## 1929 Diary of Nellie Irene (Bates) Thomas (1861-1948)

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This diary is a five-year diary, covering 1928-1932. The title of the diary cannot be read on the cover. It might say: "A Line Today."

Due to the length of the whole diary, each year has been transcribed separately. However at the end of the diary there are various undated notes. Since they do not relate to any particular year, they have been added at the end of the first year diary transcription only, 1928.

1929

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 - Lil Davis - unknown person. Probably married to a Harve or Harvey, see Jan 3 entry. Jan 2 - Celia - refers to her daugher-in-law Celia (Johnson) Thomas, wife of Roy Cresswell aka R. C. Thomas. They had two twin sons William "Bill" Thomas and John "Jack" Donald Thomas, born 14 Mar 1914. Gerry and Bill - unknown persons.

Jan 4 - M. [Marguerite] refers to her granddaughter Marguerite (Roat) Gillam, wife of Lewis Gillam. They had a son Ralph Gillam. Marguerite was the daughter of Jesse Levi aka J. L. Roat and wife Katharine "Kate" (Thomas) Roat. Their other children were Geraldine "Gerry" aka "Jerry" Roat, Katharine "Kitty" Roat, Eleanor Roat, Marion Elizabeth "Betty" Roat and Robert "Bob" or "Bobs" Roat.

Jan 4 - Marjory - unknown person - might be Marjory or Marjorie Frost, daughter of Frank and Amy Frost, friends of the Roat family. Frank and Amy had two other daughters, Eloise and Carolyn or Caroline. Nellie's entry for Feb 3rd indicates that Marjory's birthday was that day and she was 8 yrs old. This matches the 1930 census record for Frank and Amy Frost in Flint where Marjory is listed as age 9. Perhaps because Marjory was sick she went to St. Petersburg with Marguerite and her son Ralph to try to recover. Marjory was sick about a year ago and Nellie went to her house to help take care of her, see her 1928 diary notes. Jan 4 - Mrs. C. - refers to Nellie's friend Mrs. Case also called Mrs. Dr. Case.

Jan 6 - Benedicts - unknown persons.

Jan 7 - Rutlands - unknown persons.

Jan 8 - Mrs. Cross - unknown person. Ella - unknown person.

Jan 9 - Mrs. Robinson - unknown person

Jan 14 - Mrs. Roberson - unknown person - different from Robinson? Also listed as Robison Jan 15.

Jan 17 - Maude Boulsby - unknown person.

Jan 18 - Mrs. Comin [?] - unknown person.

Jan 19 - Mrs. Haller [or Halles] - unknown person.

Jan 21 - Mrs. B. [apparently Benedict] and Alice - unknown persons.

Jan 25 - Mrs. Warrener [?], Allie Ingham, Mable Covent - Maud Boulsby - unknown persons.

Feb 4 - Frasia [?] and Jessie - unknown persons. These individual seem to be listed Feb 6 as \_fracia [?] Hill and Jessie Bachtell. Also Jessie is listed in the Sep 3rd entry.

Feb 14 - C. Barton - unknown person.

Mar 3 - Aunt Nena - refers to Nellie's Aunt, Cornelia [Aunt Nena or Aunt Neal] (Moore) Cresswell, wife of Thomas Cresswell, daughter of Joseph Moore and Catherine House. Aunt Nena lived in Saginaw,

Michigan. Aunt Nena was the sister of Nellie's mother, Mathilda (Moore) Bates who died when Nellie was about age 2.

Mar 4 - Aunt Kate Brown - died Feb 2 - refers to Mary Catherine (Bates) Brown, wife of David Brown and daughter of Joseph Bates and Mary Ann Eaton. Mary (Bates) Brown was the sister of Hosea Bates who was the father of Nellie Irene (Bates) Thomas. Mary (Bates) Brown lived in Brooklyn, Jackson Co., Michigan.

Mar 24 - Mrs. Walch - unknown persons.

Mar 29 - Lil Davis and Marsha Bell Ra\_\_\_ey [?] - unknown persons.

Mar 30 - Maud Bolsby - unknown person.

Apr 16 - Mrs. [?] Leollop [?] and Craigh. - unknown persons. In Apr 19 entry, name looks like Trollip or Frollip.

May 11 - Jack - unknown person. Might be John "Jack" Thomas.

May 12 - Mr. and Mrs. Roat, Sr. - refers to Levi Havilla Roat and his wife Fanny Evelyn (Coles) Roat, the parents of Jesse Levi Roat aka J. L. Roat. Stanley was evidently a friend of Eleanor Roat.

May 13 - Ray - wedding - this evidently refers to Raymond Lee Shepard who was married 15 May 1929 in Detroit to Lula or Leila Maud Hirsch. Ray was the son of Sidney Shepard and Martha Peek and Martha Peek was the daughter of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg.

May 16 - Aunt Delia - aka Aunt Deal - refers to Cordelia (Moore) McCullen wife of Thomas McCullen. They lived in Detroit. Cordelia was the daughter of Joseph Moore and Catherine House. She was the twin sister of Cornelia (Moore) Cresswell [see March 3rd entry]. Aunt Delia was the sister of Nellie's mother, Mathilda (Moore) Bates who died when Nellie was about age 2.

May 16 - Sis and Henry - unknown persons - might possibly be Henry and Celia Jones.

May 24 - Mrs. Arthur Firstenberg and Mrs. Firstenberg - as the entry says, Mr. A. F. [Arthur Firstenberg] worked for Roy Thomas.

Jan 25 - Mrs. Roberson, the Phelps, Mrs. Warrener [?], Allie Ingham, Mable Covent, Maud Boulsby - unknown persons.

May 26 - Jack and Kitty - refers to Jack Stevens and Katharine "Kitty" (Roat) Stevens. Kitty was Nellie's granddaughter. Claud - refers to Claude Yates, friend of Geraldine "Gerry" of "Jerry" Roat. They were married 11 Jul 1930.

May 29 - Verna B. and her friend - unknown persons.

Jun 1 - Maybell - John Jr. - refers to Maybelle (Cook) who married (1) John William Thomas in 1908 (Nellie's son) and after his death in 1918 she married (2) Everett Clapp in 1920. Maybelle and John Thomas had three children, Marjory born 1909 and died 1910, John William Thomas Jr. born 1910, and Bethany born 1915.

Jun 2 - Irene - refers to Irene Dorothy (Mahlandt) wife of Maurice William Lamson. Maurice was the son of Walter Joseph Lamson and Laura (McDonald). Walter and Laura had another son, Ralph Lamson who married Marian or Marion Platt.

June 2 - Sopiah [Sophia] - refers to Mary Sophia aka Sophie aka Fie maiden name Lamson, the daughter of Valorus Lamson and Caroline "Carrie" (Moore) Lamson. Mary Sophia Lamson married James Vosburg. Caroline "Carrie" Moore was the sister of the twin Moore sisters, Cornelia (Moore) Cresswell and Cordelia (Moore) McCullen. These 3 sisters were also sister to Nellie's mother, Mathilda (Moore) Bates who died when Nellie was about 2 years old.

June 2 - Jack D. T. - refers to John "Jack" Donald Thomas, one of the twin sons of Roy Thomas and Celia (Johnson) Thomas. The other twin son was William "Bill" Thomas. They were born in 1914.

Jun 3 - Hattie - refers to Harriet "Hattie" (Wycoff) Peek, wife of Ransom Henry Peek. They lived in Holly, Oakland Co., Michigan according to census records. Ransom Peek was the son of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" McQuigg.

Jun 5 - Mr. Roat and Elliott - Mr. Roat might refer to Levi Havilla Roat who would have been nearly 70 years old. Elliott - unknown person.

Jun 5 - Cousin Lois - probably refers to Lois Arvilla (Peek) Davis, who lived in Petoskey, Michiga, wife of Franklin Davis (who died in 1903). Lois Peek was the daughter of George Peek and Louise "Lucy" (McQuigg) Peek.

Jun 5 - Mrs. Morehouse and May - Mrs. Morehouse might refer to Mary Morehouse, perhaps the person Nellie bought her cottage from. May - unknown persons.

Jun 7 - Wes and Pearl - probably refers to Wesley or Weston aka William Weston Sellers and wife Pearl. They were friends of the Roat family in Flint, Michigan.

Jun 7 - Ray and Julia - unknown persons. Clide and \_\_\_\_\_ [left blank in diary]- unknown persons.

Jun 14 - Vine, Mrs. Durfee, Lucy, Elizabeth Aiken - unknown persons.

Jul 1 - Ray, Julia, Clide, Mr. Wilson and Julias mother - unknown persons.

Jul 1 - Amy - probably refers to Amy Shepard born 1893, daughter of Sidney Shepard and Martha (Peek) Shepard. Amy was a single woman. She lived in Petoskey as did her sister Ethel, also single, born 1888. They were sisters of Raymond Lee Shepard.

Jul 10 - Mrs. Gibson - unknown person.

Jul 14 - Judge and Mrs. Thomlin [?] - unknown persons.

Jul 16 - Swayzes, Newells [? Newalls? ], Harve and Lil - unknown persons. Swayzes might refer to John

and Fronia Swayze who lived in Fort Wayne, Indiana, see the 1922 diary for more information about them.

Jul 17 - Mrs. Dan [?] Brummett [?] - unknown person.

Jul 29 - Christine Barton [?] - unknown person.

Aug 6 - Mr. Guernsy [?] - unknown person.

Aug 9 - Mrs. Hall, Miss Wagner - unknown persons.

Aug 12 - Mrs. Brown - unknown person.

Aug 16 - Miss Lula Wagner - unknown person.

Aug 20 - Mrs. Cook - unknown person.

Aug 21 - Simese [Siamese] Twins - was this a movie? Not found on the internet.

Aug 23 - Mr. and Mrs. McNamara - unknown persons.

Aug 24 - Will T. - refers to Nellie's husband, William Isaac Thomas, who left her and their children in about 1890 and ended up out West, ultimately in or near Spokane, Washington. They were divorced in 1906.

Sep 3 - Carl Boman, The Carrs - unknown persons.

Sep 8 - Mrs. Everson and Robert - unknown persons. Per Sep 16 entry, a Wesley Everson, his mother and Robert mentioned.

Sep 23 - Will - Might refer to her divorced husband, William Isaac Thomas.

Sep 25 - Mrs. Briggs - unknown person.

Sep 26 - Lucy - This Lucy, connected with Cousin Lois is probably Lucy Elizabeth Davis, the wife of Roy Johnson Winsor and daughter of Franklin Davis and Lois Arvilla (Peek) Davis. The entry mentions Lucy contesting a divorce. This probably is supported by the fact that in the 1930 census she is living with her mother and her husband is not with them.

Oct 11 - Jay - unknown person.

Oct 17 - Ruth - Probably the daughter of Wess and Pearl Sellers, listed in the 1930 census, Flint, Michigan, as William W. "Sellas", wife Pearl M, children Donald age 14, Ruth age 5.

Oct 22 - Mrs. Susie Clark - unknown persons.

