A JOURNAL
of
FARMING OPERATIONS
at
KELVEDON.
with
OTHER REMARKABLE INCIDENTS.
1st Month 1856

Carting Hay (commenced yesterday) Mid E. Time M.45

2nd

Finished Carting Hay 3½ Loads Mid E. City

Merritt ran up the Bay. Fine Weather

3rd

Carting manure into the barn. Paddock. Brother John left eating "Lob." Mid S.W. Elec. Fair Weather

Carting manure as yesterday & ploughing in same field

Mid 10, south East Fine Weather

4th

Pullows Horses as yesterday. Washed 150 Horses & Cows.

Horses arrived & brought 1 Ton back. Mid E. Time M.2

Weather as yesterday

5th

Commenced Shearing. Finished Shearing. Stirring with

Shearing the new Paddocks Carting half into

the 18 acres. Mid N.E. Fine Weather. Brother Henry

brought 0.58 Weather from the Grange.

Shearing. Carting Kelp as yesterday. Weather came from

the Blust to be broken up. Mid N.E. Rain. Evening

6th

Shearing. Carting Kelp as yesterday. Stirring as usual

Shearing. Brother Joseph was landed from Illinois.

Stirring and from South East. Afternoon.

7th

Pullows Horses as yesterday. Shearing. Turned 17 cattle

but the Hay fields hold. Mid E. Fine Weather

Shearing. Pullows Horses as yesterday. Turned and
dug out old piles, put 1½ Bills in the Hay Paddocks.

Mid 6½, Time M.2

Shearing. Pullows Horses 20 yesterday. Turned some logs

But about 30 calls on the Hay Fields. Made to 19 logs

8th

Shearing.

Shearing in the 18 acres. Time for Ploughing and

Shearing in the 18 acres. Time for Manuver. Raged

the cattle on this side of picturesque Mill. Day the

Country by "New's Mill" Mid Strong Winds, but Father

Joseph & Uncle Rachel went to the Grange. I went

Mid 1½, Time M.2
1st Month 1856


15th

16th
Commenced reaping the 8 acres. Wind strong. Western. Fine.

17th
Finished the 8 acres. Joseph Mischel returned from Vaughan. Mother & the rest going to school yesterday. Old Friday fell down on Webster's house. Only small boy born was broke at one of Webster's axle. Wind Strong. South West. Fine weather.

18th
Shearing the further side of Archer's flat. Wind light. Variable. Fine weather.

19th
Wind strong. North East. Fine weather. Commodore Wells who came on last day, returned.

20th


22nd
Havingcart. Horse cart returned from the 5 of the Emigrants at Rock Hill, started on leave absence for 3 weeks to run the Harvester. Wind East. Cloudy. Weather. Morning went up the river.

23rd
Having cart. Brother Henry Sellars with the other Emigrants came. Wind Eastern. Fine weather.

24th
Having cart. Left for Rock Run to inspect to get the strangler for shearing. Morning went down.

25th
Wind Eastern. Having run NE. Afternoon, Fine weather.
1st Month 1856

26th

Reaping round this side of the Top Paddock to prepare it for the machines. Went fishing in the morning & caught 15 Flathead. Hatched 130 Sheep. (We catched before) Wind N & Fine Weather


27th

Commenced reaping the top paddock but were stopped by the rain. Heavy & Cold. Home at Wind North East. Rainy.

28th


30th

Reaping as yesterday. Mima's went up the Bay. Wind North East. Fine Weather.

31st


2nd Month 1856

1st

Reaping as yesterday. Grange drag came & brought from Webster's (per steam) 4 bps flour, coffee, pepper, candles &c. Mima's went down the Bay. Wind Southwest. Fine Weather


17th


21st

2nd Month 1856

5th

Reaping in the Top Paddock & Barley Slat
Wind North E. N. C. Cloudy. W.
About 3 P.M. winds cleared away, after which weather
Wind West by N. E. Cloudy.

Reaping, Wind Variable Fine Weather.

6th

Wind Easterly Fine Weather.

7th

Reaping in the Top Paddock. Wind W. N. W. Westerly
Afternoon South East. Weather Fine light Showers at noon.
T. Stayed West to see the Road Clearing between Long
Point & Tigges.

8th

Finished Reaping with the Machine. Wind Light
Easterly Fine Weather.

9th

Reaping machine went to Grange in the Grange Dray.

Horse Carret to transport I brought home; cut
Flour, 10 Gallons Vinegar & a large box for the Tins.
May Hoard a Holiday. Wind North East. Cloudy, Westerly.

11th

(At the Grange assisting with the Reaping from 14½
to 23½) Finished Carting Wheat on second day.
Felled both ends of the Barley round stack both
End of the farm. Quern stack at End. I Commenced
Machining. 28th of Oct. took the Bullock Cart to the
Point to assist Brother George with Wheat Carting.
I Brought back here. Preparing for馬ting stack
Reeling Yarns.

P. Walton Maria. with Emma & Josephine land
from "Regan Railway" 28/3/56
26th Month 1856


27th

Hatching Stacks & Driving turnips. Caught 2400 cod. Wind W. as yesterday.

28th

Hatching Stacks. Morning. Afternoon at the shores of Rocky Hill @ Back Point. The sea on the Back Point came through the new fence (3 ft 6 in) of which about 200 yards were burned. I shot thru the fence & down to the road. Burned about a mile of the middle fence. Net work greater amount coming from west.

Harrow turnips. Burned & drove down the fence. Wind N.N.W. Fine weather.

30th Month 1856

Harrow turnips. About 200 yards more of the middle fence was burned. Wind N.E. Fine weather.

Wind North East. Fine weather.

Harrow turnips. Hot weather. Wind North East.

Harrow 6 sheep dead on the top of Little Borden Hill. Burned to death.


Harrow turnips. Finished Hatching. Old field.

Found 12 sheep on front point. Wind variable Fine.

Harrow turnips. Marked 134 Lambs. Wind East.

Harrow turnips. Wind Easterly. Fine weather.

Sheared 39 sheep.

Harrow turnips. Peas. Peas came from Orange. Jarge cart tipped up, at Linscomb Creek 4 sheep & 2 bullocks. Wind strong N.E.

Weather Cloudy. Marked 16 Lambs. Sheared 57 sheep.

10th

Hoeing turnips. Splitting wood in the opening for apple boxes. Wind Morning N.E. Afternoon S.E. Weather Warm. Lightning Afternoon

Wind S.E. Variable. Rain. i.e. Rain this morning

13th

Carting wood it wearing turnips. Splitting wood for apple boxes. Wind W.S.W. Fine Weather

14th


15th

Finished carting the straw from the stack to the stock yards. Finished hoeing the field at back of barn. It commenced to the 18 boxes. Splitting wood for apple boxes. Wind took the west of the carriage I brought home the bishop board of the fig. Wind W.W. Fine W.

16th


17th

Wind Strong North East. Fine Weather

18th

Hoeing turnips in the 12 boxes. Brought home a white truck. After I commenced hoeing wood for apple boxes, "Duncan Young" went down the bay. Wind Westerly. Showers after noon.

19th

Hoeing turnips. Sawing wood for apple boxes. William Beach met up the bay. Wind W. Clody Weather

20th

21st
Mo. Morning Westerly
Mid Afternoon South East. Fine W.E.

22nd

23rd
Mo. Mid South East. Cloudy Weather.

24th
Mo. Morning. Gathering apples in the morning. Men hoeing

25th

26th
Mo. Morning. Snowing turned. stack with hay grass. The fields having received

27th
Mo. Snowing turned. Starting wood for boxes. Wind E.S.E. Fine Weather. Heavy rain last night

28th
14th Month 1856.

1st

Honing Turnips. Used t. the Shale Point to see the Duncan House. Past with the aid about 5 Clock I landed Father. Mr. H. C. Hoag was on Board. Wind Northern. Fine Weather.

3d


3rd


4th


5th

Honing Turnips. Horse Heart as yesterday. Duncan Hoagery took on Board 7 1/2 Boxes Apples.

5th

Sister Maria T. Rachael are Passing to Iowa. Wind Strong Northernly. Fine Weather. Fully set from.

6th

Fine Weather. Light Shower Morning.


9th

Honing Turnips. Horse Heart as yesterday. Returned from the John River late in the evening. Wind Strong from South West. Fine Weather.

9th

Honing turnips. Carling Wood. Wind N.W. Fine N. W.

11th

Honing turnips. Threw. Throwing Barley. Duncan Hoagery were in the Bay. Wind N.W. Heavy. Cloudy. Dark.

