

## 1922 Diary of Nellie Irene (Bates) Thomas (1861-1948)

This book belongs to  
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In case of accident notify  
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[Note: R. C. Thomas was Roy Cresswell Thomas, son of Nellie Thomas]

People: [Date of the first listing. There may be others.]

This diary includes: Jesse aka J. L. Roat and wife Katharine "Kate" (Thomas) Roat and their children: Marguerite aka M., Geraldine aka Gerry aka Jerry aka Jeri, Katharine aka Kitty aka Kitten, Eleanor, Betty aka Bettie, and Bob aka Bobs.

Jan 1 - Frank, Amy and children - Probably refers to Frank and Amy Frost and their three daughters, Eloise, Carolyn, and Marjorie, friends of Jesse & Kate Roat.  
Jan 1 - Mrs. Thayer - unknown person  
Jan 7 - Mrs. Seth Reed - unknown person  
Jan 8 - "Went home with May to dinner and saw Jr. and Beth, both have grown. Breaks my heart to know John is gone." This refers to her son John William Thomas who died in 1918. His wife was Maybelle (Cook) Thomas, and their living children were John William Jr. and Bethany Frances. Maybelle remarried Everett Clapp in 1920.  
Jan 15 - Roy and Celia refers to Nellie's son and daughter-in-law. "Boys" refers to their twin sons William "Billy" and John "Jack" Thomas.  
Jan 15 - Carl - unknown person.  
Jan 26 - Grandpa R. refers to Levi Havilla Roat, the father of Jesse Roat  
Jan 28 - Sis - unknown person.  
Jan 30 - Cousin Lois - This might refer to Lois Arvilla Peek the wife of Franklin Davis. Lois was the daughter of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg. The siblings of Lois were: Martha Peek Shepard, Ransom Peek, Olive Peek, Warren Peek.  
Feb 1 - Aunt Deal or Delia - Refers to Cordelia Ellen (Moore) McCullen, Nellie's aunt. Her husband was Thomas McCullen.  
Feb 2 - Mrs. Shue [? Stone?] and Carrie. Mrs. Shue unknown person. Carrie probably refers to Caroline "Carrie" (Moore) Lamson. Caroline was another sister of the twin Moore sisters Cornelia and Cordelia. Caroline "Carrie" lived in Saginaw, Michigan.  
Feb 3 - Sidney Shephard - Refers to the husband of Martha Peek. Martha Peek was the daughter of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg.  
Feb 7 - Celia and Henry - Refers to Celia and Henry Jones - unknown persons  
Feb 11 - Mrs. Stahl - unknown person  
Feb 13 - Mr. Cole - unknown person. The Roat family was related to people with the last name of Coles. There may be some connection here.  
Feb 14 - Mrs. Morehouse - unknown person. Nellie bought her cottage in Bay View Michigan from a Mary Morehouse which may relate to this "Mrs. Morehouse."  
Feb 14 - Mrs. Grahm - unknown person  
Feb 14 - Ethel and Amy - Probably refers to Ethel and Amy Shepard, single women, daughters of Sidney Shepard and Martha McQuigg. Ethel and Amy lived in Petoskey, Michigan, at least part of the time.  
Feb 14 - Mrs. Case aka Mrs. Dr. Case - Refers to a friend of Nellie's.  
Mar 3 - The two Celias - This evidently refers to Celia (Johnson) Thomas the wife of Roy Thomas and Celia the wife of Henry Jones.  
Mar 5 - Mrs. Lightbody and Mrs. Egleston - unknown persons

Mar 7 - Mar 8 & 9 - Refers twice to a Laura and once to a Laura McCormick - unknown if the same person or not. One known Laura connection is Laura Peek the daughter of Ransom Peek and Harriet "Hattie" Wycoff. Laura Peek was the wife of George Schlessler.

Mar 15 - Aunt Bertha - unknown person, perhaps related to Celia (Johnson) Thomas.

Mar 22 - Carl, James and Edmund - unknown persons.

Mar 29 - Swayze mansion - unknown person or persons.

Mar 31 - Fronia [?], Anna - unknown persons. In Nellie's 1923 diary she mentions John and Fronia Swayze which is believed to be this person who lived in Fort Wayne, Indiana. [See information at the bottom of this page about them.]

Apr 1 - Fronia, Mrs. Lantz [?], Sam - unknown persons.

Apr 2 - John - unknown person.

Apr 6 - Mrs. Lantz [?], Fronia, Mrs. L., John - unknown persons.

Apr 13 - Flossie - unknown person.

Apr 16 - Carl - unknown person.

Apr 18 - Aunt Annas, Mr. Libbot [?] from Calif - unknown persons.

Apr 20 - Mr. Rogers - This might refer to adopted father of Celia (Johnson) Thomas. She is believed to have been "adopted" by Thomas and Celia Rogers who lived in Saginaw, MI.

Apr 30 - Miss Andrews - unknown person. Some diary entries mention an Ella Andrews, may relate to this person.

May 4 - Mrs. Mitchell - unknown person.

May 7 - Mrs. Varty - A neighbor and friend of Jess & Kate Roat and children.

May 7 - Auntie - Probably refers to Cornelia (Moore) Cresswell, Nellie's aunt. Cordelia and Cornelia Moore were twins. Nellie called them Aunt Nena and Aunt Deal. "May" probably refers to Cornelia's daughter, May Ella (Cresswell) Donley. May died in 1923.

May 9 - Goosens - Might be Lester and Lucretia (Hall) Goosen, marriage found on website of the Flint Genealogical Society, married in 1914.

May 11 - Mrs. Day - may refer to Martha (Roat) Day the wife of Clarence Day.

May 14 - Ransom [?] and family - probably refers to Ransom Peek son of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg. He married Harriet "Hattie" Wycoff and had children Laura, Homer, Carl, and Leon.

May 21 - Hudson [?], Mrs. B\_\_\_\_, Olive. Hudson and Mrs. B\_\_\_\_ unknown persons. Olive might refer to Olive Peek, a single woman, daughter of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg. Olive lived in Oakland County, MI.

May 25 - Vine - unknown person. Nellie's 1920 diary mentions a Vine Benson, in 1923 a Vine Benton, may relate to this person.

May 28 - Miss MacRury [?], Vine, Mrs. Blauch [?] - unknown persons.

May 29 - Mrs. Tone - unknown person.

May 30 - Mr. and Mrs. Boelieo [?] - unknown persons.

May 31 - Peter - unknown person.

Jun 2 - Mrs. Burns - unknown person.

Jun 4 - Miss McR\_\_\_\_, Mr. and Mrs. Roeleo [?], Grandpa - unknown persons.

Jun 9 - Mrs. Durfee - unknown person.

Jun 19 - Mrs. Hess. - unknown person.

Jun 22 - Mrs. Nobles - unknown person.

