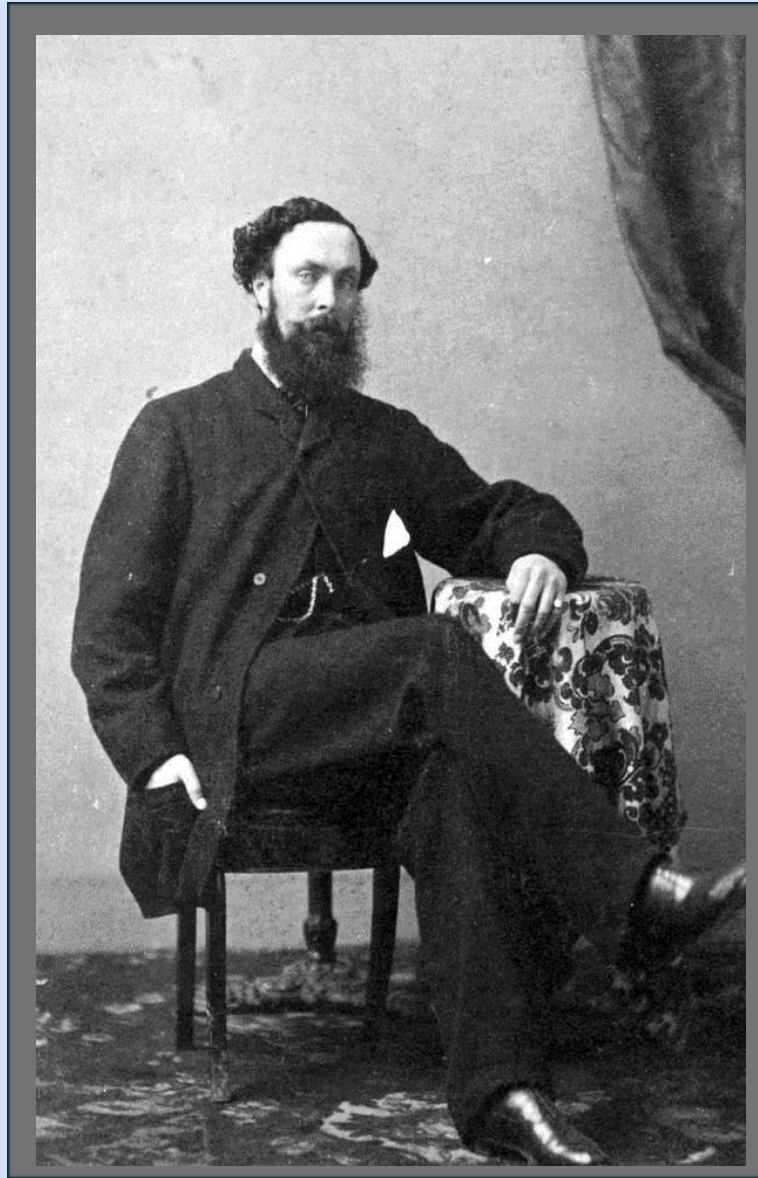


# DIARIES OF PETER O'REILLY

## 1858 – 1905



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1876

# DIARY TRANSCRIPTION

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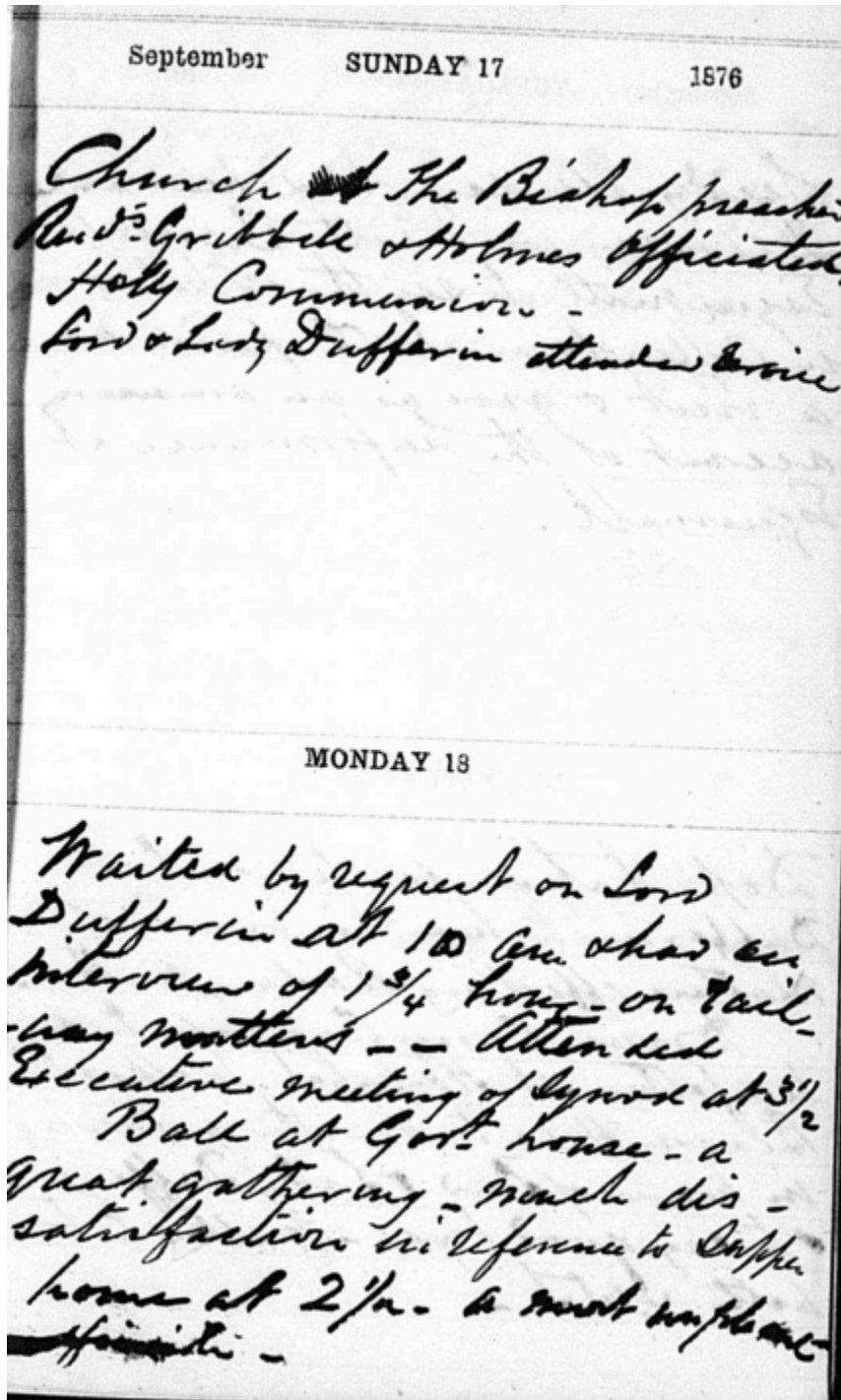
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Peter O'Reilly meets with Governor General Lord Dufferin in Victoria and discusses railway matters.  
September 18, 1876



## DIARY SUMMARY

### JANUARY

The O'Reilly children see Professor Herrmann the "Wizzard" at the Theatre Royal – Peter O'Reilly consults with architect John Teague regarding repair and alteration to Point Ellice – Walkem government defeated on a vote of no-confidence – stones brought in to use for the house alteration.

### FEBRUARY

John Teague consults again about "raising the house" – Peter holds court at New Westminster and tours the "old Govt house grounds a painful sight to see the trees fences gardens &c in dilapidation cattle & horses running at large".

### MARCH

Peter O'Reilly continues to deposit money with the Loan Investment Society – attends executive meetings of church synod and raises money for the synod and diocesan fund – holds court at New Westminster.

### APRIL

Court at Yale, Lytton, and Kamloops – serious illness of Carry's mother Charlotte Trutch and her recovery, "Very favourable report of the Old Lady..." – Peter pays off and discharges servant Ah Bat – purchase of the cow "Lady Tick".

### MAY

Peter discusses with Joseph Trutch the recovery of Charlotte Trutch after he leaves office and Government House – holds assize and county courts at New Westminster, Yale, Lytton, with Judge Begbie participating.

### JUNE

Court at New Westminster – Carry Hare intends to move to Sandwich Islands (Hawaii) – as a church trustee Peter signs marriage settlement of Bishop Hills and Mrs Hills.

### JULY

Peter coordinates auction for the Hares – inquires for Capt Richard Hare's assignments as commander of HMS *Myrmidon* - Carry Hare departs Victoria – Peter attends synod conference of clergy and laity – arranges with Tom Ellis the sale of interest in Penticton property for \$7500 – visits Joseph Trutch in office at Government House one last time – court at New Westminster – Albert Norton Richards sworn in as Lieutenant Governor replacing Trutch.

### AUGUST

Water pipes laid from the street to the O'Reilly and Drake homes – court at Lytton, Ashcroft, Kamloops – Peter meets with new Lieutenant Governor.

### SEPTEMBER

Lord Dufferin, Governor General of Canada, and Lady Dufferin visit Victoria – Peter meets with Lord Dufferin for 1¼ hours and discusses building a railroad in western Canada.

### OCTOBER

Improvements made to the croquet ground – auction at the Trutch estate "Fairfield" – Peter's usual court circuit yields little business and he returns home when he learns of the serious condition of his daughter Mary ("Pop").

### NOVEMBER

Deaths of Mary O'Reilly and Caroline's mother Charlotte one day apart – few diary entries are made for this month.

### DECEMBER

A Wellingtonia or giant sequoia tree is planted in the garden – court at New Westminster - Mrs Ward "dangerously ill" and the Ward children are taken to stay at the O'Reilly home.

## REFERENCES & COMMENTS

1876-01-02

### **Arthur William Jones**

(1851-1934)

Hudson's Bay Company bookkeeper, real estate and insurance agent, military district paymaster, ordnance officer, referred to as "Captain" or "Colonel".

1876-01-08

### **Theatre Royal – "Professor Herrmann"**

The O'Reilly children are taken to a performance by Professor Herrmann at the Theatre Royal in Victoria.



**Image:** *Daily British Colonist*, January 8, 1876

1876-01-15

### **John Teague**

(1833-1902)

Architect of Victoria's most significant civic, ecclesiastical, and residential buildings in the 1870s and 1880s.

1876-02-16

### **"Jack"**

(1873-1946)

Nickname for Arthur John O'Reilly.

1876-05-13

### **Jane (Branks) Powell**

(1845-1928)

Married Israel Wood Powell (1836-1915) in 1865. Founded the Ladies' Musical Club and Alexandra Club.

1876-06-08

### **Sarah Jane (Palmer) Pearse**

(1853-1954)

Second wife of Benjamin William Pearse (1832-1902).

1876-07-13

### **Albert Norton Richards**

(1821-1897)

Lawyer, politician, second Lieutenant Governor of BC (1876-81).

1876-08-03

### **Elizabeth (Eilbeck) Turner**

(1835-1918)

Married John Herbert Turner (1834-1923) in 1860.

1876-08-24

### **Frederick Temple Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood / Lord Dufferin**

(1826-1902)

1st Marquess of Dufferin and Ava, third Governor General of Canada (1872-78), advocate of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

1876-08-24

### **Hariot Georgina Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood / Lady Dufferin**

(1843-1936)

Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, wife of Lord Dufferin, writer and health care advocate.

1876-09-19

**Esquimalt Graving Dock**

Construction of a dry dock and repair facility for naval vessels (1875-87) was carried out under the terms of Confederation for British Columbia with Canada. A coffer dam was first built in the water to create an enclosure which could be pumped dry to build the dock. Now designated a National Historic Civil Engineering Site.

1876-11-06

**comment**

Death of Mary Augusta O'Reilly from spinal meningitis at age 6 on the birthday of her grandmother Charlotte Hannah Trutch.

1876-11-07

**comment**

Death of Charlotte Hannah Trutch at age 77.

1876-11-10

**comment**

Double funeral of Mary O'Reilly and Charlotte Trutch held at Christ Church Cathedral, interment at Ross Bay Cemetery, Victoria.

1876-12-20

**Alice Lydia Ward**

(1866-1938)

First daughter of William C & Lydia Ward. Married Mortimer Percy George Douglas Drummond (1860-1936), date unknown.

1876-12-20

**Mary Eleanor "Nelly" Ward**

(c. 1870-1959)

Second daughter of William C & Lydia Ward. Married William Edgar Oliver (1867-1920) in 1896 in Victoria.

1876-12-31

**Charlotte Kathleen O'Reilly**

(1867-1945)

Kathleen's 9<sup>th</sup> birthday.



**Image:** Miss Charlotte Kathleen O'Reilly (BC Archives C-03871, no date)

## DIARY – 1876

### JANUARY

**1876-01-01**  
**SATURDAY**

Slight fall of snow during the night which disappeared entirely by ten o'clock.