12th


12th

Honing Turnips & Throwing Barley. Sir H. C. Young Ballad "Colk Breakfast. Wind Westerly. Cloudy. W.
4th Month 1856.

13th

Windy Easterly. Fine Weather.

14th

Commenced ploughing up the Potatoes. Ploughed the lawn. Wind Westerly. Showed Evening.

Same as yesterday. Finished the lawn.

15th

Same as yesterday. Wind W esterly. Fine Weather.

16th

Same as yesterday. Solti Rachel not from home.

17th

Same as yesterday. Wind Variable. Commenced raining from Northward in the Evening.

Rain from Southward. Broke heavy came. At noon.

Windy South Ward. Fine Weather. Eclipse of the moon

18th

Gathering Potatoes on the corner hill off her Becker

in the Afternoon. Bought a bale of green

Beans from Duncan Boyle. Wind S.W. Fine Weather.

Francis J. D. cotton. Went to Robert Town to attend

Duncan's funeral. Returned 1st & 2nd Dec. 1856.

19th

Bought a brace of hogs. 36/- Finished gathering Potatoes.

20th

184 old calls came from the range. 30/4/56

5th Month 1856

20th

Finished Ploughing. The 5 acres. Sodding the two

in the Ballock paddock. Stood 18 weeks. Wind

light variable. Light rain in the evening.

2 From sodding trees in the Ballock paddock

2nd The 5 acres with Barley. Joseph took the plough


Windy North East. Cloudy Weather.
Month 1856

5th


Ploughing at Archie's Flat. Milled by Patilson. Between the cow yard and the cattle. Wind N.E. Rain morning.

Ploughing as yesterday. Wind Northly. Weather fine.

Ploughed in the middle field. The ground in the field was wet. Caused some hills off the beach. Rain last night. Wind southerly. Fine weather.

Ploughing at Archie's Flat. Fencing at Lafuelles Bridge. Wind southerly. Fine weather.


12th

Ploughing & Fencing as last week. commenced sowing in Archie's Flat. Wind strong south west.

Ploughed as yesterday. Bullwhock commenced with bullhead the fence at Lafuelles Bridge to stop the sheep from going round the end of the fence.

Wind Variable. Fine Weather.

13th

Bullwhock 

14th

Same as yesterday. Father went in the hay.

15th

Same as yesterday. Father returned from the East.

16th

Grange Cart came with 5 sheep skins & 153 bales. 

17th

5th Month 1856

19th W
Afternoon Wind South East. Rain Evening.

20th W
Ploughing as yesterday. Wind Eastly. Light Rain casting Wood, Afternoon Farrowed 10 Swine to castrate in Ploughing.

21st W
Ploughing as yesterday. Duncan Hogle went to Swansea.
Wind Eastly. Light Shower.

22nd W
Ploughing as yesterday in the morning. Rain Afternoon.
Shower afternoon. Wind Eastly.

23rd W
Ploughing as yesterday. Wind North East. Cloudy W.
Bought Thomas Booth time bonds from Swansea to thresh his wheat on.

24th W
Raining weather. Duncan Hogle called 4 to take 441 sheep sheep.

25th W

26th W
Harry brought the farmer Wullems from Miller's barn. Ploughing in the middle field W.
Bringing wood with the Bullock. Wind Light. Nobody Shower.

27th W
Horses. Ploughing as yesterday. Mended the Post Rail Fence on the further side of the lane.

28th W
Horses as yesterday. Bullock. Ploughing in the middle field.
Am. to Fletchers red dock and R. Moore. Brought a bag of flour, farm sexton, etc. Wind Light Variable.
B. Storm, brought their saddle stuff from home.

29th W
Horses as yesterday. Bullock in Bradfield to Fletchers.


Married as yesterday. Bullock East.签署了协议 for the purchase of a farm. Good harvest.

Washes as yesterday. Bullock East. signed for the purchase of a farm. Good harvest.
6th Month 1856

Windy Easterly. Fine Weather.

2nd


3rd

Windy North East. Fine Weather.


4th

Horses & Bullocks as yesterday. Wind North East. Fine weather.

Horses & Bullocks went to graze for threshing machine. Wick Pastoral. Rainy weather.

5th

Horses & Bullocks past with machine. Broke the pole of the wagon. Broke up the roof of the barn. Wind North East. David Charly. Light Showers. 11 AM.

6th

Windy North East. Showers. 11 AM. Brother cut from Sandepit.

Horses harrowing in the field. Bullocks helping. Afternoon. Dep't took the wagon back to graze with some others to go to town. W. Elliott. Wind Pastoral. Showers. 11 AM.

7th

Bullocks helping. Wind fishing—caught three. Wind light Easterly. Showers morning. Fine after. Brother Francis returned from Sandepit. 11 AM.

8th


9th

Rainy Weather. Wind South East. Helping.

Helping Harrowing work. Wind S.C. Showers. Brother Francis came for DH to meet a young Khemis & borrowed a bag of flour from Brother George.

10th

5th Month 1856

15th

Wet frosty. Heavy sea. Cold weather.

16th

Helping morning. Threshing afterwards. Show on Maria Island. P. Ballantyne & P. Harry went ashore.

17th

18th

Wet frosty. Cold weather.

19th

Same as yesterday.

20th

Same as yesterday. Wind NW. Very cold. Fine weather.

21st

W. Mason returned from byanga.

22nd

Ballants helping. Horses harrowing on Archie's Flat.

23rd


24th

Horses & Ballants helping on Archie's Flat. Ploughed 9 acres. Planted some white turnips for seed. Wind NW. Fine weather.

25th

Horses & Ballants helping as yesterday. Ploughed 10 acres on Archie's Flat. Wind W. Fine weather.

26th

Horses after ploughing in morning. Horses & Ballants ploughing some sand. Wind S. Fine weather.

27th

6½ Month 1856

29½ ½
Mid Night: Friendly Fine Weather

30½ ½
Commenced casting help into Beach Paddock. Ploughing the 4 Acres. Rained the Morning. Machine
Wind North East. Cloudy. Weather

1st Month 1856

1st ¾
Horset Ploughing ½ 4 Acres. Bullock casting help into Beach Paddock. Shaffing wheat.
Wind Westerly. Fine Weather.

2½ ¾
All same as yesterday. C.T. & Rachel went to Ganges. Brother John brought his Bullock Cart. Father
Wheal wheel of the Threshing Machine not very rising. Joseph brought from Francis an eighth cart.
1 bag from 0.180. 20 bags steam. Team with horses. De 20

3½ ¾
Same as yesterday. Morning. Threshing afternoon.
Brother Francis Upped for the night on his way
to Town. Wind Westerly. Weather Fine

4½ ¾
Bullocks as yesterday. Horset ploughing at Beach
Paddock. Duncan Boyle called for 20 Bags of
Wheat for Grading. 4½Q lbs nett. 20 Bags for Comm.
Machinist - 17½ lbs nett. Wind Westerly. Equally De 20

5½ ¾
Bullocks & Horset as yesterday. Wind Strong westerly
2 showers Afternoon

6½ ¾
Mid North West Fine Weather

7½ ¾
Bullocks casting help into the Beach Paddock. Horse Ploughing a James Field Wind Southerly.
Fine Weather. Brother George borrowed the whole of
Bullocks as yesterday. Horseed at 2½ Acres.
Ploughing Morning. Threshing Afternoon. Sowed on
Wheat. Wind SW. Fine Weather.

10th
Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Ploughing at Beach Paddock. Brought home a log for boards for boat. Made a small line for both in the evening. Wind Variable. 


10th


13th
Horses Ploughing at Beach Paddock. Joseph went up to deck. Wind SW. Heavy showers. Afternoon: finished threshing the end of the Barn. 

14th

15th
Horses as yesterday. Bullocks casting Hely. 


16th

21st Ploughing in Beach Paddock morning. commenced S.W.

22nd Morning Ploughing as yesterday. Threshing. Afternoon
Duncairn Flynn loaded 20 bags of empty Apple boxes.

23rd Same as yesterday. Mid to O.C. Brother Thomas brought the Bullocks home. Chaffing & thresh.

24th Same as yesterday. Cleaning Wheat till one o'clock at night.

25th Ploughing in Beach Paddock. S.W.

26th Horse Ploughing in Beach Paddock. Plowed 3 acres.

27th Horse. Ploughing in Beach Paddock. Threshing in Beach Paddock. S.W.

30th Horse as yesterday. Threshing in the Afternoon.

1st Horse as yesterday in the Afternoon. Mid to N.W.

2nd Horse as yesterday in the Afternoon. Mid to N.E.

3rd Horse as yesterday. Threshing morning. Threshing in the afternoon. Mid to N.E.

