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MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1883

Pleasant but cool.

Clara washed in the forenoon, and I worked on my scrap-book. Mrs. Smith went up to Deborah's this morning; came home as soon as dinner. Mother came over to dinner. Deborah and Mrs. Smith came in after dinner. In the after-noon Clara and I took the horse and wagon and went down to Herman's and got 10 ears of corn (10 cts.) We then went up to see Chas^{Brown} about a Sabbath school. He was not at home; we called in to Ezra's a few minutes. ^{ling} Sammie was over to Mother's visit.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1883

May Day.

School commenced yesterday; ^{Miss} Elvira Kilbur, teacher.

Pleasant and windy. Father and I planted 15 rows; (about 7 quarts) of dwarf champion peas, and (about $1\frac{3}{4}$ bush) 10 rows of early rose potatoes down on the Holland lot. Clara and I went down home and I helped drop peas.

Ulysses went over to the Corner, after supper and got the Hand Firecicle and a copy of the American Garden. Clara Brown was down to Aunt Nina's and so was Mother a little while.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1883

Pleasant and windy.
Father plowed the piece
in front of the house for
me, this morning. He worked
down on his place this af-
ter-noon. Ulysses hauled
out manure and fixed the
ground for his cabbages.
He planted over one hun-
dred hills of cabbage.

I planted 26 hills in the
same place, (down by the shore).
He sowed the seeds in the hills.
Clara and Mrs. Smith went
out to the "Corners" this morning;
got back, about 6:30 to night.

The boys calculated to
have gone to the **Darky Sing**
but did not go.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1883

Rained a little in the
morning and cloudy
all day. I worked all
day making a **Chicken "Koo"**
for my chickens.

Chickens! Chickens!

We have ten chickens from
12 eggs, - one having died in the
shell, and one after he came
out. - We brought them over
to night and put them in
the front entry. Grace came
up in the morning and stayed
till after dinner. Ulysses
pitched out some manure from
the hog-pen. Father finished
shearing sheep. Ulysses went
over to the Grange, and got one gal.
molasses, ⁶⁰ and 1 gal. Kerosene ¹⁴ to Series,

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1883

Rained a little in the morning.
Cleared up and was very pleasant in the after-noon. We went over to the corner in the after-noon, and carried over and sold to Levi, $9\frac{1}{2}$ lbs butter @ .22 = $\$2.12$ and got 3 lbs. sugar @ .11 = .33
Mother and Mr. James Dunn were here to dinner.

The boys went down to East port in Ezra's boat. Roser Dunn went with them. Arthur and Elley each got a suit $\$9.00$ hat, $\$1.00$; shoes, $\$2.25$. Ulysses got a pair of pants $\$3.25$ neck-tie, .40. They could not sell butter. Sold, for us, $3\frac{1}{2}$ doz eggs - .14 = .49.
Mr. Isaiah Smith stayed over there to night.

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1883

Foggy; Pleasant; Rainy.
Set three hens.

I set two of my own hens and one of mother's. Ulysses helped me two hours this after-noon. I put in a few "mangles." I bought of Mr. Smith, 1 oz. nutmegs, 1 bottle liniment. $\$2$; he went away at noon. I put my chickens out in the coop today. Ulysses was here to supper. Father and Mother came over this evening.

Yesterday I payed the boys for working for me $\$2.50$

SUNDAY, MAY 6, 1883

Rainy and wet all day.

We stayed at home till about 4:30 o'clock when we went over to Mother's and got supper. Mr. Smith came in a few minutes on his way to Demmyville. He got set across the river last night. Clara Owen came over, and Helen went over to stay with her a few days, while Mr. & Mrs. Owen go to Machias. Mother's hen came off with only one chicken.

MONDAY, MAY 7, 1883

Pleasant, and quite windy. I finished stacking my hen manure in the fore-noon.

In the after-noon I went down to drop peas for Father. We planted all of this "Eliss's American Wonder" peas (4 rows) and about 4 quarts (9 rows) of "dwarf champions".

Mrs. Smith and Elias came up a little while to night. Nat. got a half ton of hay of H. S. Bridges. Albert Holland and Moscoe Dunn got hay of Aunt Nina.

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1883

Cloudy in the morning; pleasant the rest of the day. This afternoon I planted a few parsnips, carrots, beets and turnips. Father fenced and hauled rocks. Ulysses helped him in the after-noon. I painted part of the float.

