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Ther.

Thurs.

MAY 2, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.
Looked much like
rain this morning.

I spread manure and
harrowed my $\frac{1}{2}$ on my oat
piece.

Clara washed.

Ther.

Fri.

FRI. MAY 3, 1889

Wea.

Looked much like
rain this morning.

I sowed my oats to-
day. (1 Acre)

Mrs. Smith went to the
Comer.

Mrs. Bosworth came out
to-day.

Ther.

Fri

MON. MAY 6, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant, Cool.

Father and David Carter
came out this morning ~~came~~
out to work for me. Father
is lame and cannot do much
and David helped me plow
most all day. Hauled out
some manure etc. Father
went home after dinner.

Ther.

Sat.

92

TUES. MAY 7, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant, Cold, windy.

I planted 1 bush. of po-
tatoes, harrowed, pitched out
manure, dug ditch, went down
to Arthur's, etc.

Harold, and several chil-
dren down that way have
the Rash, but are doing pretty
well.

Mrs. Smith, Elias and Grace
went down to Sarah's this af-
ternoon. Will is quite
sick.

Ther.

Sun
WED. MAY 8, 1889

Wea.

Showery, cool, wind blow-
ed almost a gale.

Clara and I went over
to the Union church to meeting
this after-noon. Preaching
by the new minister, Rev. Sim-
eon Young. Good sermon.
Mrs. Smith went down to
Sarah's this fore-noon and
she and Sarah went up
to meeting. We all rode down
to Ollie's and Grace and Mrs.
Smith came home with us
I had Mr. Smith's wagon.

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Ther.

Mon
THURS. MAY 9, 1889

Wea.

Cloudy, windy, cool.
Elias helped me furrow this
morning and I hauled out
manure and planted about
a bushel of potatoes.

Everett Farley came out in
here and I sold him 5 cwt.
of hay @ 75¢ = \$3.75. Noel
Wotz came with him.

Fred J. Dunn came out a
little while towards night.

Mr. Smith went to the Cor-
ner this fore-noon.

Mrs. Smith and Elias went
to the Corner this after-noon
and he went over again this
evening.

Ther.

Thurs. 99
FRI. MAY 10, 1889

Wea.

or

Pleasant and Cool.

I planted potatoes,
fixed fence, fit fire etc.

Thomas Boworth got sup-
per to Mr. Smiths and we
went over to the Camp where
our annual Inspection took
place. Inspects Chas.
L. Witham and Major Har-
ry L. Harrington were with
us. Had a fine time.
Marking: 78 1/4

Ther.

Wed. 99
SAT. MAY 11, 1889

Wea.

Cloudy. Cold. Commenced
to rain at night.

I planted potatoes, etc.
Burnt brush, front of Mr. Smiths.
Mrs. Smith and Grace went
out to Mrs. Boworths.

Ther.

Thurs ⁹²
~~SUN.~~ MAY 12, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet. Cloudy,
Mrs. Smith came over and
helped us paper the little
room. I worked there about
all day.

Father came out this
afternoon and I wrote
a "trespass" notice for him
for the kick.

Clara and Carroll
went over to the other house
this evening.

Will W. Woodworth
came in here this after-
noon and I ordered a
"Union" wagon of Simmons & Co.,
Union, Me. - Price \$115.⁰⁰

Ther.

Fri ⁹²
MON. MAY 13, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

I churned this morning and
helped put up the trim-
ming in the sitting room
etc. I went out and
helped father plow, and
planted a few potatoes to-
night.

Mrs. Smith, Grace, Edna
and Elias went down to Mill
this afternoon. Will came
up this afternoon and
Grace went down with him
tonight. Edna will stay
down all night.

Mrs. Smith came over after
supper.

Ther.

Sat.

92

Tues. MAY 14, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

I finished planting potatoes. Planted a few Lettuce (Hanson & Sample) Parsnip (Long White Student) Beet (Dewings) Corn (Cory) Cucumber (Arlington & Evergreen) and Squash (Fordhook) and Citron.

I went over to the Corner towards night and got the Colts (Ben Harrison) shoes set, and got a barrel of flour (White Wheat). I stayed over to a business meeting of the Church - in the West. Grace came over and will stay tonight.

