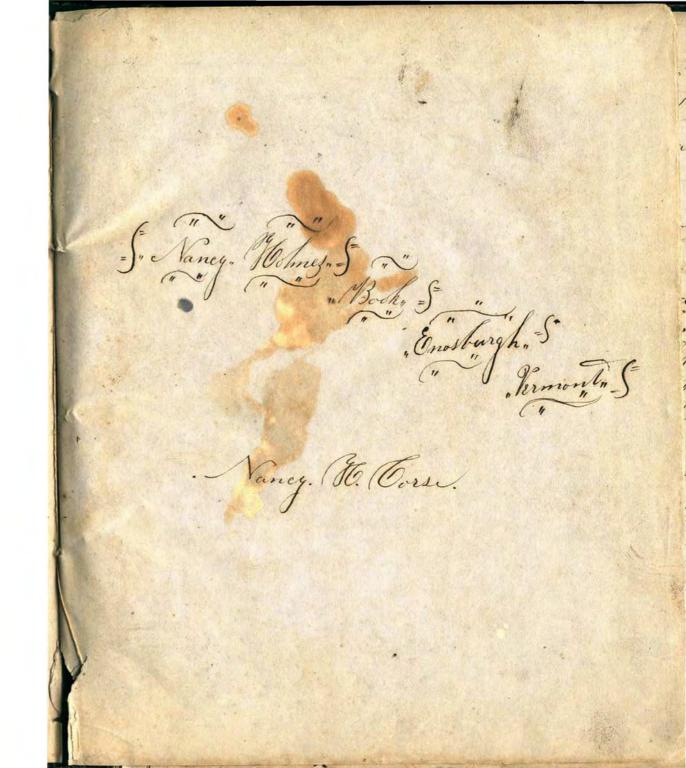
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Comencing the 27 of March 1858

Debtor to Ephraim Holmes for

one postage stamp 3cts	' 3	Aug 14. 31 cts
one Mantilla \$3.00	3'00	75 cts
one pair of calf skin shoes	1.00	70
May 7. 1 Bonnet	1.00	
½ yd. silk	'25	
1. Belt	'25	
1. Border	'30	
1. Flowers	30	
1. Pair. Gaiters	1.50	
May 25. triming a bonnet	'28	
June 6. one quire of Note paper	17	
one bunch of envelopes	12 1/2	
June 21. 10 yds. Law. 22 a yd	2'20	
1. 1 Cotton	11	
2. Edging	16	
1. set hoops	25	
1. Collar	75	
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My eighteenth birthday. I am resolved hereafter first to always live a christian and also keep some kind of a Memorandom. And I hope I shall always keep my first resolution.

27. Saturday. A fine day. Ephraim has been to West Enosburgh with a wagon. It is quite good wagoning especially for the time of year. He brought me a letter from Julia E Hopkins. Grandmother been here to day. I have been mending and finished off Ephraim two pair of pants. Ephraim gave me callica for a dress for a birthday present. I tore off the breadths and sewed them up.

A line for my thoughts. I suppose I am my own girl now and can do as I am a mind to. But I am not any happier now than I was one year ago though I think I am a little for I hope I am a christian and always mean to be one. And I hope that God will bless the man under whose influence I learned to know that I was a sinner. I always knew that I was a sinner but not in the same light.

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28. Sunday. A very pleasant day indeed. Silas came home last about 12 o clock he is at home to day. I have been reading the life of David Marks. A first rate Book he comenced preaching when only 15 years old 29. Monday. Very pleasant. Been washing and a little of a good many things about house have not had time to sew but a trifle. Aunt Almira came here before I got through washing and staid about all day This afternoon Mrs Libbey and Mrs Tracy were here. **30.** Tuesday. Very pleasant. Moped this morning &C And been fitting my dress. Charlotte M Dunton came here about one o clock she is going to stay here too night I called in to Mr Libbey's with her a short time we have been to the shugar house and round about. good night 31. Wednesday. Very pleasant. Been making pies and doing house work and sewed some. Charlotte and I went over to James'es but I had company and had to come home Emily and Diantha Wilburn and Jane Wyman were here. Charlotte came back here this evening and Henry came over had a very good time he went home about 12 Charlotte is going to stay with me again too night we have very good times praying together.

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.April. 1858.

1st. Thursday. Very pleasant. I have ironed and finished my dress and fixed my hoops and skirt &C. Charlotte went away early this morning. Mother was so mad because we had company that she would not get up and eat breakfast and when she did get up I had to take it.

O I hope God will give me grace and wisdom so that I will say nothing back but it is so hard to have her do as she does.

2nd. Friday. Some cloudy this morning but clears off so it is quite pleasant. M. Corse. came here last night and staid all night with the boys. Silas came home also Ephraim shugard off he invited Mr Tracys and Wymans folks over I left them eating shugar and came up and went up to Meeting I walked up. Silas and M went up at noon. Had a first rate meeting a short prayer meeting at noon Ephraim came up and got me. Silas went away to night. M. Corse. came again to night and staid all night again

3rd. Saturday. Pleasant. Moped and mended some &C I finished reading through The Broken Promise a good warning too young people I think There was a kind of prayer meeting over to Mr Libbeys Mother and I went had a very good meeting. O dear I am lonesome this evening

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- **4. Sunday.** Pleasant. Another pleasant sabbath has arrived and <u>every</u> one ought to be thankful that they are spared monuments of God's mercy. Silas came home about 10 or 11 Ephraim has been over to Grandfathers. Ephraim and Silas have gone up to prayer meeting at the Dow school house **5. Monday.** It is some cloudy and sprinkled a little this
- **5. Monday.** It is some cloudy and sprinkled a little this morning. Ephraim shugared off this morning Mother went out to the shugar House made some <u>nice</u> sugar E has gone up to the shoemakers. The lister¹ was along this morning.
- 6. Tuesday. Snows this morning but clears off before noon but cloudy all day. Eliza Smith came here last night just after we sat down to tea and went away this morn we enjoyed ourselves very well. I am sorry to see her so rude seen she is one of the converts. I went up to Mr Blakes this afternoon. I hulled some corn to day Mrs Libby came over to see Mother this afternoon 7. Wednesday. Colder the wind blows quite cold considerable pleasant. I have washed and moped and swept up stairs and round and sewed some and knit ditto There has been a prayer meeting here this evening about 18 of us had a good meeting. Headache was here she asked my forgiveness for what story she told but still says she was told she has told two different stories about it. I will try and forgive but I can't forget such a story as that

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- 8. Thursday. Very pleasant indeed. Ephraim has been up to Mr Fletcher's and got him a churn it is a new kind I have been over to Grandfathers to day came home early I have not been there before for a long time When I got home Mrs Tracy was here so I went to work and got tea
- 9. Friday. A rainy day rains most of the time. Ephraim been up East to day Mrs Wymans children all here a little while this morn I have ironed and finished Mother a shimma and mended &C and so on
- 10. Saturday. Another stormy day it both rains and snows. I have been moping and sewing and choring round. Finished filling a tub of butter the first tub we have made this year. Like the new churn very well
- 11. Sunday. Pleasant. M Corse here last night. Silas came home and Henry Dunton came along and they went up to the centre to meeting staid half the day Henry staid here till evening meeting Ephraim and I went up Mr Baker preached he preached very well.
- **12. Monday.** Pleasant. Washed and so forth I called down to Mr Denio after I got the work done
- 13. Tuesday. A rainy morning not very pleasant to day it rains quite hard some of the time Ephraim been down to Austins to a drawing bee

In Thursday. Whey pleasant indeed. Ophraim has been up To Mor Fletcher's and get him a churn it is a new hinel I have been over to Grandfathers to day same home sarly I have not been there before for a long time (When I got home Mrs Trucy was here so I went to work and got leer In Friday , A raing day rains most of the lime Ephrain bunsip last to day Mirs Mysmans children all here a little while this Mora I have wond and finished Wither a thimmed and mended Toursel so on Un Laterday, Another stormy day it both rains and severs , I have been mofing and sewing and chosing round. Finished filling a two of challer the first lub we have mode this year. Like the shew churn very well In Lunday Pleasant. Mo Corse here last might. Salas came Thomas and Harry Dunton carne along and Muy went with To the centre No Meeting staid half The day Herry Mouid here Will Evening Meeting Ephrain and I went up Mr Baker preached he preached very wett. In Monday, Pleasunt. Masked and so forthe I called down to Mer Demo after I get the work done In Tuesday, I rainy morning not a ery pleasant to day it rains gutto hard from of the liter Ophrain been down the Susting to a drawing her

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M Corse here tonight

18. Sunday. Very pleasant. Silas came home toward's noon and went rite away after tea he brought me a box of thing that Susan A Reed sent me it was quite a present. (I have not got a great deal of dirt in my eyes but am some sleepy after all) I walked up to the Dow school house to night to meeting Elder Bussel preached Clara Green was there so I had company home she had to call to Mr. Brown and Elder Bussel was there so I had to stay a while I stayed about an hour and talked with Elder Bussel I had a good talk and it done me good for I see my way clearer and shall join the Calvanist Baptist Church if any

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19. Monday. Very pleasant Ephraim and went to the funeral to day Mary Davis was burried she died Saturday morning 3 o clock. Elder Bussel preached from John 5.28.29 he preached well just as he always does This afternoon I went up to Mr Browns again meeting appointed at 5 but Elder Bussel went up to Thomas Snell's and married Mr William Mills to Miss Julia Davis. Three were taken into the church to night. Mr Brown Mr and Mrs Cole and five of us related our experience and are candidates for baptism O I hope we shall alway be faithful. It was quite a trial or I thought it was to have to related my experience for I never heard any one before and only Mr. Brown to night I am afraid I was rather a green hand Clara was there so I did not have to come alone 20. Tuesday. Cloudy and the wind blows quite hard. I have washed and moped and so forth Grandmother just called in this morning

21.Wednesday. The ground is white this morning and not a pleasant day cloudy and stormy most some of the time G. Allard H Dunton N Davis called in here before meeting The meeting was over to Mr Libby's I went over S at home most all day he brought some cloth for overalls. Oh I must just write what a flop I cut up with Henry D he was going to get his team and bring me home so smart and while he was gone I put on my things and marched home

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22. Thursday. Quite pleasant been sewing most of my spare time. Mrs Wyman came over with her little girl and mad mother a cup she charged one shilling 23. Friday. Rains and snow clears off just before night Ephraim and I went up to see Theresa but they were gone 24. Saturday. We have had quite a little snow storm this afternoon The wind blows quite hard also. We filled another tub of butter this morning Ephraim has carried it off got 22 a pound for it I carried Mr Libby's paper home and Mr Tracys deed. M S Corse here to nigh I do not mean all night only here a visiting in the evening 25. Sunday. Considerable pleasant. Silas came home this morning before we got through eating breakfast for it was 8 o clock when we got up this morning I don't know when I lay abed so before but I got up about as soon as Eph. for he went down to Mr Denio's awhile this evening Ephraim and Silas went over to the Eas part of Bakersfield [eve] to meeting this afternoon Meeting at 2 o clock I gone again this 26. Monday. Pleasant. washed and moped and cut of the bredth's of Mother's dress and run them up and faced it 27. Tuesday. Quite pleasant. I started off on a tramp this morning I called and see Theresa and to uncle James'es and then up to James Sargeant's to Mary Jane had a very good visit Mary Jane and I generally do. Oh! how I wish she was a christian Susan Reed came to see me she was here when I got back E came up and got me I was sorry I went when I found that I had company

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28. Wednesday. Stormy this morning and the wind blows the ground is considerable white but clears off quite pleasant this afternoon. The snow is gone the wind continues to blow quite hard. Ephraim has gone down to see the judge of Probate. (I am thankful he can't judge only in this world and gone to Williams to get some butter tubs. I have been sewing on Mother's dress. Grandfather's folks been up to Uncle Amos'es and he sent Mother a great nice fresh fish. I have been over to Mr. Libbey to prayer meeting, had a number of 29. Thursday. Pleasant. Ephraim took the wagon up to be booted cushioned. Mrs Denio been here this afternoon visiting. I finished mother's delane dress. Mr Brown called at the gate and told me that Mr Buzzel would not be up Sunday because the folks over east are making such a stir and most everyone had given up being baptized O I am sorry for I had got my mind fixed on it so much. but this world is full of dissapointments. Mrs Elias Lawrence is verry rich do not think she will stand it long 30. Friday. Rains a good deal of the time to day. I have been baking in the brick oven done up a solid baking it is the first time I have baked in it for a long time. The last day of April I do not know as I shall live to see the last day of next month or at least of another April but it will not make much difference if I am only ready which I hope I shall be

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1st Saturday. Very pleasant indeed. I have been moping taking care of butter and such kind of work. Silas came home with M. S. Corse. to night just dark I have had a good visit with M to night altho M dont appear hardly a bit as he used to he is trying to be a christian and I am so glad. I wish every one would be christians. Only think one week make such a difference in a person and for the better to Oh! how much more I can think christians we seem to be friends. I dare not write my thought's to night nor my feelings for perhaps sometime some one will have this book that I shall not want to know them. But I can say Bless God 2nd Sunday Another pleasant Sabbath day. Ephraim and I have been to meeting afoot to day for E lent his wagon to Mr Wyman to go and see her sick brother Elder Bussel preached from John 1st 29. His health is quite poor so he preached only one sermon. They or we had a church meeting of sermon I stayed. Ephraim and went up to prayer meeting this evening and S also I feel quite happy to night. Don't you think after all I have said to Hen Dunton he wants me to go up to the centre to meeting Tuesday evening what a greenhorn

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- 3rd. Monday. Very pleasant. I have been awashing and moping and this afternoon I am kniting some of the time and reading May Martin or The Money Diggers very good for such a kind of a book but the Bible is better altho I do not love to read it as well as I wish I did
- 4th. Thursday. Very pleasant indeed. Ephraim and I have been down to the village I only went to see Polly had a <u>short</u> visit. The Dr. stoped here a moment was in a great hurry. O dear I am O so downhearted for they say because I am 18 I must take care of myself. The Dr is very kind to me for he will advise me &C. I wish I could go to the Centre to meeting this evening and I should feel better I think.
- **5. Wednesday.** Not so pleasant cloudy and sprinkled this afternoon and evening. I have been over to Mr. Libbey's to prayer meeting. Ephraim goes over and goes into Jims room and stays
- **6. Thursday.** Bother of a rainy day. Ephraim and Mother gone up to uncle Williams this afternoon. Jane Wyman come here soon after they went away and staid about all the time they was gone I would rather she would not come for I like to be alone.
- 7. Friday. A little colder and some cloudy. I called in to see Aurelia a little while this afternoon. There I am lonesome way down here can't get out to meeting much nor any where else. They are having a revival to the Centre I wish I could go This year is noted for the great revival's.