Jun 23 - Julia Swift [?] - unknown person.

Jun 24 - Mr. Lawton - unknown person.

Jun 28 - G-ma [?] Lawton - unknown person.

Jun 30 - Mrs. Lawton and Porter - unknown persons.

Jul 1 - Miss Dallos [?] - unknown person.

Jul 2 - Miss Ferris - unknown person.

Jul 4 - Mrs. V. - unknown person.

Jul 5 - Miss Greenaugh [?] and Minnie [?] - unknown persons.

Jul 6 - Miss G. and Minnie - unknown persons.

Jul 7 - Mr. Brom\_\_\_\_ - unknown person

Jul 11 - Miss Van Lefflies [?]. - unknown person.

Jul 14 - Rose - unknown person.

Sep 7 - Grandma Church - unknown person.

Dec 24 - Mr. and Mrs. Roat and Frank - probably refers to Levi Havilla Roat and wife Fanny (Coles) Roat and their foster son Frank Roat.

Dec 25 - Jesse Fry, Clifford and Jimmie Adair - unknown person.

Dec 25 - Frank, Amy and children - probably refers to Frank and Amy Frost and their 3 daughters, friends of the Roat family. The Frank is probably not the Frank listed in the December 24th entry. That Frank was probably Frank Roat.

#### Residencies or Trips:

Jan 1 - 8 - Living in Flint, Michigan, with daughter Kate Roat and family.

Jan 9 - Mar 28 - Living in Detroit with her son Roy Thomas.

Mar 29 - Apr 11 - Stayed in Fort Wayne, Indiana, perhaps with people with last name Swayze.

Apr 12 - Traveled from Fort Wayne, Indiana to Detroit.

Apr 12 - April 23 stayed in Detroit with son Roy Thomas.

Apr 13 - Left Detroit for Flint

Apr 14 - May 24 - Lived in Flint, Michigan with daughter and family.

May 24 - left Flint and went to Petoskey [& probably Bay View].

[Blank entries, probably left Bay View in the early fall and lived in Flint, MI through the end of December.]

#### Movies or plays:

Jan 19 - The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse with Rudolph Valentino

Jan 20 - Old Swimming Hole

Jan 25 - The Sign of the Rose

Jan 27 - The Nomads of the North

Jan 31 - Way Down East

Feb 18 - Her Face Value

Feb 10 - Celia, Jack and Billy and two other boys went to the Church to see The Sky Pilot

Feb 18 - Took the girls out to see Her Face Value and they took me around Ypsilanti [Marguerite & some other girl or girls]

Feb 20 - A Silent Call [The Silent Call]

Mar 11 - School Days

Mar 14 - Exit the Vamp

Jul 15 - Black Beauty

#### Books:

The Blue Mom - Feb 12

The Circuit Rider - March 8

#### Important notes:

Jan 22 - Roy got a new car today.

Mar 13 - Boys tried to write themselves an excuse today and brought out the fact they skipped school last Friday. [Refers to the twin sons of Roy & Celia Thomas, born 1914.]

Mar 19 - [The boys] They locked themselves in the hall and had to crawl out bedroom window to come to dinner.

Mar 25 - Boys went to pictures and got into the glue.

May 22 - This early evening Bobs nearly got killed. Knocked down and dragged by Auto, badly bruised. [Bobs refers to Robert Levi Roat, son of Jesse & Kate Roat.]

Jun 2 - 13 - [Nellie had the repairs made on the front & back porch and also some roofing work and painting done on her cottage.]

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Jan 1 Sun	Went to Court St. Church today, had communion for which I was very glad. Mrs. Thayer, Frank, Amy and children were there at Kates for New Years dinner. Girls went to League and brought girls in to lunch. Enjoyed my day.
Jan 2 Mon	Kate had to finish some sewing for Marguerite and get her started for Ypsilanti.

Jan 3 Tue	Kate washed today and I cleaned up the house.
Jan 4 Wed	Mad[e] some calls and had a very pleasant P.M.
Jan 5 Thu	Stayed at home all day.
Jan 6 Fri	Went to see the girls play Basketball at the Y. W., J. L. came after us.
Jan 7 Sat	Mrs. Seth Reed had a few of us in to a small dinner party. Had such a fine time. Jesse and Kate came after us with Auto. Sat up and finished doll socks.
Jan 8 Sun	Attended Court St. Church today. Had a Masterly sermon by Mr. Steadman. One of his thots - "We get what we are looking for or expect." God takes us at our word. Went home with May to dinner and saw Jr. and Beth, both have grown. Breaks my heart to know John is gone.
Jan 9 Mon	Came back to Detroit this P.M. A nice warm day for this time of year.
Jan 10 Tue	Tuesday we tinkered around and done odd jobs, and I wrote some letters. In the evening Celia and I played Parchesee.
Jan 11 Wed	Washed today. I started a night gown for Kate.
Jan 12 Thu	Ironed. Finished the gown.
Jan 13 Fri	Cleaned up the house.
Jan 14 Sat	Did a little fixing.
Jan 15 Sun	Am in Roy's office at his desk writing this. Celia, Carl, boys and I came down to see him. He is very tired. Went to Ninde Church this A.M. Subject of Sermon "Debtors" - fine. Mr. Crossland Preacher. Roys business No. 337 East Jefferson, Detroit, Mich.
Jan 16 Mon	Cleaned up the house after Sunday. Then made Betty some bloomers and a night gown. Celia and I went down to Grand River in P.M. Roy worked until about eleven oclock. Celia beet me four games out of five at Parcheesi.
Jan 17 Tue	Today Celia washed and I did house work. Did some crocheting and made buttin holes and practiced some on the piano this P.M. Celia gone to Office tonight. Then they go to see a picture.
Jan 18 Wed	Had planned to go down town today but I had such a cold just felt sick. Went down to Grand River in the P.M. for some groceries. My cold is genuine.
Jan 19 Thu	Cold a little better. Went down town to the Adams Theater to see The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse with Rudolph Valentino as leading man. A find production but some parts very suggestive. Roy's getting ready to pop corn when we get home.
Jan 20 Fri	Went down to Dentist this A.M. and left my teeth. Got my teeth in the evening about 8 P.M. Kate, J. L. and Eleanor and Bettie came. Kate and J. L. went to Ninde Church to se[e] the Old Swimming Hole picture. Celia and boys got home first. I am sick with cold.
Jan 21 Sat	J. L. went to Auto Show this P.M. and evening. Marguerite came from Ypsilanti this A.M. About four oclock. Kate, Celia and Marg. [Marguerite] went down town shopping and then to Picture Show. I am sick with cold.
Jan 22 Sun	I wasnt able to go to Church this A.M. It is very cold. Think it must be zero tonight. Roy got a new car today. The Roat family went home started 10 after 4 P.M. Am so afraid they will be very cold before they get there. Took M. [Marguerite] home to Ypsilanti.
Jan 23 Mon	Here it is Thursday little book and I have not written since Sunday. [sic, unclear] We cleaned up the house and Celia went down town this A.M. and I made her a new night-gown and cut another out. Bitterly cold. Down to zero last night.
Jan 24 Tue	Celia washed and I did the other work. Very cold, 4 below. Have been just sick enough to be in bed all the week. The cold makes me sick. Boys have two days vacation. That means something to us when they have vacation. Made a few eyelets.
Jan 25 Wed	Felt so poorly all day. Could hardly keep warm. So did most of the ironing today and got "warmed up." Roy came tonight and took Celia and I to new Capitol Theatre to see George Beban in the Sign