Ther.

Sun.

92

Wed. MAY 15, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

Clouded up towards night and began to rain about 8:30

Mrs. Smith, Grace, Clara and I went over to the Union House to church this afternoon - My colt and Mr. Smith's wagon.

We all went over to the other house to supper.

Ther.

Thurs. MAY 16, 1892

Wea.

Rained lightly about
all of last night. Cloudy
Cleared up pleasant, this af-
ter-noon. Warm.

I carried cow, Ketsy, away
this fore-noon.

I went to the Corner this
after-noon.

Uncle Ira came up a
while towards night.

Mr. Smith went out to the
road after supper. Mrs.
Smith, Grace, and Edna went
out to meet him.

A. B. C. D. E. F.
Pembroke, Me. Pembroke
Pembroke, Me.

May 16, 1892.
W. W. W. West
West Pembroke

Ther.

Fri. MAY 17, 1892

Wea.

Pleasant and very
windy.

I harnessed, furrowed,
hauled out manure, fenced,
etc.

Mr. Smith and Elias
went rockweeding on State
shore.

Grace was over here to
supper.

Elias hauled in a
load of rockweed to
night.

Ther.

Wed. 92
MAY 18, 1889

Wea.

Quite pleasant until
near night, when it
clouded up and rained
some. Cool.

I hauled manure and
planted a row of beets
and a few peas (D. Champion)
I hauled rails and fixed
fence part of the time.

The colt got out of the
pasture, into Mr. Smith's
field, twice.

Elias hauled in 3 loads
of rockwood and Mr. Smith
planted potatoes.

Will and Sarah came
up this afternoon. She
and Grace called over
here.

Grace went out to Mr.
Bogworth's to night.

Mrs. Smith went down
to Mrs. Benji Dudley's

Ther.

Thurs 93
SUN. MAY 19, 1889

Wea.

Quite Pleasant. Rain lightly
this evening.

I went out to fathers this
morning and ground my ax and
scissors. Fenced some, planted
a few beans, and went over to
the Camp of D. to night.

Mother and Aunt Sarah came
out today.

Ther.

Sun
WED. MAY 22, 1889

Wca.

Rained and blowed hard
about all day. Cold.

Ther.

Mon
THURS. MAY 23, 1889

Wca.

Rainy and wet.
I went down to C.A. Brown's
this forenoon and bought a pig.
Father got one too and I went
round with him and got home
about noon. Father called here
this morning. I pitched our
manure, built a pig-pen etc.
I went over to the other house
this evening.

Grace has been over here today.
Mrs. Smith and Eliza went to
the Cross-Roads this after-noon.
Old Mrs. Smith is some better.

Ther.

~~Fri~~ ^{Tue} MAY 24, 1889 ⁹⁹

Wea.

Shower towards night.

Pleasant and windy.

I went to Eastport on the steamer "In & In" it being my first trip on her. I carried down some butter. (52 Lbs @ 20¢)

Elias went over with me this morning and brought "Ben" home. I got my supper at Chas. Owens. J. P. Wilder, Allan R. Brown, Wm. E. Lighton and Gen. B. B. Murray were passengers also.

11 Ther.

~~Sat~~ ^{Sat} MAY 25, 1889 ⁹⁹

Wea.

Cloudy most all day.

I planted soldier beans, ^{yellow} Eye Wax, White Wax, Perfection Wax, and, sparrows egg beans, furrowed and manured out for beans.

Mr. Smith planted his beans Mrs. Smith went to the Corner. Carroll and Stella went to school to-day.

Ther.

Thurs.

92

SUN. MAY 26, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant, warm. Foggy to night.

I hauled out manure and planted a few beans this after-noon. I went ~~on~~ to the Camp to night.

Clara went out to mother's visiting; I went out with her this fore-noon and got some beans.

Elias worked for Benj. Drolley. Clara came in with him this after-noon. Mrs. Smith and Grace went out to Harriett's, visiting.

Ther.

Fri.

93

MON. MAY 27, 1889

Wea.

Rained most of the after-noon; some this fore-noon.

I planted a few beans. Worked in the cellar part of the after-noon.

Ther.