3. Monday. Chry pleasund. I have been washing and mopun and the afternoon Farm history some of the time and reading May Martiner The Morning Diggers very good for such a And of a buch but the Bible is better altho I do not love To read it as well as I wish I did "Tuesday. They pleasured indeed. Ephrain and I have been down to The village Forty went to see Tolly lead a short visit. The Dr stoped here or morning was in a great herry Odear Sand so down hearted for they say because I and 18 Promiss take cure of myself the Dr is very hind to me for he will advise no 16. I wish I could go to the Osnite To Meeting this evening and I should feel better think). Midnesday. Not so pleasures cloudy, and sprinkles this afternoon and evening. I have been over to Mer Litter's To prayed Meeting. Oplowing god over a not goes into finds north and stays O. Theirs day. Wather of a raing day Ophrain and Wither gone up to unde Williams this afternoon fund Myman come There seem after they went away and staid about all the time they. was gone I would rather she would not come for blike To be alm 1. Friday. A tittle colder and some cloudy. Feather in to see Aurelia a little while this afternoon. There Pand lovesome way down here can't get out to Meeting much I wish beville go This gran is noted for the great wirds 8. Saturday. Pleasant and warm. Roselina and Susan and uncle William here to tea Roselina and baby here this afternoon (M.S. Corse here last night and George Allard here till 10 o clock). Oh! I must say that I had a very very nice present last night. a fine Bible which I shall always keep for sake of the giver that is if I can. Finished filling the third tub of butter. **9. Sunday.** Cloudy this morning and looks like rain but \clears off pleasantly this afternoon. Ephraim and I have been to the Centre to meeting the first time we have been as far for more than a year. Mr. Kent spoke in the forenoon and Mr. Baker this afternoon enjoyed myself well. I sit with Mr. Dows people this forenoon and with Laura Davis this afternoon had invitations enough to sit with people 10. Monday. Pleasant. Had quite a thundershower last night just dark the first thunder and lightning we have had this year washed and moped and sewed and knit and &C and so on 11. Tuesday. Cloudy and rains some today. I have been baking Mr Rivers laying wall here to day Mrs Libbey here most all the afternoon 12. Wednesday. A rainy day rains hard a good deal of the day. I have been cleaning house to day cleaned the kitchen and cuppord and some in the buttery E been to West Enosburgh. 13. Thursday. Rains some this morning but clears of quite pleasant been puttering round some I wish that there was more work to do here then I should not be so lonesome. I cipher a little evenings have for 2 or 3 evenings this week.

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14. Friday. Very pleasant a splendid day as pleasant a day as I ever saw. But O it is dark within not that I am very unhappy for that is not natural for me but I do not serve the great God that made me as I ought to I am such a sinful creture there is no goodness or soundness in me if God was not a merciful God he would cut me down and put someone better in my place he would not let me cumber the ground. O the poor heathen off in Africa. I wish I could be with them a little while and talk with them about what a Savior I have found or hope I have found. 15. Saturday. Thunders some and rains quite hard some or we have quite hard showers 3 or 4 times. Been taking care of butter and hulling corn and all so on. Mr. Henry Dunton came here just before dark and I tell you he was not wanted I wished him a thousand miles away. M Corse came after 9 o clock Mr. Dunton was just horid enough and knew just enough to draw a horrid looking picture and write some as horrid stuff and put it in M's pocket little scoundrel I hope he will not come here again as long as I live here. Silas has hurt his wrist and has been home most of the day we have been talking about the estate here Ephraim is so short about it I wish I could never hear another word said about it. I think he means to make quite a sum out of Land but I will not quarrel with them if I never [have anything] 14. Freday. Very pleasant a splendid day as pleasant a day as I soon saw But O it is dark within not that fam very unhappy for that is not natural for me but I do not served the great God that made me as I veight to Dami such a sinful critico there is no goodness or soundoussin me if God was not a mer extel God hi would not middlewn and put some one better in my place he sociald not letme cumber the ground. Other poor heather off in African I wish I could be with them a little white and talk with them about what a Survey I have found or hope I have found 1). Salurday. Thunders some and rains quite hard some or we have quite hard showers 3 or 4 times. Been taking care of butter and Tuelling come and all so on. Mor Horning Dunton came here just before dark and I tell good he was not ! wanted Davished him a thousand miles away. No love came after & Oclock Mer Dunton was just boil sweigh and knew just Enough to draw a horrid looking picture and write some as horrid stuf and fut it in 100 pocket little secundrel & hope he will not come here again as long as I live here, Tilas has hurt his wrist and has been thomas most of the day we have don't it & wish Develo never hear another word said ? out of Sand & but & will not quarrel with them if & new

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17. Monday. Considerable pleasant and <u>quite</u> windy. I have washed and moped &C. Called in to Mr. Wyman's. Aunt Polly came here to night. M.S. Corse been here this evening.

18. Tuesday. A rainy cloudy day. Ephraim and I have been to the village. I traded 4>s worth and what I have got don't seem as tho I could see anything hardly worth that M. and I have been up to the Centre to meeting had a very good pleasant time only it rained all the evening

19. Wednesday. Warm and pleasant it was very cold yesterday. I went over to Grandfathers with Aunt Polly. I have been over to Mr Libbey's to Prayer Meeting only a very few in for it was not known I did not only a very few moments before I started

20. Thursday. Sprinkled some and cloudy. Been baking had two men here to dinner that Ephraim bought two cows of so that we shall have six this summer. Mrs. Elias Lawrence died yesternight 10 past 6 O c

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21. Friday. A rainy day. Ephraim and I have been up to Mrs Lawrence's funeral. Mr Kent addressed the people from Revelations 22 chap last clause of the 20 verse Silas and George Allard called this evening

22. Saturday. Pleasant. I have nothing of importance to write to day Ephraim been over to Olson Barber's

23. Sunday. Pleasant till about night up there it clouds up and in the evening rains very hard.

I went up to meeting a foot E came so I rode home
Mr. Kent preached & expected that there was a prayer meeting and so did E till after I went away.

M S Corse stopped when he went home from meeting and staid this evening

24. Monday. Rainy. I have washed and moped and commenced a rug

25. Tuesday. Some cloudy. Ephraim been to Jacksonville to day he got my bonnet it has cost me about 32s. Malcome came up here to night and we went down and gave Clarissa a talking to for that story she told whether it will do any good or not I can not tell I talked very plain to her I think she appears to be sorry and I hope she will do better.

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26. Wednesday. Pleasant. Been cuting Ephraim a frock and overalls and sewing on the frock. I went over to prayer meeting this evening very few in 27. Thursday. Pleasant and warm. I finished E's frock. Charlotte Denio and Lorette Farnsworth and myself went down to Mr Austin Denio's. Mrs Hopkins and Adelia came here so I had to come home I went home about 5 I guess. I sold Mrs. Hopkins my black bonnet for 1'00 seems as that was rather cheap but she thought that was all she could give 28. Friday. Pleasant and warm. Been Ironing and fixing up round some. Mother gone over to see Mrs. Wyman this afternoon. Silas been at home but has gone again I think and am quite shure he has gone over to Daggett's I do not know what has will become of him he spends faster than he can earn getting ring and a watch and locket and all such kind of things I do wish he would be steady but I do not know as he ever will be but still I keep hoping 29. Saturday. Very pleasant indeed. Malcome came here this afternoon between two and 3 staid this eve. had a good visit he intends going south next week. I need not write anything about this evening for I shall always remember it I can say I have made a lasting promise

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30. Sunday. (I forgot to state friday that Elder Bussel came over to Mrs Carpenters and sent Clara over for me and I went over I did not stay a long time. I was there to tea had a good visit I wish I was one half as good as I think Elder Bussel [is] Very pleasant a beautiful day. Silas at home today or at least a little while he then went off up to Jim Sargeants and Bessy's to get his watch fixed I do not know what will become of him for he is a dreadful boy. Ephraim and I been up to meeting Elder Buzzel preached and Baptised Myself Clara and Hannah he Baptized 4 down in Sheldon today it was at 4 o clock meeting up east. Eph let Malcome have the team and come home with me he staid this evening. To day has been a solemn day with me I have thought of both my promises about being baptized and my other promise. I hope I shall always set a good example before everyone and let my actions always be such as becomes a churchmember. I always mean to be a humble true Christian and always be good natured and of a pleasant disposition. I hope that I shall never get mad at anyone and scold or jaw for it is a bad plan. Mr Harwood was married yesterday to Miss Cordelia Ayers it was a quick match I do not think hardly anyone even thought it

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June

- **1.Tuesday.** Another pleasant day. I have been baking and had a good many chores to do to day my feet ached so before 9 o clock that I did not know how to work but have to work well or ill
- **2. Wednesday.** Pleasant. Ephraim been down to the village he brought me a letter from Julia Hopkins. I was <u>very</u> glad to get it. been sewing on Ephraim's pants. I have been over to meeting
- **3. Thursday.** Pleasant. Uncle Snell's folks went over to Grandfathers and so Ephraim carried Mother over. I have ironed &C and so on.
- 4. Friday. The wind blows very hard. I have moped this morning I feel rather sober to day I expect M started on his journey this morning he intended to when I last saw him.

 Mary Jane came along and stoped for me and we went over to Mrs Grouts and Luthers she is so wild that I do not take half so much comfort with her as I should if she was steady when we came back she stoped here and she went out and milked 2 cows for E. I rode over with her and called and saw Aurelia.

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- **5.Saturday.** Considerable pleasant. Mrs. Tracy called with Sabra a while and mother went back with her to Mr. Libbey's to a Free Will monthly Meeting.
- **6. Sunday.** Rains a little this morning so that Eph would not go to meeting I don't think he would gone anyway. I hope if I ever get away from here I shall have enough sense to keep away for I may do and keep doing for them and then they won't as much as carry me to meeting only once in a while up to the school house if it was anything but a meeting or if he wanted to go he could go well enough I do not know but he is ashamed of me because I cannot dress as well as he can but he wont get anything so I do not know as I am to blame for I do as well as I can. I know he is able to have nice things and is well off but how does he get it by cheating Fatherless Children out of it but perhaps I am censuring him hard but God forbid that I should. I got all ready to go up east to Meeting at half past four the meeting commences I got my bonnet and shawl on all ready for a start and there come up a shower and he would not go. it has thundered and rained very hard since then. Silas and George Allard came with him about 1 oclock Silas I suppose has gone to meeting. M. Corse came home with him and staid till well I may as well say morning as anyway.

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- 7. Monday. Considerable pleasant only the wind blows <u>very hard</u> indeed. I have washed and moped and this afternoon Ephraim went down to the village and I went to bed and slept two or three hours he went down after a barrel of flour. <u>Very warm to night</u>.
- **8. Tuesday.** Pleasant and warm. Uncle Snell wife and Grandaughter been here all day. We churned this morning and I have been baking some and so forth been round the house about all day. I fixed me a dress or at least took the waist of a skirt and fixed it to wear with a jacket. I called in to Mr.Tracy's and Libby's after I got the work done.
- 9. Wednesday. Cloudy and rains this afternoon. Eph gone over to Grandfathers to shear his sheep. Mother has given me a severe talking to to day I do not know why she should do so unless she is afraid folks will think more of me than they do of her she has been talking to me about being religious and from that on to most everything. It is a hard thought for a child to think that a Mother will tell things that are absolutely false and that I know and so do the boys she says herself that she says to my face and also to my back that I abuse her and I am willing that anyone should ask the boys if I do. but enough

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I have been over to prayer meeting Mr Thomas Lawrence was down there was no others only the neighbors had the best meeting we have had at all I think they all appeared to be awake as Mr Lawrence was talking (he was telling about the people that used to be to the meetings down here) he "said there was John Holmes a man I thought everything of." I think of Father often but when I hear others speak of him it seems as though it touched a tender chord.

