

1924 Diary of Nellie Irene (Bates) Thomas (1861-1948)

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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 - Rev. and Mrs. Halles [?], Mrs. Donalson [?], the Cooleys - unknown persons.
Jan 2 - Jerry - refers to granddaughter Geraldine Roat. Mrs. Williams - unknown person.
Jan 3 - Mrs. MacCavendish - unknown person, see also Apr 1 spelled Cavendish. Mrs. Brown - unknown person.
Jan 4 - Mrs. Benedict - unknown person.
Jan 6 - The Hills - unknown persons.
Jan 7 - "the girls" - unknown persons.
Jan 9 - "the family" - probably refers to the Roat family in Flint, Michigan, her daughter Kate and husband Jesse Roat and children.
Jan 11 - Mrs. Case - refers to Nellie's friend. Misses Hill and Bachtell - unknown persons.
Jan 12 - Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Elanos [?] - unknown persons.
Jan 20 - Miss A. - unknown person, but per other diary entries this may be Miss Andrews and/or Ella Andrews.
Jan 21 - Mrs. Titus - unknown person.
Jan 23 - Harve [?] and Lil - unknown persons, perhaps last name of Davis see Feb 9.
Jan 25 - Mrs. Donaldson - unknown person.
Feb 9 - Lil Davis - unknown person. Lucy is probably Lucy (Davis) Winsor wife of Roy Winsor, daughter of Franklin Davis and Lois Peek. Lois Peek was a sister of Martha (Peek) Shepard.
Feb 12 - Mrs. Cathrin - see also Feb 22, Mrs. Katharin - unknown person.
Feb 14 - Mrs. Haller - see possible same name Jan 1 - unknown persons.
Feb 15 - Miss Kier - unknown person.
Feb 16 - Miss Markle - unknown person.
Feb 25 - Lil - could be Lil Davis wife of Harve. Marcia - might refer to Marcia Winsor the daughter of Roy Winsor and Lucy (Davis) Winsor. Lois - might be Lois (Peek) Davis.
Mar 26 - K. - may refer to her daughter, Katharine "Kate"(Thomas) Roat.
Mar 20 - The Swayzes - per other diary entries refers to Eileen and _____ Swayze in Fort Way, Indiana.
Mar 29 - Betty - refers to her granddaughter, Marion "Betty" Roat.
Apr 3 - Celia - refers to her daughter-in-law, wife of Nellie's son Roy Cresswell Thomas.
Apr 18 - Olive - might refer to Olive Peek a single woman, daughter of George Peek and Louise aka Lucy McQuigg. Olive was the sister of Lois Peek Davis, Martha Peek Shepard, Ransom Peek, and Warren Peek.
Apr 20 - Mrs. Storall and Dorothy [?], Mrs. Graves - unknown persons.
Apr 27 - Ransom, Hattie, Laura - probably refers to Ransom Peek and wife Harriett "Hattie" Wycoff Peek. Their children were Laura, Homer, Carl and Leon.
Apr 27 - Walter, Laura and Ralph, wife and baby - refers Walter Lamson and wife Laura, son Ralph Lamson. "Wife and baby" must refer to Ralph's wife, Marian, and baby, Lois born about 1923.
Apr 29 - Kate and J. L. - refers to Katharine "Kate" (Thomas) Roat and husband Jesse Levi "J. L."
May 2 - Gerry [aka Jerry, Jeri, etc.] - refers to Geraldine Roat, Nellie's granddaughter.
May 3 - E. - B. - B. - J.L - refers to Roats: Eleanor, Betty, Bob, and Jesse Levi.
May 4 - Marguerite and Lewis - refers to Marguerite (Roat) Gillam and her husband Lewis Gillam.
May 16 - Maybell and children [aka May, Mae, etc.] - probably refers to Maybelle (Cook) Thomas Clapp and her children from her marriage to John William Thomas who died in 1918. The surviving children were: John William Thomas Jr. born 1910 and Bethany Frances Thomas born 1915. Another child, Marjory May died in 1910 at about age 1-1/2.

May 17 - Bobs - refers to Nellie's grandson, Robert Levi Roat born 1917.
May 29 - Mr. Sanders - unknown person.
Jun 4 - Vine - unknown person. Other diaries may give her last name as Benton or Benson.
Jun 5 - John's birthday - refers to her son John William Thomas born 5 Jun 1886 and died 17 Apr 1918.
Jun 7 - Mr. Smith - unknown person. Cousin Lois - probably Lois Peek Davis wife of Franklin Davis.
Jun 11 - Mrs. Lawton - unknown person.
Jun 12 - Aileen Durfee - unknown person.
Jun 17 - Mrs. Phelps - unknown person.
Jun 19 - Mrs. Dodds - unknown person.
Jun 20 - Mrs. Jackson, Sam Newel [aka Newell aka Sam & Anna Newell or Newall, etc.] - unknown persons. They might be the Samuel and Anna Newell found in census records 1910-1920 living in Forty Wayne, Indiana. Mrs. Morehouse - unknown person. Nellie bought her cottage from a Mary Morehouse - might be related to this Mrs. Morehouse.
Jun 24 - Mrs. Dannelly - unknown person.
Jul 2 - Lucy - Lois. Lucy is probably Lucy (Davis) Winsor wife of Roy Winsor, daughter of Franklin Davis and Lois Peek. Lois Peek was a sister of Martha (Peek) Shepard.
Jul 5 - Ethel Shepherd, sister of Amy & Ray Shepherd, their mother was Martha Peek who married Sidney Shepherd. Martha Peek was Martha McQuigg Peek, sister to Catharine (McQuigg) Eaton Thomas, Nellie's adopted mother.
Jul 8 - Jennie Perry - evidently a friend of Geraldine Roat, granddaughter of Nellie's.
Jul 10 - Laura and George - perhaps Laura Peek the daughter of Ransom Peek and Harriet aka Hattie Wycoff. She married George Schlessler in 1922. They lived on Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan.
Jul 11 - Davenport - unknown persons.
Jul 18 - Anna, Sam and children - probably Anna and Sam Newell or Newall, also Jun 20 - unknown persons.
Jul 22-23 - might be her daughter-in-law, Maybelle aka Maybell aka Mae (Cook) Thomas.
Jul 29 - Satie [aka Sadie?] and Ed - probably refers to Nellie's niece, Sadie Cresswell and her husband Warren Edward "Ed" Altenburg who lived in Saginaw, Michigan. Sadie was the daughter of Thomas Cresswell and Cornelia Moore
Jul 30 - Mrs. Raymond - unknown person.
Aug 7 - Edith Bideau No__uella - unknown persons.
Aug 12 - Dr. Swift and Mr. Durfee - unknown persons.
Aug 16 - Mrs. Beebe and sister Mrs. Wintermere - unknown persons.
Aug 18 - Pearl and Wess - might refer so Pearl and Wess Sellers, found in the 1920 census as Pearl age 29 and Wm. Weston Sellers age 32, son Donald age 4. They were found in the 1930 census as William W. Sellas age 43, wife Pearl age 39, son Donald 14, daughter Ruth 5, Estella Adams, mother-in-law age 58. All Flint, Genesee County, Michigan.
Aug 23 - Mrs. Bebee and Winter _____ [aka Wintermere], Geo. - unknown persons.
Aug 23 - Ethel - probably Ethel Shepard. Hattie, Laura - probably Hattie Peek wife of Ransom Peek and daughter Laura.
Aug 23 - M. - might refer to her granddaughter Marguerite Roat.
Aug 23 - Katharine and Roy - refers to her son, Roy Thomas, and perhaps her daughter Katharine, but usually called Kate or it might refer to her granddaughter Katharine "Kitty" Roat.
Aug 24 - Marguerite - refers to her granddaughter who apparently worked in Bay View, probably as a waitress or hotel worker as some of her sisters did also.
Aug 26 - Mrs. Wintermere, see Aug 23, probably the same name - unknown person.
Sep 5 - Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Davis - unknown persons.
Sep 6 - Mrs. Barton - unknown person.
Sep 7 - Mrs. John L. Hall - unknown person.
Sep 11 - Mrs. Emma Lamb Bakers - unknown person.
Sep 16 - Mrs. Steel - unknown person.
Sep 17 - Roy Winsor - refers to Roy Winsor husband of Lucy Davis whose parents were Franklin Davis and Lois Peek.
Sep 23 - Ella - might refer to Ella Andrews.
Sep 26 - Winfield - might refer to Winfield Winsor born in 1917 son of Roy Winsor and Lucy (Davis) Winsor.

Sep 28 - Julia, Mr and Mrs. Barth - unknown persons. Winfield might refer to Winfield Winsor.
 Oct 5 - Mrs. Hermons - unknown person.
 Oct 7 - Mrs. Smith - unknown person.
 Oct 12 - Siberts - unknown persons.
 Oct 13 - Mr. Laird - unknown person.
 Oct 14 - Cousin Lola - unknown person. Mentions Marcia also who might be Marcia Winsor, mentioned previously.
 Oct 18 - Eckerts - unknown persons.
 Oct 29 - Jack - leg in cast - refers to John "Jack" Thomas, Nellie's grandson, and son of Roy & Celia Thomas.
 Oct 31 - Cousin Alma [who was] Mrs. Crossmans cousin and an Aunt of Mr. Codys - unknown person.
 Nov 2 - Ray - probably refers to Ray Shepard]. Hattie - probably refers to Hattie Peek wife of Ransom Peek. Cousin Lois - probably refers to Lois (Peek) Davis wife of Franklin Davis.
 Nov 2 - Vine & mother [?], Mrs. Crossman [?] & Florence. Lloyd - unknown persons. Possible Crossman connection, Lorena Crossman b. about 1842 IN and sister Florence Simpson b. about 1856 MI, living in Flint, Michigan in the 1910, 1920, and 1930 censuses. Lorena found with husband, F. S. Crossman in 1900 in Flint, Michigan and Fletcher Crossman in 1880 in Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan. Name sometimes spelled Crosman, etc. The maiden name of Lorena and Florence was apparently Rohm or Rhom, etc. found with parents George and Elizabeth in 1860 & 1870 censuses in Oakland County, Michigan.
 Nov 6 - Mrs. Williams - unknown persons.
 Nov 14 - Frank Odells (funeral), Mrs. Odell. Miss Hill and Miss Bachtell - unknown persons.
 Nov 16 - Mrs. Cummings and Franes [?] Whipple - unknown persons.
 Nov 17 - Mr. and Mrs. Hansen - unknown persons.
 Nov 20 - Lucretia and sister. Lucretia might refer to Lucretia (Hall) Goossen, wife of Lester of Flint, married there in 1914 and found in the 1920 and 1930 censuses, children Virginia and Jack.
 Nov 30 - Verna B. - unknown person.
 Dec 13 - Mr. and Mrs. Coles, Marjory and Kenneth - refers to Arthur Lincoln Coles and his wife Isabelle and their children Marjorie (born ca 1907) and Kenneth (born ca 1908).
 Dec 25 - Frank Frost and family - refers to Frank & Amy Frost and their children, Eloise, Carolyn, and Marjorie of Flint. Celia and Henry Jones unknown persons, but mentioned in other diary entries.

