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January

1/1/87 Warm. & rainy. Did chores & did some writing. W. went to Windsor mill with sled. Brought home 8 bbls coal.

1/2/87 Fair & cold. All remained at home. I called at A.T. Hayden's in eve.

1/3/87 Fair & very cold Therm 12. Did chores & helped min wash. W. cut wood in woods.

1/4/87 Fair & cold. Did chores. W. cut wood in woods. Mr. & Mrs. S.N. Bartlett took dinner & spent PM & eve. Snow during night.

1/5/87 Fair & mild. Did chores & went to Windsor. Carried Min to G. Davis' in AM. W. cut wood in woods & spent eve with Min at G. Davis. Frank Ayer called & bought 3 pelts. \$2.50. Mr. & Mrs. E. Read spent eve. Deposited \$5.00 for Min in Windsor Savings Bank.

1/6/87 Fair & mild. Went to Claremont. Called on Mrs. Maynard, Mrs. Rich, & B.F. Thrasher. W. went to Windsor, carried 2 bbl apples to F.X. Stone & 12 lbs butter to H. Gilchrist & spent eve with Min & Sumner & Ida Dunsmore at G. Davis'.

1/7/87 Fair & mild. Did chores etc. W. went to Windsor to sell Old Charley, but did not find his man.

1/8/87 Therm 12 Fair & cold. Did chores & sawed wood. W. hauled wood from woods.

1/9/87 Therm 14 Fair & cold. Snow during night. All remained at home. W. went out to Cornish in eve.

1/10/87 Therm 16 Fair & cold. Did chores. Min washed. W. hauled wood from woods.

1/11/87 Therm 18 Fair & cold. Went to Windsor. Attended Bridge meeting. W. hauled wood from woods. Mr. & Mrs. F.W. Dunsmore & Sumner & Mr. & Mrs. G.W. Davis spent eve. Sent. 60 cents in stamps to J.S. Johnson Boston for poultry book & Sheriden Powders.

1/12/87 Fair more mild. Did chores & cleaned out ice house. W. hauled one load wood to E.C. Howers & brought home one load ice. Winslow spent the eve.

1/13/87 Fair & mild. Snow at eve. Went to Claremont with Mrs. B. Dinner & spent PM at Annie Dean's. Took supper & spent eve at H.P. Shedd's W. hauled 2 loads wood to

Windsor & got 1 load ice for self & 1 load for F.W. Dunsmore. Winslow hauled 1 load wood to Windsor for W.

1/14/87 Snowy day. Mild. Did chores and helped W. pack away one load of ice. F.W. Dunsmore called. Winslow called. W. helped Winslow haul ice.

1/15/87 Mild. AM snow. PM (???) did chores. W. went to Windsor Mill & to Post Office. Young Williams from Plainfield called to buy heifer.

1/16/87 Mild & very pleasant. All remained at home. W. went out to Cornish in eve. Chester Shedd called.

1/17/87 29 above. Snowy day. Min washed. Did chore. W. painted chairs etc & sawed wood.

1/18/87 10 above. Colder Windy. Went to Windsor . Took supper with Mrs. B. at S. Wilder's. W. broke road on highway in AM & to woods in PM & spent eve with Min at F.W. Dunsmares. Mrs. Lucy Fellows 90th birthday.

1/19/87 therm 34 below. Coldest morning known for many years. Went to Windsor. Bought 2 young beef of G.W. Thurston. 239 @ .06 = \$14.34. Called at S. Wilder's. W. cut & hauled wood from woods .

1/20/87 Fair & mild. Did chores etc. Mrs. Henry Rich & Miss Alexander took dinner & spent PM & spent eve with Minnie at H.P. Shedd's. W. hauled one load of wood from woods. Opened the first of 5 bbls flour bought of A.T. Hayden.

1/21/87 Therm 30 above Fair & very mild. Cut & salted beef. W. hauled 2 loads wood from woods.

1/22/87 Therm 2 below. Fair. Went to Windsor Mill. W. hauled 1 load of wood from woods & went to Mr. Morgan's & spent eve with Min at at H.A. Weld's 21st birthday. 75 persons present. The Cornish band was there.

1/23/87 Warm. Snow settling fast. All remained at home. W. & Min spent eve at A.T. Hayden's.

1/24/87 Warm & rainy. I was not very well and did not go outside. W. did chores & harnessed colts.

1/25/87 Fair & mild. Did chores etc. W. hauled load sof wood from woods.