Drove with Pooley & called on Sir Jas Douglas, Helmcken, Mrs Bushby Mrs Elliott, Carry Hare, Mrs Brodie, Govt House, Mrs Ward, Mrs Crease Mrs Charles & Mrs Drake

**1876-01-02 \***  
**SUNDAY**

Clear bright day.  
Church at St Johns – Revd Gribble officiated.  
Dewdney & wife officiated spent the day & dined. Begbie, Vowell & Arthur Jones called

**1876-01-03**  
**MONDAY**

Fine day, Dewdney & wife left for Ottawa. Charles & wife for San Francisco. The Str Panama sailed from Esquimalt at 1- P.M. Drove in to bid the travellers good bye. Lunched at Govt house, Called on Zoe – enquired for Mrs Grey at the Charles, the Bishops, & Mrs Davey

**1876-01-04**  
**TUESDAY**

The finest day we have had for the past two months.  
Drove Carry to call on Mrs Raymour, to enquire for Mrs Grey to Zoes & Govt house. Gave Begbie a lift in the pony carriage to town.  
Baker commenced to work a[t] manure in field

**1876-01-05**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Fine morning, but soon commenced to rain in torrents

Remained at home.  
Baker worked ½ day?

**1876-01-06**  
**THURSDAY**

Very fine day, walked to town with Frank, had his hair cut paid some bills. Called to enquire for the Creases & Mrs Grey. Begbie, Matthews, Layton & Vernon dined with us. Baker worked the day.

**1876-01-07**  
**FRIDAY**

Lovely day, slight frost during the night.  
Drove Took a walk with Carry to Pemberton's folly to see Baker at work getting out stones. Drove to Capt Clarks office & paid his coal acct.  
Carry drove Mrs Lethbridge to Govt house.  
Baker worked the day

**1876-01-08 \***  
**SATURDAY**

Two shoes, front, on Archie  
Hard frost cold raw day.  
Drove the children & Carry to town to hear Herrman, the Wizzard, then to Govt house to present our offering on the 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the marriage of J.W.T. & wife.  
Baker worked.

**1876-01-09**  
**SUNDAY**

Bright clear day, cold N. Easter. Church at St Johns The Bishop officiated. Vowell & Willie dined.  
Church at 7- P.M. St Johns The Dean officiated.

**1876-01-10**  
**MONDAY**

Bright clear cold day.  
Mrs Green took her departure

paid her in full 1- month & 1- day,  
\$26.00  
The House of Assembly opened  
by J.W.T. at 2½ P.M.

**1876-01-11**  
**TUESDAY**

Mrs Green recommenced work as  
Cook. J.W.T. lunched.  
Took Carry, Frank & Puss to J.W.T.'s  
box at the Theatre to see Herrman  
the Wizzard  
Archie very lame  
Baker & Steel worked ½ day  
each.

**1876-01-12**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Fine day. Archie lame  
Walked to town – paid some  
bills & deposited \$200- to T.E.'s  
acct. Cashed cheque from  
Lowenberg at Garesche's bank  
for \$110-

**1876-01-13**  
**THURSDAY**

Attended Executive Meeting of Synod 3½ P.M.  
Attended meeting of Gas directors  
Paid \$350 to Ward on acct of  
T.E. & renewed his note for \$510.25  
for 4- months, due 15<sup>th</sup> May.  
Archie no better  
Cornwall dined with us, intended to  
have gone to the opera, but the troop  
did not arrive in time.  
Baker & Steel worked

**1876-01-14**  
**FRIDAY**

Raining slightly.  
Archie not quite so lame.  
Carry & self took Mrs Ward & Mrs  
Johnston & Carry Hare to the opera,  
a failure, drove them home in  
Francis carriage.  
Baker & Steel worked

**1876-01-15 \***  
**SATURDAY**

Walked to town saw McCreight  
Had a fight with in re C. Court business

Had an interview with Mr Teague  
architect, in reference to repair &  
alteration of house.  
Went to Opera! with Carry  
sat in J.W.T. box. Rained heavily all  
the night.  
Baker & Steel worked – paid them  
off in full Baker \$23- Steel \$10- \$33-00

**1876-01-16**  
**SUNDAY**

Fine morning. – Church at  
St Johns – Revd Gribbell officiated  
Vowel dined with us &  
staid till 5. P.M.

**1876-01-17**  
**MONDAY**

Lovely day. Booth's big dog killed  
our hens.  
Drove Carry to town, attended  
Meetings of the Gas Co. & Loan Society  
Called at Govt house, Zoe – Carry Hare  
Mrs Jackson.

**1876-01-18**  
**TUESDAY**

Cold frosty morning.  
Left for Westminster in Str Otter.  
Very smooth passage  
arrived at 4½  
Elwyn & Ker dined with me

**1876-01-19**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Held County Court at Westminster  
10- A.M. 23 cases – Did not  
finish till 5½- PM  
Dined with Jemmet at Mrs  
Morey's.  
Received invitation to  
Hyack Ball at Drill shed  
did not go.  
Slight fall of snow, hard frost.

**1876-01-20**  
**THURSDAY**

Hard frost.  
Held County Court at 11- O.C.  
In Insolvency – Chinese  
petition in reference to owner-  
-ship of goods seized at Burrard I.

sat till 9¼ - adjourned till 11- O.C.  
tomorrow.

**1876-01-21**

**FRIDAY**

Frost. Finished the business  
in the C. Court at 3 P.M.  
Called on Mrs Lowe.  
Str Otter arrived at 4- Recd  
letters from Carry & Ward.  
Elwyn & Jemmit dined with me

**1876-01-22**

**SATURDAY**

Left in Otter at 7- AM – a  
quantity of thin ice in River  
Bright clear day cold day,  
smooth passage, arrived  
at Victoria at 3 P.M.  
Walked home – all well  
J.W.T. walked over to chat.

**1876-01-23**

**SUNDAY**

Took Puss & Frank to  
Church at Cathedral  
The Dean & the Bishop  
officiated, Mr Basket  
ordained Deacon.  
Sir Mathew took an early  
dinner with us

**1876-01-24**

**MONDAY**

X Two hind shoes on Archie  
In town Had long chat with  
Ward.  
John paid us a visit, drove  
him to town & Carry to Govt house  
to see her Mother.

**1876-01-25**

**TUESDAY**

Lovely day, everyone out  
Skating. Puss & Frank walked  
to Fairfield to skate, drove  
Carry to call on Mrs Jackson  
out – Carry Hare do – drove  
the children home.  
The Walkem Govt defeated  
on a want of confidence [*illegible*]  
in reference to finance.

**1876-01-26**

**WEDNESDAY**

Thawing. Walked to town  
everyone talking politics, & the  
possibilities of Elliotts reelection  
in case he is called in to form a  
Govt. – Carry & I ~~walked to~~  
dined at Matthews to meet the  
Rhodes, Jackson Sir Matthew  
the Stahlschmidts.

**1876-01-27**

**THURSDAY**

Cold raw day, [*deletion*] snowing  
Drove Puss to Govt house to breakfast  
– drove Carry Hare over to spend  
the day with us, & home again  
in the evening.  
The Lady Lampson arrived from  
England – [*left blank*] days.

**1876-01-28**

**FRIDAY**

Thawing. John paid us a visit  
walked to town with him.  
The Walkem Ministry announced  
that they had resigned, & that  
Elliott had been called on to form  
a ministry.  
Paid into the Bank \$265- Viz  
Fr Reid Quesnelle \$65- Cemetery B, \$100-  
Loan fund interest \$100-  
Bebbies dog "Rock" arrived

**1876-01-29**

**SATURDAY**

Rained incessantly – remained  
at home.

**1876-01-30**

**SUNDAY**

Heavy rain during the night  
& morning. Took Frank & Puss  
to Church at St Johns – Mr Basket  
read the service, the Bishop  
preached.  
Sir Matthew paid us a visit  
Church in the evening Carry Frank & self St Johns  
Mr Basket read the service Revd  
Gribbell preached.

**1876-01-31**

**MONDAY**

10½ - O.C

Baker & [*left blank*] commenced

to haul stones fr. house from

Pembertons folly

Fanny Saunders came as childrens  
& house maid at \$20- pr month

Carry & self dined at Brodies

to meet Sir Matthew, the Rhodes

Jacksons, Good & Capt Pearse – drove

in Pony Carriage wet night – slight

fall of snow.

## FEBRUARY

**1876-02-01**

**TUESDAY**

Blowing a gale fr S.W. In

town for a couple of hours.

Left Check for \$500- with

Thomson to be invested in the Loan

Investment Society

Dined at Rhodes. Sir M. B. B.

the Jacksons, Brodies, Miss Morgan

Hamley, Carry Hare, A. R. Green Dr Matthews

**1876-02-02**

**WEDNESDAY**

Drove Carry & Pop to call on

Mrs Jackson at Mrs Wards, Johnstons,

- then to Zoe's, Govt house where we

remained a couple of hours.

Called to enquire for Mrs Grey.

**1876-02-03**

**THURSDAY**

Rained heavily all the day

Carry intended to have gone in to

say good bye to the Jacksons who

sailed for England in the Str

City of Panama.

In town for an hour.

Drove John out in Bowmans

Carriage. John Vowell & Mara

dined with us.

**1876-02-04**

**FRIDAY**

Cold raw day. Drove Carry

to town called on Mrs Ash, &

on Mrs Walkem. Met the Bishop

who lent us an umbrella, drove

home in a downpour of rain.

**1876-02-05**

**SATURDAY**

Fine day the first we have

had for weeks. Worked about

home during the forenoon.

Drove Carry & the children to

see the old lady – did not get

Paid home till 6½ beautiful

moonlight night

**1876-02-06**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day – St Johns at 11- AM

Revd Gribbel, & Mr Basket Newton officiated

Walked with Puss & Frank to

enquire for Pooley who has

been unwell.

Sir M Begbie called

Carry accompanied me to

St Johns at 7- Revd Gribbel read

the service Mrs Newton preached

a most extraordinary sermon

**1876-02-07**

**MONDAY**

Snowing heavily all day.

Mara called. Walked to town

& gave Mara a parcel for Tait

containing 4 napkin rings.

Left with Robertson – the documents

connected with Corbiniere mortgage.

**1876-02-08**

**TUESDAY**

Wrote to McKay.

Blowing a gale nearly all

the day, - & raining heavily

Mrs Green insolent to

Carry – which prevented

our asking J.W.T. & Julia

to dinner on Franks birth

day.

Drove to Govt house

to see Mother.

**1876-02-09**

**WEDNESDAY**

Franks tenth birth day.

Took him to town for a walk. Paid a number of bills.  
John & Mrs Lethbridge dined with us.

**1876-02-10**  
**THURSDAY**

Miserable day rained heavily. Carry & children were to have lunched with Mrs Johnston but could not venture out.  
Attended meeting of Executive Committee, Synod. Corbiniere's mortgage paid off with interest to date \$1281.25.

**1876-02-11**  
**FRIDAY**

X Settled with Ah Sim to 4<sup>th</sup> Feby – due him \$45- Paid him of the above \$20-  
X Mrs Green left – paid her in full by Cheque \$25-  
J.W.T. Julia, & Carry Hare called.

**1876-02-12**  
**SATURDAY**

Ah Bat commenced as cook wages \$25.00 per month.  
Another very wet day.

**1876-02-13**  
**SUNDAY**

Rained heavily – the most incessant wet day we have had.  
Took Frank & Puss to Church at St Johns. The Bishop read the lessons. Revd Basket read the prayers & preached.

**1876-02-14**  
**MONDAY**

Valentines day. The children recd a number of Valentines.  
Drove Carry & Frank to call on Mrs Brodie, Mrs Johnston & to Govt house. –

**1876-02-15**  
**TUESDAY**

Lovely day. Drove Carry to town, then to Fairfield & brought Carry Hare over to lunch after Wards Called on Mrs Rhodes Mrs Fellows, Mrs Crease

**1876-02-16 \***  
**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely morning. Carry drove me down to Pooleys, where I remained an hour & half – shot a grouse on the way home. Commenced to rain at noon & continued all the evening. Carry spent the day at Govt house with Pop & Jack.  
Intended to take the children to the Christ Church Sunday school fete, but could not owing to the heavy rain.

**1876-02-17**  
**THURSDAY**

Beautiful day.  
Nomination for City Election Elliott proposed by Spratt seconded by Balls. Duck proposed by Wm Wilson seconded by Turner.  
Paid some bills.  
Drove John & Frank to Esquimalt, called on the Rocket, & Dr Coates.

**1876-02-18**  
**FRIDAY**

Rained heavily all the forenoon. Walked to town, tried to induce Mable & Katie Charles to accompany Capt & Mrs Gaudin to dine with us. – Vowell also dined.  
Mrs Janion confined of a daughter.

**1876-02-19**  
**SATURDAY**

Very bad head ache remained house all the forenoon. Walked with Sir Mathew to Pooleys – Carry drove to Fairfield to enquire for the young Admiral.

**1876-02-20**

**SUNDAY**

Bad head ache. Rained Heavily. Church at St Johns at 11- AM. Dean Gilson preached & read the lessons. Revd Gribble read the service – Holy Communion Very wet evening.

**1876-02-21**

**MONDAY**

Drove to Govt house to see J.W.T. & brought John over to breakfast. Mr Teague came over at 11- O.C. [*deletion*] to consult again about raising the house  
City Election – Duck & Elliott Candidates  
Elliott majority  
Great rejoicing – Foundry blew whistle till 11 P.M.

