Milo wrote to Arthur Somers sent Fred C. postal

Monday 20      Pleasant washed & moped floors

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Tuesday, Nov. 21, 1911      cold & windy Milo over to church to see about putting in furnace and putting & putting glass in windows Ironed this morn. Carroll went deer hunting Milo & I went to McIndoes & exchanged horses got a better one wind blew awful cold coming home Don at church putting in wire for lights

Wednesday 22      cold & windy churned this morning sent Alice 45 lbs Butter Milo went down with two horses drove the new one Carroll helping Don. wire church

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Thursday, Nov. 23, 1911      not quite as cold Milo went to W.B. to get Billy shod & brought grandma home I mended all fore-noon Went to McIndoes with Milo to see about Elsie's room at Mrs Martins Carroll Henry & Leslie went deer hunting today

Friday 24      Rainy in P.M. churned 31 lbs. butter Milo over to church to meet with Wil & Mr Murkland about the furnace Elsie drove to McI. alone to take exams. Milo & Carroll drew manure a while. Milo went down to Fents Carroll down to Fred after gram took Fred 5 lbs. butter Mr H./ Mrs Hawk sick Carroll gone to W.B. took F.G.S. 15 lbs Butter

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Saturday, Nov. 25, 1911      cold baked bread pies & cake Mr here cutting horns off young cattle this P.M. here to dinner

Sunday 26      Windy all went to church ~~but me~~ The meetings began this eve. Mr Bromwell speaking this eve. all went to church this but me

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Monday, Nov. 27, 1911 Pleasant part of time got up early & washed moped floors went to meeting this eve. all but Elsie & Grandma Mr. Burns from Monroe spoke Milo took his paper over to get contribution for furnace

Tuesday 28 Rainy ironed this morn. Milo & I went up to Blairs Franks & Moses with paper getting signed for furnace Jo. Huner here to supper ~~all went~~ Carroll Grand marm & I went to church this eve. Mr Barnard was to speak but was so rainy did not come only nine there snow all gone

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Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1911 cold & windy churned this morn. Carroll went to village got his hair cut & got some grain Milo & I out with paper went to Freds Geo N. Elmers & home Fred signed \$100 all went to eve. meeting but Hester & grandma Mr Clark from Barnet spoke this eve. School at McIndos closed until Monday

Thursday 30 Cloudy snowed a little Thanksgiving day baked bread & pies fixed chickens Mary A up to dinner Men drawing manure all went to church this eve. but me had a sort of praise service this eve. Mr Hawk conducting it

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Friday, Dec. 1, 1911 Cloudy & light snow sewed on Elsie's red waist all day Men drawing manure Milo went to the village got his hair cut all went to meeting but Milo Mr Lytle from So. Ryegate preached

Saturday 2 Snowed some but melted as fast as came churned 49 lbs B. this morn all went to church this P.M. Mr Lytle preached Men drew out manure in morn

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Sunday, Dec. 3, 1911 Warm & pleasant no snow All went to church Communion today Carroll Elsie & Hester have gone to church this eve. Jennie just telephoned that Ellen was dead & had started for VT. lights went out ice in wheel

Monday 4 pleasant but cold washed & moped floors this morn. went out to Peacham to see Carl Somers had a telegram that his fathers would start at 2.15 this night don't know what the trouble was yet went from there to W.B. Milo bought him a cap

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Tuesday, Dec. 5, 1911 cold & windy Milo went to Barnet took a box Butter & Eggs to Alice D. also carried Grandma to Jas. Gilfillans Ironed this forenoon & part of after baked some pies & cake

Wednesday 6 Some warmer Lura & I went to St. J. got myself & Elsie a new hat Barn burned on Dwight Gould place this morning Irma came home from Lunenburg sick Men getting out manure

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Thursday, Dec. 7, 1911 warm & sunshiny churned this morn & moped floors Carroll went to B this P.M. took part of B Milo went out & chopped this P.M. I went to Aid meeting Mrs. Corliss from Butson place there Frank & Harry were shingling their horse shed Grandmarm came home from Barnet today

Friday 8 cloudy & warm Swept & moped up chamber Lura went down after Elsie this P.M. Carroll went over to church to help Peter Black put up his screen. Charlie Somers just at point of death Owint to

get in to St. J at midnight Mrs Peter Abbott very sick All went over to show but Milo he has cold & lame back " [Milo] went over to get horses shod Made doughnuts in P.M.