10. Thursday. Cloudy this forenoon and rainy this afternoon Ephraim has gone up to Whitman's to get his boots he worked on the road this forenoon. Silas. Davis. came here shortly after E went away and staid till he came back that's doing well is it not the first time he came to see about some harness tackling that Maye had he and Mother a long talk I think if she was well I should begin to think but now I cannot I suppose To night they all went to bed early and I tell you if I was not lonesome L Davis said a few things that I cannot understand all I can make out of it was is that he thought I would not be very happy with or live a happy life with my Malcome if anyone was going to see this properly I should not say my Malcome I wish I could see him or at least know where he is for I expect he has started or gone to Dunsbury but do not [know]

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11. Thursday. Friday. A rainy wet day. I have not got the clothes dry this week I went out and picked them up and rinsed them out and hung them up I got as wet as a rat. I have been moping and sewed some and mended and knit some Ephraim gone down to the blacksmith shop 12. Saturday. Considerable pleasant. Been ironing for I made out to get the clothes dry this morning. Ephraim been to work on the road he took the Yankee Frenchman home to dinner. After I got the work done I went down across the branch to Elder Cole's. I got across pretty well going down had a very good visit I saw Denison Davis a few moments. Coming home I got across two streams well (I crossed where the branch is divided into three streams) but the third I took of shoes and stockings and waded through I said nothing when I got home I will warrant you for they thought me foolish for going but I do not feel above old Elder Cole I got home early I did not stay more than two or three hours at the most I guess I might say an hour and a half or two

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13. Sunday. Cloudy and looks like rain but I believe does not much here. Silas came home about noon. We all three been up to meeting at four classes the sabbath school at four I went into one of the classes and sent for a question book. Elder Buzzel preached from Mark 14.8 first clause "she hath done all she could" he preached first rate he always does but he preached well to night although he looked about sick abed house full. I believe everyone likes him and how can they help loving him he is so good. He gave Hannah and me the right hand of fellowship to night it was solemn I tell you he talked well to us There was some wet eyes as well as mine. Oh I hope I shall always be as good as he told us to be but I am so sinful and little and most everything bad I do not know what I shall do. I wished as Elder Buzzel was preaching to night that I could go off to Africa as a Missionary but I suppose that will not be my lot now. M went last Monday so Silas told me. I have not heard a word yet I. Lunday. Oloudy and looks Whe rain but & believe does not much here. Tilas come home about more! (We all Three ween up to meeting at four classed the subbath school at four I went into one of the classes and sent for a question book. Older Bussel preached from Mark 14. 8. first clause she hathdone all she could the preached first rate he alwas does but the preached well to night although bu tooked about sich whed house full I believe going while him and how can they help dowing him the is so gold He gave Humah and me The right thand of fellow ship to night it was solemn I tell gon he Talked well to us there was some wet Eyes as well as mine. Oh I hope I shall always to as good as he Told ses to be but I am so singuland tilleand most Every thing tad I do not know what I shall do I wished as Elder Bugget was preaching to might-That I could go of to Africa as a Missionary but I suppose that will not be my lot now. Mowent Must Monday so Tilas Told me I have not heard a

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was as good as could be would not get mad before you but after they was married they would scold he said just as he was about starting that never make a promise go with just who I was a mind to until he wanted to get married then go right along and be married. I said to him that was too late advice he said all the evil he wished me was that it would turn [out] right on my side anyway hed said that we were the most sociable ladies that he had seen to day We had a good talk. I should like to seen him longer, he came over in March and in eight days from now he should be on the ocean he is going back to Ireland

16. Wednesday. The wind blows very hard considerable pleasant otherwise. I believe I never knew a time when the wind blew as much as it does this spring. I have been cleaning up the parlor. Pascal Rivers is laying walk for Eph I have been over to prayer meeting so few in I do not know as they will have anymore but I wish they would for I like to go. Ephraim gone up to uncle Williams Pascal gone with him

17. Thursday. Pleasant and warm. I have churned taken care of the butter and washed between 40 or 50 pans to day we are making soap I have that to see to E and I moved the stove and I have moped and Ironed and swept all round up stairs I have most of the water I use to bring. My stomach is so sore and lame I don't know what to do after I got the work all done I tried to have E let me go over to Mr Maynards with him for the ride and he would not let me

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- 18. Friday. Very pleasant and <u>very warm</u>. I have been seeing to the soap and cleaned all round up stairs. This week the work has been <u>very</u> hard I hope next week it will be easier and I think it will. Pascal's being here this week laying wall makes some work for he stays all the while.
- 19. Saturday. Some cloudy and sprinkled a little but quite a comfortable day. I called in to Mr. Libbys a little while. Jim first salute was I heard some news about you the other day that was about my being married the fourth some how or other I dont know anything about it only what folks tell me I should like to know how that happens but it don't worry me any if it does I don't know Ephraim stoped and got Louisa tonight
- 20. Sunday. Pleasant till just night after meeting was half out or more it commenced raining. Ephraim carried Louisa and I up. Mr H preached from Proverbs
 8.16 and 3 last verses preached very well mostly to the youth
 21. Monday. Pleasant and very warm Ephraim and I have been down to the store I have been sewing most of the time since I came home.

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- 22. Tuesday. Very pleasant and warm. I have been sick all day I never worked when I felt worse I worked over some butter that is about all I have done it finished the 7th tub I could work only a few moments at a time then sit down and rest I tasted of nothing till towards night then I eat 3 or 4 mouthfuls of bread in ginger tea Mother has done considerable she washed the dishes this morning the first time for over two years I feel a trifle better to night (altho this was not written Tuesday for I could not have written if I had wanted to)
- 23. Wednesday. Pleasant. I feel much better today than I did yesterday I have skimed lots of milk and done the chores and sewed some Mother has been over to Mr Tracy's Silas has come home to day gone back to night.
- 24. Thursday. Pleasant and the wind blows
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- 27. Sunday. Pleasant and not quite so scorching hot. Ephraim and I been up east to meeting Silas came home also and went. Elder Roberts preached two sermons and Elder Bussell one at 4 o clock and then I attended Sabath School I had a good lesson. I christened my white dress I was dressed well to night. These are very vain thoughts I do wish I was not so proud and wicked Elder Bussel preached from the first verse in the Bible
- **28. Monday.** Pleasant. I have washed and moped and been a strawbrying and got enough for a shortcake pie and some sauce.
- **29.** Tuesday. Some cloudy and sprinkles just at night Mother and I were intending to go over to Mr. Libbey's but they went away so I have been over to see Aurelia a little while.
- **30. Wednesaday.** Cloudy this morning but clears off quite pleasant. Mother went over to Mr. Libbey's this morning and I went a little while this afternoon Ephraim has been to East Berkshire to see the judge and he saw the Dr and he says he was going to give me a talking to when he saw me and Eph wont tell me a word what it is for or about and I cant imagine and I have got the <u>fidgets well I</u> can <u>tell</u> you . I have been over to meeting at Mr. Libbey's

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1st. Thursday. Very pleasant and warm. Ephraim has gone down to Sheldon to county convention. I went down on James's a strawberrying I got a milk pail full before I picked them over a six quart pan full after I made preserves of them. Mother Mrs Demio and Libbey gone over to see Mrs Tracy. I received a letter to night 2nd. Friday. Very pleasant. I have been baking and taking care of butter and swept the house about all over Old Mrs Wilburn and Nabby been here also Charley with them Martha Wright the School Teacher came and stays with me to night

3rd. Saturday. Some cloudy and much warmer. Celebration to Bickford today Silas went he came home about six Ephraim has been up to the centre and down to the village. Mother and I have been over to Mr. Libbeys to their monthly meeting Charlotte Dunton was examined or at least was to tell her experience but she did not say hardly a word her Father did it for her it did not seem much like Elder Buzzel's examination

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6. Tuesday. Pleasant and warmer it was quite cool last night and this morning in fact it is cool weather for this time of year. Ephraim was going to the Centre so he carried Mother down to H Rice's and I went to see the Dr but he is always gone when I go there when we came back I stoped to Mr Reed's and made a visit had a good visit Susan came as far as the top of the hill this side of the school House with me we called to Mr Maynard's I called to Mr Demio's I have spoke with about 25 different persons to day

7. Wednesday. Pleasant. I have been unwell all the afternoon I am afraid my health is going to give out Ephraim has been down to the village.

8. Thursday. Some cloudy this afternoon Ephraim and Mother have gon up to uncle Snell's I should like to have gone but I am not well enough and had a large ironing good deal of starching &C to do 9. Friday. Some cloudy but a good day. I am not very smart but so that Mother and I have been up to Mr Hopkins'es had a good visit Mr Libbey brought up the paper and I was very much disappointed because I did not get a letter and I am some lonesome

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- 10. Saturday. Considerable pleasant this forenoon but it rains as hard this afternoon as I ever knew it to we have had very hard showers. Ephraim has been to the village to day and staid till the mail came in and I got no letter from M and am almost a good mind to be vexed about it
- 11. Sunday. Rather rainy the fore part of the day and cloudy in the afternoon. Ephraim Silas and I have been up to meeting at 4 o clock Elder Buzzel preached from the 4th chap of John he preached well. I attended Sabbath School.
- 12. Monday. Rains <u>very hard</u> the forenoon. Ephraim has been up east and down to the village and round this afternoon it has not rained but cloudy. I called over to James'es Charlotte Dunton is there now. I can't go there lately but what James laughs at me little plague
- **13. Tuesday.** Rainy day have had 3 or 4 hard showers. Uncle James and Aunt Polly Ann .been here this afternoon Uncle Levi Far came here just as tea was ready
- 14. Wednesday. Some cloudy yet but considerable pleasant. Silas came home last night and staid till long 9 o clock or so to day uncle Levi went away just after dinner Ephraim's hired boy Henry Coon came this morning. Ephraim has been folish enough to swap colts with Ben Far and I am a good mind to write that dreadful word Trouble for I hate to see things going as they are

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I have been trying to have him settle with me but he wont and now to see Fathers colt as fat and handsome as could be everyone praising it and telling how fat and handsome she was and to think that it is swaped off for an old poor thing and even to it is to bad. And I have not heard from for so long a time that I have really got the blues a little I do not mean to be downhearted for that is not right but I feel some bad but God knows what is best for me and if I only served him as I ought I would be glad Oh! how glad I have his holy word to read and for that I aught to be more thankful. Perhaps this momentary trouble is a punishment for my unfaithfulness and ungodliness but I sincerely want to do better but it is so easy to be wicked for such an unfaithful unprofitable servant as I am. My health is also poor for me tho I dare not say so here out loud but I am not near so fleshly as I was before I was sick that Tuesday I think and am sure This moment while I am writing my head aches and my stomach pains me so that I don't know how to write I have to work harder than I ought to but they hire me so I must work. I fixed my skirt this afternoon and Mother said that they did not hire me to work for myself and other girls are offered 1.50 I have '75

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15. Thursday. Very pleasant and warm. Ben Far came back with Rob early this morning the colt he had he has not paid for so he cannot swop nor sell it. Ephraim does not act as though he was much sorry and I guess he is not We filled the eighth tub of butter this morning. 16. Friday. Very pleasant and very warm. I have made a cheese to day and beer and sewed and all so on My headaches. After I got the work done I went down to Mrs. Demo's 17. Saturday. Pleasant and warm. I have churned some and taken care of the butter and moped and ironed this forenoon. Ephraim has gone to the village to night and carried Henry he was going home he calls it but poor boy he has no home I am very sorry for him he is a dreadful wicked boy Silas came home to night. Mr. Chilson came and helped the boys part of the afternoon. 18. Sunday. Pleasant. We have been up to Sabbath School Mr Kent is unwell so he did not come down Mr Chilson came back to night. Oh! I got a letter last night it was after I went to bed but I'll bet after all the rest had gone to bed I jumped up and read it pretty quick it was a good long one. And Ephraim and I received one from the same person Henry Miller had got it

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- **19. Monday.** Pleasant. I washed made cheese and had a lot of milk to skim and pans and dishes all washed at ½ past 9. This afternoon I have picked currants for preserves.
- **20. Tuesday.** Pleasant. I have been baking Mrs Wyman and Sabra called awhile I am in a hurry so I cant stop to write any more. I called in to Mr Libbeys a little while
- 25. I have been sick ever since Tuesday night and have not written any I was real sick Wednesday and Thursday not much better if they would only get someone else to do the work a few days and let me rest and it would do me no hurt to Doctor some I think I guess that Ephraim will never find any one else that will crawl round as I do. John Hayse ran away last Monday night.

Sunday. A beautiful Sabath morning cool very for this time of year Silas came home yesterday afternoon I have been up to sabbath school. Jims folks are gone and Charlotte came over and is staying with me to night she came and made me a visit last Thursday afternoon. I was over to Jims last Tues night as I was coming home I met Thomas Snell and I signed 50 cts towards having Elder Bussel preach up east next year comencing 1st Sept

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27. Tuesday. A curious day it has not stormed but very little while it looks like it then will clear off and the sun will shine. I have been baking.

28. Wednesday. Considerable pleasant and the wind blows. Such fine wether and comfortable health and I serve God so little for these mercies and my influence is not such as I wish it was Oh I am not enough of a christian I have not enough of the love of jesus shed abroad in my heart I want to be more like [him] Clarissa sent to have me come down there I went 29 Thursday. Rains a good deal to day. Ephraim been down to the village. Mr Wyman handed me a letter

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August

1st. Sunday or Lord's day. Pleasant and I wish I were a good as

it is pleasant. I went to meeting and sabath school enjoyed myself very well. I have made one resolve and some other things I wish to note down resolves not to make a practice to write letters of business nor any letters only to one dear friend and as I do not get much time weekdays I will or do write some sundays to that friend.