**1876-02-22**

**TUESDAY**

Left in “Otter” fr. Westminster at 7- Smooth passage arrived at ¼ 4 P.M. an unusually good run. Finlaison, Cudlip, Edmonds, M Wolf, passengers.  
Elwyn & Finlaison dined with me at the Colonial. Paid the Lowes a short visit.  
Engaged a room & slept at Mrs Keary’s, the Colonial partially pulled down.

**1876-02-23**

**WEDNESDAY**

County Court Westminster Got through the business at 12½. – Called at the Clutes, Mrs Fisher, Mrs Tait, & the Arch Deacon. Dined at Lowes Miss Woods & Capt Jemmett also.

**1876-02-24**

**THURSDAY**

Took a walk with Lowe to look for some snipe, but did not see one. Came on to rain got back at noon. Arch Deacon called.  
Dined at the Arch Deacon’s

Jemmett, & Capt Weeks also.

**1876-02-25**

**FRIDAY**

Walked with Jemmett to the Camp went over the Penitentiary & Lunatic asylum, & strolled through the old Govt house grounds a painful sight to see the trees fences gardens &c in dilapidation cattle & horses running at large. Enterprise arrived at 3 P.M. F. Vernon arrived. Vernon Lowe & Jemmett dined with me at Mrs Keary’s.  
[*overwritten text*]  
Assisted Vernon to engage a canoe to take him to Yale

**1876-02-26**

**SATURDAY**

Slight frost – beautiful day. Left in the Enterprise for Vic. at 7- AM – smooth passage arrived at 2 P.M. found Carry Frank & Mabel Charles waiting on the Wharf. J.W.T. & Julia called to consult about the house, but Teague did not come according to promise.

**1876-02-27**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day. Drove Carry & the children to Church – Cathedral. Dean Gilson preached his farewell sermon. Vowell dined with us, Layton called, took a walk with the children

**1876-02-28**

**MONDAY**

Lovely morning. The finest day of the season. Expected Vowell to breakfast at 7- & waited till 8½. Drove to Whites, put up the buggy & shot 2½ brace – Viz 1½ br grouse & 1 br Quail. Prince behaved infamously – home at 4 P.M., very seedy.  
Str City of Panama arrived at 8 PM

Charles & wife returned fr Frisco

**1876-02-29**

**TUESDAY**

Rained incessantly all the day.  
Took some medicine & remained  
at home till evening. Drove  
to town. Met Mrs Johnston took  
her home, & went on to Govt house.  
The Spanish fowl arrived  
1 cock & two hens.

## MARCH

**1876-03-01**

**WEDNESDAY**

Ash Wednesday

\$1250- to be paid to Gas Co [*illegible*]  
\$50- per share on 25- C. shares  
Carry & self attended Church at  
the Cathedral – Dean Gilson  
officiated.  
Gave Thomson a cheque for the  
above amt. Drew cheque as  
Attorney fr. H. P. Walker for \$50- for like  
Purposes. Recd fr Thomson certificates  
of stock in Loan Society for \$2500-

**1876-03-02**

**THURSDAY**

Raine heavily – remained at  
home.

**1876-03-03**

**FRIDAY**

Fine day. Walked to town  
John Adair & J.T. lunched  
with us.  
Rained heavily during the evening

**1876-03-04**

**SATURDAY**

Fine day. Walked to town  
Dean Gilson & Nathan left  
for England pr City of Panama.  
Charles lunched with us.  
J.W.T. & Vowell called.  
Paid Charles \$45-25- for  
commissions at Frisco.  
Drove Carry to call on Mrs  
Charles, Mrs Janion, & to see her

Mother.

**1876-03-05**

**SUNDAY**

Church at St Johns. Revd  
Gribbell officiated.  
Blowing a strong gale the  
whole day.  
Vowell dined with us. Sir  
Matthew paid us a visit.

**1876-03-06**

**MONDAY**

A most unpleasant day  
rain & wind. – Vowell announced  
that he had secured the box at Theatre  
Drove to town called on Mrs Wilson  
Then to Govt house to arrange about  
going to the Theatre. Called at Fairfield  
& heard fr Carry Hare of Arthur Pinders  
disgraceful doings.  
Went to Theatre to hear Vivian. J.W.T.  
Julia, Carry, Frank Puss [*deletion*] Vowell  
Very wet night.

**1876-03-07**

**TUESDAY**

Willy Pinders 25- birth day

Stormy unpleasant day. Drove  
to Fairfield for Carry Hare who  
spent the day with us – took her  
home at 9½ P.M.

**1876-03-08**

**WEDNESDAY**

3 inches of snow on the ground  
bitter cold day. –  
Drove Carry to Fairfield then  
called on Zoe – found John ill, after-  
wards to Govt house.

**1876-03-09**

**THURSDAY**

Hard frost, ground covered with  
snow. Willy Pinder paid us a  
visit & remained to lunch, J.W.T.  
also called. Walked to town  
Met Carry walking to town  
with the Wards who had been to  
Point Ellice.  
Wrote to White

**1876-03-10**

**FRIDAY**

Drove with Carry to town  
Recd \$100 fr. Heisterman  
the amt of Barlows order  
Attended executive meeting  
of Synod.

Carry Hare spent the day  
& slept at Point Ellice.

Mrs Charles, & Dr Coates called.

**1876-03-11**

**SATURDAY**

Wild stormy day. Drove  
Carry to town to execute  
commissions for Mr Ellis, took  
Carry Hare home.

**1876-03-12**

**SUNDAY**

Cold raw day.

Drove to Church at the  
Cathedral. The Bishop read the  
service, Mr Mason preached.

Rained heavily all the  
evening.

**1876-03-13**

**MONDAY**

Snow disappearing slowly  
Cold raw day – rained heavily  
Mr Dawson called in reference  
to getting collections for the Centennial  
lent him specemin of virgin silver  
from Peace river.

Saw Elliott in town - sent

Telegram to Dewdney in re Vowell

**1876-03-14**

**TUESDAY**

Vowell came to breakfast  
& helped to prune the apple trees  
Winter Drove Carry Hare to  
spend the day & sleep.

Winter arrived with a pr of Pea  
fowl a present fr J.W.T. – who  
arrived himself at the same  
time.

Dealy arrived with the Pony  
for Frank.

**1876-03-15**

**WEDNESDAY**

Cold raw stormy day, raining  
all the morning.

Drove Carry & Carry Hare to Govt  
house & deposited the latter  
at Fairfield.

**1876-03-16**

**THURSDAY**

Archie shod

County Court Victoria at  
[*left blank*]

**1876-03-17**

**FRIDAY**

St Patricks day

3 Inches of snow on the  
ground. Snowing & sleeting all  
the day, one of the most unpleasant  
of the season.

Wrote to H. P. Walker.

**1876-03-18**

**SATURDAY**

Fine morning. Drove Carry  
to town. Posted my letters to  
Walker & Dewdney.

Left my Jany & Feby C. C. accts  
with Graham \$ [*left blank*]

Drove to Govt house to see the  
Old Lady. Brought Alice Ward  
to spend a couple of days

The Elliotts, & the Wards & J.W.T. & Mrs  
called

**1876-03-19**

**SUNDAY**

Rained incessantly all the  
day, the country a sea of water.

Remained at home

Set Hen Spanish eggs.

**1876-03-20**

**MONDAY**

Raining heavily nearly all  
the day.

Set Hen.

**1876-03-21**

**TUESDAY**

The finest day of the season

Clear bright and warm.  
Remained at home gardening  
till 1½ P.M.  
Paid \$300 into Saving Bank  
& \$524-50 into B. B. C. for Capt Hare.  
Went with Robertson to solicit  
subscriptions to the Synod and  
Diocesan fund – met with but little  
support. – Charles & wife & McCreight  
dined with us.

**1876-03-22**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rained heavily till noon.  
Chinaman worked in garden  
half the day.  
Crease & wife lunched with  
us, & spent the day – drove them  
home at 7½ P.M.

**1876-03-23**

**THURSDAY**

Fine day Vowell breakfasted  
& afterwards helped to prune the  
trees in the garden.  
Carry The Bishop called in  
reference to the debts of J. B. Good.  
Carry drove him to town & went  
on to see her Mother. Houghton  
called, also J.W.T. & McCreight

**1876-03-24**

**FRIDAY**

Bright clear day. Drove to  
town alone, called on Elliott, &  
Sir Matthew – took a walk with the  
latter to inspect the land he is about  
to purchase.  
Borrowed small saddle and  
Portmanteau from Charles.  
Carre Hare & Arthur Pinder paid us a  
visit – the former remained the night.  
Mrs Johnston & Mrs Brodie called

**1876-03-25**

**SATURDAY**

A most wretched day – snowing  
& blowing half a gale – bitterly cold.  
Drove Carry to Govt house to see  
the old lady – left Carry Hare at  
Fairfield. Frank accompanied  
us on the pony.

**1876-03-26**

**SUNDAY**

Rained heavily in the  
Morning. Walked to St Johns  
with Carry Puss & Frank  
Revd J B Good officiated.  
Vowell & Arthur Jones called,  
also Sir Matthew.

**1876-03-27**

**MONDAY**

Rained incessantly one  
of the wettest days of the  
season.  
Drove into town – Recd from  
Graham \$485- C C expenses  
for Feb & March.  
Deposited with Thompson  
\$500- for Investment society.  
Called on Mrs Wilson – executed  
a number of commissions.

**1876-03-28**

**TUESDAY**

Raining heavily. Carry drove  
me to town. Left in Enterprise  
at 7- AM Tolerably smooth  
passage – heavy tide against  
us, did not arrive till ¼ 4- P.M.  
Pearse came up to N. W.  
very seedy, bad cold & headache.  
Mara & Landvoigt called.  
Rained heavily all the day.  
Took up my quarters at Mrs Kearys

**1876-03-29**

**WEDNESDAY**

County Court N. W. at 10 A.M.  
Clear bright day, but cold and  
Stormy. Called to see Lowe who  
had been very unwell – found him  
very poorly. – Returned to my  
room & remained in all the evening.  
My cold & headache no better.

**1876-03-30**

**THURSDAY**

A lovely day mild & warm  
Consented in a weak moment  
to sit with Armstrong and  
Hollbrook to hear a police  
case – which lasted till 6½ P.M.

My cold slightly better but still very heavy.

**1876-03-31**

**FRIDAY**

Cold raw day – North wind  
Called to see Lowe – Mrs Fisher, out, & the Archdeacon.  
Enterprise arrived ¼ 4 P.M.  
Recd No 1- with enclosures from Frank & Puss, - also one fr Mara Jemmett & Capt Lewis dined.  
Wrote No 2-

## APRIL

**1876-04-01**

**SATURDAY**

Rained heavily all night  
Paid Lowe a visit, took a walk with Jemmett. The new Str Reliance arrived from Victoria at at noon  
Dined with Jemmett.  
Left in Str Reliance at 7 P.M. her first trip. Tied up at the mission at 11½ P.M.

**1876-04-02**

**SUNDAY**

Started at 5¼ AM – something wrong with the machinery making very slow time. Chilweyuck at 8- - Harrison R. 9-  
Hope 5 P.M. called to see Mrs Glennie. Reached Yale at 8-. Put up at Harvey's.

**1876-04-03**

**MONDAY**

C. Court Yale at 9 AM  
In Court till 1½. Started in buggy with Harvey at 2 P.M. reached Boston Bar at 7-  
The worst meal I have ever eaten at Boston B.

**1876-04-04**

**TUESDAY**

Fine day left Boston bar at

8½- - road rough for the buggy in places, & a good deal of snow particularly at Boothroyds flat about 2 feet  
Arrived at Lytton at 3 P.M.  
Walked with McIntosh & Harvey to see the new bridge which is to be finished by 1<sup>st</sup> June

**1876-04-05**

**WEDNESDAY**

County Court Lytton – no business  
Fine day road rough heavy slides from the hills – reached the Ferry at noon – Kearsy in charge for W. Nelson who has bought out the horse for Joe Black. – Met the stage 3 miles beyond Ferry – changed horses – Harvey returned. Reached Ashcroft at 7- found the Cornwalls well [*overwritten text*]  
Met N. Hares with band of Cattle en route to Victoria

**1876-04-06**

**THURSDAY**

Seedy – prowled about the place with H. Cornwall – vegetation very backward never saw the the country look so bare.  
Arthur Martley, who arrived last evening accompanied us in our rambles.

**1876-04-07**

**FRIDAY**

Left for Savona at 10- cold raw day. Martley rode to Cache Cr. look for some stray Cattle.  
Had one of the roans shod at Cache Cr Arrived at the Ferry at 6- P.M. Got the buggy ferried over the river in Survey boat.

**1876-04-08**

**SATURDAY**

Fine morning. Swam the horses over the river, & nearly lost one owing to the intense coldness of the water. (A great shame to have neither Bridge or Ferry at this point.)

Met about 15 Lillooet Indians  
on route to Kamloops to work on  
the Survey C. P. R.  
Arrived at Kamloops at 5 PM

**1876-04-09**

**SUNDAY**

Fine warm day wrote some  
letters in Court room. To Chas.  
Vernon, Ellis, Pop & No 6-  
Paid Wilson a visit & found him  
suffering fr imperfect visage.  
About 6 P.M. the wind to the  
North, very cold.

