

Journal for 1878. A.D.

Jan 1st 1878 Tuesday

Went to P.D. McKee with all of the family a meeting I came home attended to business. We got home at 12 o'clock.

Jan 2nd Wednesday

Done chores & found a boat 4000 ft. long. Went to H. Perkins got 5 bushels of wheat. Had the horse out of me. Got 2 quarts of horse feed.

Jan 3rd Thursday

Went to school went to Millersville. Another school of 100. 51 students. The school is in a new building. Went to East House bought a horse. Excepted a good horse and a pair of shoes. Paid a bill at 20. Bought a pair of shoes. Got 4 lb. of butter. Got a pair of shoes. We sold a pair of shoes.

Jan 4th Friday

Went to school. Went to Perkins with a horse. Went to school. Chores and P.D. McKee and wife.

Jan 5th 1878 Saturday

rose at sunrise don chores then went to
Mrs. Rose's to work on sink got it done washed
of to dark got a Boull of water come Home
Received \$1.60 of Mrs. Rose for Alms School
It is applied on Treasur Order for 1876

Jan 6 - Sunday

Don chores went to bank got Boull of
wrote out Post Office Papers at night
no preaching at School House. Cold & Pleasant

Jan 7 Monday

Don chores about Home Settled with
Chesley Boutwell owed him 1 dollar
him sent for the Blade for him.
Received \$1.65 of S. W. Kibler for the Blade
Bowers here in evening with Knicker
I retired at 12 o'clock. cold & windy

Jan 8. Tuesday

Don chores then went to Mrs. Rose's &
fixed their Well tube & spout. got a Boull of
water come Home got back at 3 P.M. Don chores
went to bank got a Boull of water
Settled with Miss Rose to work making sink
& fixing well \$2.50 & filing Hans Saw 10c
to making Pants & vest \$2.00 Balance due 60c

Jan 9th 1878 Wednesday

rose at 5 Don chores. went to Schuyler
with team. Saw N. W. Wells Note for \$400.00
due in five years. took up two Note of
\$227.42. Paid \$1.33 interest on the \$400.00 for day
Drew \$171.²⁵/₁₀₀ from Bank on Wells's man's check
Paid Sumner & True \$15.00 Paid \$15.00 on Note
due the C. F. Robinson bested, Paid \$3.00 to Casey
& West on Subscription on Sun. Paid \$2 for
\$1.25 for window & by 10 Paid 70c for lumber, Paid
60c for Door Lick & rub. Paid 20c for emery
comb. 15c for Hoses in Stable. I. Dennis
got 2 fence Boards. got Home at 8 o'clock
Paid 10c for affidavit on Post Office Papers

C. Boutwell finished ^{on Robinson} ~~the~~ case

Jan 10 Thursday

a.m. Don chores & just a bit
in P.M. Husked Corn & don chores

Jan 11 Friday

Don chores got water at Bowers
then Husked corn P. M. Missy
Helped me Husk two size in P.M.
got stables Don Chores settled at 10
Heber paid 50c for a Tea Pot. & a Pedlar

Jan 12 Saturday

a.m. Don chores then Husked
came it snowed in P.M. Filed Rose's
putty a boat at 2 o'clock

Jan 13th 1878 Sunday
Stode at Home all day. Don
chose. Tricker pretended to Please
at the School House not money
out, weather Pleasant. Helen wrote
Her Brother George at night. retires
at 9.30

Jan 14th Monday
Went to C. O. Bradford got one shoe put on
Dalle. did not ask the Price. then went to Becke
Mille got a quist that I took there on the 3rd
1878 Paid 20¢ for Grinding 2 bushels of Corn. then came
1877 Home got there at 3. PM. then went to Demus got a
Barrell & filled it with water come Home. Received a
Letter from Bill Mosch & Wife the first in a year
Keed Paper till 10.30 then went to Bed.

Jan 15th Tuesday
rise at day light don chose breakfast at 8
then went got Barrell of water at Bowens,
then went to Husking Corn. till noon.
after dinner wrote for the Nebraska farmer. for
J. P. Strong & myselfe sent two dollars in
a letter. Sent for copies of Cincinnati Gazette.
when mail come I paid A. Palmer what was due
the U. S. P. O. I. P. which was \$12.85 for Quarters Dec
then Husked Corn & don chose. retires at 10 O'clock
J. P. Bowens 21¢ 1 stamp & one envelope H.C.