Residencies or Travel:

Jan 1 - Living in St. Petersburg, FL through April 22
 Apr 22 to 25 - traveling on train from FL to MI
 Apr 25 - Arrived in Flint from St. Petersburg, FL
 May 27 - Went to Grand Rapids through June 2
 Jun 3 - Went to Bay View, Michigan
 Oct 3 - Mentions first birthday she has not been in Bay View for years - so where was she?
 Oct 28 - Left Bay View and traveled to Grand Rapids
 Oct 28 - Arrived in Grand Rapids, to stay with Roy Thomas, her son, and his wife Celia.
 Nov 1 - Traveled from Grand Rapids to Flint, Michigan.
 Nov 2-Dec 31 - Living in Flint Michigan with her daughter's family, Kate (Thomas) Roat

Movies or plays:

Jan 10 - Sinking Sands [Was this a movie?]
 Jan 16 - The Covered Wagon - a play.
 Jan 22 - The Call of the Canyon by Jane Gray [Zane Grey?]
 Feb 5 - The Eternal City
 Feb 7 - & Feb 19 - Angle [Angel] of Broadway - Reba Crawford [sic Rheba]
 Feb 15 - The Grail
 Mar 12 - No Mother to Guide Her
 Mar 18 - The White Sister
 Mar 19 - Woman Proof
 Mar 21 - Ben Hur
 Mar 22 - The Meanest Man in the World

Mar 28 - Cameo Cirby
 Apr 10 - The Boy from Flanders
 Apr 14 - The Governor's Wife
 Apr 19 - Circus Days [Perhaps Daddy and Circus Days.]
 Apr 21 - Robin Hood
 Jun 30 - Racing Hearts - also listed on Jul 2
 Jul 1 - The Iron Trail
 July 4 - Betsy Ross
 July 5 - Johnson's Jungle adventures
 July 7 - Man of the Hour
 Jul 11 - His Ruling [?] Passion
 Jul 12 - Front Page Story
 Jul 23 - Smiling Through
 Jul 24 - Give and Take
 Aug 2 - The Third Alarm [?]
 Aug 12 - Safety Last
 Aug 19 - Bright Shawl
 Aug 23 - Orphans of the Storm
 Sep 3 - Less of the Storm Country
 Sep 5 - Down to the Sea in Ships
 Sep 6 - Old Kentucky Home
 Oct 30 - The Ten Commandments
 Nov 18 - Robinson Crusoe
 Dec 17 - Pinafore [Sounds like a play, maybe H.M.S. Pinafore.]

Books:

Jan 5 - The Covered Wagon
 Sep 2 - The Wall of Partition - Florence Barkley
 Sep 6 - How to Live 100 Years - G. M. Bronson [not found on the internet]

Important notes:

Mar 19 - Mentions a poem she wrote. It is unknown which of her poems she was referring to. On March 20 she states: My poem was published in tonight's paper.
 May 14 - The Roat family moved from 1169 Oak Street to 618 Avon Street.

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St. Petersburg, Fla.

Jan 1 Tue	Started in the New Year by attending a watch night service and rededicating myself to my Heavenly Father and his work. Took dinner at the Betty. Went from there home with Rev. and Mrs. Halles [?]. From there to see Mrs. Donalson [?]. After supper went to call on the Cooleys.
Jan 2 Wed	Am starting to finish Jerrys nook [?] basket today. Have been to prayer meeting tonight, such a crowd, 7 or 8 hundred or more. Stopped in Mrs. Williams room a few moments when we came in. My throat bad.
Jan 3 Thu	Went to a Chicken Pie dinner at Presbyt. church. Then called on Mrs. MacCavendish. After we got home Mrs. Haller [?] came and stayed the rest of P.M. Tonight went to Swanee [?] Hotel to hear a very fine musician and Mrs. Brown took us over [to the] Hotel.
Jan 4 Fri	Finished Gerrys nook [?] basket today. After dinner we called on Mrs. Benedict. Tonight went to park to a boy scout entertainment. Saw them do several stunts. Trying to make my blue dress shorter.
Jan 5 Sat	Turned very cold. Finished fixing my blue dress. We finished reading The Covered Wagon. The wind so strong we nearly got s_____ked out of the house.
Jan 6 Sun	Another splendid sermon this A.M. on the pattern for our lives for the new year. The Hills took us riding again this P.M. and it was lovely. So many beautiful flowers. Very cold night again tonight. Afraid of frost.
Jan 7 Mon	Washed, ironed and cleaned. Went to Crown for dinner. Went down to call on the girls this evening. Had a pleasant time. Very cold.

Jan 8 Tue	Michigan meeting this P.M. Had a very good time. This evening went to Baptist Church, heard about the second coming of Christ.
Jan 9 Wed	Got a home letter today from the family. Think it did me good. Went to prayer meeting. Church audt. [auditorium] full and some in galleries.
Jan 10 Thu	Went to see Sinking Sands this P.M. but the best of all was the Bible School by Dr. Hubbard of the Baptist Church. His subject tonight was Great Tribulations. Thinks perhaps we are just entering into that period.
Jan 11 Fri	Last night the Misses Hill and Bachtell, Mrs. C. and I went to hear Dr. Eugene Christian at Hotel Colonial. He gave a splendid general talk on foods.
Jan 12 Sat	Did some cleaning. Made salad dressing. Done shopping for picnic. Had callers, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Elanos [?]. Started out to hear band play tonight and found it raining.
Jan 13 Sun	Mrs. C. did not feel well and we did not go to morning worship. Went at 2:30 to the Plaza to hear Dr. Hubbard on the Devine Conception. It was wonderful. To Church in the evening to hear Dr. Carnine [?].
Jan 14 Mon	Washed, ironed and cleaned today. Went out to hear the Band play at night but it was quite cold. Had to have a fire all day. Sewed a little and rested a while this P.M.
Jan 15 Tue	Intended going to the opening of the Bible School but the girls came up and we talked picnic. Then we went to meeting. Mr. Hill brought us home. Took us all to dinner and then took us riding.
Jan 16 Wed	Spent the A.M. getting ready for our picnic. In the P.M. Miss Hill and Bachtell, Mrs. C. and I went to see The Covered Wagon. It is a great play. Kept so close to the story and gave such impression of the early history of our states.
Jan 17 Thu	Well the much talked about picnic is a thing of the past. It was a perfect day just warm enough and a little cloudy. First went to County Fair - Pinellas - then to Clear Water and had picnic. Then to Safty Harbor and drank ourselves full of mineral water - home.
Jan 18 Fri	Went to hear Dr. Gray this A.M. Hills brought us home. Mrs. Benedict was here to dinner. I went to hear Dr. Southerland in P.M. and Dr. Gray again at night. Was very weary when night came.
Jan 19 Sat	Went to hear Dr. Gray again this A.M. The Hills took us and we drove around after meeting until dinner time then went to Betties C [?] aft. for dinner. Had Miss Hill and Bachtell up to supper tonight.
Jan 20 Sun	Went to our own Church this A.M. then to the Home for dinner. I took off my dress and put on camona [?] and just rested after I got home from Church and I needed it. Wrote a couple of cards and sent Miss A. letter back. Went to hear Dr. Gray.
Jan 21 Mon	So very cold today, did not get up until late - or did not wash. Had our dinner in. Some mixup on the room but Mrs. Titus finally took it.
Jan 22 Tue	A little warmer, but still quite cold. Washed, ironed and cleaned. Wrote two letters. Went out to dinner. Tonight to see "The Call of the Canyon" by Jane Gray. It was fine.
Jan 23 Wed	Did a little shopping for eats this A.M. Went to our Michigan meeting this P.M. A large gathering there. Tonight Mrs. Titus, Mrs. Case and I went to Prayer meeting. Mrs. Henderson was there and spoke. Saw Harve and Lil.
Jan 24 Thu	Had our dinner in again today. Stayed quietly at home this P.M. Did a little sewing. Tonight we went to hear one of the greatest Bible Authorities of today. Speaks 45 different languages.
Jan 25 Fri	Went to hear again this A.M. Then went to call on Mrs. Donaldson who is ill. This P.M. Harve and Lil came and took me riding. Mrs. Case heard of her brother's death today. Tonight we went to the Salvation Army Citidal to hear Col. S. L. Brengle, a man who has traveled over much of the world, Mr. Lord - assistant.
Jan 26 Sat	So very cold today. Finished fixing my pongee. Went down to hear Dr. Christians lecture all alone tonight. Expect to go and talk to him next week. Am hoping he will be able to help me.
Jan 27 Sun	To Church three times today. From 9-30 to 12 Bishop Homer C. Stuntz [?]. 2-30 until 5 P.M. Col. S. L. Brengle. From 5-45 to 9 Dr. E. C. [?] Reynolds. Am very tired. A little warmer. Fine sunset.
Jan 28 Mon	The sunset fooled us for it rained nearly all day. Washed and cleaned but couldn't hang up clothes. Bible School of Mission this week. Went this P.M. Many very fine and well known people here.
Jan 29 Tue	Another nice day. Crowds attend the S. Q. M. Have to get there about one hour ahead of time to get a seat. The Bishop gave his east talk tonight on South Of Panama. S. D. Gordon [?] on Levi.
Jan 30 Wed	Went to see Dr. Eugene Christian this A.M. Said my heart was in splendid condition but was having to do nearly twice as much work as it should. Went to School of Mission 3 times today! Mrs.

	Peabody is a wonderful woman.
Jan 31 Thu	Last day of Jan. Did not feel well so stayed at home this A.M. and got some letters written. Had a fine meeting this P.M. Such wonderful spirit building talks. Such jems [gems] of thot [thought] if we could only remember.
Feb 1 Fri	This is the last day of the Bible School and I am so glad for I am tired in mind and body. The Pagent - The Way - by Mrs. Cronk and Sister was very good. Mr. Gordon [?] was fine to the last.
Feb 2 Sat	Got up about usual time. Mrs. C. rested as I went to the well after a bottle of water. Then came home and cleaned some. After dinner we sunned ourselves. The Hills looked for us to go riding. Rested in P.M.
Feb 3 Sun	Went to Church - then dinner and home. Rested a few minutes then riding with the Hills. It was fine. Went to see the new bridge. Then got our bottles filled. To Church tonight. Boy Scouts there. X-Pres. Wilson dead.
Feb 4 Mon	Washed and ironed and cleaned as usual. More rain and chilly. Stayed in tonight, the first time in 2 weeks I guess.
Feb 5 Tue	Had dinner in and had strawberry shortcake. Called on Mrs. Benedict this A.M. Felt very miserable and rested quite a while this P.M. Went to see The Eternal City, a grand picture.
Feb 6 Wed	Did not go on Mich. excursion as I wished, it was to rainy - cold and windy. Called on Mrs. Donaldson. Took supper at Cafeteria. Went to prayer meeting.
Feb 7 Thu	Went to see Dr. E. Christian this A.M. Am going to see what he can do for me. Tonight went to hear the Angle [Angel] of Broadway - Reba Crawford [sic Rheba Crawford? See also Feb. 19]. It is much to cold for comfort.
Feb 8 Fri	Began Dr. Christian methods and diets. Eaten no bread today and only a little of anything else. Went to hear The Irishman Abroad tonight. Our last ride with the Hills.
Feb 9 Sat	Had a great time marketing this A.M., quite a time to find a chicken I wanted, then he was so fat. Lil Davis came to see me this P.M. Said poor Lucy had a stroke.
Feb 10 Sun	Instead of Friday, today was our last ride with Mr. Hill before he leaves for Calif. We went to Clearwater again. Came home and went to funeral services for Ex Pres. Woodrow Wilson.
Feb 11 Mon	Today we entertained Mr. and Miss Hill and Miss Bachtell for dinner as Mr. Hill leaves for Calif. tomorrow. In the evening went to the E. Church to hear Vaugh male Quartette.
Feb 12 Tue	Mr. Hill and girl [?] went to Tampa this A.M. I have washed, ironed and cleaned today and Mrs. Cathrin was here to dinner. Went to hear John Henry on emigration.
Feb 13 Wed	These days the mental and social skies are not as clear and pleasant as I wish they might be. Am praying to be able to do my part twoard clearing and Keeping them cleared.
Feb 14 Thu	Went after water this A.M. Mrs. C. went out to make calls. After dinner called on Mrs. Haller [?]. Then we three went to Cong. Church to a pagent and lecture by Clinton N. Howard on World Peace. At night to hear Hindo.
Feb 15 Fri	Wrote to Miss Kier [?] this A.M. also went to Boyds and Cafeteria. Had dinner in there. Fooled around down town and finally went to Park to hear band play. Went to see "The Grail" at the Grand.
Feb 16 Sat	Got the letter written to Miss Markle and started them on their way. Sewed some this P.M. Went and sat on the green benches a while tonight. Things quite normal again today.
Feb 17 Sun	Went to Sunday School and Church alone this A.M. Mrs. Case was resting. Am not very well and she went alone tonight. My head feels very bad.
Feb 18 Mon	Mrs. Titus went away today. Went to bank. Washed. Ironed and cleaned today but was so tired could hardly get around. Went to hear a reader at the Church tonight. She was fine. Man came and put the pipes on gas heater.
Feb 19 Tue	Went to hear Reba Crawford - Angle [Angel] of Broadway. She is terrible on account of using a tent for services. Got my underwaists cut out. Do not feel one bit well. Go to see Dr. Christian again tomorrow.
Feb 20 Wed	Raining this A.M. but went to see Dr. Christian. Went to Mich. meeting this P.M., quite a good entertainment. Prayer meeting best.
Feb 21 Thu	Turned cold again. Had to get in supplies today. Then had dinner in. Sewed quite a lot this P.M. Went to hear the Jew [?] - Joseph Hoffman Cohn of N. Y. City. He was wonderful.
Feb 22 Fri	Went to Christian Church _____ [?]. Sewed again some today. Mrs. C. and Mrs. Katharin went to H. M. S. Went to an entertainment for our division of the Church tonight. Had to miss the Jew [?] and also Dr. Christian lecture.