	of the Rose. It was a splendid picture.
Jan 26 Thu	I feel some better today. It is quite a little warmer, so am quite comfortable. Celia went with Roy on a business trip to Flint, Saginaw, and Bay City. They drove, but the Coup is so warm. Carl was over and played with the boys. Wrote to Grandpa R. [Roat].
Jan 27 Fri	Boys and I had some time carrying out ashes, but finally got them done. Have not done much of anything else today. We - with Carl went to Ninde Church to see Nomads of the North. It was very good. Hope the folks come home tonight.
Jan 28 Sat	Roy and Celia came home about one this A.M. The boys are not well today. I went down with Jack and did Saturdays shopping then went to see Sis but did not find her at home. They came up here for evening.
Jan 29 Sun	A grand day. This A.M. Roy took me to Church in the "Coupe." Went to Holmes Memorial. Had a nice visit with Mrs. Field [believed to be the wife of a minister] after Church. In P.M. Roy took me for a lovely ride on the Boulevard, then took Celia after we came home. Boys not able to be out.
Jan 30 Mon	All quiet on the Potomac today. Embroidered a little on cousin Lois Pillow Cases.
Jan 31 Tue	Celia and I went to Ferry Field Theater to see "Way Down East." Carl stayed with the boys.
Feb 1 Wed	Celia taken sick tonight, has tonsilitis. Aunt Deal came this A.M. and it rained so hard she had to stay all night.
Feb 2 Thu	Celia real sick, temp. 102+. Auntie went home this P.M. Mrs. Shue [? Stone?] died today at Carries.
Feb 3 Fri	Celia still real sick, can not sit up. Sidney Shephard died this morning.
Feb 4 Sat	Mrs. Stine [? Stone?] was buried today. Celia got to feeling a little better today but Jack is poorly. Billy and I went down to Grand River after supper.
Feb 5 Sun	Roy did not get home today as he expected. Celia got out on to the couch. Could not go to Church.
Feb 6 Mon	Roy came from Chicago but could not get up to the house until evening. Is nearly sick. Jack and Billy went to picture show and did not get home until nearly twelve P.M.
Feb 7 Tue	Done a big washing today. Got along fine. Celia feels much better. Roy started for Grand Rapids this A.M., did not enjoy the Wholesaler Convention in Milwaukee very well. Got a letter from Kate. Celia and Henry [Jones] came to play Parchesi.
Feb 8 Wed	Finished and sent J. L. night shirt today. We play at least one game of Parchessi nearly every night with the boys.
Feb 9 Thu	Ironed today and done some more sewing for Kate.
Feb 10 Fri	Sewed very hard today to get Bettys dress done and two pair of panties for Bobs so as to start them home. Tonight Celia, Jack and Billy and two other boys went to the Church to see The Sky Pilot.
Feb 11 Sat	Got a letter from Mrs. Stahl today. Guess I sewed to hard and went to much yesterday for today I am "all in." Laid on the couch a long time this P.M. Tonight Geraldine and Katharine have their Valentine Party. It is a beautiful evening. Marg. [Marguerite] wanted me to come to Ypsi. today but did not get around in time.
Feb 12 Sun	Had planned to go to the Tabernickle to hear H. M. Rice, but it stormed and I was not well, so postponed it. Roy was home this evening. I read "The Blue Mom" today, very interesting.
Feb 13 Mon	Did not get up very early. Sewed on Bobs pants. Roy and Celia went over to see Mr. Cole this evening on some business. The boys were out so I was alone until nine.
Feb 14 Tue	Got a valentine from Twins. Did not get up until nearly 9:30 as I am not feeling very well and we are up so late at night. Got a letter from Mrs. Case and Mrs. Morehouse today. Mrs. Graham called up to night. Have written to Ethel and Amy and Mrs. Stahl this evening.
Feb 15 Wed	Celia went to Port Huron, St. Clair and Marine City today. Did not get home until eleven P.M. I took the boys and went to North Western High to hear the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. It is very cold. Came and went on street car.
Feb 16 Thu	Stayed at home today. Celia washed. I helped some. In P.M. went down to Grand River. Celia Jones and Henry were here tonight. They played cards. I broke my glasses this P.M.
Feb 17	This A.M. Celia and I went down town, and I went to Mr. Hipp to get my eyes tested. Had a