Jan 16th 1878. Wednesday
a.m. took Pig and went to Chamberling
& Boas, got Home at noon then Husked Corn
to a while got water then went to Strong
got a Boas Pig brought it Home put it
in Pen. don chose. went to bed at 9.30

Jan 17th Thursday
Don chose. wrote an order for school
money on County Treasurer sent it
to Babcocks got it signed. by Him
Husked Corn and Don chose &c
Helen had the sick Headache. retires at 10

Jan 18th Friday
Don chose &c then went to Husking
Corn worked all day Meker brought
up Paper I red till 11 O'clock then went to bed.
rains a little at night quite warm.

Jan 19th Saturday
Don chose then Husked 6 rows of
Corn went and got two Barrells of water
got Barrell at Babcocks, very warm
retires at 11.30

Jan 20th Sunday
Don chose &c no meeting went to Demus at
night took to Him an order on Co Treasurer \$32.40 wrote to Gilbert & Jewell
in evening. Don chose retires at 10.30

Jan 21st 1878 Monday
 Arose at day light Don chores got woken
 The Mail came at 10 O'clock stood a
 round & talked till then went in to the
 field to Husking Corn DeForest & Bridges
 helped me Husk 5 rows come to Home
 I looked up Law had Dinner at 3 O'clock
 DeForest staid to Dinner then went out &
 Husked 2 more rows then went to Denise
 with Butter & Eggs for him to take to town
 come Home wrote to A. Andrews & Co. Received first
 number of Neb. Farmer. Retired at 11 O'clock

Jan 22nd 1878 Tuesday
 Don Chores then Husked Corn got
 out 4 ans a half Rose got woken &
 cold at night retired at 10. Paid full
 to Miller \$2.00 on account Paid in full to date

Jan 23rd Wednesday
 Don Chores then Husked Corn
 P. Murry helped me from 9 O'clock
 till sundown. I worked till dusk.
 then don chores &c

Jan 24th Thursday
 Don Chores then Husked Corn
 finished Husking at 3 O'clock in
 evening went to Denise got sugar &c received
 \$10 on School Order from Delinquent Order to Treasury

	10.55
	1.60
10.00	5.35
2.10	2.10
7.50	27.25
3.55	
55	

Jan 25th 1878 Friday
 Don Chores then went to Denise
 to help him ring his Hogs got Dinner then
 staid an hour. then come Home worked on
 Doors closing. sent to Columbus by Murray
 for an Inch rope did not get one.

Jan 26th Saturday
 Don chores then lost & Hung a
 Door in the House the one in the
 Kitchen. Wome & Pleasant. don chores at night

Jan 27th Sunday
 Staid at Home all day don
 chores &c DeForest & family were
 here a visiting. cold at night
 Tucker Preached (not many) out. retired
 at 8 O'clock

Jan 28th Monday
 Don Chores &c took Murrays Pig
 Home. he knowlaged a Mortgage for Frank
 Strong. Rec. 5.00 did not pay He got one
 Bottle of Ink &c. Pear & Gostman got
 an opinion against our Chamber
 for 3.00 & others. The first official business
 Don Chores &c it snowed at night
 Received from P.O. D.P. 1000 cent stamps & 500
 Receipts for the same & do not pay

Jan 29th 1878 Tuesday
Don Chores & Denise & Rents
come thru wrong the Hogs were
got wotted & retired at 10 O'clock

Jan 30th Wednesday
Don Chores then traced a window
frame & put it in the bath room
a foot & 1/2 inch of snow

Jan 31st 1878 ~~Wednesday~~ Thursday
Don Chores & Helped Helen wash
clothes. the Peard cow had a
calf. a bull. Retire

Feb 1st 1878 Friday
Don chores and just about the
House fixed up Doors &c. don chores at
night and putted a bout &c

Feb 2nd Saturday
Don chores in a.m. then cut
weeds till noon then got wotted
took Bowers Sythe home. in P.M.
hung the Greeny Doors & don chores
warme & Pleasant.

Feb 3rd 1878 Sunday
Stade at Home all day don
chores &c. Babeock Preached Mrs.
Bowers was here in P.M. in Evening
wrote a letter to E. E. Johnson.
Retired at 10^o meeting in Evening
Babeock Preached. at School House,

Feb 4th 1878 Monday
Don chores about Home. ~~hung~~
the Greeny Doors. went and got
Satterfields Corn Shells & sheld 6 bushels of
corn. bought a Bottle Caught Mice 50¢
received \$1.50 as costs for C. E. Satterfield. P.
retire at 12.