And I promised to let Susan Reed know when I have made arangements to go to school and I do not wish to forget it. Elder Bussel preaches at the Mission House one week from to day up east at 4 o clock at church meeting two week from yesterday at the Mission House at two oclock. It is so dark I can hardly see to write so I must stop

2nd. Monday. a washing day. Some cloudy and has rained a little Ephraim finished haying to night. I have done something to night that I never done before for I milked all of one cow. Mr Chilson went home to night and just to show how Mother uses me I will write what he told me she told him I have done some work for him and he spoke about paying me she says to him she is to work for Ephraim hand it to him but said he to me when I get the change I shall hand it to you Henry Isariel and **** here [to night a while]

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- **3. Tuesday.** baking day. Not very pleasant Uncle Amos and Ephraim been over to Grandfathers and worked part of the day. I called over to Jims Charlotte came home with me to stay all [night]
- **4. Wednesday.** Not very pleasant the wind blows <u>quite</u> hard Ephraim went down to Jacksonville this morning
- 5 Thursday. Funny weather today rained all round us but has not rained much here. Mr Chilson at work for Ephraim to day they finished up over to grandfathers did not get home until very late I got the cows and milked two. I went up on Horace's hill a berrying did not such a great many but I saw a beautiful prospect I could see the Milking House at the Centre Dow school House and almost ours and a great deal more all at one view Oh I should like to live in such a sightly place I could but pause wonder and praise God.
- **6. Friday.** Rains quite hard some of the time I have been ironing taking care of butter &C &C.
- 7. Saturday. Pleasant. Ephraim is at work for Isac Wilburn this afternoon I went out and picked six quarters of berries I made preserves and had to work like fun I got the cows and milked three

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- **8. Sunday.** Very pleasant indeed Ephraim and I been down to the chapel Elder Bussel preached I have not been down there before for considerable over a year to meeting I received a letter to day. I came home and got a cold supper and went up to meeting again.
- **9. Monday.** Pleasant. Edgar Wyman with called about dusk a little while
- 10. Tuesday. Pleasant and very warm
- 11. Wednesday. It rains part of this afternoon. Mrs Tracy here. I have been spining some to day what I could get time to. I got a letter to night
- 12. Thursday. Some cloudy
- 13. Friday. Pleasant. Mother gone over to Miss Carpenters
- 14. Saturday. Very <u>warm</u> and pleasant. Ephraim and I have been to jacksonville and I went to a covenant meeting. The first I ever attended I did not stay till it was out for E was in a hurry
- **15. Sunday.** Pleasant. Ephraim and I went up east to meeting to night.
- **16. Monday.** Very pleasant. I do not write what I do for I find enough to do all the time. This is poor paper so I can't write very well and I guess that there is no one that can and it is so rough that it spoils my pens

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- 17. Tuesday. Very pleasant. I have been over to see Laura I went dow across the branch steped across on the stones the water is very low they sent over and Louisa and jenni came up we had a real good time I did not get home untill most dark Lib Barnes had been here and I thought I could not go to bed till I saw her so I went over a few moments. She is just the same girl as she used to be she has got to be a tall fine young lady now. I wish she was a christian that is all she lacks of being one of the best of girls
- **18.** Wednesday. Pleasant. I have got a severe headache this morning and awhile I was so dizzy I could but just see.
- 19. Thursday. Cloudy and not very pleasant. Ephram was going to jacksonville and so he went up round by the Centre and left me I called at the Dr he was gone and so I came back to Mrs Rices to see about a boarding place if she keeps house I can board with her I came down to the Graveyard the first time I have been there since dear Father was burried it don't seem as though hes rested there but I suppose his body does but his spirit has flown away to Heaven. I saw one grave stone which was particularly touching a childs with a little hand painting [upwards]

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- 20. Friday. Not very pleasant. Mr Corse came down here to day to see if I knew anything about Malcome his letters are being sent back to the Centre I think he must have gone away from D. I am very sorry for his for they feel very bad about him Mr Corse appears like a fine old gentlemen I was introduced to day he told me he should like to have me come there and board and I guess I had better for it is near
- 21. Saturday. Pleasant
- **22. Sunday.** Cloudy. Ephraim and I have been up to meeting Mr. Ladd preached I went up a foot but it rained a little and Ephraim came up and got me
- **23. Monday** Pleasant. I have been washing &C &C. I went over to Mr Wyman's and got cloth enough for me a waist and a dress pay with socks I sit up till ten o clock and sewed
- **24. Tuesday.** Cloudy and rains this evening some Mr Jim and John Hayes came and helped E get up oats they were here to supper just after we had got seated I happened to look out and who should I spy but Malcome just come to town

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- **25.** Wednesday. Very pleasant. I have done the house work and sewed till after nine I have made a dress since Monday night anyhow
- **26. Thursday.** Very pleasant Mrs.Brown Mrs Carpenter and Miss Carpenter and Helen Lawrence came to see us this afternoon Helen staid all night she wants I should go there and board but Mr Corse called and told me I could go ther and I think I shall
- **27. Friday.** Cloudy. Mrs Wyman came to see us this afternoon with her little girl I finished my waist to day.
- 28. Saturday. Cloudy and rains to night and very hard part of the night I have been to the store this afternoon and after chore time I called in to Mr Denio's and Wilburns and came home & M was here had a good visit
- 29. Sunday. Cloudy. Ephraim and I went up to [4 o clock meeting]
- **30. Monday.** Rainy done a large washing Elisa came to night Mrs. Libby called I just called in to Mr Wymans
- **31. Tuesday.** Rainy. I have been full of business so I could not write any of the particulars but will try and do better when I get up to school good bye to home now

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September

- 1. Wednesday. Considerable pleasant it is some cloudy. I came away from home this morning I came here to Mr Seth Corse's to board and attend school I like as well as could be expected everything is pleasant and convenient and nice as can be There is nothing more I could ask for I got along pretty well at school considering that I am a green farm girl I am some lonesome
- **2.Thursday.** Pleasant. I have been to school and after school Maria and I went down to the burying ground. I can see where Father rests but I cannot see him
- 3rd Friday. Not very pleasant it rains this after I have just got through with my lessons and have seated myself to write to Julia
- **4. Saturday.** Pleasant. There is no school to day we read and Mr Sherman asked some questions about Arithmetic that was all I went home to night
- **5. Sunday.** Rains to night some Ephraim and I & Elisa went up east to meeting Elder Bussel preached right up here a good way

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- **6. Monday.** Pleasant. I have got so lazy that I don't write much but I don't study as much as I aught to I don't know where my time goes
- 7. Tuesday. Very pleasant they have company here to day. There is no school to day Ephraim called to see me but Silas came most forward of the house with Hen and did not so much as come in
- **8. Wednesday.** Pleasant. I am not very well yesterday and to day I vomited yesterday quite hard.
- 9. Thursday. Pleasant.
- **10 Friday.** Rained quite hard last night [to night]

I have written a composition sunset

- 11. Saturday Pleasant. Ephraim came up and got me he stayed to dinner I went home and washed and worked all the time Hen called and made quite a visit.
- 12. Sunday. Rather rainy this morning E and I have been up to meeting Elder Bussel preached from Proverbs 4th 23 a first rate sermon. Malcome came down to our house and we had a good visit or at least I did & will let him say whether he did or not himself well I guess he did for he staid late enough

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- **13. Monday.** Pleasant. I got up and ironed this morning and helped Elisa a little and came up to school. I have got a <u>very hard</u> cold
- **14. Tuesday.** Pleasant. My cold grows worse & worse. I have been down to the burying ground to night I love to wander there it creates solemn thoughts and thoughts long to be remembered.
- **15.** Wednesday morning I have such a cold that I cant go to school I am very sorry for I want to be learning for I find I am a <u>very dull</u> scholar.
- 16. Thursday. Rainy day. I went to school this forenoon have not been this afternoon my reasons for not going are because I have got (I believe) the worst cold I ever had and we don't have no fire and it is both cold and damp and I had not aught to go. I have helped Electa sew some this afternoon
- 17. Friday. Rather rainy again to day I have been to school this forenoon and intended to go this afternoon but went and had my Profile taken sit six times got one picture

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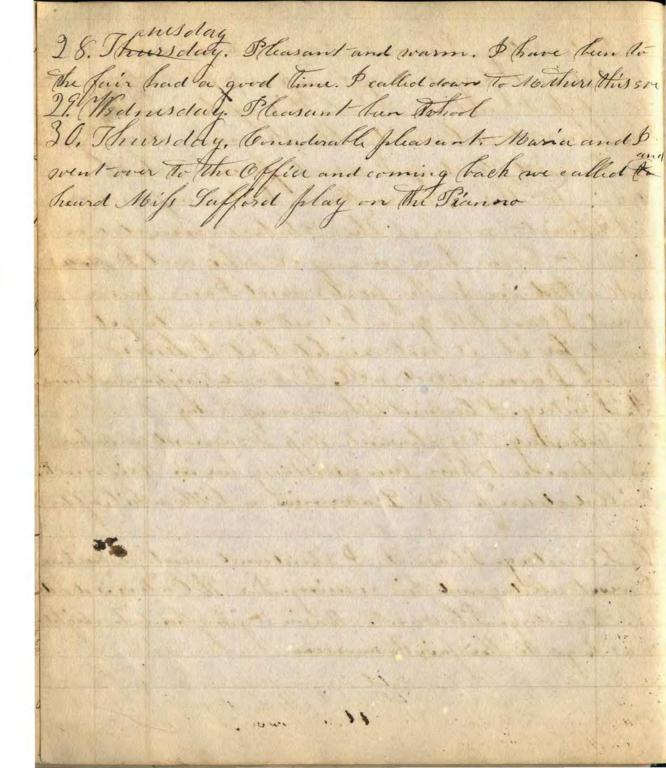
- 18. Saturday. Pleasant. I sit four times this morning and made out to get my Ambrotype and that cost me two dollars. Ephraim come and got me before dinner. Phary and baby were there Phary and I went up Mr Denio's a few moments Howards folks came in the eve but we did not get home till just as they were starting off Ephraim went to carry Elisa home and I called on Louisa she went home with us
- 19. Sunday. Pleasant. I went up to Sabath School with Ephraim and Louisa Ephraim came and brought me back this evening. I called down to see Dr Page it is not expect[ed] he will live much longer but he is ready to die Oh I am so glad he is. Nancy
- **20. Monday.** Pleasant the wind [blows] some oh dear I wish I learned faster
- **21. Tuesday.** Rainy. Malcome and I watched with the corpse of Dr. Page the night was rather long Laura and Esther Davis came up here to day. Father died two years ago to day

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- **22.** Wednesday. Pleasant. I came home and went to bed and forgot to get up until half past 10 o clock I went to school this afternoon
- 23. Thursday. Considerable pleasant Mr. Page is burried to day I went from school down to the house Maria had a company or at least some of the scholars came down I don't know how many or who and I was not asked in to the parlor and I am some mad I can tell you I don't mean to get mad for it is not right but I know when I am used well. I took a right tonight went home
- 24. Friday. Pleasant. Ephraim was up to day
- 25. Saturday. Very pleasant. Miss Learnard came here this afternoon. I have been assisting her in Arithmetic I called down to Mr Lawrence's a little while after ten
- **26. Sunday.** Pleasant. I staid and went to meeting I went all day and this evening. Dr. R Eaton is dead **27. Monday.** Pleasant. Maria is going home to night so as to go to the fair tomorrow.

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- **28.** Thursday. Tuesday Pleasant and warm. I have been to the fair had a good time. I called down to Mother this am
- 29. Wednesday. Pleasant been to school
- **30. Thursday.** Considerable pleasant. Maria and I went over to the Office and coming back we called and heard Miss Safford play on the Pianno



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1st Friday. Rainy I have been to school. Mr Corses folks have company her sister and niece and their husbands I believe.

2nd Saturday considerable pleasant Ephraim came after me about 2 oclock

3rd Sunday. cloudy all day and looks like rain but does not untill night I walked up to sabath S and from there up to uncle Snell's he is a sick man. I had to go back down to the school House in the rain mud and dark I got back just after Meeting comenced as wet as a rat I came from there to the centre it rained so we stoped to Mr A Davis'es he brought them up to their home and so we stoped a short time until that shower was over the Minister was there Mr Townsend

- **4. Monday.** The wind blows and cloudy early in the morning it was considerable pleasant I have been to school
- **5. Tuesday.** considerable pleasant. I have been to school. Malcom and I have been down east to meeting Elder Buzzell preached form Romans 7. 21 a <u>very</u> good sermon a <u>real</u> good one We had quite a talk with him after we started for home. Maria come back to night

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- **6. Wednesday.** stormy to night and dark. I have attended school
- 7. Thursday. not very pleasant rains very hard this afternoon so hard that Ihave not been up to school I sent out to St. Albans yesterday for a bonnet by Malcolme and he has got me a beauty a better one than I am able to have it cost about \$4.cc I don't know to have such a one this fall but it suits me to a charm as to color and such thing it is none to large by the by.
- **8. Friday.** very cold and snows a little the Mount ains are considerable white. I have been to school.
- 9 Saturday. a stormy bad day. Malcome carried me down to the Mission House but their meeting fouled up excepting a prayer meeting that was out when we got from there we went up to Mothers took supper there and went up to the Dow school House to meeting this evening.
- 10. Sunday. not very pleasant. Ephraim and I have been up to meeting Elisa went home last night so I have the work to do and I find enough to do Ephraim carried me up to meeting to night intending to bring me up to night but come to get ready to start Miss Elisa must be carried home she said her sister was going to bring her back and would not go home with us [before] very interesting meeting this evening

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- 11. Monday. rather cloudy. I was back this morning I got to school in season I called in to the Doctor to see Almira
- **12. Tuesday.** considerable pleasant. Silas been up to day he stoped and see me a few moments got along well to day
- 13. Wednesday. rainy and bad today.
- 14. Thursday. Pleasant been to school
- 15 Friday. considerable pleasant Been to school
- 16. Saturday. very pleasant. We had our first paper read today a <u>lot</u> of company in but we did not care for it was good Ephraim was here to get me as soon as school was out I have fixed my cape this afternoon this evening Silas carried Elisa home and I went with them had quite a little party had a very good time we two Mrs Libby [came to see us]
- 17. Sunday. some cloudy and rains some Ephraim and I have been to Jacksonville to meeting one sermon and then up east Mr Townsend preached I came up here to night I have been going a steady round most ever since I went away
- **18. Monday.** considerable pleasant. I have been to schol This afternnoon about 1 o clock Susan Reed took a start and walked to jacksonville and back in about 3 hours.