1/26/87 Fair colder windy. Went to Claremont. Settled trustee Acc't of Mrs. E. C. Maynard at probate court. W. hauled 2 loads of wood from woods. Peddler Prince called and left 2 brooms. To settle acc't returned (???) oil bbl. To C.S. Eastman.

1/27/87 Therm 6 below. Fair Still Cold. Went to Windsor. Settled & balanced acc'ts with Fairman & Mullen. W. hauled 2 loads wood from woods.

1/28/87 Warm Thawy Rainy night. Did chores. Packed away fresh beef. W. hauled 1 load wood to E.G. Howard at Windsor & spent eve with Min & Winslow at F.W. Dunsmore's. Mr. Morrison took dinner & repaired clock. Young Bond jumped off evening train at Windsor Bridge and fell on ice below and was killed.

1/29/87 Warm Rainy day. Called at F.W. Dunsmore's. W. did chores & sawed wood & went to Cornish in eve. Settled all debts to this date with F.W. Dunsmore except for Hemlock (???) borrowed of him last Sept. Balance his due \$5.06

1/30/87 Warm Cloudy. All remained at home. I called at Capt Hammond's & at A.T. Hayden's in eve.

1/31/87 Fair. Colder. Did chores & filed saws. W. commenced cutting wood in yard. Min washed.

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February

2/1/87 Fair & cold. Did chores. Went to Windsor with Min in PM. Called at Sam'l Putnam's. W. cut wood in yard. I received of Henry S. Britton for bal of wool as per agreement \$4.00.

2/2/87 Snowy day. At home. W. did chores. Spent eve with Min at H.P. Cross'.

2/3/87 Storm rain & sleet. All remained at home. W. sawed wood in shed.

2/4/87 Fir Co. Went to C. Flat with Mrs. B. Spent night at Mrs. Martindale's. W. went to Windsor Mill. Min went to (???) sociable at John Jones' in eve with Lettie Hayden. N. Harris & wife called. Great RR accident at West Hartford Bridge 2 cars burned & several lives lost.

2/5/87 Fair Called at N. Harris. Came home with Mrs.B. W. sawed wood & went to Windsor Mill. Accident on VT G.C. RR at West Hartford Vt. Some 50 killed, 4 cars & bridge burned.

2/6/87 Fair Cloudy Mild. At home. Did chores. W. went to West Hartford with Winslow to see RR wreck. Mr. & Mrs. A.T. Hayden & Arthur spent night.

2/7/87 Cloudy & cool. Went to Bridgewater with Mrs. B. Spent night at C. H. Bugbee's.

2/8/87 Warm stormy day. Remained at Henry's. Called at Wm. Bugbee's in PM.

2/9/87 Fair colder. Went to Woodstock with Henry. Saw Dix Wheeler concerning Mr. Salger's pension.

2/10/87 Mild & very pleasant. Did chores. Henry went to Shady's after logs. Took supper & spent eve at George Rice's with Henry & family & Mr & Mrs. Wm. Bugbee. Mrs. Catherine Bugbee was there in PM.

2/11/87 Warm Rainy day. Made box trap for Willie Bugbee. Henry went to Dunsmore's mill to repair sled. Mrs. Abby Maynard from Templeton, Mass. & two children, Helen & Elsie came here for a visit.

2/12/87 Warm & Rainy. Remained at Henry's. Mrs. B., N. Harris & children took dinner here.

2/13/87 Fair & cold. Remained at Henry Bugbee's. Rode down to Mr. Robinson's with Henry to see about a sled.

2/14/87 Therm 10 below. Fair colder. Did chores at Henry's. Went to Wm Bugbee's shop in PM. Henry went to Shady's after logs.

2/15/87 Snow & rain. Did chores. Henry repaired sled & went to Village Mill.

2/16/87 Fair & very pleasant. Came home from Bridgewater. Took dinner at Fred Hadby's and called at Mrs. Marcy's. Will, Min & Abby spent eve at A.T. Hayden's. Min, Abby & children called at S. Putnam's & went to Windsor. Abby & Miss Lucy Coy went in prison.

2/17/87 Fair & mild. Went to Windsor. Had Nig shod. Will & Abby went to Claremont. I called at S. Wilder's.

2/18/87 Snowy day. At home. W. went to Windsor & got ticket for Abby Maynard who was going home to Templeton, Mass on acc't of the sickness of her sister. Lucy Morgan came and spent night. W. carried 9 ½ lbs of butter to H. Gilchrist.