Feb 5th Tuesday
Don chores in am. then went
to Denises & helped him kill Hogs
stade till 4 P.M. come Home don chores
got wotted. retired at 9 O'clock

Feb 6th Wednesday
Don chores then Helped Helen wash
clothes putted a bout all day
got things ready for Schryler
on the morrow. Retired at 10 O'clock
Denise brought 42 lbs of Pork. He borrowed
He got Salt & bellones. 30¢ due me,

Feb 7th 1878 Thursday

rose at 5 don chores &c started for
Shingles with team & wagon got there at
noon Sold 4 bushels & 35 lbs of wheat for 50c
per bushel \$2.35 Paid \$4.35 for Hoop 35c
at 11c per pound got it of Wm Brown, the
Hoop to be paid for by the Sugar Co. Paid 20c
for Tea & lbs. got home at 5 o'clock don chores
meeting at the school house,

Feb 8th 1878 Friday

Don Chores and first a bout
Home went and got Bowens & the
cut weeds got them to home don chores
at night went to meeting Babcock Preacher

Feb 9th Saturday

a.m. Don Chores then went to Bradford
to get some work don felt it come home
Don chores &c it was cold & windy
retired at 10 o'clock. Babcock Preached &c,

Feb 10 Sunday

Don Chores. staid at Home all day
Tucker Preached not much of a
turn out. Babcock to Preach in evening
cold & pleasant.

Feb 11th 1878 Monday

Don Chores and got weeds to Burn.
got 5 keys and made and a hook mended
at C. C. Bradford's do not know the price
I went to meeting in evening, so did
George & Minnie. retired at 10 o'clock.

Feb 12

Tuesday

Don Chores then went to Hordy's got
Chain come back first and got up the
Dorick. got ready to bore a well.
DeForest worked from 8^{am} till 4 P.M.
in P.M. we board eight feet. sup I staid
at Home in evening. let Mrs. Rose have
1/2 Duree Fooly Cap. 15c charged to this.
Call Babcock brought home my wagon
with one wheel broke. I retired at 10

Feb 13th

Wednesday

Don Chores. then went to Boring
worked from 8^{am} till 4 P.M. A DeForest &
thelpe me got down 35 feet in all,
I don chores at night felt sick
with head ache. George & Minnie went
to meeting at school house

Feb 14th

Thursday

Don Chores then Board on well
DeForest worked from 8 till 5. Chasly Bunk
well worked from 8 till 5 I don chores, retired

Feb 15th 1878 Friday

Don Chous & Board on well
DeForest worked from 7 till 5 P.M.
W^m Bakes worked from 10:30 till
Sun down, we got down 56 feet in all
I don chous Col Babcock got the
Spokes for my wagon wheel,
I retired at 5 P.M.

Feb 16 - Saturday

Don Chous & then went to Boony
on the well DeForest worked from
9 am till sun down. Bontwell worked in
after noon got down 76 feet but the curb
in the sand so stiff it held it up. I let
the Horses out to run they went to
Mrs Hoses & got to all quiet meetings
Still going on I retired at 11:30.

Feb 17th 1878 Sunday

Don Chous & C got ready went to
meeting at the School House Babcock
Preached. I don chous at night,
and stode at Home. all day

Feb 18th Monday

Don Chous & C got ready went to Boony
his Sand Bucket got Home at 3:30 first about the well don chous
at night stode at Home.

Feb 19 Tuesday

A.M. Don Chous at 9 DeForest come
& we went to Pumping out sand DeForest
stode till 4 o'clock we got the curbing
down sand all out 4 feet of water
we took down the Derrick. & C. His wife
was here. I sent for the blade for J. Strong
& one for J. D. Bowers 82, 90. I don chous at night

Feb 20 Wednesday

Don chous then went to Costrights
with Sand Bucket paid him one Dollar for
the use of it. got Home at 3 P.M.
DeForest come & got the Derrick & fixtures
I went to meeting at night at the
school House. Trunks Reached.