4th Horse as yesterday. Threshing the whole day.

5th Horse as yesterday. Chaffing & Cleaning Wheat.

Mid to N.W.

6th Horse as yesterday. Chaffing & Cleaning Wheat.

Mid to N.W.
3rd

4th

Horses Ploughing in 18 Acres. Cleaning wheat.

5th

Horses as yesterday. Carting Turnips N.C. Brand Add'l.

6th


7th

Horses as yesterday. Carting Help to Beach Paddock.

8th


9th


10th

Fine Weather. Orange Bullock coach which came yesterday with the small winnowing machine & 21 ship. This returned to play until 10 Bag Potatoes.

11th

ARRAS took at the Office 1 bag sugar.

12th

Wind Light Variable. Fine Weather. Brand 3.00pm.


13th

Horses Ploughing in Beach Paddock. Bulkheads casting Help to same field. Duncan Boyle landed 7 bales of Flour. Wind North West.

Bullocks & Horses as yesterday. Wind to Right (Right Quarter).

Same as yesterday. Wind Southward. "Makins" Paddock by Bay.


14th

8th Month 1856

8th
Horset Finisshed Ploughing. Mother Putty
Planted some Apple Trees in same Field. Putty
Planted in Barn. carted help to headland at
18 Acre. Wind Very Strong Western. Showers

20th
Ploughed the headlands at 18 Acre. Horset
went Ploughing a Middle Field. Father left for
Some. Saw a Swallow. Carting Potatoes as yesterday.
Wind Western. Fair Weather. Pluming trees as yesterday.

30th
Horset Ploughing in Middle Field. fixed the headlands
at 18 Acre. Finished carting Potatoes to Barn.

31st
Brother Henry came from Range. Wind Strong NE. Fine.

9th Month 1856

1st
Horset Ploughing the potato land. Gathered the
Rocky Hill Place 167 bush (Dressed & turned them
Back). I Mitchell was here. Joseph & Rachel returned
from Range. Brother Henry left for Town.
Wind NE as yesterday. Showers

2nd
Horset as yesterday. Gathering at the Fox Place.
Dressed 97 & put them on the Rocky Hill Place.
Wind strong Western. Showers. Afternoon Rain can high
Passed up the Bay 6 P.M.

3rd
Horset as yesterday. Dressed 113 sheep as yesterday.
Wind NE same as yesterday.

Horset finished Ploughing the potato ground. Gathered
the Back front Rund. Wind Western. Fine Weather.
Horset Ploughing in the field at back of Barn.
Now the young sheep & Mother off. 12:40 put them
in the Bullock Padlock to lay. "W. Mitchell" went
up the Bay. Wind South East. Evening Western Morning.
Rain Before Breakfast
9th Month 1856

Horses Ploughing in the Middle field. Tilling Turnips.

Brother Henry Returned from Robert Sear's. Duncan Hooper and I went to the Flat.


Horses Ploughed from the Grange. Much Strong of Wind.

Horses as yesterday. Pleased the Rains. Put the Sheep & Rams out of the Balloch Padock. Put them in the Sheep yards. Derek met me for killing. Put them in the Middle field.

Horses as yesterday. Balloch Ploughing in the Flat. Balloch Returned from Robert Sear's. Wind N.E. Fine W.N.


Horses Finished the 5. Acres I commenced the Flat. Balloch as yesterday. Duncan Hooper went up to the Flat.

Wind Better. Fine Weather. (Carried came for the Adelphe)

Horses & Balloch as yesterday. Wind North East. Fine Weather.

Horses Finished, Rolling Robert Flat to Kill the Rats. Balloch Ploughing in the Top Padock. Wind Better.


Balloch as yesterday. General Cutting of large Scurf. Wind North East. Afternoon & Co. shower at noon.
9th Month 1856.

18th
Bullocks Ploughing in the Top paddock 1 mat.

19th
Bullocks Ploughing 2nd day. Ploughed the field at the back of farm. Evening in the Afternoon. Finished haying turnips.

Wind Variable Fine Weather.


Bullocks as yesterday. Sowed the rest of the Ploughed ground in the paddocks.

Joseph brought home the Plough from Roberts. He has had a new team & plough.

Wind Westerly. Fine Weather.


22nd
Bullocks Ploughing in the field at the back of farm. Broke the beam of a horse Plough. Horse came 1 1/2 hours for Hay. Father & Brother went to the Grange to the Plough. Wind Light Westerly. Fine Weather.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horses returned from Grange.

Duke was old. Wind Westerly. Fine Weather.

Bullocks as yesterday. Sowed about 1 1/4 acres.

Bullocks as yesterday. About 1/2 acre.

Bullocks at yesterday. Harvesting in same field & finished Ploughing. In the Afternoon killed the "White Calf." Wind South East. 2 or 3 showers.

Bullocks as yesterday. Sowed some wheat.

Horses harvesting. Wind South East. Rain. Storm showed.

Finished Wheat Sowing in the field at back of farm. Made a new Beam for the Plough. Made a dinner 11 miles.

Sent 121 1/2 Reaps to Webster 4 1/2 bush. 4 Reaps. Bought two Hay Wages 1 1/2. 2nd Reap 1. 1 1/2 Hrs. & Hay 5 cents. Wind Light West. Fine 25.
10 1/2 Month 1856

Bullocks at & Sip. Y. Edward went Ploughing at Stockby.

Thomas Place. Horse Carting Help off the Beach. A Dolly."  

Horsey in the Middle Field. Killed a Sea Cow. Evening


Bullocks at Mobber's Marsh. Horse Ploughing at Mobber's


Bullocks & Horses as yesterday. Wind in morning.

Afternoon Southly. Washed. Horse & Horse. Aft evening

Bullocks & Horses as yesterday. Killed. Tenker (or 872). A

Mud wet and showers.

Bullocks returned from Mobber's Marsh. Horse as yester.

Sent 1/4 of 'Fisher' to A Graham O. to Leon 0.2 James

Mud wet. Showers. Hunter.

Bullocks carting help to Middle Field. Horses as yester.

Mud Strong Western.

Bullocks & Horses as yesterday. Wind Western & Fine W.

Brothers Francis & Arrived in the evening. Canced.

Passed down the Bay.

Mud East. Fine Weather.

Bullocks carting help to Middle Field. Horses as they

went to the Beach Paddock. Brother Francis & S. C.

returned home. Gathered from in Paddy. A. H. Mud

Western. Fine Weather. New Pig harness used first time.

Bullocks as yesterday. Finished Pilling the Beach Padd.

Mud Southly. Horse Rain in Afternoon. With those

Horses Ploughing in Hethers Paddock. Bullocks


Commenced Plasing the Middle Field. With

Eastern. Fine on second.

Horses Ploughing in Padd.

Horses Plating Palates afterwards. Others got out of 18. A.

Deshaw at 8.15. Hay comes to day.
10½ Month 1856

Winding in the Morning. Raining 18 Hours. Afternoon Michael Beazs hired till Christmas at 10s per week.
Windy Westerly. Fine Weather.

Windy Strong Westerly. Fine Weather. George Macartney be this evening.

Finishing Rotted the 16 Acres. Bullocks Castling manure from Bullock Yard to Middle Field.
Killed "White Eyebrow". Wind Strong Westerly. Fine E.


Bullocks as yesterday. Ploughing in Potatoes to the Morning. Wind NW. Fine Weather.

Brother Finney came & brother went to the Grange with him to see about the Road.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horted & Ploughing in Sketch's Paddock. By this returned from Grange.

Wind Southerly. Finished Planting Potatoes (about 4 Acres). Paddock Castling manure to same field. Beazs working "Woolhouse".

Wind South East. Fine Weather.

Horted Ploughing in the Middle Field. Bullocks as yesterday. Barley along the Middle fence to the Back on.

Wind Westerly. Fine Weather.

10th Month 1866.


11th Month 1866.


2nd Wind North East. Fine Weather.

Bullocks at yesterday. Horse cart went to Grange with a quarter of hay. 4 104 lbs of Graham 4/17 8 lbs 1/2 Webster. 6 Bays of Potatoes, 2 Shells to Grange. Wind E. Rain. Shower. Thaffing work.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horse cart returned from Grange with hay. 1 Sheep from Grange 30 lts. 6 Hogs Pini Board. 6 10 lbs Tobacco from A. Graham. Pleasure Wheat. Baked 60 lts (morning) 1/2 bushel. Father Pliny returned home. Fishing in Morning. Wind Easterly. Fine. Wind East. Fine. Weather.


11th Month 1856

Bullocks at yesterday. Threshing. Wind Westly.

