

**ALTON "Tonny" CALDERWOOD'S DIARY
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1933**

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***Given to me by Art and Anna at Christmas 1932. Shall use this as
a one year diary year of 1933.***

- Jan. 1, Sunday Arrived at Sparks last night at 2:15 or rather yesterday P.M. Nettie & Joe met me at the station. Spent evening at home. Watched the old year out. Listened to old time fiddlers from Nashville, Tenn. Turned in at 12:30. Clear & cold. Nettie, Joe & I went to church at Jessop's church this A.M. Drove across country to call on one of Joe's friend this P.M. Spent evening at home and Nettie and I had a real talk. At last she has removed the barrier and decided she does care for me a great deal. Signing off 12:30. RR ticket cost me \$2.30.
- Jan. 2, Monday Clear and cool. Drove into country with Junior and Nettie to see Dad Ewing's hay baler work. Went with Joe & Nettie this PM to call on couple of Joe's fellow _____ workers. Leave for Washington at 7:38. Arrived here at 10:05 at room. Have washed up and written note to Mother. Signing off 11:30.
- Jan. 3, Tuesday Clear and fairly warm. Worked at Library. Received letters from Mother, Mercedes, Arthur C. and Arlene Small. Have written to Mother, Annie, Nettie and Alta. Also sent Aunt Hattie a photo greeting card. Bought 1 doz. oranges .45, bottle Listerine .50, Laundry 1.22, cleaning & pressing blue coat & pants .75. Signing off 11:10.
- Jan. 4, Wednesday Worked at Library. Clear & warm. Received letters tonight from Aunt Viola, Edna, Mother, Orilla, and Nellie. Had phone call from Sarita tonight. Plan to go there to supper Friday night. Went to see Dr. Atkinson again tonight. He advised me to keep on taking his prescription. Played dominoes with Mrs. Lohr tonight. Have written thank you letters to Herm Crockett & wife & to Mr. & Mrs. Ed. York. Signing off 10:30. Dr's office call \$2.00, Drugstore bill \$2.00.
- Jan. 5, Thursday Worked at Library. Clear & warm. Had haircut this P.M. Received letter from Stella, Aunt Ruth, J.O.B., and Nettie. Calvin Coolidge died today of acute indigestion. Went to Prayer Meeting at Metropolitan tonight. Have written to Stella and Mother. Haircut .25, writing paper .25. Signing off 10:30.
- Jan. 6, Friday Clear and warm. Worked at Library. Received letter from Aunt Aimee and monthly statement from bank. Took bath & cleaned up after work and walked out to Sarita's. Took her the box of homemade fudge sent me by Art & Ann. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's and then Serita & I went to a dance at a dancing school two blocks from her place. Had a dandy time. Signing off 12:00. Dance cost me \$.75 & taxi \$.25.
- Jan. 7, Saturday Nearly rained this morning, clearing away clear and is a little cooler tonight. Have written to Jennie B., Nina & Elmer and Carle T. before supper. Spent evening at Miss MacDonald's. She, Miss Turner & I played two games of Hearts. She, Miss Turner, will go to a dance with me sometime soon at the same place Rita & I went last night. My dinner tonight just used up my credit at Mrs. Belt's. Paid her \$5.00 in advance. Signing off 12:30.

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- Jan. 8, Sunday Went to S.S. & church. Went on ride with Aunt Edie & Miss Turner down into Fairfax County, Virginia this P.M. Miss Turner has a '31 Ford Sport Coupe. When we came back we came by the Lincoln Memorial & the Washington Monument. They certainly are beautiful. Have been to B.Y.P.U. & church tonight. Have written to Edna, Mother, Annie & Nettie. Signing off 11:30. I drove part of the way coming back. It sure seemed good to get behind a wheel again. \$1.00 church contributions lacking .05.
- Jan. 9, Monday Worked at Library. Rained this morning. Colder tonight. Received letters from Mr. Huse, Austin, Helen Orcutt & Nettie. Worked on Pumping Station bill before supper. Out to Marshall's this evening and went with he and Clarice to the home of the S.A.R. to rehearse dancing the minuet. Met Miss Poorbough. She is to be my pardner. Marshall brought me home. 1 doz. oranges .45, Lucky's .15, Taxi, .25. Signing off eleven 30.
- Jan. 10, Tuesday Worked at Library. Fairly warm. Worked on Pumping Station bill after work. Have been to Miss Saunders' class this evening, and then to Phi Gamma Kappa class meeting after which we went to the basement and had oyster patties, cake & coffee. Have written to Mother since coming home. Signing off 11:30. \$1.50 for Laundry, no letters.
- Jan. 11,
Wednesday Overcast, raining late this P.M. worked at library. Received letters from Mother, Sal, Herman Crockett, Skipper, Annie and Nettie. Had Dr. Atkinson examine lungs tonight. Found them okay. Went on ride with him out through N.W. section. Have finished making out pumping station bill. Signing off 10:30.
- Jan. 12, Thursday Clear & cold. Worked at library. Received letters from Aunt Ruth and A.W.B. Have been to Prayer Meeting and class taught by Miss Saunders on Bunyon's Pilgrim's Progress. Have bill ready to send Herm in the morning on the Pumping Station job and also Oct. road patrol helper bill. Have written to Helen Orcutt, Sal, Mother and Nettie. Signing off 11:30. Loaned to Kirksey, pd. Jan. 16th \$1.00.
- Jan. 13, Friday Clear & cold. Worked at Library. Went to White House with ____ to help deliver a load of books this P.M. Came home, cleaned up, bathed, shaved, etc. and walked out to Sarita's to have supper. Went to S.A.R. home to rehearse "Minuet" after supper. Spent rest of evening with Rita & her Mother. Rita loaned me \$3.00. Took Mrs. Smith my photograph album & some postcards to look at. Signing off 12:00.
- Jan. 14, Saturday Clear and rather cool. Worked at library. Got through at twelve. Received letters from Mother and Arlene Small. Slept some this P.M. Hired taxi after supper and went out into N.W. section to call on member of Phi Gamma Kappa but evidently he'd moved as there was no one there by his name. Came home and have written to Annie and Mother. Signing off 10:30.
- Jan. 15, Sunday Clear & cool. Went to S.S. & church. 42 in Phi Gamma this morning. Chester Jones & his Mother took me on ride this P.M. over the Mt. Vernon Boulevard to Mr. Vernon, back through Washington into the N.W. section to Grant's Circle and home. Finished Mother's letter and have been to B.Y.P.U. & church. Baptismal service tonight. Have written to Nettie & Nellie. Signing off 11:30. \$1.00 church contribution lacking .05.

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- Jan. 16, Monday Very frosty and cool this morning. Worked at Library. Visited the Capitol as soon as work with Miss Saunders and saw both House & Senate in session. It is indeed a beautiful building. Was much interested in the Hall of Fame. Out to the S.A.R. home this evening to rehearse the Minuet. Pay day today \$44.08, Mrs. Belt, \$10.00, Mrs. Lohr, \$6.00, Stamps, \$1.00, Oranges .45. Received letter from Carle T. today and blank checks from bank. Have written to Elston. Signing off 11:30.
- Jan. 17, Tuesday Clear and warm. Worked at Library. No letters. Out to S.A.R. home to rehearse "Minuet." Miss Poorbough wasn't there. Marshall brought me home. Have written short note to Mother and Birthday Card to Helen Orcutt. Signing off 11:50. Listerine \$.50.
- Jan. 18, Wednesday Clear and warm. Worked at Library. Saw Army "Blimp" go over building this noon. Had lunch with Miss Saunders at Cafeteria in top of Library. The view from the third floor looking down into the reading room is beyond description, and the mosaic at the head of the second flight of stairs is indeed a work of art. Sent to White House with books again this P.M. Saw several of the downstairs rooms this time. Hurt my finger opening the outside door and had it patched with the White House drugstore or physician's headquarters. Received letters from Mother, Mercedes, Harvey, Alta, Herm C., Ed York, Frank Beverage. Checks from town \$80.50 & \$112.67. First for Oct. patrol helper & second for pump job. Have written to Mother but only told her as far as supper time Monday.
- Jan. 19, Thursday Clear & warm. Worked at Library. Received letter from Nettie. Had vest patched and coat repaired under sleeves. Also took double-breasted coat & pants to cleaner to have cleaned & pressed. At Miss MacDonald's from supper until 7:30. Went to Prayer Meeting at Metropolitan & then stayed to Miss Saunders' class on Pilgrim's Progress. Have just shaved. Repairing vest & coat \$1.25, cleaning & pressing coat & pants & repairing \$1.25. Signing off 10:30.
- Jan. 20, Friday Clear & real warm. Worked at Library. No letters. Bathed, cleaned up and walked out to Rita's to supper. She, Mrs. Beverage & I went to Keith's to see Edna May Oliver in the "Penguin Pool Murder." It was very good and I sure laughed some. Signing off 11:45. Have written to Mercedes. Loaned Kirksey \$5.00. Paid Sarita loan of \$3.00, \$1.50 for three suppers and \$.50 for movies. Kirksey paid loan Jan. 31st.
- Jan. 21, Saturday Rainy this morning, clearing before noon. Worked at library until 12:00. Went with Mrs. Beverage to old Nat. Museum. Saw "Spirit of St. Louis," old coaches, old automobiles, boat models, presidents' wives dresses, first airplanes and many other things of interest. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's. Paid Sarita. Went to S.A.R. home to rehearsal. Received letters from Mother & Mercedes. The family's colds are better now. Signing off 10:45.
- Jan. 22, Sunday Overcast. Went to S.S. & church. Down to Providence Hospital to call on Williams. Had his leg operated on yesterday. Out to Marshall's at 3:30 to go to Mayflower Hotel to rehearse the Minuet. Came home and went to B.A.U. and church. This morning Dr. Abernathy spoke at the Metropolitan and Dr. Ball spoke at Calvary. Have written to Annie, Nettie and Mother. Signing off 11:00.
- Jan. 23, Monday Clear & very warm. Worked at library. Received letters from Sal & Annie. Marshall brought my costume tonight. Have worked on books since supper. Rita phoned. Laundry 1.06, 4 bars Lifebuoy .28, 12 oranges .45, writing paper .25. Signing off 10:15.

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- Jan. 24, Tuesday Very warm. Worked at Library. No letters. worked on books. In to Miss MacDonald's a few minutes after supper and then to Miss Saunders' Bible Study class. Have written to Mother, Nettie and a birthday card to Arthur C. Signing off 11:00.
- Jan. 25, Wednesday Heavy rain & wind, starting about 1:00 P.M. and lasting all night. Worked at Library. Shaved & bathed [after] work. Dressed up in costume and took taxi to Marshall's. We went to the Mayflower Hotel to Banquet & dance of the S.A.R. Mr. Baldwin, the famed arctic explorer, was only one of the many people I met. The Banquet was fine followed by several speeches and then came the "Minuet." We danced it through twice and it was well enjoyed. The dance from 10:30 to 1:00 was very good. Miss Poorbough was a fine pardner and a nice dancer. Marshall brought me home. Signing off 2:30. Received letters from Mother, Alta, Edna, Nettie & Frank Waterman.
- Jan. 26, Thursday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Slept for an hour or so before supper. Went to Prayer Meeting and Miss Saunders' Pilgrim's Progress class this evening. Have written to Mother. Signing off 10:15.
- Jan. 27, Friday Started to snow damply about noon stopping early this evening. Shaved & cleaned up, went out to Rita's to supper. Mrs. Beverage & I went to Palace Theatre to see Eddie Cantor in "The Kid from Spain." Very, very interesting. Signing off 12:15. Dinner Mrs. McCall \$.50, taxi (3 times) \$.70, Luckies .15.
- Jan. 28, Saturday Clear and windy. Quite cool. Worked at Library until 12:00. Mrs. Beverage & I went to New Nat. Museum this P.M. Saw much of interest. Skeletons of pre-historic animals, family groups of African Tribes, Chinese, Japanese, totem Poles, Roosevelt's collections of stuffed African game, and many, many other things. The animal groups interested me most. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's. Then Mrs. Beverage & I went to a friend of Sarita's where Rita already was. Three old maids, and me three. Mrs. Beverage & one worked on jig-saw puzzle, the rest of us played 500 three games. My pardner & I won three. All the games from Sarita & Miss Glover. Treated to cake, tea & grape wine. I think I had the best time I've had since coming to Washington. How I did laugh. Signing off 12:30. Taxi .40, supper \$.50.
- Jan. 29, Sunday Clear, cold & windy. Went to S.S. & church. Out to Mrs. McCall's to dinner. Roast turkey with all the fixings. Came home at 5:30 to learn that Mrs. Paige & Flora had called to see me. Sorry I was out. Have been to B.A.U. and church. Have written to Annie, Nettie and Mother. Signing off 10:50. \$.90 church contributions, \$.50 Mrs. McCall's dinner.
- Jan. 30, Monday Clear & real cool. Worked at Library. Worked on books after work. Went home with Miss MacDonald from supper & we put a jigsaw puzzle together. Have made out statement and written \$1.25 worth of checks tonight. Signing off 11:45. Cigarettes .15, Oranges .45, Vick's Mouth Wash .35, Tablet .05.
- Jan. 31, Tuesday Clear and warmer. Worked at Library. Received letter from Nettie with snapshots enclosed taken on New Year's day at Hazel Carr's. Wrote letters this P.M. & evening to those I drew checks for last evening. At Miss MacDonald's a few minutes after supper. Drew checks & wrote to the following: Mrs. Geo. Thurston, Flo Arey, Ernest Whitmore, Harvey, Maynard, J.B. Crockett, Franze Mills, Austin Joy, Martin Joyce, Herm Crockett & Frank Sampson. Also letter to Mother. Pay Day to day 44.08, haircut & tonic \$.50, Mrs. Lohr 2 weeks lodging 6.00 in advance, Mrs. Belt board in advance 10.00, Kirksey - loan 10.00, sent to Mother 10.00 = 36.50. Received from Kirksey on loan of Jan. 20 \$5.00. Signing off 11:15.

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- Feb. 1, Wednesday Rainy most of day. Worked at Library. Received letters from Edna, Stella & Sal. Took bath before supper. Have written to Sal and sent check of \$25.00 to Prudy. Bought at People's Drug Store 2 tubes tooth paste \$.51, 2 tubes shaving cream .51, 2 cans talc .36, laundry \$1.75. Signing off 10:00
- Feb. 2, Thursday Clear and fairly warm. Worked at Library. No letters. Worked on books before supper. Have been to Prayer Meeting and Miss Saunders' "Pilgrim's Progress" class. Signing off 10:45. Have written to Edna.
- Feb. 3, Friday Clear & cool. Worked at Library. Shaved, cleaned up and wrote to Nettie as soon as supper. Miss Turner & I went to dance at Acher's dancing school. Same place that I went with Rita. Enjoyed myself. Dance & taxi \$1.50, tooth brush .40. Signing off 12:30.
- Feb. 4, Saturday Damp snow. slightly icy tonight. Worked at library until 12:00. Walked over to Rita's as soon as lunch. Mrs. Beverage & I spent the P.M. chatting & reading. After supper Rita had a girl friend come in and we played 500. Signing off 12:30. Received letter from Mother. Dinner Mrs. McCall - \$.50, taxi .20.
- Feb. 5, Sunday Cold - 24° above. Went to S.S. and church. Down to Providence Hospital this P.M. to see Williams. He's much better. Have been to B.A.U. and church. Have written to Mother, Mr. Huse, Aunt Ruth, Annie. Church contributions - \$1.10, cigarettes for Williams .27, writing paper, .25, envelopes .10. Signing off to take bath at 10:35.
- Feb. 6, Monday Clear & cold. 18° this morning. Worked at Library. Received letter from Nettie. Have written to Carle. Signing off at 8:30. \$.50 for 1 doz. oranges.
- Feb. 7, Tuesday Rainy. Worked at Library. Wrote to A.W.B. before supper. No mail. Spent evening at Miss McDonald's working on jig saw puzzle. Have written to Nettie. Signing off 11:45. \$.25 for stamp, .25 loaned Butler, .25 loaned H. Welsh. .15 H. Welch on Feb. 10.
- Feb. 8, Wednesday Very warm this noon but growing rapidly colder tonight. Received letters from Mother, Edna, Jennie, Franze, Herm Crockett & Flo Arey. Cleaned up and walked over to Rita's to supper. She, Mrs. Beverage, and I went to Marine Barracks this evening to hear concert by Marine Band Orchestra. Very good, enjoyed it very much. Signing off 12:00. Borrowed \$1.00 of Mr. Croft to loan Bettis. Have written check to Bettis for \$5.00 as loan. Rita loaned me \$5.00 and I paid her for supper \$.50. Loaned Butler \$.10.
- Feb. 9, Thursday Clear and real cold. 16° above. worked at Library. Received letters from Sal & Lewis. Have written to "Skipper" and Mother and been to lecture with lantern slides at Metropolitan. Showed life and mission work among Mona Indians of California. Pd. Mr. Croft the \$1.00 I borrowed yesterday. Received \$2.00 from Lewis in letter as I overpaid him. Signing off 9:30.
- Feb. 10, Friday Cold but warming up - snowing tonight. Worked at Library. Received letter from Annie. Wrote to Frank Waterman before supper and Edna Waterman & Shirley Grant after supper. Saw Income Tax Man at Library today and he told me I didn't have to pay income tax as I was a state paid employee. Laundry - \$1.08. Signing off 10:35.