Oct 24 - baby - might refer to one of Walter Lamson's grandchildren, Laura Lamson born about 1927 or Dorothy Lamson born about 1930. They were daughter's of Maurice Lamson and Irene )Mahlandt) Lamson and Maurice Lamson was the son of Walter Lamson.

Nov 1 - Mrs. Elwood - unknown person.

Nov 3 - Burtis Woolfits - refers to person found in Genesee Co., Michigan, death records online at Flint Genealogical Society website: Burtis E. Woolfitt died 11/2/1929.

Nov 9 - Jack T. - might refer to John "Jack" Thomas born 1914, son of Roy Thomas and Celia (Johnson) Thomas. However it may be someone else as this family lived in Saginaw in 1920 and Detroit in 1930. If it says "as our minister" it would not be this Jack T./Thomas.

Nov 23 - Jack S. and Ed - unknown persons. Jack S. could possibly be Jack Stevens, but that doesn't seem to match being in Detroit.

Nov 25 - Hattie Chambers - unknown person.

Nov 27 - Martha Day - refers to the sister of Jesse Levi Roat. She was Martha (Roat) Day, wife of Clarence Day.

Dec 2 - Mrs. Firstenburg - unknown person.

Dec 8 - Ed Wuerfel - unknown person.

Dec 14 - Will - probably refers to William Isaac Thomas, Nellie's divorced husband who lived in Spokane, Washington.

Residences or Travel:

Jan 1 - In St. Petersburg, Florida. May 7 - Last day in St. Petersburg. May 8 - Left St. Petersburg. May 10 - Arrived in Detroit. May 25 - Last day in Detroit. May 26 - In Flint, Michigan Jun 4 - Arrived in Bay View, Michigan. Oct 20 - Returned to Flint, Michigan. Dec 31 - Still in Flint, Michigan

Movies or Plays: Jan 22 - Falking [? Folking?] picture - title? actor? producer? Mar 9 - Thomas Mcgin [? Mcquire? Etc.] Mar 18 - Weary River Apr 8 - Bridge of San Louis [Luis] Rey Apr 30 - Shepherd of the Hills May 14 - On Trial May 17 - Scandle [Scandal?] May 20 - The Last Warning May 25 - The Lone Wolf's Daughter Jul 13 - We Americans Jul 15 - to Ramoria [?] - was this a film or a lecture? Jul 18 - Singing Fool Jul 23 - Kid Brother Aug 2 - Red Path Players in "Take My Advice" - a play Aug 3 - Red Path Players in "Skidding." - a play Aug 4 - Dickens Christmas Carol - probably a play

Aug 8 - Home talent play - unknown if a real play or not

Sep 3 - The Flying Fleet

Dec 9 - So This is College

Books:

Jan 7 - Billy [not found on Amazon.com - need more details].

Feb 26 - Mother India.

Mar 31 - Life of Jesus

Oct 31 - The Promice [Promise?] - not found at Amazon.com.

Dec 5 - Blair's Attic - [by Joseph C. Lincoln, published 1929?]

Important notes:

Jul 3 - Eleanor Roat arrived from Flint to Bay View, evidently to work as waitress in local hotels. Her friend Stan (and others) came with her and Stan stayed until Jul 8. Eleanor stayed until Sep 9 [see 7th also]. Jul 26 - Marguerite (Roat) Gillam arrived from Flint to Bay View, evidently to work as waitress in local hotels. Eleanor's friend Stan brought her up along with their brother Bobs Roat. On July 29 Stan and Bobs returned to Flint. Question: Who was taking care of Ralph, age about 2-1/2?

Aug 24 & 25 - A visit from her "Will T" who was William Isaac Thomas, who left her and their children in about 1890 and ended up out West, ultimately in or near Spokane, Washington. They were divorced in 1906. It was family knowledge that there was very little communication back and forth with him. However, on December 14 diary records that she bought him a handkerchief and a Christmas card and mailed a package to him that day. The next day she received from him, listed as W. I. T, a letter and check. Oct 21 - This article found about the event Nellie listened to over the radio on this date: http://www.silvermaples.org/pdf/ChelsamanmeetsThomasEdison 6-26-08.pdf

1929	
Jan 1	St. Pete. Spent my day alone as per. Lil Davis called at the door to see how I was. Took a little walk
Tue	in library park. Feel a little better.
Jan 2	St. Pete. Cold. We got a taxie and went to bank and Dr. this P.M. Walked back. Folks on their
Wed	homeward way. Celia improving. Roy in Detroit talking inventory. Afraid I wont have another ride
	with Gerry and Bill. Ate [? All?]
Jan 3	St. Pete. Nothing much to record. Sat on a green bench by church and waited a couple of hours for
Thu	Mrs. C. Saw Lil and Harve at noon.
Jan 4	St. Pete. We met M. [Marguerite] and children comming just as we were going to dinner. All went

Fri	to Poincetta [?] then I kept R. [Ralph] while M. and Marjory went to do some shopping. Mrs. C.
111	went to 3/4 century club tonight. We went to see Mother Goose party at Christian church. Nellie
	brought us home.
Jan 5	Finished my bit of washing and did a little cleaning and all in. Surely felt miserable again today.
Sat	Went to Vermont to dinner.
Jan 6	St. Pete. Mrs. C. went to Tarpon Springs with the Benedicts. I went over and took dinner with M.
Sun	and family. It surely did seem good. I was tired but rested when I got home. Then went to church
Sull	this eve. with Mrs. C. I got through the day very well.
Jan 7	St. Pete. We went window shopping after dinner today to Rutlands [?] and 10 ct [?] store. I all in.
Mon	Finished reading Billy today.
Jan 8	St. Pete. We went to call on Mrs. Cross and Mrs. C. went to a notary P. this P.M. Mrs. C. went out
Tue	to Benedicts to supper. I took a little walk after supper. Then wrote to Ella.
Jan 9	Thank God for being able to go to prayer meeting again. Went to Mizpah [?] class meeting this A.M.
Wed	Mrs. Robinson and I cut out boys [?] waists. M. and children came after dinner. We went to Park,
I 10	heard band. Children enjoyed the Pigeons.
Jan 10	St. Pete. Went to Dr. again today and he took me to the throat specialist for exam. Will hear their
Thu	decision next week. We went to hear Psychology lecture. Dident enjoy it or learn much.
Jan 11	Went out to bank this A.M. Got weighed - 116 lbs. Never remember being so thin. We went to
Fri	chicken dinner at Christian Church. Mrs. C. went 3/4 club. I went out to M. tonight. Went to
	Vermont. Had syrup on [snow [?].
Jan 12	St. Pete. Sat. again. Did work. Then went to Vermont and had oyster stew for dinner. Been to
Sat	Library and P.O. since supper. Wrote letters.
Jan 13	Went to church 9:15 to S. S. 11 A.M., to communion service 3 P.M. and to evening service 7:30 [or
Sun	8:30] P.M. Have stood it well.
Jan 14	Got up and did our personal washing. To Bobs caffateria for dinner. M. came at 3 P.M. Went with
Mon	her to get certificate of good health for Marj. [?] tonight. Mrs. Case and I went to hear Mrs.
	Roberson at Baptist Church.
Jan 15	Mrs. C. and I invited to M. to dinner today. Had a nice time. Mrs. C. had a good rest. Mrs. Cross
Tue	called tonight. We went to Baptist Chur[ch] to hear Mrs. Robison. Fine.
Jan 16	St. Pete. Not feeling so very well this A.M. Went to hear Mrs. Roberson this P.M. on prayer. Went
Wed	to prayer meeting tonight.
Jan 17	Mr. Case went to the Co. fair at Largo. Lil Davis was here quite a while after dinner. Maude
Thu	Boulsby here tonight.
Jan 18	St. Pete. Started this A.M. at 10;30. Went to missionary Banquet. Took sandwitchs and pumpkin pie.
Fri	After meeting this P.M. went to recreation park. Saw H. & Lil, Mrs. Comin [?]. Went to lecture
	tonight to hear Mrs. Roberson. Then Vermont maple sugar house to eat, sugar upon snow [?]
Jan 19	St. Pete. Done Sat. work then we went to call on Mrs. Haller [or Halles]. Then to dinner at the
Sat	Crown. This P.M. I attended two lectures by Mrs. Roberson. Tonite have been fixing up my notes I
Dat	took.
Jan 20	St. Pete. Went to hear Bishop F. W. Warne [?] who is here for colored conference. Had a quiet
Sun	afternoon. A beautiful warm day. Wrote to Roy. Went to Church tonite.
Jan 21 Mon	Mrs. Case had Mrs. Benedict here and took her out to dinner. So I went out to see M. Stayed until
Mon	three then came home and got a big supper. Mrs. B. and Alice here for supper. Lovely day.
Jan 22	St. Pete. We had dinner in today. Went to the Phial [?] this P.M. to see Old [?] home towers [?].
Tue	Very fine Falking [? Folking?] picture. Went to hear Mrs. Robison tonight. Mrs. C. went out with
Lan 22	the Benedicts.
Jan 23	Have been shortening my ensomble suit. Things not quite as happy today. I pray for Christian
Wed	strength. Mrs. C. went away with Benedicts. I went to see the Dr. this P.M. To prayer meeting
<b>X</b> 01	tonight.
Jan 24	St. Pete. Some time this A.M. making some hermits [?] out of stale pieces of cake. We went to
Thu	Lecture on prayer this P.M. and I went tonight. Poor Mrs. Roberson is being persecuted.
Jan 25	I could not get to the P.M. Lecture of Mrs. Roberson much to my dissapointment. Was looking for
Fri	the Phelps. Mrs. C. went to 3/4 club. Mrs. Warrener [?] was bride [?]. Allie Ingham, Mable Covent -
	Maud Boulsby called.
Jan 26	St. Pete. Did Sat. work. Quite a little extra cleaning. We went to Health House to dinner. M. and