Fine weather


Bullocks casted two loads of hops to middle field. Horse Ploughing a small field. Wind South Westly. Snowed. Immense gales.


Morning South West. Afternoon the strong.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horse at breaking. Rolling.

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in the field. Both of Barrow commenced at the 15 Acre. Paddock. Morning the 5 Acre. Wind Eastly from Paddock.


Duncan Boyle was down the hay. Wind as yesterday.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Ploughing the last Paddock. Rolling & Harrowing in the middle field. Piled morning. Ploughing at Harrowing in the middle field. Piled 5 or 6 loads some flints included. Making half a 5 Acre. Wind Eastly from G. B. to Wind Eastly 200 lbs & A. Graham.


Bullocks casting three used to middle field. Horses Bullocks casting one used to middle field. Horse

Finished rolling the top Paddock (cast college this year) taken some flints from the farm. ½ acre ploughed.

Brought some 5 loads from the bank. Horses finished.


Morning Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Ploughing a

some Field. Afternoon casted 6 loads of hay from 5 Acre. Wind South East. Rain Evening.

20th IV

21st IV

22nd IV

23rd IV
Wind Easterly. Fine Weather.

24th IV
Washed 5 1/2 Sheep. Rams 12. 6c. Bullocks locust. Some Help off the Beach. Duncan's House. Took a board by bags of wheat. 92 Bags Potatoes. 100 Chicks (Elliot). Wind E. as yesterday.

25th IV

26th IV

27th IV

28th IV

29th IV

Father & Tom Bank.
12th Month 1856

30/10/56

Mild southerly. Heavy showers.

11/11/56

Bullocks wanting. The bottom of the orchard to middle field. Father started for the chalk lime with: Acres. Horses Ploughing in Fletcher's Paddock.

2nd 11

Sheep turned 62 sheep out the Rocky Holly. (Hains inc.) Wind light N.W.

3rd 11

Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Dr. Sheep

Mild Northly Fine weather. Duncan Hugh went up to Mr.

Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Ploughing in same field morning, as yesterday. Afternoon finished shearing. 130 sheep turned (altogether 140 sheep) 44 acres.

Put 15 calves onto the S-Slope & started

Bullocks as yesterday. Horses Dr. Sorting Potatoes.

Mild Easterly. Fine weather.

5th 11


6th 11


Windy Easterly Cloudy. Light Shower.

Windy Easterly. two or three showers.

Windy Easterly. Making hay in Archer's flat.

Bullocks Scruffing. Horses Ploughing in Fletcher's Paddock. Dragon's Horn was broken off.

WindyVariable. Cloudy Weather.
12th Month 1856.

Bullock at yesterday. Moving & making Hay in Archer's Flat. Heavy shower at noon. Carted some mowd home. 8th the horse cart after noon with Eastery.


Men Cleaning up the Backyard & Carting the catt into the cow yard, in the morning. Afternoon Mowing & finishing Hay in Archer's Flat. Wind South East. Fine Weather.


13th

Mowing Hay in Archer's Flat in the morning. Grass returned from the Orange, with 6 Bales, maid Grass returned, and 2 packages of bran & some kisten for. Them. Father returned from Herbert town. Wind Variable. Cloudy Weather. Rain & Thunder. Afternoon

14th

Wind Eastery. Fine Weather.

Finished mowing hay in the Flat. Gathered horse for washing. Found some chuky which had been killed by a dog. Wind Eastery. Fine Weather.


17th


18th

Cutting up Scoth Handers as yesterday. Wind S.E. Fine.

Finished rigging the Tobacco gardane. shook at some. It has to dry. Wind Strong Northly. Fine Weather. Weather went to the Orange.
20th

Wheat cutting up. Started hustling. Planted some tobacco in the Shell Point. Brought the sheep out of the Shell Point and then to the Bullock Paddock. Father returned from Grange. Wind Strong. 1.11. raw. Morning.

21st

Mud Easterly. Fine Weather.

commenced shearing the 1st flock. Cutting hay. Michael Bass was discharged. Wind Strong. Variable Fine Weather.

22nd

Shearing Sheep. Cutting hay. Duncan Pope.

23rd

Sheared wool. Went to the point with the sheep. Borrowed a bag of flour from Graham as his plough did not land any. Francis & Connie mother came. Wind Variable Fine Weather.

24th


25th

Finished shearing. Been had a holiday.

Windy Easterly. Fine Weather.

26th

The Bullock Cart went to the Grange with wool to be pressed. Wind Westerly. Hottest weather.

27th

Bullock Cart returned from the Grange. Brought some flour, which came from James Short. Mud S.E. Fine Weather. In the afternoon.


Commenced driving the further End of the Beach Paddock. Wind S.E. Thunder heard. Plaited.

1st Month 1854

Rainied all the morning. Wind Southern.

Make at the ladder.

Nursed early up the Potatoes & Harrowing Turnips

Hay Breaking. Wind Western. Thunder少许. Evening

Hosed as yesterday afternoon. Hay making. St. Ram.

Afternoon. Went to the Daisy. I caught some Ford

Wind Melting. Snow Weather.

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Hoeing Turnips & Carthing up Potatoes. Wind

Small gale. Duncan Hugh split down the hay.

Brought the boat from the gully.

commenced reaping the Barley. Wind Variable. Fine Weather.

Reaping. As yesterday. Weather. 80° F.

finished reaping the Barley. commenced carting

hay from the Beach Paddock. Wind Variable. Not a

Casting Hay. Hoeing Turnips. Wind Western. Fine

Casting Hay. Hoeing Turnips. Slurry (Laverine)


Wind Northerly. Fine Weather. George V margaret lead

finished Carting Hay. Hoeing Turnips. Wind


Cutting up Scotch Heather. Wind Eastern. Rainy

Hoeing Turnips. Made a ladder 15 ft long.

Rachel & Prancy returned from Grange.


Lightning. Wind North East.

Hoeing Turnips. Wind Western. Fine Weather.
18th

Windy East by S.W. Weather

19th

Hoeing Turnips. Mitchell was discharged. Wind Variable Fine Weather

20th

Hoeing Turnips. Wind Variable S.W. Cloudy

21st


22nd

Windy North East. Rain all day

23rd


24th

Rouen broke. Went up the Bay. Weather being

25th

Meeting History. Joseph went to Steenwijk for

26th

Windy Westerly. Showered.

27th

Reading. Matthew Rachele. went to

28th

Windy North West

29th

Hoeing Turnips. Wind. Turning Heathy. R.M. N.E.

30th

Joseph brought two chests of Sea from Arumaa

Petrel House.

31st

Leafed the Raspby. Made a round stack
5 yards a + 11 Laps. Hoeing Turnips

Windy Strong North. Fine Weather

1st

Hoeing Turnips. Wind North West. Showered

2nd

Hoeing Turnips. Rano Morning. Wind South West

3rd

Hoeing Turnips. West Fishing. evening. Wind

4th

Hoeing Turnips. South East. Evening. Fine Weather
2nd Month 1857

1st
Windy South East. Fine Weather.

2nd

3rd
Reaped the 1st Row. Rain the 2nd. Sashed & closed the Entrance.

24th
Rain a few minutes. Strange it was a Month & a half since I had had any Rain.

25th

26th

28th

29th
Commenced Reaping the Beach Paddock.

30th
Windy Eastery. Fine Weather.

31st
Reaping at yesterday. Wind Eastery. Rain in the Morning from South East.

1st
Rainy weather. Wind Eastery.

2nd
Windy South East. Fine Weather.

3rd
Reaping. Finished the Beach Paddock. Homed the 18 Pigs. Wind South East. Fine Weather.

4th

5th
Rain on Mr. Joseph Barrett & Co. May landed from Steamer, who left a Remember of Thursday.

17th
Finishing Reaping the 18 Pigs. Sunny morning. Wind during the Day Eastery. Sunny afternoon.

21st
Windy Easterly. Rainy evening. Wind Easterly.
2nd Month 1857

2nd to 28th inc.

On Second Day 3rd Days were at Long Point Carting Brothe George Round. Sheared 100 Sheep (Eves lamb?) on Third Day Breaking Surveys. Commenced reaping the fields at Back of Round on 5th Day 7th Worked on Seventh Day went Caugh on Seventh Day Began 26th Oct 1st by Flat head. Heath Cane. Store Part of Mount East Off Letteer Mrs. Meeting.

Weariness, induced by excess of labour or above from home must plead an excuse for the irregularities of this journal. But we may hope that when the present busy time is passed the daily entries will be resumed.

3rd Month 1857

Commenced Carting Wheat on Second May Carted all that was reaped on Second Day Made three trips. Joseph Barrett left by the Duncan 39th on second day. Wind East Off Fine Weather.