Feb 23 Sat	We have been to the Richie-Raymond T. meetings and seen a good many converts and several healed. One boy who hadent walked without crutches for six years walked right off. Some healed of deafness, eye sight, stomach trouble, Ect. [Etc.]
Feb 24 Sun	Went to S. School this A.M. Then P.M. went to hear the first of Dr. House lectures. He is a wonderfully masterful speaker. Heard him twice today.
Feb 25 Mon	As usual done my Mondays work, a little extra today. Was quite used up. Lil was here this P.M. with Marcias and Lois letter[s]. Have been to meeting twice today to hear Dr. House.
Feb 26 Tue	Attended both of Dr. House's lectures. Under a cloud again for some reason. I know not what. It surely wears any one out.
Feb 27 Wed	Went to see Dr. Christian again this A.M. He changed my diet again. Think I am beginning to feel better. Attended both lectures. Mrs. [?] Robinson was Mrs. Cases guest so I went alone to dinner.
Feb 28 Thu	Attending Dr. House meetings twice a day.
Feb 29 Fri	Went and sat in the park a little while after dinner today.
Mar 1 Sat	Did Sat. work. Went to hear Dr. House in the P.M., and at night to the Congregational Church to hear the colored people of 60 voices give a concert. It was fine. Took in coll. [collection] \$450 for Hospital.
Mar 2 Sun	Went to S. School this A.M. and to hear Dr. House twice, two wonderful lectures. He surely is a great man of God. A masterpiece as he preached about [sic]. Do not feel very fine.
Mar 3 Mon	Done washing and cleaning, also ironing. To much for me as I am weak. Went to Lecture this P.M. but stayed at home tonight. Just about all in. Wanted to hear Richy [?].
Mar 4 Tue	Went to see Dr. Christian again this A.M. He told me to come again time not up until 7th [?]. Took good parts of two long lectures today. Think my mind or memory getting a little stronger.
Mar 5 Wed	About 4-30 Mrs. Case came and told me Mr. Rogers was in there. I was quite surprised altho thot probably He might come down while I was here. We had a great time to find a place for him to stay all night.
Mar 6 Thu	Mr. Rogers has been here most of the day. Had dinner and supper with us. I went to take him down [?] to his Hotel for fear He would get lost. Was quite dissapointed to miss Dr. Houses Lecture tonight.
Mar 7 Fri	Mr. Houses last day and I am so glad as I am tired out. He gave two splendid lectures today. He is very helpful and so instructive.
Mar 8 Sat	Finished my underwaists today and fixed Pongee dress a little, but weather not nice for anything _____. The air is so freighted with unkindness. I am just sick. I aught to have known enough not to come.
Mar 9 Sun	I have a bad cold and feel miserable. Did not go to Church this A.M. Have been so cold all day. Stayed in bed quite a little time. It has rained most of the day. I pray for grace.
Mar 10 Mon	Did my regular work on Monday. It was cold and wind blew very hard. Went to hear Campbell Morgan in P.M. Took more cold. In evening went to see pictures of the Passion Play.
Mar 11 Tue	Went to hear Campbell Morgan this P.M. He is a great Bible student. Went to hear De-Forrest give entertainment at Church.
Mar 12 Wed	After dinner we went to Boyd after some supplies, then went to see "No Mother to guide her.["] Good. This was prayer meeting night again - the night we all love. Things a little pleasanter now.
Mar 13 Thu	Went to Richie Revival meetings. Such great meetings. Many healed. Rested this P.M. quite a while. Went to hear Homer Milton Baker, Character Analyst and Psychologist.
Mar 14 Fri	Been putting some trimming in my linen dress, not through yet. Went to hear Campbll [Campbell] Morgan tonight.
Mar 15 Sat	Went over to the Park this noon and had our pictures taken in Michigan Society. Then went to Y. W. for dinner. Then to see Picture. Tonight to hear Mr. Baker of Calif.
Mar 16 Sun	Went to Church this A.M. Heard the "Presiding Elder." Had a lovely rest this P.M. Went to Hear Major Harry West Farrington, Poet and Minister.
Mar 17 Mon	Did Mondays work as usual. Worked a little on my linen dress. Went to hear Major Farrington again tonight. A great thunder storm came up, had to lend our rubbers and umbrellas.
Mar 18 Tue	This has been Mrs. Cases birthday. I have tried to do what I could to make it pleasant for her. Gave her a linen h-chif [handkerchief] and took her to the Plaza to see "The White Sister." Then went up

	to ninth St. Got Ice cream - bought cake, Ect [etc.] and had a nice supper. Went to Camp fire of the Vetrans [Veterans] tonight.
Mar 19 Wed	Such a buisy day. Went out this A.M. as soon as A.M. work done. Took my poem to Office. Went from there to bank then to see about umbrella. Home, wrote some, then out to dinner. From there looked around stores, then to see "Woman Proof" I think it was. Then to Michigan Meeting. After supper to Prayer Meeting. Pretty tired. I helped serve at M-meeting.
Mar 20 Thu	Rained very hard again today. Got dinner at home. Wrote to Swayzes. Rested some then worked on my linen dress. My poem was published in tonight's paper. Went to hear Mr. Baker this evening.
Mar 21 Fri	Cubian fruit - japodillo. Bought cloth for my white slip. Mrs. C. and girls went to Christian Church to dinner then Mrs. Williams took them out to her Orange Orchard, brought home some lovely oranges. Went to see Ben Hur. It was grand.
Mar 22 Sat	Went out a while before dinner. Went to Home [?] to dinner then Mrs. Case took me to see "The Meanest Man in the World." It was good. Came home. Rested a while then finished my linen dress. Darned stockings. Got supper and went to hear Mr. Baker talk on "The Psychology of Love and Marriage."
Mar 23 Sun	Got up and went to Church and S. S. alone and to dinner alone. Mr. Mosier [?] the Evangelist preached at night. Had a good rest.
Mar 24 Mon	Did my usual Monday work. It has been a lovely day. After dinner Mrs. C. and I took a long walk down West Central and ninth St. Had Ice cream cone to cool us off.
Mar 25 Tue	Today finished cutting out my slip and have it partly made. I like it so much. Went to the Park tonight to hear the band play.
Mar 26 Wed	Began the States celebration today. Mrs. Case and I looked for Hat and shoes. Went to States prayer meeting tonight. Got a letter from K. [probably Kate] today. Worked some on my slip. Am pretty tired tonight.
Mar 27 Thu	Today was the Festival of States. A real nice perade [parade] and very pretty floats. Went to Michigan banquet tonight. Had a very good time.
Mar 28 Fri	Took a long walk up to the Seaboard Coastline Depot this A.M. to see about reservations. Also went to bank to send for more money. Mrs. C. and I went to perade this P.M. and tonight I took her to see "Cameo Cirby." A beautiful picture.
Mar 29 Sat	The wind has blown very hard all day. Cyclone in some of the states - fifteen killed. Went after water this P.M. Bought a little nigger doll for Betty.
Mar 30 Sun	Went to Church and Sunday School. Also to Church tonight to hear one of Dr. House powerful sermons. Something is casting shauods [? shadows?] abroad again. Will be so thankful when I can get out of this atmosphere.
Mar 31 Mon	Last day of the month. Did usual work and washed curtains for kitchen and windows. Mrs. Donaldson and I went and got our reservations today. Stayed at home tonight for the first time in weeks.
Apr 1 Tue	Went after water this A.M. then to dinner and then Mrs. Case and I looked around the stores. Bought my ticket for home. Mr. and Mrs. McCavendish were here to call. Went to hear Dr. House tell story of his life tonight.
Apr 2 Wed	Bought the beads and other materials and started bead bag [?] today. Mrs. Benedict - Mrs. C. and I went to G.A.R. Hall to dinner. We had a wonderful prayer meeting tonight. Mrs. Youngs gave such a sweet experience.
Apr 3 Thu	Went out and got some more beads for Celia a purse. Have stayed in most of the day and worked on bag. Wrote a letter to Kate. Going to the Park to hear the Highland Laddies play.
Apr 4 Fri	Saw a man walk the tight-wire across from the tops of the tallest buildings. Didn't work much on the purse today. Went to hear Choral Club from Stetson University Deland Florida, about fifty voices. It was fine. Rain very hard.
Apr 5 Sat	Worked on my perse quite a lot today. Bought some underware. Out quite a lot of the day. Went to see Prince somebody do tight rope walking. He did some wonderful feats but I feel sorry for him to think he has no more sense.
Apr 6 Sun	Went to Church and S. School. Rested in P.M. and evening as I did not feel very well.
Apr 7 Mon	Usual Monday work only more so. Done up all curtains in Mrs. Cases room.