Sat	children here this P.M. They had been to Pier [?].
Jan 27	A full day. Went to Church. S. School. School of Missions [?] at 3 P.M. And to church tonight to
Sun	hear Dr. F. Howard Taylor.
Jan 28	St. Pete. Got up quite early and got the washing and other work done and went to School of
Mon	Missions . Heard J. Kelly Unger of Corea [?] tonight.
Jan 29	Did my ironing and other work. Went to S. of M. at ten. A splendid prog. Dr. Sadder [?] a woman of
Tue	India and tonight Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor.
Jan 30	St. Pete. Went to S. of Missions this A.M. Then to First M. E. [Methodist Episcopal] Church S. [?].
Wed	To H. M. luncheon. Then dinner on the Pier this P.M. To commercial exebition. To prayer meeting
	tonite.
Jan 31	S. of Missions this A.M. To Crown to dinner. Riding with Miss Phelps and mother to Church
Thu	tonight to hear Dr. Sidney Culick, Sec. World Allience for International Friendship.
	Memoranda. Carl Peek died the night of the 22 of this month.
Feb 1	St. Pete. Went to S. of Missions this A.M. Mrs. C. went to 3/4 Club. This P.M. I went to Park and
Fri	heard band play. Stayed home tonight.
Feb 2	St. Pete. Did Sat. work. I get tired very easy but stronger than I was. Did a little shopping this P.M.
Sat	Mrs. C. went to ride and did not come to supper.
Feb 3	Went to Church & S. School. Then out to M. for dinner. Marj. 8 yrs old today. Some of M. friends
Sun	brought me home. Went to church tonite.
Feb 4	St. Pete. Washed this A.M. Went to Y. W. to dinner. Saw the girls Frasia [?] and Jessie. Stayed out
Mon	until 8 P.M. Ironed later and went to concert by colored people.
Feb 5	Went out after supplies this A.M. Then made sandwitches & went to all day meeting of Mispah
Tue	Class. After came home went down to Manhatten after more supplies.
Feb 6	St. Pete. We entertained _fracia [?] Hill and Jessie Bachtell today. It just poured 2/3 of the day.
Wed	Went to prayer meeting. A wonderful meeting. Am very tired and head aches.
Feb 7	Today we entertained Mrs. Cross and her mother for dinner. Went to hear Dr. Evans at Presbyterian
Thu	Church. Tired again.
Feb 8	As usual when Mrs. C. went to 3/4 centuary club I went to see M. Tonight went to M. E. 1st Ave.
Fri	Church to a tourest meeting.
Feb 9	St. Pete. Did Saturdays work. Had dinner at home. Got a letter from Eleanor. M. and children here a
Sat	few minutes. I went to recreation Park for few minutes. We went down town tonight.
Feb 10	St. Pete. Went to early service. People turned away. Crown to dinner. Went to ride with Phelps this
Sun	P.M. Went to Presbyterian church tonight to hear Mr. Evens. Feeling very poorly.
Feb 11	Washed and then got dinner. Mrs. Haller [Halles?] here this P.M. Went out and got calendar. Went
Mon	to Oritorical Contest tonight.
Feb 12	St. Pete. I ironed this A.M. Then we went to W. C. T. U. [Women's Christian Temperance Union]
Tue	Southern Conference. Took dinner at Church. Went to Mens Bible Class entertainment. Hansen
	reader.
Feb 13	Another very bad cold today. Taking soda. Went to prayer meeting tonight. Man showed pictures
Wed	after meeting. Letter from Kate.
Feb 14	A little better than a year ago today, but still discouraged over my condition. Home most of the day.
Thu	Cold very bad. Mrs. Cross here to call. A letter from C. Barton telling me her mother is dead.
Feb 15	St. Pete. Felt very poorly this A.M., but M. called up and wanted me to come so bad. I went out to
Fri	dinner. Took a pumpkin pie. Went to congregational church to hear "The Singing Skull [?] of Lord
	[?] Hollar [or Hollas?]." Was funny and fine.
Feb 16	St. Pete. Did Sat. work. Then we went out so Mrs. C. could do some trading before dinner. Went to
Sat	Y. M. C. A. for dinner. Mrs. C. went riding with Benedicts.
Feb 17	St. Pete. Went to Church and S. S. In P.M. we went riding with Phelps across Gandy B. [bridge].
Sun	Later M. and children came. I went to church in eve. [evening].
Feb 18	St. Pete. Did washing this A.M. Went to Royal Palm for dinner. I bought white felt hat at last. We
Mon	went to hear Dr. Tindale lecture on Eather [?] waves [?].
Feb 19	Ironed this A.M. Did a little fussing around. Tonight heard Robert L. Dickey, draws dog pictures for
Tue	Saturday Evening Post and George Elliott who wrote "Long, Long Trail a Winding" at Baptist
	Tabernacle.
Feb 20	St. Pete. Today I am trying to keep cool, but find it hard work when you try to do anything. Mrs. B.

Wed	here for the day. She and Mrs. C. went to show. Made a cake.
Feb 21	Very warm again today. Finished fixing my Kimona. Had dinner in. Miss Hill and Bachtell called.
Thu	
Feb 22	Went to H. M. S. meeting at Church this A.M. Heard a national officer, Mrs. Jones. Went home with
Fri	M. and stayed little while.
Feb 23	St. Pete. Wish I could have a real good time once more, something I thoroughly injoyed, but am
Sat	very thankful to God for his goodness to me and the opportunity of being in the sunshine country.
Feb 24	Went to Church. Then came home. I forgot to take my money for my dinner. After dinner we took a
Sun	lovely ride with the Phelps. In the evening went to Christian Church.
Feb 25	St. Pete. Did quite a washing this A.M. Was tired. Went to the Magnolia Hotel for dinner. Tonight
Mon	went to hear Dr. Pender on "Down In Dixie After the Civil War."
Feb 26 Tue	St. Pete. Ironed this A.M. Went to Beverly Hotel to dinner. Then to Cooking School Got "Mother India" from library. We are reading.
Feb 27	It has been another very hot day, but nice breeze. Went C. [cooking?] school again this P.M. After
Wed	prayer meeting tonight heard Mr. Eaton temprence maker [?].
Feb 28	St. Pete. Took some strength this A.M. Cleaning poarch. Went to Cooking School again this P.M.
Thu	Then took coupons [?] around [?]. Am very tired tonight.
	Memoranda. Mrs. Hansen - reader, gave the Masters Violin, by [?] [no more entry given].
Mar 1	St. Pete. Went to cooking school this P.M., but wasent one of the lucky ones to get a gift. M. came
Fri	tonight for a couple of hours. Then I went to concert to come home with Mrs. C.
Mar 2	St. Pete. Was so tired this A.M., but did Sat. work. Then went clear to Manhatten for groceries. This
Sat	P.M. had a beautiful ride with Miss Phelps. Brought home 2 gabs of oranges and grape fruit. Dinner
1	home.
Mar 3	St. Pete. Got a letter from Aunt Nena today. Went to church. Mrs. Case went with Benedicts to see
Sun	Bock Memorial Tower. I rested most of the P.M.
Mar 4	St. Pete. Aunt Nena wrote Aunt Kate Brown died Feb. 2. Went to Williams Park and heard Hoover
Mon	take oath of office. Clouds again today.
Mar 5	St. Pete. We went to another all day class meeting today. Injoyed it fine. Stayed at home tonight. It
Tue	is very windy and turned cool.
Mar 6	I notice as I look through my diary it seems to be the most common thing for me to be "not feeling
Wed	well." What is the trouble. Dinner t Health House. Rested then went to Park and heard travel talk
N 7	about Germany. Went to prayer meeting tonight.
Mar 7	St. Pete. We entertained Miss Phelps and mother for dinner today. Then they took us for a lovely
Thu Mar 9	ride.
Mar 8	St. Pete. Dinner at home. Had M. and Ralph with us. After dinner M. went to Phial to picture. I put
Fri	R. to bed. Mrs. C. went to 3/4 club. Eaten [?], M. and I went to recreation park. Stayed home
Mar 9	tonight.         St. Pete. Made two cakes. Too one to the Liggett Drug Store man. Went to see Misses Hill and
Sat	Bachtell. Went to dinner with them at [blank, no entry]. Then Mrs. Case took us to the
Sat	Capitol theater to see Thomas Meguis [? Mcquire? Mcquis, Etc.].
Mar 10	St. Pete. This A.M. went to Marg. and let her come here and go to Church with Mrs. Case so she
Sun	could hear Dr. Raynolds. I took children to S. S. Got them dinner, put them to bed. Later the Phelps
	brought M. home, and took me home. Church tonite.
Mar 11	St. Pete. Washed this A.M. Went to Crown for dinner. Went to hear Rodahaver [?] at Baptist
Mon	Tabernacle tonight.
Mar 12	St. Pete. Ironed this A.M. Went to Penflora [?] for dinner. Rested a while. Then went to see Dr.
Tue	Stewart about my tonsils. He says "The Lord had given him great success." Thinks it the only thing
	for me. Put flowers in Mrs. C. HAT.
Mar 13	St. Pete. Started to cut out Mrs. [?] C. Slip this P.M. Then Miss [?] Robinsen and Benedict came.
Wed	Later we went riding with Phelps. Saw the ducks and gulls diving after bread.
Mar 14	St. Pete. Cut out Mrs. C. slip today. Had some time fitting it. Mrs. Lawyer [?] Davis called. I wanted
Thu	to keep little Ralph tonight, but couldent. Went to meeting.
Mar 15	St. Pete. Sewed on the slip some this A.M. Marg. and Ralph came. I took them to dinner then went
Fri Mar 16	home with them. No supper to get tonight. Hurrah.Washed this A.M. Mrs. Case went to a Sandy Bridge meeting. Then we went out to Mrs. Benedicts