Feb 21 Thursday

don chous & C I cleaned out the
Hog Pen, then dug out the Spokes from
Wagon Hub don chous & C I sent to
Schuyler & got 12 feet of Iron $\frac{1}{2}$ Inch in dia
DeForest paid for it 40 C. don chous & C

Feb 22 Friday

A.M. don Chous at 9 o'clock went to DeForest
& helped him Boos a well. come Home
at 4 P.M. I don chous gold & windy

Feb 23 1878 Saturday

Don chowes in a.m. then went to DeForest & helped him Boos on well worked till 4:30 then come Home & don chowes &c. Sent to Collumons got Tea for 25c I sent \$5.00 to go Woods at schuyler to apply on note sent it by C. O. Bradford

Feb 24 Sunday

Stode at Home all day no one here read paper &c the Childron went to meeting in evening I shot up 5 Hogs in pen for the fat.

Feb 25th 1878 Monday

a.m. don chowes & just about till the mail come. at 10^o then went to DeForest's helped him Boos on well got don. I came Home to get tools to work on cusbin went back & and worked till sundown. then come Home. don chowes &c made out paper for D Denise for his Rention. let him Home 3 stamps retired at 11

Feb 26th Tuesday

don chowes then went to DeForest and worked worked on Cusbing got it don come Home. DeForest got 20 feet of Cusbing of me all made to give me Boards in return,

Feb 27th 1878 Wednesday

a.m. don chowes then made wheel for well first all with well. (except plowing) 4 times a round 1/2 aces don chowes retired at 11

Feb 28th Thursday

a.m. Plowed stubble for flay. in P.M. went and helps DeForest get in his Comb got it in. then come Home don chowes &c retired at 10 o'clock. A Bridge come & I settled with him owe him \$8.25 for Stacking & Threshing

March 1st 1878 Friday

a.m. went to DeForest's and helped him Pumpe the sand out of his well got don at noon came Home got water then went to plowing stubble for flay. don chowes at night. Combs chit den. stode here while they were at Collumons all night

March 2nd 1878 Saturday

Don chowes in first about it stormd all day I shuld corn & down a few spots don chowes at night

March 3rd Sunday

Don chowes stode at Home all day Babcock Preachd. I wrote to G. L. Johnson. retired at 9.40

March 4th 1878 Monday

a.m. Don Chores & just a best like
The Mail come at 10. distributed it. then
gave Chamberlain my assessment ~~for~~
\$133.00 Reasonable in P.M. fixed Paper for
I Denise. 25¢ then finished putting the
wagon Wheel together. in evening
read till 11 O'clock. let J. I. Bowser have the
Blade for one year \$1.65 Bowser took the
Corn sheller Home with him

March 5th Tuesday

in a.m. Don Chores fixed wagon wheel
then went to plowing after the mail
Post went to plowing again at night
Brent a fire broke & don chores
very pleasant day.

March 6th Wednesday

don chores got ready went to Schuyler
with team took 12 doz Eggs & 27 lbs Butter
at 10c Bought Horse of Jim Hesse at \$105.
Paid him (57) five dollars and a pay
25 more in 20 days. gave note for \$75.00
due in 6 months at 12 per cent Paid of Bussey
& Co \$5 on note. Repd 15c. got Home at 5:30
Bought the Robinson farm for \$500.00 on
5 years time at 8% Casals Bond & Co

March 7th 1878 Thursday

Don Chores & then went to J. Cooks
sat up the Derrick & tried to pull out
his well casing. could not come Home
at 10 in P.M. Plowed near the House
with Bill & Son to try the Horse.
worked all right retired at 10 O'clock

March 8th 1878 Friday

Don chores at 9 O'clock went
to Mrs Cooks and helped him
to get out his well casing
worked till sun down. then come
Home don chores & took Surge &
Minnie to Musseys. Mrs. Mussey come
and stode all night Helen not
feeling well but not sick.

March 9th Saturday

Don chores & then went to plow
with the mares let P. Mussey hold
Bill Horse to go and find him a
Horse. I plowed all day for J. I.
Mussey had the Horse 3/4 of a day. at 50c

March 10th Sunday

Stode at Home all day. Preached
at Home. no acts of love
& put in to a cop Minnie went to De Jores & Co

March 11th 1878 Monday

A.M. went to DeFausst's got 5 Pys
of Grass Seed got the fanning mill.
and rod of Iron in P.M. went to
Mrs Business Shop got Plow sharpened
3 Clovises made all cost 50¢ paid 40¢

George went with me got Home at dusk
Don chow read Paper till 11 then went to
Kecima \$20. on School Order
of St. Chamblain

March 12 Tuesday

Sowed Wheat on old ground
sowed 8 acres George dragged it in
Paid \$20. to Adalbit Palmer on Horse
Bought of Hughesides; Don chow &c
retired at 8.30.