Apr 8 Tue	Went to Pass-a-grill to the Flint picnic. About 60 there. Went in buss, came home in boat and trolley. Enjoyed my rides going and coming best, but had a very good time.
Apr 9 Wed	Just came from prayer meeting and have done some mending. Finished one bag today and started another.
Apr 10 Thu	Cut out Mrs. C. slip. Worked on my bag today. Tonight at six Mrs. Case took me to see Jackie Coogan in "The boy from Flanders." It was fine. After that we went to the Park but the crowd was so thick we did not stay.
Apr 11 Fri	This forenoon fitted Mrs. C. slip and then shortened my blue dress. Went out after dinner and did a little trading. A big storm came up about four oclock. Went down to see the girls.
Apr 12 Sat	Pretty blue atmosphere inside today. When I try to let the sun shine, it immediately gets clouded over. Bought me a new dress yesterday. Went on a silent walk after water.
Apr 13 Sun	Went to Church alone this A.M., also to dinner alone. Then came home and rested and wrote some letters. Pd \$5.00 on the Church deficit today.
Apr 14 Mon	Some big rain this A.M. Couldn't wash as planned. Strung some beads for neclace [necklace]. Mrs. C. and I went to see the Governors [Governors] Wife - Good.
Apr 15 Tue	Did my usual Mondays work and more. Getting ready to leave for home.
Apr 16 Wed	Prayer meeting tonight, last one in St. Pete for me. Made a big bach [batch] of lovely cookies for Mrs. Case.
Apr 17 Thu	Miss Hill - Bachtell - Case and I went to Safety Harbor today. Had a lovely ride and a fine time. Went to pre Easter service tonight.
Apr 18 Fri	April 12th last Class [? Glass?] _____ I sent Olive. Went out and did some trading today. Walked so much and it was so hot I nearly made myself sick. Went to Pre Easter Service tonight. Also took our baths.
Apr 19 Sat	Did a big wash and a lot of cleaning today so I can get my trunk off Monday. Also got ironing done. Tonight we went to see Jackie Coogan in Circus Days or something like that. [Perhaps Daddy and Circus Days.]
Apr 20 Sun	This is Easter Sunday and a wonderful day. This A.M. went to Church then to "Home" to dinner. Then Mrs. Storall and Dorothy [?] took me to the beach to see the Colord people baptise. Then Mrs. Case and I went to see Mrs. Graves [?]. Then to M.E. Church to hear cantata "Christ The Victor."
Apr 21 Mon	Eleven oclock P.M. Buisy as a bee about all day. Getting trunk off - parcel post packages, Ect [etc.] Then went to dress makers with Mrs. Case. After supper Mrs. Case took me to see Robin Hood. Then we went to park and heard band finish. Then watched them play Rook.
Apr 22 Tue	Up early and got a bottle of water. Then cleaned up. Received callers to say goodbye. Then Mrs. Storall brought me to the train. Mrs. Case, Miss Hill and Miss Bachtell came to see me off. Very hot and dusty ride.
Apr 23 Wed	Spartanburg [South] Carolina. Saw our first dandylion. Had a wonderful ride through the Blue Ridge mountains in North Carolina and through the Cumberlands in the night. Woke up at High Ridge Kentucky. Warm and flowers blooming.
Apr 24 Thu	Had some accident to our train and lost 1-1/2 hours. Then lost our connections at Cincinnati then again at Detroit. So am on the train now at one oclock A.M. on my way home.
Apr 25 Fri	Flint. Arrived here this A.M. at four. Walked up to the house and carried my bag. Very quiet but did not feel afraid. Made my bed on the couch and slept a little until family got up. Some surprise.
Apr 26 Sat	Marguerite home but not well. Seems good to be back home. Am pretty tired and weak. My limbs get pretty shakey some times.
Apr 27 Sun	Ransom, Hattie, Laura and _____ [blank] came this A.M. and stayed a while, then Cousin Walter - Laura and Ralph - wife and baby came. Had such a good time. All went rideing [sic] in the P.M. They started home about seven.
Apr 28 Mon	Am not washing today.
Apr 29 Tue	Went to potluck at the Church with Kate and J. L., Sunday School class.
Apr 30-May 1	[Blank]
May 2	Kate went to Olivet today to spend the weekend with Gerry and attend Mother and daughter

Fri	Banquet given by Sigma Beta. Went to picture at the Church.
May 3 Sat	Rained most of the day. Cleared about 3 P.M. Then E. - B. - B. - J.L. [Eleanor, Betty, Bob, Jesse Levi] and I went to lake. Found it very cold. Had to do our best to keep warm.
May 4 Sun	Marguerite and Lewis drove out this P.M. We found a few Spring beauties - the first of the season. Got home about seven. Kate came about nine.
May 5 Mon	Rain and more rain, but we washed. Got Gerrys clothes dry and ironed and sent home.
May 6 Tue	[Blank]
May 7 Wed	Went to prayer meeting.
May 8 Thu	Rain.
May 9 Fri	Rain.
May 10 Sat	[Blank]
May 11 Sun	Went to Church.
May 12 Mon	Washed and ironed and baked and getting ready to move.
May 13 Tue	Put most of the household goods in storage today.
May 14 Wed	Moved over on Avon St. today. Some buisy time.
May 15 Thu	[Blank]
May 16 Fri	Went to see Maybell and children today.
May 17 Sat	Was taken so sick today, vomited all day. Bobs is also sick. Dr. Handy came up to see us.
May 18 Sun	[Blank]
May 19 Mon	Couldent get up today as we had no fire and it was to cold.
May 20 Tue	Up today - got an oil stove.
May 21 Wed	Sewing for me.
May 22-23	[Blank]
May 24 Sat	Went up to Hospital today and sure had some unpleasant experience. Roy came today.
May 25 Sun	Roy and all of the family went to the lake. It is a very cold stormy day. Lewis came out to dinner.
May 26 Mon	Pretty busy packing trunk and getting things ready.
May 27 Tue	Came to Grand Rapids today. Celia met me at the Depot.
May 28 Wed	Visiting hard. Went down to an Auction where they were selling Jewelery. How I did want some solid silver. It went for a song.
May 29 Thu	Went to Baner [?] Animal show tonight, wonderful trained animals. Mr. Sanders brought us home in their elegant car.
May 30 Fri	Found Roy home this A.M. so glad to see Him. Is starting to work for Frankel Bros.
May 31	Roy came up this P.M. and took Celia and I out to help pick out his new car. Bought an Overland

Sat	Sedan.
Jun 1 Sun	We all went to Church this A.M. to the Baptist. Was dissapointed in the sermon of Roys [?] account. This P.M. went into the Country for a nice ride, everything in blossom.
Jun 2 Mon	Roy really started to work for Frankles this A.M. God help him to make a success of it and save.
Jun 3 Tue	Am on my way to Bay View. Am at Marathon, some claim highest place in Mich. Arrived here at three. Got water turned on and things in running order.
Jun 4 Wed	Found my trunk and box in the cottage. Am beginning cleaning in real earnest. Have met quite a few acquaintences. Vine in a few minutes after dinner.
Jun 5 Thu	Johns birthday. Vine was up tonight and stayed until ten. _____ [Tonite?] a thunder shower and then it rained most of the night. Cooler again this A.M. Am working hard.
Jun 6 Fri	Was very tired this A.M. Found it very hard to make myself work. Went out and did some phoneing and went to the new Post Office and picked out my box. Cleaned this P.M.
Jun 7 Sat	Was so tired today did not acomplish very much. Went to Petoskey about 4-30. Rode up with Mr. Smiths. I stayed all night with Cousin Lois.
Jun 8 Sun	We did not go to church or get up until nine. I justed [just] rested about all day. Had a chicken dinner and it did taste so good. Walked home about dark.
Jun 9 Mon	Well I had some time washing curtains and extras today. It pretty near used me up. Vine came in this P.M. Also took me up town with her tonight. Am very tired.
Jun 10 Tue	Am certainly doing the scrubbing act these days. Went to the P.O. and got a card from Gerry written Monday. Says she is being initiated into the Fraternity.
Jun 11 Wed	Cleaned my dining room today. Keep finding new things to do. Mrs. Lawton was in to see me today. Will be so glad when I get through cleaning.
Jun 12 Thu	Got my kitchen nearly done. Cleaned stove pipe and stoves and draged all day, so tired. Aileen Durfee came for me to go rideing with them but couldnt leave. Was so sorry.
Jun 13 Fri	Finished the kitchen and cleaned the back pearch [porch] Ect. [etc.]. Have a good many callers and have to stop and talk.
Jun 14 Sat	I felt like having a regular jubilee all by myself as I finished cleaning my side of the house and got moved into the apartment.
Jun 15 Sun	Rained hard all the forenoon and all night so I could not walk to Church. But do not know as I could anyway as I was just all used up. Slept for hours today.
Jun 16 Mon	Felt pretty well done up today. Went to bed a while this A.M. so I would be well enough to go to Petoskey. Lois wouldnt let me come home so slept all night. Did quite a lot of tradeing.
Jun 17 Tue	Got home about ten A.M. Did not try to do any cleaning today. Got a letter from Marguerite. Was invited over to Mrs. Phelps to listen over the radio.
Jun 18 Wed	Washed today the fussiest [?] kind of a washing, curtains and cushins beside other dirty clothes. Just about used up when I got through.
Jun 19 Thu	It has been very hot this A.M. Had a thunder shower. I cleaned the side front porch and front room of side apartment. Mrs. Dodds brought my mail.
Jun 20 Fri	Felt better this A.M. Have cleaned all day. Finished the stove and pipes. Mrs. Jackson called. Mrs. Morehouse was over and tonight Sam Newell came to see me. At Olden fishing. So surprised.
Jun 21 Sat	Was very busy today and got very tired. But Vine came and took me up to Loises where I stayed all night.
Jun 22 Sun	Went to the Childrens day exercises today with Lois. Not much compared to Court St. Stayed and went in the eve to hear Mr. Bluefield on "Amusements."
Jun 23 Mon	Monday finished my cottage cleaning except a few extra jobs around.
Jun 24 Tue	This P.M. dressed up and went to see Mrs. Dunnelly about the girls not coming until the 5. Had a good walk. Went down to Vines but she was not there. She stayed all night with me tonight.
Jun 25 Wed	Got up at 5-30 to get Vine some b-fast then I did my washing. Went up town this P.M. Think I have a place for Miss Andrews.
Jun 26 Thu	Well, another off day. Been so down cast and blue all day. Just ready to cry, but didnt. Perhaps it would have cleared the atmosphere. Been out twice today. Ironed and did little jobs. My limbs feel peculiar tonight. Will be so glad when the girls come.
Jun 27	In the painting business today. Did four chairs and a stand. Got over myself for another time and felt

Fri	much better. Miss Phelps asked me to ride up town. If I have to keep turning these [?] friends down they soon wont ask me any more.
Jun 28 Sat	A dreary rainy cold day. Am reading Dr. Nye by Lincoln and find it fine. Got my yellow paint and gave my chairs the first coat of stripeing.
Jun 29 Sun	Went to Sunday School and Church. Rev. Joseph Dutton preached on the "Shadow of a man." Rested in the P.M. Wrote two letters and then went to Vines. We went to Cemetary.
Jun 30 Mon	Went up town and done to much walking. Looking for something for my poarch chairs. In the evening went to see the first movie at B.V. this year - Raceing Hearts - fine.
Jul 1 Tue	Today had to wash some of my windows over getting ready for people to come. Have been working on my chair runners. Went to see the Iron Trail. Good.
Jul 2 Wed	Lucy Winsor [or Winsor] was brought to Petoskey on a stretcher from Detroit this A.M. Has had another stroke. Poor girl and poor Lois. Now she can't go on her trip. Picture tonight, Racing Hearts. Good
Jul 3 Thu	_____ into the cookie business today getting ready for my company. The picture tonight, Mr. Billings Spends His Dime. Rather funny.
Jul 4 Fri	Kate and family get here about four this P.M. Would have been here much earlier but had machiene trouble. Was so glad to see them. Took them to see Betsy Ross. It was fine.
Jul 5 Sat	Up town this A.M. then home to lunch and in P.M. went around to Harbor Springs. Then to see Ethel Shepherd then Cousin Lois and from there to Hospital to see Lucy. In evening to see Johnson's Jungle adventures.
Jul 6 Sun	So sorry they had to go home so soon. Started at one oclock. I did up work, rested a little then went with Vine to Cemetary and Cousin Loises. Found Marguerite here when I got home.
Jul 7 Mon	Felt pretty tired today and not very well. Soaked paper off from the little stand and got it ready to paint. Marguerite was over to see me. Went to see Man of the Hour.
Jul 8 Tue	Washed, ironed and cleaned today. The girls came up and brought some ice cream and a letter from Geraldine and Jennie Perry. Picture - Hit or Miss.
Jul 9 Wed	Painted stand and chair today. Strolled around in the rain after the paint. Went up to see the girls.
Jul 10 Thu	Dident feel very good today. Went out to see about room for Jenny Perry. Laura and George came today. Stayed all night with Vine.
Jul 11 Fri	Gave the stand and chair the second coat today. Had several callers in the back yard, among them Professer Barton. Went to P. [Petoskey] this P.M. Came home with Davenports. Picture His ruleing [?] Passion. Extra [?] fine.
Jul 12 Sat	Finished my painting and cleaned my brushes today. Marg not very well. Picture tonight - Front Page Story. Good.
Jul 13 Sun	This has been a full day. Went to hear Dr. Phelps. Then with Laura and George to Amys to dinner. Then a lovely ride and walk around Harbor Point. Then to hear Dr. P. in evening.
Jul 14 Mon	Covered my ironing board. Visited with my neighbor in the back yard and this P.M. I wrote six long letters. So am rather tired. Not going out tonight.
Jul 15 Tue	Went on a beautiful trip today with the Davenports to Cross Villiage and home by the coast road. Saw a Dear little Church at C. V. [Cross Village] Eat [ate?] our dinner on the shores of Lake Mich.
Jul 16 Wed	Washed today for myself and the girls but didnt iron. Am reading such an interesting book, Call of the Cumberlands. Went to see the magicians at Audt. [auditorium] tonight. They were clever.
Jul 17 Thu	Cleaned up. Went up town with the Davenports and got some creton [? curtain?] for the cubbard and some cloth for stand cover. Amy here for supper and insured the cottage again.
Jul 18 Fri	Mr. Whitmere [Wintermere?] came today and cleaned out my stove pire [? pive? pipe?] and put in some new pipe. Then I had to clean everything over. In the P.M. Anna, Sam and children came a while. Went to hear Bishop McConnell.
Jul 19 Sat	Fixing the curtains for cubbard and some other jobs. Went over to see how M. was feeling this P.M. and then got a ride to Petoskey and stayed all night with Amy.
Jul 20 Sun	Just laid around and rested. Visited and read until night when Laura and George came and after supper I came home with them. Heard a little of the evening concert.
Jul 21 Mon	Been having a nice day at home. Not feeling very well. Got a letter from Mrs. Case last night telling about her being hurt.
Jul 22	Looking for May. Done a little bakeing but cant do much when I don't know when they will come.