Sat	to a small b-day party for Mrs. C. Alice came after us. Mrs. Cross, Miss [?] Warrener [?], Mrs.
Sat	Robinson, Mrs. C. and I. Tonight went to Band concert at the park. Am very tired. Had good time.
Mar 17	Went to church, but do not feel very well. This P.M. went to ride with Phelps. M. and children came
Sun	for a while. To church tonite.
Mar 18	St. Pete. Did Sat. work. Then sewed on slip. Got dinner at home. Then went out after provisions and
Mon	got b-day present for Mrs. C., ear rings. Sewed. Then we went out to look at a coat. Tonight went to
WIOII	see Richard Barthelmess in "Weary River."
Mar 19	
Tue	St. Pete. Ironed this A.M. Then laid down as I feel very poorly. Went out to dinner. Then down to
Mar 20	Masons [?] perade. Stayed at home tonight to write.
	St. Pete. Have been struggling again with the slip. Nearly done after a near explosion. Went to
Wed	Festival of states prayers meeting, 30 [or 80] states rep. and China, Spain.
Mar 21	St. Pete. Themomitor standing at 87°. Pretty hot. Went for a picnic to Indian Rocks with Phelps. Had
Thu	a fine time. Mrs. C. went with the B.s to the pagent and fire works. I wandered around alone in the
M	dark for a while then came home.
Mar 22	St. Pete. Went to the pagent perade this P.M. over to the Phelps. It passed their door. It was
Fri	beautiful. Marguerite and children were there. Miss P. took us all home. Not going out tonight. To
M 22	fire works.
Mar 23	St. Pete. Washed and ironed today. Getting ready to have tonsils out. Cleaned Apts. Went to
Sat	Children's perade this P.M. Just lovely. Miss Phelps took us to ride then home to supper with them.
Mar 24	St. Pete. Church and S. S. A wonderful sermon. Mrs. Walch resigned from office as teacher. Went to
Sun	M. for dinner. To church tonite to hear talk on "Near East Relief." Oh! for money to help the needy.
Mar 25	Wasent going to do much this A.M. But went to Dr. for blood test. Then out to dinner. Then to Mrs.
Mon	Cross for over an hour. Tonight went riding with Phelps.
Mar 26	St. Pete. Did work up all over rooms. Made Mrs. C. a cake. Took care of Ralph while M. did some
Tue	shopping.
Mar 27	St. Pete. Went to Hospital at 8 A.M. Had my tonsils out. Marguerite came and stayed with me
Wed	through the day. I stayed all nite.
Mar 28	St. Pete. Felt pretty bad yesterday. Had fairly good night. M. came over and came home with me in
Thu	taxi and stayed until 4. Mrs. Walch and Miss Phelps came to see me.
Mar 29	St. Pete. Had a very hard night. Lil Davis and Marsha Bell Raey [?] came to see me. Marguerite
Fri	called up. Am very tired. Mrs. Case gone to Church to see picture.
Mar 30	St. Pete. Hot. M. and children came and brought me beautiful Eater [Easter] Lily this A.M. Mrs. C.
Sat	gone to Mch [?] Banquet tonite. Miss Phelps came to see if I could ride. Maud Bolsby brought me
	beautiful Roses, Ferns and Babys breath.
Mar 31	A beautiful Easter Sabbath, but some way a twist got into things. Have been very unhappy. Can eat a
Sun	little more. Mrs. C. dident go to either service. Miss Phelps kindly took us for a little [incomplete].
	Finished Life of Jesus.
	Memoranda. [blank]
Apr 1	St. Pete. Had a real good night last night. Got up and got b-fast. Then Mrs. C. wouldent eat. Done
Mon	some reading and wriing. M. came and we went and sat in bank [back?] of Mirror Lake. Rolf
	[Ralph] fed the ducks.
Apr 2	St. Pete. Went to see Dr. Stewart this A.M. He swabed my throat. Said it was comming fine. Got a
Tue	beautiful box of stationary from daughter this P.M. Ate a little soft food this noon. It hurt. Wrote a
	long letter to Ella A. [Andrews?]
Apr 3	Got b-fast this A.M. and it was eaten. Mrs. C. made orange marmelade. Has gone to prayer meeting
Wed	tonite. I have had a comfortable day. Got supper tonite. Miss Phelps called tonite.
Apr 4	St. Pete. Did my washing today, but shouldent have. Went to dinner out, shouldent have. This P.M.
Thu	went to Dr. to get throat treated. He told me to keep very quiet. Miss P. [Phelps] came for us to ride.
	I to tired. Mrs. C. went.
Apr 5	St. Pete. Mrs. Case went to 3/4 C-Club picnic. M. [Marguerite] and R. [Ralph] came to see me. We
Fri	went out to dinner. Went to Dr. to get throat treated. Miss Phelps came and took us riding after
	supper.
Apr 6	St. Pete. Kind Miss Phelps came this A.M. to see if I dident want to go to M. as Mrs. C. and they
Sat	were going to Hallers to dinner. Did Sat. cleaning. Lil Davis here quite a while.
Apr 7	Sunday, but I felt very weak, temperature left. Laid down most of the day till 4. Miss P. came. Took

Sun	us for a lovely ride. Went to concert to Cong. church. Darkness and Dawn.
Apr 8	St. Pete. Went out about 11 A.M. Took dinner at Royal Palm. Went to Mrs. [?] Crosses for a while.
Mon	Then to Fla. theater to see the Bridge of San Louis [Luis] Rey, a catholic picture. Had ice cream
	sunda [sundae]. Then home.
Apr 9	St. Pete. Went to Dr. again today. Went to Crown to dinner. Then to Rutlands to see dress coats.
Tue	Tonight went to Congregational Church to entertainment.
Apr 10	St. Pete. I felt pretty poorly and should have kept quiet, but at it nearly all day. Betty's for dinner.
Wed	Then to Fial. Then to stores and after supper to Prayer meeting. Heard a great violinist there.
Apr 11	St. Pete. Marguerite and Ralph came this A.M. We went to Crown to dinner. Then to Rutlands to
Thu	look for cloth for dresses. M. bought 2. Went to Park tonight.
Apr 12	St. Pete. Ironed this A.M. Then went to Wilson and Chase and bought cloth for white dress. Then
Fri	went to Marguerites. Felt pretty poorly. We got dress started. Went to M. E. [Methodist Episcopal]
	Church tonight to hear Big Four [?].
Apr 13	Did Sat. wrok. Then we went to Bobs to dinner. Found Misses Hill and Bachtell. All went to Fla.
Sat	theater. Dr. Stewart gave me a shot in the arm.
Apr 14	St. Pete. Went to church this A.M. Then home and rested. Out to dinner. Rested this P.M. Miss
Sun	Phelps drove up with M. and children. Went to hear Dr. House tonight.
Apr 15	St. Pete. Washed today. Rained very hard so got dinner in. Miss P. came to take us riding and we
Mon	brought them back to supper. Another shot in arm.
Apr 16	St. Pete. Went with Mrs. C. to get her transformation. Then home and sewed on her dress. Went to
Tue	hear a concert given by color[e]d girls of Lakeland. Talked with Mrs. [?] Leollop [?] and Craigh.
Apr 17	St. Pete. Got telegraph this A.M. that Mrs. C. brother John died last night. Mrs. C. had a date for
Wed	dinner. Took Phelps and I out to Mary Cars. Dr. gave me another hypo. Went to M. to do stitching
	on Mrs. C. dress. So glad dont have to start right home.
Apr 18	St. Pete. Made cake and pudding this A.M. Went to Crown for dinner. This P.M. took our last ride
Thu	with Phelps to Safty [Saftey] Harbor. Lovely ride. Mrs. C. bought new coat. Went to midgets
	wedding.
Apr 19	Sewed some this A.M. Then went after supplies. Got dinner at home. Was resting. M. called me to
Fri	come there. Marjorie was sick. While I was gone Trollip [? Frollip?] and Craigh called. M.
	[Marjorie] quite sick.
Apr 20	St. Pete. Finished Mrs. C. dress. Marjori better. Misses Hill and Bachtell called. Got another shot in
Sat	arm. Also new tonic.
Apr 21	Went to Church this A.M. Then out to M. Marjorie better. Mrs. C. went to B's for dinner. Mrs. Cross
Sun	came to church with me.
Apr 22	St. Pete. Got up and did washing. Went to Magnolia Hotel for dinner. Then we went window
Mon	shopping. Got another shot in the arm today. Mrs. C. went to Dr. Wood.
Apr 23	I washed Mrs. C. light silk dress this A.M. Then ironed and sewed some. Mrs. C. gone with the B.
Tue	[Benedicts] tonite. I took a little walk.
Apr 24	St. Pete Cleaned this A.M. Then sewed on dress. Started on buttermilk today. Mrs. C. went riding
Wed	with Allie [? Allis?], I [?], and girls - Hills - Bachtell - Mrs. Brown.
Apr 25	Went to M. [Marguerite] this A.M. to look after children so M. could come and get tickets for home.
Thu	Mrs. Bramlett [?] here this eve.
Apr 26	St. Pete. Quite a ways from where I was a year ago tonight. Been quiet today. Went to Dr. and got
Fri	another shot in the arm. Dident go to reception Mr. R. [?].
Apr 27	Did Saturdays work. Then Mrs. C. and I went to Willson and Chase. Then I went home with M.
Sat	[Marguerite] and did her packing.
Apr 28	St. Pete. Went to Church this A.M. Wore my new white silk dress. Rested this P.M. Tonight we
Sun	walked to M. E. [Methodist Episcopal] Church South and looked around. Then to our church.
Apr 29	This P.M. went to Depot to see Marguerite and children off for home. Pd. Dr. Stewart today. Got
Mon	shot in arm.
Apr 30	St. Pete. Ironed this A.M. Found Crown closed. Went to Myers. Mrs. Reynolds called this P.M. We
Tue	went to new Capitol tonight to "Shepherd of the Hills."
	Memoranda. Moses Band played their last for this year. April 12th.
May 1	St. Pete. Been fussing around sorting things over to take home. Got our reservations today. Went to
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May 2	Wrote some letters this A.M. Went to bank. Then Bobs to dinner. Went to Church to H. M. S.
Thu	[Home Missionary Society ?] to hear Miss Cartes K. Swartz.
May 3	St. Pete. Been doing things tword getting ready to go home. Washed and ironed. Went to Telephone
Fri	Office. Mrs. Cross called.
May 4	Did Saturdays work. Then we went to P. O. to send a parcel post package. Had dinner at home.
Sat	Mended.
May 5	Went to church and S. S. and church this evening. Mrs. C. took Benedicts to dinner. I got my dinner
Sun	at home.
May 6	Got up at six oclock and rubbed [?] clothes before b-fast. I got Eleanors graduation present today.
Mon 7	Came home and packed. Fed the ducks tonite.
May 7 Tue	St. Pete. My last entry for St. Pete perhaps forever. Finished packing. Went to Royal Palm for dinner. Rev. and Mrs. Poulson [? Paulson?] called, also Mrs. Cross. Had to go down town this P.M. One of the hottest days.
May 8	Left St. Pete at 12:1 this noon. So hot could hardly stand it. Had a beautiful ride to Jacksonville, all
Wed	but the heat.
May 9	On train. Have had a lovely ride all day. Passed through the mountains in Tenesee and into
Thu	Kentucky. All fine so far.
May 10	Detroit. Arrived at D. at seven thirty this A.M. We were met at Station by respective parties. Celia
Fri	and I went for a walk. Celia looks pretty frail.
May 11	Detroit. This P.M. Celia and I went to Highland Park Hosp. to see Mrs. Jones. Kate, Jerry, Betty,
Sat	Jack, came here. Having a good visit.
May 12	Detroit. Mothers day. All the Flint relatives including Mr. and Mrs. Roat Sr. and Eleanor's friend
Sun	Stanley, and us went to Bell Isle for a picnic dinner. Rained all forenoon, but fine in P.M. We had a
	fine time. So glad to see them all again.
May 13	Detroit. We have been very quiet all day. Celia dosent feel a bit well. Are fixing her dress to wear to
Mon	Rays wedding.
May 14	Detroit. Celia feeling better. We went down town to get her some things. Had luncheon at Cafeteria
Tue	and ice cream at Saunders. Tonight Roy took us to see "On Trial" at the Oriole. I did not care for it.
May 15	Detroit. Ray Shepard's wedding day. Married about 11 A.M. Then off for Washington. Celia and I
Wed	rode down to Fox theater with R. [Roy] After that went to R. place of business.
May 16	We were buisy all the A.M. Then after lunch went to see Aunt Delia. Found her pretty frail. R. home
Thu	to supper. Went to see Sis and Henry tonite.
May 17 Fri	Detroit. Celia and I went to see her Dr. Got medacine for C. Went to Fisher theater, saw "Scandle," [Scandal?] a wonderful theater and building. All were tired and stayed in at night. I have very bad cold.
May 18	We stayed at home and worked nearly all day. C. and R. took Billy [son of Roy and Celia] back to
Sat	work after supper and got groceries. Minnie Sager and Gordon [no more entry].
May 19 Sun	Detroit. We went to hear Dr. Rice at Metropolitan Church. After lunch Roy, Billy, Celia and I took a lovely ride. Saw the Air Mail place come in. Henry Jones here to dinner. C. J. [Celia Jones, wife of
	Henry?] went to brothers Sat. A.M.
May 20	Celia had to go see Dr. again today. Then we went to the Detroit Museum and looked until we were
Mon 20	tired. After supper Roy took Billy and us to see the "Last Warning" at the Oriole theater.
May 21	Detroit. Celia had her tonsils out today at Henry Ford Hospital. She stood it pretty well. I stayed
Tue	until 2:30 then came home and did the work. Then Billy and I went back. Met Roy there. Billy went
	to R-Oak [Royal Oak] with Ed. Home 9:30 all of us.
May 22	Celia came home this A.M. She feels pretty miserable but stood it better than I thot she would.
Wed	
May 23 Thu	Detroit. At Roys. Celia is eating something every meal. Has good courage. All are so glad it is over.
May 24 Fri	Mrs. Arthur Firstenberg and Mrs. Firstenberg senior with her. Mr. A. F. works for Roy.
May 25 Sat	Celia feels lots better. Went to see the Dr. this A.M. Roy took us to Oriole tonite to see "The Lone Wolf's Daughter."
May 26	Flint. Came to Flint today. Found J. L., Kate, Jack and Kitty gone to lost lake [Lost Lake] for week-
Sun	end. Roy, Celia and Bill started home about 5:30. Went for a ride with Gerry, Claud, Eleanor and
Juli	end. Noy, Cena and Em started nome about 5.50. Went for a ride with Genry, Claud, Eleanor and