Sat
Tues. MAY 28, 1889

Wea.

Quite pleasant part of the day. Quite heavy showers part of the after-noon. Mrs. Smith, Corra and I went over to the Cemetery this after-noon. We went in to Corra Owen's and Clara she shingled my hair. Mabel Owen went over with us. Edna took care of the children. I churned this morning and cleared up the cellar etc.

Ther.

Sun
Wed. MAY 29, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.
Chas. E. Reynolds Camp S. M. met at our Camp room at 10 o'clock this after-noon and with the G. O. R. attended Church in a body at the Union ~~Meeting~~ house. Sermon by Rev. S. O. Young. Had a good sermon. 15 Bros. of the Camp attended services here and the Denny's will boys attended there. Corra went over with her mother and Grace and Elias.

Ther.

THURS. MAY 30, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet all day.
I went over to the Corner
this after-noon but was
late to go with the Camp.
The Boys of our Camp S. & B.
were in line and assisted
the G. A. R. as usual, Sen.
Vice Com. Fred J. Dunn in
Command.

They had a fine time
this evening but I did
not go over.

James brought Major, his
colt out to night and put
him in my pasture with
my colt.

Ther.

FRI. MAY 31, 1889

Wea.

Dull wet.

Rained this morning.
I helped father fence
most all day. — He and
Edwin were there to dinner.
Mr. Smith went out to the
road this fore-noon and to the
Corner this after-noon.

Mrs. Smith and Elsie went
up to the Cross-Roads to see
old Mrs. Smith who is quite
sick — worse than for some time.

Will Morgan came
over to Mr. Smith's this
after-noon.

Ther.

Wed 92
SAT. JUNE 1, 1889

Wea.

Clear up this forenoon
warm. Foggy tonight.

I churned this morning.

Elvis and I worked on our
road this forenoon. He went
to Dennyville after alvins
this after-noon.

Mrs. Smith and Grace and
Edna went to the Camp this
forenoon.

Mrs. Bertie Gordon came in
to Mrs. Smith's. She and Grace came
over this evening.

I helped Clara plant her
garden this after-noon.

I went up to Geo. Antonio's
towards night but he was
not at home. I carried
a pail of butter out to father's
for him to take to Eastport.

Ther.

Thurs. 93
SUN. JUNE 2, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant and very, very
Hot. 92° to 95° in the shade.

Thunder showers towards night.
Rained hard.

Silas Lyons came over this
forenoon and paid me \$25.00
on note of \$50.00. He stayed to
dinner.

I harrowed, furrowed, ma-
nured out, etc., and planted
cucumbers and squashes.

I went over to the Camp
this evening. I got a hat
for myself, for Carroll, and
for Francis.

Grace has been sick
all day.

Ther.

Sun
WED. JUNE 5, 1889

Wea.

Showering. -

Mr. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Clara
and I went up to Haroldson's
school-house to the funeral
of Mrs. Eliza (Carter) Anthony.

Will and Sarah came up
to Mr. Smith's this forenoon.
Elias carried them home to
night.

Ther.

Mon 69
THURS. JUNE 6, 1889. Wea. Cloud.

Showering this morning. Pleasant
and warm this afternoon.

I chummed, and sawed some
wood etc., this forenoon.

Elias and I worked on our
road this after-noon - haul-
ed gravel with "Ben."

Mrs. Smyth and Grace went
up to the Cross-Roads.

Mr. Smith went to the Corner.
We planted some squash
and pumpkins to night.

Ther.

Tues. '99
FRI. JUNE 7, 1880.

Wea.

Pleasant.

I sawed wood, weeded some in the garden etc, and went to the Corner towards night.

Elias went to Danburyville this after-noon.

Ther.

Wed. '99
SAT. JUNE 8, 1880.

Wea.

Pleasant, windy.

I went out to see Fred Dunn this fore-noon and out to father's. I cut stringers for a scaffold, cleaned a load of "stuff" out of the cellar, hauled a load of wood, etc.

Carroll lost a lettuce (forgetting) this morning while taking it out. Father found it soon after.

Mr. Smith and Elias went to the Corner, this fore-noon. They cultivated potatoes about noon.

Ther.

Thurs 99
Sun. JUNE 9, 1889.