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- Feb. 11, Saturday Clear & warmer. About 4 inches of snow fell last night. Worked at Library until 12:00. Cleaned up and walked over to Rita's. Mrs. Beverage & I went to New Nat. Museum again. Saw birds & plant life native to Wash. D.C. and skeletons & casts of whales and other fish. Cast of one whale 78 ft. long & 35 ft. around at shoulders. Giant octopus, crocodile, alligator and sharks. Groups of Indian families, Eskimo families, crystal ball and beautiful stones. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's. Harold Beverage there to supper. In to see Mrs. Smith a few minutes. Signing off 11:15. Owe Rita \$.50 for dinner. taxi \$.40. Harold paid .25 of it.
- Feb. 12, Sunday Bathed & went to S.S. & church. Went with Aunt Edie & Virginia down to Burke, Virginia this P.M. Drove clear back to outskirts of Washington. Read scripture in B.A.U., tonight. Stayed to church. Met Cutler Smith's sister and saw her home. Met Congressman Patterson from Alabama at Smith's. We had ice cream. Also met Smith's wife's sister, Miss Black, and Smith's mother. Have written to Ernest J. Signing off 12:30.
- Feb. 13, Monday Clear and fairly warm. Worked at Library. Received valentines from Aunt Ruth's family, and others from Mother and Aunt Hattie. Have written to Mother, Annie, Nettie & Frank B. Signing off 9:30. Cigarettes Lucky Strikes .13, 1 doz. oranges .50, 33 - 3 cents stamps .99 = 1.62
- Feb. 14, Tuesday Cloudy with rain this morning. Worked at Library. Received letters from Aunt Sarah and Nettie and valentines from Shirley G. and Nettie. Went to Miss Saunders' class this evening and then to Phi Gamma Kappa class meeting and birthday luncheon. Served with ice cream and cake. Have written to Owen. Signing off 11:45.
- Feb. 15, Wednesday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Received letters from Lloyd W., Aunt Ruth, Ernest Jones, Mother & Edna, and a valentine from the Alabama Girls. Went over to Smith's tonight and Congressman Patterson, Mrs. Smith's sister, Miss Smith & I went to the Fox to see "Dangerously Yours." Ted Lewis and his crowd stage feature. Five shots fired at Pres. Elect Roosevelt as he arrived at Miami, Fla. from his fishing vacation. Pay day - \$44.08. Rec. from Kirksey \$5.00 from Welsh .68, from Young .25, loaned Butler .30, pd. Mrs. Lohr \$6.00, pd down on ring \$5.00, pd. Mrs. Belt \$10.00, movies \$1.25. Signing off 1:15.
- Feb. 16, Thursday Clear & cool. Worked at Library. Received letter from Sal. Had short nap this P.M. Discomdora brought my signet ring this P.M. Pd. him balance of \$5.00. cleaned up and went to prayer meeting at Metropolitan after writing to Mother, and stayed to Pilgrim's Progress class. Went home with Miss Smith. Signing off 12:15.
- Feb. 17, Friday Some rain. Worked at Library. Succeeded in getting Edwards as date for Miss Black tomorrow night. Over to Smith's a minute after work. Cleaned up and went to Rita's to supper. She and I went to see Janet Gaynor & Will Rogers in "State Fair." Very good. Signing off 11:45. Car tokens .60, pd. Rita loan 5.00, pd. Rita 3 suppers 1.50, Pd Rita 4 neckties 1.50, movie .55. Rita gave me two ties as a birthday present. Mrs. Beverage gave me one about two weeks ago.
- Feb. 18, Saturday Clear and warm. Worked at Library until 12:00. Came home, took bath and slept from 1:30 to 4:30. Edwards & I spent evening with Miss Black & Miss Smith. Played two games contract bridge. Signing off 1:30. Started letter to Lottie after supper.

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- Feb. 19, Sunday 38 present at S.S. I mean in Phi Gamma Kappa class. Went to Waugh Methodist church for church service with Mrs. Lohr. Enjoyed the sermon fully as much as any I've heard since being here. worked on B.A.U. part this P.M. finished letter to Lottie before dinner. Went to Glee Club rehearsal at church at 4:00. Went to B.A.U. and church this evening. Took part in B.A.U. Went home with Miss Smith. Treated to cocoa and ginger snaps. Signing off 12:30.
- Feb. 20, Monday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Received letters from Mother & Annie and photo from Ernest. May God bless him. Spent evening at Miss Frances. The Quartet was there. She showed the movies of her trip to England Europe two years ago. They were very interesting. Treated to salad, cherry sauce, molasses cookies and peanuts. Have written to Annie and Nettie. Am signing off now at 12:45. Loaned Butler .25, 12 oranges .39, loaned Butler .15 Tues.
- Feb. 21, Tuesday Clear & fairly warm. Worked at library. Received letters from Mother & Nettie. Also package from Mother containing a pair of my pajamas, a pr. socks and two neckties. Have sewed buttons on overcoat & suit coat since supper and did some other sewing. Signing off 8:45.
- Feb. 22, Wednesday Washington's Birthday - no work. Went to Washington's Monument and Lincoln Memorial. Climbed up Monument but road down on elevator. View was grand. I enjoyed it. Went to Mt. Vernon on sighting tour. As I was the only passenger I was taken in an Essex Sedan. Went through Washington's home, his gardens and his tomb. Masons were there while I was there. Stopped at Christ Church at Alexandria & saw pews where Washington & Gen. Lee sat. Arlington Nat. Cemetery was beautiful. Saw the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the amphi-theatre, the mast & crows nest from the Battleship Maine and also the cemetery itself. Ate supper at All States Tavern. Over to Smith's this evening. Helped work jig saw puzzle. Have written Mother. Expenses of Feb. 22: taxi .55, cigarettes .15, lunch .25, admission to Mt. Vernon .25, admission to Christ Church .10, bus fare 2.50, supper .50 = 4.30
- Feb. 23, Thursday Clear and real warm. Worked at Library. Received letter from Nettie. Was at Miss McDonald's a minute after supper. Went to Prayer Meeting at Metropolitan. Went home with Miss Smith. Signing off 11:30. Laundry 41.28. Credit at Mrs. Belt's to date \$6.50.
- Feb. 24, Friday Clear & real warm. Worked at Library. Received letters from Sal & Austin. Wrote to Nettie before supper and to Sal after supper. Spent part of evening down stairs. Signing off at 9:45 to bathe. Loaned Butler .10 & Welsh .25.
- Feb. 25, Saturday Partly rainy. Worked at Library until 12:00. Had haircut and scalp rub after work. Spent afternoon and evening at Smith's. Built two coal fires for Grace. Had supper there. Signing off 12:45. Haircut and scalp rub .50.
- Feb. 26, Sunday Clear and windy. Went to S.S. at Metropolitan and church at Waugh M.E. Went out to Rita's & she, her Mother & I went out to a café to lunch. Mrs. Beverage & I went to the Red Cross Building. Saw much of interest there including ambulances used in World War. Went to Glee club meeting at 4:00 P.M. took part in B.A.U. at Metropolitan and then went to church with the Smith's at Waugh M.E.; Central Mission Glee Club sang and gave testimonials. Went home with the Smiths. Have written to Edna. Expenses Sunday: church col. \$1.60, taxi .40, lunch .25.

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- Feb. 27, Monday Clear, cool & windy. Worked at Library. Went to dentist after work. Had two teeth drilled and filled. Received letter from Edna. Have written to Nettie and Annie. Signing off 9:30. Loaned Welsh \$.25.
- Feb. 28, Tuesday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon filled another tooth after work. Pay day - 44.08. Pd. Mrs. Lohr \$6.00, cigarettes & matches .14, supper at All States Tavern .50, received from Kirksey 5.00 (pd in full), Bettis 5.00 (pd in full), Welsh .50 (pd in full). Signing off 10:15. Slept most of evening. Pd. Dr. McMahon on acct \$10.00. Received letters from Nettie and Annie.
- March 1, Wednesday Clear, trying about noon to snow but didn't succeed. Worked at Library. Received letter from Mother. Went to Dr. McMahon's office but he was too driven up that he asked me to wait until tomorrow. Took single-breasted coat & two pair of pants to Stanton cleaners to have cleaned, pressed & mended and pants lengthened out. Have written to Mother, Stella, Lloyd Whitmore and Herman Crockett this evening. Signing off to take bath at 10:30. Paid Mrs. Belt \$10.00 in adv. Paid Stanton Cleaners \$3.00.
- March 2, Thursday Partly cloudy raining a little tonight. Worked at Library. Received letters from Maynard P., Sal and Nettie. Sewed buttons on double breasted coat before supper. Ate supper at All States Tavern. Wrote to Aunt Sarah before Prayer Meeting. Dr. Lake, missionary from China, spoke tonight. He was very interesting. Stayed to Bible lesson by Mrs. Hasker. Went home with Smith & Black. Signing off 12:30. Supper & tip at Tavern .60, 1 doz. oranges .35.
- March 3, Friday Clear & cool. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon filled one tooth after work. Received letter from Annie. Over to Smith's by invitation this evening. Treated to cocoa and ginger snaps. Signing off 12:45.
- March 4, Saturday Inauguration Day. Partly cloudy with wind. Met three young ladies from N.Y. at breakfast. Showed them through Library this A.M. Went over to Capitol grounds and saw Roosevelt & Hoover come out onto Inaugural platform. Was so late getting to Rita's that her mother went to the stands without me. I managed to get good view of parade by climbing up over the back of a stand. Saw Tom Mix in parade, also Al Smith and Gov. Ritchie. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's. Spent evening there. I sure thought the parade would never end this P.M. It certainly was beautiful. Especially the bands and concert. Signing off 12:45. Received letter from Lottie and Geo. Beverage.
- March 5, Sunday Clear & spring-like. Went to S.S. and church and then took taxi to Rita's. Marshall called for Mrs. B. and I there and we went home with him to dinner and a fine dinner it was too. Boiled potatoes, carrots, brussel sprouts, roast beef, salad and for dessert, pumpkin pie. Marshall took the family and us riding through Anicostia and into Maryland. Saw one of the oldest churches in the country, built in the 1720's. Wrote to Mother before going to B.A.U. Went home with Smiths after church. Have written to Geo. Beverage since coming home. Signing off 12:45. Church contributions \$1.05, taxi .25.
- March 6, Monday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon drilled two teeth but didn't fill them. Received letters from Mother, Edna W., Elston B. and a birthday card from Thelma. Have written to Annie, Nettie & Ernest Jones. Signing off to take bath at 9:45. Laundry .90, loaned Butler 1.00, loaned Kirksey \$5.00, writing paper. 25. Sent Thelma a birthday card.

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- March 7, Tuesday Rain nearly all day. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon filled two teeth and drilled one this noon. Received letters from Aunt Viola and Shirley Grant. Wrote to Aunt Viola before supper and to Aunt Kath, Helen Orcutt, Wendell, Shirley Walker and a birthday card to Don Stone. Supper at All States Tavern .50, tip .10, birthday cards .25
- March 8,
Wednesday
Tonny's birthday Clear & fairly warm. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon filled tooth this noon. Received letters from Edna, Father, and Mother, Skipper and birthday cards from Sal, Mr. & Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Lohr. Received a birthday cake from Mother, a box of brownies & fudge from Mr. & Mrs. Albert B, a tan broadcloth shirt from Sal and Lewis, a book "The Prophet" by Kahlil Gibran from Nettie and neckties from Mrs. B and Rita. Had supper with them and took my birthday cake over there to supper. We went to Foundry church this evening to a concert by a glee club from some university. It was very good. Both boys and girls took part. Signing off 11:55. Wrote correspondence card to Mother. Owe Rita \$4.35.
- March 9, Thursday Clear & fairly warm. Worked at Library. Wrote to Maine State Highway commission regarding patrol job for this summer. I read First Corinthians before & after supper. Went for a ride out into north section of city with Dr. Atkinson. Got back in time for lesson class after prayer meeting. Went home with Smiths. Took rest of my birthday cake down there. Birthday cards Received - Maxine, Muggins, Aunt Kath, Isa B., Herb & Ruth, Ellen, Nellie B., Joseph E., and Lloyd. Letters from Squire G., Ruth & Jennie Stone, Nettie & Herman Crockett. Herm said in his letter that the town raised \$500 for state aide patrolman's helper which allows about \$50 for helper.
- March 10, Friday Clear and cold. Worked at Library. Welsh handed in his resignation yesterday. Dr. McMahon drilled & filled two teeth at lunch time. Received a pr. of socks from Nasty Nell. No letters. Slept for 1 1/2 hrs before supper. Ate at all States Tavern. Went to Glee Club rehearsal this evening. Have written to Mother. Signing off 11:30.
- March 11, Saturday Clear & cold. Worked at Library until 12:00. Dr. McMahon drilled bad lower jaw tooth and put in temporary filling until Monday. Mrs. Beverage & I went to Corcoran Art Gallery this P.M. Saw many beautiful paintings, etchings, and statues. Had supper with Rita & Mrs. B. Spent evening putting jigsaw puzzle together. Signing off 12:00. Taxi \$.65, Owe Rita for supper \$.50.
- March 12, Sunday Clear and fairly warm. Went to S.S. and church. Then went down to bus terminal to see if George B. came by any chance. Wrote to Nellie B., Nettie, Mother and Mrs. Albert Beverage. Dr. Atkinson took me for a ride out through Soldier's Home before B.A.U. Took part in B.A.U. and stayed to church. Went home with Smiths. Took my brownies down there. They were fine. Signing off 12:59. 1 doz. oranges .35, 1 bottle Vicks Anti. .35, Lunch at drug store .20.
- March 13, Monday Worked at Library. Rainy this P.M. Received letters from Mother, Lloyd W., George B., Annie & Helen Orcutt. Walked home with Miss MacDonald from supper. Went to Glee Club rehearsal at Metropolitan. Signing off 10:00.
- March 14, Tuesday Clear and very warm & sticky. 65° above when I came from supper. Thunder shower tonight. Worked at Library. Went to Phi Gamma Kappa business meeting and class social. Treated to ice cream & pie. Quartette sang several numbers and then the Glee Club sang twice. Signing off 11:15. Laundry \$1.08. Dr. McMahon filled tooth this lunch hour.

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- March 15, Wednesday Clear & cooler. Worked at Library. Pay day. Doc. McMahon filled another two teeth at lunch hour. Received letters from Nettie, Aunt May B., Sal & State Highway Comm. Cleaned up & went over to Rita's to supper. Then we three went to concert at Marine Barracks. Paid Rita \$5.00 (gives me credit of \$.65), Paid Mrs. Lohr \$6.00, Loaned Butler \$5.00, Loaned Kirksey 10.00, Paid Dr. McMahon 10.00. Signing off 12:45.
- March 16, Thursday Clear & cool. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon drilled this noon hour. Received letters from Nettie & Mother. Slept for hour before supper. Wrote to Annie before going to Prayer Meeting & Bible study hour. Over to Smiths with Thelma after meeting. Signing off 12:45. Received from Butler \$8.00, Kirksey \$10.00, Paid Mrs. Belt \$5.00.
- March 17, Friday Clear and warm. Worked at Library. Dr. McMahon filled teeth this lunch hour. Received card from Aunt Ruth this P.M. Took clothes to laundry and shoes to repair shop to have tapped. Wrote to Mother before going to Glee Club rehearsal. Signing off 10:30. Repair on shoes \$.95, Glee Club book \$.50. Had talk with Mr. Putnam this morning. He said my changes were good, to come back next fall.
- March 18, Saturday Cloudy with some rain this P.M. Worked at Library until 12:00. Called at Smiths a little while and then came home & slept a couple hours. Went over to Rita's to supper and spent evening. Rita & I are square with each other now. Taxi hire \$.40. Signing off 12:45.
- March 19, Sunday Rainy nearly all day. Went over after Miss Smith and we came back to S.S. & church at Metropolitan. Quartette sang at S.S. and the Glee Club also sang a selection, "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning." Made farewell speech to Phi Gamma Kappa's this morning. Had dinner at Smiths. Today is Thelma's Birthday. Slept about an hour late this P.M. and prepared B.A.U. topic. Went to B.A.U. & church. Have written to Nettie & Edna. Signing off 11:15. Church contributions \$1.00.
- March 20, Monday Rainy. Worked at Library. Received letter from Edna. Spent evening at Miss MacDonald's. Signing off 12:15.
- March 21, Tuesday Rainy some. Worked at library. Dr. McMahon pulled upper wisdom tooth on right side after work. Letter from Nettie. Called Nettie on phone at 6:30 at M.S.N.S. cleaned up and went to B.A.U. business meeting and social. Treated to ice cream & cake. Over to Smith's a few minutes. Signing off 12:00. Pd. Dr. McMahon bal. \$10.00, pd for phone call .85, phone call to Rita .05, Aspirin .15, Loaned Butler .25, Sold Miss Saunders 100 pennies.
- March 22, Wednesday Clear & cool. Worked at Library. Received letters from Mother, Aunt Viola, Annie & Nettie. Wrote to Sal before supper. Miss McDonald, Virginia, Randell Davis from Georgia and I drove to Burke, Va. this evening to visit Mrs. White and Jane Pickling. Signing off 12:00.
- March 23, Thursday Rained a little. Worked at library. Dr. McMahon smoothed fillings up after work. Received letters from Nettie. Cleaned up and went over to Rita's to supper. Came back in time for Prayer Meeting. Stayed to Mrs. Haskar's study class, then went home with Smiths. Grace played violin for me. Signing off 12:10.

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- March 24, Friday Clear and real cool. Worked at Library. Had hair cut at lunch time. Handed in resignation this P.M. to take effect Apr. 6th. Walked over to Rita's after work to get shipping case. Wrote to Mother after supper. Have been to the Glee Club Rehearsal. Hair cut .25, Taxi .25, Rita bought for me 7 pr. of socks, I owe her for them \$2.00, one supper \$.50 = \$2.50. Signing off to take bath 11:00.
- March 25, Saturday Started to snow about noon. Snowed hard until evening. Finished work at library this noon. Left for Sparks on bus at 2:00. Spent evening there at home. Josephine was home from work. Nettie & I talked until 12:00. Bus fare \$1.75. S. Evening Post .05.
- March 26, Sunday Clear and cool. Joe, Nettie & I went to Jessiet [Jesuit?] church this A.M. Spent P.M. at home. They brought me to Cockeysville to catch 7:45 train tonight. Changed at Baltimore. Arrived home at 10:15. Church \$.50, train fare \$1.76, milk shake .20, magazine .10 = \$2.56
- March 27, Monday Clear & cool. Went to Bureau of Engraving & Printing this A.M. Miss Francis had a special guide show me around. It was all very interesting. 30 days to complete a dollar bill. \$20,000,000 printed a day. 56,000,000 postage stamps per day. Went to Library to see boys and bid them good by. Called on Mr. Putnam & he made it possible for me to draw my money up to Apr. 1st. Over to Jimmie's, Dr. McMahon's, Dr. Atkinson's, Dr. Ball and then over to Rita's. Had supper with them and stayed until 9:00. Then came home & spent rest of evening with Aunt Edie & Virginia after delivering note to Flora Paige. Rita had my present that she bought for me to take home to the folks. Received from Library 44.08, pd Rita \$5.00, pd taxi fare .45, Pd cleaning & pressing suits \$1.75. Signing off 1:15.
- March 28, Tuesday Clear & cool. Packed this A.M. Called on Smiths. They took me to station. I left on 3:00 train. Arrived at New York 7:50 in Penna. station. Transferred by shuttle to Grand Central. Took Pine Tree Limited by way of Worcester, Mass. Train fare \$23.20. [~~crossed out: Arrived at Portland at 6:35 A.M. Ate breakfast and transferred to Maine Central. Also changed cars at Brunswick. Arrived at Rockland]~~
- March 29, Wednesday Snowing hard when we came through Worcester at 1:00 A.M. but was a clean bright day when we came through New Hamp. and into Maine. Ate breakfast in Portland and changed trains. Changed again in Brunswick. Arrived in Rockland at 10:30. Had dinner with Aunt Sarah. Flo & Dot Thomas was on the boat coming to Vinalhaven. Had a fine chat with Flo. Saw Bobbie W. Jr. at the harbor. Arthur was the only one of the family at the boat. Lewis brought me & my suitcases home. They were all very surprised to see me. Nellie & Harry were here. Lewis & Sal had supper with us then Lewis took me up to see Aunt Kath, Herb's, Art's & Albert's. I'm some glad to get home. Signing off 11:00.
- March 30, Thursday Clear and nice. Down to boat shop and then called at Mr. Huse's. He took me on a ride to Frank's garage and Will Sampson's. Had dinner with Lewis & Sal and then went reading meters with them at west district, north shore & Pulpit Harbor. Went to social at church in evening. Wrote to Nettie, Annie & Rita. Signing off 11:00. Yesterday's expenses: taxi .25, breakfast .30, 2 shirts at Benny's \$2.00, boat fare \$1.20.