	Betty.
May 27	Flint. Folks got home this A.M. Kate feeling very miserable, lame back. Went to the lake tonight for
Mon	a ride with Lewis, Mag., Ralph, Jack Donald and I.
May 28	Flint. Have been helping any way I can today. M. went to W. H. M. S. this P.M. and to Winmove [?]
Tue	class party tonite. Kate feeling little better.
May 29	Flint. M. went to lake this A.M. Jerry went to Canida [?] tonight with Verna B. and her friend, and
Wed	Claud. Jack hoboed his way to Detroit to spend a few vacation days.
May 30	Decoration day. All at the lake but Kate, Betty and I. Roy and Celia walked in this P.M. from the
Thu	lake. Was so dissapointed we were not there. Talked to Ella A. over the phone.
May 31	Flint. Very buisy all day. Kate is making over my blue silk and cut out my muslin today. Talked
Fri	with Mrs. Berger and Mrs. G over the phone.
	Memoranda. [blank]
Jun 1	Flint. Called on Mrs. Case this A.M. Went to the bank and did a little trading. Sewed in P.M. Then
Sat	went to Maybells to dinner. Had a good visit. John Jr. brought me home.
Jun 2	Went to Saginaw this A.M. Took dinner with Irene. Then Walter and I walked to Aunt Nenas. From
Sun	there to Sopiah [Sophia]. Had a nice time seeing them all. Got home about 9:30 P.M. Jack D. T.
	came from Detroit.
Jun 3	Flint. Very buisy all day packing for B. V. After supper went to Holly to see Hattie. After return
Mon	home, Frank, Amy [Frost] and family came to see me.
Jun 4	Bay View. Left Flint at 8:45 A.M. Stopped at Bakery in Saginaw. Drove in to see St. Helens Lake.
Tue	Lovely trip up here. Arrived 6 P.M. Found a nice fire.
Jun 5	Bay View. Up early and Mr. Roat and Elliott went to work at painting. Went up to cousin Lois for
Wed	step ladder. A real cold day. Mrs. Morehouse and May [?] came up today.
Jun 6	B. V. [Bay View] Rain all day. So discouraging when they are trying to paint the house, but painted
Thu	two rooms on small side. Every one tired. But lovely sunset.
Jun 7	B. V. [Bay View] J. L., Bobs, Frank and Amy, Wes and Pearl, Ray and Julia, Clide and [she
Fri	left the name blank] came from Flint today or rather arrived tonight. I went to Mrs. Morehouse to
Jun 8	sleep.
Sat	B. V. A perfectly beautiful day. Everybody working so hard painting. 15 of us here. All seem to be having a good time. Kate "master of seremonies." [ceremonies]
Jun 9	All but Frank went fishing this A.M. He was going to take us riding but keys gone. All but Frank of
Sun	the 2nd arrivals left this P.M. We went for a long ride. Looked up R. cousin.
Jun 10	B. V. Got up early and went to it again today. It has rained most of the day but they painted inside.
Mon	They went for a ride tonight and to see cousin Lois. I was to tired.
Jun 11	B. V. The folks all left this P.M. I rode up to cousin Lois to see her so I wouldent miss them so , and
Tue	to rest. Got most of the painting done. All are tired.
Jun 12	Petoskey. Am so tired and my head aches today. It rained again yesterday P.M. and evening. Am so
Wed	sorry on acount of paint not drying hard.
Jun 13	Petoskey. I see by my entry I am not as far advanced as I was last year at this time. I havent anything
Thu	finished. Lois and I went down town. I bought a stove for small Apt.
Jun 14	Bay View. Got home this A.M. Vine and Mrs. Durfee, Lucy and Elizabeth Aiken all been here
Fri	today. Graduating exercises at Auditorium here tonight. Have written 5 letters today.
Jun 15	B. V. I should be getting plants for window boxes, but I have done the heavier days work and am
Sat	worn out tonight. Have made my head very bad.
Jun 16	Feel pretty tired this A.M. Did not dare walk to church and back. Took a walk down by the bay.
Sun	Started writing Jerrys steamer [?] letter.
Jun 17	B. V. Did another washing this A.M. Went up to P. [Petoskey] with Miss Phelps, mother and Miss
Mon	Davis. Working hard at cleaning the Apt. Went to Post Office.
Jun 18	Got up early and started to iron. Then stopped and Mrs. [?] Tripp and I went after dirt for window
Tue	boxes. Finally got ironing done. Miss Phelps brought me my dinner.
Jun 19	B. V. Done some painting today in small apt. This P.M. I finished and copied Gerry's Steamer letter.
Wed	A very heavy fog tonight. Mrs. Dirfee [Durfee] in a few minutes.
Jun 20	B. V. Went to office early and got Gerrys letter started. The men came with the stove, but had to
Thu	change it and fixed pipe on my side in kitchen.
Jun 21	B. V. Got such a lovely surprise. Creton [? cretonne?] for my chairs and stand, all made ready to put

Fri	on. Just like daughter. Have worked very hard all day. Stood it fine for me.
Jun 22	B. V. Did not work quite so hard but was buisy as a bee all day. Feel real good. About all the last
Sat	things done in Apt.
Jun 23	B. V. Got ready and went to church this A.M. Then to Cousin Lois and stayed all night. Amy [?]
Sun	down [?] in the P.M. Expect Gerry and Claud, mother, Mr. and Mrs. Roat started for Montreal
	yesterday.
Jun 24	Walked from Lois all around town then home. Worked very hard all the rest of the day, painted,
Mon	beside other work. Then to Florist to get plants for window boxes. Set them out. Worked until 9
	P.M. Stood it fine.
Jun 25	B. V. Mostly cleaned two bedrooms today. Still have to wash windows and put up curtains. Other
Tue	side all ready for the tenents. Hope they will like it, and I, them.
Jun 26	B. V. Got up at six A.M. Had to build a fire in apartment so as to be warm when people came.
Wed	Finished the cleaning upstairs, but not all settled. So sorry Lois cant come to stay a while. Talked
	with her on phone.
Jun 27	B. V. A H. M. meeting at Mrs. L. today but did not go. Am so worried. I dont hear from the
Thu	travelers. Expect Gerry sailed today on S. S. Duchess of York.
Jun 28	B. V. Heard from the travelers and they got [to] Montreal the day before they sailed. Worked hard
Fri	all day. Am very tired.
Jun 29	B. V. Saturday again. Painted my bathroom one coat today. Am just about all in tonight. Also have
Sat	bad cold.
Jun 30	B. V. First preaching service in B. V. this season. Went to ride with Miss Phelps this P.M. Wrote to
Sun	Marg. Vine here tonite.
	Memoranda [blank]
Jul 1	B. V. Did a dirty washing this A.M. Promiced to go stay with Amy tonight and see Lois, but Ray,
Mon	Julia, Clide, Mr. Wilson and Julias mother came. Stayed all nite.
Jul 2	B. V. Folks went on to upper pen [runs off edge of page, probably meant to be peninsula]
Tue	today. I washed bedding and then rode to Petoskey with Mr. Haas. Stayed to dinner at Lois. Saw
	Lue [? Sue?], Lois half sister. Walked home. Went to see dentist.
Jul 3	B. V. Kate, J.L., Mr. and Mrs. Roat, Betty, Bobs, Eleanor and Stan came tonight. Made cookies and
Wed	cake & a big Kettle of soup. Lovely day.
Jul 4	B. V. Started about 10 A.M. and came to Glen Arbor today. The tourest camp is lovely and we are
Thu	so comfortable. A beautiful ride. Went to North Port [?].
Jul 5	Glen Haven. All the men but Stan went fishing, also Mrs. Roat. Kate and I had a good visit. Stan
Fri	took us for a ride. Kate, Mrs. R., and I went over to dock in P.M.
Jul 6	Glen Arbor. I went fishing with the bunch this A.M. Caught 18 fish. We got 24 in all. Came home
Sat	this P.M. Rained, big detour [?].
Jul 7	B. V. Very hard rain in the night. J. L. Mr. and Mrs. Roat went home this P.M. Rest of us went to
Sun	the Harbor. Picked flowers and clover blossoms. Came home, made soup. Went up to Cousin Lois.
J.,1 0	Beautiful sunset.
Jul 8 Mon	B. V. Kate and Stan, Bobs and Betty started for home this A.M. I did my washing and worked so
Mon Jul 9	<ul><li>hard all day. Eleanor helped me.</li><li>B. V. I did not get up until very late this A.M. I was so worn out. Got our poarch chain fixed today.</li></ul>
	Went to the first moving picture at B. V. tonight.
Tue Jul 10	B. V. Mrs. Case and Mrs. Gibson came this A.M. Had to have late breakfast for them. Did not go
Wed	b. v. Mrs. Case and Mrs. Gloson came this A.M. Had to have late breaklast for them. Did not go out tonite.
Jul 11	B. V. This P.M. Katharine [Kitty Roat] and Jack [Stevens] came. Mrs. Gibson went home on the
Thu	evening train. We all went to picture at Audt. [auditorium].
Jul 12	B. V. We went up town and to the green house. Finished cleaning cubbord in P.M. Mrs. C. and I
Fri	went to picture.
Jul 13	B. V. Baked a pie and some apples. All went up town to get groceries. Mrs. Case for the ride.
Sat	Picture "We Americans."
Jul 14	B. V. Went to hear Mr. Phelps this A.M. Mrs. C. took us all to Waffle shop for dinner. In P.M. took
Sun	Judge and Mrs. Thomlin [?] for a long ride, Cross Village, Etc.
Jul 15	B. V. Jack and Kitty went to Mackinaw this P.M. Mrs. C. and I went to hear Mr. Phelps at 10 A.M.
Mon	and to Ramoria [?] at night.