Tue	M. not feeling well. Went over to see her.
Jul 23 Wed	A fine day today. Did a few calls and finished a stand cloth. Anna Newell was here this P.M. Am still looking for Maybell. Saw - "Smileing Through."
Jul 24 Thu	Got up and went to Depot this A.M. at 6:15 to meet Miss [?] Perry. She did not come on that division so had to wait until 8-15. Got her located and got home at 11-00 [?]. Several callers this P.M. Went to see Give and Take.
Jul 25 Fri	Went up town to see the Childrens perade. Went to Cousin Lois to dinner. Laura took us to see perade then brought me home. Lecture tonight Dr. Hannan [?].
Jul 26 Sat	Still looking for Mae. Have baked and cleaned and roasted. Have things all ready. Vine brought some ladies to look at the Apts. Can not tell yet how it will be. Want to go to the picture.
Jul 27 Sun	Well May and family came last night while I was at the picture, but are camped at Magnus Park. Saw the picture "Rosita" a wonderful picture but have seen those I like better. This happened Sunday.
Jul 28 Mon	May and family came this A.M. After I got dinner we went to H - Springs - The Fox Farm - where they have 400 foxes. Then to Petoskey. Then to the Beach Meeting - and from there to Sacred Concert.
Jul 29 Tue	Went to Oden today. Monday we went up town and went through the summer stores and in P.M. they started for home. Satie and Ed came and stayed a little while. Then Laura and Geo and Amy came to supper and Amy stayed all night. M. and Florence came in evening.
Jul 30 Wed	This A.M. got up and got Amy off and washed. James Newell came for me to go to Oden before I got them hung out and Mrs. Davenport hung them out and Mrs. Raymond washed my dishes. Miss Perry came and brought me a lovely handkerfc [?] [handkerchief]. Then I went to Oden. Rained tonight.
Jul 31 Thu	So hot here at Oden yesterday and this A.M. and now it is raining. Am having such a good visit with Anna and family. Went to Lebe [?] Farm this P.M. and came home tonight.
Aug 1 Fri	Heard senator [?] Ferris on "Making the world better." This A.M. went out to gather balsam with Davenports and Mrs. Raymond. Lost one of the lens out of my glasses - much to my regret. In P.M. went to hunt for them then over to City Park. Geo and Laura here to dinner.
Aug 2 Sat	Down to P. Office early to mail card then home and cleaned out. Then Mr. Davenport and I sat out some Balsam and Arbivita [sic, arborvitae] shrubs. Picture tonight "The Third Alarm [?].
Aug 3 Sun	A Mr. Allen gave a splendid sermon this A.M. When service was partly over a very severe wind storm disturbed us all grately, think it did much damage somewhere. Warm P.M.
Aug 4 Mon	Had the privaliege of hearing Dr. Frederick Norwood of Australia twice today. He is a wonderful speaker. He spoke on Australia The Land of Silence, P.M. The Romance of the Pacific in evening.
Aug 5 Tue	Lots of rain. Stayed in tonight and rested.
Aug 6 Wed	Did a little washing for myself and a dress for Marguerite. Heard a fine lecture by Dr. Fielkersen [?], His subject, "The Man in the Street" meaning the common people.
Aug 7 Thu	Had to get out at 8-30 this A.M. to get seats for the big musical number of the season, Mine, Edith Bideau No_uella. Took M. and K. [Marguerite and Katharine?] with me. My pleasure was some what mared by the dampness [?] of one of my guests and the hostility of the other.
Aug 8 Fri	Pressure was brought to bear upon me to go to Macinaw tomorrow. Went up town with Geo. this P.M. Then he took me to cousin Lois when I finally gave in to go.
Aug 9 Sat	This has been a Red letter day with me. Have enjoyed every moment. Wonderful ride up and back and the Island is much more beautiful than I ever believed it was. Sight seeing rig around the island. Got my geography straightened out a bit.
Aug 10 Sun	Quite a cool morning. Rested until nine then ate a raw egg and dish of fruit. Then off to meeting all alone. It makes one feel rather lonesom and forlorn to always have to be alone and plan and pinch all by yourself.
Aug 11 Mon	Rainy this A.M. so did not wash. Cleaned the Apts. hoping against hope for some one to come and rent them or a room. Have started my bead bag. Went down to Loud Hall where M. was working on her lamp. Went to Lecture by Griggs.
Aug 12 Tue	Dr. Swift and Mr. Durfee came today to see how much I would sign for the coming year. Picture tonight - "Safety Last." Have washed and ironed.
Aug 13	Worked some on bead bag today.

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Aug 14 Thu	Rained so very hard all day.
Aug 15 Fri	Rain, rain and more rain. Also damp. Marguerite came and worked on her lamp. Brought the boy also and we played Pollyanna. Lois, Marcia, Amy, Geo and Laura went to Soo. Car flipped over.
Aug 16 Sat	Just cleaned away from a 36 hours rain. Rented my front Room to Mrs. Beebe and sister Mrs. Wintermere. So glad. Roy came tonight.
Aug 17 Sun	To Sunday School and Church this A.M. To Beach service and sacred Vesper service or [?] concert tonight. Mr. Davenport brought me home from Beach service.
Aug 18 Mon	Went up town with Geo. and Laura this P.M. Lucy and Marcia brought me home. Pearl and Wess were here to see me today. Went to Auditorium with Miss Phelps tonight. Heard them practice "Creation."
Aug 19 Tue	Am making a serving tray for Celia for Christmas. Am doing pretty well they say and I enjoy the work. If I could afford it would so like to do more. Went to see Bright Shawl.
Aug 20 Wed	It began to rain in the night and has rained all day very hard but went to Auditorium twice today to hear concerts. Miss Andrews has come. Is not very well.
Aug 21 Thu	We had the most terrible rain all night, thundered and lightened and rained. Almost afraid we would all be drowned out.
Aug 22 Fri	A chorus of 70 voices gave the "Creation" by Joseph Hayden. Perfect. Well it cleared away after that dreadful rain. So we went on our picnic to Indian River. We had a wonderful day and ride and such a good time. Just ate to much for my own good. A red letter day.
Aug 23 Sat	This A.M. my two ladies Mrs. Bebee and Winter_____ [aka Wintermere] took the inland trip. I had Ethel, Hattie, Geo and Laura to dinner, but was oh! so tired. M. was over a while. Katharine and Roy started for Flint at four A.M. Went to see "Orphans of the Storm."
Aug 24 Sun	Marguerites last Sunday at Bay View. She took me to ride in the "American" around the Bay. It was very lovely, a perfect day. Last Vesper service at Auditorium tonight.
Aug 25 Mon	Hattie stayed with me again last night. They went on a trip to Wolverine today and Hattie is with me again tonight. Go to a picture every night.
Aug 26 Tue	Mrs. Beebe and Wintermere went to Mackinac Island today. I had Hattie, Laura and George to dinner as they are packing to start home. It has been a very buisy day.
Aug 27 Wed	My ladies started for Detroit this A.M. and Hattie, Geo and Laura for home. I did all my cleaning and then did a large washing for me. Have the house in order. Ironed this P.M. Hope I can have another roomer.
Aug 28 Thu	Spent about half a day over with Marguerite, packing her lamp and other things she has been making, also clothes. Then I cleaned her room out for her.
Aug 29 Fri	Well M. spent her first night with me and we both enjoyed it so much. Today were invited to cousin Lois for dinner. Then they took us for a ride to Walloon Lak [Lake]. M. went home tonight.
Aug 30 Sat	Felt so lonely after Marguerite had gone. Everyone gone together. The very hottest day this summer in B. V. 93°. I have been just tired out.
Aug 31 Sun	Went to S. School and Church this A.M. After dinner Vine came after me. We went to Loises. Then the Cemetary. Then to lunch at Pie Shop. Then to M. E. Church [Methodist Episcopal] for evening service. Then home.
Sep 1 Mon	This A.M. got up early and was up to Petoskey to Vines home picking cherries. They are grand. Have caned 1st [?] and five pt. cans. Gave away a good many to eat. Walked both ways.
Sep 2 Tue	So glad I got my cherries yesterday. It rained some last night and would knock them off, they were so ripe. Made a cherry pie and had Vine over to dinner. Finished reading, "The Wall of Partition" - Florence Barkley.
Sep 3 Wed	Been nearly on the sick list again today. Ate nothing but a dish of bran until night, but feel better and have been to see "Less of the Storm Country." It was beautiful acting and fine picture.
Sep 4 Thu	Some of these days are lonely days. The Bible says "It is not good for man to live alone" and the Bible is always right. I do not think it is nescessarily a husband or wife that is ment but some one congenial and pleasant that helps us.
Sep 5 Fri	Called on Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Davis and found neither at home. Then went to the Park and watched them play the games a while, but it is pretty cool for comfort in "setting out." Picture - "Down to the Sea in Ships."