Went on Second Day with Edward May on the Rocky Hill Gallie 4th Round the Little Hill. Also beating out Cully of Down the Little Hill. Also beating out Cully of Round the Little Hill. Commenced emptying the field Paddock on Fourth Day on Third Paddock on Sixth Day. Brother Produced 6 Cts came on Fifth Day Evening. Fine Weather.

Finished Carting Wheat. (Round East) Fine 15c.

The marginal plate is intended for a bards' summary of the blackguard in 1881 1c. 1st day. 1c. 2nd day. 1c. 3rd day.
3rd Month 1857

15th. commenced threshing & cleaning wheat on second day. threshed the old stack in the SE corner of yard. finished threshing on fifth day. evening.

22nd. wind N.E. fine weather. cloudy.

23rd. rain from South East. cleaning wheat for grinding. shot a rail from stoke at four o'clock.

24th. Duncan Boyle took on board 57 bags of wheat for binding (-16). wind light variable. fine weather.


26th. Harrowing mother's paddock. carting the stubble to yard. sawing wood. brother Francis came last night & took his family home this morning. weather he as yesterday.

27th. Harrowing mother's paddock. sawing at yesterday. thunder in the afternoon. heavy rain at night. wind W. heavy.

28th. riding part of way when it did not rain. wind W. heavy. showers.

29th. wind W. heavy. cloudy. Henry Warriner came.

30th. sawing. commenced thatching the stacks. wind S. East. showed.

31st.

Sawing. thatching stacks. wind West. East.

4th Month 1857

1st. sawing. thatching stacks. brother Henry Warriner returned home. wind South West. fine weather.

2nd. sawing wood for Mayson's hat. thatching stacks.


Wind W. East. fine weather.
4th Month 1857

Kreed Westly Fine Weather

6th

Breaking at Hayman's Hut. Thatching Stack. Brother Joseph went with Brother Olney to Gleneve to assist in threshing. Mother & Father was in Gleneve. Kreed No. 12, yesterday. Sheared 7 Ewes 4 3/5 Mothers.

6th


9th

Working at Hayman's Hut. Grew up geranium seed sate in Terregis County Weather.

10th

Same as yesterday. Wind South East Rain the.

11th

Same as yesterday. Wind South West Rain Slight.

12th

Wind South West Slight Weather.

13th


14th

Sheathing Stack at Hayman's Hut. Father & Hay for the purpose of putting the Ewes in the front Barn. Wind Light Westly Slight Weather.

15th

Gathered all the Apples out of the garden planted there in the school room. Men thatching round. Shower Evening from East south east.

16th


17th

1st Month 1857

18th

Came carting wood. Stopped at Mr. Hatt's. Returned from Grange. Wind West by North. Fine Weather.

24th

Anchored Edward went on an excursion to the Grange assisted by Mr. School. Returned on the 29th.

Horses employed in harrowing the Beach. Peddocks.

Afterwards in stumping the Bed of the horse. Fine Weather.

Took Mr. Meredith's Boat back to Lancashire on the 30th.

Rain in the Morning.

3rd Month 1857

Horses stumping the 18 Aces.

Caused some hemp at Mr. Hatt's to be brought home. Brought a Balloon from Long Point, which came yesterday from Hoylake. 903. Thursday windy north by east.

Horses as yesterday. Mr. Hatt's Chimney commenced plastering. Some strong wind for the cylinder of washing machine.

Wind strong west by north. Showers.

Wind West by North. Fine Weather.

Horses stumping the 18 Aces. Cut some grass for the fallowing yard. Went to swann in the right meeting as usual. Wind West by North. Cold Weather.

Since took the Balloon Cart to the Grange and some shells. Plastering done for Henry. Rotten for Adam.

Bullock Cart returned from Grange with 2 bags of Box soap. Plastered Mr. Wray's Hut. Wind West by North.

Horses 18 Aces. Brought home some grass for fallowing yard. Wind West by North.

Horses as yesterday. Mowd the fallowing yard. Cutting home stubble from 18 Aces. Wind West.
5th Month 1867


Horses finished 
Cows Harrwing the 18 Arces.
Harrowed "Mother's Paddock" Morning.
Afternoon. Commenced Ploughing the further end of the Beach Paddock. Carried some stubble. Brought home some boxes trees for Bullock Drags. Carried home the loss of the white Hornips. Wind S.E. Fresh.

Joseph went to Swamper with the empty Cart. Brought home a Bag of Treen Sugar also the edge from Long Point. Yesterday Father brought from Graham's. A Handbook 1 3/4 Value.

Semi Weather, Light Wind.

Horses Ploughing in the Beach Paddock, cutting from 3rd Ear, completed the rest of the Stubbles from the 18 Arces. Wind N.E. Yesterday.

Horses as yesterday. Making Threshing Machine for Hornip Thresh. Wind S.E. as yesterday.

Same as yesterday. Gave borrowed "Blackey" May not Gather the Root & Black Pussy.

Horses as yesterday. Wind W. Semi Weather.

Horses as yesterday. Saturday will have to get Storm out in the Afternoons. Eddy "Flatty" caught a B. Trumpet. Weather as yesterday.

Horses as yesterday. Sowing. Breaking as Machine.

Wind Light - Feather Semi Weather.

Wind Light - Feather.
3rd Month 1837

18th
Horses Ploughing in Beach Paddock. Command Ploughing up Potatoes. Wind North Fine Weather

19th

20th
Horses Finished ploughing the further end of Beach Paddock & commenced the S. E. Corner of Picking Potatoes. George Borrowed the Halt-Log yesterday to drag loop for the Jetty Road & did so as yesterday. Ynny Evening Cloudy. Wind East Light

21st.
Horses Ploughing to the 4 Acres. Picking Potatoes. Wind East Light Variable Fine Weather

22nd
Horses as yesterday. Rain last night. Showery Morning. Rain all Evening. Wind East Light

23rd
Horses as yesterday. Grubbed in front of Picket. hear'ing the bell-plate of Bann. Wind East Light

24th
Wind South East Fine Weather Cloudy

25th
Picking Potatoes. Horses ploughing to 4 Acres

26th
Same as yesterday. Wind South Light Fine Weather

27th
Same as yesterday. Wind East North West

28th
Same as yesterday. Finished Potatoes. Wind East Light Variable Fine Weather

29th
Same as yesterday. Went Strolling in the Afternoon. Bought 12. 10

31st
Wind Light Variable Fine Weather
1st. Ploughing NW Corner of Hatcher's Paddock. Made a charcoal kiln.


4th. Harvest as yesterday. Picking potatoes. Wind some.

5th. Harvest as yesterday. Brought home a bag for quartering. Father returned from strange. Wind NE as yesterday.

6th. Harvest as yesterday. Brought home a bag for quartering. Wind NE as yesterday.

7th. Fine Weather.


12th. Raining. Wind from west.

Raining as yesterday.

All hands helping. Cut out the negative. Thought some edits & made. Wind NE. Varied wind.
6th Month 1867

14th
Fine Weather. Wind North
Morning: Horses ploughing in
Munger Paddock. Sawing. Father went to town.

15th
Horses ploughing in, ploughing, &tc. Sawing. Wind variable, light, fine weather.

16th
Same as yesterday. Mayon Gathering. Front Kne.

17th
Finished ploughing the NE corner of.
Munger Paddock. Sawing boards.
Wind Easterly. Cloudy.

19th
Strong South Easterly. Rain last night. & to-day.

20th
Same as yesterday.

21st
Wind Southly. Fine Weather.

22nd
Horse ploughing. Wind Westly. Fine Weather.

23rd
Horse. Wind Variable. Fine Weather.

24th
Same as yesterday.

25th
Cattle moved. Wind Westly. Fine Weather.
Father returned from town.

26th
Same as yesterday. Finished threshing machine.
Fine Weather. Nothing particular going on.

27th

28th

29th
Weather at what it was. Horse found a horse.

30th
Raining. Raining potatoes. Wind Eastly.

May 1867

Weather.
the Month 1864

1st. Picked the Potato plot nearest the Bullock Paddock. Carried home (110 bgs) to the boathouse. Tried J.E. Racing.

2nd. Steamer came in and left a huge pine board for Henry. Too tough to take off the potatoes. Sawing boards. Helping. Mud & grass.


4th. Sawing rafters for barn. Helping. Afternoon took off some potatoes of Lawler. Wind light Variable S.W.

5th. Weather same as yesterday.


7th. Ploughing in western Paddock. Moved the horse works to the other end of the back yard. Wind variable.

8th. Horses as yesterday. Making a place to thresh under Julie Welchel. Started separating brown.