Grace, May and Rosetta came up after supper. Mat. came over in the evening. I put some pieces in my "Censer" scrap-book.

Pork stew for supper.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1883

Pleasant; Windy; Cool.

I did not much of anything this fore-noon; I felt pretty sore across my chest. This afternoon we went up to Pennysville and I got a bottle of medicine, 1.25 and paid T. H. Allen & Son for lumber I got last fall. 3.71. We run over Oalsie's lamb, in the road, and came near killing it.

Ulysses helped Father plant potatoes this afternoon.

The boys had a brood of nine chickens, come out today. Mrs. Smith and Elias came up to night. Charles Owen came home from jail.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1883

Cloudy and cool.

Deborah and Mother
and Father were here to din-
ner. In the after-noon
Clara and I went down
home, and stayed till af-
ter supper. Mr. Osborn
came and brought my
apple tree - "Walbridge". 75

He gave me a "Northern Spy"

Our cows "laid out" to-
night; Father went after
them but could not find
them. Grace has a very
severe earache. We have two
more hens that want to
set.

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1883

Cloudy and wet.

We did not get our cows
till about 10 o'clock this morn-
ing. Father set my trees
"Walbridge" and "Northern Spy"
out this fore-noon, in his
orchard. Clara's cosset lamb
died last night, probably
from the effects of not having
enough to eat. We got our din-
ner over to mother's. After din-
ner Clara and I and mother
went up to Deborah's and
father came up to supper.
I set the "light hen" to-
night. Fred. Brown's wife died
last of consumption. Mr.
Smith came from the mill
this morning. I lent Hattie Lyons
my bell. *She teaches in her*

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1883

Pleasant and warm.
I pitched over my hen manure. Mr. Smith worked on his house; I went out this afternoon. The ground is pretty near dry enough to plant. Mrs. Smith came up in the after-noon, and stayed to supper. Venie got here just before supper.

Clara and I and Venie went over to Mother's in the evening.

Father and Ulysses and Arthur got a load of rock wool Ulysses carried. 136 pounds of wool @ .22 = \$29.92 sold to E. H. Sprague & Son.

SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1883

Sunday School

commenced to-day. Pleasant but quite cool. About 30 were present to Sunday school.

We stayed home all the after-noon. Ten chickens came out all right and I "pipped" two eggs and kept them in the oven till they got smart, and to-night put them under the hen, being 12, from 15 eggs.

Father and mother went over to Clara Owens.

Josiah Dunn came up a little while in the evening. Venie stayed here last night and went to Sabbath school to-day.

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1883

Pleasant, cool and windy.
This fore-noon Mrs. Smith
hired Kate horse²³ to go to the
corner, and I went with her,
I carried over and sold
to Mr. Levi, $3\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. butter
@ .20 = .62 and got 2 lbs.
onions @ .04 = .08. I got 25 ¹⁰cents
 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. pens = .06; 10 oz gum-arabic
.05. Coming down the marsh
hill, the wood of the forward
axle cracked; the iron had
been broken before. Mr. Smith
worked on his house. The
school-house came near
burning down to-day,
caused by burning brush.
Father helped Ulysses, this af-
ter-noon plant 30 rows of potatoes.

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1883

Cold and rainy.
I worked on my scrap-
book part of the time.
Mr. Smith went up home
this fore-noon.
"The boys" went down to
visit the school, this after-
noon. Real Brown came
over to father's after some
seed potatoes, but got none.
Fannie is over to mother's
this evening.
Clara has not felt very
well, to-day.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1883

Quite Pleasant.

I made a coop, 6X10 feet for my chickens. I went out after the cows to-night and am very tired.

Bales' house was raised to-day.

Clara started to run and hurt her leg.

Father, Ulysses and Arthur went rock-weeding.

Mr. Smith hauled two loads of manure from up "home."

Mrs. Smith and Seddie came up and Crother came over in the evening.

Helen got supper. Arthur went down to get some eggs.

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1883

Pleasant. I have not done much to-day. Clara is about the same to-night. Mrs. Smith came up in the morning and stayed till afternoon when Grace came up. Mr. Smith hauled one load of manure and Mr. Charles Ward hauled a load for him. Both got dinner here. Mr. Smith fixed the "long bridge" in the afternoon. I set two hens to-night. I took mother's white hen away from my chicks and payed .25 for use of her. The chickens are two weeks old.