Jul 16	B. V. Mrs. C. and I went to womans club this P.M. Came home. Found Swayzes and Newells [?
Tue	Newalls?] here. Harve and Lil came and all went up to see cousin Lois.
Jul 17	B. V. Company left this A.M. for the "Soo." [Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan] Mrs. C. and I went to
Wed	Terrace Inn for luncheon for Mrs. Dan [?] Brummett [?] and to auditorium in evening.
Jul 18	B. V. We went to A. M. meeting from there with the Phelps to a chicken pie dinner at M. E. Church,
Thu	Petoskey. Then to Hollywood to see Singing Fool. Then to Auditorium in evening.
Jul 19	B. V. Went to morning meeting. Then home and stayed until night as I am all in. Got up and washed
Fri	yesterday A.M. before I started out. Ironed today and done a little cleaning.
Jul 20	B. V. Will say we are having beautiful weather. Rained in night and a little cooler. Did a lot of work
Sat	today and took bath and rested. Went to picture tonite. Eleanor stays [?] nights [?].
Jul 21	B. V. Went to hear Bishop Herbert Welch this A.M. To the beach service this evening and then to
Sun	Audt. to Vesper service.
Jul 22	B. V. Did my washing this A.M. Washed pair of blankets beside regular wash. Pretty tired. Heard
Mon	Bishop lecture tonite.
Jul 23	B. V. Did ironing. Rested in P.M. Wrote two letters. Eleanor here this P.M. Went to see Kid brother
Tue	[Brother] by Harold Lloyd.
Jul 24	B. V. Mrs. C. and I went to luncheon for [no name entered] of the F. M. S. at the Hilton. 130
Wed	there. Very fine. Heard her at Audt. in eveig [evening].
Jul 25	B. V. Went to Petoskey to see Babys Perade to raise money for free baby clinicks during the year. It
Thu	was very nice. In evening saw beautiful picture of English scenery.
Jul 26	B. V. Marguerite, Bobs and Stan came right after dinner. Mrs. C. and M. have gone to concert at
Fri	Audt. I am home alone. No, Bobs just came in. E. and S. are driving.
Jul 27	B. V. Stan took Marguerite, Bobs and I up town at 9 A.M. and I had my teeth extracted. Did not take
Sat	anything. This has been the hottest day of the year. 91 on Mrs. Morehouse poarch.
Jul 28	B. B. Did not feel equeal to going to Church this A.M. but went down to Beach service tonight and
Sun	to cousin Lois this P.M.
Jul 29	B. V. Stan and Bobs went home this A.M. Christine Barton [?] here quite a while this P.M. Had a
Mon	good rest.
Jul 30	Washed this A.M. Marguerite here. Am enjoying her. Went to picture tonight. "The Cameraman"
Tue	
Jul 31	B. V. General time washing extras today. Washed two dresses for Mrs. Case and my silk house
Wed	dress. Got everything ironed.
	Memoranda. Ella A. July 12, \$5.00. [Not sure which year this belongs in.]
	1929.
	Mrs. Case, July 10th - 10.00 [\$10.00]
	Mrs. Case, July 17th - 10.00
	For Mrs. A. Gibson, 17th - 2.00
	Mrs. Case July 24th - 10.00
	Mrs. Case July 31 - 10.00
Aug 1	B. V. M. went to visit Cousin Lois today. Mrs. C. and I went up town to dinner. Then to picture
Thu	tonight. Went with Miss Phelps to meet the boat for Auntie [?].
Aug 2	B. V. Who should come this noon but Lewis and Stan. All got tickets for Red Path players in "Take
Fri	My Advice." We enjoyed it. Lewis and M. staying with Amy.
Aug 3	B. V. Eleanor gave me a shock this A.M. Worked hard all day. Went to town this P.M. and to Red
Sat	Path tonight to see "Skidding."
Aug 4	B. V. I could not go to Church this A.M. Had to get dinner. Had Amy S. [Shepard] down. Went up
Sun	to Lois tonite.
Aug 5	B. V. All left this A.M. at exactly five A.M. Cleaned up the house today. Went to Dickens xmas
Mon	Carroll tonite.
Aug 6	B. V. Had a big washing this A.M. Went to ten oclock service and to picture tonight. Mr. Guernsy
Tue	[?] very low.
Aug 7	B. V. Been to Cottagers meeting nearly all day. Am very tired these days for I am going nearly all
Wed	the time.
Aug 8	B. V. We went up town to dinner given by Lockwood [?] H. ladies. Then to Auction and stores.
Thu	Then Home talent play.

Δμα θ	B. V. Went up town to dinner. Then to see "Noah Ark." A wonderful picture. Mrs. Hall and Miss
Aug 9 Fri	B. V. went up town to dinner. Then to see Noan Ark. A wonderful picture. Mrs. Hall and Miss Wagner came.
Aug 10	B. V. First day home all day. Heaps of work. caned 8 [?] pts. red raspberries. Went to picture in
Sat	evening.
Aug 11	B. V. Went to S. School and church. Rested this P.M. Then Miss P. took us to Beach service. From
Sun	there to concert. Very tired. Vine came in after service.
Aug 12	B. V. Did a big washing this A.M. Also some cleaning. Rested a little while. Then Mrs. Brown
Mon	came. I moved upstairs.
Aug 13	B. V. Did a big ironing. Went to Post Office. It just poured today. But we went to Audt. tonight. Had
Tue	a good rest.
Aug 14	B. V. Hurried around with my work then went to pay summer taxes - very high - and from there to
Wed	ten oclock service. Went to Library - Eleanor and I this P.M.
Aug 15	B. V. Rainy. Mr. Guernsy died this P.M. Went to hear Mr. G [did not complete entry] at three
Thu	P.M. and also again tonight.
Aug 16	B. V. Mrs. Brown took Mrs. Case and I up town. Did some trading. Ate dinner at Jespersons. Then
Fri	went to Auction. Miss Lula Wagner went home.
Aug 17 Sat	B. V. Been away so much had to work very hard. Went to picture tonight. Rain again today.
Aug 18	B. V. This is Sunday.
Sun	
Aug 19	B. V. Went to Church. Also S. S. Got time mixed up. Rested and wrote letters this P.M. and to
Mon	Vesper concert and Beach service tonite.
Aug 20	B. V. Got a letter today shall never forget from Mrs. Cook. Have worked very hard and very tired.
Tue	Had men to clean stove pipe.
Aug 21	B. V. [This sentence crossed out: Made a mistake, got my letter today.] Judge fell down by P.O. [she
Wed	inserted the word "yesterday" after P.O.] and had to be brought home. Afraid he is badly hurt. Saw the Simese [Siamese] Twins today.
Aug 22	B. V. Stayed at home today. Ironed and did lots ofing. Made two calls. Went to Library - P.O.
Thu	Best and most pleasing concert tonight, representing fifty years ago.
Aug 23	B. V. The Judge and wife went home today. Worked so hard to clean for Mr. and Mrs. McNamara.
Fri	Eleanor helped me. Was so tired could hardly move.
Aug 24	B. V. One of the hardest days of my life. Like opening a grave. Kate, J. L., Roy, Celia and Will T.
Sat	came, also little Ralph. Have not been able to put my mind on anything. So good of the children to
	come.
Aug 25	B. V. Mrs. C. went to church and the rest went to Cousin Lois. Gave me a chance to have a talk with
Sun	Will. He is very humble and penitent - to late.
Aug 26	B. V. The folks went home after dinner yesterday and I am almost sick a[t] bed. Cannot collect my
Mon	thots after the nerve strain I have been under.
Aug 27 Tue	Could not do much extra work. Rested some, but feel very miserable. We went to picture as usual.
Aug 28 Wed	B. V. Did a big wash with some help from Eleanor. Had callers.
Aug 29 Thu	We are having very warm dry weather and going so much makes me feel pretty tired.
Aug 30	B. V. Cleaning today. Came from the picture and found J. L., Kate, Bobs and Mr. and Mrs. Roat
Fri	here.
Aug 31	B. V. Mrs. Case and I went up town. I bought a few things at the Auction. Folks left early for the
Sat	"Soo."
	Memoranda.
	Mrs. Case - Aug. 7th - 10.00 [\$10.00]
	Mrs. Hall - Aug. 9th - 7.00
	Mrs. Brown - Aug. 12th - 5.00
	Mrs. Brown - Aug. 13 - 1.00
Sep 1	B. V. Last preaching service at Audt. Came home, lunched, and went to bed for a grand rest. Went
Sun	riding in P.M. with Miss Phelps. Stayed home in evening.