Wea.

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Ther.

Fri. 92
Mon. JUNE 10, 1889.

Wea.

Quite pleasant most all day. Showered some part of the afternoon.

Clara went out to her grandmother Boworth's. She got home soon after noon.

Thomas stayed home with me. I whetted stringers for soap fold and put them up. I cut three more sticks in the woods and got some wet.

I went over to the Camp to night.

Grace came over to night and will stay all night.

Elias got a load of manure down to Henry's place.

Mrs. Smith went down through the woods to Henry's.

Pleasant, cool.

I was taken quite suddenly, about 5 o'clock, this morning with a severe chill and hard aching in my right shoulder and back.

Clara and Grace got up and got me some hot tea, hot bricks, and soaked my feet.

I have not felt well today and have done no work except churn towards night.

Farther came out twice today and fenc'd some.

Ther.

Sat.

TUES. JUNE 11, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

I have not done much to-day - have not felt very well.

Grace went down to Sarah's. Mrs. Smith came

Ther.

Sun.

WED. JUNE 12, 1889

Wea.

Rainy this morning. Pleasant the rest of the day.

We all went over to the other house to supper.

Clara and her mother went out to see Mr. James Dunny, who has been very sick for a day or two, with neuralgia of the stomach.

Grace came from Sarah's to night.

Ther.

Mon. 199
Thurs. June 13, 1889.

Wea.

Pleasant most all day.
Thunder-showery towards night.
I went out to the road
this morning. Killed some
in the garden. Clara, I and
Kina went out to father's
and we and Corroll and Estelle
stayed to supper. Thomas
stayed over to his Grandmother
Smith's.

Elias carried his father
down to Geo. Clark's this
morning, to see about going
boat-ning with him. He will
not go. H. (Mr. Smith) went
to Eastport with Mr. Henry Pie.
He is tired to night.

Elias carried Grace down
to Sarah's. Sarah's baby is
not well.

Ther.

Tues. 199
Fri. June 14, 1889.

Wea.

Very pleasant and warm
most all day. 98° in the shade.
Towards night we had a
very severe **Hail Storm** ac-
companied with thunder and light-
ning. The hail broke five
of our window glass, and
nine of Mr. Smith's. I never
saw such large hail before.
This hail shower was follow-
ed by a very heavy thun-
der-shower. Rained very hard.
Lightened almost incessantly.

I went to the Corner this
fore-noon with my colt and
Mr. Smith's wagon. Mrs. Smith went
down to Sarah's with me and
right back. Sarah's baby is better.
I went out to the road at
noon to see Fred J. Dunn, got
dinner to father's.

Elias went to the Corner this
forenoon and to Timmerville
this after-noon.

Ther.

Sat. JUNE 15, 1889

Wea.

Rainy this morning;
cleared up pleasant and
cool and windy.

I sawed wood, etc.
I went out to Jos. Dunn's
Mr. James Dunn's, to father's,
Mrs. Smith and Elias
went to the Corner this
forenoon.

Mr. Smith has not felt
as well as usual.

Estella has not been very
well for two days.

Ther.

Thurs
SUN. JUNE 16, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant, windy.
I went over to the Cor-
ner to the funeral of Br.
Heman W. Hersey who died
last Monday after a severe
illness - heart and kidney trouble.
He was buried by the Ma-
sonic and I. O. O. F. Lodges
of this town. I acted as
Chaplain of George Washington
Lodge, No. 23, I. O. O. F.

Fred J. Dunn went
to Onachias this morning
and got his carriage and
my grocery wagon from
Wingate, Simmons & Co. of Union,
Maine \$115.00 Freight to Onach.
\$8.90 and 75¢ for bringing it
through.

I went out and got my
wagon tonight and went
over to the Camp.

Ther.

Fri.
MON. JUNE 17, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant and warm this morning; clouded up and rained part of the after-noon. Clearing up to night.

I worked round home.

Mrs. Smith went out to the road this fore-noon.

Nina is quite sick.

Ther.

Sat.
TUES. JUNE 18, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

I fixed round the barn etc. and got father's colt Major from Allie Anthony's pasturing but he got right in again, this fore-noon. I went out to the road this after-noon, and Carroll and I cultivated potatoes and a piece for turnips.