Ulysses, Father and Arthur went rock weeding. Aunt Dinna came up a few minutes in the afternoon.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1883

Pleasant and warm.

I sowed a few mangles, and went down to the "lower place" where father was planting.

After supper, Ulysses and I went up by John Anthony's to see the Gypsies.

Mr. Smith worked for Aunt Jannima.

Mrs. Smith and Rhoda came up after supper.

Clara seems to be no better.

Ulysses got us 1 lb. pepper - 10
Mother's name sent to the Grange
Mother went over to Jannima yesterday

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1883

Quite pleasant.

Ulysses furrowed and manured out three rows this morning and I planted some mangles, carrots and parsnips. This afternoon Venie and Mrs. Porter came over. Mrs. Porter brought over and lent me to read, "The Complete Home." Venie will stay here to night. Deborah was here this afternoon. Mrs. Smith came up to night. Lots of folks went up to see the Gypsies to night.

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 1883

Wet and Rainy.

It was so wet I did not go down to S. School. Some went down but there was no school.

Clara and I and Venie went over to the "other house" to dinner. Mother had pot-pie made from the old "soft shelled hen".

Venie went down home this after-noon.

Last night father's hog got out and came over here and killed one of my oldest chickens. Venie will stay with Helen to night.

MONDAY, MAY 21, 1883

Wet and rainy.

I pasted a few pieces in my scrap-book.

Mrs. Smith came up in the after-noon, and Venie started for Capt. Porters. Grace came up before supper and will stay with Helen to night.

Father helped Aunt Nina shear her sheep.

Ulysses worked for Kate hawking lumber, with the oxen. Mr. Smith worked on his house.

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1883

Wet and rainy.
I worked on my script
book part of the time. I
went down the road and
got my dinner to Mrs.
Smith's.

Ulysses went to the
corner, this fore-noon.
Father hauled up some
rock-weed and hauled
off some rocks.

Mr. Smith went to
the corner.

Henry Woodworth came
round peddling.

Clara and Grace have
sewed carpet rags apart
all day.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1883

Heaviest rain of the
season. Rained all day.
I finished my Genser soap
book, pitched over my hen
manure etc.

Father helped Mr. Smith
shear his sheep.

Clara and Grace have
ing been making a "but-
ton" mat.

George W. Allan came
down to father's to-night.

Grace stayed with Helen
to-night.

Clara has felt quite
well today.

Uncle Samuel, Silas Morgan
and Eliram Wilder got an
old bear and cub, making
four in all.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1883

Rainy and wet all day; cleared off at night. Ulysses went over to Charles Owens and got a barrel of swill.

Mr. Smith worked at his house.

Grace went down home this afternoon.

I set a hen to night.

I wrote a letter to Isaac and Alice and sent it over when Ulysses went to the Grange.

Clara feels a little better to night.

Mother came in this evening.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1883

Pleasant and warm. I fixed the pig-pens. We churned this afternoon. Grace went down home in the fore-noon, and Mrs. Smith came up. We had a mess of greens for dinner. Mr. Smith worked on his house.

Mr. Lyons hawled over Mr. Smith's line.

Sommer Mr. Glandlin and wife came down to father's today. Uncle John was there to supper.

My tooth aches quite badly to night.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1883

Pleasant and warm.
I had the tooth-ache all
last night so that I
could not sleep. Ulysses
went up to Dr. Perkins
and he gave me some-
thing to rub on my teeth
25. He went over to the
corner and the Dr. cut
round my tooth and
after that it did not
ache so badly. I got
a bag of cracked corn
to Lewis 1.75

Mr. Smith got Nat. to
haul out his sand and
he slacked his lime for
building his chimney.
He had 30 chickens come out, to
day making 54 in all.

SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1883

Rained all day.
Charles and Clara came
over to father's in the fore
noon and called here in
the after-noon. Auldin
came over with Ulysses
and I, yesterday.
It rained so hard
there was no Sabbath
school.

MONDAY, MAY 28, 1883

Cleared off in the forenoon and was very warm the middle of the day.

Father, Ulysses and Arthur went down and got a load of rock-wood for Ulysses. Ulysses and mother went to the Grange to-night. Aaron Kilbur commenced to build Mr Smith's chimney to-day. I went out to get my dinner. Grace washed this fore-noon.