Fri	thorough test. My eye trouble is muscular, says the optical vision is nearly normal. Ordered new lens and a button [?] to hold my glasses.
Feb 18 Sat	Started at nine A.M. for Ypsilanti. Enjoyed my ride, passed Vermont, Dearbourn. Got a glympse of Henry Ford's home. Took the girls out to see Her Face Value and they took me around Ypsilanti. I like the place.
Feb 19 Sun	Lois and I went to church this A.M. I did enjoy Rev. Duning. Idle [?] so much. Roy came in P.M. then we went to college grounds. Started for house at 4 P.M. No one here and I could not get in so went to Presbyterian Church, heard Rev. D. I. Sutherland. A full day and was tired.
Feb 20 Mon	Went down town and got my glasses, then we did some trading. Had a lunch and Celia took me to Capitol to see A Silent Call with Strongheart, a dog for the main actor. It was splendid. Both enjoyed it so much.
Feb 21 Tue	This has been wash day and cleaning day. Did not get through until nearly three P.M.
Feb 22 Wed	Ironing day. I am practicing a little on the piano and it is helping me quite a little, but can not practice only a few moments at a time as I don't want to disturb Celia and my nerves won't stand it.
Feb 23 Thu	Am making me a new underskirt of flowered heather bloom.
Feb 24 Fri	Celia and the boys went to the Church tonight to see the picture. I did not feel equal to it.
Feb 25 Sat	Roy came home from Jackson, Lansing, Itc. [Itc.]. Had a better week. We were so glad to see him. Celia took the boys down to the new Library this P.M.
Feb 26 Sun	This A.M. Roy took me to the Martha Holmes Memorial Church, such a good sermon on tithing. Went to the Parsonage to dinner and stayed to evening service. Mother and daughter sermon. Met a good many nice people. Roy came after me.
Feb 27 Mon	This is Roys and Celias anniversary [sic] and Roy came after her about three P.M. and they went off to celebrate. He gave her a lovely Polychrom Lamp. They got home at ten and we played Parcheesi until nearly two in the morning.
Feb 28 Tue	Last day of February. How fast it has gone. Snow 12 ft deep up north, all lines out of commission and no cars through to Pet. [Petoskey] for a week. We have had very little here and it is very nice. Celia and I went down town. Celia got her eyes tested.
Mar 1 Wed	March has come in like the proverbial lion, wind, snow and much colder. We have washed and cleaned today and went to Celia Jones to dinner tonight. An industrious beginning for the month.
Mar 2 Thu	Have had a poor day. Just had to lay around, but felt better towards night. Roy came for supper.
Mar 3 Fri	Got up and went to Aunt Delias this A.M. Found them as usual. Poor Uncle Tom looks so poorly, shows how much he has suffered. The two Celias went down town today.
Mar 4 Sat	Wrote a letter to the Bay View Post Master this A.M.
Mar 5 Sun	Did not go to Church this A.M., but went with Mrs. Lightbody and Mrs. Eggleston to hear M. S. Rice preach one of his sermons on Catholics, a wonderful sermon. He said they cut out the second commandment to worshipping idols.
Mar 6 Mon	Washed today, or rather Celia did.
Mar 7 Tue	I ironed today and Celia went down town with Laura today and Wednesday instead of Wednesday and Thursday. A letter from Bay View P.M. today.
Mar 8 Wed	Celia went down town to see Laura McCormick. I spent the day down town with her and brought her home to stay all night. Read the Circuit Rider by Eggleston.
Mar 9 Thu	Celia went down town with Laura again today. They had a nice time. I didn't do much sewing but did some cleaning.
Mar 10 Fri	Cut out my Pongee slip this A.M. but didn't get much done on it. Celia, boys and I went to Ninde tonight to see a play written by Mary Roberts Rinehart, very ordinary. C. did most of the cleaning today. Roy got home at some time after midnight.
Mar 11 Sat	We hurried around and went down town today. Went through the stores some then went to the Capitol to see Wesley Barry in School Days, after which went to the new Library building, which is a splendid building but not quite completed.

Mar 12 Sun	Went to Ninde Church this A.M., communion service. Did not go with Mrs. Lightb. [probably Lightbody] to hear M. S. Rice. Roy had a Mr. Watkins to dinner tonight, a Chicago sales man, refined nice man. During dinner Ray, Homer and wife came and stayed the evening.
Mar 13 Mon	Celia and I are both about used up today. Up until about twelve thirty last night. Boys tried to write themselves an excuse today and brought out the fact they skipped school last Friday. Celia put them to bed after school. Celia Jones was here this P.M.
Mar 14 Tue	Roy took us all to the show tonight. It was Exit the Vamp and was fine.
Mar 15 Wed	Celia went to Bay City today to see Aunt Bertha before her operation.
Mar 16 Thu	Aunt Bertha had her operation today. Roy is still in town but does not get home before 10-30 or later. Is working so hard.
Mar 17 Fri	Took the boys and Carl to the Ninde Church tonight to see pictures.
Mar 18 Sat	Took the boys down to Hudson to get shoes changed this P.M. Went to the Office and rode home with Roy. He was sick but started for Milwaukee just the same.
Mar 19 Sun	Got the boys all ready for S. School and it began to rain very hard, so of course couldn't go. They locked themselves in the hall and had to crawl out bedroom window to come to dinner.
Mar 20 Mon	Not well so sewed and rested today.
Mar 21 Tue	First day of Spring and I saw my first Robin sitting on a tree crying about the cold and hard snow storm, poor little little [sic] fellow, just like the rest of us, the hard with the easy, bitter with sweet.
Mar 22 Wed	Done a big washing, got pretty tired. Did some sewing so anxious to get it done and send it home. Carl, James and Edmund here tonight. Mad [made?] candy and raised _____ in general.
Mar 23 Thu	Mr. Weldon F. Crossland, pastor of Ninde called this afternoon. Tonight the boys and Carl went upstairs to James and made candy and played.
Mar 24 Fri	Did not go to the Ninde Church as expected. Sewed very hard. Did my ironing to this A.M.
Mar 25 Sat	Finished the things and got them all done up ready to take down [?] and Mrs. Lightbody came and stayed all the P.M. Had a good visit. Mended and sewed on buttons [?] all the P.M. Boys went to pictures and got into the glue.
Mar 26 Sun	Boys went to S. S. I stayed home and cleaned up the house. Celia came home just as we were eating luncheon. We were all so glad to see her.
Mar 27 Mon	Shortened my coat today and pieced down [?] my pink house dress. Went to Grand River and over to Celia Jones. Celia Thomas went up to the Angle [?] School to see about the boys.
Mar 28 Tue	Celia and I went down town on the buss so I could get a few things before starting for Ft. Wayne. Came home and washed my hair.
Mar 29 Wed	Came to Ft. Wayne this day, did not get here until 4-30, very slow time on New York Central, misdirected by D.M.R. [?] motorman. Found my way fine to the Swayze mansion after reaching Ft. Wayne and gave her a real surprise.
Mar 30 Thu	A good thing I came yesterday as there is a dreadful rain, rivers are beginning to over flow and they fear a great deal of damage from the storm. Went to Winter picnic at church.
Mar 31 Fri	Rain continuing today and in Southern Michigan a terrible storm of snow and sleet forming ice and destroying telephone wires, trees Itc. [Etc.]. Fronia and I went over and stayed with Annas children tonight. Baby was sick.
Apr 1 Sat	Fronia and Mrs. Lantz [?] gathered dandelions today. Went down town this P.M. with Sam when he went from dinner. Saw his store and all the larger stores of Ft. Wayne.
Apr 2 Sun	Went to Simpsin [?] Church this A.M. Minister taken sick so John took charge of services. Talked a few minutes. This P.M. Sam took us for a long ride around the city. Water very high but going down. Lots of Catholics and Lutherans here. Went to First M. E. [Methodist Episcopal church] at night, saw pictures.
Apr 3 Mon	Fronia washed. Went over to Annas a little while in afternoon. Up to store for loaf of bread.
Apr 4 Tue	Went down town for noon luncheon. Had such a nice cafeteria. In P.M. went through Courthouse and some more stores. Fronia bought herself and I each a dress just alike.