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- March 31, Friday Clear & warm. Skipper & I took cruise up to back shore this A.M. He had his rifle & I had my 16 gauge. We did lots of practicing. Had dinner with Skipper. Went ducking with Dunk this P.M. Saw two in Oak Hill pond but didn't get any. Also went to Crabtree's Point. Shirley here to supper. Went to pageant rehearsal at church and then to dance in K of P hall. Had a good time. Signing off 11:56.
- April 1, Saturday Rain all day and tonight. Lewis helped me set up stove in garage and after heating water, we picked two roosters. Froze ice cream as soon as dinner and then Dunk, Lewis & I went to Funarbor, cleaned it up, washed dishes and had a good fire when Kath, Phyllis, Alta, Carl, Elizabeth, Harvey, Shirley and Edna arrived for supper. Had baked beans. Lester Shearer, Norman & Lucy came after supper and we had two tables of Pinochle. Sal & Shirley jig sawed. Had ice cream for refreshments. Nearly got stuck getting home. Signing off 1:00 A.M. Received letter from Nettie tonight.
- April 2, Sunday Foggy & damp. Went to S.S. & church. Spoke a few words at S.S. Lester Shearer here a few minutes this P.M. 78 present at S.S. Went up to Aunt Kath's and stayed to supper. Lewis, Sal, Phyllis, Dunk, Kath, Mother, Father, Harry & Nellie at supper. Baked chicken & fixings. Went to church public meeting. Spoke along with Mr. Huse. Marjorie, Phyllis & I went on ride in Mr. Huse's car after church. Stopped at Dunk's on way home and then at Marjorie's. Signing off 11:45.
- April 3, Monday Overcast with some rain. Cleaned up garage & fixed little door this A.M. Jim took Nash out of garage this morning. Took wheels off of truck and cleaned mud off of them this P.M. Cleaned up and went to program rehearsal this evening and then up to Aunt Kath's to play pinochle with Dunk, Lewis, Lester, Phyllis & Marjorie. Received letter from Ernest tonight. Wrote to Mr. Putnam & Mrs. Lohr before supper. Signing off 12:15.
- April 4, Tuesday Rain all day. worked on truck. Parker worked for me. Franze here all day. We had clam chowder for dinner and it was some old good. Received letters from Annie, Nellie & Jim P. tonight. Returned from Washington. Spent evening with Lewis & Sal. Signing off 12:15.
- April 5, Wednesday Clear, cool & windy. Parker & I worked on Chev. this A.M. Franze, Wendell & I sawed & junked a dead spruce tree at Art's this P.M. Jr. hauled a load down for me tonight. Took bath before supper. Went to pageant rehearsal and then to pinochle game at Sal's. Carl, Elizabeth, Dunk, Kath, Phyllis, Edna, Lewis, Alta, Mother, Harvey, Lester Shearer, Murray & Marjorie. Had sherbet & cake for dessert. Wrote to New Eng. Mutual Life Ins. Co. & note to Custles Smith. Signing off 1:15.
- April 6, Thursday Clear & spring like. Clifted & fitted up my garage wood this A.M. Lewis & Sal here to dinner. Went with them to Sam Nutt's and Lettie Thurston's after dinner. Had supper at Prudy's and then went to pageant rehearsal. Have written to Nettie. Signing off 10:45.
- April 7, Friday S.E. rainstorm. Went on milk route with Art this morning, then Jr. helped me clean up limbs of tree we cut Wed. and another tree. Had dinner at Art's. Froze ice cream for Kath this P.M., also had a nap up there. took Marjorie to dance K of P this evening. We went up to Kath's at intermission for Dunk's birthday. Bob & Nora, Art & Anna, Prudy & Sal, Carl & Elizabeth, Lester Shearer and Mother there. Signing off 12:45.

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- April 8, Saturday Clear & cool. Pruned & cut black knot out of plum tree and pruned apple tree this A.M. Down to Sal's this M & stayed to supper. Went to pageant rehearsal & then Nellie, Lester & I went up to Art's to play pinochle. Lester, Jr. & Art played against Phyllis, Anna & me. Treated to cocoa & cake. Received letters from Nettie, Rita and New England Mutual. Signing off 12:50.
- April 9, Sunday Clear & windy. Went to S.S. & church. 81 present at S.S. Sailed to Little Thoroughfare with father in his new boat this P.M. Wind blew pretty hard. Had supper at Aunt Kath's, and then went to B.Y.P.U. Lead B.Y.P.U. meeting. Mr. Huse showed "The Old Homestead" in slides. Beulah is here. Phyllis & I went on ride in Prudy's truck after church. The moon is beautiful. Have written to Annie. Signing off 12:15.
- April 10, Monday Clear & spring-like. Northly breeze. Cleaned up around garage some this A.M. Planted Mother's snow ball bush and worked on truck cushions some this P.M. Had supper with Lewis and Sal. Went to pageant rehearsal. Bobbie & I played 9 games pool against Edward & Leslie L. We won 5. Signing off 10:30.
- April 11, Tuesday Worked with Parker in garage for a while and then went hunting telephone trouble beyond Gilbert's. Worked in garage this P.M. on cushions. Roadman, Mr. Washburn here today. Got a 10% cut and only 3 1/2 days a week. Went to road meeting at K of P hall this evening. Started a letter to Nettie. Signing off 12:00.
- April 12, Wednesday Overcast and very raw. Worked in garage this P.M. Mother, Father & I had dinner with Lewis & Sal. Went with Lewis after dinner to Lettie Thurston's and then went to Dr.'s to see about sore spot under my arm. Went to pageant rehearsal and then over to Jennie's. Mr. Staples & I played cribbage while Jennie made lobster stew. Boy it was good. finished letter to Nettie. Signing off 12:00.
- April 13, Thursday Overcast & still raw. Snowed a few flurries this P.M. Parker finished truck this morning. I sandpapered fenders underneath and on top. Slept on couch all of P.M. Went to pageant rehearsal. Have written to Aunt Edie. Signing off 10:45.
- April 14, Friday Cloudy with east breeze, drizzling some this A.M. worked on truck. Finished sandpapering and painted fenders underneath, forward and on top, and some body. Went to pageant rehearsal and then up to Phyllis to play pinochle. Bob & Murray & I played against Lester, Nora & Phyllis. Treated to cake, sandwiches & cocoa. Signing off 1:00 A.M. Received letter from Annie, and an Easter card from Mrs. Lohr. Borrowed \$25.00 of Mr. Huse to get truck plates & excise tax.
- April 15, Saturday Tried to rain. Painted on truck this A.M. Up to Art's this P.M. to get horse tack to make beard of for pageant. Stopped at Mush's on way home. Lewis hauled new mattress for us tonight. took supper with Lewis & Sal. Dunk & Kath there. Went to pageant rehearsal. Edward staying with me tonight. Worked on beard this evening. Signing off 11:15. Down to Frank B. to make out registration and pay excise tax. Excise tax cost 5.62. Owe Frank B. \$.62.
- April 16, Sunday Cloudy with some rain. Went to S.S. & church. 81 at S.S. Taught boy's class. Beulah here to dinner. Went to pageant rehearsal this P.M. Up to Dunk's to supper. Big pageant went off pretty good. Owen & Lawrence here this evening. Signing off 10:45.

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- April 17, Monday Rainy, eastly breeze. Worked in garage. Painted all of black a second coat and varnished cab. Franze painted dump body a second coat and top dressed top and cushions. Paid Jim \$4.00 on blueberries bought last summer. Franze & I had supper with Mush & his wife. Franze couldn't spend the evening. Eleanor got Marguerite to come up and play eighty three. Received letter from Nettie. Sent for license and plates this morning. Signing off 12:15.
- April 18, Tuesday Rainy nearly all day. Painted wheels on truck, top dressed top, made fender brace and several little tinkering jobs. Franze, Muggins, Owen and Lawrence here to play cards. Owen, Marguerite & I played against Edna, Franze & Lawrence. Won 3 a piece. Signing off 12:15.
- April 19, Wednesday Frank Sampson's birthday. Clear with N.E. breeze. Franze & I went on sail in father's boat this morning. Had fender brace drilled at Brown's and put it on. Put on wheels & tires, painted rim & wheel nuts, cleaned out in back of seat and several other odd jobs. Received license money back from State as I didn't send enough. Invited to Frank's surprise party this evening. Phil & I went up in her Ford. Constance C., Murray, Lloyd & Clara there. We played 83. Lloyd won first prize. I won booby prize, a little wooden man. Signing off 12:30. Treated to punch, cake, sandwiches and cookies.
- April 20, Thursday Clear with eastly wind shifting to S.W. wind. Worked at Alford's with Herb & Lester. Raked leaves. Had dinner with Herb. Lester didn't go over with us this P.M. Franze here to supper. Sent over to Rockland by Bob Waterman to get my plates. Slept on the couch this evening. Franze staying with me tonight. Signing off 10:00. 8 hrs Alford for Herb.
- April 21, Friday Clear & warm. S.E. & S.W. breeze. Wrote to Annie & Nettie this morning. Lewis, Sal & I went floundering down by Turner Beach this forenoon. Caught 74. Lew & Sal here to dinner. Dressed out flounders this P.M. and then went to camp to supper. Up to Carl B.'s this evening to play pinochle. Murray, Bob W. and I played against Nora, Lester Shearer and Phyllis. Another table going in other room. Treated to cake, sandwiches, cocoa & coffee. Bob W. brought my license and registration from Rockland tonight. Signing off 1:00.
- April 22, Saturday Clear and cool. Greased truck. Parker filed wheels. I put on plates and then we tried her out. Cleaned up garage after dinner and then Lewis & I drove to end of patrol road at West District & back. Went down to camp with Duncans & Burgesses to supper. Received letter from Nettie. Signing off 9:15.
- April 23, Sunday Clear & cool with N.W. breeze. 69 at S.S. Stayed to church. Up to J.O. Quinn & Dalon's this P.M. Stopped at Art's on way back. Went to B.Y.P.U. & church. Franze & I made out list of guests to be invited to party Tuesday evening. Have written to Marjorie. Signing off 11:00 P.M.
- April 24, Monday Clear and cool. S.W. breeze. Went to work at 6:00 A.M. as we had to get new float ropes down. Harry B. & Gus Whitmore helped. Put float off & raked leaves. Took Mother up to Aunt Carrie's and then went up to Art's. Lester Shearer there. We played one game of 83. Received check of \$14.93 from Library of Congress - salary from Apr. 1 to Apr. 7. Loaned it to Franze to pay his insurance with. Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs Alford for Herb.

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- April 25, Tuesday Clear & cool. S.W. breeze with rain tonight. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston's on L.A. Mills' long hill. Had supper with Franze. He, Squire & I had a party at Franze's for Owen. Ernest W., Major, George B., Lloyd W., Harry C., Harvey and Thorne D. were there. Played 83. Cookies & cocoa for refreshments. Received from Franze \$14.93 in full. Signing off 12:15. 9 hrs patrol job. 7 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's on unimproved.
- April 26, Wednesday Foggy with S.W. breeze. Dragged four round trips to I.A. Grant's farm. Three to L.A. Mills', one to mailboxes. Had supper & spent evening with Lewis & Sal. Slept on couch all evening. Signing off 11:45. 9 hrs patrol job. Dragged from town buildings to L.A. Mills'.
- April 27, Thursday 3 heavy snow squalls with strong S.W. wind. Hauled four loads loam for P. Crockett. Lewis went with me after third load and Pierce went the fourth trip. Lewis went with me to Frank Waterman's this P.M. Also up to Art's. Have slept on couch since supper. Signing off 11:00.
- April 28, Friday Cool with S.W. breeze. Very raw. Cleaned up at camp with Dunk & Lewis. Worked on Calderwood's lot at Fuller Cemetery this P.M. Shook out sod and roots and hauled them up to Art's. Cleaned up and went to camp to supper. Bob, Nora, Kath, Dunk, Phyllis, Lester S., Carl, Elizabeth, Lewis, Sal, Edna and Harvey there. Had fish chowder for supper with ice cream & cake this evening. Played pinochle. Bob, Harvey & I against Phyllis, Nora & Lester. Received letter from Annie. Phyllis' birthday. Signing off 12:30.
- April 29, Saturday Clear & cool. Up at 9:00 A.M. rode over part of patrol road this A.M. Had dinner with Lewis & Sal. Down to Boss Grant's & Ray's this P.M. to get line level. Leveled up lines on cemetery lot. Received letter from Nettie. Lewis & Sal gone to harbor tonight. Signing off to take bath at 9:15. Credit Jim Talbutt \$2.00 on telephone bill. Bal. due \$1.00.
- April 30, Sunday The most beautiful day we've had this spring. 74 at S.S. Walked up to ballgame with Bonny this P.M. Walked back with Ruth S. and Dot Brown. Albion B. spoke at B.Y.P.U. I ran slides for Mr. Huse at church. Pictures of India. Have written to Nettie. Made out road report this P.M. Signing off 11:00. Bill to state up to May 1 - \$14.40.
- May 1, Monday Clear & cool. Worked with W. Joyce. Put in culvert at Lemar Lewis', hauled 2 load gravel from Thurston's onto it, one load on road leading to steamboat wharf, cleaned ditches from eastwards of Lamar's to post office and up by H.T. Duncan's. Dumped one load of cleanings into Dunk's backyard. Anna had birthday surprise party for Art tonight. Jennie, Etta, Lester Shearer, Albert, Julia, Elston, George B., Jr. Anderson, Austin, and Tonny. Played drive-up 83. Treated to cake, brownies & ice cream. Jennie, Etta rode up with me. Finished letter to Annie. Signing off 12:15. 8 hrs with truck for Ray - 4 1/2 yds Thurston's.
- May 2, Tuesday Foggy. Hauled & spread 7 loads on L.A. Mills' hill. Hauled furniture for Norman Morrison from Harris cottage to Foss Quinn's. Up to Ed York's this evening. Signing off 10:15. Received letter from Aunt Edie McDonald. Walter Joyce worked with me today. Ray pays him. 9 hrs hauling gravel unimproved from Thurston's to Lewis Mills' hill. Trucking furniture Norman M. \$1.00, 9 hrs Walter Joyce, 10 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's.

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- May 3, Wednesday Foggy with a little rain. Started to work on road. Hauled part of a load from Thurston's to L.A. Mills' hill. Went to Fred Marden's funeral this afternoon. Down to Lewis this evening. Kath, Dunk, Phyllis, Carl and Elizabeth there. Dunk, Lewis & Elizabeth played against Kath, Carl & Tonny. Won two games each. Signing off 12:15. 1 yd Thurston's on unimproved.
- May 4, Thursday Shower this morning, clearing off good before dinner. N.W. wind. Helped Gus uncover Trivia, washed white paint and then had to knock off because of shower. Played Kelly this A.M. Scraped rails on trivia and sandpapered rail on eastern side. Received letter from Miss Frances. Up to Art's to a birthday surprise party for Jr. Anderson tonight. Buster, Nat., Bobbie, Cliff, Lester, Pirate, Lloyd C., Harvey, Art, Ann, Austin & Tonny present. Played three tables 83. Cake & ice cream for refreshment. 5 hrs on trivia with Gus for H.C. Parsons.
- May 5, Friday Clear & cool. N.W. breeze. Did charity work. 13 loads from Crabtree place. Hauled freight for Rus Crabtree afternoon. Pd \$.35. Down to camp to supper. Bob, Nora, Carl, Elizabeth, Lewis, Sal, Dunk, Kath, Phyllis, Edna, Mercedes & Harvey. Baked chicken with all the fixings. Played pinochle all evening. Mounted new Firestone today as right forward is getting in mighty hard shape. Signing off 1:00 A.M. Hauled 13 loads loam from Crabtree place for Thoroughfare School lot with Greg & Geo. Beverage. Town bought the gas.
- May 6, Saturday Clear & cool. N. W. shifting to S.W. breeze. Hauled & spread 5 loads on L.A. Mills' hill. Lewis, Alta, Austin & Edward here to supper. Went smelting with Dunk & Lewis. Didn't get any. Called Fila & talked with her. Signing off 12:30. 9 hrs hauling 5 loads from Thurston's beyond L.A. Mills' gate.
- May 7, Sunday Clear & warm. Light breeze. over to Alford's pump with Lewis before S.S. 74 present today. Stayed to church & communion. Went to Freeman Howard's funeral this P.M. and then went sailing in double-ender. Arthur went with me. Took part in public meeting tonight. Signing off 10:30.
- May 8, Monday Very cool this morning. Made ice thicker than window glass. Had new valve cap gasket put on this morning. Then hauled 3 loads loam from Thurston's to family cemetery lot. Down to camp with Dunk & Lewis. Frank W. phoned for us. Went to business meeting at church and then spent remainder of evening with Lewis & Sal. Signing off 11:10 P.M. Check for \$14.40 from State. First road payment. 4 1/2 yds loam from Thurston's to cemetery.
- May 9, Tuesday Clear & warm. N.W. breeze. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston's and L.A. Mills' hill. Up to Ira Whitmore's after work to get seed potatoes for Harvey. Lewis & Sal here to supper. Down to camp to pinochle tonight in honor of Bob & Nora's 25th anniversary. Carl, Elizabeth, Lewis, Edna, Bob, Nora, Phyllis, Lester, Harvey, Dunk & Kath. Signing off 12:30. Received letters from Mrs. Lohr & Rita B. 9 hrs unimproved road, 7 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's.
- May 10, Wednesday Rainy all day. Took drag to Brown's and Ray Thayer helped me put on new shoes and turn blades. Also tightened all bolts. Harry Crockett down this evening. We played three games of cribbage. Started letter to Nettie. Signing off 10:00. Received from Norman Morrison \$1.00.