Sep 6 Sat	Mrs. Barton was over this A.M. and stayed quite a while. Lent me a book by G. M. Bronson on "How to live 100 years." He is one of our B. View men. Called on Miss Andrews. She came home with me to supper. Took me to the picture, "Old Kentucky Home."
Sep 7 Sun	Went to S. School and Church at Lylyn [?] Hall. Saw Mrs. John L. Hall and had quite a talk with her. Took a little walk tonight and then went to the last service at B. V. for this year. Heard Rev. H. G. Ozanne from Harbor this A.M.
Sep 8 Mon	A fine rainy A.M., but did my work and left it in rinsing water. Am getting a few letters written and trying to finish my bag.
Sep 9 Tue	Got the clothes dry today, but not ironed. Have to many callers.
Sep 10 Wed	Vine came late and we went to Davenports and played Polly Anna. Taught Mrs. Rebe and friend how to make bead bags.
Sep 11 Thu	Went to Mrs. Emma Lamb Bakers to a Sunday School party.
Sep 12 Fri	Marcia came after me, and I went to Petoskey for weekend. After we got to P. went for a drive to different places, among them Magnus Park, which I think is a nice place.
Sep 13 Sat	It looked like rain this A.M., but we went to Boen [Boyne] City for dinner at Wolverine Hotel. Then to East Jordan-Charlevoix, Ect. [etc.]. Had a grand ride. Got home at 5-30 P.M.
Sep 14 Sun	After Church and dinner went to Cheboygan. Had a grand ride. Got home at 6-30. Then had supper and Lois and I went to hear Mr. Albright in union [?] meeting. He preached on Foundations. Just grand.
Sep 15 Mon	Walked home from Petoskey this A.M. Have accomplished a good deal today, but am pretty blue over my finances. If I could only get what is coming me.
Sep 16 Tue	Just intended to work so hard all day and Mrs. Steel came in to see if I didnt want to go with her to H. M. mite box opening - I went. So no work done this P.M., but got a wonderful lesson in Thankfulness. I only hope I can remember it.
Sep 17 Wed	Roy Winsor came home this A.M. Today has passed as most of my days do up here just now. Had to go out this A.M. Then just getting ready to work when Mrs. Steel took me for a ride to Chax. [Charlevoix]. Got home just in time to go out to Davenports to dinner. Stayed all night with Vine.
Sep 18 Thu	[This whole entry crossed out, but is entered here.] Miss Phelps and I went to Auditorium again tonight and then stayed to hear the practice for the "Creations." Went up town with Geo. and Laura this P.M. [After crossing it out she wrote:] Thought this Aug. 12 [There are notes above for Creation on August 18 & 22.] [Then off to the side in different ink is entered:] The crowd went to Harves for dinner tonight. [That comment probably meant for September 18th.]
Sep 19 Fri	Today I entertained Mrs. Wittermere, Mrs. Rebe and Miss Andrews for dinner. We had a good time. I also went to the Brownlow [?] and taught Mrs. Steele to make bead purse. Then went to Miss Andrews for evening.
Sep 20 Sat	It rained through the night and this A.M. Showed the Steels through the house then went up town with them and Cousin Lois and I went through summer stores. Got our dinner. Went up to house a while then to stay with Ethel and Amy.
Sep 21 Sun	Was quite sick through the night, but went to Church to hear Mr. Bluefield farwell sermon. It was good. Felt so poorly all day was poor company. Lucy and Marcia came and brought me home. Got a letter from Gerry.
Sep 22 Mon	[Blank]
Sep 23 Tue	Had Mrs. Wittemere, Mrs. Rebe and Ella here to dinner this noon. We had a good visit. I went there tonight and played Polly Anna.
Sep 24 Wed	Am feeling some better. Trying to make some aprons. Went over to the Davenports tonight. We played Polly Anna. Came home and mad[e] jello.
Sep 25 Thu	Had the Davenports and Vine here to dinner tonight. Harve and Lil came in the evening and played "flinch." Lois came and stayed all night with me.
Sep 26 Fri	Lois and Ella were here to dinner and helped me get ready to go out to Eagle Island. Marcia brought me out, also Winfield. Broke a plate to begin with.
Sep 27 Sat	I find it hard to go ahead with this work. Am not very strong and it makes my head feel very bad.

Sep 28 Sun	Got nervous over getting the dinner. Julia - a girl from the Country here. Was here to dinner, also Winfield. Mr. and Mrs. Barth are very nice to me.
Sep 29 Mon	Did out [?] twenty towels and done cleaning up stairs. I certainly do get nervous over getting the meals. They live so different.
Sep 30 Tue	Roy moved today. Finished cleaning the upstairs and stairs today. We have had terrable wind and lake very rough. Mr. Barth came home from lake trip - soaked - and had to have hot bath, very cold.
Oct 1 Wed	Cleaned three rooms down stairs. I thot today was Thursday. Time moves so slow out here. Mrs. B. had invited guests for breakfast at 9. It was noon before I got kitchen work done.
Oct 2 Thu	This has been another buisy day. Mr. and Mrs. Barth went away and I could spend my time cleaning. Got such a sweet letter from dear Miss Andrews with birthday greetings. She always does the nice things.
Oct 3 Fri	Got several letters. Finished my scrubbing today for a while. First birthday I have not spent in Bay View for years. Worked hard all day. Did not let Barths know it was my birthday.
Oct 4 Sat	Mrs. Barth said I must take it easy today so this P.M. have written several letters. Roy has sold his house and moved just lately. Had a very easy day.
Oct 5 Sun	Had light breakfast and dinner at one as Mr. and Mrs. Barth and I were invited out to dinner at Mrs. Hermons [?] at six oclock. Had a dainty supper and very pleasant evening. How I miss Church.
Oct 6 Mon	Did quite a washing and worked hard all day. Mrs. B. sent me to bed for 1/2 hour. Made jelly, cleaned chickens Ect. [etc.]. Mr. Barth and I caught a mouse - drowned and cremated him.
Oct 7 Tue	Had Mrs. Hermon [?] and Mrs. Smith over to dinner at 12. They started for home tonight. Sun came out, wind stopped blowing and Mr. B. took us for a lovely ride on the lake.
Oct 8 Wed	I hurried around this A.M. to get jelly to draining and work done. Then Mr. and Mrs. Barth and I went for a long boat ride. Then went to St. Louis Club and had picnic dinner. Sandwiches, cream chicken, cup custard, jelly, coffee and chocolate, potato salad.
Oct 9 Thu	Worked hard again today. The Barths were going to Walloon for supplies and wanted me to go, but I wouldnt. Then the batteries gave out and no one went. I do not feel well tonight. Have a pain in back of head and neck.
Oct 10 Fri	[Crossed out 10 and wrote 17 instead.] A mistake was made in writing. I got a week ahead of what I should, so must watch my dates as I read. We took our last lovely ride on the lake today. It was wonderful. Just beautiful weather now.
Oct 11 Sat	[Crossed out 11 and wrote 18 instead.] Mr. Barth left this A.M. for Minneapolis to look over the efficiency of Mr. Chr. Heruloni's [?] working system. Mrs. B. and I went at the work of closing the cottage in good earnest.
Oct 12 Sun	[Crossed out 12 and wrote 19 instead.] Finished our preparations this A.M. then the Siberts and Cousin Lois and Winfield came out for a Picnic dinner. We ate out on the poarch. It was just lovely. Mrs. B. and I took a last walk tonight. Had luncheon [?] in front of fire place.
Oct 13 Mon	[Crossed out 13 and wrote 20 instead.] Mrs. B. and I got up early and got every thing done before the men came to close the cottage. A taxie came and got us. Mr. Laird, Mr. and Mrs. B. were so kind in every way and so generous with my check. Said such nice things. Called on Davenports tonight.
Oct 14 Tue	[Crossed out 14 and wrote 21 instead.] Got up early this A.M. Did some extra jobs. Baked loaf of brown bread for Gerry then packed a box of eatables and went up town with Mr. Davenport and sent it. Did some errands then went up to Cousin Lolas and she came home with me to stay all night. Davenports came over.
Oct 15 Wed	[Crossed out 15 and wrote 22 instead.] Cousin Lola went home this P.M. Marcia came after her. Mrs. Alexander came over this P.M. Perhaps we can arrange to go down together. Got a letter from Jerry. Am all alone in the house tonight.
Oct 16 Thu	[Crossed out 16 and wrote 23 instead.] Mrs. and Mr. Alexander came over this evening. They are talking Florida. Also she and I expect to go to Grand Rapids together Tuesday A.M. Am Trying to finish Kates necklace.
Oct 17 Fri	[She wrote: This should be Oct. 10, made a mistake.] A beautiful day and Mr. and Mrs. Barth made me leave everything and go for a long boat ride. Got home just before cousin Lois came. A grand ride.
Oct 18 Sat	[She wrote: Oct. 11] We are enjoying Lois. She went for a little boat ride, but dont care much for it. Mr. and Mrs. Barth went and after they came home Mr. Barth took me over to see Eckerts flowers and then ride on the lake in the sunset glow.

Oct 19 Sun	[She wrote: Oct. 12.] Fried Spring chicken as usual for dinner. Mrs. B. and Lois took a long walk. I was buisy. After dinner Marcia came after Lola. Then I wrote some letters.
Oct 20 Mon	[She wrote: Oct. 13.] Did the largest washing I have done here. We are beginning to get things rounded up so as to close the cottage as soon as Mr. Barth goes. We all had another grand boat ride to Walloon.
Oct 21 Tue	[She wrote: Oct. 14.] Making jelly is one of my pastimes just now. Have been at it again today. Also ironing and other work but am tired tonight.
Oct 22 Wed	[She wrote: Oct. 15.] More jelly today. The Barths have been packing a good many things today. Am glad Mr. B. goes Sat. A.M. and we plan to go Monday.
Oct 23 Thu	[She wrote: Oct. 16.] Finished Jelly making today, over a hundred cups. Not a word from home in three weeks. I wonder if there is any room for Mother in the crew house. I feel very homeless and alone. Turn back to Oct. 17.
Oct 24 Fri	Mrs. Durfee and Mrs. Whitmere called this A.M. Had an invitation to go to the Bliss farm with them yesterday, but couldent leave. Finished the necklace tonight.
Oct 25 Sat	Made two big batches of cookies for Jerry and Celia. Got the other side ready to close. Paid Mr. Whitmere and my electric light bill, Ect. [etc.] Am very tired tonight.
Oct 26 Sun	Had a wonderful day. Went to Church with Mr. D. and the Whitmeres. Took a long ride with Marcia [?] and Lucy. Went out to see where the Buckeye Hotel burned Friday. Wrote letters tonight.
Oct 27 Mon	Did some hustleing to close the cottage tonight. Did not get through until five P.M. Then started to walk up to P. and met Lucy and family coming to find me. Stayed there all night.
Oct 28 Tue	Left P. [Petoskey] at 8:45 this A.M. Had a fine trip down to G. R. [Grand Rapids] and found Celia there to meet me. Mrs. Alexander came down on same train for an examination by a Battle Creek specialist.
Oct 29 Wed	Celia and I been visiting about all day. Dr. was here a few minutes last night. Put Jacks leg in a plaster paris cast yesterday morning.
Oct 30 Thu	Today we did house work and I sewed some. And this P.M. Celia took me to see The Ten Commandments. It was a wonderful picture. Jack is playing out of doors today.
Oct 31 Fri	This P.M. Celia and I went to the Clarke Memorial Home. A Mrs. Adaline Mathews took us all through. Saw "Cousin Alma" Mrs. Crossmans cousin and an Aunt of Mr. Codys.
Nov 1 Sat	Forgot that yesterday was the last day my ticket was good and came home on it today. Some joke but they didnt say a word. The family wasent looking for me today.
Nov 2 Sun	Couldent seem to get around to go to Church today. Kate had a potluck for dinner. Some of their S. S. class. Then Ray and Hattie came. Then Cousin Lois. Then Vine and mother [?], Mrs. Crossman [?] and Florence. Then Lloyd. Some full day.
Nov 3 Mon	We had to clean up the house today. I made 3 curtains for their sleeping poarch. Then went to Flushing for a ride with J. L. It was fine.
Nov 4 Tue	This day K. [Kate] did an immense washing. I went down town after some batting and helped generally. Kate and Jesse went to vote tonight. I ironed quite a while.
Nov 5 Wed	Kate finished ironing this A.M. then made sweet apple pickles. Katharine gave a reading at the Flint Sorosis Club this P.M. Coolridge elected - Hurrah!
Nov 6 Thu	We went to circle meeting at Mrs. Williams this P.M. Met quite a good many people I knew. Very warm. Summer clothes.
Nov 7 Fri	Have been rushing the curtains for the sleeping porch as the weather has changed and it is getting very cold. Also J. L. leaves tonight to go North hunting. House full tonight.
Nov 8 Sat	Dident get all the curtains up [crossed out: yesterday but finished tonite] Lewis [?] put up the last [?] after J. L. had gone. Kate, M. [Marguerite] and Betty went down town and K. [Katharine-aka Kitty] and Betty went to picture.
Nov 9 Sun	Went to Oak Park Church this A.M. Was late as I lost my car [?] but heard the sermon. Met a good many of the old friends and especially enjoyed meeting Mr. and Mrs. Fields.
Nov 10 Mon	Kate washed today and I ironed everything I could from the line.
Nov 11 Tue	I mended stockings today. All the spare time I had.
Nov 12 Wed	Wanted to go to prayer meeting but Eleanor wasent here to go with me and it seems so far away to go alone.