March 13 Wednesday

Crossed dragged the 8 acres of wheat
at evening went to Cooks got this
Corn Plow Cal Babcock got fanning
mill to clean wheat with

March 14th Thursday

Sowed Wheat in Corn stalks
& Plowed it in Corn Plow
Don chow retired at 8.30.

all well at home

Sec 15 Burned over I fought fire 2 hours

March 15th 1878 Friday

Don chow then sowed wheat
George dragged with team. Don chow
at night Sec 17 Burned off a big fire

March 16 Saturday

Don chow &c then sowed wheat
in stalks & Plowed it in Corn Plow
finished the 20 acres of Grass Wheat
worked till after dark got chow in
at 9 o'clock

March 17 Sunday

Stade at Home all day
Babcock Preached before folks
Here in P.M. Cook & wife edid a whole
the children went to meeting
in evening. weather warm & dry

March 18 Monday

Sold wheat in stalks finished
sowing. George dragged I finished last thing
mole post at 10 den by Huse

Don chow at night read Papers

March 19 Tuesday

Sowed wheat sowed 5 acres on old ground
George dragged in am I in P.M. Don chow at night
mole post at 2 P.M.

March 20th Wednesday

Don chous I sowed Oats on sec 17
George finished dragging stork ground
Helen Sick at night went and got
Mrs Demise & Mrs Babcock the Children
& Demises. Left Home at 8:30 P.M.
Took Mrs Babcock Home Mrs Demise staid
all night

March 21st Thursday

Don Chous sowed Oats on sec 17
Took Cooks Corn Plow Home got
Potatoes out of Pit Demise got Box &
Smoke meat in. Don chous at night
weather fine wind north.

March 22nd Friday

Don Chous sowed 4 bushels of oats
on sec 17th got Demises Corn Plow
put them in George dragged some soil
Don chous at night Helen & completed

March 23rd Saturday

Sowed Oats on sec 17 finished 7
acres George dragged. Don chous at night
worked in House some.

March 24th Sunday

Don Chous staid at Home all day
Conrad & wife. hue Cook & wife cold. Mrs Conrad
got suppy. I retired at 11:30.

March 25th 1878 Monday

Don chous put up 12 sacks of
wheat loaded up. after the market
came went to Schnepf. sold wheat
at 32c 27 bushels 5 lbs. 32c, 20 went to land
office bought South west 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Sec 17
Town 15 Range 2 East Paid 320. got Corn
Plow at Browns \$28. to be Paid the first
day of Nov next. ^{with interest of 12 percent} traded a little then
came Home got Home at 8:30 Dined
& wife here. don chous and then went
to bed

March 26th 1878 Tuesday

Don chous then washed
cloths worked all day at it.
somed a little at night
retired at 10 P.M.

March 27th Wednesday

it rained the most of the day
I don chous and just about Home

March 28th Thursday

Helen up about
House
A.M. don chous about Home
P.M. went to De Forests got 13 bushels
& 7 lbs of wheat come Home sowed 6 lbs
George dragged on Horses am to return
wheat to De Forests some lbs retied at 10

March 29 Friday

Sowed wheat finished George
Dreger at sundown in P.M. a bout 4 hrs
- don chous &c retired at 10 O'clock

March 30 Saturday

Don chous then sowed 5 acres
of Grass Seed in the Key Don
chous &c

March 31 Sunday

Don chous & stock at home
in P.M. Stock to go up to
Chamberlains, but met them on
the road come home Don chous
Minnie went to meeting Babcock
preached retired at 9:30

April 1st Monday

Don chous a bout House and
attended to the Noble Gorge draged in
P.M. went to Bridges got a part of a Harness that
belonged to Babcock made a whiffleten got
ready for plowing with 3 Horses

Don chous at Night went to School
meeting at the School House. Deince
elected as Treasurer for 3 years voted 60 min
retired at 11 O'clock

April 2 1878 Tuesday

Don chous &c finished draging
in Wheat in a.m. in P.M. got out
Potatoes & attended to the mail. Paid
Trond metase \$8.60 the amount due
the U.S. Post Office department. then
I Plowed a little on sec 17. Don chous &c