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- **19. Tuesday.** pleasant and warm. Attended school Called in to see Mrs Page this evening she wanted me to stay all night but I thought I had not better
- 20. Wednesday. some cloudy Attended school
- **21. Thursday.** very pleasant. I have attended school. This evening Susan and I went down east a foot and down to meeting again to night had a good time some tired
- **22. Friday.** pleasant. Silas came up here this afternoon he stayed and he and Mr Leonard Susan and I went down to meeting again to night.
- 23. Saturday. stormy rains this afternoon most all the time and very hard some of the time Malcome carried me down to meeting (although there was rain) and then round home and up to meeting again this evening he and Silas went and watched.
- **24. Sunday** stormy been to meeting up east six were baptized thanks God for converting souls been north [this eve]
- **25. Monday** pleasant and very cold came up this morn and like to for as I seemingly been to school S here to day for dinner
- 26. Tuesday. pleasant. I have been up to meeting this evening
- 27. Wednesday. pleasant Silas has been round here all day long I had not dare to ask him to stay to dinner or supper for fear it would make a fuss I tell you I feel rather bad about it I have been down to spooners hall to a performance I went with M but should not have gone if it had not been for S Leach

17. Timesday, pleasant and warm. Attended school Called in to see Hers Jage this Evening the manted me To stay all night that I thought I had not better 20. Modrusolay some londy of Memotial school 21. (Thersolay, very pleasant thousaltended school. This seening Rusan and I went down sast a forter alone to Meeting had a good himsom tired. 22. Friday, pleasant. Tilas carrent here this afternoon (he staged and heard Muleonand Tusaw and & went -down to Muching again to night. 20. Saturday storing rains this afternoon most all The time and very hard some of the time Malean curried me down to preeting although there was nine and then sound home and up to Meeting again this svening to and Silas went and watched. 14. Tunday story been to meeting up sast his were Caplised thund God for converting souls but Toll Di Monday pleasant and very cold can weif this Mon and like to foresi summighty been to set al Ihm To day to dinner 10. Treesday, pleasant. I have been up to theting this secuing Mednesday, pleasant - Silas has been round There all day had not close to ask him to stay to dinner or rupher for then Sit-would make a few & tell for & ful rather lade what-it- & have been down to Theory hall was performance & went with Mobil- should not have good if it-had not then for I To such

- **28. Thursday.** pleasant. I have been at our home to night. If Father was alive he would be 48 years old to day
- **29. Friday.** considerable pleasant. Louisa came up here night before last I have been over to the store with her I took supper to Electer's to night the first time I ever ate there
- 30. Saturday. it rained last night and is cloudy to day I stayed all night with Louisa and staid untill after breakfast had a very good time this forenoon to school oh dear I am figity as I can be this afternoon. The old Lady is mad or I should think she was and I don't know what to do I wrote to uncle Henry this morning and am going to write to Polly this afternoon
- 31st. Sunday. rather stormy. I wish I had gone home for I am homesick no mistake. I hope Maria is satisfied now she has got them mad at me and not tell any more lies or stories. I have been to meeting all day and this evening Maria came back to night I have not wished school out before but I don't care much now how soon it is out if Malcom and Louisa were not here I verily believe I should die with the blues I hate snakes in the grass

18. Thursday pleasuset: I have been down having to night if Father was alive be would be 48 years old to day 29. Friday, wasiderable pleasant. Emisa came up here night - before last - I have been over to the stone with the I look supper to Electa's to night-the first time I son ate there 30. Sceliveday, it raised tast night and is cloudy to day I stuged all night with Louisa and Staid untill after breakfast had a very good time this forenous to school didour & am figely as Dean to this afternion The old Loudy is proud or & should think the was and I don't know what to do. I wrote to winch Harvy this morning and am going to write to Telly this afternoon 31 . Sunday, rather storing I wish & and gove horne for Dom homerick no oristate. I hope Maria is satisfied now she has got There prod at me and fit tellany more lies or stories. I have been the Mueting all day and this ivening Marie carrie Couch the night - Shan not wished school nest thefore but I don't carismuch now how soon it is out if Mulowin and Lucisa were not here & werily believe & Mountel die with the Olives & hate makes in The grass

November

1st. Monday. pleasant been to school I helped them pare apples to night Maria did not tuck a finger to help but still the old lady believes what she says because she's an upper ten but never mind.

2nd Tuesday. pleasant. attended school Malcom was going up to Warren Corse's so I went home walked from the sand hill got home Mother was all alone had a good talk with her I feel much better I feel about as good as any one to night

3rd. Wednesday. considerable pleasant

Malcolm and I went down to see the Lawrence girls but they were gone so we came back and called on

Mrs. Walbridge. I have another hard cold see Mrs Wallins

[but the girls were gone so we went up]

4th. Thursday. stormy. M and I went down to Mr Lawrences 5th. Friday. cloudy attended school to day. Malcome carried Louisa and me down to Mothers I went to day untill Monday I have carried on to a great <u>rat</u> this evening 6th Saturday. rather cloudy and stormy I have fixed my dress and &C Elder Buzzell took tea with us I pierced Eliza's ears this afternoon we went to meeting this evening it is <u>verry</u> bad getting about

. November, 1. Monday, pleasant been to school & helped there. for applied to night Marin did not trick a finger Ow help best still the old lady believe what she says thecause she is an upper ten that never mind. Justay pleasant attended a cheol Muleamena going up to Warren Corses so I went home walked from the sand hill got home Mother was all alone a good telk with her I feel much better & ful extract as good was any one to night I Midnesday, en rideralle fileas and Malcome and I went down to me the Lawrence girl (but they were gone so we came back and called on Mers Malbridge . I have conthe hard e del su surs Walling The Thursday Missny. Me and I went down to Ma I must a Friday, cloudy attended school to day Materia Louisa and are down to Mothers I went to stay untill Monday I have carried on to a great rate this Evening 6 th Galurday, ruther cloudy and storing I have fixed my dress and 46 Elder Bussell doch hier withins I friend Olizan sars this afternoon we went to Meeting this svening It is very toad gelling about

7. Sunday. Snows a very bad day Ephraim would not go to meeting to day but Elder Buzzell sent M with Mr Wheeler's team for me and then I had to go home afoot in the rain snow mud oh I was never out such going afoot before 8th. Monday. rainy and bad to day and real cold E brought me up this morning it is verry bad I did not get here in season to go to school this forenoon 9th Tuesday. not very pleasant yet been to school. Maria and I went down to the girls room to Mrs Rice's and so up to the Baker girls room and to the Post Office Teacher Sherman was there had a verry good time

10th Wednesday. rather dull weather yet Maria and went down to Mrs Rices again to night quite a number of the scholars there did not stay late

11th Thursday. snows some to day Electa had a last night and don't you think we all had to go over there and eat breakfast this morning I would willingly go without mine rather than gone over there after it Louisa went home sick last night so you see they are left without a girl and the folks here have the work to do.

/ Lunday . Inows a very bad day Ephrain would not go to Meeting to day but Eller Bugget sunt Me dith Mar Meletar's beam for me and Then I had to go ham a foot in the rain snow and of I was never out such going a foot before 8. Monday rainy and back to day and real cold 6 brought me up this pororning it is very had I did not get (ner in mason to go to delical this forenan Tuesday not very felicasunt get them to school. Maria and I went down to the girls room to Mars Weiers and so up to the Bather girls soone and to the Tost Office Tracker I herman mas then had a very good time Medrusday, rather dull weather yet-Moria and west down to Mers Mis again the night quite a number of the scholars there did not stay late Thursday, snows some to day Etecta had a lay (tast night and don't you think we all had to go our Then und Est breakfast this morning I would willingly gone without mine rather Moun gone over there after at Louisa wend from sich fast night - so you so they are left without a girl and The folks have have the work to do

12th. Friday. pleasant and cold attended school Ephraim came and got me this evening 13th. Saturday. snowy and windy. I have fixed my plaid dress been sewing some for myself Silas and I went over to Mr Tracys and Libbeys 14. Saturday [un]. cold and very pleasant Ephraim brought me up here again to night Maria went home and I had to go and stay with Electer I

brought me up here again to night Maria went home and I had to go and stay with Electer I wanted to attend meeting Nelson L James was there and I am not used to such works he told some of the largest stories I ever heard to my rembrance.

15th Monday. snowy cold and bad I went over to
Mr Brewers to reherse so have only had my
juice to day The school was given up to day to
prepare the meeting house for exhibition
16th Tuesday snowy cold and had examination
I did not miss one question I think I was lucky
school closed to night Mr Sherman talked well
to us I don't think there was a girl but what
shed tears for we all like him, he is the best Teacher [I ever went to]
17th Wednesday a bad day a pleasant evening
quite good sleighing our exhibition was to night had
a good one I came home to night E was up but
M brought me home

I'm Friday pleasant and cold attended school Ephrain came and got me this evening 13. In Salurday. snowy and windy. I have fixed my Third that been swing some for myself Tilas and I went over to Mer Tracy & word Libbys It. Saturday. cold and very pleasant ophrain brought out up there again to night Maria went home and I hack to go and stay with Odela & wanted to attend theeting Nelson I from mes There and I am not wind to such works he told some of the largest shines I ever heard lo my 15th Alonday, mony cold and lad I went overto Ar Brewers to reherse & have only had my frier to day the school was given up to day to prepare the Meeting house for exhibin 16th Tuesday money cold and bad examination I did not miss one question & think I was lucky school closed to night - Mer I herman Tulked well No us & don't think there was a girl but what shed that for we all like him heis the best Track Medinisday a fad day a pleasant evening quite good shifting our exelition was to night had

- **18. Thursday.** pleasant worked hard all day I do not find things as I left them it is a new fashioned way to hire a girl and give them a dollar a week and have them leave all the work for me to do
- 19. Friday. pleasant. worked hard again to day I am tired
- **20. Saturday.** pleasant. taken care of butter moped and churned some in the buttry and sewed some this afternoon we went to singing school up east to night had a good [one]
- **21. Sunday.** a very pleasant day and beautiful even oh The day has seemed real long to me I have not been lonesome any before E and I went to meeting this Elder M Glofflin preached a good sermon
- 22.Monday pleasant I have done a <u>large</u> wash to day and my stomach is so lame I don't know how to stir in fact I am lame most all over Mr Tracy and wife and Mr H Dunton Mrs Bessy and Miss Blake came here this evening
- 23 Tuesday. snow hard all day only a few moments in the morning Uncle William and wife here to day Uncle William is slim no mistake just putting on his overcoat tires him so I ***** him so kerse all over the room I don't know how much further he could be heard

18. Thursday, pleasant, worked freed all day & do not find things as & teft- Them it is a new fulliand way to him a girl and gire there are dollar a week and have them bear all the work for me to do 19. Friday, pleasant-weshed hard again to day antime 20. Falterday pleasant Taken care of taller proposed and chand some in the butry and served some this afterney me wend - the sining school up said - the right that ingine If Turday, a very pleas and day and bentiful even the The day has sured real long to me & have not heer lovesome any before and I went to Muting this Often M & tofflin preached a good server I'Monday. pleasant - I have down a Carginish la day and my Momuch is so lame that I don't know how to shir in Just - & and live portaller Mer Tracy and wife and Mor Ho Dunten Mors Wessy and This Blake carn him this evening Tuesday, know food all day only a few mound in the morning Cincle William and nife har To day Junch Milliam is shim no mistuhe just spulling on his overcoul tires friend so de vala bein a fouse all over the room & don't - how how how much forther for would be heard

24. Wednesday. considerable pleasant. Lizzie Barnes called here she is going home tomorrow I went over and see her this evening Ephraim and Silas gone down to the village

25 Thursday it rains or as near rain as anything Nelson Davis came and got me to go and watch with Louisa she is a pretty sick girl Uncle Amos brought me home I got home before our folks were up our folks butchered to day Mr Wilburn helped Ephraim

26 Friday. it storms a little about every day lately

27 Saturday rains or snows rain again this evening Mrs Tracy and Sabra came over a while this afternoon Ephraim and I have been up to sinning school this eve I am surprized to see how **** I have got to be oh I wish I was stricter it will ruin me if I don't **** down and I must try hard to for I can if I try I went up and see Louisa she teased hard to have me stay with her

24. Wednesday, considerable pleasant - Lizze (Vourne called him she is going home timorral I went over and suffer this evening & phrain and Silas gone down to the villinge Lo Thursday it rand or as mos rain as anything Notion Davis cum and got me los go and wetch with Louisa she is a pretty sick girl unch Things Trought preshows I got thome thefore over folks men up our folks thatchered In day Mr (William helped Ophrain 26 Friday, it - Horas a little about every day talely If Suturday rains or mon rain again this evening Mers Tracy and Latra came over a while this afternoon. Ophsain and I have bein up to sinning school this en Fam sufriged to sie how much & havings to be of paish & was steller it will ring me if I don't while down and & must. by thand to for & can if I try I went up and su Leavisa she hasid hand

- **28. Sunday.** cloudy. Ephraim and I are intending to go up to meeting this evening Grandfather and Grandmother just called in to day
- **29. Monday.** considerable pleasant I have washed ironed baked &C and I guess I am some tired
- 30. Tuesday. snows and the wind blows very hard I have baked and made citron preserves and I can't tell what all. Ephraim is quite unwell [to day]

28. Lunday. Mucly Ephraim and I am Grandfather and Grandon the just colled 29. Monday, considerable places and It have and had invented the end & guess & and some tind the 30. Teresolay. snows undervied How very hard Frank tell and much citron preserves und

December

1st. Wednesday. <u>very</u> pleasant. I have been down to Mr Wilburns a while this evening.