Sep 2	B. V. Got up early and draged through my washing. It is hot. Cant find a cool spot anywhere. Went
Mon	to picture as usual. Ladies Library benefit.
Sep 3	B. V. Carl Boman brought Mrs. C. watch down. The Carrs and Miss Jessie Bachtell called. I called
Tue	on Christine Barton. Went to picture. The Flying Fleet. Fine.
Sep 4	B. V. Mrs. Case and I went up town this P.M. Rode up with Mrs. Brown. Went to linen sale this
Wed	P.M.
Sep 5	All about as usual today.
Thu	
Sep 6	B. V. Rode up town with Mrs. B. [Brown?] Got white fish for dinner. Ella Andrews came this P.M.
Fri	Had Mrs. Brown to dinner. Stayed with Mrs. Phelps while Lil [runs off the edge of the page] went [to] picture.
Sep 7 Sat	B. V. Baked a cake and apples and got big dinner for Ella and Mrs. Case. Gerry and Claud came today after E. I stayed with Mrs. P. this evening.
Sep 8	B. V. We went for a long ride with Jerry and Claud, Ella and I. Mrs. C. wouldent go. All went out to
Sun	dinner but me. I dident care to. Finished reading a book. Mrs. Everson and Robert called. Eleanor went home this P.M.
Sep 9 Mon	B. V. Did not wash today. Had to help Miss Phelps with b-day party for mother. Very hot day. Ate on poarch. Mrs. Durfee came this eve, also Vine. My new day bed also arrived.
Sep 10	B. V. The most terrable wind I ever saw in B. V. Miss [?] Phelps took us down to see the waves.
Tue	Several trees and most of the dock washed away. Rubbed my clothes tonite.
Sep 11	B. V. Finished washing. Cleaned. Went up to see Cousin Lois a few minutes. Lucy just going to
Wed	Bucyrees [?]. Then met Mrs. C. and Ella and went to Auction. They went to Charlevoix to dinner with Phelps.
Sep 12	B. V. Ironed this A.M. Went to Depot this P.M. with Mrs. C. to see about reservations for Flint.
Thu	Came home and went riding with Miss P. and mother. Bought 3 muskmelons.
Sep 13	B. V. After mornings work done went to store. This P.M. Mrs. C. and I went to Petoskey with Mrs.
Fri	Brown. Bought towel at Auction.
Sep 14	[blank]
Sat	D. V. Lunda to abundh with Miss Dhalms. Ato light dinner and rested Ella and Mrs. C. want to
Sep 15 Sun	B. V. I rode to church with Miss Phelps. At light dinner and rested. Ella and Mrs. C. went to restaurent to dinner. Then for a ride with P.s. Mrs. C. went to Flint tonight.
Sep 16	B. V. A very bad day. Rain and cold. I rested until about 4 P.M. when Wesley Everson came for me
Mon	as his mother was very ill. I brought she and Robert home with me. Mrs. Durfee came.
Sep 17	B. V. Mrs. Everson to sick to go home. Dr. here this A.M. Have had to be very buisy all day.
Tue	Entertained uneasy Robert tonight so mother could have a little peace.
Sep 18	B. V. The Eversons got away at 3 [?] P.M. I was very tired. Ella's cousin came tonight from the
Wed	Harbor. I just had to excuse myself and come to bed.
Sep 19	B. V. Ella and cousin went up town this A.M. and I washed such a large wash for me. Got the
Thu	clothes in rinsing water. Then got ready and went up town. Vine came tonight and we played Pollyanna.
Sep 20	B. V. Ella went to Point with cousin. Mrs. Brown went home this A.M. Got my clothes out. Done
Fri	the work. Cleaned Mrs. B. room then went to P. Bought table linen at sale. Went to Lois for supper
	then walked home.
Sep 21 Sat	B. V. Ella had a collapse after she got home last nite. We took a ride with Miss Phelps this P.M.
Sep 22	B. V. Did not go to church this A.M. We rested and did a little writing and reading. Nice day.
Sun	Chicken for dinner.
Sep 23	B. V. Went to P.O. early and got a letter from Will with medacine - Lucky 13 - in. It is like getting a
Mon	letter from some one who died. Had Durfees here to supper. Played Pollyanna.
Sep 24	B. V. Perfectly beautiful weather. No fire part of the day. Buss stoped running yesterday. Ella and I
Tue	went for a ride with P. Both very tired.
Sep 25	B. V. Washed out two pairs of blankets after Ella left this A.M. Got all my wood on the poarch. A
Wed	beautiful day. The P. took Mrs. Briggs and I driving. Did some mending.
Sep 26	B. V. Washed white spreads this A.M. Had Miss Phelps and her mother here to supper. Cousin Lois
Thu	cant come down this Fall. Lucy contesting divorce. Harve and Lil went home today.

San 27	P. V. Miss Dhalps and mother started home this A. M. Did a hig washing. Couldant has in until 0:20
Sep 27 Fri	B. V. Miss Phelps and mother started home this A.M. Did a big washing. Couldent begin until 9:30
	<ul> <li>when they were gone. Sent Kate her table linen today. Hope she likes it. Warmer [?] day [?].</li> <li>B. V. Ironed this P.M. Did a lot of cleaning and fixing things to [leave?] so as not to have so</li> </ul>
Sep 28 Sat	much at the last. Mr. McNamara took me to Cousin Lois.
Sep 29	B. V. At cousin Lois. The Bay View Hotel burned last night. A heavy rain yesterday A.M. All that
Sep 29 Sun	saved most of B. V. from going. Went to church alone.
Sep 30	B. V. Went to dentist this A.M. to see about my mouth being ready for impressions. Home with Mr.
Mon	McN. Went to Vines tonight, also Davenports. Played Pollyanna. Heavy frost. Letter from Marg.
WIOII	Memoranda.
Oct 1	Sep. 4 - Mrs. Case - 10.00 [\$10.00]
	Sep. 11 - Mrs. Case - 10.00 [\$10.00] Sep. 11 - Mrs. Case - 10.00
	Sep. 9th - Mrs. Brown - 5.50
	Sep 9th - Ella Andrews - 5.00
	Bay View. Dident get up very early. It was so cold. Did some putting away of curtains, Etc. Went to
Tue	wood yard with Mrs. Tripp. Went in to see the McNamaras
Oct 2	V. B. McNamaras started for home today. He gave me what wood he had left. Picked up all dirty
Wed	clothes. Put them to soak.
Oct 3	B. V. Got a lovely b-day box from home last night. Everything lovely. So surprised. A check from
Thu	Roy and family. The Davenports and I entertained at Durfees last nite. Did such a big washing
Tilu	today.
Oct 4	B. V. Ironed most of the day. Doing up curtains. Am very tired tonight. Nice day, but no very warm.
Fri	D. v. noned most of the day. Doing up curtains. And very field tonight. Nice day, but no very warm.
Oct 5	B. V. Am so thankful my throat is better and feel better. Went up town with Mrs. Tripp. Then came
Sat	to Ethel and Amy for Sunday. Threatens rain.
Oct 6	B. S. Ethel and I went to church this A.M. Also stayed to Sunday School. They have a nice time
Sun	together. Agree so well about things.
Oct 7	B. V. I took a nasty fall this A.M. at Amys, so thankful dident break any bones. Stayed with Lois
Mon	until 4 P.M. Went to P.O. Came home with Mrs. Tripp. Spent the evening at the Durfees.
Oct 8	B. V. The Durfees left this A.M. Took b-fast at Dittos. Fixed stockings, wrote letters, and did a lot of
Tue	little things. Then went up to Petoskey with Mrs. T. Cold.
Oct 9	B. V. The coldest night we have had. Done my washing and ironing. Done up the last of the
Wed	curtains. Treated and washed my hair.
Oct 10	B. V. Two outside water pipes frozen this A.M., not bad. Went to Dr. P. and had impression taken
Thu	for my teeth. Then to Lois until four. Met May T. [Tripp?] at P.O.
Oct 11	B. V. It has turned so much warmer. It is lovely to day. Went up to P. with Vine and got my blankets
Fri	for stamp book. Put small Apts. in order this P.M. Jay whipped rug.
Oct 12	Petoskey. Came up to Cousin Lois this P.M. with Mrs. Tripp. Always have such a lovely welcome
Sat	from Lois. Went to Dr. Engle, blood pressure 200. Got my teeth this P.M. They seem to fit fine.
Sai	Went to bed early as was tired.
Oct 13	Petoskey. Lois and I went to Church and S. S. Lucy got dinner, lovely chicken. Vine here all P.M.
Sun	Lois and I went over to Boelios [?] to listen over the radio. Fine.
Oct 14	B. V. Back home tonight. Walked all the way. Not very tired. Rather cold around here. Lucy got her
Mon	apartment today. Wish I could be with Lois a while. Poor girl. Fine day.
Oct 15	B. V. Mrs. Morehouse and Mrs. Tripp left for home this A.M. I went home with Vine for the night.
Tue	Lovely day.
Oct 16	B. V. Dident get home very early this A.M. Have done a lot of "last things" tword closing. Went up
Wed	and stayed with cousin Lois tonight. Went to Vines and Davenports and played Pollyanna.
Oct 17	B. V. Dident get home until nearly noon. Made a large cake and big kettle of soup. Kate, Frank,
Thu	Amy, Wess, Pearl, Ruth and little Ralph came about 7:30. I slept on the new cott [cot].
Oct 18	B. V. We all left this A.M. for a long beautiful ride. Had a weenie roast near Cross Villiege. Then
Fri	went for a long ride. A wonderful day.
Oct 19	B. V. The rest of the people came late tonight. All so glad to see them. Played games a little while.
Sat	2 The rest of the people came face tomone, this so give to see them. I have games a fittle wille.
	Flint Got started for home about eleven this A M A nice ride until late - forgy and rainy. Hard to
Sun	see. Had a lunch at Pearls before comming home.
Oct 20	Flint. Got started for home about eleven this A.M. A nice ride until late - foggy and rainy. Hard to
Juli	see. Had a functi at l'earis before comming nome.

Oct 21	Ft. Was so tired did not get up until after ten. Have done very little. Listened in to Fords Jubilee for
Mon	Edison. Heard him talk, also Hoover, Einstein, etc.
Oct 22	Went to see Mrs. Case off to Florida this A.M. Mrs. Susie Clark goes with her. Poured rain all day.
Tue	J. L. and Kate went to Fenton and lake - then up to Mr. Roats for supper.
Oct 23	Ft. The first snow storm of the season. Has turned very cold. Put three [?] face pieces on quilts
Wed	today. Received 2 St. Pete papers.
Oct 24	Saginaw. Came down with Lewis when he brought M. back. Cousin Walter looks very, very bad.
Thu	All seemed so glad to see me. Baby lovely. Ralphs b-day. Rained most of day.
Oct 25	Flint. Came from Sag. this P.M. Queen Esther Banquet at Oak Park Church. Kitty, Eleanor and
Fri	Betty gone. Did not see Cousin Fie. M. homesick to come home.
Oct 26	Ft. Not much to record. Went down town with Gerry, Kate, Betty and Ralph, but did not do any
Sat	trading. Claud here in evening.
Oct 27	Ft. Gerry took me to Church, but had to go to services alone. I felt so strange and lonely. Went for
Sun	ride with G. and Claud in P.M.
Oct 28	Ft. Turned quite cool this P.M. I dread the cold. Fixed two quilts this P.M. Would like to do more
Mon	housework.
Oct 29	Ft. Quite cool today. Kate went down town this forenoon, stayed until 4:30 P.M. Got a new dress
Tue	and hair fixed. I fixed tops on two quilts. Had a rest. Not feel very good.
Oct 30	Ft. Turned very warm in the night. Have been mending and started fixing K-coat. Eleanor went to
Wed	Pontiac as delegate to Convention. All gone but me tonight.
Oct 31	Ft. Reading a book called "The Promice." Enjoyed it quite well. Fixing Kittys coat. Halloween.
Thu	Tt. Reading a book cance. The Fronnee. Enjoyed it quite went Fixing Ritty's coat. Hanoween.
Thu	Memoranda. [blank]
Nov 1	Ft. Gerry had Home Guards here tonight. Pot-luck supper. Mrs. Elwood came. I gave the lesson.
Fri	Rain poured down, but warm.
Nov 2	Everyone to the front this A.M. Gerry bought a new dress this P.M. Kate had a small bridge party. I
Sat	slept with Ralph.
Nov 3	Ft. I was the only one who went to Church this A.M. Signed for Mch. [Michigan] Advocate until
Sun	Easter. K. up to Roats all day. Rain tonite.
Nov 4	I went to Burtis Woolfits funeral this P.M. Saw Mrs. Berger. Then called on Mrs. Green [?] and
Mov 4 Mon	Mrs. Cross. Rained and hailed today.
Nov 5	Ft. Kate and J. L. went to Mr. Roats last night to stay a few days until Mr. R. gets better. Been buisy
Tue	all day.
Nov 6	Ft. Little Ralph so good. Kate came down and went to bridge club at the Durant Hotel. Gone back
Wed	tonight. I wrote to Mrs. Case tonight. Quite cool.
Nov 7	Ft. We heard from Roy and Celia today. Mr. Roat a little better. Had a rest of 1-1/2 hours this P.M.
Thu	Had to as my head hurt.
Nov 8	Ft. Kate came down today. Stayed until 4 oclock. Did a lot of baking and cooking. Mr. Roat a little
Fri	better. Did a lot of mending today.
Nov 9	
	Ft. Such a time as we had this A.M. At 4:30 the house on fire next door. No one hurt and we escaped being damaged. Betty and Ralph went to Sag. with Lewis to see M. Tired tonite. Jack T. here [?]
Sat	[as our minister?]
Nov 10	Eleanor and I went to church. Clarence came from Ann Arbor to see E. After he went home Stan
Sun	came. Jack, Ed. and another boy came on their way to Detroit. Had to fix their car. It has rained most
Juli	of the day.
Nov 11	Ft. A buisy day and yet do not seem to accomplish anything extra. Heard Hoover give his Armistice
Mon Nov 12	day speech. Was very fine. Feeling good all but my throat.
Nov 12 Tuo	Ft. Kates b-day and she did not get home. Mr. Roat better. Wasent very [swift?] today so did
Tue New 12	not get any rest. Ella A. phoned.
Nov 13	Ft. Kate came home this A.M., but had to go back tonight as Mr. Roat was not as well. Lewis went
Wed	to Sag. and brought M. home this P.M. Eleanor gone to church board meeting. K. gave lesson tonite.
	Bobs to boy scout. Betty studying. Claud and G. gone out.
Nov 14	Ft. Went to see Ella A. this P.M. Lewis took me over. When I came from there went down town and
Thu	looked a little for a hat. Bought cloth for underwaist.
Nov 15	Ft. Seems good to have M. home. She is buisy going through cedar chest and putting away summer