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 1883

Pleasant in the morning; rained about all the afternoon; had a heavy thunder shower in the evening. I went to Eastport with Aunt Jamima. We got back about 2:30 P.M. I carried down and sold 7½ lbs. butter @ .20 = 1.42, and spent for 1 bottle whisky = 1.00

" 1 "	cod liver oil	.75
" 10 yds	sheeting 7½	.75
" 8 "	calico - 8¢	.64
" 1 doz.	pills	.12
" Extra	peppermint	.54
		<u>3.80</u>

Father and Ulysses planted potatoes for Aunt Jamima in the afternoon.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1883

Pleasant and warm.

Memorial Day.

Decoration in Pembroke this afternoon. Ulysses, Mother, Helen, Arthur and Elley attended. The members of the Grange marched with the members of the Post, headed by the Band. Address by Rev. Mr. Whittier of Cinnysville. I worked on my chicken yard some. Mr. Kilgus finished building Mr. Smith's chimney about 4 o'clock.

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THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1883

Rained all day, until about night.

Mrs. Smith came up to mother's this forenoon and went home about 3 o'clock.

Mr. Smith went to the corner this morning.

Clara has not felt very well today.

Ulysses and mother went to the Grange to night. Ulysses went over to Charles Owens this afternoon after some small

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1883

Pleasant and windy.
I went out back
and helped Mr. Smith
shingle, part of the day.
Messrs. Hazen Lyons,
Simpson Lyons and Cha
Hard each hauled down
a load of windows,
doors, laths, shingles etc.
Clara went over to
mothers.

I sold Ulysses $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu.
oats @ .75 = 1.87 to work
out my road tax. (Wednesday)

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1883

Pleasant and warm.
I have quite a bad
cold and do not feel
very well. I planted
some sweet corn in the af-
ter-noon. Mrs. Smith came
up in the fore-noon.

Grace went up to her
Grand-mother's in the after-
noon to stay all night.

Venie got home about
6 o'clock. Mr. Smith worked
on his house. Nat hauled
out a load of shingles etc.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 1883

Pleasant and warm.
About 40 were to Sabbath
school to-day.

Jennie came up here a
little while.

Clara and I went up
to Mrs. Bosworths and
stayed to supper.

Their colts got out
of the pasture and went
up the road.

Ulysses and Mr. Bosworth
went after him but could
not find him.

Mother went down to
Maria Brown's after S. Schol
and Chas. and Maria
came up to-night.

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 1883

Commenced to rain in
the after-noon. Rained
hard toward night.
I finished my chicken Coop.
Mr. Smith worked on
his house.

Mr. Bosworth got his
colt up to Mr. Ned Burns.
Father drove Aunt Jammies
oxen to Eastport. He walk
ed down and back.

"The boys" planted po-
tatoes and beans.
I have a bad cold.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1883

Heavy thunder shower
last night, in the night.
Pleasant and warm.
Father, Ulysses and Arthur
went to the corner, this
fore-noon. This after-
noon father and I went
down to the other place.

I got a bottle of
Heart Regulator of Aunt
Mima, for Clara (100

The boys cultivated the
piece for my potatoes
and Ulysses went down
to Capt. Wilbur's after
a barrel of potatoes
I set out 11 tomato plants
to night. Bales moved
most of his in his new house

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1883

Pleasant and very warm.
Father and Arthur helped
plant me a barrel of po-
tatoes. ^(12 noon) He planted about
 $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel for father.

Albert Holland hauled
out Mr. Smith's doors and
windows.

Mr. Smith worked on
his house.

Clara and mother
went up to Fannie's,

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1883

Moved-Out-Back.

Father and Ulysses went down this morning and hauled Mr. Smith's things out to their house. I went out with Mrs. G^h.

Father planted potatoes in the after-noon.

Ulysses planted a few beans, and cultivated some for me.

About 22 chickens came out to day.

Ulysses and Mother went to the Grange.

Nat. came over this evening. Looked like rain all day.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1883

Rained; pleasant shower. I went over to the corner with Aunt Minnie's horse and carried some butter over for her and carried for myself

3 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. butter @ .20 = .68

2 doz eggs @ .15 = .30

and got

1 bush meal .85

1 gal. molasses .60

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb tea @ .36 .18

1 " saleratus .07

2 window curtains .20

and Ulysses got me a bag of corn ^{1.80} to be paid for in oats. We went down to aunt Minnie's in the after-noon

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1883

Pleasant and warm.