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- May 11, Thursday Clear & cool. S.W. breeze. Dragged from E.W. Co. to Albert Beverage's four round trips, from Albert's to Gus W. two round trips, and from Union Hall to I.A. Grant's two round trips. Washburn here this P.M. Up to Herb's this evening. Ruth & Les played against Herb & I at 63. We won 2 out of 3. Received from Fostie Duncan \$1.25. Hauling rubbish for Parker Stone \$1.25. 9 hrs on road dragging.
- May 12, Friday Best day we've had this spring. Greg & I raked rocks on middle road from outlet to Vern's & cleaned them up. Then hauled 1 load gravel from Thurston's on road along Vern's. Up to Charlie's after work and helped Harvey furrow his potato patch. Down to camp to lobster stew and played pinochle this evening. Bob, Nora, Lewis, Sal, Kath, Dunk, Phyllis, Lester, Carl, Elizabeth, Murray Stone and Harvey. Signing off 12:45. Charged half of to-day to state so owe Ray a 1/2 days' work some time. 9 hrs for Ray on middle road, 1 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's.
- May 13, Saturday Overcast, raining from noon on. Hauled 2 1/2 loads ashes from Dr. Woodman's and dumped them where Waterman's old icehouse was. Hauled load of trash from home & dumped it on Tearoffski's lot. Lewis went with me to cut sods for cemetery lot. Down to Lewis' all afternoon. Had a nap. Father & I bought Mother a box of candy. I owe Father .15. Signing off 9:50. 2 hrs hauling ashes icehouse job. H.T. Duncan \$2.50.
- May 14, Sunday Nice & warm. N.W. breeze. 74 at S.S. Stayed to church. Lewis & Sal here to dinner. Walked down to camp with Bonny this P.M. Lewis & I planted horse-chestnuts. Went to B.Y.P.U. & church. Started letter to Miss Frances. Made out road report for period from May 1 to May 12 \$36.00. Signing off 11:00 P.M.
- May 15, Monday Clear & warm. Westly breeze. Pruned and tied up rosebushes at Alford's. Aunt Ruth started cleaning today. Lewis, Dunk & I furrowed over half of our garden after work with Lewis' truck and Art's cultivator. Had supper at Lewis'. Up to Uncle Crank's a few minutes. Signing off 10:15. 8 hrs Alford's.
- May 16, Tuesday Clear & warm. Cleaned hump off ____ ditch by Cuddy's and hump off ditch on Kent's Hill, and then spent remainder of day dragging shoulders from Wendell's to Albert B. & down as far as old Calderwood barn. Down to camp to plant with Dunk & Lewis. They had three rows of corn & three of peas planted when I got there. We planted a row each of carrots, parsnips, radish & lettuce & four hills cucumbers. Furrowed some and then pulled alder clumps between camp and road. Received letter from Nettie. Down to Lewis' a few minutes after supper. Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs on road dragging shoulders.
- May 17, Wednesday Clear & warm. Westly breeze. Mush & I sodded up the Calderwood lot, that is, grandfather's, Aunt Carrie's, Aunt Sarah's & ours. Bought seeds of Frank B. tonight and then Lewis, Dunk & I went down to plant. Planted three rows of corn & furrowed for H.T.D. Up to Dunk's tonight to play pinochle. Signing off 12:15.
- May 18, Thursday Clear & warm. Westly breeze. Hauled and spread 7 loads from Thurston's below V.L.B.'s. Lewis & I planted 6 rows corn tonight. Signing off 9:30. 9 hrs graveling unimproved, 10 1/2 yds Thurston's.

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- May 19, Friday Clear & hot. Up at 4:30. Hauled part of a load of dressing from Frazier's for Herm before breakfast. Finished pruning & tying [sic] up rosebushes and mowed lawn at Alford's this A.M. Mush & I cleaned up alders in front of first cemetery this P.M. Hauled 4 loads. Went to high school show tonight and dance in Calderwood Hall. Very good. Received graduation invitation from Ernest Jones & a letter from Marj. Signing off 12:45. 4 hrs Alford hauling dressing Herm \$.75, 4 1/2 hrs with truck at first cemetery, 4 1/2 hrs Mush at first cemetery.
- May 20, Saturday Clear & warm. Westly breeze shifting to S.E. Hauled & spread 9 loads from Thurston's on road below V.L. Beverage's. Very bad fire broke out on Vinalhaven near Perry's Creek this afternoon. Spread rapidly. By nine P.M. it had shifted to Calderwood's and burned his house, also burned Orrie Dyer's. Rode to Crabtree's Point with Floyd & Kath tonight. Signing off 11:30. Check from state May 1- 12 - \$36.00. 9 hrs road, 14 yds gravel Thurston's, 9 hrs Mush on road.
- May 21, Sunday Nice day but wind springs up S.W. and drives fire toward cottages along thoroughfare. 64 at S.S. Helped wet down buildings along waterfront & boatyard. Town served supper to workers in K of P Hall. Some of us kept water all night. A ship with one of Rockland's fire trucks on her deck has laid by along the Vinalhaven side of the Thoroughfare and pumped water on the cottages. Fire came very close to Carpenters. 40 Nat. Guardsmen came tonight. It's a long night with no sleep.
- May 22, Monday Clear & warm. S.W. breeze. Slept from 7:45 to 12:00. Hauled load of screened loam from Thurston's onto Ada Bellmore's cemetery lot. Had supper at K. of P. Hall. Am signing off 9:15. Rodney paid me \$2.00 of the 25.00. Young Joe helped with me loam. 1 1/2 yds loam Thurston's .25, hauling loam A.B. \$2.50 pd \$2.00.
- May 23, Tuesday Clear and warm. Hauled & spread 4 loads from Thurston's beyond L.A. Mills' Got Mush to help me haul brush away from pumping station after work. Had supper at Lewis'. Went to camp and while Dunk planted, he & I furrowed out. Harry piped water into cemetery for me this A.M. Watered my sod tonight. Wrote to Nettie. Signing off 10:30. Paid Parker on acc't \$18.00 - check from O Ray for work on road. 9 hrs road, 6 yds Thurston's, hauling brush pumping station \$1.25, due Mush \$.50.
- May 24, Wednesday Clear & warm after having showers in the morning. Lewis, Dunk & I finished furrowing our garden and planted a lot this A.M. Lewis helped me on the Mullen lot at the Fuller Cemetery this P.M. Plowed a place in Lettie's pasture to get screened loam, hauled a load to the lot and spread it. Plowed places for our squashes & pumpkins tonight. My truck does a pretty good chore at it. Went May basketing with Squire, Edna, Hannah, Mercedes, Muggins, Ern W., Arthur, Frank, Orilla & Ivaloo. Hung baskets at Owen G. and Lee Witherspoon. Have written to Annie. 4 hrs Lewis at cemetery, 4 hrs Tonny & truck.
- May 25, Thursday Clear & warm. Hauled & spread 5 loads on L.A. Mills' hill. Hauled wood for Corydon from Chandler's. Hauled load of manure for Dr. Woodman from Geo. Lewis'. Harvey helped me. Mowed & trimmed Mullen lot and sowed grass seed on filled in places. Watered our lot. Signing off 10:00. 9 hrs road 7 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's, 1 1/2 hrs on Mullen lot. Hauled manure Dr. Woodman.

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- May 26, Friday Clear & real warm. Hauled 2 1/2 loads loam from Lettie's on our cemetery lot & then one load of screened loam. Harvey helped me. Dunk, Lewis & I planted beets, potatoes & spinach after work. Watered sod, washed, shaved & went to camp to play pinochle. Mr. & Mrs. Owen G., Edith Cooper, Lester S., Harvey, Lewis, Sal, Kath, Dunk, Phyllis, Carl and Elizabeth there. Made out road report for period from May 13 -26 \$36.00. Worked on cemetery for 8 hrs. Harvey. 3 yds loam & 1 1/2 yds screened loam from Thurston's.
- May 27, Saturday S.E. rains for all day. Had Frank put on new base gasket, new valve plate gasket & new valve head gasket. Also had truck greased. Carle & Skipper are home until Tuesday. Received letter from Nettie. Had hair cut tonight. Borrowed \$.40 of Father.
- May 28, Sunday Partly cloudy & chilly. Up at 3:15 and ready to start dragging at 4:00. Dragged 3 round trips from Golf Link's turn to Albert B.'s & 2 round trips from Harbor turn to V.L.B.'s. Got through at 2 P.M. Had lunch at Jennie O.B.'s at 9:30 A.M. She treated me to cake, doughnuts, strawberry pie & milk. Took bath & went to ballgame. N.H. trimmed Vinalhaven 10-2. Had supper at Leon Stone's. Went to B.Y.P.U. & church. Signing off 9:15. 9 hrs dragging road.
- May 29, Monday Clear & cool. S.W. breeze. Hauled & spread 1 load screened loam on Mrs. Pool's lot. Hauled 1 load and a yard on our lot. Harvey mowed & trimmed up Frank's and Lucy's lots. Frank paid him \$1.00. Harvey & Harry screened for me and then helped me in the cemetery. Hauled 2 load rocks from Dalon's to Pierce Crockett's after work. Leon helped me with first load and Pierce helped with second. Skipper here this evening. Signing off 10:15. 8 1/2 hrs Harvey, 8 1/2 hrs Harry C. on cemetery job, 4 yds screened loan Thurston's, Mrs. Pool \$3.00, 2 load rock P. Crockett 4.00, due Dalon - 3 yds rock .50.
- May 30, Tuesday Mowed lawn on Henry Calderwood's place before breakfast. Took Harvey up after Maynard. Went to service at ferry landing. Up to Herb's to dinner. Went to services at church this P.M. then Dunk & I planted carrots & cauliflower and then hauled load of loam from Thurston's. Took Mother and Father round to cemeteries. Went to party at Ambus this evening. Frank, Orilla, Austin, Mercedes, Edna, Lawrence, Harvey, Ern, Lester and Phyllis there. Treated to cake, sandwiches & cocoa. Received letter from Mr. Putnam. Signing off 12:45. Mowing Aunt Lulu's lawn \$.75, 1 load loam F.G.D. from Thurston's \$1.50.
- May 31, Wednesday Rainy spells all day. Started to haul gravel out of Art's but the rain came so I quit. Played croquet with Jr. Anderson. Had dinner with he & Austin. Art & Anna in Rockland. Slept from 3;15 to 6:00. Went to card party at Barbara Stone's this evening. Jr., Dotty, Franze, Muggins, Pirate and Edith there. Treated to brownies, sandwiches & ginger ale. Signing off 12;15. Received from Mrs. Kilbridge \$6.00. Pd Lewis \$1.00. He let me have to pay taxes with.
- June 1, Thursday Clear and cool. Dragged 3 round trips from town building to lower icehouse and 2 round trips from Hanse to Fred Brown's and 1 round trip to I.A. Grant's from Hanse. Jean Stanley came today. Sowed grass seed on cemetery lot after work. Had supper at Aunt Kath's. Up to Ted's later in the evening. Spent rest of evening with Lewis and Sal. Mable Waterman was found hanging in her attic today. Evidently she'd been dead since Tuesday. Signing off 10:50. 9 hrs on road dragging improved.

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- June 2, Friday Hauled and spread 5 loads from Beverage's, patching holes from Kent's Hill to Rus Crabtree's. Ted worked in pit for me. Mowed Aunt Lulu's lawn in front of Hall, raked it, mowed it with lawn mower. Also mowed rest of front with scythe and cleaned it up. Signing off 9:53. had dinner at Art's. 9 hrs Ted pd by Ray, 9 hrs, 7 1/2 yds gravel F. Beverage on improved. 2 1/2 hrs Aunt Lulu \$1.25. Pd telephone bill \$5.00.
- June 3, Saturday Clear & warm. Hauled and spread 4 loads from Art's pit, patching from Rus Crabtree's to Mush's. Ted worked in pit. Watered cemetery lot after work. Shaved after supper and then Phyllis, Lester, Jean & I went on a clam bake at Bartlett's Harbor. The clams were delicious. Had a good time. Received letter from Annie. Signing off 1:45 A.M. 9 hrs 6 yds gravel F.B. on improved, 9 hrs Ted paid by Ray.
- June 4, Sunday Warmest & best day we've had this year. Went on sail in double-ender before S.S. 73 present. Stayed to church. Went to ballgame this afternoon and then Lew & I sailed the double-ender to the camp. Harvey & Sal drove down after us. Forest & Ralph led public meeting tonight. Took Miss Buzzell & Mrs. Danforth on a ride after church round island and down to Crabtree's Point. Signing off 10:15. Received from Mrs. Pool \$3.00.
- June 5, Monday Clear & hot. worked for Art cutting fence posts and building fence at Will Sampson's. Bion helped me. Had supper at Art's. Went on ride with Phyllis & Jean. Signing off 10:15. 8 hrs A.W.B. on fence.
- June 6, Tuesday Clear & hot. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Art's. 3 between Ray's & Geo. Lewis & 2 by H. Dyer's. Ted work in pit. Over to Clyde's beach birthday supper and spent the evening. Malcolm Haskell, Edna, Treva, Geo. Eaton, Arthur, Mercedes, Austin & Clyde there. After having clams & hot dogs on the beach, we went to the house & played drive-up 83. Pd. Frank on acc't \$21.00, Pd Mr. Huse \$15.00. Signing off 11:00l. 9 hrs - 7 1/2 yds gravel F.B. improved, 9 hrs Ted pd by Ray.
- June 7, Wednesday Damp & muggy. Mowed H. Calderwood lawn & one in front of hall this morning. Also mowed around stage door. Hauled 2 load rock from Dalon's for parker in front of garage & 5 load gravel from Thurston's. Watered cemetery lots tonight. Down to Lewis' this evening. Lester, Phyllis & Jean there. We went on ride around island. Signing off 11:15. 2 1/2 hrs Aunt Lulu 1.25, 8 hrs hauling rock & gravel P. Crockett 9.00, 9 hrs Walter Joyce for Parker 3.60, 3 yds rock Dalon \$.50, 8 yds gravel Thurston's 1.20.
- June 8, Thursday Clear & hot. Had Frank take rear end down and replace rear drive shaft bearing which was badly worn and caused a loud knock. Hauled Mr. Huse a load of loam for roses in front of parsonage. Lester, Phyllis, Jean & I went on weenie roast to Marsh Cove tonight. Signing off 12:30. \$36.00 check from state. 1 1/2 yds loam Thurston's .25 for Mr. Huse.
- June 9, Friday Clear & hot. Hauled and spread 5 loads from Art's with Ted to help me. 4 by Chester Dyer's & 1 on fountain hill. Watered cemetery lot after work. Took Jean to show & dance in Calderwood's Hall. "Happy Valley" put on by Carlton Snow's crowd. Received letter from "Skipper." He was operated on for rupture today by Dr. Fogg. Received graduation announcement from Nettie. 7 1/2 yds gravel Frank B.'s improved. 9 hrs on road - 9 hrs Ted.

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- June 10, Saturday Clear & very hot. the hottest we've had yet. 94° tonight at five o'clock. Hauled & spread 4 load gravel with Ted to help. 3 on fountain hill and 1 beyond Smelt Brook. Hauled Harv's boat down from Pulpit Harbor after work. Went to camp with Dunk, Kath, Jean & Phyllis after supper. Went swimming for first time this season. Hoed 1 1/2 rows of peas & set out 9 tomato plants. took ride around North Shore coming home. Then went on sail in eastern bay with Phyllis, Jean & Lester in "Morning Star." Came home & rode to Crabtree's Point. Signing off 12:45. 9 hrs 6 yds gravel F.B. imp, 9 hrs Ted.
- June 11, Sunday Clear and very warm. S.W. breeze. Went to S.S. & church. 65 at S.S. I think. Baccalaureate sermon preached by Mr. Huse. As soon as church, Lester, Phyllis, Jean & I went to the back Crocker Cove on a picnic. We hauled lobsters and had a fine time. have been to B.Y.P.U. and church. Have written to Nettie & Annie. Signing off 10:39. Made Edna graduation present of \$14.93 check I received from Library of Congress.
- June 12, Monday Clear & very hot. Hauled and spread 1 load at top of fountain hill, 2 on corner below Jim P., and one beyond Smelt Brook. Watered Frank's lawn and our cemetery lot after work. and then went to camp to hoe. Hoed two rows of peas. Have written to Ernest & Skipper. Signing off 11:00. 9 hrs 6 yds gravel F.B. imp. 9 hrs Ted. Received from F.G.D. \$1.50.
- June 13, Tuesday Partly cloudy but warm. Art, Ann & kids left for Dover this morning. Helped Art deliver milk and then plowed piece pasture field both A.M. & P.M. helped with the milking, bottled milk and then went on beach party with Lester, Phyllis & Jean. Went to Bartlett's Harbor. Sleeping on couch here at home. Signing off 1:30. Worked for Art.
- June 14, Wednesday Clear & very hot. Up at 4:30; Helped milk, put it up and delivered it. A.O. & I built fence in northern pasture this P.M. Helped milk and bottled it tonight. Signing off 9:00. Worked for Art.
- June 15, Thursday Very hot. Up at 4:40. Helped milk, bottle it and delivered it. Cut some fence posts this A.M. after getting back from milk. _____ & I worked on same fence this P.M. Art & family came tonight. Also Bion, Jr. Helped d the chores tonight, and had supper with them. Stopped at Dunk's on way home. Signing off 9:30. Worked for Art.
- June 16, Friday Cloudy & cool. Started to rain about 3:00 so didn't make last load. Cut Harold Joyce's hair. Hauled & spread 4 load on schoolhouse hill this side of L.A. Mills'. Went to graduation at church and dance in Calderwood's Hall. Music by Kork's orchestra. Edna, Edith, Ivaloo & Donald graduated. Ivaloo-vaedictorian. Edna-salutatorian. Flo was up to dance. Went across ferry with her. Signing off 1:00. 9 hrs. 6 yd gravel Thurston's on unimp.
- June 17, Saturday Foggy & drizzly all day. Charlie Brown rolled his Essex over below Pendleton's corner, throwing himself out through the top this morning about 7:00. Brought him down to doctor's in hind end of Chev along with Dr. Pettit and several other fellows. Dunk took him to Rockland Hospital in Mouette. Set drag blade down this morning and then drove down to garden. Hauled and spread 2 loads from Thurston's on schoolhouse hill. Had supper & spent evening with Prudy & Sal. Received letter from Nettie. 4 1/2 hrs on drag, 4 1/2 hrs 3 yds gravel Thurston's unimp.