I have moped and cleaned and ironed and so on **2nd. Thursday.** The wind blows considerable hard and rain snows some this evening. It is Thanksgiving day with us it stops here to day Grandfather and Grandmother and Malcome here Malcome and I went up to sining The boys went also after sining school we went over to Denis Dow's and staid and had a very good time

3rd Friday. snows. There is a meeting to night but I can't go. I received a letter from Hannah Bradford a good letter it was to

4th Saturday some cloudy. Ephraim is sick to day

5th. Sunday. The wind blows very hard a bad day to be out. There is a meeting up east but I cannot go this has been a *very* long day to me I am lonesome 6th Monday. pleasant as you please. I have a severe cold and I have not washed to day. This evening seems as long as a day.

19 comber 1 . Wednesday very pleasant . I have been down Or Abr Hilburns a while this evening. Than mobil and chand and ironed and soon 2 " Thursday. The swind Howy considerable hard and wain proms some this evening. It is Thanksge day with us it - whips here to day Grandfather and Brandmother and Materine here Mulcome and & went up to sining the logs went also after sinin selved we pount vier to Deris Dow's and staid and had a very good firm Friday. Anows. Mur is a Muling for night-(but - Deant - go. I recised a letter from thumand By adjord a good letter it - was to In Galirday some cloudy . Ephrain is sich Tunday. He wind Hows very hard a bad day To be out. There is a Meeting up sast but Downed go this has tund very long day to on Fun Housen Monday. phusunt as you please. I have a serve cold and I have not washed to day. This evening suns is long as to day.

7th. Tuesday. not so pleasant and to day The wind blows hard again this afternoon and evening. We have been to sining school this evening. Malcome came over after singing school with Sabra I received a paper from Polly 8. Wednesday. The wind blows some to day. We went up and made our cousins Jaims and Theresa visit [this evening] 9th. Thursday. considerable pleasant. I am sick to day I don't know whether it is my cold or what ails me I am better to night so I went over to meeting we had a first-rate meeting there was only half a dozen of us. The women prayed as well as the men and we had a good time Mother and Ephraim thought I was foolish for going but they don't know how much good it done my soul 10th. Friday. some cloudy and cold. I have been to the [Centre to ****] 11th. Saturday. pleasant. Ephraim and I been to singing 12th. Sunday. very pleasant. I have staid at home all day 13th. does not storm a great deal but the wind blows hard very hard part of the evening the There was a meeting down to our school house Mr Townsin preached I went and I thought

it would <u>all most</u> blow me away had a very good meeting text Psalms 7th 1st 2nd and 3rd

I believe.

I . Tuesday not so pleasant to day the sind Hows hard again This afternoon and during. Me have beente siving school this soming, Maker in curre over after singing sexual with Situs. Pricined a paper from Tolly 8. Wederesday. the wind Hours some to day My win up and made our consins paines and Theresaward I " Soursday considerable pleasant . I am with to day I don't know or hether it is my cold or what wills me & and tother to night so I went over to Muling we had a first-ret Muling Thurswas only half a dozen of us. The moment prayed as well as the prien and are had a good time Motherwand Ephrain thought I was footish for going butthey don't know from much good it done my soul I'm Saturday pleasant - Ephrains and & hanto singing I'm Surellay, very pleasant . I have third at from 13 the does not storme a great deal that The wind Thous hard very hard fast of the Evening the There was a Sheeting down to our school hours Mr Townsin preached I went and I thought it would all most flow me a way had a loney

Mr. Stevens called on us a little begar girl came while he was here she is to be pitied Though I don't pity her as much as I ought to I gave her a plate of victuals and a pair of stockings They were not very good but were better than hers. Malcome called and got some corn 15th. Wednesday. rains and snows The snow is most gone. We have stormy days in our minds as stormy as weather at least I do I have not to day as I know of for I generally fell pretty well I believe though I have the blues some I wish I enjoyed more of the love of God and my Saviour.

16. Thursday. pleasant. Mr Brown is here to work for Ephraim. I walked up to singing school this evening, M brought me back

17th Friday. very pleasant. Mr. Brown went home to night we went to singing school

18th. Saturday. pleasant. I have been very all day The boys gone down to the village. Horace and wife here this evening

Tuesday, considerable pleasant through theday Ar Stevans called on us a little began girl cannot white he was her she is to the fitted though I don't firty has as much as I weight to I gave her a plate of wicheals and a pair of stockings they were not very good but were butter Than Thers. Malcome called and get some com Midnesday, saint and snows the snow is most gone. Me have Morning days in our our munds as Morning as the weather at teast & do & Source nd to day as & know of for I generally fell pretty well & believe though & have the blus Some Pwish I Enjoyed poor of the love and my Javiour 6. Thursday, Johnsand . Mr Brown is here to work Ophrain. Farethed up to surging school his Mo trought now buck Helday . very pleasured . Mr Brown went to night are went to singing school Talurday phasail I have been very all day the togs gone down to the villiage. Horner and wife there this Evening

19th. Sunday. very pleasant and cold. Ephraim and I been to Jacksonville to meeting Mr. McGloflin preached text in the forenoon was 2nd Cor 8th 9th

20. Monday. pleasant. Mr Brown here again to day. I have washed and baked I am tired to night

21st Tuesday some snowy. Nelson Celia Harriett Laura and Esther were here this evening had a good [visit]

22. Wednesday. windy and stormy.

23. Thursday. considerable pleasant. I have been over to prayer meeting had a very good one

24. Friday. pleasant. Ephraim went has been [went] to Bakersfield yester M came down here this afternoon I went to sining school with him

25. Saturday. pleasant. been to sining school this evening Louisa came home with us

26. Sunday. very pleasant Ephraim Louisa & I went up to meeting this evening Mr Townsend [preached]

27. Monday. windy and stormy. Mr. Allen died
Friday night and is burried to day it was so
bad we did not attend. I received a letter from
Polly to day. There is a Meeting to our school house
this evening Ephraim has been

I'm Lunday, very pleasant and cold. Ophraimands hun to pucksowille to Meeting Mon Me Stoffen prached textin The forenous pour 2 and Cor 8 thigh 10. Monday. pleasant: Mr Brown there organd day. I have washed and baked Pan Brid to righ Levely some sway. Alson Oshin Harrist Louisa and Osther were here this evening hada II. Medrusday, windy and storing Toursday, considerable pleasant. I have been our to prayer Smeeting had a very good one 24. Friday . pleasant . Ophrain for too to Bakerysik Moran down fur this afternoon Who siving school with frim . Sollinday , pleasant . then to siving school this Evening Donisal carrie has so with us 26. Tuesday very pleasant Ophraim Louise went - up to hearing this svering Me Townsend It Monday, windly and storing. Mr Allendid Friday night and is burried to day it was so God we did not allind, I received a letter from Tally to day, There is I Meseling to our school house this svening & phraim has their

28. Tuesday. windy and bad this forenoon pleasant
This afternoon Ehraim and I have been to jacksonville
this forenoon. I traded '84 ½ cts. We have been over to B Fars
29. Wednesday. considerable pleasant.
30. Thursday. pleasant. M came here before and
after singing school. Ephraim and I
been to singing school. M gave Mother a
New Years present a book
31st. Friday. a dreadful day the wind blows
dredful to tell it blew so hard last night
that it tore a sheet into two pieces all
but a mitt on one end and a tablecloth
char in two zigzag. We got ready to go to
singing school but H & L Mrs Wyman
came so we did not go

New years pleasant considering the storm we had yesterday E and I got ready to go to singing school Mr and Mrs Wyman came and we did not dark and must stop.

Lo, Liesday, windy and Fud this foresoon pleasant this afternoon Opheraine and & have been to jucksonith Jorenon, & traded 84/2 ets. Whenvi tun over to B For 1. Wednesday, considerable pleasant hursday, pleasant. Mo came here before and after ringing school . Ophraim and P tun to singing school. Me gave Mother a to years present a Took I'm Friday a dreadful day the wind blows drudful at tell it blew so hard test night That it - Tona sheet into live friesall but a mile on you end asid a Published. char rollwo sigsag. Mgd-New years pleas and considering the Morne we Track yesterday and by and by ready to go to Risging which Mer and Mrs Myman eumi and du did , A dork and must stop

January 1859

2nd. considerable pleasant Ephraim and I have been up to Meeting this afternoon Elder Buzzell preached from Sam 1st T2th Another year is past and gone and with it its trouble and trials as well as joys it is so dark that I must close but I would like to write more but cant never This is the first New year that I have pretended to serve the Lord I hope and pray that I may be a faithful follower of Christ and serve him better than I ever have. I am so wicked and sinful I am afriad I never shall get to Heaven I certainly never should if God should punish me as I deserve to be but he is a God of great mercy "And his mercy endureth forever" and I hope he will have mercy on me and save me This evening has seemed long to me so I got some paper and wrote a letter to Polly I knew that it was not right but the time seemed so long I did do so

. January, 1859. Just Comiderable pleasant Ephrain and Phun Chun up to theeting this afternoon Other Buggell preached from Lane 11 72 th Another year is first - and, gone and with it its houthand trials as well as juys it is so dark that I small close that & avoiled theto with more that cant over. This is the first New year that & Some prelended To serve the Lord & hope and fray that I may be a Guthful follower of Whist and some fin teller. them I Ever have. I am so wicked and sinful I am afraid I never shall get to Mesain Dertainty never should if God should fremish me as I desverve to be that The is a God of great murey And his murey Endwith foreer and & hope In will have murcy on me and save me, This svening has sund long to one to & got some paper and with a taller to Selly I know that it was not right test the Time surved so long I did do so

3rd. Monday. pleasant. I have washed 4th. snows part of the day and quite hard this evening. I watched with Charlotte last night she is horibly sick. I stood and faned her towards an hour and it is quite cold no fire in the room I should think she would think it was high time to make her peace with God. Mr. Hamlet is at work for Ephraim we have been to singing school this evening 5th. snowy. C Wilburn wife and the Teacher here this eve 6th Thursday. pleasant. Ephraim and his man have been to jacksonville I have been over to prayer meeting. we did not have as good a prayer meeting as we do sometimes 6 Friday. The wind blows considerable hard it is warmer so that it rains and thawing considerable 87th. Saturday. pleasant and very cold Ephraim found some little pigs this morning I guess they will all freezze to death. There was seven now there is only four We have been to singing school Ephraims hired man has got through went home at noon he has work ever since Monday Elisa Smith and Miss Dow came to see us this afternoon

I" Monday. pleasant. & have washed I " snows fairl of the day and quite hard this Evering. Doublehed with to harloth last she is fartly sick. I stood and fared for Converds an hour and it is quite cold no fire in the rom I should think she would think it was high lim to make the prace with God. Mer Hamlet is at work for Ophraim me have tun for binging I chool this suching In fravery. O. William wife and the Tracker hunther son 6 Thursday pleasant. Ophrain and his mand have been to jucksomile & have been over to pragermenting and did not have as good a prayer Auching as one do sometimes & Friday. The wind blows considerate found it is svarmer so that it - rains and thawing considerable E, Salinday pleasant and very cold Officin four some tithe figs this merring I guess they will all freizze to death Murawas bever now there is only four the home from to singing school Ophrains Sired man has got Howigh went home at now he has work sver since. Elisa Twith and Mif Dow com this afternoo

9th Sunday pleasant and cold

10th. Monday. pleasant. I have washed

& is the coldest day I ever experienced old people say the same

11th. Tuesday. pleasant and cold not as cold as it was yesterday. We have been up to Uncle Snell's he is quite comfortable for him to day I came down to Mr Browns and staid till singing school

12th Wednesday. pleasant I feel rather discouraged and downhearted. I don't know but still I wish I was rich so I could have a home of my own and money to do as I pleased with 13th. Thursday. stormy and the wind blows some I called in to Mrs Wymans and traded a little I have been over to prayer meeting this evening 14th Friday. pleasant and warm We went over to Grandfathers but they were all ready to go up to uncle Snell's so Ephraim left us to Mr Nichols'es had a good visit Luthera and I went down to the poor farm I saw persons to be pitied I hope I shall never have to go to the poor House if I do I hope it will before another fall I went to singing school to night E went and watched with uncle Snell I walked from

" Lunday pleasant and cold Monday pleasant . I have washed I is The coldest - day I ever Experienced Id pufile sug the surve " Tuesday. pleasant and old not as cold us it was gesterday. (We Somether up to Perch Soules he is quite comforable for him to day Deann down to Mer (Browns and Maid Will singings school 12 the Wednesday, pleasant & feel rather discouraged and downhatted, I don't from but still & wish I was rich so I could have a horning Bry own and many to do as I pland with " Theirday storing and the wind Hows some I called in to Mor Mymens and tradel a Wille I figure been over to frager Muling this sering Friday, phasant and warm Me went four to Grandfathers but they avere all ready to go up to unch Inell's solphinic left - us to Mer Nichols Es Thad a good visit Luther and Davent - down to the fiver farm I saw persons to to filid & hope & shall never then to go to the por Boin if & do to highe it - nich before another fall Parent to singing school to mig

15. Saturday. The wind blows some and warm the snow is most gone I have moped baked and Ironed and all so on

[rather stormy it snows]

16. Sunday. very pleasant indeed. Ephraim and I been up to Meeting This evening. Elder McGloflin is sick so we had a prayer Meeting not as much interest as there is sometimes the women and girls as well as men were backward.