2/19/87 Fair. Did chores etc. W. sawed wood in yard. Abby went home on morning train.

2/20/87 Fair. Carried Min to Bridgewater. Spent night at Henry's. W. carried Lucy home.

2/21/87 Snowy AM. Remained at Henry's. Spent night with Mrs. Wise & Henry & family at Wm. C. Bugbee's

2/22/87 Snowy day. At Henry's. Did chores. Carried Min & children to B. village in PM to trade.

2/23/87 Fair & pleasant. Came home with Mrs. B. Dinner at Mrs. Marcy's. Called at Mr. Lamb's & at Windsor.

2/24/87 Very snowy DAY High wind Went to Windsor. Attended audition of school board with Mrs. Tandy at R. Dannetts. W. did chores

2/25/87 Fair cold. Did chores & sawed wood. W. sawed & split wood.

2/26/87 Therm 10 below. Cloudy cold PM snowy. Did chores. Called at Capt. Hammond's. W. did chores and went out to Cornish in eve. I called at Mr. Hart's for mail in eve.

2/27/87 Fair cold & windy. At home. W. broke out highway with team.

2/28/87 Fair cold & windy. Did chores. Helped Mrs. B wash. W. went to Windsor Mill & hauled 2 loads logs to Windsor Mill for S. Wilder..

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March

- 3/1/87** Therm 20 below Fair & very still & cold. Did chores. W. hauled 3 loads logs to Windsor for S. Wilder. Mrs. B. & I spent eve at W.C. Hart's.
- 3/2/87** Fair Mild & thawy. Did chores. W. hauled in 1 load logs for S. Wilder in AM & went to Bridgewater in Pm. Peddler Pierce took dinner.
- 3/3/87** Fair & pleasant. Did chores & went to Windsor.
- 3/4/87** Fair & pleasant. Did chores etc. Mr Hart called and got (???) sleigh to go to Sunapee.
- 3/5/87** Fair A pleasant. Did chores. Went to Windsor. Miss Angell called in eve & took cars for Windsor.
- 3/6/87** Snowy day. At home. Did chores... W. came home from Bridgewater alone.
- 3/7/87** Fair & mild. Did chores & helped Mrs. B. wash. W. went to C.P. Brick's in morn. Broke out highway in AM & went to Windsor & to G. F. Davis' in PM.
- 3/8/87** Fair & very pleasant. Snow very deep. Went to school meeting at Town House at 9 O'clock. Town meeting at 11 O'clock. Went with W. in sleigh. Called at Capt. Hammond's in eve. Henry Ward Beecher died. aged 74 yrs.
- 3/9/87** Fair. Did chores. W. went to Taftsville, to meet Henry & Min. I spent PM & eve at Mr. Lamb's & brought min home.
- 3/10/ 87** Wet, snowy day. Did chores. W. worked some on wood.
- 3/11/87** Cold & windy. Did chores. Called at Mr. Hart's, Mr. Dunsmore's & Mr. Wilder's. W. sawed wood.
- 3/12/87** Fair & pleasant. Did chores & went to Windsor. W. sawed wood.
- 3/13/87** Fair Mild & very pleasant. Went to Union Church with Minnie. W. went over to Cornish in PM. Mrs. S. Putnam & children called in PM. Minnie called at A.T. Hayden's in PM.
- 3/14/87** AM pleasant Eve cold & windy. Went to Tandy's Mill. Churned in PM. W. did chores & sawed wood. Capt. Hammond called. Mr & Mrs. Hart, Etta & her baby, Mr. & Mrs. Dunsmore, Sumner & Ida & baby spent eve.

3/15/87 Cold & windy Took dinner & spent PM at Sam'l Putnam's. W. broke out highway with team in AM & did chores and sawed wood in PM.

3/16/87 Fair & cold. Did chores. W. sawed wood in AM. John Jones & wife , Lucas Jones & Kate Dean took dinner & spent afternoon. Min spent eve at MR. Hart's.

3/17/87 Cloudy Snow at eve. Did clhores. Helped W. saw some wood. Sam'l Davis & a horse dentist from Meriden called.

3/18/87 AM warm& snowy. PM fair. Did chores. W. went to Windsor mill in AM. Spent eve with Mrs. B. Will & Min at A.T. Hayden's being the 12th anniversary of their marriage.

3/19/87 Fair Thawy. Did chores. Went to Windsor & to Tandy's Mill. W. sawed wood in yard. Min went to A.T.Hayden's in morning & helped wash dishes. I called at F.W. Dunsmore's in eve & got a sitting hen. W. went out to Cornish in eve.