Nov 13 Thu	Kate fixed curtains today and I mended. She went to the Church tonight to some of her S. S. class doings. Rained quite hard.
Nov 14 Fri	Went to Mr. Frank Odells funeral today. Feel so very sorry for Mrs. Odell. Saw Miss Hill and Miss Bachtell for a few moments. It did seem good.
Nov 15 Sat	Marguerite and Kate are sewing again today. Kate went down town twice. I did a little on the aprons. Saturday is a very buisy day in this house.
Nov 16 Sun	Mrs. Cummings and Frances [?] Whipple were here. Today it was snowing and so very cold. I did not have the courage to walk so far to church and I can not afford very many carfares. Ray S. [Shepherd?] came today. Also Lloyd at night.
Nov 17 Mon	Mr. and Miss Hill and Miss Bachtell start for Florida today. They go by Chicago this time. Also Mr. and Mrs. Hansen start for the same place. It makes me homesick to go but my finances will not permit.
Nov 18 Tue	Kate washed today. We are having very cold weather. Yesterday or last night just ten degrees above zero. I took E. [Eleanor] to see Jackie Koogan in Robinson Cruso [Crusoe]. Did not care much for it. Got a letter from Mrs. Case.
Nov 19 Wed	I am so far away it seems as if I can not get to prayer meeting or anywhere. K. [Kate? or Katharine?] and Lloyd went with Lewis to see Marguerite tonight.
Nov 20 Thu	It is warmer again today. Do hope it will last. Lucretia and sister came this P.M. and cut out some aprons to make for x-mas.
Nov 21 Fri	We done up curtains and pressed dress goods today. Also Kate is finishing K. [daughter Katharine's] dress for the Senior Junior Party tonight. Kate is one of the chaperones. Did a little tonight on my aprons.
Nov 22 Sat	Once again I have been so engrossed in other things I have forgotten to write in my Diary and am one week behind.
Nov 23 Sun	Eleanor and I went to Church this A.M. Heard Dr. Pearce our Distric [sic] Supt. Eleanor thot it the best sermon she had ever heard. Met many friends.
Nov 24 Mon	As this is to be a very full week Kate washed today. It is extremely cold. Feels as if Winter is here. Can not get our clothes dry.
Nov 25 Tue	I went to Parent Teachers meeting at the High School tonight. Heard a very interesting talk by one of our Doctors. Gerry came after I got home - Surprise.
Nov 26 Wed	Everyone in the house so delighted to see Jerry home this A.M. and she the happiest of all. E. [Eleanor] and I went to Fenton to M. [Marguerite's] last day of school exercises before Thanksgiving.
Nov 27 Thu	Had a feeling of loneliness all day. Got a very thankful spirit for the Father's care of us all. I always miss my boy that has gone to Heaven, and missed my boy on earth. I am in a home, but not really one of them just indirect some of the time.
Nov 28 Fri	Yesterday two boys who couldnt go to their own homes for T. [Thanksgiving] daughter invited here, both M. E. [Methodist Episcopal] ministers sons, Lloyd and Al. Today K. [Katharine aka Kitty] Sailor boy friend came. There were several young people here tonight.
Nov 29 Sat	A buisy day getting Saturdays work done and getting things ready for Gerry to go back to School. J. L. [Jesse Levi], K. [Kate] and M. [Marguerite], G. [Jerry], and K. [Katharine] all went to a dance at one of the Halls.
Nov 30 Sun	J. L. took G. [Gerry], Betty and I to Church this A.M. The rest came to S. School. Met a few more of the old friends. Harold [Katharine's friend] and K. [Katharine aka "Kitty] took Gerry and Verna B. to Owasso to get the train for Olivet.
Dec 1 Mon	Man finished papering today. Mr. and Mrs. Varty, Louise [Varty] and E. [Eleanor's] School teacher was here today for dinner as it was E. birthday, fourteen today.
Dec 2 Tue	[Crossed out the following: Met more of old friends today.] Kate went to Church all day. Had a class party supper and charge of programme, "Last day of school." Lloyd was here to supper.
Dec 3 Wed	Washed today. Katharine has had a shower of young men tonight. Harold, her sailor boy is home and she is trying to keep the rest of the string trailing after her.
Dec 4 Thu	Roy came this P.M. Was so very glad to see him. He is looking just fine. He and J. L. put up the fixtures for lights. Sat up until 12:30 to visit with him.
Dec 5 Fri	Roy paid me \$100.00 today. Roy left for home this P.M. It has just poured today, but cleared off toword [toward] night. Lucretia and Leslie [Goossen] and family were here to dinner and stayed the

	eve. Betty and Virginia [Goossen] got locked in the bedroom.
Dec 6 Sat	Always glad when Marguerite is here. She came last night all tired out with her weeks work getting ready for X-mas. I went down town this P.M.
Dec 7 Sun	Saw a good many other old friends today. Heard Mrs. and Mr. Alexander are in Safty Harbor. Hope it will do her lots of good. Heard Mr. Libby talk this a.m. on "War against War."
Dec 8 Mon	Washed but did not get the clothes dry.
Dec 9 Tue	Kate sewing hard today. Making Eleanor a dress as she goes to a party at Kearsley Church.
Dec 10 Wed	Buisy every day. Kate has to go down town every day after her meat and supplies and we sew what we can.
Dec 11 Thu	Katharine, J. L. and Kate went to High School party.
Dec 12 Fri	Having some fine snow storm this afternoon. Went down town to do some X-mas shopping. Kate is sewing. M. came again tonight. K., J.L. and E. went to Hurds [?].
Dec 13 Sat	A buisy day again. Getting ready for company. Mr. and Mrs. Coles, Marjory and Kenneth came from Detroit. Our folks stayed up about all night. Slept in sleeping poarch, nearly zero.
Dec 14 Sun	Did not get to Church or S. S. today. Was tired and did not sleep much last night. Also it is so very cold. Coles have gone home.
Dec 15 Mon	Washed today. Also sewed some.
Dec 16 Tue	Kate spent more of the day down town shopping. I sewed quite a good deal. Am certainly having some time finishing up aprons.
Dec 17 Wed	Went down town and finished X-mas shopping today. Very, very icy, can hardly keep on feet. Went to Pinafore [?] this P.M. Enjoyed it very much. Katharine, another girl and two boys came over between acts.
Dec 18-20	[Blank]
Dec 21 Sun	Very cold and icy. Did not think best to venture out.
Dec 22 Mon	Terrable icy and cold.
Dec 23 Tue	Very buisy all day getting things in order for X-mas. Looking some [?] for Roy and family. Kate, J.L., Betty, Eleanor and Lewis went to Fenton to hear M's [? Marguerite's] programme.
Dec 24 Wed	Worked hard all of us to get ready for X-mas. Roy had bad accident fifty miles from here and J. L. and Lewis went after him. Roy and the others got here seven oclock.
Dec 25 Thu	This A.M. pretty cold and tired. Frank Frost and family, Celia and Henry Jones and Ray Shepard were also with us for X-mas dinner and supper. Lewis here also.
Dec 26 Fri	Roy had to go to Cleveland today. Took the night train.
Dec 27-30	[Blank]
Dec 31 Wed	Roy came home from Cleveland today.

[There are more cash accounts further below.]

January

25	Dinner		.25
26	Dinner		.29
26	General fund	1	.00
27	Dinner		.42
	Shoe shine		.10
29	Dinner		.26
30	Dinner		.30

31	Luthren [Lutheran] Church		.50
31	Save America		.25
31	Stamps		.10

February

1	Dinner		.47
2	General fund	1	.00
2	Dinner		.25
3	Dinner		.24
	Collection B - School	1	.00
1st	Gave Mrs. East friend	5	.00
	Book - Save America		.25
	Tracts		.12
4	Dinner		.32
	Total	8	.45

Continued - February

5	Feb. General fund	1	.00
5	Picture - Eternal City		.50
6	Supper		.29
7	Luthran [Lutheran] dinner		.50
8	Collection		.20
8	Dinner		.32
8	General fund	2	.00
8	Eggs		.35
	Vegex [a vitamin?]		.65
7	Eugene Christian	37	.50
9	Dinner		.30
9	General fund	1	.00
9	Cascara tablets		.10
13	General fund	1	.00
13	Cloth for underwast [underwaist]		.38
13	Stamps		.50
14	Dinner		.30
	Total	47	.43
29	Dinner		.30
29	Doll		.85
29	Peanut butter [?]		.15
30	Dinner - coll. [collection]		.39
31	Berth [?]	6	.00
31	Dinner		.27

March

17	Dinner		.27
17	H-chief [hankerchief] - Mrs. C.		.50
17	General fund	1	.00
18	Dinner		.24
18	Picture	1	.10
19	Dinner		.24
19	Picture		.25
20	Eggs		.25
21	Dinner		.27
21	Papers		.20
21	General fund	1	.00
21	Cloth for slip	2	.23

21	Collection		.10
22	Dinner		.35
23	Dinner		.27
24	Dinner		.24
25	Dinner		.30
	Hair net		.10
26	Dinner		.50
26	Stockings	1	.50
26	Eggs		.31
26	Milk Magnescia		.25
26	Heel [?] liners [?]		.25
27	Vegex [a vitamin?]		.65
27	Dinner		.27
28	Dinner		.24
28	Picture		.50
28	Fountain Syrange [?] - tube [?]	1	.75

April

16			
	Eggs		.23
	Dinner		.47
18	Dinner		.44
18	Linen	1	.23
18	Whistle		.50
18	Pocket book		.38
18	Writing paper		.27
18	Sending papers		.07
18	Pecans		.45
19	Dinner		.27
19	Maple sugar		.40
20	Dinner		.40
20	Coll. [collection]		.15
19	Picture - shoeshine		.40
21	Dinner		.50
21	Things for lunch		.61
21	Trunk		.60
21	Belt - hand-ck [handkerchief] - cord		.93
21	Sending parcel post		.14
21	Pd. Mrs. Case intrest [interest] on note	36	.00
22	Porter		.20
23	Breakfast		.35
24	Ice cream, cards, stamps		.14
25	Tips, breakfast, I-cream		.55
25	Tipped matron [?]		.25

Things nice for X-mas, presents

Frame for Jelly straining

Cape Cod lighter

Wall Vase

Initial writing paper.

The High Way - Carroll Atwater Mason Recd' [received] by Mrs. Peabody

Things Saw at C-Fair, Cassava Root from which Tapioca is made

Chinese Cabbage

Calamondin, between Tangerine and Come Quat [kumquat]

"Things began in prayer, end in power."

Extracts from the Knights of Columbus Oath. They swear by everything sacred above and below that "His Holiness the Pope is Christ's Vice-regent, and the true and only head of the Cath. or Universal Church throughout the earth, and by virtue of the Keys of binding and looseing given his holiness by Jesus Christ. He hath power to depose heretical kings, princes, States, common wealths and Governments, and they may be safely destroyed. "Will defend this doctrine against all Protestant Authority." "I do denounce and disown any allegiance to Kings, Princes or State, or any obedience to any laws or officers."