**1876-04-10**

**MONDAY**

County Court Kamloops 10. A.M.  
3 cases which I disposed of  
& started at 12 ½- = Three inches  
of snow fell in the morning –  
difficult travelling horses [bulling]  
heavily, – reached the Ferry at  
6- & stabled the horses on south  
bank of river. A crowd in Urens  
Mr McCully, McFadden Mrs Kearsy  
Frank Young & 4 others.

**1876-04-11**

**TUESDAY**

Swam the horses – bitterly cold  
Started at 6 – Cache Cr – 10-  
a few minutes after the stage had  
left for Clinton – Ashcroft 11½.  
Recd letter No 2- with very bad  
news about the old lady – who is  
dangerously ill.

**1876-04-12**

**WEDNESDAY**

Started fr Lytton at 6- Changed  
horses at 89- mile house. Ferry at  
11- when I lunched. Met W Nelson  
& brother, & Jas Black. – Reached Lytton  
at 5- Clapperton dined with me.  
Recd Telegram fr Carry to hasten  
Down. Old Lady disposed of.

**1876-04-13**

**THURSDAY**

C. Court Lytton. Business all  
settled before Court sat.

Gave McFadden a seat in  
my buggy to Yale.  
Reached B. Bar at noon  
& Yale at 7- P.M.  
Recd letters fr. Carry Begbie  
& others, also telegram fr J.W.T.  
Old Lady no better.

**1876-04-14**

**FRIDAY**

Good Friday  
Left in St Reliance for Westminster  
at 5- Insley Capt. A crowd on  
board & very poor accomodation  
on board. Mrs & Mr Dunlevey Mrs [*illegible*]  
&c &c.  
Reached N. W. at ¼ 5-  
Recd letters & telegram – no better news  
Dined with Jemmett, afterwards  
went to Church with him.  
Called to see the Lowes. Steve Tingley  
en route with 3- studs.

**1876-04-15**

**SATURDAY**

County Court Yale, no business  
Reliance left for Yale at  
4. P.M. – Slept on board Enterprise –  
smooth passage - arrived at  
2 P.M. John, Puss & Frank met  
me. Went to Govt house – found Carry  
looking used up – the old lady better, but  
Doctors give no hope. Winter brought  
pony Carriage to Govt house, went  
home at 7½ P.M.

[*overwritten text*]

Arranged with  
[Hosner] to postpone  
business at  
C. Court for Tuesday  
till next Court

**1876-04-16**

Easter **SUNDAY**

Cold raw day. Drove to town  
we all went to the Cathedral, the  
Bishop preached – Mr Baskett read  
the service – Holy Communion.  
Very favourable report of the  
Old Lady fr Govt house.  
Drove Carry to govt house at  
5- PM – got home at 10-

**1876-04-17**

**MONDAY**

Cold day in town executed a number of Commissions Drove to Govt house & remained about 3 hours. Old Lady much improved – to the surprise of all

**1876-04-18**

**TUESDAY**

County Court New Westminster – postponed.  
In town on business.  
Called to see Sir Matthew at Supreme Court – out.  
~~McKay d~~  
Worked in the garden.

**1876-04-19**

**WEDNESDAY**

In town on business  
Drove with Carry to Govt house – Old Lady improving rapidly  
Pd Brodie fr parcel of under clothing brought out by M. T. Johnston also paid the duty in all \$15.25.

**1876-04-20**

**THURSDAY**

Drove Carry to town – went across the Bay to see Sir Matthew.  
McKay dined – went to Concert at Philharmonic Hall in aid of the funds of St Johns choir.

**1876-04-21**

**FRIDAY**

Remained at home worked in the garden.  
Dines at Creases. Carry spent the evening at Govt house did not get home till 12- OC

**1876-04-22**

**SATURDAY**

In town – with Carry Puss & Frank. – Mara lunched – just as we were about to sit down, - Carry Hare arrived with the Old Lady much to our surprise.

**1876-04-23**

**SUNDAY**

Dark overcast day. Carry & the children went to Church at St Johns. I remained at home McKay & Vowell paid us a visit the latter dined.  
Begbie called  
Went with Carry to St Johns at 7- P.M. Revd Gribbell officiated

**1876-04-24**

**MONDAY**

Cloudy day. Mail Str Dacota arrived fr Frisco. Cornwall Roscoe Bunster & Houghton returned in her.  
Remained at home & worked in the garden.  
Carry drove to town in the Evening.

**1876-04-25**

**TUESDAY**

Worked in the garden  
Cornwall called – drove him to Govt house & then to Fairfield to see Webster, who is very ill.

**1876-04-26**

**WEDNESDAY**

Cold raw day – drove with Carry to town. Met Cornwall & had a walk round the town with him, lunched with Cornwall & Roscoe at Metropolitan.  
Carry drove Mrs Charles to Govt house to see the old Lady  
Paid Ah Bat in full to date 14 days - \$11.62. & discharged him.

**1876-04-27**

**THURSDAY**

“Pahn”, - Chinaman commenced to work as Cook @ \$25- pr month.  
Went to town to see Cornwall but was unsuccessful.

**1876-04-28**

**FRIDAY**

Archie shod

Paid Ah Sim wages \$50- leaving

\$15 due to him on 4<sup>th</sup> May next.

Drove with Carry to Mrs Heals & agreed to buy a cow from her for \$42-50-

Rained slightly – got home at 7½ - Met Begbie who had left his dog for me to keep fr. him.

**1876-04-29**

**SATURDAY**

Rained heavily during the night. – The cow “Lady Tick” – arrived – paid the boy \$40- leaving \$2.50 due.

Drove with Carry to see Webster then to Govt house. John returned fr. town with us. J.W.T. arrived & had a long chat – in re. the Old Lady & how she is to be provided for after he leaves Govt house – Augst next.

**1876-04-30**

**SUNDAY**

Church St Johns – Revd Gribbell officiated

## MAY

**1876-05-01**

**MONDAY**

Carry drove her Mother out for a drive & brought her to lunch with us.

**1876-05-02**

**TUESDAY**

The Mail Str City of Panama arrived at Esquimalt at 7- PM. The Dewdneys, McDonald, Thompson &c returned fr Ottawa.

**1876-05-03**

**WEDNESDAY**

“Lady Tick – cow – calved” –

The Dewdneys came to stay with Us.

Rode to Mrs Heals to look for cow

**1876-05-04**

**THURSDAY**

Walked to town. Lunched with Carry [*deletion*] at Creases – to meet J.W.T. & Mrs T. Ward & wife, & Dr Coates & wife invited but did not come.

Attended Church meeting at Collegiate School – very poorly attended.

**1876-05-05**

**FRIDAY**

Drove to Fairfield & assisted to move Webster to the Hospital Mrs Heal brought back the cow & calf – Lady Tick. Mrs Rhodes & Sophie called

**1876-05-06**

**SATURDAY**

Remained at home  
Worked in the garden

**1876-05-07**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day Church at St Johns Revd Gribbell officiated Mrs Dewdney accompanied us Dewdney remained at home. Vowell dined with us Begbie called, walked with him to Finlaysons on his way to Rhodes

**1876-05-08**

**MONDAY**

Lovely day – very warm. Drove to town, paid some bills Called on Mr Cambie – out. Carry drove Mrs Dewdney home Robt Ward & Mara dined with us. Saw Jones B. B. C. in re Sanders note due on 12<sup>th</sup> inst arranged for renewal of ½ .

**1876-05-09**

**TUESDAY**

Drove the Dewdneys to the Str at 7- they left for Hope. Drove with Carry to call on Mrs McTavish, Mrs Brodie

took a turn round Beacon Hill  
& saw the old cow. Paid the Old  
Lady a visit, also to Zoe, & Webster.  
Wrote to J.W.T. in re the recovery  
the Old Lady, after he leaves Govt house.

**1876-05-10**

**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely day. Drove Carry to  
call on Mrs Coates, & Mrs Pooley.  
Put up the Croquet hoops for  
the first time this season.  
John paid us a visit.

**1876-05-11**

**THURSDAY**

Worked in the garden till  
Noon. Drove with Carry to  
town – she went on to see her  
Mother. Attended Synod meeting  
no quorum. Walked with Ward  
to his house, then to see Webster  
and to Jays garden where I  
invested in a dozen plants Viz  
Verbenas, Geraniums & Fuchsia

**1876-05-12**

**FRIDAY**

Cold day wind & rain.  
Walked into town – settled my  
C. C. accts with Graham & drew \$372  
Walked with Ward to the  
Foundary, then home. Arthur Pinder  
dined & spent the evening with us  
for a wonder.

**1876-05-13 \***

**SATURDAY**

High wind all the day  
Cricket match on Beacon Hill  
Married v Single.  
Drove Carry to town. Called on  
Mrs McDonald, Mrs Powell out, Mrs  
Crease, & at Govt House. The Old Lady  
wonderfully well. J.W.T. & wife out.

**1876-05-14**

**SUNDAY**

Cold cloudy day.  
Drove Carry, Pop Frank & Puss to  
Church – returned with the Carriage &  
walked myself. Revd Gribbell

officiated.

Walked about the place with  
Carry & the children  
Rained heavily in the evening

**1876-05-15**

**MONDAY**

T. E.'s note for \$510- 25 due B. B. C.  
Raining heavily nearly all the day.  
Bitterly cold. Drove to town to  
borrow Portmanteau from Charles.  
Saw Brodie in re T. E.'s cattle, which  
[deletion] are to be delivered 15<sup>th</sup> July  
Had a chat with Cambie & John T.  
J.W.T. paid us a short visit.  
Pd Pahn \$30- - being \$5 in advance of  
his wages due 27<sup>th</sup> May.

**1876-05-16**

**TUESDAY**

Left Victoria in Enterprise at  
7- A.M. Str Cariboo Fly left at the  
same time, but we soon gave her  
the go by. – A crowd on board, Sir M B B,  
Pooley, Robertson Mrs Bushby & Mrs Davis,  
Davey, [Barnard]  
& about 40 others. Smooth passage  
arrived at 3½. – Took up my  
quarters at the Colonial.  
Cold raw day.  
Lowe very seedy.

**1876-05-17**

**WEDNESDAY**

Cold day slight rain.  
Court of Assize sat at 11-  
Remained in Court most of the  
day. – Called twice to  
enquire for Lowe.  
Spent a couple of hours  
at [left blank]

**1876-05-18**

**THURSDAY**

County Court at 10 AM.  
18- cases entered, mostly un-  
-defended judgment one case [illegible words]  
[summonses]  
Sir Matthew sat with me.  
Called to enquire for Lowe – better  
also on the Archdeacon. Took a  
long walk

**1876-05-19**

**FRIDAY**

Supreme Court sat  
Called to see Lowe. Drove  
with Pooley & Robertson to  
the Coquitlam bridge & fished  
for a couple of hours. I killed  
9- nice trout – Robertson 2-  
Enterprise arrived at 3- - The S Party  
C. P. R. S. – Willy Pinder among them  
Recd No 1-. ~~Dined~~ Begbie Pooley &  
self dined at Colonial. Wrote No 2-

**1876-05-20**

**SATURDAY**

Enterprise left at 6- Raymer  
went down in her.  
Left in “Royal City” at 7- A.M.  
a crowd on aboard, Begbie Pooley Davey  
& wife Robertson, & the survey party  
fine day – tied up at 9- PM 4 miles  
below Hope.  
Begbie drew up papers for  
Andrea Lorenzetto.

**1876-05-21**

**SUNDAY**

Started at day light. Hope at  
6¾- - left parcel of Holly hocks for  
Mrs Dewdney. Took a walk with  
Begbie, Landvoigts garden looking  
beautiful the Lilac’s perfection  
Landed a large quantity of lumber on  
bank of river at Creek below Hills bar.  
Arrived at 12 – dined at Tuttles  
with Begbie &c. Willy left in  
stage at 1- P.M.

**1876-05-22**

**MONDAY**

County Court Yale – no business  
Assize Court opened at 11-  
one case – Wilson charged with  
murder of an Indian Woman – no bill  
Wrote No 3- and one to Pop.  
Drove with Robertson to try a horse  
he intended to purchase.  
Begbie Pooley Robertson & the Harvey’s  
dined with me. Afterwards adjourned  
to Harveys B. as of old “rude”.  
Very hot day Thermometer 90 in shade

**1876-05-23**

**TUESDAY**

Another very hot day Therm [*left blank*]  
Royal City left at ¼ 3- A.M. Robertson  
& Mrs Davey returned in her.  
Pooley & Evans left in waggon – Begbie  
on horse back. I started in Buggy  
alone at 12½ noon, overtook Sir  
M. B. at bridge gladly availed himself of  
my offer of a seat in Buggy.  
Arrived at Boston Bar at 6 P.M.

**1876-05-24**

**WEDNESDAY**

Left Boston B. at 6- AM took  
Davie in my buggy, The Judge &  
party followed on horseback & waggon  
I arrived at 12½ noon, having  
changed horses at Kanacker Bar  
The Judge did not arrive till 5½  
Tremendous storm of wind, slight  
rain.  
Played Whist Pooley & Davie  
v Self & judge – won \$1-25.