Mr. James Dunn helped
Ulysses plant beans, I
dropped about all of them.
I planted 15 hills squash
6 hills cucumbers and 2
hills of citron.

Deborah came down in
the after noon.

Birthday.

Grand mother Carter is
83 years old to-day.

Grace came out to-
night, and will stay here
to night.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 1883

Dull and wet all day.
Shower about noon.
I went to Sabbath school
this fore noon.

Mrs. Basworth, Ulysses,
and Mr. and Mrs. James
Dunn went out to Mr.
Smith's this after noon.
Our heifer did not
come to night.

We went over to Kate's
a little while this even-
ing.

MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1883

Rained part of the day.
Father went up to Dr
Sheehan's this morning to
have a tooth fixed. He
hauled out 3 loads of my
manure.

Clara washed.
I have not felt just
right to day.
May came up a few
minutes to night.
Mrs. Bosworth came into
night.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1883

Pleasant and windy.
Father hauled manure
for me all day (7 loads). I
went out to Mr. Smith's
in the forenoon. Clara
went over to Harriet's.
Charles and Clara came
over toward night. Chas
and father went over to
Chas. Hayward's and Chas.
bought two pigs @ 2.75.
They boys went to
Dennysville along with
but got very few.
Ulysses went over with
Charles and Clara and
stayed all night.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1883

Rained hard in the after-noon. Mr. Lyons came over to help Mr. Smith; harrowed and hauled four loads of manure. Father hauled manure for me.

Clara and I went out and stayed to dinner.

Ulysses went to the corner and got a letter for us from Isaac and Albi. Sold Ulysses $3\frac{3}{4}$ bush. oats @ .50 = 1.80,

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1883

Pleasant and windy. Clara and I went up to the "four corners." We went over to Levy's and sold 4 pounds butter @ .20 = 80 and bought a butter print. 70. Mother went over to Clara Owen's with us.

Ulysses went to the Grange, and mother went to.

We had 7 more chicks come out to day making 82 in all.

L. J. Wilder & Co got another bear to clay making 6 in all.

Mrs. Smith came out after supper. Charles Brown came up to night.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1883

Pleasant.

Father furrowed, and hauled one load of manure for me this morning, and I planted my beets.

Fred Carter helped Ulysses this forenoon and Mr Smith this afternoon. Mr. Lyons came over this morning with a load of manure. A shoe came off from his horse and he had to go home. Father planted potatoes. Eliza Dym, Elmira Curtis and Mrs. Alvira Wilbur were to Mother's supper.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1883

Pleasant and windy.

We churned this morning and I went over to the Corner, with Ulysses, and sold to Levi

5 lbs. butter (fresh) @ .20 = 1.00
1 doz. eggs .14

and carried him over some buttermilk. Ulysses got a barrel of flour ^{8.50} and a bag of meal ^{1.75}.

This afternoon we went up to the Little Falls after some alwives, but got none. Father planted po-ta-to-es.

Fred Carter helped Mr Smith this forenoon. Vinie and Malissie Lyons came over.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17, 1883

Quite Pleasant.

I got ~~the~~ horse and Clara
went down to S. School.

Venice, Malissa, Clara and
went over to Mother's to
dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Smith
were here this afternoon.
Charles Brown and Un-
cle Ira called this after-
noon.

Father and mother went
up to Joseph Dunn's
this evening.

Seddie will stay here
this week and go to school.

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1883

Elias S. Smith's Birthday 12 yrs

Quite pleasant

I hoed the weeds from
my beets etc. Clara
picked wool. Father
planted and Ulysses fin-
ished planting.

Mr. Smith went up
to Denny'sville and hired
to work in the mill.

Adna and wife drove
round this afternoon.
Geo. Townsend was here
selling apple trees etc.

Mr. Isaiah Smith (peddler)
stayed to ~~father~~ all
night.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1883

Commenced to rain about one o'clock this afternoon and rained hard till night. Father, Seth and Ellie helped me sow my back wheat. Clara went out to her mother's and I went out to dinner.

Ulysses worked on the road for me, most of the day.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1883

Rained about all day. I cleared up the hen-pen in the afternoon and Arthur helped me take a few potatoes out of the cellar.