3/20/87 Fair & Pleasant. St home. Min went to Claremont Village Church with Holly Putnam and Miss Longcoy(?) Mr. Hart called in eve. Set 1 hen in sheep shed & 1 in small barn (Dunsmore's hen).

3/21/87 Fair & pleasant warm. Sold white fawn cow & calf to Frank Jebry of Claremont & his man took them away in PM. \$42.00. Took calico cow & calf to C.P. Buck in AM \$40.00 R. Bartlett called. W. broke road to sugar lot. Ed White split wood in PM. Min carried Lettie to Claremont & spent night at H.P. Shedd's. Ed White ½ day.

3/22/87 Wet snowy day. Did chores etc. W. worked at sugar house, repaired arch etc. Min came home in PM.

3/23/87 Fair. Did chores. Went to Tandy's Mill. Called at R.Dunsmore's with Min. W. worked on wood. Ed White ½ day. Sp;ent eve with Mrs. B. & Min at F.W. Dunsmore's. Mr. James Hubbard & son called.

3/24/87 Fair & pleasant. Did chores in AM. Went to S.N. Bartlett's with Mrs. B. in PM. Took supper & spent night there. W. worked on wood in AM & went to Claremont & to H.E. Granner's in PM. Ed White ½ day. Set 2 hens in barn cellar.

3/25/87 AM snowy. PM fair & colder. Took dinner & spent PM with Mrs. B. at P.W. Smith's Came home at eve. W. did chores & went to R. Donnett's auction at Ascutneyville. Sumner & Ida spent eve. O.J. Brown's Post Office Block at Claremont burnt during night.

3/26/87 Clear & cold. Did chores. Went to Windsor. Carried Mr. & Mrs. G.W. Davis home at eve. W. Went to Windsor & to Ascutneyville & got tin buckets in Am & went to N. Harris' with Min in PM. Mr. Hart called. A.T. Hayden & Mr. Morse called in eve.

3/27/87 Fair. At home. W. went to Windsor & out to Cornish in PM. Min spent the day with Mrs. G.W. Davis who was sick. Snow drop, white 2 year old heifer calved. (???) (???) heifer calf, raising it.

3/28/87 Cloudy Rainy Did chores, picked over apples & potatoes. W. cleaned & oiled harness in old house.

3/29/87 Cold windy day. Did chores. Carried potatoes, apples & eggs to C.S. Eastman. W. oiled harness & carried 50 buckets to sugar house on hand sled & spent eve at G.W.Davis'. Min spent day with MR.s Davis.

3/30/87 Fair & cold. Min washed. Did chores & picked over apples. W. hauled 50 buckets to sugar house on hand sled & went to Mr. Ray's auction at Windsor. Bought 2 swarms bees. Paid Charley Stone for mowing machine & spent eve with Min at S. Wilder's.

3/31/87 Therm 2 above. Fair & cold. Went to Windsor. W. did chores & took care of bees. Mrs. Chadburn & Grace, Mrs. Dunsmore, Mrs G.W. Davis called. Mr & Mrs. Paddock spent eve.

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April

4/1/87 Mild & pleasant. Went to Claremont, carried 6 bu potatoes to C.S. Eastman. W. wheeled wood in shed, did chores.

4/2/87 Colder Snow squalls. Did chores. W. put in wood in AM. Selectmen A.T. Wellman, C.E. Jackson, & J. Beal took dinner. Charley Paddock & Miss lord called.

4/3/87 Fair. At home. W. & Min called at F.W. Dunsmore's in eve. Mrs. Nettie Putnam and Miss Longcay(?) called.

4/4/87 Warm & very pleasant. Went to Claremont. Carried 6 bu potatoes. W. tapped 150 trees. J. Fowler got set on RR crossing with load & stopped the one O'clock train going North 10 or 15 minutes. Min washed. Ben Hall called Rain in eve.

4/5/87 Fair Cooler. Did chores. Went to Tandy's Mill & to Hiram Bartlett's. W. gathered & boiled sap. Mr. W. B. Hart called. He came from Windsor & returned on cars.

4/6/87 Fair & cold. Did chores etc. W. went to Windsor with sleigh in morn & got in wood in PM.

4/7/87 Fair & cool. Did chores, went to Windsor in PM with Min, carried apples & eggs to F.X. Stone. W. hauled in wood. Min came home on cars in eve.