**1876-05-25**

**THURSDAY**

County Court at Lytton, no business  
Court of Assize at 11- a motly  
Grand Jury – addressed by B. as “men  
of substance & position” &c &c.  
No Criminal business – one  
Civil suit – A. McWha v McWha and  
McCormick. Walked down to  
see new bridge with B. which has  
all the appearance of having  
settled some 10 or 12 inches.  
Played Whist won 25 cts

**1876-05-26**

**FRIDAY**

Sir M. B. took a seat in my buggy  
Changed horses at Necaomeen – lunched  
at Ferry - reached Ashcroft at 5- PM  
dined at the lower house, spent the  
evening with the Cornwalls.  
Unpleasant day – wind followed  
us the entire way, very dusty.

**1876-05-27**

**SATURDAY**

Pooley Davie & Evans arrived at

1- P.M. lunched & dined with  
the Cornwalls.  
Great delight of the ladies  
at arrival of two perambulators

**1876-05-28**

**SUNDAY**

Sir M. B. drove with me to Savona  
Ferry where we arrived at 2 P.M.  
Pooley, Davie &c a little later.  
Saw Chas Seymour at  
Cache Cr. having left Dupont at  
Osooyoos Lake.

**1876-05-29**

**MONDAY**

Left horses buggy & waggon at  
Ferry & left in small steamer for  
Kamloops at 9- where we  
arrived at 3 P.M. I put up at  
Taits – the rest of party at Hotel.  
Barnard busy preparing his  
party & pack train for a start.

**1876-05-30**

**TUESDAY**

County Court at Kamloops  
No business.  
Court of Assize – no criminal  
business. Grand Jury presented Harper  
as a nussence for fencing trail on  
north side of South River.  
Small Str. Left at 5 A.M. for  
Savona F.  
Cold raw day. Wrote to T. E.  
Pooley bought a chestnut horse for  
Jas [deletion] Todd for \$200 –

**1876-05-31**

**WEDNESDAY**

Small Str returned fr Savona F  
at 6- with Barnard & a number of  
survey party.  
Left in Str. at 10- & arrived at  
Ferry at 3- P.M. to my disgust found  
the spring of buggy broken by Barnard  
who had driven it to Cache Cr.  
Started at 4- with Davey in buggy  
Telegraphed to Steve at Cache Cr.  
Cornwalls at 9- spent a couple of hours at  
the upper house.

**JUNE**

**1876-06-01**

**THURSDAY**

C. F. Cornwall breakfasted at lower house  
at ¼ 6- Started at ¼ 7- lovely day  
reached Spence Bridge at 11- remained  
till 1-. Met Stage at 64 miles with  
John Trutch & party – stopped ½ hour to  
Chat. No letter fr home, reached  
Lytton at 6 ¾. Met G. Byrnes  
on route to Cariboo.

**1876-06-02**

**FRIDAY**

Started at 4½ - lovely day – Boston  
Bar – 11½. Changed horses, had a  
talk with Black – arrived at 6½  
at Yale. – No letter what can it  
mean? – Put up at Harveys.  
Rained heavily during the  
night

**1876-06-03**

**SATURDAY**

Lovely day – strolled down  
town. Harvey very busy – spent a  
lovely day, read a number of old  
newspapers.

**1876-06-04**

**SUNDAY**

Str. Royal City arrived at  
8- A.M. Roper came up in her  
Recd No 4- also one fr J.W.T.  
asking me to have weighing machine  
sent down to Sprat.

**1876-06-05**

**MONDAY**

Lovely day. Left in Royal  
City for N. W. at 9- AM stopped  
at Hope for a few minutes, saw  
Mrs Glennie & Dewdney.  
Miss Florence Agassiz came  
on board at Cheam, & at Sumaas  
the Methodist Camp party.  
Arrived at N. W. at 3- P.M.  
Dodd dined with me at Colonial  
Fire in town which was quickly  
extinguished by the Fire Company

**1876-06-06**

**TUESDAY**

County Court New Westminster at 10. A.M. only 3 adjourned cases. Paid the Archdeacon a Visit Enterprise arrived at 3½. Frank came up, he dined with me at Lowe's.

**1876-06-07**

**WEDNESDAY**

Left in Enterprise at 7- lovely Day. Capt Raymer & Mr & Mrs Lowe passengers Arrived at 1½ Carry & Pop met me on the Wharf.

**1876-06-08 \***

**THURSDAY**

Rained slightly nearly all the day. – Drove to town to see Vernon in re Capt Jemmett Pearse married to Miss Palmer Called to see Zoe, also at Govt House. – Lowe & wife & Landvoigt dined with us.

**1876-06-09**

**FRIDAY**

Drove to Luxfords before breakfast for Coliflower - & Brussel sprout plants Remained at home all the day. – Slight rain.

**1876-06-10**

**SATURDAY**

Walked to town – had a chat with Elliott at the Office, also with Hamley. – Paid Bills for Harvey. Took Carry & the children for a pull up the Arm in the boat

**1876-06-11**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day. Church at St Johns Revd Jenns officiated. Vernon paid us a visit. Strolled about the place with the children.

**1876-06-12**

**MONDAY**

Lovely day – very warm. Charles & wife – Mabel & Katie Stewart & Layton – played Croquet & dined with us.

**1876-06-13**

**TUESDAY**

Lovely day. Took the children up the Arm, joined the Wards and Johnstons & took tea with them. Mrs Ward returned with us & played Croquet. Drove her home at 9- P.M.

**1876-06-14**

**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely day. Drove Carry in pony Carriage. Called on Mrs Jenns, Mrs Rhodes Mrs Crease Mrs Ward Mrs Johnston Zoe & at Govt House.

**1876-06-15**

**THURSDAY**

Archie shod

Very hot day. ~~The Wards the Johnstons, the Thomsons, the Drakes played Croquet, & dined with us – J.W.T.~~

Drove to Govt house for the Old Lady who spent the day with us. Attended Synod executive meeting at Vestry Cathedral – The "Rocket" returned with J.W.T. on board – "Nellie" – J.W.T.'s pointer – broke her leg.

**1876-06-16**

**FRIDAY**

Another roasting hot day. The Wards, Johnstons Thomsons, & Drakes played Croquet with and dined with us – J.W.T. paid us a visit. McDole & Bugner came to work at Boat house but left again

**1876-06-17**

**SATURDAY**

Forester pic nic.

McDole & Begner worked  
Took Carry our children, & three  
Drake girls in boat up the  
Arm dined & came back early.  
Gave Frank a lesson swimming  
Carry Hare called & informed us of  
her intended departure for the Sandwich  
Islands, & asked my assistance with  
regard to her auction.

**1876-06-18**

**SUNDAY**

Hot Sultry day. Walked  
with Carry & the children to St  
Johns. Revd Jenns officiated  
Dr Coates called to say  
that Carry Hare would not come  
to dine with us as agreed on yesterday

**1876-06-19**

**MONDAY**

Drove Carry to Maple bank  
to talk with Carry Hare about  
her Auction – remained to dinner  
& played Croquet.  
Wrote to Homer to postpone  
C. C. at Westminster to  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July.

**1876-06-20**

**TUESDAY**

Drove Carry to Govt house to  
see her Mother, Zoe – shopped in  
town.

**1876-06-21**

**WEDNESDAY**

Carry Hare arrived at 11½ - she  
drove her Aunt to town – returned  
dined & spent the evening – played  
Croquet. Frank & I escorted her home  
Left a note for Mrs Dr Coates.

**1876-06-22**

**THURSDAY**

Carry drove me to town.  
paid some bills for Carry  
Hare. – Ordered Wheat, Bran  
fr Leneveu, Port Wine, H.B.C. Brandy  
fr Brodie, sherry fr Stuart. Paid  
Stuart acct in full \$58.00

**1876-06-23**

**FRIDAY**

Commenced to rain at 7- and  
continued all day. Our guests to  
lunch & Croquet except Mr & Mrs Jenns  
did not arrive – Viz J.W.T. & wife  
Crease & Wife Dr Coates & wife &  
McCreight.

**1876-06-24**

**SATURDAY**

Lovely day, the whole family  
packed into the pony Carriage &  
went to Mapel bank – spent the  
day – packed a couple of cases  
for her & played Croquet.  
The Brodies & Mabel Charles  
arrived on horseback.

**1876-06-25**

**SUNDAY**

Lovely morning. Church at  
St Johns – Revd Jenns officiated  
Carry Hare & Susan Crease  
dined & spent the evening  
with us, slight rain.

**1876-06-26**

**MONDAY**

Very fine day. Drove to town to  
enquire as to sale of  
Capt Hares carriages &c.  
Lunched with Carry & Carry Hare  
at the Metropolitan.  
Called with Carry at Mrs  
Stahlschmidt – Govt House

**1876-06-27**

**TUESDAY**

Up at 4- A.M. Lovely day. Mowed the  
hay in lot – Got Bugner to finish it  
Jay budded some roses for me  
Signed as Trustee the  
Marriage settlement of the Bishop  
and Mrs Hills.  
Paid McDowell in full fr labour  
of himself & Bugner 6½ days each @ \$3.75  
\$48-75. – also \$5- to pay Hauling lumber  
Blacksmith, & Hinges

**1876-06-28**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-06-29**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-06-30**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

## JULY

**1876-07-01**  
**SATURDAY**  
T. E.'s note to B. B. C. due \$523-75.  
[overwritten text]  
Paid

**1876-07-02**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-03**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-04**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-05**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Sam Chinese Cook commenced  
to work at \$25- pr month.

**1876-07-06**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-07**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-08**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-07-09**  
**SUNDAY**  
Drove Carry Hare & Puss to Esquimalt Church  
Revd Blundel officiated. Went on board  
the Amathist to speak to Capt [left blank]  
in re the movements of Capt Hare & Mirmydon  
Called on Innis. Drove to Mapel bank  
& brought home the lamp &c bought at  
the Auction. R. Ward & Miss King called  
Church at St Johns in the evening Revd Jenns

**1876-07-10**  
**MONDAY**  
Very busy day attended Gas meetng &  
recd divs Viz Capt Hare \$135- H. P. Walker  
\$101-25 – Self \$317-25- - which I paid into the  
Bank.  
Had a conversation with J.W.T. in re  
settlement of rent &c &c of Fairfield between  
himself & Capt Hare. Recd statement  
of auction sale, Capt Hare's, from Davis  
compared same with [illegible].

**1876-07-11**  
**TUESDAY**  
Arranged with Ward that Mrs Hare can draw  
her money by Cheque at Frisco – paid into  
Bank the net amt of sale Viz & [left blank]  
paid up all Mrs Hares accts including \$260  
to J.W.T. in full for rent, damage to furniture  
breakages &c &c – also \$160.00 to Munroe rent  
of Mapel bank &c &c.  
We Drove Carry to Esquimalt & saw  
her off at ¼ 9 – Diggle was a passenger

**1876-07-12**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
In town – Gave cheque to J. P.  
Davis for amt of auction Bills Viz

Thomsons bill. Phaeton	\$190.00
Leech's “	31.75
OR “	<u>28.50</u>
S	\$250.25
Less Flowers taken by J.P. Davis	<u>2.00</u>
	248.25

**1876-07-13 \***  
**THURSDAY**  
The Synod sat & commenced  
business at 2½-. After a very  
hearty service in the Cathedral, the  
Bishop of Origon preached (R Revd

Dr Morris) there were also present  
4- of his Clergy – Holy Communion  
Attended Conference of Clergy  
& Laity at the Bishops 7½- P.M.  
J.W.T. was officially notified that  
he would be relieved from office on 20<sup>th</sup> inst  
Mr Richards to be Lieut Governor.

**1876-07-14**

**FRIDAY**

Sat up with T. E. till 3- AM &  
after arranged with him to sell  
interest in Penticton for \$ [*deletion*]  
\$7500- besides \$1150 secured by  
note, the former sum to bear interest  
at 8- pr cent per annum & to be secured  
by a Mortgage = T. E. left in Enterprise  
at 7-. Synod at 10½.  
Coral Service at Cathedral ¼ 8-  
Very hearty and well attended. Sermon by  
Revd Plummer of Portland.

**1876-07-15**

**SATURDAY**

Rained slightly all day. Drove  
to Mapel Bank at 9- to take away the  
remainder of my iktas purchased at auction  
Synod at 11- - which closed its  
proceedings at 5¾ - having first  
presented an address to J.W.T.  
The Wards, the Masons, Drakes  
& Bulkeley dined with us.

**1876-07-16**

**SUNDAY**

Gloomy day slight rain.  
Church at the Cathedral – Dr Morris  
preached – a very good attendance.  
Carry took the children afternoon service  
at 3 P.M. Attended evening service  
at 7- when Dr Morris again preached

**1876-07-17**

**MONDAY**

Drove with Carry & Frank  
to town, then to Govt house  
to say good bye – perhaps  
the last time I shall see  
JWT. in the Castle.  
Dined with Begbie at the  
Metropolitan to meet the  
officers of the French ship

Capt Chatfield &c – Home  
at 12- OC.

**1876-07-18**

**TUESDAY**

Up at 5. Left with Frank in Enterprise  
for Westminster – Str aground could  
not get off till 8 AM smooth  
passage. Raymer on board  
Capt Lewis dined with me  
at the Colonial.  
Mrs Lowe confined of a son  
poor Lowe very ill.

**1876-07-19**

**WEDNESDAY**

County Court New Westminster  
Finished at 4½  
Called to enquire for Lowe, no  
better. Revd Pollard held  
a open air service on Columbia  
St. Had a chat with Tait  
turned in at 10½.