9th. Horses as yesterday. Brought home a lot of grain. Quartering. Wind variable.

10th. Horses as yesterday. Finished the shed for the threshing machine. Cloudy, breezy.

11th. Went to the point through home. Windy, rain.

Monrth 1857
Rain in the afternoon from East.
Brought home a log for Quartering. Rain all day. Fruit North East.
Sawing Quartering. Cutting Wood. Fr. Reid & Mr. Pine.
Commenced Threshing. Broke the spindle of the horse wheel, Edward took it to the blacksmith at Cambria to be mended. Fr. Reid VC. as yesterday.
Young the new horse wheel of threshing machine.
Morning. Threshing. Afternoon. Threshing. ?
Duncan took off 110 bushels Potatoes. 6 bags Turnips.
Threshing Wheat. Aiken threshing
Same as yesterday.
Wind North West. Fine weather.
Finished threshing the little rake. Fine.
Cleaning wheat. Fine weather.
Finished cleaning the wheat. Opened the store.
Pits in the morning. Covered them with Signal.
Straw in the evening. Wind? Fine weather.
Threshing the barley stack. Wind light N. Fine W. M.
Threshing & cleaning barley. Fine W. M. Work, They came brought 6 bags flour from Riversdale mill.
Finished (almost) threshing the barley stack. Connecting
Dan broke just as we had almost finished.
Wind light variable N.E. or W.
In consequence of Henry Cotton having broken his collar bone, Mr. Cotton was absent for a month till
12/9/57. Wheat down in the field. Paddock reach paddock
4 acres. in the field at back of farm about acres.
Cape barley next wheat, saved the further end of
reach paddock. In 19th Jan. Cattle home that
stayfence. Helped the ground which was much
by it.
9th Month 1851

Considerable Smell, first seen 4th July. 1859 — all the produce baked up. Same 4th July. 1859. — All the produce pulled. Pulling Mangold leek. Plowing in middle field. Wind strong. Weather strong. Weather.


10th Month 1857

23rd. Finished planting the 5 acres with Potatoes.

24th. Helped the lawn. Wind SW. Fine weather.


26th. Wind South East. Fine weather.

27th. Wind South East. Fine weather.

Horses finished rolling the paddock. Horses finished rolling the

28th. Top paddock. Horses finished rolling the

29th. Help (2 loads on top paddock). There was a

30th. Land in the top paddock. John went to the

Horses finished rolling the top paddock. Rolling on the

00th. Carting manure to top paddock. Rolling wheat.

01st. Fine weather.

02nd. Ploughing in top paddock.

03rd. Called "Humility".

04th. John James took the "Boysies" (4 of the boys) to

05th. Go to the river for the sheep wash, which they did without success. Returned on

06th. 3/1/57. Rain on 21st. Went on 21st. Went.


08th. Brodie took off 09. Rang what. Helping P. M.

09th. Carrying fine weather.

10th. Sawing boards for barn floor. Ploughing in top

11th. Sawing boards behind the farm. Plough in the top

12th. Sawed some greens for the cows. Sawed in the

13th. Helping P. M. Fine weather.

14th. Ploughing morning. Helping afternoon. Sawing

15th. Commenced sawing (twelve) boards in the top

16th. Ploughing morning. Helping afternoon. Sawing


18th. Fine weather.
15th. Wind Western. Equally.
20th. Ploughing & Carrying help. Rollings in the middle field. And hammering in top paddock. Some tourists were in top paddock. Sawing. Made a small arrow. Signed 23 sheep for killing. Wind S. & E. Fine W.
June 1st 1857

Winds Southw. Cloudy
Making the Manure into heaps in the yard, mowing, rolling sheet, carting, half wind & as yesterday at the manure as yesterday. Mowing, cutting, half
Sowing, turned some turnips around the first
Rowed land. Mowed the 10th yesterday. Rain in the night
Ploughing & rolling wheat, carting manure, mowing,
wind strong, burning.
Same as yesterday.

22d. Ploughed corn in front of the place, for Mr. Davis
Bullock cart went to graze with chaff & cart
Sowing, began to plant the potato for Mr. Davis

23d. Bullock cart returned from grazing with 2
Bullocks & cart returned from grazing with 2.
Ploughed the potatoes on the
shell, fruits, caught fowl. Wind moderate, shower.

24th. Wind Southw. Fine weather

25th. Sowing, carting manure from the yard
made up the fence of the corn by the corner
Harrowing potatoes. Wind Southw. Fine weather.

26th. Month 1857

Strong W. C.

27th. Sowing work, hoeing potatoes. Wind

28th. Mott. Wind Southw. showers. Afternoon
Same as yesterday, cleared the manure round the
Stooking & mowing

Sowing, hoeing potatoes, wind Easterly. Threw 1 box

Same as yesterday.

29th. Finished sowing, good for at the yard.
Hoeing potatoes. Wind Southw. Fine weather.

Winds Southw. Fine weather.
19th March 1857.

Morning. The machine to shield the two stacks. Making a
shovel handle at the thirty acres. Paid 26. This weather:

Afternoon. Threshing and a task. Threshing.

Weather: Clear.

Weather: Warm.

Wind: N.W.

Finished: Threshing the stacks. O.K. Story.

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Windy: N.W.

Finished: Threshing the stacks. O.K. Story.

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Finished: Threshing the stacks. O.K. Story.
First Month 1858

1st. Finished Threshing 10 bales. Weather:
Chaffing & Cleaning wheat on 1st. Weather:

2nd. Wind North West, Sunny
Cleaning wheat

3rd. Finished threshing the hay stack. Cleaning wheat

4th. Cleaned out the well. Mother Rachel Joseph 80. Weather

5th. Group for the picnic tomorrow. Weather:


7th. Mended the fence between the 18 Bore & the
Beach Paddock. Cutting wind. Making a place
for Threshing. Baled 10 bags of wheat for battery.

8th. "Owls returned from Grange. Threw them
"Counters" into Windmill. Also the War Horses
for Reaping Machine. Wind: Changeable W. N. E.


10th. Harvest Potatoes. Baled a place & Thresh in


12th. Commenced Threshing (Number over 335)

13th. Wind Variable Fine.

14th. Harvesting. Winds North

15th. Harvesting. Winds Variable

16th. Commenced reaping Barley. Broken Machine
Mended. Hunt & Dr. Henry Charles at noon.

17th. "Tommy" took off 88 or 89. Day pleasant. 10 ft.

18th. Reduced. Afternoon. Wind variable

Winds South East. Shores.

19th. Finished reaping the Barley. Wind Variable

20th. Mow Barley. He Rose was married to Gray
17th

Raked the Wheat in mothers "Paddock" Fine weather

20th

Cutting wood etc. June 20.

24th

Cutting wood to meet the Thatching Paddock

Killing Scotch Thistles in Paddock

25-26th

Made up the gap in the Thatching Paddock fence

which was burnt

Killing Scotch Thistles in Top Paddock

26th

Raid N.E. Fine weather

Wind South East

27th

Fencing as yesterday

Keeping paths round Fletcher's Paddock

Raid North West

Hot.

29th

Burned a 13ft from the top of the Thatching Paddock

Round Fletcher's Paddock 4 to the Thatching were fully

Cut and 1/2 to stop the fire at the bank and

did not succeed. Turned the fence from

the bank and fully to mother's house yard.

F made variable.

3rd

Rain morning from S.E. cutting wood.

4th

Rain from S.E.

5th

Rain till evening cutting wood.

Commence making paths for machinery to morning

keeping in Fletcher's Paddock Afternoon cloudy to Estates

Joseph brought home the knife bar from Robert's

also bolt and plate.

8th

Shearing sheep from the Thatching Hill 10th

Fletcher Paddock 12th

Reaped 1st acres Barlett of Ronan House

Linch Paddock 15th afternoon. West. Easting

Fine weather.
2nd Month 1868.

20th
Keeping to 19th coming. Rain from S. E. on 20th.

21st
Finishing cutting wood 11th Day of 3rd Month.

22nd
Foresting nearly 12th Day following - When James Edward Horah reached several days at Georges. Filing Father Joseph went to Ronce in the " Burgess" on 13th Day. 9th - Borson home

23rd
Making apple boxes and gathering apples

24th
Same day

10th
Koming took off 115 Days Barry 54 Boxes Apple

11th
Hatchery Hatch - burnt a piece of back yard. Same

12th
Felling orchard came home. Wind N. Fine W. Rain

13th
Burnt about 400 yards of front rim fence.

14th
Finished hatchery. Sawing for apple boxes

15th
Wind N.W. Fine. Shot hill burnt

16th
Ran from S.E. Brought home a log

17th
Sawing. Placing at N.W. Corner of Bullock.