4/8/87 Fair & pleasant. Cool. Did chores, called at Capt. Hammond's in eve. W. gathered & boiled sap. Lettie Hayden called in PM.

4/9/87 Therm 60 Fair & warm. Did chores & worked about barn. W. went to Windsor in morn, carried 1 ½ gal syrup & laid shingles for B. Wilder through the day. Lettie Hayden called.

4/10/87 Therm 62 Fair & warm. At home. Did chores. W. boiled sap & gathered all day & went out to Cornish in eve. in wagon.

4/11/87 Fair cooler. Min washed. I did chores. Took off storm door & double windows. W. gathered & boiled sap. I churned in eve.

4/12/87 Fair & cool.. Did chores. Went to Windsor. W. tapped more trees. Carried 4 gal syrup to Mr. Kemp at Claremont & 2 gals. To Mrs. Hall at Windsor. Mrs. Caroline King & Charley from Templeton, Mass. Came on cars at Eve. Winslow called. Took off first chickens.

4/13/87 Fair. Did chores. W. boiled sap. Took team to sugar lot. Ed. White called.

4/14/87 Fair & cool Fast Day. Did chores & went to Windsor. Charles King went with me. W boiled sap. Ben Hall & his mother called. Jacob Smith called. Set 2 hens in small barn. One each side of black hen.

4/15/87 Fair. Did chores etc. W. boiled sap & gathered with team. Mrs. G.W. Davis & nephew spent PM & got sugar. Min & Caroline & Charley went to Windsor in AM. Set Black hen in small barn.

4/16/87 Wet snowy day. Did chores. W. gathered & boiled sap.

4/17/87 My 67th Birthday. (???) cow 4 year old calved bull calf. Raising it.

4/18/87 Cloudy Snow in PM. Did chores, black colt sick. Mr. & Mrs. N. Harris visited & spent night. W. sugared off & went to Windsor with Nathan in PM.

4/19/87 Fair. Did chores. N. Harris & wife went home. in PM. Black colt, 2 yrs old (Dame (?) trots) died with Botts. W. gathered sap with team. Min & Caroline & Charley rode down to West Claremont. Mr. & Mrs. A.T. Hayden spent eve.

4/20/87 Fair & pleasant. Did chores. Went to Tandy's Mill. W. oiled sap. Mrs., Caroline King & Charley took cars here in morning for home.

4/21/87 Fair & pleasant. Did chores & went to Tandy's Mill & to Windsor. W. boiled sap all day & all night. Will Chadborn & Minnie Wood were married & moved onto the Hart place. Min went to the serenade in eve.

4/22/87 Fair & pleasant. Did chores & repaired sheep racks. Called at Capt. Hammond's in Eve. Saw Mrs. Webster. W. boiled sap. Mr & Mrs. Sam Read & sister took dinner. W. went to Windsor in eve.

4/23/87 Cloudy Rain in PM & eve. Did chores & took care of young lambs. W. boiled sap & walked to Windsor & to Cornish in eve. Catha Hammond came home. Mary Dannett called. Set hen in 3rd nest in barn cellar.

4/24/87 Fair & pleasant. At home. W. went to sugar house & brought down syrup in pails. Mr. & Mrs. A.T. Hayden, Mr. & Mrs. H.P. Shedd, & F.W. Dunsmore called. W. sugared off in PM. Set hen in North barrel in small barn.

4/25/87 Fair. Did chores, went to Tandy's Mill. Carried carpet rugs & wash to Mrs. Hiram Bartlett. Carried bundle to Mrs. Dannett. W. went to sugar lot, emptied buckets. Wheeled in wood & picked over potatoes.

4/26/87 Am rainy PM fair. Did chores. Called at Darius Smith's & at Mr. Paddock's in PM. W. went to Claremont, carried 10 bu potatoes to Rodney Bartlett. May Dannett called. Set hen in sheep shed.

4/27/87 Fair. Did chores etc. W. gathered sap buckets & carried potatoes etc. to Rodney Bartlett. Mrs. L.C. White came on cars in morn. Mr. White came with team in PM. Took supper & took Mrs. W. Home.

4/28/87 AM fair PM cloudy. Rainy night. Did chores, cleaned out barn for shearing sheep. W. & Min washed buckets. W. sheared 3 sheep & went to Windsor at eve after wool twine. Jacob Smith called. I churned in eve.