**1876-07-20**

**THURSDAY**

Went to Burrard Inlet  
at 9- - very kindly recd & put  
up by Raymur. Frank  
enjoyed himself at the Mill  
& fishing. Took a walk  
with Raymur to Gas town  
paid Red Derrick a visit.

**1876-07-21**

**FRIDAY**

Fine day very warm.  
Left Raymers at 1. P.M. stopped  
at Moodys Mill about 20 minutes  
Took Frank on board the “Pacific Slope”  
a very fine new ship she takes 10000  
feet of lumber to Sydney - Capt Harrington  
Arrived at N. W. at 5- Recd No 1-  
Wrote to C. F. C. enclosing 2<sup>nd</sup> exchange  
to Col Kingscote & to H. P. C. with C. C. forms &c.  
Saw Lowe for a few minutes – poor fellow  
very seedy.

**1876-07-22**

**SATURDAY**

Left in Enterprise at 7- arrived  
at Vic at 1¾- PM. very good trip.

Frank lost his hat over board.  
Carry met me with Pony Carriage  
Drove to Govt house, had  
a chat with J.W.T.

**1876-07-23**

**SUNDAY**

Drove to Esquimalt to Church  
Revd Blundell officiated – spoke  
to Dr Coates in regard to Lowe coming  
down to be treated also to Pooley  
about providing accommodations for  
him. Received the Peacock  
after an absence of a fortnight

**1876-07-24**

**MONDAY**

X Houghton note due – To be left  
at Bank a few days before this date.  
Diggle called having just  
arrived from Frisco, he brought a letter  
& some parcels from Carry Hare.  
Pooley breakfasted with us.

**1876-07-25**

**TUESDAY**

Remained at home. Carry  
drove to Govt house & took her  
Mother for a drive to Fairfield – did  
not return till 8 P.M.

**1876-07-26**

**WEDNESDAY**

Archie shod  
In town – Paid \$481 into B. B.  
Viz Hett cheque \$100- & C. C. accts  
for May, & June \$381-.  
Dined with Dr Matthews met  
Charles & wife Drake & wife Gray & wife  
[Mrs] Miles, Miss Agassiz, & Goodfellow,  
afterwards went for pull to the  
Gorge & back a pleasant evening.

**1876-07-27**

**THURSDAY**

Left Pony Carriage at Dunlops Ducks  
for repair. Hired a buggy fr. Dunlop  
at \$11- per day. –  
Recd from ~~Thompson~~ Thomson  
\$ as dividend fr. Loan investment  
Society \$60 fr. Capt Hare. & \$161.00  
for myself. Paid both sums into B. B. C.

Played Croquet & spent a pleasant  
evening at the Charles's.  
The McDonalds & w. paid a visit

**1876-07-28**

**FRIDAY**

Remained at home during the  
forenoon. Played Croquet &  
dined with the Thomsons at  
Mapel Bank. Drove Carry in  
Dunlops Buggy.  
Mr Richards sworn in a Lieut  
Governor.

**1876-07-29**

**SATURDAY**

Took Frank & Pop to town to Dentist  
Afterwards drove Carry to Fairfield  
where we found all hard at work  
putting the house in order.  
Drove J.W.T. to Govt house to see his  
bay horse which is very lame.  
Rained nearly the whole afternoon.  
Richd Woods died at 3. PM.

**1876-07-30**

**SUNDAY**

Lovely day Church at St  
Johns – Revd Jenns officiated

**1876-07-31**

**MONDAY**

In town – Drew \$100 at Bank  
paid \$68-50- to acct of  
Capt Hare – bal of \$99- recd from  
C. H. on board the Panama – posted  
my letter with statement of acct to  
Hare – enclosed letter from Carry to  
Mrs Hare.  
Mail St Panama sailed at  
5 P.M. Attended R. Woods  
Funeral, with Begbie & Pooley, they  
afterwards dined with me.

## AUGUST

**1876-08-01**

**TUESDAY**

Lovely day Thomson called  
consulted him about laying  
the water pipes. Remained

at home all day. Carry & Puss walked to town.

**1876-08-02**

**WEDNESDAY**

Drove Carry to town – then to Jay's garden for some flowers  
The Greys, Brodies & [deletion] Raymurs dined with us.

**1876-08-03 \***

**THURSDAY**

Drove to Town. Mail Str  
Dacota arrived. Miss Richards came up escorted by Norris  
Went up the Arm with Mrs Turners boating party – afterwards to her house to a cold repast, & dance, a large party.  
Recd fr Crimp \$210-00 paid on acct Felkers note & credited by him on same.

**1876-08-04**

**FRIDAY**

Drove to town bought some fruit &. Arranged with Drake & Marvin to have the water pipes delivered along the ditch  
Returned Buggy to Dunlop 7- days.  
Sir M. B. B. Matthews, Miss Douglas & Jas D. junr Mable Charles, Susan Crease & Arthur Pinder played Croquet with us, & dined.

**1876-08-05**

**SATURDAY**

Rode to Cedar Hill bought some hay from Henry King @ \$16.50 per ton, he subsequently delivered 4220 lbs.  
Drove to Fairfield to see the old lady – Mrs T. did not appear  
J.W.T. at Portland.

**1876-08-06**

**SUNDAY**

Carry seedy. Went with Frank & Puss to St Johns at 11- Revd Jenns officiated.  
Sir M.B.B. called. Walked with Carry & the children to

Mrs Whittagers.

**1876-08-07**

**MONDAY**

Busy day. Bryden put the water pipes into position from outer gate under house.  
Carry drove to town.

**1876-08-08**

**TUESDAY**

Lovely day Rhodes, wife & Miss [illegible] Ward, & wife Sir M.B.B Matthews & Bennett played Croquet - dined with us

**1876-08-09**

**WEDNESDAY**

Got 100 ft of hose with fixings fr. Drake  
Drew \$150 fr. Savings Bank fr Cornwall. Saw Ward in re T.E. Mortgage. Commenced to rain at noon. Called with Carry on Mrs Pearse, out. Paid Henry King \$93-75 for 11433 lbs of hay – less \$10- for one pig.  
Wrote to Vowell & C Leggatt

**1876-08-10**

**THURSDAY**

Grouse shooting commenced.  
Rained heavily all night & morning – intended to go out to shoot, but changed my mind & remained at home all day, & a miserable one it was.  
The water was laid on to in our pipes, Drake & self, at 4- P.M.  
Paid Sam Cook wages to 5<sup>th</sup> Augst \$25-

**1876-08-11**

**FRIDAY**

Left Victoria for New Westminster at 7- Race between Enterprise & Cariboo Fly – an easy victory for the former. = Arrived at N. W. at 3½ P.M. Jemmett dined with me Called to see Lowe, & the Archdeacon. – Wrote No 1-

**1876-08-12**

**SATURDAY**

Left for Yale in the Royal City at 7- P.M. Pic nic party on board to Maple ridge – Mr & Mrs D. Oppenheimer passengers & Revd & Mrs Murry. Broke paddle of steamer above Harrison River – tied up at Hicks old farm to repair.

**1876-08-13**

**SUNDAY**

Got off at 3½ - rudder out of order had to remain 2 hours at Greys to repair – reached Hope at 8½ Saw Mrs Dewdney & Glennie Arrived at Yale at 12½. Started in buggy at 1½ for Boston Bar arrived at 6½ - road in good order except the crossing at Anderson River. Stage got in at 7- PM

**1876-08-14**

**MONDAY**

C. Court Lytton 12- noon. Started in buggy with Steve at 3- AM – arrived at Lytton 8½ AM Dewdney en route to Hope, arrived at 9- - we breakfasted together after Court, drove on to Ferry where I arrived 8- P.M.

**1876-08-15**

**TUESDAY**

Started at 7-. Ashcroft at 11- Mrs Clement ill – walked about the place & ate fruit, very hot day.

**1876-08-16**

**WEDNESDAY**

C Court Ashcroft 10 A.M. Mrs C Cornwall confined at 5 A.M., a boy. Stage arrived – Barnard & McMicking Passengers. Cornwall went down. Wrote to Carry & Frank Started at noon Savona ferry at 6- a crowd of drunken rascals at Urens.

**1876-08-17**

**THURSDAY**

Left at 7- reached Kamloops at noon, very hot sultry day. Dined at the hotel slept at Taits.

**1876-08-18**

**FRIDAY**

Went out to shoot opposite the H. B. house – only saw 4 prairie Chicken – killed 3- & 4 ducks dined at Taits. Thunder storm – a grand sight – sat up to watch the lightning with Tait Mara & Bennett. Revd J. B. Good arrived.

**1876-08-19**

**SATURDAY**

C Court Kamloops 10. AM In court till 2 P.M. Rode out with Mara, took the guns but did not get a shot.

**1876-08-20**

**SUNDAY**

Str Martin left Kamloops fr Ferry at 10- came down in her horses & buggy horse fell off the gangway but fortunately were not hurt. Got away in the buggy at 2 P.M. Mara accompanied me Arrived at Ashcroft at 8- after dinner spent an hour with Henry.

**1876-08-21**

**MONDAY**

Started at 5- Cold raw day slight sprinkle of snow on the mountains – rained fr about an hour – remained ½ an hour at Boothroyds in reference to his position with the Colonial Security Society. B Bar at 11¾ - had lounch changed horses, & arrived at Yale at 6 PM. Read the above for Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup>

**1876-08-22**

**TUESDAY**

Left Cornwalls at 7- Ferry at noon – lunched – recd No 1- & some papers – stage arrived, & soon after J. Newland wife Father & Mother in law – Pringles. Changed horses at Necoameen – Lytton at 7- All discomfort. –

Read this for Yesterday 21<sup>st</sup>

**1876-08-23**

**WEDNESDAY**

C C Yale 12 noon no business.

Walked with Mara Dodd up mountain by Yale Cr took a view to selecting a spot for a pic nic to Lord Dufferin also to Jno Always.

Mara, Dodd, & Oppenheimer played a [*illegible*] at Whist with Harvey.

**1876-08-24 \*\***

**THURSDAY**

Str Royal City arrived at 8 P.M.

Recd No 2- - Offered my lot at Yale to Stott for \$1440- to receive his answer in a week.

Called on Mrs Oppenheimer who is full of preparations to receive Lord & Lady Dufferin Stage arrived at 4- learned that the pet deer, “a black tail, died on the way fr Ashcroft. Str left at 6-, tied up at Hope – teas at Mrs Glennies.

**1876-08-25**

**FRIDAY**

C. Court Westminster 11. O.C. A.M.

Str left at 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. Arrived at N W at 10 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.

Enterprise arrived at 3- Carry Frank, Dewdney, Cornwall, Layton, came in her. In Court till 6 P.M. dined at Colonial – tea at Lowes slept on board the Enterprise.

**1876-08-26**

**SATURDAY**

Left for Victoria at 7- a little rough at trail Island – slight

derangement of the engine – heavy rain - arrived at 3 P.M.

Barnard & Mara came down.

Cold raw evening.

**1876-08-27**

**SUNDAY**

Cold morning. Drove to the Cathedral – The Bishop & Mr Basket officiated. Sir M Begbie walked home with me, & spent the evening till 5- P.M.

**1876-08-28**

**MONDAY**

In town with Carry – went over Sir M.B.B’s new house with him = Lunched at Fairfield J.W.T. busy packing & preparing for his trip to Comox.

Called on the Lieut Governor & Mrs Richards, & Miss Richards.

**1876-08-29**

**TUESDAY**

Heard of Cornwalls accident on waggon road 51- mile post broken leg. –

Settled with Drake for water pipes & laying them to our road – gave him Cheque fr \$212- [the] being <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>- the expence of laying the pipes &c to each house to be decided. Also pd him \$12- my share of side walk. Got two teeth stuffed by Thompson –

[*overwritten text*]

Played Croquet

& dined with the

Thomsons at Maple

bank – home at 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

J.W.T. & McCreight

left in the Cariboo Fly

to fish at Comox.

**1876-08-30**

**WEDNESDAY**

Mara breakfasted with us.

Crease walked over, & remained a couple of hours, drove him to town. Called on Mrs Joe Pemberton & on Mrs Charles. Also at the College, & gave the Tait girls

\$5- sent by their Mother.

**1876-08-31**

**THURSDAY**

In town telegraphed to C. F.  
Cornwall to offer him a room

## SEPTEMBER

**1876-09-01**

**FRIDAY**

Mara & Barnard left fr. Kamloops  
in the Enterprise.  
Mrs & Mrs Thomson & Ward & wife played  
Croquet & dined with us.

**1876-09-02**

**SATURDAY**

Enterprise arrived – T. E. brought down  
a band of cattle. Cornwall arrived  
assisted to take him to the French  
Hospital where he is domiciled.  
T. E. dined & took up his quarters  
with us

**1876-09-03**

**SUNDAY**

Drove to town Church at Cathedral  
Carry went on to see her Mother at Fairfield  
Spent an hour with Cornwall  
Heard of Whittaker's death at Cassiar  
Carry & self drove down to see Mary –  
found her is great distress

**1876-09-04**

**MONDAY**

Spent a couple of hours with Cornwall  
Carry also paid a visit.  
Drove to Esquimalt - called on board  
the "Fantome" - Capt Long absent.  
T. E. paid me \$650- on acct of the  
\$1150- due & gave new note fr \$500-  
dated 1<sup>st</sup> July – he also paid \$13- interest  
& settled our private acct with the ex-  
-ception of a few articles paid fr by me.  
[overwritten text]  
Recd letters  
fr Capt Hare  
H. P. Walker  
Vowell.