Clara has been sick today. Grace helped do the work this fore-noon and this after-noon she went over to Mrs. Allie Anthony's.

Mrs. Smith has not been very well today.

Elias went to Genesville this after-noon alighting.

Ther.

~~Sun~~
~~Wed.~~

JUNE 19, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet most
all day. Cleared up some
to-night.

Mrs. Smith, Clara and I
went over to the Union house
to meeting this afternoon.

Ther.

~~Mon~~

THURS. JUNE 20, 1889

Wea.

Rained hard about all
day. Cleared up some to-
wards night.

Elias came over and we
played croquet on the kitchen
floor. Had four or five good
games.

Mrs. Smith went down
to Sarah's with the team and
I went over to the Head of
the Tide with her.

Ther.

Tues '92
FRI. JUNE 21, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet part of the day.

I went out to father's this fore-noon, after the pick-ax. He made a new handle for it and I got a big rock out of the road this after-noon.

Mrs. Smith went out to Deborah's this afternoon.

Will Morgan came up to Mr. Smith's this fore-noon, he came over here this afternoon and after supper I went to the Corner with the team and he went with me. "Major" got out of father's pasture, tonight.

Mr. James Dunn died this morning after a short illness, of neuralgia of the stomach.

Ther.

Wed '92
SAT. JUNE 22, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet all day. Rained quite hard part of the time.

I fixed up my road some out on the hill.

Mr. Smith went up to the Weston school-house and helped clear it up, that the funeral may be held there tomorrow. Elsie went to the Corner tonight.

Ther.

Thurs '92
SUN. JUNE 23, 1889

Wea.

Met some this forenoon.
Cleared up some this afternoon.
I fixed my road some. This
afternoon Clara and I went
to the funeral of Mr. James Tunn
in the Weston school-house.

Arthur came in with us and
he and I went to the Corner
and fixed up some Camp re-
ports, etc., and I got the shoe
reset on my colt.

Elias and Grace went to
the Corner tonight.

Ther.

Fri '92
MON. JUNE 24, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant.

I worked on my road this
forenoon and fenced between
my pasture and Allie Conthrop's
this afternoon. This evening
Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Edna
came over and stayed with the
children and Clara and I
went over to Washington
Hall to the graduation exer-
cises of the Pembroke High School.
The hall was packed full and
the exercises were very in-
teresting.

Elias went to Eastport
to carry Grace en route to
Lowell, Mass.

Ther.

Sat.

99.

TUES. JUNE 25, 1889

Wea.

13

Ther.

Sun

92

WED. JUNE 26, 1889

Wea.

Rainy and wet.

I worked on the road between here and father's. He with Fred Dunn and his team and Will Carter plowed etc this forenoon. Too wet this afternoon. We chanced to-night.

Dull. Met some this morning.

Mrs. Smith, Clara and I, with Mr. Smith's horse and my wagon, started to go to church, expecting that Rev. Mr. Anderson would preach, but he did not come. We went down to Will Morgan's a little while.

Ther.

THURS. JUNE 27, 1889

Wea.

Rained some through
the day.

Father, David, Will
Curtis and I worked on
the road between here and
father's.

Mr. Smith, Nat., Balis
and Fred went down
fishing this afternoon.

Ther.

FRI. JUNE 28, 1889.

Wea.

Big rain this forenoon.
Met this afternoon.

I washed my wagon and
shoveled a little gravel on
my road this afternoon.
Mr. Smith and crew got
home from fishing - with-
out a fish.

Clas went to the Corner
tonight.

Ther.

Wed. '92.
SAT. JUNE 29, 1889

Wea.

Pleasant, warm.

I went out to father's and
got the pick-axe and work
ed on my road.

Mrs. Allie Anthony and Miss
Minnie Cushing were here
to dinner.

Mrs. Smith went down
to Sarah's.

Ther.

Thurs. '92.
SUN. JUNE 30, 1889

Wea.

Foggy, dull, wet.
I went to Eastport.

Mrs. Ezra Lyons and three
smallest children came
up to the Cove with me.

Elvis went with Horace
Hersey in the "Edna May" with
sardine shoops.