4/29/87 Cloudy, showery, warm. Did chores. Tied up wool. W. sheared sheep. Sumner Dunsmore $\frac{3}{4}$ day. Min called at A.T. Haudens.

4/30/87 Fair cooler. Did chores etc. W. finished shearing sheep. Sumner Dunsmore & Clifton $\frac{1}{2}$ day. W. sheared at F.W. Dunsmore's in PM & went out to Cornish in eve. Min called on Mrs. Will. Chadborn. Mrs. Delia Morgan from Clyde, Kansas arrived at her father's in Cornish.

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May

5/1/87 Fair & pleasant. At home. Called at Capt Hammond's in PM. W. went out to Cornish in PM. Mrs. F.W. Dunsmore called.

5/2/87 Fair & warm. Did chores etc. W. Sheared sheep for F.W. Dunsmore. Min washed in AM. Mrs. B. & Min went to Windsor in PM. Leonard Powers called. Set hen in 2nd nest in bay.

5/3/87 Therm 80 Fair & hot. Did chores etc. W. commenced hauling manure, spread manure & harrowed ground above Elms. Albert & Lettie, W. & Min called at Will Chadburn's in eve. Mr. Newell & Frank Gould called. Mr. & Mrs. C.G. White called in PM. Mrs. Weld, Angie, & children called in AM.

5/4/87 Fair Hot. Sowed rye & peas above elms. Hoe strawberries. W. sheared sheep for F.W. Dunsmore 1 day. Mary Dannett called.

5/5/87 Therm 74. Fair & hot. Cleared off garden. Sowed grass seed above elms. W. laid up fence around pasture & plowed in PM. Altered lambs. Turned out part of sheep. Min & Ida went to Windsor in PM. I churned in PM. Ida Dunsmore called.

5/6/87 Cloudy showery. Went to Windsor to Tandy's Mill & to Hiram Bartlett's. Brought home part of carpet. W. plowed in AM & mended fence in PM. Put cattle in pasture.

5/7/87 Cloudy. Did chores. Went to Windsor. W. plowed. Gilbert G. Hilliard from Northfield, Mass. Came on cars in Eve. & spent night. Hiram D. Bartlett died. Aged 69.

5/8/87 Fair & hot. At home. Called at A.T. Hayden's with Mr. Hilliard. Min went to Union Church.

5/9/87 Fair & pleasant. Min washed. Went to C Flat with Mrs. B. & Gilbert Hilliard. Dinner & supper at Mrs. Martindale's. Called at N. Harris'. Came home with Mrs. B. at eve. W. took yearling colts to F.W. Dunsmore's in morn. Plowed corn stubble. Mary Dannett & Miss (???) called. Min & Lettie went to Windsor.

5/10/87 Therm 83 Fair & hot. Did chores in Am & called at G.W. Davis' in PM. Carried Mrs. Fellows to attend the funeral of Hiram D. Bartlett. Called at R. Dannett's. W. plowed & hauled manure.

5/11/87 Fair & hot. Did chores, raked off back yard. W. spread manure & harrowed. Mrs. B. & Min went to Windsor & called at BW. Morgan's.

5/12/87 Cold & windy. Sowed oats West of barn. Went to Windsor in PM. W. spread manure & harrowed. Mrs. Dannett & Mary called at eve. Mrs. B. churned.

5/13/87 Cold, Windy Frost. Sowed grass seed in AM. Went to Claremont with Mr. Hilliard in PM. Called at P.W. Smith's. Frank Harris brought Mr. H. here & took dinner. W. harrowed & rolled out field. Mr. Hilliard spent night.

5/14/87 Fair & cool. Raked on meadow. W. went to Hartland & got hog for G.W. Davis in AM, & hauled up flood wood in PM. Mr. Hilliard spent night.

5/15/85 Fair & warm. Called with Mrs. B. at Capt. Hammond's. W. carried Minnie out to N. Harris' in AM & went out to Cornish in PM. I called at Mr. Smith's in eve.

5/16/85 Fair dry & hot. Went to Tandy's Mill & to Windsor. Raked chips on meadow. W. plowed greensword & hauled manure. Rev. Mr. Downs of Lebanon & Mr. Paddock called. Mr. & Mrs. L.C. White called. Lulu Kemp & lady called.

5/17/87 Fair & hot. Grafted Pine trees. Planted potatoes & peas South of hog house. Raked on meadow. W. mended fence on Jarvis lot in AM & hauled manure in PM. Will Chadborn had Nig one day. Doct. Jarvis called in eve. Opened 2nd bbl flour.