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- June 18, Sunday Quite a shower last night so I dragged 3 round trips from Crockett's Hall to Kent's Hill this forenoon. Lester went sailing with me this P.M. in double ender, around Widow's Island, the back side of Stimpson's, landed on Calderwood's, got a few gull eggs and came home through the thoroughfare. Went to Church. Rev. Mrs. MacDonald of Rockland spoke tonight. She's a fine speaker. Went home with Jean. Signing off 10:45. 4 1/2 hrs on imp. road dragging.
- June 19, Monday Overcast with a few small showers. Made two round trips from town building to lower icehouse after Ray had made a trip through the middle with the tractor. Then dragged 4 round trips from Hanse's to Grant's + 2 round trips from bridge to Isa B. Had supper with Frank, Orilla & Jean. Carl, Chris & Phyllis there this evening. Signing off 11:15. 9 hrs imp. road dragging.
- June 20, Tuesday Clear & warm. S.W. breeze. Burned paint off of both sides of Gates' boat and scaped the eastern side. Worked for Aunt Lulu about an hour. Received letter from Aunt Sarah with \$2.00 enclosed rewarding me for fixing the cemetery plot. Signing off 9:30. 9 hrs for Gus Whitmore for Gates' boat; labor for Aunt Lulu \$.35.
- June 21, Wednesday Overcast & windy. S.W. Sandpapered eastern side of boat, primed it, scraped, sandpapered & primed western side. Had Raymond T. re nail a couple planks & put on waterline. Brought cow down from Herb's and milked her tonight. Got about four gal. Mowed Aunt Lulu's two lawns after supper. Went to Staple's beach on a birthday picnic for Ruth Stone. Signing off 10:45. 8 hrs Gus Whitmore on Gates' boat. Mowing lawns Aunt Lulu - .75. Received from Rodney \$.50.
- June 22, Thursday Foggy, clearing & hot before noon. Dragged from outlet to Vern's 3 1/2 round trips and picked large rocks. At 2 o'clock went to beach and painted white on Gate's boat. Cut fence posts up to Art's and Harvey and I built fence around tree in hen yard. Signing off 10:00. 6 hrs road dragging unimp. 2 1/2 hrs on Mr. Gates' boat for Gus.
- June 23, Friday Clear and warm. Northly breeze. Hauled & spread 4 loads from Thurston's on old schoolhouse hill by L.A. Mills'. Tore large post off hen yard down and run hen fence inside of fence we built last night. Cleaned up and went to dance in Crockett's Hall. Music by Kirk's orchestra. President Roosevelt's yacht and two cruisers moored at Pulpit Harbor. Signing off 12:30. \$57.60 check from state. 9 hrs. 6 yds gravel Thurston's unimp. Owe Squire .25 fee from state.
- June 24, Saturday Clear and warm. Northly breeze. Hannah helped me build cow yard fence. Cut our fence posts up to Art's. Up to Isa's this morning to see the destroyer & yacht. Grandpa shook hands with President Roosevelt. Down to camp and helped hoe after supper. Annie arrived today. Signing off 11:00.
- June 25, Sunday Clear and warm. S.W. breeze. Went to S.S. and church. 63 at S.S. Last session today. Rev. Huse spoke at church both morning & evening. Lester & I went sailing all the afternoon. Beat up to Alford's and then sailed back to camp. Voted at B.Y.P.U. to discontinue meetings until S.S. begins next fall. Saw Annie at church but could get no date with her. Shirley, Erma & Harvey went to ice cream with me then I took Erma home & brought Harvey back. Signing off 9:45.
- June 26, Monday Foggy with occasional showers. Had truck greased at Frank's and then took drag from Vern's to camp. Dunk and I came up, got the little grader and worked on our croquet ground all day. Lewis helped us this afternoon. Repaired fence after supper that the cow tore down. Signing off 9:15.

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- June 27, Tuesday Foggy all day. Ted helped me mow out ____ & signs of my road and then we spent remainder of day hauled gravel from Thurston's below Ern Whitmore's turn. Hauled up Prudy's boat for him after work. He, Sal & I went to camp after supper and brought drag to town building. Down to Sal's this evening. Signing off 10:45. 9 hrs Ted on patrol job mowing grass & hauling gravel. 4 1/2 yds gravel Thurston's on unimp.
- June 28, Wednesday Foggy clearing before noon. Mowed rest of Etta's place before 9:30 after Uncle Frank helped me grind my scythe. Went to Aycrigg [?] beach on S.S. picnic. Over fifty present. Had a fine time. Grain sugar, flour came tonight. Finished Etta up after supper. Harvey helped me. Then we ground his scythe. Made out Alford bill \$12.50. Signing off 9:30. 3 hrs mowing on Etta's place.
- June 29, Thursday Clear & very hot. The hottest yet. Hauled and spread 6 load gravel from Thurston's below Ern's tunnel. Lewis and I cut posts for peas after supper. He and Sal are here. Signing off 9:57. Bought hind quarter of veal of W.L.B. 34 hrs @ .10 = \$3.40. 9 hrs. 9 yds Thurston on unimp.
- June 30, Friday Heavy shower of rain about 6:00 A.M. lasting for 15 or 20 minutes. Foggy all day. Albion & I hauled and spread 1 load of rock & 7 loads gravel from Thurston's on eastern side of little rise between Spear gate and top of Apple Tree Hill. Shaved and rode up to dance with Squire. Orchestra didn't come over. Signing off 10:50. 9 hrs. 12 yds travel Thurston unimp. 9 hrs. Albion pd by Ray.
- July 1, Saturday Clear and hot this A.M. with heavy shower this P.M. Hauled with Ben from Thurston's on new fill at outlet. Harvey & Geo. Hauled from Art's. Left off work at 2:30 as it rained so hard. Went to Frank's & sharpened my three picks. Harvey & I mowed some on Ray & both sides of street after supper. Edna, Mercedes, Shirley, Erma, Squire, Hannah, Harvey & I spent evening at Ambus'. Signing off 11:30. 6 1/2 hrs. on road with truck for Ray.
- July 2, Sunday Clear & cool. N.E. breeze. Took father & Harvey up to Harris garden and then up to Herb's to get veal. Lester went sailing with me from 9:30-4:30. Took some veal with us and after digging some clams in Mullen Cove sailed to Stimpson Island and baked our clams & broiled our veal. Albion spoke at church tonight. Took Shirley & Erma on ride after church. Then walked home with Annie from here. Signing off 11:00. \$12.60 from Alford.
- July 3, Monday Clear & hot. Hauled covering from Thurston's on fill at Outlet. Ben & I hauled. Drove both trucks until middle of afternoon. Shirley, Erma, Harvey & I went to Marsh Cove on a beach party this evening. Signing off 12:00. Received \$2.00 from Lowell Beverage as his share on water pipe at cemetery. 9 hrs for Ray on State Road; pd Walter Joyce \$3.00.
- July 4, Tuesday Clear & fairly warm. Dunk & I set posts & strunk [sic] peas this A.M. Helped Harvey cultivate his garden after dinner and hoe a couple rows. Borrowed Ray's hand cultivator and worked twelve or fifteen rows at the camp. Took Mother & Edna up to Art's after supper & then watched fireworks downtown. Signing off 9:41.
- July 5, Wednesday Rain all day. N.E. breeze. Changed oil in truck this A.M. The old crate rolled by the 32,000 mark yesterday. Up to Isa's and paid her \$3.00 for spades bought last fall. Went to movies this P.M. with Ben, Skip & Pirate. "Lou in Budapest." Mowed grass along road below Ella Frost's after supper. Signing off 10:00. Bought grindstone of Forest Calderwood. Paid him \$5.00 for it.

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- July 6, Thursday Clear & very warm. Dragged Middle & Pulpit Harbor state road 4 round trips & Iron Point road 3 round trips. Skip & John rode with me most of the time. Skip had supper with me. Down to dam after supper to help unload valve. Signing off 10:15. Wrote to Rita B. tonight. 9 hrs dragging imp.
- July 7, Friday Clear & hot. Made culvert posts out of Ted's cedars and then got some smaller ones in Lettie's woods. Dead-Eye helped me from 10:00 A.M. on Set 55 this P.M. Took crowd to Crockett's Hall to dance this evening. Kirk's orchestra. Didn't go in. Signing off 12:30. Received card from Nettie. 9 hrs cutting & planting cedar posts on road, 6 hrs Edward - pd him on acc't \$.50.
- July 8, Saturday Slightly cloudy with S.W. breeze. Edward & I cut, peeled and sharpened 59 posts and set them along with 24 more. Hauled 1 load from Thurston on water _____ at Bartlett's Harbor beach. Mowed Aunt Lulu's lawn after supper and got haircut. Signing off 9:15. 9 hrs. setting posts. 1 1/2 yds gravel Thurston, 9 hrs Edward on road. Mowed Aunt Lulu's lawns \$.75.
- July 9, Sunday Overcast with some drizzle. Down to garden this morning and pulled a mess of beet greens & lettuce. Went to church at old church. Mr. Hellens spoke also again tonight at lower church. Down to camp after dinner and went sailing a little while. Edna & Skipper went with me. Went home with Erma after church. Signing off 10:15.
- July 10, Monday Clear & quite warm. Hauled with Ben from Thurston's to outlet. Right rear went flat on me as I was going after second load. Had Frank bring up new Firestone. Went down to garden after beet greens after supper. Harry C. & I took Edna & Annie for a ride later in the evening. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs. Ray on state road.
- July 11, Tuesday Rainy up to noon. Eastly wind. Down to garden this morning to get more beet greens. Harvey & I ground two scythes. Dragged this P.M. from Hanse C.'s to Kent's Hill. Harvey & I mowed some at Ella's after supper. We parked with Shirley & Erma to listen to the dance for a while. Signing off 11:45. 4 1/2 hrs on patrol job dragging imp.
- July 12, Wednesday Skilly & I hauled 10-40 lb. barrels of calcium chloride from Wharf to town building this morning. Then I hauled & spread four loads at western foot of schoolhouse hill by L.A. Mills'. Intended to put in second stanchion in barn after work but Mr. Sawyer, N.E. Mutual Life Insurance man came and (I went to Dr. Woodman's to be examined as I changed my policy to 2-\$2000-20 yr life instead of 1-\$1000-20 yr endowment). Went to last show of movies to see Richard Bartholomew in "Central Airport." Good. Signing off 11:15. 9 hrs. 6 yds Thurston on unimp. Received \$14.40 from O Ray.
- July 13, Thursday Clear & pretty warm. Westly breeze. Bob & I hauled & spread four load from Art's by Herb P. Rigged up second stall after supper and Harvey led O Ray's cow down from Hiram's. Made out \$14.40 order to Sears, Roebuck & Co. Signing off 10:00. 9 hrs. 6 yds gravel Art on imp., 9 hrs Bob. Pd by Ray.
- July 14, Friday Clear & cool. S.W. breeze. Jasper & I sandpapered, puttied & painted top sides & bottom of Gates' boat. Ray, Harvey & I hauled home hay from Ella's after supper. Took crowd to Crockett's Hall to dance. Was in a little while myself. Signing off 12:30. Sent order to Sears and \$62.85 to Conn. Gen. Ins. Co. 2 checks - 57.60 & \$36.00. Borrowed \$.50 of Mother.

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- July 15, Saturday Foggy, clearing before noon. Hauled and spread 4 loads from A.W.B. - 1 from foot of Kent's Hill to Mary Brown's, from North approach of Harbor bridge, & 2 below Herb's & Hanse's. Took Harvey to grange, came back to movies. "It's Great to be Alive." Quite good. Borrowed \$.40 of Mother. Reginald Prescott is here. 9 hrs. imp. road. 6 yds gravel A.W.B., 9 hrs Walter - pd by Ray.
- July 16, Sunday Foggy, clearing before noon. Down to garden to get beet greens before church. Sal, Prudy & I went floundering after dinner. Had supper at camp with Dunk, Kath, Phyllis, Father, Mother, Sal, Prudy, Nellie, Harry, Stella, Harry, Winona, Fred, Reginald P., his wife, and Aunt Sarah. Aunt Sarah came up to church with me. Mr. Hellens spoke both morning & evening. Went back to camp after church. Annie went with us. Signing off 11:30.
- July 17, Monday Foggy, clearing some. Hauled and spread 3 loads from Thurston's by L.A. Mills' gate. As soon as boat came this P.M. I started out with cow tester. Worked from Francis Frye's up to A.W.B.'s and all of West District. Went to movies tonight. Zane Grey's "Sunset Pass." Not so good as I'd hoped. Signing off 11:45. Borrowed 4.40 of Mother. 4 1/2 hrs unimp. 4 1/2 yds Thurston. 4 1/2 hrs. with cattle tester.
- July 18, Tuesday Foggy, clearing away fine forenoon. Worked rest of island finishing up at 2:00 P.M. Came home and had nap before supper. Took Mother to Aunt Carrie's and went to see Lloyd Whitmore after supper. Order came from Sears, Roebuck - scythe, oil cloths, canvas hay cover, sport shoes, pail and a few other things. Signing off 9:30. Check of \$30.75 from Conn. Gen. Ins. Co. and a letter from Mr. Huse. Check from insurance because I sent them two road checks and they returned what I overpaid. 6 hrs with cow tester.
- July 19, Wednesday Clear and warm. S.W. breeze. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston's by L.A. Mills' gate. Ground Sears scythe after supper and Harvey, Ray & I mowed in back of Eva's and on Will's corner lot. Hannah, Lottie, Annie & I rode around the island. Signing off 11:00. 9 hrs. 7 1/2 yds Thurston unimp. Paid Frank for ____ check \$30.75.
- July 20, Thursday Clear and hot. Deadeye & I ground scythe and then mowed Mrs. Poole's, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Thomas', Herman's and Margret Smith's lots. Took Beals around from 2:30 to 6:00. Eddie rake up what we mowed last night & Ray & I hauled it home after supper. Went to movie with Squire. William Powell in "Private Detective 62." Signing off 11:00. 3 1/2 with cow tester.
- July 21, Friday Foggy, clearing before noon. Took Dr. Beals around this A.M. and finished the job up. Borrowed drag rake of Frank Waterman and raked up most of what we mowed yesterday before it showered. Ground scythe and mowed a little over to Edna's. Took bath. Signing off 9:30. 4 1/2 hrs with Dr. Beals.
- July 22, Saturday Foggy, starting to rain about 11:00 A.M. Hauled & spread 2 loads from Thurston's, one by A.M.'s gate and one on hill below Eunice Brown's. Had Parker line brakes forward & aft. Took Marjorie to movies and then we went for a ride. Signing off 11:00. Borrowed \$.50 of Mother. 4 1/2 hrs. 3 yds gravel Thurston. \$.75 mowing Aunt Lulu's lawn.
- July 23, Sunday Foggy, clearing some in the P.M. Down to garden this morning. Lewis went with me. Went to church. Mr. Huse spoke. Skipper here to dinner. Up to Art's this P.M. He went down to look at our garden. Went to church tonight & then took Marjorie on ride. Signing off 10:30.

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- July 24, Monday Foggy, clearing some. Hauled & spread 5 loads below Eunice Brown's hill. Had dinner at Skipper's. He rode with me some. Raked hay at Ames' & Talbutt's after supper. Then took Mother around island. Received note from Helen O. and have just answered it. Signing off 9:59. 9 hrs road., 7 1/2 yds Thurston unimp. Borrowed \$5.00 of Frank.
- July 25, Tuesday Clear and warm. Westly breeze. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston's on Eunice Brown's hill. Ray, Harvey, Arthur and I hauled two loads of hay home from Jim's bungalow, M. Smith's etc. went to movies "The Girl in 419." Very good. James Dunn as Dr. French was fine. Signing off 11:15. 9 hrs. 7 1/2 yds Thurston unimproved. Borrowed \$.40 of Mother.
- July 26, Wednesday Clear and hot. Northly breeze. Ground two scythes and then Harv & I mowed around Edgar's, F. Beverage's garden and Ella's back lot. Spread it before dinner. Down to camp to get spinach and hoed parsnips after dinner. Ray & I raked up hay and after supper hauled a load home. Skip, Edna, Norman J., Edna, Marjorie & I went on hot dog roast at Marsh Cove. Signing off 11:45.
- July 27, Thursday Clear and very hot. Worked in garden all day. Ate my dinner with Aunt Hattie & Nellie York at ____ place. Hauled load of hay with O Ray from Ella's. Took Squire to movies. "Warrior's Husband." Signing off 11:15. Check from state - \$47.80. Pd Frank S \$15.00. Pd Mother \$3.00.
- July 28, Friday Clear and not so hot. S.W. wind. Rode mowing machine behind tractor until 10 A.M. and then Frank, Flo & I started to haul in while Ern raked. Hauled in 5 loads. Ray & I mowed P. Tolman's place after supper. Spent evening at Sal's with Father, Mother, Kath, Dunk, Nellie, Harry, Alta, Prudy & Annie. Father's birthday. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs for Ern haying at his place.
- Tonny's father's birthday*
- July 29, Saturday Clear & hot. With Ted's help I hauled & spread four loads from Art's from top of Kent's Hill to Emery Wooster's and one load from Thurston's by Haven's Inn corner. Went to movies with Mercedes. "Best of Enemies." Signing off 11:00. Down to garden after supper to get beets and spinach. 9 hrs Ted on road. Pd by Ray. 9 hrs. 6 yds gravel imp. 1 1/2 yds Thurston.
- July 30, Sunday Showery. Went to church and had dinner with Skipper. Down to Boss Grant's this P.M. Went to church this evening and then Annie, Edna & Skipper spent remainder of evening at Skipper's. Signing off 12:00 \$8.10 from Ray.
- July 31, Monday Clear & hot. Dragged this A.M. 5 round trips from Crockett's Hall to I.A. Grant's and put new blades on drag this P.M. Also took Goodrich Silvertone off right forward & having gone over 33,000 miles and shifted my other one around. Ray & I raked Pierce Tolman's lots after supper. Went to bed early 9:30. Signing off 9:30. 9 hrs dragging imp.
- August 1, Tuesday Showery this A.M., clearing this P.M. Had some tinkering done on Chev at Fran's and put in new oil. Down to Spear place this P.M. to get hog wire Greg gave me about 225 feet. Put part of it around cow yard. Heavy thunder shower this evening. Annie went to movies with me. Maurice Chevalier "Bedtime Story." Signing off 12:00.
- August 2, Wednesday Clear and very hot. Crack came in cylinder head last night. Had Parker get one from Portland. Had him put it on tonight. Went to bed early 9:30.

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- August 3, Thursday Clear & hot. Hauled and spread 4 loads from Art's from Wooster's to Wayside Service & load from Thurston's by Ira Whitmore's. Went to movies alone. Janet Gaynor in "Adorable." Was with Annie after movies. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs road - 6 yds F.B. 1 1/2 yds Thurston. 9 hrs Ted pd by Ray.
- August 4, Friday Rainy this A.M. Sharpened my picks at Frank W. Skipper went down with me. Dragged this P.M. from Kent's Hill to Hanse's. With Erma listening to dance first of evening and with Annie later part of evening. Signing off 12:00. 4 1/2 hrs dragging improved.
- August 5, Saturday Clear with breeze S.W. Hauled grass from Harry Whitmore's to V.L. Beverage's. Took first load into Dalon Brown's and dumped second load in Thurston gravel pit. Went to movies with Annie. "Arizona to Broadway." Went on ride afterwards. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs hauling hay off sides of road, 9 hrs Ted - 9 hrs Walter - pd by Ray.
- August 6, Sunday Most beautiful day of the year. Norman down to garden with me this morning. Went to church. Down to camp to dinner. Took Marjorie sailing this P.M. Had a keen sail. Annie & I went on ride after church. Signing off 12:00.
- August 7, Monday Clear with wind S.W. Went raspberrying at Spear's with Ray & Jasper this A.M. Got 18 qts. Worked on the dam this P.M. with Dunk, Lewis, Burke & Chet Savage. Got valve pipe in and ran some concrete. Had supper down there. Signing off 9:45. Received card from Shirley Walker from Germany. Pd Jim P. \$.75 for cd of wood. Ordered another.
- August 8, Tuesday Cloudy with S.W. breeze. Ray, Arthur & Harvey went to Spears this forenoon with me. We three picked 30 qts. Ray got 11. Helped snap beans and pick over raspberries this P.M. & evening. Also took 1 1/2 hrs nap this P.M. Annie down this evening. Signing off 12:00.
- August 9, Wednesday Clear and very warm. Hauled & spread 4 loads from Thurston's on Aunt Eunice's hill and part of a load from Art's around boundary by Eleanor's shop. Down to garden & picked peas after supper. Spent evening with Alta, Annie, Max, Harvey, Shirley & Erma. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs road. 6 yds Thurston's unimp.
- August 10, Thursday Clear & hot. S.W. breeze. Hauled & spread 4 loads on Aunt Eunice's hill and two between mailboxes and Fred Brown's. Harvey mowed Aunt Lulu's lawn today. Hauled 2 load wood for H. Young from H. Calderwood place to house above hill. Up to Herb's a few minutes. Signing off 9:15. 9 hrs. 6 yds Thurston unimp. Check from state \$50 & 1.00 from H. Young.
- August 11, Friday Overcast, clearing to be hot. Ray, Harvey & Arthur, Charles & I went raspberrying at Spear's this A.M. Ray - 12 qts - Charles - 4 qts - We 25 qts. Down to garden this P.M. Picked beans - two clam rockers full and some other stuff. Helped Mother pick over bean & raspberries after supper. Signing off 10:30.
- August 12, Saturday Overcast & clearing hot. Hauled sand & spread 5 loads from Thurston's on hill beyond L.A. Mills' gate. Hauled sheetrock from Chandler's for Corydon after supper. Took bath & went to movies. George O'Brian in "Life in the Raw." Very good. Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs. 7 1/2 yds Thurston unimp.