Apr 5 Wed	We went over the house today and got most of the things ready for foreign missionary society. Then took a long walk.
Apr 6 Thu	Ladies Foreign Missionary Society met here this P.M. Not a very large attendance as many families have sickness. Played Flinch tonight up with Mrs. Lantz [?], Fronia and I against Mrs. L. and John.
Apr 7 Fri	This P.M. went over and stayed with Annas children to let her go to a circle meeting. 3 have the mumps. Tonight played Flinch with Mr. Lantz. Mrs. L. had to go to mission meeting to play.
Apr 8 Sat	We are trying to make Fronias dress but don't get along very fast. Went down with Sam this A.M. to city market. It was quite a sight. F. bought chicken, horseradish pie plant roots, dandelion greens, sausage Ect [etc.??]
Apr 9 Sun	[Top of the page gives the following name:] Professor Earl Emme. Went to church this A.M., also S. S. After a chicken dinner John and I went up to the resevor [reservoir]. Took some field glasses and got a fine view of the City. Then Sam and Anna took us all for a ride. After coming home went up to hear Mr. and Mrs. Lantz sing. Then went to First Presbyterian church to here [sic] Mr. Emy [name crossed out] from Appleton, Wisc. speak on Religious Instruction for children. [Mr. Emy was probably Professor Earl Emme listed top of page.]
Apr 10 Mon	Ft. Wayne, Ind. Fonia [Fronia] washed today. Such a heavy rain, thunder shower. No fire in the house for a week but getting cooler. F. and I beet Mrs. Lantz and John at Flinch. Anna was over this P.M.
Apr 11 Tue	Went over to Annas this afternoon. Had a little visit with her. When I came to supper table found a ticket for Detroit on my plate. Such real friends!
Apr 12 Wed	Started for Detroit at noon today. Took four hours to make the trip. Nearly all rivers overflowed from heavy rains. Found all well. Roy working so very hard all the time and business not very good. Found a \$2.00 bill in my bag.
Apr 13 Thu	Celia and the boys went to Flossies for the day. My cold is very bad.
Apr 14 Fri	Did not go out anywhere today. Air out my house dress - black and white check.
Apr 15 Sat	Quiet day. Roy took Celia and I down to Grand River tonight after Sunday supplies.
Apr 16 Sun	Celia, boys and I went to Ninde Church this A.M. This P.M. we with Carl went to Bell Isle to see the Flowers, did so much walking all of us tired out. Celia got off at the office and stayed with Roy until he came home. Easter Sunday.
Apr 17 Mon	Finished my new [?] dress today. None of us feel very well after our day yesterday.
Apr 18 Tue	Celia and I went to Aunt Annas for the day. Stopped at the office on our way home and saw Mr. Libbot [?] from Calif. Roy home to eat his dinner. Looks just sick he is working so hard.
Apr 19 Wed	Celia and I down town today.
Apr 20 Thu	Mr. Rogers came home today.
Apr 21 Fri	Celia and I went down town this P.M.
Apr 22 Sat	[Blank]
Apr 23 Sun	Mr. Rogers is eighty one years old today. Jesse, Kate, Marguerite, Eleanor, Betty and Bob came yesterday and went home today. Roy stayed over for b-day [?]. Celia and Henry Jones were also here.
Apr 24 Mon	Roy started for Grand Rapids today. Jesse came tonight to take me to Flint in the A.M.
Apr 25 Tue	Had a lively [lovely?] ride to Flint. Had no blowout. Started at 6:30 in the morning. Took more cold someway. Went to Home Missionary meeting.
Apr 26-29	[Blank]
Apr 30 Sun	Was not able to go to Church. Miss Andrews came up to dinner and we went riding in the P.M. Went out to Long Lake.



May 1 Mon	[Blank]
May 2 Tue	Mrs. [no more information]
May 3 Wed	Mrs. Case came from South [?] today. Went to see Dr. Handy today.
May 4 Thu	Went to Hotel Crystal to see Mrs. Case today and tonight went to Mrs. Mitchells to a circle pot luck
May 5 Fri	Went to Hotel to see Mrs. Case tonight after supper.
May 6 Sat	[Blank]
May 7 Sun	Got up quite early and went to Saginaw. Boarders went out to dinner and Eleanor and Betty went to Mrs. Vartys. Wind blew very hard, not so pleasant riding. Found Auntie fairly well. May very poorly [May Ella (Cresswell) Donley]. Cold today.
May 8 Mon	Very warm for this time of year.
May 9 Tue	Goosens, Vartys and our family went out to Father Roats woods on a picnic tonight. Had a very nice time. Warm as July weather.
May 10 Wed	Very warm today.
May 11 Thu	Buisy making curtains and putting final touches on house cleaning. Mrs. Day called on me today.
May 12 Fri	Kate entertained at one oclock luncheon for Mrs. Case and I. Had beautiful lunch and lovely time. Lilacs were the flower and lilac colored favors also Mrs. Case and my picture for each guest. Nine sat down. Mrs. Varty waited table. All enjoyed it so much.
May 13 Sat	Am having such a hard time with my side. Went to see Dr. again today. Am sick enough to be in bed.
May 14 Sun	Was very sick this morning, nearly fainted twice after keeping fly blister [?] on my side all night, but finally managed to dress and go to Holly to see Ransum [?] and family. Got along very well and had a pleasant day. Beautiful ride home.
May 15 Mon	Spending my day in bed.
May 16 Tue	Spending my day in bed.
May 17 Wed	Also today.
May 18 Thu	And today.
May 19 Fri	Sat up a little while.
May 20 Sat	Up and down today.
May 21 Sun	Not well at all, but we went to Davisburg this afternoon, left at 2 oclock. Perfectly beautiful ride. Called on Hudson [?], Mrs. Burnham [?] and Olive. Home by the way of Holly and Long Lake.
May 22 Mon	This early evening Bobs nearly got killed. Knocked down and dragged by Auto, badly bruised. Got a telegram tonight to come immediately to Petoskey. Went to Drs.
May 23 Tue	So buisy [sic] today, sewing and packing and tending to so many last things that have to be done. Everybody in the house so buisy about their different duties and pleasures.
May 24 Wed	Left Flint Depot this A.M. R. R. [railroad?] time at ten after three. Had to wait two hours in Saginaw. Was sick and tired. When near Charlevoix had a train accident and had delays two hours. So did not arrive in Petoskey until six thirty, some long, hard day.
May 25 Thu	Have been to see Mr. Bunis [?] about roofing part of my cottage and fixing my poarch. Vine took me down to Bay View.
May 26	Looking around the stores today for things I need and have to have. Helping Lois a little. Beautiful