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Saturday, Dec. 9, 1911 Cloudy & warm rained this a.m. churned & moped floors baked bread cake & pies heard Charlie Somers died in night Mrs. Peter Abbott also a woman in Groton Mrs Orange Morrison Joseph Hastie very sick with Pneumonia had 2 Dr. Owen came down on mail train from St. J. Ebb & Emerson here after Potatoes a man at Danville just alive with small pox Anna went away

Sunday 10 Warm All went to Ellens funeral but grandma did not get home until dusk Charlie Somers was also buried to day

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Monday, Dec. 11, 1911 Warm & pleasant washed & moped floors this forenoon went over to Brocks this PM Lura & Elsie went too. Men drawing out manure

Tuesday 12 Warm & pleasant Churned & Ironed Milo went to Barnet took box butter 49 ½ lbs for Lilla Orrin Morrill was killed by tree falling on him Mrs Peter Abbott buried today Carroll cut corn

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Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1911 warm almost raining Baked pies this morning Geo Blaine here killing pig. Lura Elsie & I went over to Brocks tried on skirts in P.M. Men went to the woods to saw some logs broke saw Muril came home from school with H. School closed at McIndos this morn

Thursday 14 warm cut up pork & tried out lard all day Lura & Elsie went to W.B. for sausage cutter this P.M grandma went down to Mary Anns

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Friday, Dec. 15, 1911 Still warm snowed some cut sausage & churned 49 lbs butter this A.M. in P.M. mixed sausage & strained off some lard Jim came over with ½ of his hog & a quarter of B. children went to a sociable at Mr Hawks

Saturday 16 warm rained a little in eve. cut up pork & sausage meat & Beefe tried out lard most all day baked bread & cake Andrew Hastie & Chandler M. here most all after noon straightening out Electric light bills mixed Sausage & put in bags after supper

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Sunday, Dec. 17, 1911 warm with a little rain all went to church Jimmie Allen there came home from church with us all went to prayer meeting but Hester

Monday 18 cloudy most of time snowed a very little washed churned & moped floors knit some this P.M. Elsie & Hester carried the sausage cutter home this morning girls making Xmas things Milo & Carroll out in the woods sawing logs this P.M.

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Tuesday, Dec. 19, 1911 Colder Ironed & Fried doughnuts Marion Somers & Lura went to St J. got home after dark Marion staid all night

Wednesday 20 cold baked bread Milo & I out collecting money for furnace went to Brocks Fred Canicks Horace Wardens & Willie McLarens got dinner there went to Wardens were all gone got 9 dollars Marrion here all day

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Thursday, Dec. 21, 1911 not quite as cold Milo & I went to Geo. Wards had dinner there then visited at Randalls a while then went to Amos Somers & then came home Lura made the pies finished them

Friday 22 warmer churned moped this A.M. Grandma & I Hester went to W.B. this P.M. rained coming home Carroll & Henry went to St. J. staid all night Milo chopped wood

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Saturday, Dec. 23, 1911 warm made some pies & cake Baked bread Carroll got home this morn Staid with Henry Lura & Elsie went to W.B. this P.M.

Sunday 24 warm all went to church Milo & Martin here to dinner Carroll Lura & Hester went to eve meeting

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Monday, Dec. 25, 1911 Warm & pleasant washed & moped floors Viana & Les came Les & C went over to get the Christmas trees Viana & Lura Elsie went a little later did not get home until 4 nearly all went to C. tree but Milo got lots of presents Jo Hastie not as well has Bronchitis

Tuesday 26 Still warm Lura Carroll & Elsie went over to clean up church churned & moped floor this morn. Packed 15 doz. eggs for Lilla this P.M. Carroll went to B with grist Milo chopped wood

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Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1911 colder

Thursday 28 colder Tacked a quilt this morning & cut rug rags the rest of the day A.W. Hastie here with some money & some bills Milo & Carroll drawing logs

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Friday, Dec. 29, 1911 cold & windy Lew Cades house burned to the ground about 4 this morning Milo & I went over as soon as we could & brought Henrietta & Ethel home with us. Margaret & Mabel Blair here to make some clothes for the girls Carroll went down skating a little while Milo visited with Mr B. wind still blew

Saturday 30 cold & windy baked pies & moped floor Billy & Ettie Strobridge here this P.M. brought some things for Cades Milo & Carroll in the woods

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Sunday, Dec. 31, 1911 Little warmer snowed a little All went to church Lura Carroll & Elsie went to eve. meeting

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Memoranda

Cows Tested

Small Black Heifer oz 9  
Dark red heifer near  
small gate about " 12  
Brindle heifer " 12  
Jersey color good oz 23  
Old Brindle color good oz 17  
Feb. 8 22  
Yellow Color good oz 26  
Black cow light ears  
butter color yellow 36  
Red 3 yrs old Near Yellow  
Butter color fairly good 16  
Black heifer near Black cow  
chard butter color White 22  
Old red cow 27  
color of B. White hard to churn  
one tooth gone

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Memoranda

Feb 8 1911  
Black & white bad Tit  
butter white come hard oz 36  
Black Bessie 26 oz

March 20 1911  
Old Black cow  
big bag one bad tit  
color good 25 oz  
Old Red cow two bad  
tits 36 oz  
color good

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