**1876-09-05**

**TUESDAY**

T. E. left in Enterprise – also the  
Bishop – bound for Lytton.  
The Old Lady spent the day with  
Us. Mr & Mabel Gray called & played  
a game at Croquet.  
Drove the Old Lady home at 8 P.M.  
Telegraphed to Capt Hare – Honolulu  
C. O. Booker. That the Brodies & Trutches  
leave fr England 10<sup>th</sup> Octr.  
Wrote also to Capt Hare by "Fantome"

**1876-09-06**

**WEDNESDAY**

Very bad head ache. Arthur called  
& dined with us. Drove into town  
& paid some bills, & handed C. W. R.  
Thomson a Cheque fr \$1500 for  
investment – in Loan Investment Society.  
Paid Cornwall a visit.

**1876-09-07**

**THURSDAY**

Went with Thomson to shoot at  
5 AM – Rowlands farm at the head  
of the Arm. Only saw 4 birds, Blue  
grouse – did not kill anything.  
Wrote Vowell, & sent him a  
looking glass by Johnstons express  
for which I agreed to pay \$2.00  
Capt Jemmett played  
Croquet & dined with us.

**1876-09-08**

**FRIDAY**

Raining nearly the whole  
day. – Remained at home  
& wrote up my accounts.  
Paid Cornwall a visit.

**1876-09-09**

**SATURDAY**

Up at 4 – drove to Maple  
Bank & with Thomson went to the  
mountain below Peats – worked  
hard but only got 2 brace of blue  
grouse, & Thomson one brace.  
Met the Brodies Mabel Grey & Mable  
Charles, Good Goodfellow & Miss Agassiz  
out riding. Met the Lieut. Gov with  
Dupont in Barnards express wagon

near Maple Bank where they had been to see Capt Hare Carriage & harness.

**1876-09-10**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day. Carry drove Pop to Church at Cathedral. I walked with Frank & Puss to St Johns. Revd Jenns officiated. Paid Cornwall a visit. Hamley drove me home.

**1876-09-11**

**MONDAY**

Archie shod.

Capt. Jemmett breakfasted with us. Walked up to Bale's & brought back the buggy to try it, drove it to town & had it examined by Duck who pronounced it worth \$175- a good strong trap – though roughly built. Settled my C. C. accts for July & Augst with Graham, & drew from him \$410-.

**1876-09-12**

**TUESDAY**

Very fine day. Carry drove to Fairfield & took her Mother out for an airing. Alexd Anderson dined with us. Paid Cornwall a long visit.

**1876-09-13**

**WEDNESDAY**

Fine day, drove Carry to call on Mrs Charles, Mrs Crease, and Cornwall  
Wrote Vowell

**1876-09-14**

**THURSDAY**

Had a long chat with Crease in reference to C. C. matters  
Carry took Pop to the dentist

**1876-09-15**

**FRIDAY**

Carry took her Mother for a drive.  
Paid Cornwall a long visit. J.W.T. & McCreight returned from their fishing & shooting

excursion.

**1876-09-16**

**SATURDAY**

Carry's birth day.

Drove Carry to town to meet the Enterprise which arrived at 2 P.M. Mrs Cornwall & children arrived, also Dewdney & wife. The Bishop & Revd Holmes Barnard Edmonds &c &c.

The Dewdneys & Carry Cornwall came to us.

Drove to Beacon Hill to see the rifle shooting Lord & Lady Dufferin & a crowd in attendance. Called at Fairfield

**1876-09-17**

**SUNDAY**

Church The Bishop preached  
Revd's Gribbell & Holmes officiated.  
Holy Communion.  
Lord & Lady Dufferin attended service

**1876-09-18**

**MONDAY**

Waited by request on Lord Dufferin at 10 AM & had an Interview of 1¾ hour – on rail-way matters. – Attended Executive meeting of synod at 3½  
Ball at Govt house – a great gathering -much dissatisfaction in reference to supper home at 2½ - a most unfavourable [illegible].

**1876-09-19 \***

**TUESDAY**

Seedy all day – bad head-ache  
Dewdney went with Crease to Esquimalt to see the 1<sup>st</sup> pile driver in coffer dam. J.W.T. paid us a visit & gave us an amusing account of the performance at Esquimalt.

**1876-09-20**

**WEDNESDAY**

Deputation waited on Lord Dufferin to hear his views of

matters effecting Railway matters.  
Drove Carry Cornwall to see  
her father at Hospital. Walked to  
Beacon Hill to see the gathering  
in honor of Lord & Lady Dufferin,  
& to say good bye. – Walked to town  
with J.W.T.

**1876-09-21**  
**THURSDAY**

Dewdney went with Barnard to breakfast  
at Metropolitan.  
Walked to town. Lord & Lady  
Dufferin & staff – sailed fr Frisco  
in the AM [*left blank*] at 12- noon  
In town nearly all day.  
Carry very ill at 9- P.M.  
Went for Helmcken – pouring  
with rain – she was very poorly  
all night

**1876-09-22**  
**FRIDAY**

Carry very unwell all day  
the Doctor – paid three visits  
J.W.T. called & remained  
about an hour.  
Remained at home all day.

**1876-09-23**  
**SATURDAY**

Cold raw day. Carry slightly  
better. – Mrs Cornwall drove over  
for her little girl. – Drove Frank &  
Dewdney to town. – Drove to Crease  
house to see him in reference to  
C. C. matters at N. W.  
Bugner called to see about  
cribbing in front of house. Dewdney  
took levels in front of house.  
J.W.T. called.

**1876-09-24**  
**SUNDAY**

Rained incessantly all the  
day.  
Dr Hamilton called  
twice – Mrs Drakes child  
taken suddenly ill.  
Carry improving slowly, but very  
weak.

**1876-09-25**  
**MONDAY**

Drove to see Cornwall  
& to say good bye at Fairfield.

**1876-09-26**  
**TUESDAY**

Enterprise, in consequence of  
fog, did not start till 8 A.M.  
Dewdney Left in her for Westminster  
Dewdney A Pinder Houghton Miss Agassiz  
passengers, arrived at 4¼.  
Dined at Colonial with Dewdney  
Houghton & A. Pinder.  
Paid Lowe a visit – Met Mrs Haynes  
there. Kruiger & wife at Colonial.

**1876-09-27**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Count[y] Court New Westminster – 10. AM  
But a few cases to be disposed of.  
Dined at Lowes.  
The Mayor & Armstrong J. P.  
dismissed the case of Lowe v Burr.  
Arranged with Morrison to  
try the Pitt meadows tomorrow  
for Duck.

**1876-09-28**  
**THURSDAY**

Lovely day – left in a Canoe  
for the Pitt with Morrison at  
6¾ - reached McLeans at 10-  
Worked hard but saw no  
birds – only killed 1 pr ducks  
& 1 snipe. Got back to N.W.  
at 9- P.M.

**1876-09-29**  
**FRIDAY**

Breakfast at 10½, called on  
Archdeacon & Mrs Wood  
Enterprise arrived at 3 P.M.  
T. E. arrived. Recd letter fr Carry  
who is improving.  
Dined at Lowes  
Houghton arrived with 50 head of cattle  
fr Hope. T. E. refused to sign B. of S.  
& mortgage.  
Slept on board Enterprise

**1876-09-30**

**SATURDAY**

Enterprise left at 6- to connect with mail Str for Frisco.

Robertson, Houghton Mrs Buie Mrs Newton &c passengers lovely day. Arrived a 2- PM. Frank met me. – Found Carry much improved but still weak  
Drove to see Cornwall, & Fairfield

## OCTOBER

**1876-10-01**

**SUNDAY**

Up early. Horse very sick  
Drake came over to consult about him, applied fomentation.  
Carry moved to the drawing room for the first time.  
Children & “Jin Win” went to St Johns = I remained at home  
Drake called in the evening to see the horse & paid Carry a visit

**1876-10-02**

**MONDAY**

F. G. Richards note for \$400- due, with interest from 2<sup>nd</sup> May.  
Wannacott & 2 Indians commenced work at new Croquet ground. Bugner also came at 9- AM

**1876-10-03**

**TUESDAY**

Lovely day. Wannacott & 2 Indians worked. Bugner short ½ day.  
Rode to Fairfield with Frank & remained A couple of hours.

**1876-10-04**

**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely day. Wannacott & 2 Indians worked  
Drove to town & helped Cornwall to remove him from the hospital to lodgings at Mrs [Wootons]  
Paid \$3- school tax, & returned \$18,000 for assessment.

**1876-10-05**

**THURSDAY**

Wannacott & two Indian worked.  
Lovely day – drove Mrs Dewdney to town – paid Cornwall a visit.  
Drove Carry down the Craigflower road – the first time she has been out.  
J.W.T. & party paid us a short visit.

**1876-10-06**

**FRIDAY**

Wannacott & 2 Chinese  
Drove Mrs Dewdney to town at 1½ AM – she left for Hope  
Carry Cornwall spent the day with her papa.  
Drove Carry to see her Mother  
Paid Zoe a visit, & talked about buying furniture for her at J.W.T. auction.

**1876-10-07**

**SATURDAY**

Wannacott & 2 Indians Chinese worked  
Threatning rain in the morning but cleared up lovely day.  
Remained at home all day  
worked at new Croquet ground  
Charles paid us a visit  
Sent off my letter to Vowell by the Grappler.

**1876-10-08**

**SUNDAY**

Took the children to Church at St Johns – Revd Jenns officiated – Harvest thanksgiving service Church decorated with fruit corn &c  
Carry remained at home – strolled about the place during the evening

**1876-10-09**

**MONDAY**

Wannacott & 2 ~~Indians~~ Chinese worked  
Drove Carry to call on Mrs Graham  
Mrs Charles, Mrs Grey & Zoe, then on

to Fairfield. Zoe informed me that Joe had advised that it would be better to get some other person to bid for her at the Auction. Did not get home till 1

**1876-10-10**  
**TUESDAY**

Wannacott & 2 Chinese worked  
Attended Auction at  
Fairfield – my bill amounted  
to \$203- - Viz Table \$43- Wardrobe  
\$32- dish covers \$32- knives liner  
&c. – Cherry bought \$32 by McDonald for  
\$115- Old horse \$75- Young Chestnut  
\$95- Carriage \$180-

**1876-10-11**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Went to town to get grass seed  
but failed. Wannacott worked  
Paid off the 2 Chinamen at noon  
Drove Carry to Fairfield & helped  
to pack & arrange matters for J.W.T.  
Drove Zoe from her home to  
Fairfield to take possession.  
Small pox on board Dakota Str  
JWT & wife decided not to leave in her  
did not get home till 8-

**1876-10-12**  
**THURSDAY**

Wannacott worked till noon  
Hett called signed transfer  
of Cemetery lots under mortgage  
to receive \$800- 7 \$25 bonus  
Mrs Graham Miss Work & Mrs Skinner  
called. – Children Puss & Frank  
went to Mrs Richards childrens party  
& did not get back till 10¼ PM.

**1876-10-13**  
**FRIDAY**

Drove to Jays & arranged to  
buy 5 or 6 sacks of early Rose  
potatoes at 1. Cent pr lb. – Drove  
Carry to Mrs Whittakers.  
Attended Trustee meeting of Church  
funds – at bank – The Bishop, Charles  
Ward & self present.  
Drove J.W.T. over to dine  
& sleep.

Wannacott worked ½ day  
sowed grass seed on new Croquet ground

**1876-10-14**  
**SATURDAY**

Drove with J.W.T. to Nicholsons  
to shoot – no sport – only one  
bird between us, - came on to  
rain at 3- - home at 5- J.W.T.  
went to Fairfield.

**1876-10-15**  
**SUNDAY**

Rained heavily nearly all  
the day. – Remained at home  
all of us.

**1876-10-16**  
**MONDAY**

Very heavy rain during the  
night. Drove Carry to town  
executed a number of Commissions  
Took Carry home & then went back  
for Joe & Juulia came to spend  
a couple of days with us  
Gave Thomson cheque for \$1000  
for Loan Investment [illegible]  
also \$1000 [*deletion*] on deposit  
in same for Capt Hare.

**1876-10-17**  
**TUESDAY**

Left Yale fr. Westminster in  
Enterprise at 7½ - Fine day  
smooth passage. Capt & Mrs Hughes  
passengers. – Arrived at ¼ 4 P.M.  
Found Sir Matthew & Pooley had arrived  
down. We three dined together, paid  
the Lowes a short visit, went with Pooley  
& Jemmett to see the acrobats perform  
Slept on board “Royal City”.  
Wrote to Carry

**1876-10-18**  
**WEDNESDAY**

Started for Yale at 7- Rained  
heavily all the day. – Saw old Wark  
at Langley but he was rude – did not  
speak to him. – Saw Dewdney  
for a few minutes at Sumaas  
tied up for the night at Pop  
-Cum.