18th
Bullock. commenced Ploughing the field

19th
as yesterday. Mixed 2 acres with 80 for hay. Sawing - Bullock Car and 2.40 Boxes. Wind East

20th
Grague with Besants & 40 Boxes. Wind East.

21st
Bullock cart returned home - 3 Bags flour

22nd
120 Pails, five bushels 3 Bags sugar.

23rd
Hot weather. Sawing - Wind E.

24th

25th

26th
Wind East and Fine weather.

27th
Sawing. Sawing. Making boxes. Fencing at corner

28th

31st
Wind N. C. showers
3rd Month 1858.

25th. Ploughing at Back of Barn, hay in Garden.

26th. Sawing tail of piece. Whitening haying at spacious.

27th. Sawing tail as yesterday. Finished sawing for.


29th. Sawed a deal for the new boat. Brought home a

30th. Silver walking for laces. Wind Western. Time 12

1st. Ploughing as yesterday. Commerced the boat

4th. Ploughing as yesterday. Making at boat. Bullock returned

7th. Finished. Ploughing at Back of Barn.

14th. Commed in 1st acre. Wind Strong.

17th. Finished sawing. Whitening the field at Back.

21st. Ploughing as yesterday. Margaret M. Dolla. 10c.

24th. Wind South. Fine weather.
1st March 1858.

Ploughing 4 1/2 Acres. Carting manure to 18 acres for S. E. return 110 boxes apples for Melbourne. Wind S.W. Fine.

6th

Ploughing & Carting manure as yesterday. Wind W. Fine.

1st

Finished Ploughing 115 acres with Barley for S. E. 1 1/2 Acres. Bullock cart went to town & took 400 Cates from Swan. Having 100 home. Wind S.E. Fine.

8th


9th

Bullock Cart returned from town. Bullock Cart went at night.

10th


10th

Horses as yesterday. Bullocks commenced ploughing 1/2 acre. Bullocks manure to each land twice. Wind S.W. Fine. 8 a.m., Fine.

11th

Moved Ploughing in Middle Field. Bullocks to 5th March. Called at Swan to go way to Lancefield with Emigrants.

13th

Horses ploughing in Middle Field. Bullocks carting manure. 4 Ploughing 1 1/2 Acres Fine Weather.

21st

Wind light? Fine.

25th

Bullock cart 5 Cates & took 100 Cates apples from Swan. They came from Swan. The "Iris." Horse Ploughing in Middle Field. Fine.

Fort
20th. Bulkhead East returned from George Brinley bringing
6 Barrels of flour & 3 Barrels of sawdust & 2 Bales of Tobacco from Brandon - Horses as yesterday.

21st. Bulkheads hoisting manures to 18 Acres. Horses as yesterday.


24th. Bulkhead East ploughing middle field. Horses as yesterday.


27th. Horses as yesterday. Sowing a ton (2240 lbs) of hay to T. Webster. Rainy & Windy evening.


5th Month 1858.

Finished the boat freight to Picnic at the Grange on 5th & returned home on 10th. Work employed in carting manure (holf) to 18 acres. Ploughing of 18 acres. Finished ploughing "Mother's Paddock."

11th

Sat 2 tons of Hay to swansea (archer) - east. In 2½ hours.

12th

Sat 2 tons of hay to swansea. commenced ploughing up Potatoes on the farm. Caused in the evening from S.W. Blue lightning & Thunder.

13th

Partly fine wind in morning. Afternoon. Finishing the gap in the fence above the Bullock Paddock. Dr. A.E. Clark.

14th

Measured the line of fence made by Ross. 66½ chains (from thirty acre creek to near edge of thorn fence) intended the fence of the Beach Paddock when burnt.

15th

Fencing between the back of east run & east carting chaff into the stock yards. Thence for S.E.

16th

Southerly weather. Bullocks helping. Horse cart carting chaff into stockyards. Fencing between back of front run and eastern boundary. Thence

17th

Bullocks helping. Horse as yesterday. Wind S.E.

18th

Carting manure to 18 acres. Fencing. Weather dry.

19th

Bullocks Ploughing in 18 acres. Fencing. Weather as yesterday.
3rd Month 1858

21


22nd

Finishing Potatoes on L. M. P. Farm and at work, Finished Ploughing in 10.30 A.M.  P.M.  Fine.  Helping morning.  Fine W.

23rd

Fine Weather.

24th


27th

Raising help 10 to 18 Bens Ploughing it in

28th

Ploughing to 18 Bens.  Cutting help to 6-18.

29th

Raw Morning.  Cutting.  Fine Wind.  W. South

30th

Raw Easterly.  Sowing went on 2d Day.

31st

Fencing between B and W. and Teams.  Cutting.  Fine

W. South.  Wind Easterly.  Fine.

6th Month 1858

1st

Fencing as yesterday.  Fine Weather.

2nd

Fencing.  Horse Cart went to Swann's Point


3rd

Day for appeal against valuation Roll.

Fencing.  Horse making heap of manure in back yard.  Fine W.

4th

Fencing.  Horse as yesterday to.  Fine Weather.

Sewing.  Preparing machine for Threshing.  Horse went with dexter drawing.  Threshers cart through from corner of Archib. Field where he was placed in a night and this here abandoned.  Wind Variable.

W. South.  Fine W.
6th Month 1858

Commenced threshing - the rest of the middle piece of the stack. Wind North west June 8th.

threshed till 10 a.m. afternoon, shaking, made up the rest of the middle piece of the stack with the end piece. Wind West wind. 

Finished Threshing stack - brought home by jem daying for apple boxes. Wind S. Fine.

Horses harrowing 16 Acres - help to plough West Headland of 18 Acres - Horse 4/5 Fine.

Horses as yesterday, Bullocks casting help to 18 Acres. Harrowing (finish) passed the potatoes off Done 23's made 1 tone of the ploughed South East Fine 25th.

Fine Weather.

Brought home Lem. sent to Grange by Bullock.

Cost $4.00 for 4 potatoes & 4 Bales of wheat


Potatoes - in 5 Acres. Ploughing in 16 tons

6th Month 1858

10th

Bullocks ploughing in Top Paddock.

11th

Mow in middle field.

12th

Same as yesterday.

Rain from W. E.

13th

Rainy. Cutting hud. ox.

Heat & Scarceness in the Hurry.

14th

Home some things from the Sandholes.

15th

Mow & Making fence in the creek wind.

16th

Digging Potatoes "3 Bags Bucket 16".

Same as yesterday.

17th

Same as yesterday.

18th

Wind Northern. Rainy Weather.

19th

Digging Potatoes. Started Ploughing in Middle Field.

20th

Digging Potatoes. Soared 3 small acres Wheat in

Middle Field. Horses Harrowing.

21st

Digging Potatoes. Finished Harrowing & went on

ploughing. Made a little walk. Shower at 2pm.

22nd


Horses in middle field. Brought home some Linen.
26th

Finishing digging Potatoes. Pulled up Ploughing in top paddock. Horses Harrowing 5 acres.

27th

Finished sowing middle field. Pulled up yesterday. Rainy.

28th

Court yard &e. Uninjured.

29th

Harrowing middle field. Pulled up in top paddock.

30th

Horses Harrowing middle field & commenced in top paddock. Sowed 3 Bushels oats in top paddock.

31st

Sowed about 1/3 acres wheat in top paddock. Pulled up Ploughing in top paddock. Harvey Cart went to farms for Plough &c. Henry & Lavinia arrived.
1859

1st day - 7th month - Sheaves Sheep - carrying to Westley
from Havens. Hand S.E. - went fine.


a. Finished sheaving all the wheat. Sept. 15th, hayed sheep. 222. Weights.


C. Sheav. Potatoes and carrying them up, with the Yulg. I. Shug. 9th.

S.E., worming wheat. came. Found the new machinery
for wheat, does not work as well as expected. Mobilly from
being assigned with the work. - removing the chaff afterwards.

Hoyed a queen, laid a load of hays in the barn; took the blanket
from Don's side, and setting close to the barn. - so injured them. The barn
seemed loaded, but did not settle. The barn was in poor condition.

5th.


Wm. Young and 1800 eggs for eggs. - to go to Market, and

leaving Potatoes. Hand S.E. - to be delivered and known. Theresa and

6th.

Carried sheep, second order with sheep, all around. The sheep very poor
and not worth caring. With the haying Potatoes. Planted of Moss

Young boys. and clerks. - Another farm. was O. C.

One broken branch to Robert's left hand. - bought back the sheep
kiester. commended. cutting again. - bought 1st black bale, and 3rd
to know off to Steve. Came it will by the. 