I have rather strange feelings lately I cant tell why I feel as though I was about the wickedest person ever lived I am afraid if I should die I should not go to Heaven and how can I bear to go down to that dreadful place it dont seem as though I could bear the thought

- 17. Monday a snowy day. I have washed moped and so on Charles Wilburn is here this evening 18th. Tuesday. very pleasant indeed. Ephraim Silas gone up to Temperance Lecture I have read and sung all or pretty much all the evning 19th. Wednesday. cloudy
- **20. Thursday.** pleasant. Ephraim went to Bakersfield and Clarissa Wilburn came back with him we have been up to singing school this evening

15. Saturday. The swind Hows some and awaren The mow is most gone. I have maped baked and 16. Sunday very pleasant moderate Ophraim and Albern up to Miching this overing. Older Me . Otofhings sick do ove had a prayer builing not as princh interest as there is sometimes the owner and girls as well as men were buckward. I have rather A tronge feelings lately Deant Till why I feel as Though Daves about - The wickedsis person ever lived Dan afraid if I should die I Should not go to Menin and from ean & tear To go down to Mor drodful place it don't seem as though & could thear the Thought 11. Monday , a snowy day. I have washed propred and so on Charles William is four this waning 18 " Deceday very pleasant indeed. Ophrains Tilus gone up of Tremperana L's etim & have Gead and sung all or pretty much all the evering 1, Midnesday, choudy hursday pleasant. Ophrain we A to Bakersfile and O Carrissa Wilburncarn buck with we have been if the singing school this &

21st. Friday rains hard about all day
I received a letter from Louisa E <u>Demio</u> this evening
22. Saturday. considerable pleasant Clarissa went

home this forenoon she made quite a visit but we expect it will be the last for the present

23. Sunday. a beautiful day. I feel rather downhearted on account of what Mother said to me I am determined to find out if is so it worrys me in fact I thought so much about what I could not sleep as usual last night but it may make me feel worse yet but hope that there is nothing in it it is nothing only what I have heard before but did not believe it but it has been threw in my face enough and now I calculate to find out who lies or if it was so

24. Monday. pleasant. I called in to see C Demio she is about the same

25. Tuesday. very pleasant indeed Mrs Tracy been here this afternoon and evening. Silas has found out about that story Austin says he never said so and I am so glad I hope I can eat drink and sleep some now. M came down to night we took a ride to the Center and so back to singing school had a good time after feeling so bad

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26. Wednesday. very pleasant. Oh dear I have got to go and watch with Charlotte Denio to night and I don't know how to for I did not sleep much last night did not go to bed until 3 o clock

27. Thursday. pleasant. I watched last night We have been over to Grandfathers to day James and Theresa here this evening did not go to bed untill ten o clock to night so you may guess how sleep I am

28. Friday. The wind blows very hard it snowed a little last night and the snow flies like fun 29th Saturday snows a little this evening I have been to singing school had a very good one Elder Buzzell came in he made some remarks and closing prayer 30th Sunday. pleasant been up east to Meeting to day. had a good meeting Elder Bussell preached from Gal 5th 22. 23 and Luke 3rd 9th In sabath school I learned what Jews & Gentiles are [a] Jew is one that has been circumcized let them belong to what nation they will a Gentile is one that has not been circumcised a heathen 31st. Monday. pleasant washed to day

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February

1st. Tuesday, pleasant this morning but comences snowing about noon snows quite hard this afternoon Last night I walked up to Meeting Mr Tracy's folks asked me to ride home with so I did as we was coming down the Blake hill the sleigh tiped up and tiped us all forward I went under the horses feet and every time the horse steped its feet went against my face and head it jammed me up pretty it cut a gash over my left eye and a place on my cheek nearly as large as [a] half dollar The end of my nose is all jammed up it hurt my head some and some in other places but not so bad so I do not consider it of much consequence Ephraim and Mother have gone to Montgomery to day. I cannot for my eye it is swollen so bad I look like a fright and feel about if not quite as bad I have been alone all day and evening I sit up some and lay abed some. I never know what it was to be faint untill last night when we was fixing my face I felt so sick that I had to sit down I suppose that was being faint though I don't know

1. Tenday pleasant This morning but commes Inviving about noon snows quite hard his afternoon Tast night Davilled up to Meeting Mer Tracy's folks asked me to rich from with so felid as we was evening down the What hill the sligh liped up and tiped us all forward & event under the horses feet and every lime the horn sliped its fact went egainst my face and head it jamed on up fritty st- ent a gash over my left sye and a place on my chuk nearly as large at half dollar The said of my nose is all formed up it tourt my head some and some in other place but not so tod so & do not everside it of much contiguence. Ophrain and Mother Fare go Mand gomery to day. I cannot ofun my squ'il is swolling so that I look like a fright and feel about if not quite as bad & have bun about all day and wilning I pit up some and lay a tel some. I never knew what it was to be faint untill last night when we was fixing my face I felt so wich that I had list down Duffor that was being found though &

2nd. Wednesday. very pleasant. Ephraim did not come home last night as he agreed to he come to night about four o clock. Malcome came down this forenoon about Eleven we was intending to go to Montgomery my face is hurt so I could not go he staid with me this afternoon and see the boys are at home Silas came before Ephraim did. To day has not seemed as long as yesterday did if Malcome had been like most young men he would not have staid with me but he see that I felt bad and so he staid my face looks so I felt dreadful mortified I did not hardly know what to do but we had a great deal better visit than I expected 3rd Thursday. stormy. Ephraim has gone to singing school I wish I could go but must not complain for Malcome is so good to me he came round this way as he was going to singing school and brought me a bottle of British oil to put on my face and some gum and a I should call it a vase a neat pretty one a blue one with white flowers and the pretty yet simple word Remember me

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4. Friday. considerable pleasant Ephraim has been up and got Mother they did not get home untill after dark. Gerge Hopkins came here to see Silas this evening S has done the chores while Ephraim has been gone 5th. Saturday. pleasant. my face is getting some better I open that eye part way more so I can see some with it

6th. Sunday. cloudy. Ephraim and I have been over to Grandfathers to see Grandmother she is quite unwell 7th. Monday. pleasant. I have picked the scabs off of my face this forenoon it is not going to leave as bad scars as I expected Ephraim and I have been up to meeting this evening Young Blasdel preached I never heard him before he preached first rate from 1st Cor 3-5th Oh if I could only be as good as he told us to be how happy I should be. Liberty for any one to speak after sermon and o dear I am so backward about speaking and I am so sorry I have not spoke in the two last meetings and I always feel sorry when I do not but it seemed as though I could not say anything to do any good but still I ought to say I have God if nothing more Nancy

4. Friday considerable pleasant - Ophrain Thus been up and get Mother they did not get home untill after dark. Terge Hopkins come for the su Titus this svening it has done The church while Offermin has been gon 5th Sectionday pleasant my face is getting son Wither I open theod Exe part way or de so ne some with it-6th Lunday. cloudy. Ophrain and & bare burner to Grandfathers and rander other the is quite would Monday, pleasant . I have friched he seals off of my face this forenownit is not going to team as that se are \$ & speched Ephronismed I have been up to Muling this Evening Gung Wolasdel practual Down Tuard the lifere In preached first rate from 1st too 3-5 th Oh if I eville only to as good as he told us to the Two happy & should be Leaterly for any one to Much after termion and o dear Dance so the kward. spoke in the two last Muetings and Dalways feel sarry when I do not that it sums as thing be eville out say belove God if nothing more sancy

- 8th. Tuesday. pleasant the wind blows some Ephraim has gone to help Elder Cole people are having a drawing here to draw up the old gentlemen some wood. Elder Buzzell is coming up to day if nothing happens he intends to preach this evening and I am so fraid I can't go for E says he's not going to meeting all and I cant walk very well for my bootee wants fixing and I am not very well my head feels bad, and it or something makes me feel sick to my stomach a good deal I did not know but I should faint last evening in meeting. The young singers are taking their seats with the choir but think I shall wait for an invitation & untill I know my letters
- 9. Wednesday. pleasant and warmer it thaws some
 Elder Buzzelll took dinner with he came just as
 we was ready to sit down to the table he wanted
 me to go back with so I did young Blasdel
 was to Miss Carpenters so we called there from
 there to Stoneville meeting to Abner Davis'es
 at two o clock had a very good Meeting
 Mr Blasdel preached this evening from Luke
 [storms this eve]the last chap 48th verse one of the best of sermons
 I took supper with Abner's folks E brought Louisa
 up I came home

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10. Thursday. very pleasant and cold.

Mother and I have been over to Miss Carpenter's this afternoon Mother staid this evening a while we was gone to meeting Louisa went with us Mr Blasdel went away from here last night Elder Buzzell preached from these word if God be God serve him if the world serve that he had the christians do what I never saw done before that was all pray in secret that is to ourselves before the closet to try and do as we had resolved to do by rising just before he requested all to rise that was resolved to serve God

11th Friday very pleasant indeed.
Ephraim and Mother gone u to Uncle James
Miller's to day. I had not any work prepared
and my head feels bad I feel real unwell
lately a good deal of the time especially when
I do not stir round my head will ache and
it strikes to my stomach and makes me [sick]
I got ready to walk up to meeting but a
Gentlemen came after me to go to the
Temperance lecture I went had a good
lecture from a Scotchman and a very good
visit down to Lecta's it was short

10. Strusday very pleasant and cold. Wither and Dhave tun over to Mis Carpenters that of hornon Mother stind this suring a take me ans gone to Muling Louisa went with in Mr (Delandel went wing from fure tack ought Older (1) uggell prached from then overd If God to God forme him if the overld form Mal. The had the christiand do what I over saw dem befor that was all pray in secretthat is a versilves before the closed the try and de as we food resolved to do by rising just before he requested all to rise that was resolved to serve God Hickory very phasant indud. Ofhreim and Mother gone up to the fames Willer to day I find not any work prepared and my had ful God & ful del unwell lutely agood deal of the Time Especially when Dolo not the sound my head will welle it strikes to pary stomach and makes I got ready to wath up to Meeting but a Is willeman carre after me to go to the visit down to Light it - was about

- 12th. Saturday. very pleasant Silas and I have been down to Mr. Wilburns this evening to pay our last visit I suppose hey intend to move next week.
- 13th. Sunday very pleasant. I have been to meeting Mr. Blasdel preached from John 6th 44th in the forenoon this afternoon from Eph. 4th 30th I can tell you he is a smart boy as Mr Tracy says. Elder McGloflin preached this evening from psalms 69th 6th if I remember right a grand discourse he looks miserable he has been sick and he dont look as though he would ever be well again I think Eph. is getting in a hurry he took a ride with Miss Davis three evening in succession last week and carried her to meeting to day and to top of had to go and stay with her to night and sent Silas home with me
- 14th. Monday. snows a little to day.

 I received a letter from Julia this morn

 Ephraim was going down to Mr. Parkers so I embraced the opportunity and went and made Mary Jane a visit had a good time

19th Saturday very pleasant - Tiles and & hon teen down to Mer Williams this evening to payour tast visit & supple they intered to unday very pleasant. I have bunto weeting Mor MS tasdel freached from John. the Horas the forenews this afternoon from Ople 4 th 30 ll fran tell you ha is a find Vog as Mr Tracy suys. Elder Me Gloffin preached this & vening from Telahors 69 th 6 th if Premember right a grand discourse he fooks miserable the this them wich and the dont - fich as though he would some be well again. I think Eph is getting an a hurry On Howk a ride with Mils Davis there sim in succession but week and carried but to Sheeting to day and to Dop of had to go and May with her to might and sent Siles from with me 14. Monday, swows a tille to day. Freewood a teller from pulia this morn Ophraim was going down to Me Bishers so & embraces 15th. Tuesday. rather stormy this evening we have been to singing school Mother has been down to Mr Wilburns this afternoon Mr Libby came to see Mother

16. Wednesday. a beautiful day and night I have been real sick to day and evening I don't know what ails me I have to have a real sick spell every little while

17th. Thursday. pleasant to day and evening Mrs Tracy Sabra Mrs Libby and E***** and the Teacher came here to night C Dunton came over to have me go to meeting we all hands went had a very good meeting

18th Friday. The wind blows some this morning and it storms. Silas has got home came last night I am not very pleased about it for he make so much work have enough to do to pay my board without him I think and he wears fine shirts and collar every day a good deal of the time

19. Saturday. warm and stormy the snow is going fast Ephraim and went up to singing school E went and watched with Uncle Snell Silas came home with me

S. Decelday ruther storing This soming we have been to ringing selvet. Mother has bun down to Mor Wilhers This afternoon Mo Libby came to we wishen 16. Wednesday a beautiful day and night-I have bun real sich to day and seening I don't know what will pre I have to have a real sich spell svery will white I Thursday plus and the day and saming Mers Janey Fortra Mars Libry and Onorun and the Bucher carne here to night - 6. Dunton carne over to have mugo to thating we all hands went had a very good Meeting 8 " Friday. The wind Hours some this morning and it Thank Tiles has got home came last night fum not very pleased about it for he make so much work have enough to do to frag my board without him I think and he was fine thirth and collar svery day a good deal Un tirm 18. Seturday. warm and thong the in ow is Event and western with Tweel Smell Situs carne from with me