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- August 13, Sunday Rainy some. Down to garden. Went to church. Dr. Hutchins of Ohio spoke. Slept all the afternoon. Went to church with Annie & then down to Sal's. Started letter to Nettie. Signing off 12:00.
- August 14, Monday Rainy all A.M. & part of P.M. Puttered around in garage during the forenoon and then dragged from Hanse's to top of Kent's Hill two round trips. 3:30 to 8:00. Signing off 9:30. 4 1/2 hrs dragging imp.
- August 15, Tuesday Cleared away hot. Dragged from Hanse's to Kent's Hill 1 1/2 trips and from Hanse to Fred Brown's 3 trips. Went with Annie to hear Dr. Guptill at church tonight. Spent rest of evening at Sal's. Signing off 12:00. 10 hrs dragging imp & unimp. Received from Gus Whitmore \$16.43.
- August 16, Wednesday Clear & hot. Ray & I went raspberrying at Spear's this A.M. Down to garden this P.M. Had supper at camp & spent evening. Lewis, Julian, Al, Edna & Alta there. Signing off 10:00. Pd Jasper \$3.82.
- August 17, Thursday Clear & hot. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston on L.A. Mills' hill. Spent evening with Annie at Sal's. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs. 7 1/2 yds gravel Thurston unimp. Pd Elmer Hopkins \$7.00. Pd Franze \$3.00.
- August 18, Friday Cool getting raw tonight. Mowed & clipped our cemetery lot this A.M. & worked on Isa's. Finished it this P.M. Went to bed early 8:00. Received from state testing cattle - \$21.00. Work on Isa's lot at Fuller Cemetery - \$2.00.
- August 19, Saturday Clear & hot. Hauled and spread 4 loads from Thurston's on L.A. Mills' hill. Went to movies this evening with Annie. "The Man Who Dared." Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs. 6 yds Thurston unimp. Hind quarter lamb of C.B. - \$1.80.
- August 20, Sunday Clear & muggy. Down to garden with Norman before church. Went to church. Took Mother to Mrs. Brown's after going up to Hiram Beverage's. In to Sal's with Annie after church this evening. Signing off 12:00.
- August 21, Monday Clear & hot. Walter & I hauled 3 load of rock & 4 load gravel for Parker. Down to Alta's with Annie this evening. Signing off 12:00. 8 hrs on Parker Crockett job, 4 1/2 yds rock Dalon - 6 yds gravel Thurston, 8 hrs Walter Joyce.
- August 22, Tuesday Clear and hot. Hauled & spread 5 loads from Thurston's on L.A. Mills' hill. Went to town meeting at Crockett's Hall. Voted to take advantage of N.R.A. offer. Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs road, 7 1/2 yds gravel Thurston.
- August 23, Wednesday Clear & hot. Went to Turner Place with I.A.G. to catch cow & calf. Caught cow but lost calf so we let the cow go again. Walter helped me haul rocks & gravel for Parker this P.M. Went with Dalon this evening to Sargent Lewis' to meet Evelyn Ruth. Signing off 12:00. Check from state \$46.80. 4 hrs Parker C job - 2 yds rock Dalon - 4 yds gravel Thurston.
- August 24, Thursday Rained this A.M. Had Parker grease truck and then changed the oil, tightened engine in frame, etc. Dragged from Hanse to I.A.G.'s this P.M. Went to movies with Annie this evening. John Wayne in "Somewhere in Senora." Good. Signing off 12:00. Had supper at Sal's with Annie. 4 1/2 hrs dragging - H.C. to I.A.G. \$.50 from Mercedes for movies.

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- August 25, Friday Foggy this A.M., raining this P.M. Went with I.A.G. this A.M. to Turner place to catch my cow and calf. Finally caught them after some difficulty. Slept this afternoon 1:30 to 3:00. Borrowed Lewellen's truck and took Evelyn Ruth on ride this evening. Signing off 12:00. Left Susan Ellen up to Art's after supper. Ray drove up after me.
- August 26, Saturday Foggy & drizzly all day. Dragged 27 1/2 miles from Gus Whitmore's to V.L.B.'s. Took Annie riding this evening. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs dragging imp & unimp.
- August 27, Sunday Very pretty day, coming in foggy tonight. Down to garden to get corn, beets, cucumbers, carrots, potatoes & spinach before church. Shirley & Norman here to dinner. Marjorie & I went sailing this P.M. Explored Spear's little island. Went riding after church with Skipper, Annie & Edna. Signing off 12:00.
- August 28, Monday Foggy, muggy. Walter & I hauled 8 loads from Thurston's to Parker's driveway. Repaired cow halter after supper. Phyllis & Emerson took Annie & I on ride this evening. Called at Erma Riper's. Signing off 11:00. Received letter from Nettie. She is at World's Fair in Chicago. 8 hrs. Parker Crockett job, 12 yds gravel Thurston. 8 hrs Walter Joyce.
- August 29, Tuesday Clear and hot. Dragged three round trips from Hanse to I.A.G.'s and then set blades down on drag this A.M. Hauled and spread 3 loads from Thurston's this P.M. on Isa B.'s hill and 1 by V.L.B.'s barn. Ray took half of it. Down to Sal's a minute tonight. Signing off 9:00. 4 1/2 hrs dragging imp. from H.T. & I.G., 4 1/2 yds Thurston unimp.
- August 30, Wednesday Clear & hot. Northly breeze. Waited around until Washburn came and then went to work. Hauled & spread 5 loads by V.L.B.'s barn. Down to Shirley's this evening to party. Lewis, Sal, Edith R., Mercedes, Edna W., Gerald, Harvey, Austin. Played croquet & carom. Treated to ice cream & cake. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs road, 7 1/2 yd Thurston unimp.
- August 31, Thursday Clear and hot. Dug out four rocks on Will Sampson's hill and pounded off top of ledge by Alfred Dyer's driveway. Hauled and spread four loads from Thurston's, 3 by V.L.B.'s and 1 beyond Albert Beverage's. Spent evening with Evelyn. Signing off 12:00. Ted B. down this evening. 9 hrs - 6 yds Thurston unimp.
- Sept. 1, Friday Clear & hot. Hauled four loads for Parker from Thurston's this A.M. Walter helped me. Led Susan Ellen from Art's to Spear's pasture this P.M. Mended Art's halter after supper. Went to church to see Donald B. MacMillan's lantern lecture on his trip to the North Pole. Went to dance at Crockett's Hall with Annie. Signing off 12:30. Pd Ted \$3.60 for work on roads. Pd Frank B. for garden seed including Dunk's & Lewis. Pd Welfare Fund \$1.00. 4 hrs. 6 yds gravel Thurston - Parker C. 4 hrs Walter Joyce.
- Sept. 2, Saturday Hot & clear. Started to take nap this A.M. but Lewis came for me so I helped him. Searched for ground in Mrs. Aggissiz's cable. Found it and put in lead sleeve. Went to movies with Rita & Aunt Lottie. Slim Sumerville in "Out All Nite." After movies Rita & I walked to Morrison's & back. Signing off 11:30. 6 hrs Lewis on light line.
- Sept. 3, Sunday Clear and very warm. S.W. breeze. Down to garden to get corn, carrots & cucumbers. Went to Union church service. Dr. Endicott Peabody spoke. Slept this P.M. from 2:30 to 5:30. Out with Annie after church. She, Mercedes & Austin went on ride with me. Signing off 12:00.

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- Sept. 4, Monday Rain. Made out road report & mailed it. Slept some this A.M. Went down to Frank's this P.M. and made iron drag bracket. Deadeye went to movies with me tonight. Spent balance of evening at Sal's. Picture was Tom Mix in "Flaming Suns." Signing off 11:30. Paid telephone bill \$7.50. Due from State for blacksmithing \$3.00.
- Sept. 5, Tuesday Clear and warm. Put drag bracket on drag & dragged two round trips from Hanse's to I.A.G.'s and one round trip from Hanse to Thoroughfare & schoolhouse. Hauled & spread 2 loads from Thurston's at foot of schoolhouse hill by L.A. Mills' down to I.A. Grant's after supper to pay him for cow. Signing off 9:30. 9 hrs road. 4 1/2 dragging imp & 4 1/2 hrs hauling gravel on unimproved. 3 yds Thurston. Pd I.A. Grant \$40.00.
- Sept. 6, Wednesday Clear & warm. Hauled & spread 3 loads from F.B.'s from top of Kent's Hill to George Lewis'. Spread 1 load from Thurston's on road by Thurston's barn. Went to movies with Annie, Sal & Lewis. George Arliss in "The Working Man." Very good - the best I've seen this year. Spent remainder of evening at Sal's. Signing off 12:15. Received from Lewis \$4.00 for work Sept. 2. 9 hrs road - 4 1/2 yds F.B. & 1 1/2 yds Thurston. 9 hrs Chester B. pd by Ray.
- Sept. 7, Thursday Clear & warm. Hauled & spread 3 loads from F.B., 1 from Geo. Lewis to Golf Links turn & two from top of Kent's Hill to Emery J's. 1 load from Thurston's on Thurston road. Mother & I down to garden after supper to get corn, cucumbers & beet greens. Signing off 8:30. 9 hrs road, 4 1/2 yds F.B. - 1 1/2 yds Thurston, 9 hrs Chester to be pd by Ray.
- Sept. 8, Friday Clear and cool. Hauled and spread two loads this A.M. from Thurston's from Union Hall to Haven Hurst. Hauled two loads fill to Harry Baird this P.M. Jasper went with me. Down to garden & cut some corn for cows. Had supper & spent evening at camp. Sal, Prudy, Harvey, Shirley, Edna, Reggy, Mercedes, Hannah & Annie. Had heaps of fun. Signing off 12:00. 4 1/2 hrs - 3 yds F.B. on imp. 2 loads from Thurston to Harry Baird.
- Sept. 9, Saturday Rained last night, clearing hot this A.M. Dragged three round trips from town, bulldozing to golf Links turn. Cleaned up rocks on Aunt Lulu's road. Called on Evelyn Ruth this evening. It happened to be her birthday. Mary & Dalon were there. We used Dalon's car to go on a ride round the island. Harvey came for me at eleven fifteen. Signing off 11:45. 4 1/2 hrs dragging imp. Check from state \$57.60.
- Sept. 10, Sunday Clear and warm with quite a breeze. Norman & I down to garden before church. Had a nap this afternoon. Went to church this evening. Cassy came home with Annie & I after church. Signing off 12:00. Received from Pierce Crockett \$11.75. Pd Mother \$4.50 on watch.
- Sept. 11, Monday Cold with strong northly wind. Hauled and spread 4 loads from Thurston's - 3 on Iron Point road and 1 by Avery Dyer's turn. After 3 P.M. Art & I hauled a load of loam to Frazier's and wheeled it to the garden. Spent evening at Sal's with Annie. Signing off 12:00. 9 hrs - 6 yds Thurston unimp. 1 1/2 yds loam Thurston for Dr. Frazier with Art B. \$2.50. Loaned Harvey \$1.50.
- Sept. 12, Tuesday Clear & cool. Northly breeze. Hauled for Ray from Thurston's onto new road by A. Grant's. Rear end smashed up as I started with ninth load. Had Parker tow me in from the fountain. With Annie this evening here and at Sal's. This is her last nite. Signing off 12:00. 7 hrs with truck for Ray on state road.

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- Sept. 13,
Wednesday Clear and warm. Dug ditch and built shoulder by I.A. Grant's barn. Skipper took me up to bid Evelyn Ruth good by at noon. Went to bed at 9:30. Bought toothbrush - .57. 9 hrs road for Ray by hand. Pd Harry Crockett \$3.50 for working cemetery. Pd Parker on truck \$48.00.
- Sept. 14, Thursday Some rain today. Worked until noon. Slept most of P.M. Down to Sal's with Austin & P. Lottie this evening. Finished letter to Nettie. Signing off 11:00. Parts for truck came tonight. 4 1/2 hrs for Ray on road by hand.
- Sept. 15, Friday Clear and very warm. Had truck ready to go at 2:15. Also had it greased. 34,880 miles. Jasper & I down to garden to cut some corn. Mother went to Rockland with Nellie this morning. Came back tonight. P. Lottie washed my hair this evening. Signing off 8:15. Pd Frank \$1.26 for gas.
- Sept. 16, Saturday Overcast, sprinkling some. S.E. breeze. Jasper rode with me & helped me all day. Hauled & spread 2 loads beyond Smelt Brook, 1 by Alfred Dyer's road & 4 on W. Sampson's long hill. Up to Ambus' a few minutes after supper. Austin, Mercedes, Erma & I down to Alta's this evening. Signing off 11:15. 9 hrs. 10 1/2 yds Thurston unimp. Pd Cuddy \$1.05 for gas.
- Sept. 17, Sunday Southeast & northeast rainstorm all day. Went to church this a.m. Read & slept this P.M. Thirteen of us at church tonight. Have made out road report and written to Annie & Helen. Signing off 10:50. Marjorie & I rode to Iron Point after church.
- Sept. 18, Monday Clear & warm. Dragged 4 round trips from top of Kent's Hill to Hanse's & one round trip from Hanse's to Will Sampson's. Came home from Frank's on Maynard's motorcycle this noon and it threw me by Charlie Waterman's gate when I was going back. Tore up both arms and skinned both knees & legs. Didn't damage the motorcycle much. Lewis brought me down to the doctor's. Erma was here before supper. Received letters from Annie & Evelyn. Signing off 8:30. 5 1/2 hrs on road dragging imp. Pd \$.84 for gas Frank.
- Sept. 19, Tuesday Fine day. Pretty lame & sore this morning. Up to Aunt Criss's and Albion's with Frank Sampson this morning. Had wounds dressed this P.M. and then went after corn stalks with Jasper & O Ray. Aunt Hulga & Uncle Walter here this evening. Signing off 9:30.
- Sept. 20,
Wednesday Overcast, raining tonight. Hung around road gang this A.M. Went to Vinalhaven with Franze & Prudy this P.M. to deliver Frigidaire to Pete. In to Frank Beverage's this evening. Signing off 9:30. Received from Ray check \$11.88.
- Sept. 21, Thursday Overcast with slight showers. Dragged 4 round trips from Hanse's to top of Kent's Hill. Had Parker change oil before I dragged. He also soldered cow tub for me. Down to garden this P.M. and picked my dry beans, pole beans and cut some corn. Wrote to Annie tonight. Received letters from Skipper, Annie & Nettie. Had Dr. Woodman dress my wounds and then took Mother & Edna up to Uncle Charlie's. 4 hrs dragging imp.
- Sept. 22, Friday Clear & warm. Dragged 2 rounds trips from Hanse's to Kent's Hill and 4 round trips from Hanse's to Albert Beverage's. Hauled 5 loads this P.M. from Thurston's to I.A. Grant's for O Ray. Went to teachers' meeting at Mr. Huse's this evening. Marjorie brought me home after riding to old church. Signing off 10:30. 4 1/2 hrs. dragging imp. 4 1/2 hrs hauling for Ray on state road. Pd Foy \$1.25 for wrench.

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- Sept. 23, Saturday Clear & very warm. Westly breeze. Hauled 11 loads from Thurston's to I.A. Grant's. Harvey, Austin, Mercedes, Erma & I up to Ambus' this evening. Signing off 11:15. Received letter from Beulah. Dr. Woodman dressed my arms tonight. 9 hrs hauling for Ray on state road. Pd Chas. Beverage \$1.80 for lamb.
- Sept. 24, Sunday Clear & warm. Opening session of S.S. this morning. Stayed to church. Norman Calderwood here to dinner. Went to ball game this P.M. and to church tonight. Jennie & I up to Art's this evening. Signing off 1100. 59 at S.S.
- Sept. 25, Monday Foggy. Maynard & I hauled & spread 10 loads from Thurston's by Ira Whitmore's. Had Dr. dress my arms tonight. Signing off 9:00. 9 hrs 15 yds Thurston unimp. 9 hrs. Maynard on unimp.
- Sept. 26, Tuesday Foggy. Maynard & I hauled and spread 10 loads from Thurston's by Ira Whitmore's Lester Shearer here this evening. Have written to Nettie and made up box of roses to send Annie. Signing off 9:30. 9 hrs 15 yds Thurston unimp. 9 hrs Maynard on road.
- Sept. 27, Wednesday Foggy, clearing some this P.M. Hauled 1 load of rocks and 9 loads gravel from Thurston's to new road by I.A. Grant's. Harvey hauled and Ira, Ted & Maynard loaded. Received card from Miss Frances. Down to garden tonight to get cucumbers, corn & potatoes. Signing off 9:15. Had haircut tonight. Received check from state \$43.20. 9 hrs for Ray on state road, 9 hrs Maynard on road pd by Ray.
- Sept. 28, Thursday Clear and warm. Hauled eleven loads from Thurston by I.A. Grant's. Frank, Harvey & Ben hauled. Ira, Flo, Avery, Chet & Maynard shoveled. Down to Doctor's after supper and had arms dressed. Received letter from Annie. Signing off 8:30.
- Sept. 29, Friday Overcast sprinkling some. Maynard & I hauled & spread 9 loads from Thurston's from V.L.B.'s barn to J.O. Quinn's. Mowed some of Aunt Lulu's grass tonight. Up to Sal's and Nellie's this evening. Signing off 10:15. 9 hrs. 14 yds Thurston unimp. 9 hrs Maynard.
- Sept. 30, Saturday Clear & cool. Maynard & I hauled and spread 10 loads from Thurston's below V.L.B.'s barn. Hannah, Lottie & I down to spend evening with Erma. Played carom. Signing off 11:00. 9 hrs. 16 yds Thurston unimp. 9 hrs Maynard on road.
- Oct. 1, Sunday Clear & warm. 65 at S.S. Stayed to church & communion. Down to garden after dinner with Lew to pick tomatoes & Dunk's beans. Went to BYPS & church this evening. Jennie & I up to Art's after church. Signing off 11:00. Wrote to Annie & made out road report.
- Oct. 2, Monday Clear and warm. Hauled from Thurston's with Ray's gang by I.A. Grant's. Hauled 7 loads. Cut corn in Ray's and Roy's garden after work. Received letters from Nettie & Shirley. Have written to Shirley. Signing off 10:15. Down to Dr. Woodman's after supper to have arms dressed. 9 hrs state road Ray.
- Oct. 3, Tuesday Clear and warm. Franze & I hauled & spread 7 loads from Thurston's in an effort to finish up state road for O Ray. Didn't complete the job. Up to Prudy & Sal's and Nellie's a little while this evening. Signing off 10:00. 9 hrs. 11 yds Thurston. 9 hrs Franze on rd. to be pd by Ray.