5/18/87 Cloudy & little rain in AM. Carried grist to Tandy's Mill. Wheeled in leaves from road side. W. hauled manure & plowed. Mrs. Gibbs came on cars from Claremont in AM & spent night.

5/19/87 Fair & warm. Did chores. Set out Sage roots & onions. W. hauled manure & plowed greensword East of house. Mrs. B. carried Mrs. Gilbert to S. Wilder's.

5/20/87 Fair & warm. Churned in morn. Went to Windsor & to Tandy's Mill & to Mrs. Hiram Bartlett's. Planted beans in garden. W. hauled & spread manure & plowed greensword.

5/21/87 Fair dry & warm. Planted potatoes & beans in garden. W. finished plowing greensword & hauled manure & went to Windsor & to Cornish in eve..

5/22/87 Fair & warm. At home. Martha & Florence brought Minnie home & took dinner. W. went to Cornish & to Windsor. Lucy Morgan called . Mrs. F.W. Dunsmore called.

5/23/87 Fair. Min washed. Mixed compost & planted in garden. W. hauled manure & went to Windsor in eve. Min called at Mr. Putnam's in eve. Mrs. G.W. Davis & Frank called.

5/24/87 Fair. Went to West Claremont Mill and to the village in AM & harrowed etc. in PM. W. hauled manure, spread & harrowed. Will Chadborn worked ½ day. Ordered shoes at Ed. J. Johnson's to be done in 3 weeks. \$3.75.

5/25/87 Warm showery thunder. Marked cord around sowed beets. Planted evergreen sweet corn. W. harrowed.

5/26/87 Fair & warm. Commenced planting corn. Marked out ground and put out compost. Ed White 1 day. H.S. Britton & C. Hilliard took dinner. Mrs. Dunsmore called. Mr. (???) & Mrs. Salger called in morn.

5/27/87 Showery. Hard hail storm in PM. Finished planting corn. Planted some pole beans etc. In garden. W. went to Jarvis Pasture. Frank Packer called. Mrs. Fellows came & spent night. Minnie & Lettie went up & helped sweep up church/

5/28/87 Rainy day. Emptied leach tub. Repaired wheelbarrow etc. W. brought potatoes out of cellar, filled back & went twice to Windsor. J. Beal called.

5/29/87 Cloudy showery. At home. W. went to Cornish in PM.

5/30/87 AM cloudy PM fair. Decoration day. Marked potato ground etc. in AM. Went to Claremont with Mrs. B. in PM. Heard Mr. Gallagher speak. Took supper at Mrs. Lucy Jones. W. planted potatoes.

5/31/87 Fair. Planted winter squash. W. planted potatoes & plowed RR side & hauled some manure. Min carried Mrs. Fellows to Windsor & to Mrs. Bartlett's & got carpet. Mrs. Minnie Chadborn called. Miss Annie Dean & Miss Alexander & Mr. & Mrs. L.C. White called.

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June

6/1/87 Rainy day. Made soap & weighed off wool. W. cleaned out cellar, went fishing & went to Claremont.

6/2/87 Cloudy. Rain in PM. Finished planting potatoes east of house. Planted beans in garden. W. planted & hauled 1 load manure on RR side & got 2 pigs from G.D. Davis. I churned at noon. Mrs. F.W. Dunsmore called.

6/3/87 Cloudy & some rain. Churned. Planted melons & some squash.

6/4/87 Fair. Min washed. Went to Bridgewater with Mrs. B. Spent night at G.H. Bugbee's. W. carried wool to H.S. Britton and brought Lucy Morgan here to spend several days.

6/5/87 Fair. Remained at Henry's. Jane Brook & friends called here. W., Min, & Lucy at home. Mr. Campbell held first service at Trinity Church.

6/6/87 Fair. At Henry's. Worked in Garden. Em washed. W. went to Claremont Mill, put Nig in Jarvis pasture & went fishing in brook.

6/7/87 Fair. Worked in Henry's garden. Henry worked on road machine. W. planted fodder corn and put ashes on corn west of house. Peddler Merrill spent night. Brown faced heifer, 2 yrs old calved.

6/8/87 Fair. Came home from Bridgewater with Mrs. B. Carried soap in cellar (15 pails). W. worked on highway.

6/9/87 Fair. Dressed 2 pigs & 1 for Winslow. Harrowed ground & com. planting beans. Min & Lucy went to Claremont. W. made flower bed and carried 2 porks to B.F. Thrasher in eve.