Sign this with dagger diped [dipped] in hearts blood.

"Any protestant churches or Masons are damnable." I will help, assist and advise any of his holiness agents in any place. and do my utmost to destroy all powers legal or otherwise." "I declare I will have no will or opinion of my own or mental reservation, even as a corpse, but will obey every command, go anywhere." "Will wage relentless war secretly and openly against all heretics and Masons to extirpate them from this earth. Will spare neither sex, age, or condition. I will hang, boil, burn, waste, play [?] stranger and bury alive the heretics, rip up the stomachs and wombs of their women - crush their infants heads. When can't do openly will secretly use poison, cord, steel or bullet" Ect. Ect. [Etc.].

Robert Dick Wilson of Princeton University. Knows 45 different languages. He knows the bible is true. Has traced it back step by step through the different languages to the beginning.

Invitation [invitation?] - Reva [Reba?] Crawford. "You are master of the word that is unspoken, but when it once spoken, it is master of you."

Some claim Mancelona the highest point in Mich. Some say a mile and a half from there.

Cotation [quotation] from Dr. Reynolds sermon. Reputation is what man hears about you. Character is what the angles see in you.

Dr. Hubbard thinks Jesus will come back to earth after the time of great tribulations which he also thinks will cover a period of seven years and establish a temporal Kingdom and reign a thousand years. Through the melenium [millennium]and the Jews will be the first to recognize and accept Him. After that God will establish His Kingdom and judge the people those that shall ascend with Him and those who will receive everlasting punishment.

Kimona [Kimonia] when put on must be crossed from left to right - only the dead cross it the other way.

Bishop Homer C. Stuts [probably Stunts] on South America was a Bishop there for 4 years. A great country for minerals and agriculture. Spanish and Portugese [Portuguese] languages mostly. Vast lands to be populated, by far the greatest percent atheists. Great wickedness - few Churches. Such a great need of missionaries. One of the Bishops sons in Chile.

Dr. S. D. Gordon - N. Y. City. Author of "Quiet Talks" books on personal religion. A very peculiar way of speaking - but so concecrated.

Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, Boston, Mass. A very public and much traveled woman and Editor of "Every Land" a child's paper. Now working for prohibition.

Mrs. E. C. Cronk [?]. Dr. Harry W. Meyers. 25 years in Japan. Mrs. Margaret T. Russell.

Some helps on Japanese pronunciation.

I pronounced as E

U pronounced as OD

A pronounced as ah

Kimona, Keymona

January Cash Account [See above for possible January 25-31 entries.]

2	General fund	1	.00
2	Things for work basket		.29
3 [?]	Dinner		.50
4	Dinner		.24
5	Dinner		.27
6	Dinner		.25
5	Bottle Magnesia		.50
6	Gas stove		.25
7	Dinner		.30
7	Sending pk.		.21
8	General fund	1	.00
8	Dinner		.27
10	Dinner		.24
11	Ticket - Covered Wagon		.83
12	General fund	2	.00
12	Dinner		.24
13	Dinner		.27
14	Dinner		.42
15	Dinner		.27
15	General fund	1	.00
15	Dinner		.45
19	Dinner		.31
19	Glasses fixed		.25
20	Dinner		.32
21	General fund	1	.00
22	Dinner		.27
22	Picture		.35
22			.10
23	Malted milk, dinner	1	.15
29	Dinner		.40
28	Collection		.25

February Cash Account [See above for possible other February 1-4 entries and also 5-31.]

14	Hindue [?] col. [?] concert		.50
15	Picture - The Grail		.25
15	Eggs		.35
16	Dinner		.24
16	Collection, shoe shine, _____		.25
17	Dinner		.24
18	Dinner		.22
18	Collection		.10
19	Dinner		.24
19	Mineral oil		.50
19	Salts [?], cloth, collection		.39
20	Dinner		.24
21	Oranges		.10
21	General fund	1	.00
22	Dinner		.25
23	Dinner		.26
22	Buttons, elastics		.15
23	Vegex [a vitamin?]		.65
23	Show [?], coll. [collection], Ect. [etc.]		.53
24	Dinner		.24
25	Dinner		.32
26	Dinner		.24
26	General fund	1	.00
27	Dinner		.32
	[no item to match this amount]		.30
28	Eggs		.29
	Total	10	.30

March Cash Account [See above for possible other March 17-28 entries.]

1	Dinner		.30
2	Dinner		.30
2	K - picture		.40
3	Dinner [not sure of amount given]		.62
3	Eggs		.28
4	Dinner		.32
3	General fund	1	.00
5	Dinner		.50
5	Supper		.70
6	Collection		.10
6	Groceries		.50
7	Dinner		.24
7	Collection		.15
8	General fund	1	.00
8	Eggs, muffins		.28
9	Dinner		.30
10	Dinner		.32
10	campho [?], vegex - tablet h - net [?]		.95
11	Dinner		.39
11	Books Dr. Christian	1	.00
11	Collection		.15

12	Dinner		.32
12	General fund	1	.00
12	Cod Liver oil	1	.00
12	Picture		.25
12	Stamps		.10
12	Eggs - e/r doz.		.35
13	Dinner		.27
14	Dinner		.24
14	Thread		.20
15	Dinner		.32
16	Dinner		.50

April Cash Account [See above for possible 16-25 entries.]

1	Ticket for home	48	.12
1	Dinner		.24
1	Collection, booklet [?], thread		.20
2	Beads for purse, cord	2	.60
2	Beads for neclace [necklace]		.38
2	Dinner		.50
3	Beads	2	.30
4	Dinner		.75
4	Stamps		.34
4	Collection		.25
	Cord for purse		.57
5	General fund	1	.00
5	Union suits	1	.84
5	Dinner		.27
5	Shoe shine, McCalls		.20
6	Dinner		.35
7	Dinner		.26
7	General fund	1	.00
8	For Jack and Billy		.75
8	Beth		.25
8	Fare to Paso-a-grill and back		.95
8	Cones		.30
9	Dinner		.27
9	Towels		.34
10	Eggs		.23
10	Dinner		.44
11	Dinner		.24
11	Union suit		.75
11	Neckties	2	.00
11	Pd. twords [towards] dress	1	.30
11	Dinner		.30
12	Dinner		.30
13	Dinner		.37
14	Dinner		.37
14	Picture, san [?] silk		.35
15	Dinner		.36
15	Stamps		.07
16	Easter cards		.11
	House fund	1	.00

May Cash Accounty

1	Cod Liver Oil	1	.00
4	Brown sugar		.11
8	Oranges		.25
	Shoes	4	.95
	Dress	4	.65
	Pictures		.55
21	Pd. Dr. Handy	5	.00
21	Pd. Dr. Handy	2	.50
22	Buttons [?] Ect. [etc.]		.75
23	Fare to Goodrich and back	1	.50
25	Hose, scarf [not sure if both listed]	1	.70
25	Fringe [?] monog. [?]		.85
25	Gloves	1	.29
26	Shoes fixed, P. P. Pak [?]	1	.50
	Soap, Ect. [etc.]		.17
27	Ticket for Petoskey	14	.15
27	Gave Kate	5	.00
28	Ribbons - stamps, dinner		.45
29	Show - Baner [?]	3	.25
31	Esparegus [asparagus] - Ect. [etc.]		.65

June Cash Account

6	Post Office Box 474		.15
7	Mosquito net - McCalls		.25
7	Maltine	1	.50
12	Stoveoil [stove oil]		.35
16	Stoveoil		.35
16	Flour sifter Ect. [etc.]		.35
16	Curtains, McCalls	1	.30
25	Strainer		.10
25	Electric globes		.60
25	Shoe shine, paper		.15
25	Pd - B - Bayne		.35
26	Black paint		.60
27	Laura [?] mowed	1	.25
	Stamped envelopes		.09
30	Stove wick [work?]		.35
30	Pd. P. O. [Post Office] box rent		.35

July Cash Account

11	Napkins. thread Ect. [etc.]		.23
11	Ride on boat		.10
	White goods		.45
	Creton [?]		.85
	Stand cloth		.81
25	Broom		.71
25	Matrass [mattress?]	1	.00
	Peanuts		.23
	Hemstitching		.25

August Cash Account

4	Postage stamps		.25
7	Paint		.75
	Mackinac Island	1	.55

18	Gold Medal Maltine	1	.50
18	Writing paper		.25
18	Glasses	1	.50
19	Wood	5	.00
19	Rec. [unknown item]	10	.00
23	Rec. [unknown item]	5	.00
25	Tray	1	.50
29	Watch fixed		.50
31	Vine and my lunch		.40

September Cash Account

1	Cans		.43
3	Book		.15
3	Picture		.40
	Stamps		.06
6	2 books		.30
13	Ice cream		.95
15	Dice [?], silk Ect. [etc.]		.73
15	X-mas things		.75
14	Church		.80
16	Carbon paper, silk		.15

Lillemor - Norwegian [Norwegian] for Little Mother. [Little in Norwegian is Litt or Lite and mother is Mor.]

Solveig - Norwegian for Happy Home. [Internet information seems to indicate Solveig means "sun" [sol] and "strength [veig].

October Cash Account

9	Stamps		.24
21	Aprons and trimmings	1	.10
21	Cro [?] - cotton [?] for purses		.40
21	Tape		.10
21	Shoe fixed		.25
21	Book - Indian Drum		.75
21	Corsp. [?], cards		.50
21	Sent parcel post		.37
26	Splitting wood		.50
27	Wireing [wiring?]	1	.50
27	Electric lights	5	.50
28	Trunks [?]		.75
28	Sending pks		.43
	Pd. Mrs. Whitmer	9	.37
	Shoe shine		.15

November Cash Account

4	1 pt. milk		.07
8	1 pt. milk		.07
8	Oranges		.35
9	Car fare		.10
	Milk		.07
12	Kate b-day	1	.00
13	Stamps		.50
	Gold Medal	1	.89
13	Gloves	1	.29

14	Milk		.07
18	Picture		.40
18	Milk		.07
	Collection		.35
	Collection		.15
	Milk		.07

December Cash Account

	Collection		.15
	Red Cross	1	.00
1	Eleanor b-day		.25
	Cards Ect. [etc.]	1	.27
12	Clock - J.L. - Kate	3	.25
12	Towels		.75
	X-mas cards	1	.25
	Salvation Army		.25
12	E [Eleanor] - Book		.75
17	Roys pen	4	.50
17	Juniors pict.	1	.25
17	Towels - M. [Marguerite]		.57
	Picture - Kath. [Katharine]		.57
17	String - cards Ect. [etc.]		.25
17	Handkerchiefs		.75
	Outing [?] - poor family		.40
	Fountain pen	4	.50
	Sugar, butter		.98
	Sending pks. Ect. [etc.]		.18
	Stamps		.50
	Celia - Tray	1	.50
	Betty book-bag		.55

Yesterday is gone forever
 Tomorrow never comes. - don't worry
 Today is here - use it

_____ [Twixt?] the optimist and pessimist
 The difference is droll.
 The optimist sees the fried cake
 The pessimist the hole.

The Gasperds [?]
 Pine Croft [?]
 Ralph O'Conner [?]

Quoting [?] from G. [?] M. Bronson for simplest and best laxative.
 "Phenol phthalein" [?] Thinks this the finest known. Also "Analax Fruit Tablets" not infusions for a long period. "Mineral Oil" always.

Enema. 1 qt. [quart] warm soap suds. Retain a few moments then follow with one qt. clear and cooler water for thorough elimination.
Sanitol tooth paste