Fri	clothes and washing extras. I went with Amy Frost tonight to see South Jr. High pagent. It was fine.
Nov 16	Ft. Kate came home yesterday and went to the Church with her helpers to get the dishes washed and
Sat	put into new cupboards. Went back last night. Gerry and Betty gone to Ann Arbor today. All away tonight but Bob, Ralph, I.
Nov 17	Ft. Went to S. S. this A.M. then stayed to Church alone as usual. M. and I went to church this
Sun	evening. Went to see Mr. Roat this P.M. He is so discouraged. Cried when he saw me.
Nov 18	Ft. Nothing unusual happened today except Kate came home to look after banquet - ordering things,
Mon	Etc.
Nov 19	Kate at church all day. M. went this P.M. and helped her. Eleven oclock when they got home.
Tue	Finished my poem.
Nov 20 Wed	Ft. Family day at Church. Kitty spoke again tonite and gave my poem as an oncore. It sure [?] was well recieved. M. took Kates place [?] this P.M. Big day for Ct. Street [Court Street Methodist Church]. Got new shoes.
Nov 21	Ft. Washed today. Went down town this A.M. and I got a new hat. M. went with me. Took Ralph to
Thu	G-ma Gillam.
Nov 22	Ft. Ironed this P.M. Buisy this A.M. Wen to Builders banquet with Frank and Amy. Very fine. Went
Fri	over [to] the church afterwards.
Nov 23	Ft. Jack and Ed came from Detroit tonight. Jack S. went to A. A. to ball game. Am so tired but dont
Sat	know when I can go to bed.
Nov 24	Ft. The dedication of our Church house is finally finished. Not quite free from debt. K. and J. L. got
Sun	down to church. Jack, Ed. and Claud were to dinner. M. and I went to church tonight.
Nov 25	Ft. Havent felt very well today, but went to H. M. supper and Queen Esther entertainment tonight.
Mon	Hattie Chambers went with us.
Nov 26	Ft. Kate been home today and did some cleaning. Bobs sprained his wrist in Jim [gym]. M. gone T-
Tue	Win[?] class party. Gerry had her Home Guards meeting [had written Queen Esthers meeting, but crossed it out]. Feel little better.
Nov 27	Detroit. Came down here tonight with Martha Day and family. Had a lovely ride. We went up to
Wed	Celia Jones and I got the turkey ready to cook. All about as usual. Weather mild.
Nov 28	Detroit. We went to Celia Jones for Thanksgiving dinner, 15 lb. turkey. It was best ever. Heard John
Thu	McCormic sing over the radio. Turned very, very cold this P.M. Snowed a little.
Nov 29	Detroit. Coldest Nov. we have had for 56 years and will be colder tonight. Stayed in pretty close
Fri	today as it snows some and blows very hard.
Nov 30	Detroit. 4° above zero last night. Celia and I went out to store this P.M. after supplies. Oh! So cold.
Sat	Celia, Roy [Thomas] went to Celia J. [Jones] tonight. To cold for me.
D 1	Memoranda [blank]
Dec 1	Detroit. Got up this A.M. and Celia, Jack and I got ready for church. Went down to go and car
Sun	wouldent start, so couldent go. Roy worked all day. We 3 went to Celias for turkey dinner tonight.
Dec 2 Mon	Detroit. Celia and I went down town this P.M. Met Mrs. Firstenburg and we went to Michigan to see a picture. So slippery could hardly walk. Tonight Roy took us to see a picture where Billy works. Cold.
Dec 3	Detroit. I took a long rest this P.M. Then started to cut out my underwaists. Celia went to Liabrary
Tue	and got us some book.s
Dec 4	Detroit. We went down town again today and I got me a new dress, Kates X-mas present. R. C. and
Wed	Jack home to dinner.
Dec 5	Detroit. We are reading a book or trying to, of Lincolns, "Blairs Attic." It is slippery and snowy. R.
Thu	C. worked tonight. Also Jack.
Dec 6	Detroit. Celias wash day. I did a little cleaning. In P.M. we took a long walk up to Joy Road. We
Fri	bought a few necessities.
Dec 7	Detroit. We stayed in all day and I sewed on my underwaists. At night Roy C. and I went to Sis and
Sat	Henrys.
Dec 8	Detroit. Roy and Celia went to Marine City to see C.s brother Tom. Jack, Ed Wuerfel and I went to
Sun	Bulevard Temple. Heard Donning.
Dec 9	Detroit. Celia and I went down to Mich. theater to see Amos and Andy, also picture "So This is
Mon	Colliege." Fine and funny. Roy worked tonight.
Dec 10	Flint. Left Celias at 12:45 today and did not get home until 5:15 tonight. Found all as usual. Am

Tue	very tired. Celia came to depot with me.
Dec 11	Flint. Went down town this P.M. after X-mas cards. It is hard work to buy so many. I seem to keep
Wed	adding a few every year. We drew names tonight for X-mas.
Dec 12	Flint. Kate came down this A.M. Is trying to make her self a dress and coat. Kate cleaning
Thu	cubboards tonight. Eleanor gone to church to help get ready for party.
Dec 13	Flint. Kate here trying to sew but so much going on couldent do much. Gerry had a party here
Fri	tonight for all the teachers, principal and nurse of Coolridge school. Eleanor at church to work. Stan
	brought her home.
Dec 14	Flint. Got up late - all of us - after party. Made a cake and other work. M. and Ralph went to church
Sat	to X-mas party. G. [?] and I went down town. Got Will h-cheif and card. E. went to church to help with party. Kate sent pk. [package] to Spokane.
Dec 15 Sun	Ft. Got another letter from W. I. T. [William Isaac Thomas] this A.M. with a nice X-mas check in it. Went down town. Bought X-mas cards and a few x-mas gifts. This entry is for the 16th.
Dec 16	Ft. This entry should have been made on the 15th. I went to church and S. C. [S. S.?] this A.M.
Mon	Joined Dr. Fruits class. In the P.M. went up to see Mr. Roat with Lewis and M., Betty and Ralph. He
WIOII	is some better.
Dec 17	Ft. A day to be remembered with us as Kitty did her first broadcasting over the radio. Ice
Tue	everywhere. Every little bush and tree covered.
Dec 18	Ft. The most terrable day of the year so far. A Northeaster, fine snow sifting everywhere. People can
Wed	hardly get out. So glad to be in.
Dec 19	(Saginaw). J. L., Kate and I left Ft. for Sag. at 2 P.M. Got to Cousin Walters at 5 P.M Tons and
Thu	tons of snow. People stuck everywhere. Many wires down. Only one track. Kate and J. L. went right
	back.
Dec 20	Saginaw. Storm continues. St. cars running some. I stood out and waited for buss until I nearly
Fri	froze. Then gave it up. Was going to see Dr. Maurice dident go to office this P.M. Walter got home
	early.
Dec 21	Sag. Got to see Dr. H. this A.M. He sent me to Dr. Slack [?] specialists. So relieved over what Dr.
Sat	told me. Took Aunt Nenas plant over to her. Stayed 1/2 hr. Went back to Walters. Then went to buss
	station. Started for home, 2-1/2 hours getting home.
Dec 22	Flint. Got so cold last night, took a bad cold. We went to Church this A.M. Rested this P.M., but
Sun	could not go to X-mas exercises tonight. To far to walk. Feel poorly.
Dec 23	Ft. We all slept late this A.M. I went down town about noon. Walked. Gerry went with me. Bought
Mon	the rest of my presents and had to walk home in the snow. Terrable walking and cold.
Dec 24	Ft. A buisy day. Doing the last things before X-ma[s]. So glad we dont have to keep it here. None of
Tue	us quite equeal [equal].
Dec 25 Wed	Ft. Spent the day at Mr. Roats, 32 present. Roy, Celia and Jack came in P.M. X-mas tree at night.
Dec 26	Roy and family came home with us. Gerry, Claud, Roy and Celia played cards.Ft. All the bunch gathered at Frank and Amys tonight. Farewell party for Kate and J. L. Had a lovely
Thu	time. Wonderful supper. Eloise's birthday party also, 14 years old. Stan and brother there, also
1114	Claud.
Dec 27	Ft. This has been a sad day in a way with us. Kate, J. L., Mr. and Mrs. Roat started to drive to Calif.
Fri	I cant tell how badly I felt to see them go. Yet I hope it will do them all a great deal of good and they
	will come home safely.
Dec 28	Ft. Did not any of us get up early. I felt badly as I have such a bad cold. Byrons intended wife - Miss
Sat	Buress [?], left this A.M. Eleanor, Gerry went down town. Bobs went off somewhere. Betty got up
240	at 12:45. M. and I did the work.
Dec 29	Ft. We all went to S. C. [?] this A.M. I went to church also. Betty and Bobs went to Lucretias this
Sun	P.M. Kitty and Jack stayed to Adams all night and today. Eleanor got dinner. She and Stan took me
	to church tonight. Snows.
Dec 30	Ft. Gerry and M. washed this A.M. House had to be gone over. Q. E. [Queen Esther] girls met here
Mon	and went on a sleigh ride. Jr. came after me and I went to Maybells to dinner. His friend Florence
	was there. Jr. brought me home.
Dec 31	Ft. Everyone but Ralph and I went somewhere this New Years eve. I wanted to go to watch night
Tue	service at the church but stayed with Ralph. Jack and Kitty to party. Kitty broadcasted again tonight.
	Stayed up until 12 a.m. alone.