April 3rd Wednesday

Don chous and Plowed on sec
-17 with 3 Horses weather fine

April 4 Thursday

Don chous &c then Plowed on
Sec 17 with 3 Horses washed all
day &eln up and a bout the House
& Bridges bought some 5 sacks of wheat

April 5 Friday

a.m. Plowed on sec 17 for oats,
in P.M. went to Babcocks got 8 bushels
of Oats to sow. a.m. to for market
five sound & Bushels and George
draged I finished them at sundown
don chous &c quite cold

April 6th 1878 Saturday

Don Chous took 4 Hogs went to Schuyler. Sold them for 24.00 per pound weight 5.80 lbs come to 24.00 Paid for string \$6.00 for his Blue Pig \$81.00 for Horse collar. Paid \$3.20 for lumber paid \$2 for day good at Perkins. Paid 25c for mail 15c for stable 15c for beverage. got home at 9.30

April 7 Sunday

Don chous & I got ready went to meeting. Tucker Reached after meeting come home sleep in evening. first out Post Office papers return at 12.

April 8th Monday

Don chous and Plowd on Sec 17 with 3 Horses. weather warm and fine

April 9 Tuesday

Don chous & I in p.m. took Hog. Dennis helped me. It snowed & blowed hard the worst storm of the Spring no mail.

April 10 Wednesday

Just a boat cut up the Hog and chous a boat two Sows & 13 Pigs lost 2 more just Easter

April 11 1878 Thursday

Don Chous then plowd on Sec 17 with 3 Horses. Packed the Post in a Boxell. Don chous at night Topsy & Old Boss - both had colic Topsy a Heef

April 12th Friday

Don chous & Plowd on Sec 17 with 3 Horses.

April 13th Saturday

in AM. just a boat House to Sunday to work. in p.m. Plowd on Sec 17 for cold and windy

April 14th Sunday

Don chous and I stay at Home all day. Bobcock Reached at weather cold & windy North East

April 15 Monday

Don chous took 5 Sacks of feed to Beckus mill then went to Schuyler to see M.B. Hovey our attorney. the rest of the Community did not come. got a teakettle & Buster Bolt at Bronons \$1.75 Rope at Summers & June. 70c got Home at 8.30 Dutchus Had a Calf return at 10 o'clock

April 16th 1878 Tuesday

Don chases & finished plowing on
See 17. in PM. Plowed on farmstead & pen chases

April 17 Wednesday

went to Schnyler took 6 Bush x 40 lbs
of wheat got 88¢ met all the community
arranged our business got a bill of
goods at Conroy & Co. \$5.35 got home
at 10 o'clock Don chases returns at 11½

April 18 Thursday

Don chases & ~~sowed~~ a strip of
Barley. George drags it in. Plowed
a strip by the house & planted potatoes
The community met at our house
for final arrangements Don chases &

April 19 Friday

Don chases. A.M. Sowed 3 bushels
of Barley made a Hog pen & don
chases let Ben read from the bushels of Potatoes

April 20 Saturday

Don chases shot up 6 Hogs, plowed
the Garden dragged it & mowed it then
burnt 5 acres on the Robinson Place
got my quilt from the mill by C. Bontwell
paid 75¢ paid, Co,

April 21 1878 Sunday

Don chases then went to
Meeting at School House Tucker
Preached. and was dismissed. Reilly &
Wife at our house a visiting.
DeFussert come & got the Peales.

April 22 Monday

Don chases then went to
Snyder ½ miles S.E. of David City, Boone
Co. went through Schnyler. Babcock
went on as far as Puckinies got down
< there, went to see about getting
witness in the Sees Suit
Saw Mrs. Woolley as one of witness
Bontwell milked for me

April 23 Tuesday

Come home from Snyder
stopped at Earharts got dinner
come through Schnyler. Home
got 2 Peales at Browns \$1.50 got home
at dusk don chases. Rev Babcock
with me. C. Bontwell plowed
on Free patch. Helen attended
to us.

April 24th 1888 Wednesday
Don chases & Plow on sec 20
finished plow for brass
Miss Blust come to get the
school fund his

April 25th ~~Thursday~~ ^{april 24 - Wednesday}
Don chases & dragged
Went to Ed. Mestons got two
then made a coffin for K. Lepp
Childs went in P.M. buried
his Klepple paid me 150 for making
Box &c retired at 10 o'clock

April 25th Thursday
Don chases the Plow on
on sec 20 finished the 5
acres Boutwell helped me
Miss Blust came & got the
school \$28.00 payment don chases
retired at 10

April 26th Friday
Don chases went to Dennis,
showered 3 bushels of Flax seed
let Boutwell have 3 bushels
& 4 bbs got 3 sacks of wheat
I dragged on Lee ground in P.M.