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- Oct. 4, Wednesday Clear & warm. Maynard & I hauled and spread 7 loads from Thurston's on end of state road completing it. Up to Sal's a little while this evening. Signing off 10:00. Aunt Clara Dyer's funeral this afternoon. 9 hrs. 11 yds Thurston in imp. 9 hrs Maynard. Pd \$2.00 for mixed feed. Received \$48.75 from Ray. Loaned Edna \$10.00.
- Oct. 5, Thursday Rain. N.E. wind. Maynard went with me to Frank W.'s to sharpen my picks this A.M. Up to Art's to dinner. Erma here to supper with us, staying until 9:00 when I took her home. Signing off 10:00.
- Oct. 6, Friday Still raining nearly all day. Rode patrol road this morning & then dragged 4 round trips from Golf Links to Hanse's. Helped move & haul safe for Earl. Finished mowing in back of Calderwood's Hall. Mother & I up to Sal's and Nellie's this evening. Signing off 10:00. Edna left for Newton Centre this P.M. with Uncle Charlie & Aunt Carrie.
- Oct. 7, Saturday Very raw and windy from N.E. Pd bill at Browns. Bought pair of VAC boots at C.E.W. & Co. - \$5.75. Maynard & I went ducking this A.M. - Cubby Hole, Mill Stream, Cat Tail Pond and Mullen Place. Hauled 2 load gravel this P.M. from Thurston beyond Ern Whitmore's driveway. Leak came in radiator so I left off work to get Parker to fix it. Storm broke with new force tonight. Lights gone out at 7:30. Signing off 8:00. Check from state \$43.20. Pd \$24+ to J.O. Brown & Son. Also pd for gaming license. Bought box of shells \$1.15. 2 hrs. 3 yds gravel Thurston unimproved. 2 hrs Maynard.
- Oct. 8, Sunday Rainy breaking away some this P.M. Went to S.S. & church. Ray & I mowed some grass after dinner, then I built a fire in the garage and wrote letters this P.M. Wrote to Shirley W., Skipper, Beulah, Evelyn & Annie. Up to Leon Stone's to supper & then went to church and then for a ride with Pirate, Barbs & Marjorie. Signing off 11:00. Received letter from Annie. Nellie came from hospital this P.M. in Mouette. 51 at S.S. Spend on collection \$.75.
- Oct. 9, Monday Clear & warm. Hauled & spread 8 loads from Thurston's, 4 by Corydon Brown's turn, 3 by Staples and 1 by Thurston's barn. Hauled a little wood from Geo. Beverage's tonight. Had supper at Sal's and spent evening there. Signing off 11:00. 9 hrs. 12 yds Thurston imp. 9 hrs Maynard. Pd Jim \$10.25 for wood to James P.
- Oct. 10, Tuesday Rain this A.M., clearing this P.M. Repaired dog box this A.M. and dragged 3 round trips from Herb Parsons to V.L.B.'s. this P.M. Signing off 9:00. 4 1/2 hrs dragging unimproved.
- Oct. 11, Wednesday Clear & warm. Dragged 3 round trips from H.T.C.'s to mailboxes below Eunice Brown's. Went to harbor to movies with Frank Sampson this evening. Sylvia Sidney in "The Pickup." Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs dragging imp. & unimp.
- Oct. 12, Thursday Clear & warm. S.W. wind. Hauled with Ray's crew from Thurston's to 3rd class road by Sam Nutter. Erma here to supper and then she, Lottie, Hannah & I went to church reception for Leon & Mable. Bought them six water glasses. Signing off 10:15. Sent letter to Mr. Putnam this morning. 8 hrs for Ray on 3rd class road. Already paid for.
- Oct. 13, Friday Clear & warm. Calm. Hauled from Thurston's to Sam Nutter's with Ray's crew. Also hauled 1 load by Maynard Arness' mailbox & 1 by Zimmerman's driveway. Dug potatoes after work that Uncle Will gave me. Picked & dressed coots after supper. Signing off 9:30. 8 hrs on 3rd class for Ray - charge to patrol job. Pd Frank Sampson. State check \$57.60.

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- Oct. 14, Saturday Clear & warm. N.W. breeze. Eddie & I dug ditch on schoolhouse hill & on corner by Eunice Brown's. Hauled & spread 3 loads by E. Brown's corner this P.M. Spent evening at Frank Sampson's Received letters from Annie & Helen. Signing off 9:50. 8 hrs. 4 1/2 yds gravel Thurston unimp. 9 hrs Edward on patrol.
- Oct. 15, Sunday Clear and warm. Went to S.S. & church, then took truck across. Frank Waterman went to Vinalhaven with me. Helen & I went for a ride and then Frank & I came home at 4:15. Went to church this evening. Made out road report & wrote to Annie. Signing off 10:30. 72 at S.S. Pd \$.30 qt. Oil & \$2.00 ferryage.
- Oct. 16, Monday Clear & warm. Bob & I hauled & spread 6 loads from Thurston's, 3 by Eunice Brown's turn, & three before coming to her place. Also cleaned some ditch below I.A. Grant's. Stayed home & read this evening. Harvey, Mercedes, Austin & Phyllis went to harbor to movies tonight. Signing off 10:30. 9 hrs. 9 yds Thurston unimp. 8 hrs Bob.
- Oct. 17, Tuesday Partly cloudy with strong southly wind, raining some tonight. Bob & I hauled & spread 7 loads, 3 beyond L.A. Mills' gate, 3 on school house hill, and 1 below V.L. B.'s barn. Saw Washburn tonight and I'm getting through on patrol job so that I can start on Vinalhaven job Thursday. Went to Young People's Meeting at Mr. Huse's this evening. 8 of us there. Mother bought of C.E.W. & Co. today 2 bhls. flour \$16.50, 200 lbs. sugar - 11.00. Signing off 10:45. 8 hrs. 11 yds Thurston unimp. 9 hrs Bob.
- Oct. 18, Wednesday Clear & warm. Had spare tire carrier put on left running board, bought new Firestone tire, had truck greased & tightened up, and various other things done before taking it across tonight. Hauled load of wood home from Geo.'s this P.M. Harvey helped me. Took over 110 gal. Gas & 108 gal. For Frank. Made out road report & mailed it. Down to selectman's office to register for road job on Vinalhaven. Signing off 8:45. 1 Firestone tire, 110 gal. gas, ___ faucet \$1.25, 8 hrs F.W. with truck, 8 hrs Bob, 10 1/2 yds gravel Thurston.
- Oct. 19, Thursday Clear & warm. Hauled 9 loads of grout from Jameson's quarry to new road. Drove 110 miles or more. Hitting the hay at 8:30. Received letters from Annie & Evelyn Ruth. 10 hrs. Vinalhaven road.
- Oct. 20, Friday Rained this A.M. until 9:00. Ray & I mowed & hauled home a load of grass from Ed. Mills' place. Hauled 5 load grout from Jameson's & east Boston this P.M. Received letters from Beulah & Shirley Walker. Signing off 8:00. 5 hrs Vinalhaven road. 5 gals. gas Creedy \$1.00.
- Oct. 21, Saturday Clear & cool. Hauled 9 loads grout from Jameson's. Left forward tire blew out when I was hauling my 9th load this side of Orcutt's stand. Put on my new spare. Also found my radiator leaking. Came right up to Ferry landing. Had Parker come over and removed it for me. Up to Frank's a few minutes. 10 hrs Vinalhaven road, 7 gals gas Creedy.
- Oct. 22, Sunday Cloudy all day. Parker soldered radiator. Frank repaired my tire and then Parker and I went across and put them on. Didn't get to S.S. or church. Slept most of afternoon. Went to B.Y.P.U. & church. Mr. Huse showed slides tonight. Wrote to Annie & Edna. Signing off 10:30. 71 at S.S.

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- Oct. 23, Monday Rain this A.M., clearing before noon. Hauled 1 load grout this morning. Knocked off and started again after dinner. Spent forenoon at Vinalhaven village. Greg & I played 2 games 50 point. Won one a piece. Bought box of revolver shells. Signing off 9:00. Up to Elmer Carver's this evening. 5 hrs. Vinalhaven job. Received \$2.50 from Art B. on Frazier job.
- Oct. 24, Tuesday Hauled grout, 9 load from Jameson's. Fairly good day until about 4 P.M. Then it started to rain and it sure poured until nearly morning. Elmer Carver down this evening. Went to town meeting. Voted to extend water line over church street & Dole St. Signing off 11:00 10 hrs Vinalhaven job.
- Oct. 25, Wednesday Clear but very raw. Hauled 8 load grout. Blew like fury. W.N.W. when we came home and continued to blow all night. Elmer here after supper & then I went back with him. He showed me some of Pettit's movies. Signing off 9:30. Kendall passed away tonight at 9:00. 10 hrs Vinalhaven job. \$1.00 Creedy for 5 gal. gas, \$.75 Peasley tire repair.
- Oct. 26, Thursday Ground froze hard. About 1/2 inch of ice in water tub. Ray, Jasper & I down to Aunt Lottie's this A.M. & mowed a load of second crop. Also ground scythe. Put handle in one ax and ground 3. Up to see Francis Frye about cutting alders in back of Joe Belmore's. Took Mother up to Dalon's in Lewis' truck this evening. Signing off 10:30. Stopped in to Aunt Kath's to get Mercedes. Check from state \$40.80. \$12.50 for ax. \$.70 for handle. 28° above this morning.
- Oct. 27, Friday Clear & cool. Brought Chev. Home from Vinalhaven this morning. Arthur & I spend remainder of day cutting alders on golf links. Mother & I had supper with Aunt Kath & Sal. Received letter from Annie with three snapshots in it. Signing off 9:30. Shelled out beans for tomorrow after coming home from Aunt Kath's. \$1.00 pd to Art H. ferrying. Bought 14 bunches of second class of O.D. Lermond @ \$3.50 per thousand.
- Oct. 28, Saturday Overcast, raining some this A.M. Hauled a load of loam for Aunt Bernice this A.M. Went to Kendall's funeral this P.M. took crowd to grange and then Marge & I went for a ride. Came back to parsonage and popped corn. Signing off 11:00. Hauled 1 load loam Thurston's to Lester Greenlaw \$1.50. Check from state \$12.80.
- Oct. 29, Sunday Clear and cool. Went to S.S. & church. Up to Art's this P.M. Went to B.Y.P.U. & church tonight. Have written to Annie & Shirley Walker. Signing off 11:00. 79 at S.S.
- Oct. 30, Monday Clear & warm. Duffy helped me shingle the back side of the roof of my garage today. Took us about 7 1/2 hrs. he wouldn't take any pay. Up to Art's a little while this evening. Signing off 10:15.
- Oct. 31, Tuesday Clear & warm. Went with crowd on Kickapoo to Rockland to see N.R.A. parade. Very good parade with some very fine floats. Went to Strand after parade to see Bing Crosby in "To Much Afternoon." [?] Arrived home on Kickapoo at 8:55. Met Joyce Bennett on trip over. Signing off 10:45. Spent \$1.50.
- Nov. 1, Wednesday Clear & cool. O Ray & I went rabbiting this A.M. with Betts & Bonny. Hunted along Mill Stream below Art's. Ray got one with Betts. He & I mowed & hauled a load of hay at Ed Mills farm this P.M. Went to social at Nebo Lodge this evening given by Mrs. Beverage's class. Marge & I went for a walk afterward. Signing off 11:30.

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- Nov. 2, Thursday Clear & warm. Bought 5 cords hard wood of C.E.W. & co. & hauled it home as Bob B. sawed it. Picked one coot & dressed three after supper and then shelled a quart of beans. Signing off 10:00.
- Nov. 3, Friday Overcast, raining some tonight. Hauled two load of gravel for Harry Baird and leveled off Cora Ames' burial lot. Hauled two load of wood for church from Zimmerman's and rest of my cord from Geo.'s this P.M. Prudy, Sal & Austin here to supper. Signing off 9:30. 2 load, 3 yds Thurston to H. Baird \$3.00. Small load 1/2 yds loam Cora Ames 1.00, 2 loads wood church \$0.00. Received letter from Annie. Pd Bob \$47.50 for 5 cd. Wood. Pd Geo. B. 46.00 for 1 cd spruce.
- Nov. 4, Saturday Clear with heavy wind. N.W. Art & I split about 4 cords of wood besides taking Susan Bessie across the ferry. Mr. Holbrook's son-in-law came up after her. I'm boarding her out for the winter. Stayed home and slept on couch this evening. Signing off 10:00. \$1.00 for ferry.
- Nov. 5, Sunday Clear & cold with heavy N.W. wind. 78 at S.S. Stayed to church. Eddie here to dinner. Took Mother up to Nellie's and got old school desk out of my high school annex. Marjorie & Mercedes led public meeting tonight. Deadeye, Bobbie & Clifford reported on the Rockland convention they attended last Monday. Made out patrol helpers bill and have written to Annie. Signing off 11:00. Sending \$2.00 on Literary Digest subscription to get dictionary.
- Nov. 6, Monday Clear and cool. Eastly wind, nearly calm. Worked all of A.M. and until 1:30 jacking up ell on Gus' house. Had dinner with them. Put wood in barn rest of P.M. Lewis came down after supper & he, Chet & I shelled beans in garage. Received letter from Shirley G. Signing off 9:30. 5 hrs for Lloyd Whitmore jacking woodhouse pd \$2.00.
- Nov. 7, Tuesday First snowstorm of season. Started before dinner and snowed nearly all afternoon. Lewis helped me put in wood this forenoon. He and Sal here to dinner. I helped him put in a couple receptacles at W. Sampson's this P.M. Had supper with he & Sal. Shelled some beans this evening. Signing off 9:30.
- Nov. 8, Wednesday Overcast, training some this P.M. Harvey, Father and I finished putting the five cords of wood in the barn this A.M. Thrashed the remainder of our beans this P.M. Squire spent evening with us. Popped corn. Signing off 11:15.
- Nov. 9, Thursday Clear & cool. Helped Ray haul & spread 7 loads from Thurston's - 2 below Pendleton's corner, 1 along L. Foss', 1 by Ben Ames' corner, 1 at each end of beach bridge & 1 by Geo. Young's mailbox. Also put plank in beach bridge. Received letters from Shirley Walker and Rita Beverage. Had supper with Squire. This evening we towed Boss Grant's tractor to barn. Raining & snowing tonight. Received \$52.00 check from Vinalhaven road project. Pd Frank S. on acc't \$52.00.
- Nov. 10, Friday Overcast and very raw. Got breakfast while Squire did chores. Hauled load of rockweed for Father from Iron Point. Hauled load of loam for Aunt Bernice and brought enough home to crown up my maples. Hauled bbl. of oil from freight shed for Frank S. after dinner and then went to garden to get rest of my crop. Carrots & beets. Had supper with Lewis & Sal and spent evening there. Up to Mush's a minute. Received letter from Annie. Signing off 11:30. 1 1/2 yds loam L. Greenlaw \$1.50.

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- Nov. 11, Saturday Very cool this morning with N.W. breeze. Ted and I hauled 9 loads from Thurston's. 8 from Owen Quinn's to Cora Ames' & one along middle road. Mush & I had supper at the Butler's after I hauled his belonging down there. Took Muggins to garage and spent evening at Herb's. Signing off 10:30. Moving Mush's canned goods & vegetables, 8 hrs for Ray with truck on North Shore road \$9.00.
- Nov. 12, Sunday About 3 inches of snow during the night. 81 at S.S. Stayed to church. Had dinner at Aunt Kath's. Mother & I up to Uncle Charlie's late this afternoon. Went to B.Y.P.U. and church. Mr. Huse showed slides. "Dr. Nye." It was very good. Jane & I up to Art's after church. Have written to Annie & Helen Orcutt. Signing off 11:30.
- Nov. 13, Monday Overcast, sprinkling occasionally. Hauled load of wood fro Mush, took bill to Aunt Bernice, and she paid me. Went up to V.L.B.'s with Art and helped dress out 2 cows. We had dinner there. Hauled grain to Herb; called on Aunt Lottie B. had supper at Sal's, called at Nellie's, Aunt Kath's & Mr. Huse's. Lewis helped me block up my truck. Mother & I packed. Signing off 11:30. Trucking wood Mush \$.50, trucking grain Herb \$1.00, \$5.25 from Lester Greenlaw.
- Nov. 14, Tuesday Windy & rainy. Mr. Huse brought me down to boat. Marjorie, Mercedes, Arthur, Father & Mr. Huse there to see me off. Dr. Woodman & Jack Wooster, Tearoffski, Jennie Stone & Rus Crabtree on boat. Joe & I had dinner at Aunt Sarah's. At B.L. Segal's I bought felt hat - \$4.00, 2 pjs \$3.00, 6 handkerchiefs \$.60, garters \$.25 & enough more to make \$8.50. Changed train at Brunswick, and from North to South station at Boston at 7:30 tonight. Took Federal express out at 8:00 P.M. Bought \$5.00 oxfords at Chisholm's. Only sleeping cat naps tonight. \$1.20 boat fare, \$.25 Am. Mag., \$8.50 at B.L. Segal's, \$.25 for ticket & baggage, 45.00 for shoes, \$.25 for lunch, \$.50 for paper and Listerine.
- Nov. 15, Wednesday Clear & cold. Arrived in Washington at 8:30. Ate breakfast at Union Station and then came up to Mrs. Lohr's. Found my room occupied so I have No. 2 room on same floor. Over to Library, saw Mr. Putnam, signed necessary cards, saw the boys in the mailroom, ate lunch at Jimmie's and then came home. Unpacked, took bath, and slept from 3:30 to 6:30. Went to Phi Gamma Kappa banquet and saw Miss Frances, Mother Nock and many of the boys. Have written to Mother. Signing off 12:30. Went over to Smith's with Stockton. \$.35 breakfast, \$.18 lunch, \$.60 for supper banquet.
- Nov. 16, Thursday Clear & cold. Ate breakfast at Mrs. Belt's. worked at library. Over to Mrs. McCall's to supper. Rita had been in but out to supper. Came home at 8:30 and called on Aunt Edie & Virginia. Also saw Jane. Signing off 11:45. Pd Mrs. Lohr \$9.00 for room, \$.50 dinner, pd Mrs. Belt \$5.00 for food, \$.10 car fare, \$1.00 stamps, \$.23 for lunch.
- Nov. 17, Friday Clear & cold. Worked at Library. Bought mixed bouquet of snap dragons, pinks & roses to be sent to Nettie as a birthday present. Ate at Mrs. Belt's tonight. Have written to Annie, Edna & Shirley W. Signing off 9:40. Paid \$1.25 for flowers for Nettie, \$.18 for lunch & \$.29 for shoe shine outfit.
- Nov. 18, Saturday Slightly overcast & cloudy. Worked at library until 1:30. Made out road patrol helpers bills and wrote notes to accompany them. Also made out Walter Joyce's bill to the amount he'd worked for me and O.D. Lermond & son's bill for the 3,500 shingles bought for the garage. Went to Waugh Methodist church to see Geo. W. Cooke dramatize the 23rd Psalm. It was very interesting and instructive. Bast came up to my room a little while after the service. Signing off 11:00. \$.28 for lunch, \$.25 Waugh church collection