Fri	weather and everything is so green and growing just fine.
May 27 Sat	Went to Bay View again tonight with Vine and got a few things I need. Everything beautiful down there. Will be so thankful when I get needed repairs done.
May 28 Sun	Went to Church with Miss MacRury [?] and heard a fine sermon but a little out of the ordinary. Text Job XXVI-half of third verse. "How hast thou counselled him that hath no wisdom." In the P.M. went to the Cemetary with Vine and Mrs. Blauch [?]. In evening to Catholic Church to union [?] service.
May 29 Mon	Lois washed today. I did what I could. Had to go down town in the afternoon and order groceries for Bay View. Mrs. Tone called.
May 30 Tue	Decoration day and Mr. and Mrs. Boelieo [?] visited Lois and I to go with them to see parade. Then they took us to the Cemetary and from there to Bay Shore and Charlevoix. Had the grandest ride along by Lake Mich. Pine Lak [? lake?] and Susan lake Ect. [etc.?] Everything beautiful.
May 31 Wed	A fine rain, so had to hire a taxi to bring me to Bay View. Damp and chilly, could not do much today. Lights and water turned on. Peter [?] had some trouble with toilet, but came all right. A fine fire all day.
Jun 1 Thu	Quite chilly, had to keep good fire all day. Did not go out any where but got my kitchen nearly cleaned. Am giving it a very thorough one with the help of Mrs. Morehouse step ladder.
Jun 2 Fri	Was very much dissapointed when the carpenters did not come this A.M. Got blue and had a cry and right after dinner they appeared. So far I think Mrs. Burns will be fine. They did a lot this P.M.
Jun 3 Sat	Went up to cousin Lois tonight with Vine. Got there in time for supper. Then went down town on some errands for she and I. The carpenters are doing fine.
Jun 4 Sun	Went to Church with Miss McRoy [?] this A.M. Cousin Lois had Mr. and Mrs. Roelio [?] and Grandpa for dinner today, had chicken and strawb-s-cake. Four of us went to the concert tonight.
Jun 5 Mon	Came home at 11-30 today after seeing to some things in Petoskey. Found the carpenters doing fine. I[f] nothing happens will finish the poarch tomorrow and get some roofing on, but am afraid of rain.
Jun 6 Tue	Havent done much today but make curtains and write letters. Wrote to Kate, Mr. Ad__ate and Schumack Co. The porch is all done but painting and are fixing back poarch and roofing.
Jun 7 Wed	Carpenters expected to finish today but made up my mind to roof the other part while I was at it. Am working very hard for an invalid.
Jun 8 Thu	Finished and gone [?] and between you and I little book - a botchy job. If I knew what I do now and could have it done it would be done very differently. But think things made strong and safe and don't leak.
Jun 9 Fri	Not feeling well but have done a lot. Hard rain all day. Sent a letter to Mrs. Stahl today. Vine was up and spent the evening also Mrs. Durfee called and Mrs. Morehous was over a long time.
Jun 10 Sat	Mr. DeHart came and started the painting today. Does not do very good work. Went up to Sheapherds after supper tonight to stay all night. Am having a good visit with the girls.
Jun 11 Sun	Went to Childrens day exercises with Ethel and Amy. Were quite good but not much like Court Street. Tonight went to hear the baccolorate sermun given by the Presbyterian minister to the graduating class, just grand, so spiritual.
Jun 12 Mon	[Top of the entry says:] Turned 2 leaves and made mistake. This is for June 8. They finished today at noon. Put new stove pipe and elbow on my stove. Cleaned and settled Mrs. Stahls [?] room. Found I can keep my own Cottage, am so glad. Now I can really settle.
Jun 13 Tue	Mr. DeHart [?] finished painting today and has gone and I am so thankful. Cost a lot of money with small _____ [?]. Hope next year can do better. But dont want him again. Had a "spell of nerves" and sat down and cried after he left.
June 14 Wed	Another day of hard work gone. It seems as if I would never get this side cleaned. Got such a dirty hard job done today blacking stove pipes and stoves. Bakery opened down here now. Got 3 letters, wrote 1.
Jun 15 Thu	Washed today when I could get at it. Fred was here working at the yard and I had to be out with him all the time to get anything done. He worked five hours and then had to go. Went to P. to hear M. S. Rise [Rice?] give address to graduates, fine, urged them to save in every way, time Ict. [Etc.].
Jun 16 Fri	Nearly [Really?] cleaned my living room, washing windows, scraping paint off from them, Ict [Etc.] In afternoon ironed and tried to look after Fred and get something done. Am getting pretty tired.
Jun 17 Sat	Got my curtains up today and a lot of little things done. Then went up to Petoskey this P.M. Did not intend to stay and did not go prepared but cousin Lois was so urgent could not get out of it, and it

	seemed good to be with someone.
Jun 18 Sun	Did not get up until nine and did not go to Church. Lois did not think she could and I was tired out. Am getting thinner with my hard work and begin to feel it is most [?] time I am getting through.
Jun 19 Mon	Started this A.M. to clean the apartments. Got along pretty well. Mrs. Hess took my bed pad out to the line for me and helped put it in. Mrs. Durfees maid came up and helped me take the new mattress upstairs and bring other down. All in tonight.
Jun 20 Tue	Worked hard all day cleaning. Got a letter from Mrs. Stahl today telling me she can not come to Bay View. Am so sorry.
Jun 21 Wed	Finally finished cleaning the apartments today and they are clean. Didnt know if I would be able to indure unto the end. Am all in tonight. Pain between my shoulders Ict. [Etc.]
Jun 22 Thu	Today have taken it easy. Went to Mrs. Nobles this A.M. Visited with Mrs. Morehouse. Bought berries and fish and onions for dinner. Then cleaned my bedroom and left at 3:30 [?] and made several different calls.
Jun 23 Fri	Julia Swift [?] called on me this A.M. Worked very hard all day. Washed walls and ceiling in dining room and cleaned in general. Am so happy to have the hard work all done for I am really tired out. Don't feel I could do much more without a rest.
Jun 24 Sat	Finished cleaning today. My refrigerator came this A.M., have it all cleaned and it looks nice. Went up to Petoskey tonight with Mr. Lawton. Been looking some more for parch [porch?] covering [?].
Jun 25 Sun	Vine came and stayed all night also at Couis [? Cousin?] Loises [?] last night. I went to Church this morning then after dinner Vine took us to the Cemetary and after we came home I rode down home with her. Soon had a fire as it is cold.
Jun 26 Mon	Didnt do much today, very tired. Wrote letter and copied poem this forenoon. This P.M. went to Petoskey. Went up to see Lois. Got some plants and Lilac bushes, also bought rugs for poarch. Machiene came today also ____ [?].
Jun 27 Tue	As usual when I think I am done with hard work get into something more. Put prime coat of paint on the back poarch today. Also got on my hands and knees and sc[r]ubbed lenolium in kitchen then varnished it.
Jun 28 Wed	Have painted and varnished nearly all day again today and am so tired. Then G-ma [?] Lawton came today and I had to go in and look after her a few times. Now I guess I can rest.
Jun 29 Thu	Got hold of Fred again this A.M. and got my yard finished. Was so glad. It looks quite respectable. Put out my new poarch rugs after cleaning peorch and have done quite a lot of straightening today. Went to Howard [?] House [?] this P.M.
Jun 30 Fri	Vine brought man to cook at the cottage. Finished putting bedrooms in order and lots of little things. Then this P.M. went to a poarch party given by Mrs. Lawton and Porter. Had such a pleasant time. Met Mrs. Macarvee [?], a much traveled educated woman.
Jul 1 Sat	As usual so tired I can hardly move tonight. Went to the woods after dirt for window boxes. Finished peling [piling] wood. Went to Post Office and store, over to Miss Dallos [?] to Mrs. Morehouses 2 or 3 times. Done some bakeing. Went to Petoskey, then to Risedale and got plants and fixed window boxes Ict. [Etc.].
Jul 2 Sun	Had cousin Lois, Vine and Miss Ferris down for dinner today. Went to Auditorium this A.M. and heard first sermon for this year.
Jul 3 Mon	Did not wash today. Finished doing a lot of little things that take a good deal of time and patience. Used my Sewing Machine for the first time, was so pleased with it. Did not _____ home.
Jul 4 Tue	Did not know Post Office was only open until nine this A.M. so did not get mail, so anxious to know if Kate and Mrs. V are coming. Did big washing then rode up home with Vine and called on Lois a few moments.
Jul 5 Wed	Miss Greenaugh [?] and Minnie [?] came this P.M. All tired out. I had them to dinner. No word from house yet to let me know if Kate and Mrs. Varty are coming. Built my cupboard and got some more "last things" done today. Also ironed.
Jul 6 Thu	Am enjoying sewing. Miss G. and Minnie, we visit more of the time. They took me to the Waffle Shop to dinner and I took them to the bank and introduced them to Mr. Lawton. G-pa Lawtin went up town.
Jul 7 Fri	Mrs. Noble sent word to me today that Katharine will come the last of the week. I was so glad but not much surprised fir [? for?] I felt it would come all right. Varnished my back chamber floor today. Miss G - Minnie and I went call [sic] on Mr. Brom _____ people tonight.