April 27th Saturday
Don chases then finished
dragging then worked at one
way don chases retired at 10 1/2

April 28th Sunday
Don chases let Babcock
cut my hair out. Stayed
at home all day K. P. Lee
& wife here on a visit
retired at 11

April 29th Monday
finished making for trees
on Sec 20. then got Dennis Plow
& plowed sweet corn & yankey corn
George dragged on Sec 17
Don chases &c

April 30th Tuesday
Don chases &c
then Plowed corn on Sec 20
George dragged on Sec 17

May 1st 1888 Wednesday
Plowed the garden & worked it
out for Potatoes. hired Jacob Hession
for half month, at \$18 per month don
chases & retired at 10

May 2nd Thursday

I Planted Potatoes & Sagrass
Jacob commenced to work by the
month. I draged & soled the ground
in P.M. yoke Planted tree seeds on sec 17.
I unced Corn ground on sec 17.

May 3rd Friday

I marked Corn ground on sec 17
in P.M. yoke Planted tree seeds on
sec 20. I went to Murreys & got
a bushel of seed corn.
in P.M. Plowed for corn on Homestead
Ten chores &c.

May 4th Saturday

went to Conrad's got 4 stone
Corn Plank fixed things went
to planting at 10 o'clock Bontave
helped with team till 4 P.M.
yoke helped Bontave plant corn
I commenced to dig Selby.

May 5 Sunday

Staid at Home till 5 P.M.
then went to yoke's Stearns to
see about the Sees Suit
let De Seesest Home 13 bushels of
wheat, that I used for...

May 6th 1878 Monday

went to Schryber took L. K. Water
& R. D. Mcker went on Sees snotties
Paid L. K. Water \$15.00 to go to Omaha
Paid M. B. Lanyon \$25. as fee on
Sees Suit Sold 4 bushels & 1/4 of
wheat at 50c got Home at dusk
yoke dug in the cellar.

May 7 Tuesday

Plowed for corn on Homestead
yoke dug in the cellar ^{P.M.} Helen went
to Cooks & helped her sew, with M. P. Lanyon

May 8 Wednesday

draged & marked Corn ground
in P.M. yoke Planted corn. Planted
the yonkey Corn & Bridges Plowed
in P.M. Paid him one Dollar, plowed
for play. Cook went to Schryber
on the Sees Suit I paid the bill
1 Dollars at P. Logg

May 9th Thursday

I Plowed for play Bridges helped me
all day \$2.00 is the price. as seed ^{at 3.00}
yoke dug in the cellar ^{at 1.00}

May 10th 1878 Friday
Plowed & dug in the cellar
don chases & c. yoke dug in cellar

May 11 Saturday
I finished plowing flax
Bran in A.M. in P.M. dragged flax gone
yoke dug in cellar don chases & c.

May 12 Sunday
don chases & c. Put my
yeastings in Ropes Heerd.
Miss Blunt come to commey
the school on the morn.

May 13 Monday
A.M. fixed things at the
School House school commey
yoke dragged. in P.M. I sowed
flax don chases & c.

May 14 Tuesday
I sowed flax yoke dragged
went to Cooks got 1/2 bushel
of flax seed. 50c

May 15th 1878 Wednesday
I dragged flax in A.M. yoke
dng in cellar. in P.M. it sowed
40 dng in P.M. it sowed
yoke sowed the Rye over
& c. & c. Paid yoke 2, 00 in cash

May 16 Thursday
dng in the cellar finished
dragging yokes time out
cold & windy

May 17 Friday
don chases & Rotted a
bout Home. yoke went to
Ed Notters.

May 18 Saturday
don chases & Rotted a
bout Home it sowed
some.

May 19 Sunday
Stode at Home all day
don chases & c.
the Methodis Orgonized
Sunday school.
no Preaching.