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- Nov. 19, Sunday Clear & fairly warm. Attended Phi Gamma & church. Had dinner at Smith's. Attended service at Waugh church this P.M. and B.A.U. and church at Metropolitan tonight. Have written to Mother and Nettie since church. Signing off to take bath at 11:00 P.M. \$1.00 for church services.
- Nov. 20, Monday Clear & warm. Worked at Library. Over to Smith's a few minutes after supper and then down to high school to sign up for English, typewriting and American History. Came back to Phi Gamma business meeting at Metropolitan. Have written to Shirley Grant. Signing off 11:45. Sent money orders home to boys who worked on road and also to others. .39 for 1 doz. Oranges, .15 for ink, .23 for lunch.
- Nov. 21, Tuesday Clear & warm. Worked at Library. Out on special wagon with Butler most of the time. Came home, shaved and met Rita at Woodman & Lothrop's. Exactly a year to a day since I met her there before. We ate at a cafeteria and then to palace to see Marie Dressler & Lionel Barrymore in "Christopher Beam." Very good. Walked home with Rita. Received letters from Annie and Mother. Signing off 11:45. .23 for lunch, .45 for supper, \$.20 car fare, .55 for movie.
- Nov. 22, Wednesday Clear & very warm. Worked at Library. Stockton came for me at supper time. After eating, we called for Nan Fox and went to school Had three classes, Amer. History, English and typewriting. Signing off 10:55. Bought me a new pair of bed slippers. .30 for notebook, \$1.00 for slippers.
- Nov. 23, Thursday Overcast with sprinkles. Worked at Library. Received letter from Sal. Went to school this evening. Have written to Mother and Skipper. Signing off 11:30.
- Nov. 24, Friday Warm but getting cooler tonight. Worked at Library. My dictionary from Funk & Wagnall came tonight. Also a letter from Edna. Went to Waugh church to hear Dr. Cooke this evening. Signing off to take bath at 10:30.
- Nov. 25, Saturday Clear & cool. Worked at library until 1:00 P.M. Bast came up to my room with me from work. Stayed fifteen or twenty minutes. Slept most of the time from 2:30 to 5:00. Went to Waugh church with Aunt Edie MacDonald to hear Dr. Cooke. Walked home with her and stayed until 11:00. Signing off 11:45. Received letter from Nettie. \$.28 for lunch, \$.50 church contribution.
- Nov. 26, Sunday Clear, fairly warm, getting cooler tonight. Had a little rain about 5:00 P.M. Went to S.S. & church at Metropolitan. Had dinner with Bast at his boarding house. Attended service at Waugh Methodist this P.M. Rita came over about 5:30. We had supper at All States Tavern and then attended church at Metropolitan. Have written to Mother and Nettie. Signing off 11:00. Church contribution \$1.20, supper for Rita and self \$.85.
- Nov. 27, Monday Clear and very cool. Worked at library. Called at Capitol Photo Studio this noon and ordered 24 Christmas card photos, 12 3 x 5 and 1 8 x 10. Went to school this evening. Received letter from Mother tonight. Have had diarrhea today - 5 times to date. Signing off 10:45. Loaned Bast \$.50, lunch \$.28.
- Nov. 28, Tuesday Clear and warm. Worked at Library. Took clothes to Laundry after supper. Slept from 6:45 to 9:00 and have just finished writing to Annie. Signing off 10:30 to take bath. Received letters from Nettie and Mother and a receipted bill from O.D. Lermond & Son. Lunch .18, haircut .35.

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- Nov. 29,
Wednesday Clear and warm. Worked at library until 1:00 P.M. Cleaned up and met Rita at Woodward & Lothrop at 3:00 P.M. to do my Christmas shopping. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's and then Rita and Betty played 500 against Mrs. McCall and Tonny. We won two out of six. Signing off 11:30. Pd for photos & greeting cards \$10.50, pd Mrs. Lohr for room and Christmas cards 10.00, pd Mrs. Belt for board 10.00, pd for Christmas presents, supper & taxi 3.84 = \$34.34, lunch .28. Pay day \$40.75.
- Nov. 30, Thursday Thanksgiving Day & I have much to be thankful for. Attended 7:00 Sun Rise Service at Metropolitan this morning. Went to Mt. Vernon on a ride with Stockton and the Haley sisters. Enjoyed it a lot. Stockton had dinner with me at Mrs. Belt's. Frank's dinner on my acc't. Slept from 3:30 to 6:30. Have written to Helen O., Sal, Art B., Funk & Wagnall's Co., & Courier Gazette. Signing off 10:15. Church col. \$.50, Stockton dinner \$.50, Mt. Vernon toll for four \$1.00, Courier Gazette subscription \$2.00.
- Dec. 1, Friday Clear and warm. Worked at library. Talked with Rita after work. Attended church wedding at Waugh Methodist with Mrs. Lohr and young lady next door. Enjoyed the wedding very much. Have studied English since coming home. Received letters from Arthur, Nettie & Annie. Signing off 9:45. \$.28 lunch, \$.45 for talc & lifebuoy soap.
- Dec. 2, Saturday Clear & cooler. Worked at library until 1:00 P.M. Got my photos at Capitol Photo Studio and have worked on my books at P.M. and evening. No letters. Signing off to take bath at 10:15. pd for prescription by Dr. Atkinson 41.50, Pd for Laundry 1.60, Pd for lunch .28.
- Dec. 3, Sunday Overcast, sprinkling some. Attended Sunday School, church, B.A.U. and church. Worked on books at P.M. Read scripture at B.A.U. Stockton ate at Mrs. Belt's this noon. Have written to Beulah before dinner and Mother & Annie since coming from church. Signing off 11:30. Church collections \$1.25, Borrowed \$.25 of Steve Cranston.
- Dec. 4, Mon Clear and fairly warm. Worked at Library. Went to night school tonight. Received my new America History by Muzzey from the Washington News Co. Received letter from Mother. Have written to Edna and Aunt Sarah. Signing off 12:00. \$.28 for lunch, \$1.91 for History book.
- Dec. 5, Tuesday Clear and cool. Worked at library. Have studied English this evening. Signing off 11:35. \$.23 lunch.
- Dec. 6, Wednesday Overcast raining by spells. Worked at library. Attended night school tonight. Received letters from Sal, Aunt Kath, Stella, and announcement from Conn. Mut. Ins. Co. \$62.85 due. Have written to Stella. Signing off to take bath at 10:50.
- Dec. 7, Thursday Clear & cool. Worked at library. Attended school. Received letters from Maynard, Mother, Nellie & Beulah. Signing off 12:00. \$.28 luncheon, \$.35 Vicks Antiseptic, .45 Vicks nose drops.
- Dec. 8, Friday Clear & cool. Worked at library. Went up town at noon on Mr. Croft's pass to have flowers telegraphed to Annie as a birthday gift. Over to Mrs. McCall's to supper and then Rita & I attended a mandolin & guitar concert at Calvery Baptist Church. Received letters from Annie & Mr. Huse. Signing off 12:10. \$.28 lunch, \$2.00 flowers for Annie, .70 tickets to concert, Borrowed \$5.00 of Rita, owe Rita \$.25 for service outfit, owe Mrs. McCall \$.50 dinner.

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- Dec. 9, Saturday Rainy, clearing this P.M. Worked at library until 1:00 P.M. Wrapped Christmas packages this P.M. Spent evening at Aunt Edie's Wrote to Mother this P.M. and Received letter from Edna. Signing off to take bath at 11:45. \$.18 luncheon.
- Dec. 10, Sunday Clear and very cool. Attended S.S., church, B.A.U., and church. Ate at Mrs. Belt's. Down to Burke, Va. with Aunt Edie and Virginia. Drove most of the way going down and all the way coming back. Have written to Annie since church and am signing off at 10:30 to take a bath. \$.55 collections at church.
- Dec. 11, Mon Clear and very cool. Slight snowstorm last night. Worked at Library. Have been to school.. Received letters from Mother and Mercedes. Signing off 11:15. \$.23 lunch, \$.35 toothpaste.
- Dec. 12, Tuesday Clear and cold. Worked at library. Took laundry and single breasted blue coat, vest, and two pairs of pants to the laundry. Am having suit repaired, cleaned, and pressed. Attended annual business meeting of Phi Gamma Kappa tonight. We had apple pie, cheese and coffee for eats. Received letters from Sal, Trey and Annie. Signing off 11:58. Wrote to Sal. .23 lunch.
- Dec. 13, Wednesday Overcast and cold this morning, starting to sleet about noon and keeping it up all the P.M. attended night school. Have written to Nettie since coming home. Very slippery on the streets. Signing off 11:30. \$.24 lunch owe Jim.
- Dec. 14, Thursday Clear and very cool. Most of the ice thawed away today. Worked at Library. Have been to school tonight and written to Arthur since coming home. Signing off to take bath at 10:55. \$.23 lunch owe Jim.
- Dec. 15, Friday Clear and cool. Worked at library. Pay day. Cleaned up after supper and went to Grace Smith's birthday party. Frank S., Nan, Morrill brothers & wife, Stanley & wife, Snead & wife, Grace's brother and several others. Grace had many nice presents and we all had a good time. Met Wilson Bennett from George's, a very pleasant young fellow. Received letters from Annie, Shirley Walker and Mother with a 412.00 check from O Ray. Signing off 12:15. Pay day \$40.75, Mrs. Lohr 9.00, Mrs. Belt 10.00, Jimmie .88, Grace's candy \$.60.
- Dec. 16, Saturday Rained some by spells. Very warm and muggy. Worked at Library until 1:00 P.M. Addressed Christmas photo cards and greeting cards this P.M. Cleaned up and went to Rita's before supper. Went to Y.W.C.A. to see the play, "The Goose Hangs High." Very interesting. We enjoyed it a lot. Signing off 11:55. Pd for cleaning, pressing & repairing blue suit with 2 pr. Pants \$5.00, Laundry 1.66, Lunch, .23, Pd Mrs. McCall, 1.00, Paid Rita 5.00, Ticket .50, Candy & Taxi .40.
- Dec. 17, Sunday Foggy and disagreeable. Went to S.S. and church this A.M. Frank S. had dinner with me at Mrs. Belt's Over to Smith's a little while. Came home and addressed many Christmas cards. Went to B.A.U. and joined it. Went to a church on 9th Upshire N.W. with Howard Able. Glee Club sang out there. Have written to Mother. Signing off 11:00. Paid out today collections 1.00, box of Christmas card 1.00, envelopes .25, lunch .20.
- Dec. 18, Monday Clear and cool. Worked at the library. Have been to school tonight. Have written Annie since coming home. Wrapped most of my Christmas packages at the Library and mailed them. Received Evelyn Ruth's address from Mother tonight and also Christmas cards from Allston Roberts and Lloyd W. Signing off 11:10 to take bath. Lunch .23 owe Jim. \$1.46 for postage stamps.

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- Dec. 19, Tuesday Clear & cool, warming up and raining tonight. Worked at library. Washed up and walked over to Rita's to supper. Got Annie's present, 3 pr. of silk stockings in a nice little box with three drawers, and came back home. Changed clothes and attended business meeting of B.A.U. Stockton and I took Bertha and Elizabeth home. Have wrapped Annie's package and made a list of the cards I'm sending since coming home. Signing off 12:45. Supper at Mrs. McCall's \$.50, Annie present 2.85, Ticket .50. Lunch owe Jim .23.
- Dec. 20, Wednesday Rained nearly all day. Worked at Library. Sent out postcards to day. With what I mail tomorrow morning will make over 60. Have been to school tonight. Took exam in History. Wrapped a couple photos and addressed a few more Christmas cards since coming home. Received cards from Owen Grant & wife, Shirley Walker, Ivaloo, Sam & Hiram, and a letter from Nettie. Signing off 11:53. Pd Jimmie \$.70, stamps .15.
- Dec. 21, Thursday Clear and cool. Worked at library. Wrapped and sent photos to Aunt Frances, and Uncle Walter & Aunt Hulga. Took laundry & brown suit to Stanton cleaners. Have been to school. Received B- on History test I took last night. School gave two little plays after 8:00 P.M. Signing off at 11:00. Had hair cut this noon. Received letter from Mother and Christmas cards from Shirley & Harvey, Julia B., Carle T., Ella F., Cutler & Grace, Frank Stockton, Erma G., Herb & Ruth, and Miss Frances. Owe Jim lunch - .19, owe Kirksey - .50, Drew \$10.00 on next pay.
- Dec. 22, Friday Clear and cool. Worked at Library. Washed up and went over to Rita's after work. Ate supper there and then Mrs. McCall, Betty, Rita & I played 500. Received cards from V.L.B., Rita, Howard Abel, Uncle Frank & Aunt May B., Austin, Lena D and Dot Beverage. Also letters from Annie and Skipper and card from Aunt Lottie with writing on it. Signing off 12:00 to take bath. Wrote to Mother at library this A.M. Bought a box of writing paper and compact to take to Nettie as a gift. Pd Kirksey \$.50, smokes - .13, cleaning shirt \$1.00, owe Rita for Nettie's present \$1.00, owe Jim for lunch .23
- Dec. 23, Saturday Clear & cool. Worked at Library until 1:00 P.M. Called on Mac a minute with Bast. Cleaned up, packed and boarded 3:00 P.M. train for Sparks. Arrived at station at 5:50 and walked over. Found folks all well. Signing off 11:35. Nettie made the Christmas cake this evening and had very poor luck with it as it stuck in the pans and fell all to pieces. Christmas cards from Marjorie H., Helen O., Barbara S., & unknown. Ticket - \$2.40, pd Jimmie - .95, Colliers \$.05, Loaned Mahoney \$.25.
- Dec. 24, Sunday Clear and warm. Attended Nettie's home church. Then she, Joe, Jr. and I drove over to call on their Uncle Charles. Got home before dark and had a fine supper. Listened to a broadcast from a monastery in Germany. Spent evening chatting and fooling. Signing off 12:15. \$.30 church.
- Dec. 25, Monday Christmas. Very nice day. Didn't get up in time to attend candle light service. Romaine and her sister called this A.M. Romaine was rather attractive with short bobbed hair, pretty teeth, etc. Had a peachy Christmas dinner. Boarded 7:23 train at Sparks for home. Arrived at 10:00. Have opened my packages and surely had some nice ones. A blue silk tie from Frank & Orilla, a beautiful brown silk scarf from Edna, box of fudge and brown tie from Art & Ann, three initialed handkerchiefs and brown tie from Flo, a black and chromium cigarette container & ash tray from Nettie, and a beautiful photograph from Annie. It's a perfect likeness of her. Signing off 11:15 to take bath. I've had a very Happy Christmas and I thank God for it.

Tonny Calderwood's 1933 Diary

- Dec. 26, Tuesday We all went to work an hour earlier this morning as there was so much mail to open. Bast came to my room with me when we came home to see my presents. I surely have been treated swell this Christmas. Have written Mother & Annie. Bought box of candy for Mrs. Belt and sisters. Signing off 10:10. Received packages from home containing laundry bag from Mercedes, box of fudge and nuts from Father and Mother, necktie rack from Arthur, tan shirt from Nellie & Harry, writing paper, scratch pad and necktie clasp & pin from Prudy & Sal, pr. of socks, a box of fudge from Dunk & family, box of writing paper from Stella and a handkerchief from Mrs. Belt. Cards from _____, Carrie Paige, Marj & Dot, Arlene, Chester Jones, and letters from Edna w & Frank W. \$.23 for lunch, \$.50 for candy.
- Dec. 27, Wednesday Clear & cold. 13° above this morning. Worked at library. Had supper at Mrs. McCall's and then Rita & I went to Hippodrome to see "Walls of Gold" in which Sally Eiders played. Quite good. Received cards from Bion Jr., Mother, Al Allen and Muggins. Also letter from Mother. Signing off to take bath at 12:00. Didn't take bath. Owe Jim - .18, New Year's cards & stamps .35, Owe Rita supper - .50, movie .25, Taxi \$.40.
- Dec. 28, Thursday Clear and cold. Worked at library. Received cards from Marion Burgess and Carrie Paige, and letter from Annie. Have written and addressed 12 New Year cards, and written letters to Flo and Nettie. Signing off to take bath at 10:00. Owe Jim .18, 1 box Ivory .10, ice cream .20.
- Dec. 29, Friday Clear and cold - 8° above. Worked at Library. Brought laundry from cleaners tonight. Shampooed my hair as soon as supper. Mrs. Paige and Flora called on me this evening. Have written to Mr. Anderson, Aunt Kath & Edna. Signing off 10:30. Pay day 30.75. Paid Jim \$.64, Stamps .45, Vicks Antiseptic .35, Witch's shampoo. 75, laundry 1.16, Mrs. Lohr 9.00, Mrs. Belt 10.00. Enclosed check to Mr. Anderson of \$12.60 from Ray B. Card from Evelyn Ruth.
- Dec. 30, Saturday Clear and cold. 11° above this morning. Wasn't supposed to go to work this morning so didn't hurry about getting up, but Mr. Putnam sent word he wanted to see me so called at the library about 9:30. He invited me out to lunch tomorrow. Worked on my books all day. Ate lunch at Mrs. Belt's. Over to Rita's to supper and then we spent evening at Ann & Eggy's playing bridge. Received letter from Lottie and New Year greetings from Mr. Huse. Also a beauty of a fruit cake from Jean Stanley. Signing off 12:10. Pd Mrs. McCall dinner .50, cigarettes .15, taxi .40.
- Dec. 31, Sunday Attended S.S. & church. Out to Mr. Putnam's to luncheon. Enjoyed it very much. Met their hired girl, Marion Qualey from Aroostook County, Me. We went for a walk toward Lincoln Memorial, stopped at the Y.W.C.A. home and had tea and then called on Rita. Walked home with Marion and then took taxi back to here. Attend B.A.U., church and watch service. It is now 31 minutes past midnight. I wish one and all a Happy New Year.

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