6/10/87 Fair. Churned. Finished planting beans on RR. Went to F.W. Dunsmore's & got cultivator. W. went to Windsor with milk. Hauled fencing & mended fence on North line. Lucy spent night at Will Chadborn's.

6/11/87 Fair. Cultivated corn East of house. W. went to Windsor with milk. mended fence on North line & went to Claremont with Lucy in PM.

6/12/87 Fair & warm. At home. W. went with milk. Min & Lucy went to Trinity Church. Mr. & Mrs. H.P. Shedd called.

6/13/87 Fair. Hoed in garden & cultivated corn East of house. W. went with milk & finished mending fence on North line & com. hoing corn. Min went to Windsor & to Tandy's Mill & carried Lucy home.

6/14/87 Fair Cooler. Cultivated corn West of house. W. went with milk, hoed corn & dressed 4 fowl. Mr. & Mrs. L.C. White called. W. spent night at Will Chadborn's.

6/15/87 Fair. Went to Claremont in AM. Hoed in garden. W. went with milk & finished hoing corn East of house.

6/16/87 Fair & hot. Rainy at eve. Finished cultivating West of house. Sowed sweet turnips W. went with milk & com. hoing West of house. Mr. & Mrs. Campbell took supper. W. spent night at Will Chadborn's

6/17/87 Fair & cool.. Churned. Finished planting sweet corn in garden. Cultivated potatoes above old house. W. went with milk & hoed corn West of house. Old Mrs. Hayden spent PM & took supper.

6/18/87 Fair & cooler. Cultivated potatoes, finished planting pole beans & cucumbers. Marked sheep. W. went with milk, got in sheep & finished hoing corn West of house. Will Chadborn got home at eve.

6/19/87 AM fair & PM rainy. AT home. W. went with milk in morn & went out to Cornish in PM & broke buggy. Will Chadborn took away brown faced heifer. 2 yrs old. \$30.00.

6/20/87 Fair. Min washed. Hoed melon yard & hoed in garden. Cultivated RR side. W. went to Windsor & to Tandy's Mill & com. hoing potatoes & took buggy to Mr. Proper to be repaired. Katy mare foaled in pasture last night. Colt died.

6/21/87 Cloudy & some rain. Mowed weeds in calf pasture. Planted potatoes near squashes. Went to Windsor in PM & to Mr. Porter's auction. Called on Dr. Morse. W. moved pigs from barn & hoed potatoes. Mrs. Sam Read took supper.

6/22/87 Cloudy & rainy. Set out cabbages and beets. W. finished hoing potatoes above old house. Min called at A.T. Hayden's & at Will Chadborn's. Mrs. Angell called.

6/23/87 Rainy day. Worked in shop. Filed saws etc. Picked over potatoes & apples. W. cleaned out large barn & went to Windsor & got hogshhead & barrel.

6/24/87 Fair. Put paris green on potatoes in garden. Went to Windsor with Mrs. B. in PM and called at Dr. Morse for treatment. W. mowed above barn & RR. Min & Lettie Hayden went to Bridgewater. Mr. & Mrs. L.C. White & Jessie called.

6/25/87 Fair. Churned in morn. Cultivated corn East of house. W. mowed in road side. Went to Windsor & got buggy. Went to Jarvis pasture. Raked & cocked hay & went to Cornish in eve. Mrs. Holt called & got eggs.

6/26/87 Fair. Went to Union church in PM with Mrs. B. Bishop Niles preached. W. went out to Cornish in PM. Min & Lettie came home from Bridgewater at eve.

6/27/87 Fair. Min washed. Cleaned out privy. Went to Windsor with Mrs. B. in PM & called at Dr. Morse for treatment. Went to Tandy's Mill. W. cultivated corn. Blind peddler Bean called.

6/28/87 Fair. Min cleaned house. Cultivated garden & RR side. Hoed beans. W. hoed corn. Hauled in 2 small loads hay.

6/29/87 Therm 90 Fair & hot. Finished hoing beans. Dressed hog at eve. F. W. Dunsmore dressed small pig here. W. went with milk & hoed corn East of house. Winnie took supper & dressed hog. Will Chadborn was sick.

6/30/87 Therm 95 Fair & hot. Carried 1 pork to G. W. Thurston's. $206 @ .06 = \$12.36$. Went to Tandy's mill, went to G.S. Eastman's at eve. W. hoed corn, got out machine , & mowed 2 hours for Winslow.