Jul 8 Sat	Still looking for the folks to come. Made some cookies today and bought an extra loaf of bread, all I can do on uncertainties. But am watching all Autes [Autoes?]. Was going up town but am to tired.
Jul 9 Sun	Heard Mr. Wade from Chicago today, a wonderful talk. In P.M. Laura and George came with Lois and made a nice call, and took me riding to Harbor Springs and other places. Went to illustrated talk by Wade tonight. A terrable storm.
Jul 10 Mon	Got word this A.M. that Kate cant [can't] come, so dissapointed. Went up to Evelyn Hall to ladies Missionary Meeting for a while. Fixed my dress this P.M.
Jul 11 Tue	Got a Special this A.M. saying K would be here tonight, also Miss Van Lefflies [?]. Am so glad. Went down after the concert with George [?] and Laura and met them. Washed and went up to P. and Geo. and Laura came home with me.
Jul 12 Wed	Katharine [?] and Miss VanLifflin [?] came last night, was so glad to see them. We are having steady down pours of rain. Am glad Laura and George are here so Katharine won't get lonesom.
Jul 13 Thu	Had a fish dinner [?] today. This P.M. Laura and Geo. went to Petoskey and I went to the Auditorium with K. to practice for the pagent. Then we went to the Aud. to hear an illustrated lecture on Tibet. It was fine.
Jul 14 Fri	This is Friday evening and [?] I just came from Petoskey. Geo. and Laura and Rose brought us home. We had a nice time. The Pagent was fine. K. did well.
Jul 15 Sat	Katharine did not have to go to work so she and Minnie went to Petoskey. I went to see Black Beauty tonight with Miss Van Tifflin. It was very nice. Took a bath after I came home.
Jul 16 Sun	Heard one grand sermen [sermon] this A.M. by Dr. Geo. L. Robinsen. Also he talked at the Bay Side service. We went from there to the sacred concert. It also was very fine.
Jul 17-Sep 6	[Blank]
Sep 7 Thu	Minnie and Katharine went down home to Flint today. Shall miss them so much. Grandma Church and I all alone on this side.
Sep 8-Oct 28	[Blank]
Oct 29 Sun	Left for Detroit at 20 minutes to two and arrived home at ten thirty. Beautiful ride. Took supper with Roy and family.
Oct 30 Mon	Eleanor taken sick with scarlet fever today.
Oct 31-Dec 23	[Blank]
Dec 24 Sunday	Roy and Celia and boys came today also Celia and Henry Jones. Went to the white gift service. Katharine, Betty and Bobs took part. After service had supper. Mr. and Mrs. Roat and Frank were down then we had our x-mas tree.
Dec 25 Mon	Had our x-mas dinner with Frank, Amy and children besides Roy and family and ourselves. At night 28 for supper including Vartys also Jesse Fry, Clifford and Jimmie Adair, also Mrs. Thayer, Celia and Henry Jones.
Dec 26 Tue	Roy and Celia went to G-Rapids [Grand Rapids] and left twins with us.
Dec 27 Wed	Roy bought house and lot in Grand Rapids.
Dec 28-31	[Blank]

#### Cash Account

##### January

1st	S. S. Class		.50
8th	Carefare [carfare] Detroit		.95
13	Picture Pres. Church		.10
15	Collection		.25
4	Wool for doll, candy		.30
20th	Quinine		.20
20th	Yeast cakes		.09
18	San [?] Silk		.08
24	Maltine [?]	1	.30

28	Teeth fixed	3	.00
27	Picture		.25
29	Collection, carfare		.31

30 - Roy pd. interest, \$15.00

#### December

	Car fare to Flint	1	.03
	Bananas		.30
	Candy Ect [etc.]	1	.25
	Boys tie	1	.00
	J. L. tie	1	.00
	R. C. hchfs [handerchiefs?]	1	.00
	Eleanor pickels [?]		.50

[See bottom of this list for other December entries.]

#### February

4	Campher, rheubarb		.20
8	Sent night shirt		.06
10	Sent Betty's dress		.05
10	Stamps		.25
10	Bottle Ink		.10
10	Sky Pilot at Church		.15
15	Care fare		.20
17	Stockings		.75
17	Wash cloth		.07
17	Writing paper		.25
17	Perfume		.25
17	Corset	1	.39
18	Care fare Ypsi [Ypsilanti] and back	1	.10
18	Pictures		.75
18	Candy		.20
	Food	1	.13
	Crochet hook		.10
19	Collection		.25
20	Nightgown cloth		.92
20	Skirt cloth	1	.50
20	Glasses	9	.00
26	Collection		.25
27	Cloth for skirt		.28

#### March

1st	Crochet cott. [?]		.10
3	Carefare		.12
3	Pictures		.15
5	Collection		.25
6	Carefare		.25
8	Maltine	1	.50
10	Thread, Cr. cott.		.38
10	Stamps		.25
12	Collection		.29
11	Calico [crossed out] Gingham, pink		.23
10	Pictures		.15
13	B-day card		.15
	Hemstitching		.68

28	Shoe shine		.15
	Stockings	1	.99
	Veil		.50
	Crepe for collar		.52
	Hemstitching		.48
29	Ticket to Jackson	2	.48
	Ticket to Ft. Wayne	3	.54
	Street car fair		.13
	Luncheon		.15
<del>13</del>	<del>Gingham for dress, thread</del>	<del>2</del>	<del>.14</del>

[Note: The last entry crossed out.]