July 9th. May will it

Theresa. - to tell and carrying Potatoes. - to Market, lost Theresa.

Potatoes. - to tell and child returned. Theresa and Theresa's children

leaving the home to (3) words over Isabella. - used to

7th.

S.E., from the house. to the night and morning. - to stop, to send

word. - to unknown. - Theresa. - Young boys.

Carrying of 2d Carrying

of Potatoes. Theresa. Theresa walked. returned home.

8th.

First day. Young children from the Granary. Friend's stuff
from Hamer. - Geo. Bostick came - breakers went.

9th.

Part of the day | SHewing Potatoes. - first cutting up. First

Sheaves. Hand S.E.

Sheaving - shearing down. black goods. - weather

225 sheep and Lambs. - located closed towards evening, lamb

Joseph Kline. in all. - to rise and kill some

From weather - long weather. - was haying Potatoes. - Began

haying. - taking the boy together with friend. -

Continued to the gorge with Geo. took up two horn. loud, J. J. Apple

to summer in the supplies. - Horn joined his Brother

James. - boxed and sealed.
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20. First day. The doctor took the app in this morning. The weather was very fine. It began to snow about 8 o'clock but didn't last long. The first word that we received was that one of the negroes had been killed. We had to send all the伤

21. Began to rain in the night. and snowing in the day. We cut off a little in the morning. John James and Edward came from the Sepoys to clean the snow.


23. Boot room. Mrs. Mrs. cut the prose and cutting done. Minutes of ... former. 

24. Morning. BUG Shot up. Afternoon by rain. Mrs. Mrs. returned from the Grove. Morning. Mrs. Mrs. left her. 

25. Mrs. Mary returned from their District Visit. Mrs. Mrs. left for the Grove. Mary was ill. Mrs. they bought some clothes in the morning. 

26. Morning. Mrs. Mrs. was gone. Mrs. Mrs. fell ill. Mrs. Mrs. returned from Grove. Mrs. Mrs. left her. 

27. Firest day. Mrs. Mrs. went out. Mrs. Mrs. went for a walk.

28. Mrs. Mrs. returned. Mrs. Mrs. Mr. Mrs. came with some letters and a E. from home.

The 10th. Mrs. Mrs. went out. Mrs. Mrs. came with some letters and a E. from home.

IREWANG
Tessa Post office
Upper Assam
India

1. Spencer Evans
To Clean Yarn Shells

Cyanide of Potassium is the best cleanser for yarn shells. Remove the exploded cocoons, brush them out on two or three waters. Make them 3 hours in a solution of a lump of Cyanide of Potassium. The egg of a small egg in 2 or 3 quarts of water. Pour off the Cyanide and wash with plenty of water, then dry them thoroughly, standing upright on a shelf in a warm oven, not very hot. The Cyanide solution can be kept covered for future use, adding a little warm water as needed. Note that it is poisonous; keep out of reach of children, cats, and dogs. Keep your face or hands clean.

Mix half a pound of lard, 1 pint of sugar, and half a pint of any melted together over a fire and keep from dunting with a knife.

24 oz rice 1½ salt petre 1 large egg Common salt 1 quart water

Pour boiling over meat previously dressed with salt and water.

24 oz sugar 3 salt ½ salt petre or lye - matter of water for beef 6 salt 2½ fine sugar 3 oz salt petre 3 gallons strong water scald

So and the contents of a circular cuvette. Multiply the square of the diameter in feet by the depth in feet and the product by 1.2967.

This will give the content in gallons within ten thousandths.

An old happener; now the following recipe for tanning shins with the hair on. Take two parts, each of alum and salt and one part saltpetre all well powdered. When the flesh side of the shin has been cleaned of fat and other adhering matter change it freely enough to make it white with the mixture. Fold in the same size piece of the shin. Let it remain for 2 or 3 days. Tie most firmly with

cleaner, and then with soap and water. It should be left in various directions as if it is trying to make itself and feel like

in horses. One tablespoonful each of sugar and alum in one pint of water give every half-hour - if violent the dose at intermission ten minutes.

None felt lead this part of garment, one felt shawls

Expends in losing valuable for setting silver in cuttings.
2 pounds Salt dry it over stove and place all the time. Make it cooked.
Add one ounce to the pound of pulverized salt petrole. Rub the meat thickly with brown sugar. Put the said mixture with a large iron spoon into the meat. Make the other with it. Over give with the last salt. Add meat well. Cook it 24 hours or dry in dry place. Tie it deep. The same uniform size at a time. Væreости 20-30 days long.

3 lbs
1/2 lbs
1 lb

10 to 1 of each partly. Time.
4 1/2 minutes for inch of Sme. fiskel.

132.0
135.0

(For Dublin)

10 to 1 of each.
Ship agent, Melbourne, agent for "Dorson."

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Sydney
Shipped in good order and well conditioned
by Francis Cotton in and upon the good ship
called the "Dove" whereof is master for this
present voyage to Bellinzan and now in Apollo
Bay and bound for Melbourne in Victoria
Port being marked Boxes of Green
Fruits being marked and numbered as in the
margin and are to be delivered in the like good
order and well conditioned at the aforesaid port
of Melbourne. The act of God, fires and all every
other danger and accident of the same nature and
of navigation of whatsoever kind and nature comes
excepted. unto Simon Brothers and Co. or to
their assigns they paying freight for the said
goods at the rate of one
for each
with prudence and care accustomed. In witness
thereof the master of the said ship hath affixed
his name to three Bills of Lading all of this tenor
dated the one of which Bills being accomplished
the others to stand void.

Dated at Swanport
this day of May 1868

[Signature]
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W. G. Holland
Ship agent for "Dove"
Kubian Blatching, P.M. Barcroft & Co. No. 109, Clerkenwell Road, London E.C.

To the trade-supplied: Blake and Goodrich boot and shoe machinery Company, 201 Worship Street, Shoreditch, London.

A. Okecilata "quicksilver".

The 25m. autoclave, complete with 12 drums, $250, f.o.b. each.

N. B. All goods purchased without warranty or credit from Art. 47, St. James's Street, London.
Memo.

From Briscoe & Co. 11,13 & 15, Collins St. East, Melbourne.

To Mr. Charles Davis, Hobart Town.

13th Nov. 1873.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed you will find the completion of invoice No. 123, of which we have made a copy.

Referring to your letter of Nov. 12, 1873, it seems that although an order for the goods was made and the order was not forwarded and our letter of Dec. 24, it arrived to late for the San Francisco Mail of Nov. 10, to admit that we cannot forward the goods out of our stock, we have Remington Shot 12G. in stock with 2 day ship. 180c per box, 1/3400 per case. 1000 for which we would charge you 9.10.0 (our price is 12.10.0) please say whether wanted over the goods by next San Francisco Mail. Check memo in favor of the same and having attention.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

[Address and Signature]
Main Road Act 1889

January 1st 89 Balance from 1888 £54.10.0
April 25th Interest from December £33.10.0
August 9th Interest £33.10.0
September 16th Interest £38.7.8

Balance to deduct £252.18.6

Expenses during 1889
Including balance & £3.18.9 due £1.13.0
Bank Interest

£ 252.18.6
Main BreakBoard Pay Sheet

May 36. 7. 3
June 36. 3. 1
107. 15. 4
£ 107
4 x 2 = 4
3. 3 - 10 = 0

16 + 2 = 18
16 / 8 = 2
16 / 8 = 2
10 + 2 = 12
6 x 15 = 90
3. 6 + 102
216 + 318 = 252
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of the real best in heretofore
five pounds each
Stranex
2-9-89

C. Price

Dear Mr.
The Muri Road Acre Assuming that we have Acre. The usual grant from Treasury 1-30-89, the acre sheets, an overdraft one of £36. 17. 2
Not of course there will be the subsidy for quarter ending Dec 31 Come in & this will remove the order & show a small credit balance provided nothing is spent between now & then
I've stopped work with pay. I have earned up to 3.6.55. Pay from 1/2 year kept resumed. We began on 5.11.55.

They spent on Manfield $15 4 for Rocky Hills $15 5-4 Excluse $7

$19 4 12.4 I suppose. It

I stopped work on 13.7.54.

From 6th month of work until 9.12.57
5 Quarter @12 pesos each = 60.00
Expend in Beak $19 12.4

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Council Chambers, Swansea, January 30th 83

My dear Sir,

I beg herewith to forward you the enclosed circular from the Local and Works Department, for your perusal and information, and to remain

Yours Faithfully,

C. G. Otten

Hon. Road Inspector

[Signature]

[Date]