May 20 Monday

Went to Mill then to
Schuyler. Paid Hus \$5.00
bottle on Hus. got \$20.00 out
of the Bank. got a barrel of
Salt 2.75 Tins & knives & fasts
\$3.40 Paid Brown & Co. on stamps
Paid \$5.90 for Shingles & boards
got Home at 8 Done chores

May 21 Tuesday

I fixed things a bout
House cleaned out the
Stove & put the stove out
there I Bort well brought
up my quilt from the mill

May 22 Wednesday

I Don chores. & fast with
the belly fixed it for milk
thunder storm at night

May 23 Thursday

7 a.m. took team went to Denison
got a load of Hay. O. F. Brown
here to dinner. I put Doll & Han to
his horse. in P.M. fixed the milk rack
don chores at night.

May 24 1878 Friday

Don chores then plowed 11 acres
of Corn. on Sec 17. Don Chores at night

May 25 Saturday

Don chores in morning then plowed
in the timber for Pumpkins & vines

May 26 Sunday

Don chores then went to the
School House to meeting Babcock
Preached a big turnout. They Organized
a Sunday School. Stode at Home the
rest of the day Hatcher & wife here
a visiting. don chores at night.

May 27 Monday

Plowed & Draged the ground for
Pumpkins. then moked it out.
then plowed a part of the School House
lot. Don chores. & retired at 10, Col.

May 28 Tuesday

a m Don chores it rained I wrote
in P.M. put tra a bout at lard
the mole

May 29 1878 Wednesday
finished plowing the school
house lot then mowed it out
then don chores &c

May 30 Thursday
Plowed corn on school house
sight. replanted corn on see co

May 31 Friday
Planted Pumpkins & Squash corn
and don chores it rained in P.M.

June 1st 1878 Saturday
Don chores, planted potatoes
and fust a bout

June 2nd Sunday
Don chores then went to
Sunday school at the school house
The Methodists had their first school

June 3rd Monday
Don chores & Rotted a bout
house. Plowed the potatoes,

June 4 1878 Tuesday
Don chores &c. Got the boy taken
sick. got Mrs. Perry from

June 5th Wednesday
Don chores &c then went and
got Miss Perry to come & attend
to the Baby. Don

June 6 Thursday
Don chores & and Rotted a bout
Baby

June 7th Friday
Don chores &c in P.M. Plowed Corn
at on the Robinson Place. Don chores at
night the Baby very sick

June 8th Saturday
Don chores then went to Schuyler
it earned all the way there and
back got 300 lbs of coal. Gorge a
sunt of cloth \$6.50 at Simmes & co.
paid \$5.00 to Simmes & co. got medicine
to the amount of \$1.00 at Holladay.
got home at 7 o'clock Don chores &c

June 9th Sunday
Don chores went to Sunday
school. The Peoples school.
Miss Perry here. baby better
bland sick.

June 10 Monday
Plowed Corn & Potatoes the corn
in the Garden Don chews &c.
Mrs Perry here at tending the Baby

June 11 Tuesday
Don chews then went to
Columbus with Moku & Kille
& attend to the Obe Senese matter
got a new Bible \$7 or traded \$7 or
more at Hills. Traded \$3.00 at a
dry goods store for cash. at Hills Stanton

June 12 Wednesday
Don chews just about it
rained in P.M. had a little in
garden &c don chews at night

June 13 Thursday
Don chews it rained so
there was not much to be done
housed in the Garden some
Mrs Perry here attending Bay getting
better. Clard sick

June 14 Friday
Don chews & putted a boat
House it rained nearly all day
Jo Berret come & got Mrs Perry. & got the

June 15 1878 Saturday
Don chews then plowed some
for fire breaker. Had a big time with
Doll. Don chews at night.
The children getting better.

June 16 Sunday
Don chews then went to
Mrs Cooks He was sick had 3 hours
then come home got team went
and took Mrs Perry home to F.R. Roberts

June 17 Monday
Don chews &c then went to
Plow Corn on Sec 17. Clard got
sick with Hooping cough.

June 18 Tuesday
Don chews in am then to
went to Mrs Cooks got a bottle
of water for them then went
to Mrs Howes to get Ide was to get at
night. in P.M. Plowed Corn on sec 17
Clard quite sick. sing at school
went out in this book used
at 12 O'clock

June 19th 1878 Wednesday

Account of Butter Sold during 1878

Feb 7	at Summers & Trues	5 1/2 lbs	100	00	85 c
March 6	at Summers & Trues	2 1/2 lbs	100	2	75
April 17	at J. C. Curry	5 1/2			66

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Aug 5.35
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12.30
8.84
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Amount cancelled 1474
P.M. amount 884
\$31.37

Amount United States 3.40
In the P.M. 8.84
Amount Sold 12.30