2	Collection		.35
	Hemstitching		.33
	Salts		.05
	Sasafras root		.05
	Envelopes		.10
9	Collection		.15
13	Gingham for dress	2	.14
13	Thread 2 sp. [spools?]		.15
13	Carefare		.15
13	Candy		.15
16	Collection		.25
19	Cambric [?] 3 yd. [yards]	1	.05
	Belt		.39
19	Maltine	1	.14
21	Hemstitching		.68
21	Pictures		.15
22	Matie B - apron		.30
	Care fare		.20
24	Flinch		.69
	Account book		.45
26	Mite box	1	.00
26	Collection		.05
26	Girls mite boxes		.21
26	H. M. Paper		.50

May

Flint

May 1st - Deposited - bank \$643.00

5	Eggs		.14
3	Drew from bank \$5.00		
3	Cough medacine		.75
3	Spray for Atomizer [?]		.50
3	Atomizer [?]	1	.25
5	Pictures		.45
8	Medacine	1	.00
	Carefare - cone		.10
10	Gerry today		.50
13	Fly blister		.25
13	Socks		.69
23	Raisens, carefare		.15

Amount on hand - \$1.00

23	Cash, drew from Flint bank	138	.00			
23	Draft	100				
	Paid for silk				2	.75
	Eleanor					.06
23	Car fare to Petoskey and return				14	.15
	Insurance on trunk					.10
	Paid Mrs. Case interest				36	.00
24	Breakfast					.35
25	Trunk					.50
26	Clothes line					.25
	Broom					.25
	Stamps					.25
28	Collection					.10
29	String beans					.17
29	Groceries				1	.99
29	Lard, Grapefruit					.27
27	Received from Vine	005	.00			
31	For taxi					.35
31	<del>2 cords wood</del>				<del>8</del>	<del>.00</del>
	Postal cards					.05

Took out 10th and 8 money

June

Balance [received] \$1.14

1	Box rent key					.35
3	Stove [?] black, McCalls					.25
4	Collection					.25
5	Clock fixed, care fare					.20
5	Drew from bank				10	.00
	Two cords wood				8	.00
8	Paid boy for work					.45
	Got of Mr. Bruns [or Burns]		.35			
10	Ice cream					.10
11	Collection					.25
12	Drew from bank				2	.48
12	Stockings					.98
	Petoskey papers				1	.50
17	American Magazine					.25
17	Taxi					.15
17	Shoe strings					.10
22	Drew from bank				13	.00
22	Refrigerator				12	.00
24	Oil cloth					.15
24	McCalls					.10
25	Collection					.30
25	Pd. 10th money, F. M. Fund				1	.00
26	Drew from bank				3	.42
26	Pd sewing machine				2	.09
26	Pd. Paul, oil				1	.33
26	Drew from bank				1	.50
26	Watch fixed				1	.50
27	Gasoline					.15
29	Stamps					.25

July

1	Oil cloth					.15
1	Garbage can				1	.69
	Waste paper basket					.35
	2 curtain rollers					.70
	Taxi					.15
5	Varnish stain [?]					.45
6	Hanger [?], dust pan					.25
6	Turpentine					.20
	Boat ride, stamps					.40
7	Special delivery					.10
	1 yd. oil cloth					.30
11	Taxi					.15
	Maltine				1	.50
	Malliass [molasses?]				10	.00
	Rugs				10	.00
16	Collection					

[No more entries for July given]

August

	Sick man					.50
	Complexion brush				1	.35
	Marriage charms [?]					.50
	Ice cream					.50
	Medacine					.60
	Medacine					.60
	Medacine					.60
	Picture					.50

September

	Pictures					.60
	Movies					.40
	Care far					.25
	Soap and yarn [or yam?] _____					.60
	Sending parcels					.16
	Cloth [?]					.05
	_____ plasters [?]					.35
	McCalls					.10
	Movie					.50
	Care fare					.25
	Collection					.25
16	Paid _____ percent				5	.00
	Paid Mrs. Morehous				1	.00
	Yarn for hat				1	.75
	Wire for hat					.25
	Collection					.10

October

	Collection					.32
	Wood				1	.25
	Car fare					.10
	Stamps					.10
	Found	5	.00			
	P. Office key					.20



	Parcel Post pk.					.39
	Book stamps					.50
	Parcel Post					.18
	Trunk and Taxi				1	.00
	Collection					.25
	Collection					.10
	Halloween					.25
	Maltine				1	.50
	Gloves [?] cleaned [?]					.20
	_____ Banquet					.85
	Dues H. M.				1	.20

#### November

10	[no entry directly across from this date]					
	Gloves				1	.00
	Mints [?], rubbers					.10
	Envelopes					.20
	Handkerchief					.25

#### December

6	Tablet, milk					.22
	Celia Pillowcase				1	.00
	Stamps					.50
	Sending packages - 16					
	Katharine - night gown					.75
	Linen for towels				1	.70
	Mrs. Burnam [?] h-chief					.35
	Bobs and Bettie books					.20
	John Jr. book					.50
	Bethany book					.50
	"Bobsy Twins at School"					
	Mrs. Rogers book					.40
	X-mas greetings - cards, booklet				1	.00
	Salvation Army, care fare					.30
	_____ towels				1	.00

[See top of this list for other December entries.]

NOTE: Information about John and Fronia Swayze:

Their marriage probably found at FamilySearch.org, John P. Swayze age 23 to Sophronia McLees age 22, married 21 Dec 1881, Oakland County, Michigan.

Probably found in the 1900 census as John P. Swayze or Swayze age 41, wife Sophronia age 41, both born MI, married 18 years, living in Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan. Children listed as Anna 16, Clare 10 both born MI and John's mother Hannah age 84 born NJ, his occupation farmer.

Probably found in the 1910 census as John P. Swayze age 51, wife Sophronia age 51, both born MI, she had 2 children, both living, married once for 28 years, living in Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan, his occupation farmer, no children listed with them.

Probably found in the 1920 census as John P. Lwatzzo or Swatzzo or Swatpp age 61, wife Sophrona age 60, both born MI, living in Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, his occupation listed as "none."