Ulysses went over to Charles Owen's and got a barrel of swill. He went to the office and got me a catalogue from the Methodist Book Concern, with samples of the Advocate and Classmate.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1883

Rained hard all night^{last} and we had quite heavy thunder and ship lightning. has not cleared off to day.

Clara and I went up to Fannie's and got our dinner, and Fannie shingled my hair.

Ulysses and Mother went to the Grange: they took over some butter for Mrs. Smith for some meal.

Grace and Elias came out while we were gone. Andrew B. Carter came over and I printed 50 cards for him for 25¢ this evening.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1883

Sun come out a little in the afternoon. I went out to Mr. Smiths this forenoon and stayed to dinner.

This afternoon I went to the Corner with Ulysses and carried over, and sold for Mrs Smith, $3\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. butter @ .22 = .77 and got 1 bush meal, $88\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tea, 1 lb. saleratus, and 3 yds sheeting, = .24 and I sent for 13 copies each of the S.S. Advocate and C.S. Class mate.

Father planted pumpkins and beets.

Mr. Smith came home at noon and went back to the mill to night.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1883

Pleasant and warm
with the exception of a small
shower or two.

We churned this morning.
I have not felt very well
to-day.

Clara scrubbed this morning.

This evening Mr. and Mrs.
James Dunn came down
and I printed 12 cards for
George W. Cook and 12 "
Sage E. Cook = 24 due

Father planted a few
potatoes this fore-noon
and went up to Lunnysville
with Aunt Minna this after-
noon. Ulysses worked on
the road this after-noon.
Grace will stay up to
Mr. Dunn's to night.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 1883

Pleasant and warm.
I went to Sabbath
school in the fore-
noon. Charles and Clara
came over to father's and
we went over and stay-
ed to supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith
hired the horse of Ulyss-
ses²⁵ and went up "home"
in the after-noon.

Wednesday 27

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1883

Pleasant; hot.

Clara went up to
Deborahs this forenoon
and I went up to din-
ner. I have done very
little work to day.

Father hoed peas.
Ulysses hoed potatoes

Thursday 28

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1883

Dull and rainy.

We stayed home all day.
Mrs. Smith came out
this morning a little
while. Thomas and
George Besworth got
home this morning af-
ter a trip of 46 days
with Capt. J. J. Carter.

Sp churned about 3 1/2
lbs of butter to night.

Ulysses, with the mare
and Arthur and Elley,
with the steers, worked
on the road for father.
Ulysses and Mother went
to the Grange to night.

James Dunn got a load
of rock-weed. Albert Hall
helped him.

Monday

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1883

Pleasant.

Clara washed; I have done but little. Mother was here to dinner and Deborah, to supper.

Ulysses went up all-
wiring but got very
few. Father got some
shingles from Rammsville
for Aunt Mima.

Stat. went to Macbias
yesterday to carry Andrew
on his way to Mt. Desert.
He got home about
2 o'clock.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1883

Pleasant.

Mrs. Smith came out
this morning and Elias
help me take part of
the banking away from
the house. I put most
of it in the hog pens.
Father cultivated pota-
toes, and hard peas etc.
I let Aunt Mima have
 $\frac{1}{4}$ bush of Father's buckwheat.
A few of the girls and
women came here to-
night and we practiced
singing a few pieces
to sing to Sabbath
School. Clara washed
the bed-tick and I got
it filled to Aunt Mima.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1883

Pleasant and windy.
Clara and I went over
to the Corner in the morn-
ing, and came back to
Chas. Owens and stayed
there to dinner and sup-
per. He carried over and
sold to Levi.

8 lbs. butter @ .20 = 1.60

5 doz eggs @ .15 = .75

and bought,

9 yds sheeting @ .08 = .72

1 pocket handkerchief = .10

We went to Mr. Hunt and
picked out a bedstead (265)
and went up and saw him.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1883

Showery in the morning,
pleasant in the afternoon.
Uncle John came over
via Mr. Smith's.

Ulysses Stent over to the
Corner and got Mr. Smith
a barrel of flour²⁵ = 7.00
and carried it out to him.

Mrs. Haynes came down
and stayed over to Mother's
to night.

I bought a calf three
days old of Ulysses for
1.00. Mother feeds it till
fall for 1.00