- **20. Sunday.** rains most all the time and the wind blows quite hard. M came here this evening if nothing happens we intend to go to N H in five weeks to live
- **21. Monday.** not very pleasant quite cold and the wind blows. Mr H Denio and E Wilburn came here and staid about all the afternoon I have been washing and baking &C.
- 22. Tuesday. very pleasant indeed the ground is mostly bare only where there is drift and a great deal of ice it is very slippery I walked to singing school M came back with me we all went I Puffer was with Silas he is staying here with him to night The northern lights streak up well to night I have been telling Mother about going away she did not say much but I tried to have her let me have some cotton batten and I think if she was motherly she would let me have it but I hope God will prosper me and I shall get to be well off

10. Lunday rains most all the line and the wind blowf quit found. Me carne how this evening if nothing happens are intend to go in five weeks to live Monday, not very pleasant quite cold and the wind Hours. Mr. H. Denie and E. William. come there and plaid about all the afternoon I have been weething and baking +6 IL (wesday, very pleas ant indued the ground is mostly bare only where there is strifts and a great deal of in it is very slipping & walked to linging school Meane buch with one we all went & Suffer was with Silver he is Maying here with thim to might The northern lights streak up well to ough I have been telling Mother about going away the did not say owner but I tried to have her let me have some collow tallen and & think if the was protherly she would let me have at that I hope God will frospe me and I shall get to the well of

- 23. Wednesday. pleasant. Mr Core called here to day he talked to me some he dont want us to go off down there he wants us to live round here
- **24. Thursday.** warm and considerable pleasant Ephraim and I went down to Jacksonville this evening I could not get hardly anything I wanted I got 11 yds cotton '10 a yd for pair of table cloths 90 cts 3 skeins cotton yarn 3 cts -4 [****]
- **25. Friday** pleasant. I went down to school this forenoon Mr Kent was there also I should think that they have had a pretty good school
- 25. Saturday. windy and stormy
- **26. Sunday.** very pleasant and warm Miss Martha Davis was burried to day funeral to the Dow school house we attended
- **27. Monday.** I believe it stormed to day but I have had so much to do that I have not written this week
- **28.** Tuesday Pleasant the boys been to town meeting A mistake somewhere for there is 28 days in February

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March

1st. Tuesday. pleasant The boys here to town meeting.

2nd Wednesday. pleasant. Ephraim and I been up to see Mr and Mrs Warner 3rd Thursday. pleasant most of the day in the evening the wind blows very hard. Malcom came down after me I went home with him Louisa is up there she came back with us I came home in the evening had I good visit

[snowy]

4th Friday. pleasant. Finished Silases ***** to day Been to singing school 5th Saturday. considerable pleasant. Finished the other pair of Silas es trowsers Ephraim been to Jacksonville I sent and got a web of cotton cloth and 4 pound of cotton been to singing S 6th Sunday. some cloudy and warm Hattie Davis came home with me last night been up to meeting to night Mr Townsend preached I don't remember where the text was 7th Monday. cloudy

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8th. Tuesday. snows very hard all day we have been up to Uncle Williams. Malcome came home with Silas we all went up to singing school Jirial Trescott came here this evening staid all night.

9th. Wednesday. very pleasant. Ephraim over to Grandfath[ers] 10th Thursday. very pleasant. I finished up my web of cloth got it all made about I am glad

11th Friday. pleasant. I went down and watched with Charlotte last night. I have been baking

12th Saturday. rainy a very bad day

13th. Sunday. pleasant. An eventful day with me for the very reason that my name is no more Nancy Holmes but Mrs Nancy H Corse I suppose we went down to Elder Buzzell was married about six o clock I think an eventful day with me but I hope that we shall never be sorry for what we have done. It is awful bad muddy drisly going as I ever see we got home twenty minutes after ten in fact they had all gone to bed at least all there was at home

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14th Monday. very pleasant this forenoon cloudy this afternoon. Malcom and I have been up to Father's they give me a regular talking to because they dont want us to go off I went out and had one good cry and if I could have been at my Mothers in what I used to call my room I would cried as long as I had been a mind to but I hope God will prosper us and I hope and pray that god will prosper and bless us and that we shall always live happy. I hope I shall never speak a cross word to my husband I hope I shall always be faithful to my husband and my God I hope we shall live truly christian lives together and finally go to Heaven where we shall always be happy wher ther will be no one to talk to us or bother us I feel real downhearted to night I had not ought to for of course it makes Malcom feel bad I am going to try not to any more

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15th. Tuesday. cloudy the wind blew very hard and rained last night it seems as though I never knew it to blow much hard 16th Wednesday. pleasant. Malcom has been up home to day and got all ready to start in the morning. Mr and Mrs Tracy came over to see us this evening

17th. Thursday. pleasant. Malcom started from here about five.

I have been washing to day. Been over to prayer meeting this evening E shugard off to [day]

March 27th

I have been sick for a week past hard sick most of the time I have had a quinsy sore throat I could not eat anything for about a week only what little I could drink I am a good deal better now but I am weak and there is one hard bunch on my neck yet Mrs. Wyman and Susan came over Thursday Elder Buzzell came about four he staid all night I felt better that afternoon than I had before for [the sores in] my throat broke the night before

15th Tuesday cloudy the wind this very hard and rained fast night it seems pas Though I never knew it - 10 thow much hard 16 Mednesday pleasant, Maleon has been up home to day and get all ready to start in The morning. Mer and Mers Tracy carre over to Are us this svening The Shursday feliasant - Malevin Sarted from here about five. I have been washing to day Been over to day prayer Muching this Evening & shong and off to Mounch gy The I have been sick for a week fruit hard wich most of the line & have had a quines por throat & could not sat anything for about a week only what little Be wild drink I am a good deal better mow but I win weak and there is one hard bunch on my melyet Mers Myman and Lusan carne over Thirdlay Older Binggell came about four to Maid than & had before forming throat broke the

yesterday Saturday Mrs Libby and J ane were here awhile. I have not heard a word from Malcom yet I can' imagine what is the reason I cant believe but what he has written that is if he is alive and well perhaps father dont bring it to me I don't know what to think about it It is a beautiful sabbath day I suppose I shall be nineteen to night if I live 28. Monday. pleasant. I have done a large washing to day I was not fit to do it no more than nothing Mrs Denio Esther Blake and Eliza here this afternoon visiting. I received a letter from Malcom last night he wants I should come immediately but I am not able to go as I be now father came down a little [while] 29 Tuesday. pleasant. I have put in a comforter this afternoon and tied it I did not expect I could get it done this afternoon but it seems I have my throat is swelling up on the other side. I am afraid it is going to be as bad as ever oh dear I hope it [is not] 30. Wednesday. The wind blows quit hard Grandmother came over across a foot to see us my throat keeps growing worse it has got to break again it is dreadful to have a quinsy sore throat if ther ever was anything that was bad this is I cant hardly swallow a thing

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31. Thursday. ****erable pleasant most of the ther was a little snow sqall towards night. I have not been able to sit up hardly a bit to day (remember I write this Saturday my throat is as bad as ever Ephraim has been and engaged Elizabeth H*** to come and live with them this summer she is to come in [next Monday]

April 1859

1st. Friday. cold and rough. the sore in my throat broke this morning and I am some better. Father came down to see how I was to night took tea with us. I have written to have Malcom come back I was intending to go next Wednesday but I am not able and the folks are fussing so we shall have to give up going this spring at least I think it is rather mean 2nd Saturday. pleasant and rather cold I am still better I have got so I can eat so I guess I shall get along if nothing more sets in Ephraim shugard off twice Thursday I have forgotten how much he has mad over [400 lbs]

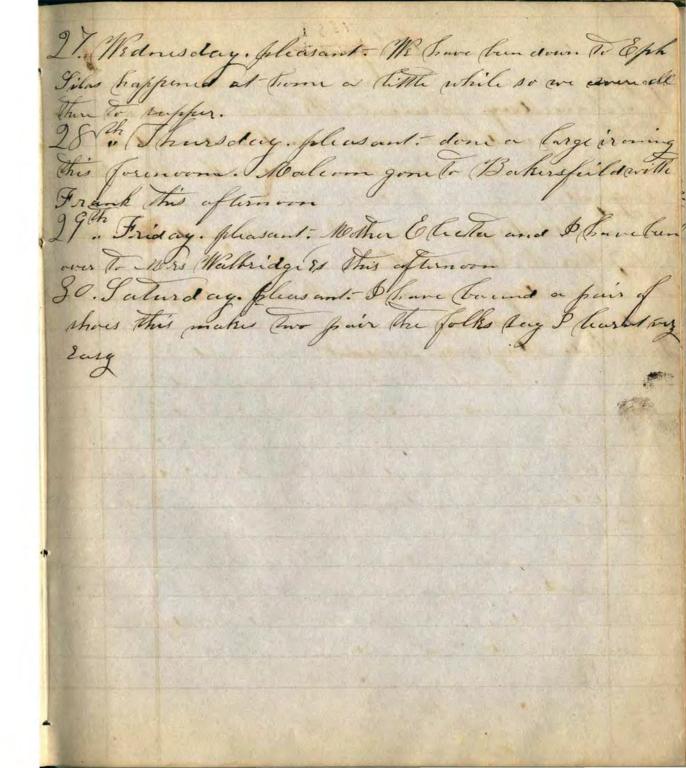
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Saturday. April 23rd. 1858 1859. I have not written for quite a spell for the very reason that we have been moving we have moved into the south end of Eliphlets house a very pleasant room I think we moved last Tuesday Wednesday we went down to Ephrams and over to Grandfathers we went with a lumber wagon and brought up a load of things Thursday uncle A Davis just called in and [to] see me Friday yesterday Elder Buzzell come and see us he took dinner with us Ephraim called Frank and wife here to see us amongst us this afternoon To day Silas came and see us took dinner with I got dinner for us all for Electa was busy, a rainy day Sunday. 24. snows and rains a stormy day we have attended church to day Mr Piper preached from 2nd Cor 5th 10th

25. Monday. very pleasant. I have done a large wash **26. Tuesday.** not very pleasant. I have been baking victuals and sat two tables and asked them all to dinner had a very good time eat supper in E room.

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- **27. Wednesday.** pleasant. We have been down to Eph Silas happened at home a little while so we were all there to supper.
- **28th. Thursday.** pleasant. done a large ironing this forenoon. Malcom gone to Bakersfield with Frank this afternoon.
- **29**th. Friday. pleasant. Mother Electer and I have been over to Mrs Walbridge'es this afternoon
- **30. Saturday.** pleasant. I have bound a pair of shoes this makes two pair the folks say I learned very easy



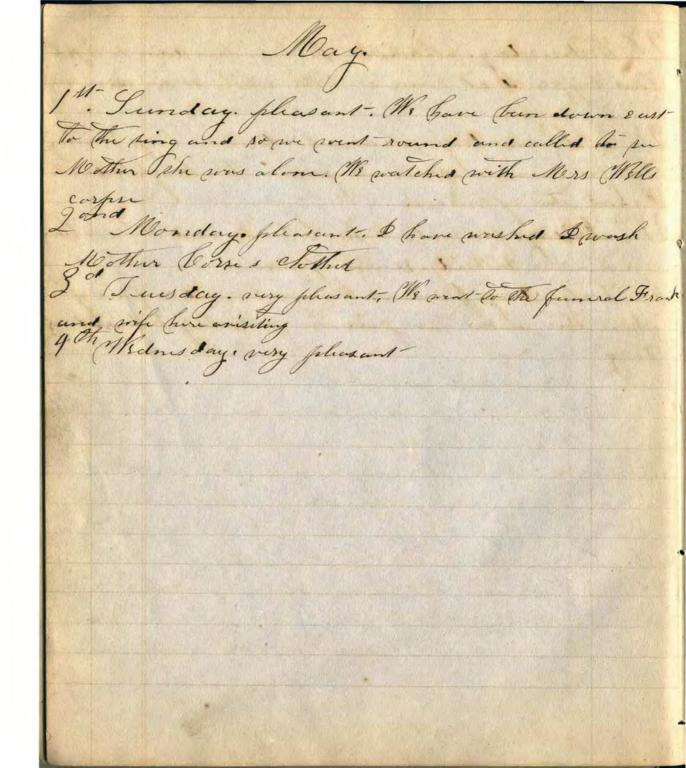
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1st. Sunday. pleasant. We have been down east to the sing and so we went round and called to see Mother she was alone. We watched with Mrs. Wells corpse

2nd Monday. pleasant. I have washed I wash Mother Corses clothes

3rd Tuesday. very pleasant. We went to the funeral Frank and wife here avisiting

4th Wednesday. very pleasant



Enosburgh. September. 10. 1858

I went up and settled with the Dr I owed him
1.25 he paid me \$10. and owes me a little over [\$9. now]
I paid Mr Corse \$5. for board. \$1. for Phisiology
16 for one quire of paper and \$2 to Elder Buzzel
for a paper and what I signed for his preaching
\$2 for my Ambrotype. Gloves. 7C
The remainder 3.25 for a bonnet 3.50 Tuition
2.25 for board

Quire: Abbr. qr. or q. A set of 24 or sometimes 25 sheets of paper of the same size and stock; one twentieth of a ream.

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