Passengers Costors, Miss McClure  
Mrs A Nelson & 2 of Mrs Buies children

**1876-10-19**

**THURSDAY**

C. Court Yale – 11- O.C. no business

Rained heavily all night & morning  
Saw Mrs Dewdney & Glennie at  
Hope – Yale at noon =  
Started in Buggy at 1½ PM  
Met the stage with Mrs Cambie  
en route to Vic. Found Hunter  
& party at B Bar, dined with him  
Wrote No 2

**1876-10-20**

**FRIDAY**

C Court Lytton 2- PM – no business  
Started at 5½ - raining  
roads very heavy. Lytton at 11- AM  
dined & started again at 2  
P.M. – Spences Bridge at  
6¼ - very dark. -

**1876-10-21**

**SATURDAY**

Left the Ferry (Spence Bridge)  
at 7- AM – fine day bright but very cold passed the  
extra stage with Cormack of the  
Survey party & a number of Indians  
en route to Lytton. Arrived at  
Ashcroft at ¼ 12- noon. H. Cornwall  
out hunting – Mrs Cornwall & Miss Eyre  
at the upper house.

**1876-10-22**

**SUNDAY**

Cold morning rained heavily  
till 2. P.M. – Started from  
Ashcroft at 10- Recd a note from  
John to say he would be at the Ferry  
this evening. Arrived at Urens at  
4½ - but John had not arrived  
nor was he expected till tomorrow  
Wrote him a note.

**1876-10-23**

**MONDAY**

C. Court Kamloops at 12 noon  
Very little business  
Arrived at Kamloops at 10¼  
to find that John & party had left

in the Str at 8.

Lunched at the hotel – dined  
& slept at Tait's. Harper & Roper  
also dined.

**1876-10-24**

**TUESDAY**

Rained heavily till noon  
heard with Tait as J. P. in Police  
Court the case of N. Hare v. H. Gumm  
Dismissed. Rode to Ropers at  
1- P.M. & shot 7- brace of Prairie  
Chicken – if I had had a dog  
could have killed 20 brace.

**1876-10-25**

**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely day. Harper & Barnard  
left for Ferry on horseback at 8 AM  
Intended to start at noon  
but waited for Ussher who went  
up the mountain & did not see him  
at all – got off at 1½ P.M. had a  
chat with N. Hare who poured out  
his grievances – reached the Ferry  
at 6¾. Very high wind could not  
cross the horses or buggy. The Mail  
Barnard, Harper & others delayed.

**1876-10-26**

**THURSDAY**

Wind blowing very fresh – could  
not get the buggy across till 2. P.M.  
gave Stewart a left – reached  
Ashcroft at 6¾. –  
Recd No 1- & a bundle of  
papers.

**1876-10-27**

**FRIDAY**

C. Court Ashcroft 11- AM noon  
business all settled out of Court.  
H. P. C. paid me \$100- which  
with my sub to R. fund 76 20- leaving  
a bal still due of \$36.28 –  
Arrived at Spence Bridge  
at 5½

**1876-10-28**

**SATURDAY**

Started at 4½. Commenced  
to rain at 5- & continued to

pour nearly the whole day, breakfasted at Lytton – had a chat with “Steve”, Boston Bar at 4½ - dined & had a chat with Willie Pinder – reached Yale at 9½ Harvey at Victoria – Oliver got my letters. Recd No [*left blank*] & learned of the illness of my darling “Pop”.

**1876-10-29**  
**SUNDAY**

Str Royal City arrived at 9 AM Harvey came in her, & brought Cornwall's hounds just out from England.

Recd letter from Carry with no better news of dear Pop – spent a miserable day. Went to Church at 7- PM Mr Ditchen officiated Recd telegram – darling Pop worse Telegraphed to Mrs Dewdney & Helmcken

**1876-10-30**  
**MONDAY**

Houghton Note dur \$1000- Left Yale at 7- in Royal City. At Hope Mrs Dewdney most kindly at a moments notice came on with the idea of helping. Dewdney came to Sumaas. Miss & Mrs Agassis came to N. W. At Westminster recd telegram fr, Helmcken to say my darling was dangerously ill. Arranged to postpone County Court & go down in the “Ada” at day light

**1876-10-31**  
**TUESDAY**

C. C. Westminster adjourned

## NOVEMBER

**1876-11-01**  
**WEDNESDAY**

E. H. S. note at B. B. C. due \$250-

**1876-11-02**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-03**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-04**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-05**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-06 \***  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-07 \***  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-08**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-09**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-10 \***  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-11**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-12**  
**SUNDAY**  
Ah Foo – Cook – commenced work @ \$25- per month

**1876-11-13**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-14**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-15**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-16**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1876-11-17**

**FRIDAY**

Ah Huey – commenced work @ \$25-  
per month

**1876-11-18**

**SATURDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-19**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-20**

**MONDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-21**

**TUESDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-22**

**WEDNESDAY**

C. Court Westminster 10 A.M.  
held by Sir M B. B.

**1876-11-23**

**THURSDAY**

Dear Pop's birth day 7 yrs

**1876-11-24**

**FRIDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-25**

**SATURDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-26**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-27**

**MONDAY**

C Court Lytton 12 noon

**1876-11-28**

**TUESDAY**

[no entry]

**1876-11-29**

**WEDNESDAY**

C. C. Ashcroft 10 AM  
Miss Robinson commenced to  
teach Frank & Puss at \$20.00  
per month.

**1876-11-30**

**THURSDAY**

Fine morning. Took Puss & Frank  
to the Cathedral – St Andrews – day of  
intercession fr. Missions. Sermon  
by Revd Jenns – Holy Communion.  
Called to say good bye to  
Stahlschmidt.  
Service in the evening – 7½ Sermon  
by the Bishop.

## DECEMBER

**1876-12-01**

**FRIDAY**

Lovely day – up at 6½ - exercised  
horse – his cough no better – posted  
envelopes with notices from the  
S[t]andard of the 9th Nov to Dr Moss  
Mrs McKay & Mr White. Stahlschmidt  
& his two sons left fr England – St Panama  
Carry recd letter fr. J.W.T.  
Mrs Ward & Mrs Johnston called.  
John paid us a visit.

**1876-12-02**

**SATURDAY**

Fine day – remained at  
home worked at walk in  
front of house.  
Mrs Ward & Mrs Johnston  
called. John paid The  
Dewdneys arrived from Hope

**1876-12-03**

**SUNDAY**

Lovely day. Took Frank & Puss  
to Church at St Johns – Revd  
Jenns officiated – the Dewdneys  
also accompanied us.  
Charles & wife paid us a  
Visit, also Sir Matthew & John.

**1876-12-04**

**MONDAY**

Rained heavily during the night – walked to town. Recd cheque \$100 from Hett Interest Cemetry Board to 15 Octr. – Paid the above with \$95- recd from Reid Quesnelle into Bank Recd from Thomson \$1005 for Capt Hare – being the \$1000 deposited in Loan Investment Society with interest fr one month.

**1876-12-05**

**TUESDAY**

Remained at home worked at Garden. Jay & Wannacott came & assisted in removing, the transplanting, the Wellingtonia, which was successfully accomplished.

**1876-12-06**

**WEDNESDAY**

Lovely day. Wannacott top dressed the Croquet ground = John called.

**1876-12-07**

**THURSDAY**

Very fine day – remained at home worked at the walk in front of house.

**1876-12-08**

**FRIDAY**

Cold raw day looking like a change. Walked to town called to see Robertson McCreight Ward, also Elliott in re to the Courts of Appeal to be held in Westminster district Called to see Cornwall & Mrs Charles both out.

**1876-12-09**

**SATURDAY**

Gardiner worked  
Remained at home. John paid us a visit – Walked to the Charles at 7 P.M. to have a chat with Cornwall, found Good dining there. Met Sir Matthew on my way home, reached home at [*left blank*]

**1876-12-10**

**SUNDAY**

Fine day took Puss & Frank to Church at St Johns Revd Jenns officiated. Mrs Dewdney & Arthur Pinder accompanied.

**1876-12-11**

**MONDAY**

Fine day. Drove to Esquimalt with Cornwall to see him off in the Dacota for England. Rhodes & Cambie left in same boat for Ottawa.  
Took Carry for a short drive in Bowmans Carriage. Called on Mrs Ward & Zoe, Mrs Charles accompanied. Packed up my traps for Westminster tomorrow.

**1876-12-12**

**TUESDAY**

Miserable night. Left in Str Otter fr N. W. at 7½ - heavy fog bumped twice on rocks at Trial Island – anchored for ½ an hour, did not arrive at Westminster till 5½. – Passengers Mrs Barnard Dr Carroll, Col Houghton O. Hare W. Fisher &c.  
Met Ball, Thomson & Dr Chipp en route fr Cariboo

**1876-12-13**

**WEDNESDAY**

County Court Westminster 10. AM  
About a dozen cases  
but nothing of importance  
Dined with Lowe, Carroll & Houghton also

**1876-12-14**

**THURSDAY**

Court Revision N W 10 A.M.  
In Court till 1½ -  
Called on Mrs Lowe & the Archdeacon – had a chat with Cunningham in re residence of C C J at N. W.  
Dined with Tait – also Arch-deacon & Capt Jemmett & O. Hare  
Heavy fog all day

Barnard & Mara arrived in  
Canoe fr Yale

**1876-12-15**

**FRIDAY**

[Anniversary] – Our Marriage  
day – 13<sup>th</sup>

Recd telegram from  
Dewdney to say he had missed the  
Str, & that my letters were  
Late. The Otter did not  
arrive owing to the Fog.  
Dined at Lowe's, Carroll  
Houghton & self.

**1876-12-16**

**SATURDAY**

“Otter” arrived at 10. A.M.  
having anchored at the Light  
ship in consequence of the fog.  
R Harvey came up in her  
Recd letters fr Hett in re assess  
-ment Roll & asking fr an [*illegible*]  
of Appeal Court – showed his letter  
& declined.  
Wrote to Carry. Called to see  
Mrs Wilson, Hare Jemmett &  
Carroll dined with me.

**1876-12-17**

**SUNDAY**

Left in Str Reliance at 6 A.M. for  
Sumaas – dense fog but notwithstanding  
we progressed well – arriving at Millers  
12. Noon. Mara was a passenger  
Put up at Millers – after  
dinner took a walk with Miller  
to Chester Chadsey who gave us some  
delicious W Nellis pears. -

**1876-12-18**

**MONDAY**

Courts of Revision at Millers  
Only one approved (Farr) 10. O.C.  
Took a walk with Hughes.  
Lovely day

**1876-12-19**

**TUESDAY**

Str Reliance arrived at 2 P.M.  
Clear bright day – below  
the Mission ran into a heavy

fog, & had great difficulty in  
reaching N W by 8½ PM  
when I found Dewdney & Vernon  
Recd letter from Carry.

**1876-12-20 \*\***

**WEDNESDAY**

Left in Otter at 7 AM fine  
day. Hare Dewdney Vernon  
&c passengers. Arrived at  
3 P.M. walked out met Frank  
running to the Str. Found Carry  
a little better than when I left her  
Alice & Nelly Ward on a visit  
with to us.

**1876-12-21**

**THURSDAY**

Lovely day. Remained at  
home. – The children had a  
great days amusement with the  
pony.  
Ward called & asked Carry  
to come to see his wife who is  
very ill.

**1876-12-22**

**FRIDAY**

Lovely day. Walked into  
town, ordered carriage for Carry  
fr Bowman. Called at the  
Govt buildings to see Elliott  
but was unsuccessful – had  
a chat with Vernon. Called to  
see Mrs Charles – then on to Wards  
& drove in the Carriage to the Cemetry  
to the grave of our darling.  
Paid Zoe a visit.

**1876-12-23**

**SATURDAY**

Canton Chinaman worked  
Lovely day. –  
Ward drove over for the  
Children Nelly & Alice & took  
them home. Mrs Dewdney  
took the children to town to see  
the shops & spend their bits

**1876-12-24**

**SUNDAY**

Rained heavily during the night

Walked to Church with Puss & Frank  
St Johns – Revd Jenns officiated  
Walked up to enquire fr Mr Ward  
found him in great distress – the wife  
dangerously ill – arranged to bring  
the children over in the morning. Went to Mrs Madegan  
to enquire for a nurse for Mrs Ward – rode  
Franks pony to Highwood at 10 P.M.  
to enquire for Mrs W. & inform him that Mrs  
Mason was disengaged. –

**1876-12-25**

**MONDAY**

Xmas day

Very wet day. Drove Alice Nelly & Willy  
Ward over. Mrs Ward slightly better. Drove  
Carry & Mrs Dewdney to Church at St Johns  
Revd Newton read the prayers, & Revd Jenns  
officiated preached. Holy Communion  
Walked to Fairfield to pay Zoe a  
visit, later in the day John paid  
Carry a visit. – Arthur Pinder left  
after dinner to go on board the Otter en  
route to N. W. to join Janes survey party.

**1876-12-26**

**TUESDAY**

Fine day. Style arranged  
stones round the walk in front of  
house – remained at home.  
Drove Carry & Mrs Dewdney in pony  
Carriage to Pandora St. The first time  
Archie has been in harness since  
the 10<sup>th</sup> Nov – Ward, & Ball  
called. –  
Recd a letter fr J.W.T. & Julia.

**1876-12-27**

**WEDNESDAY**

Raining heavily all day  
Walked into town had a long  
chat with McCreight in reference  
to Church matters. Order a pr  
of boots & suit of clothes for Vowell  
Called to enquire for Mrs Ward –  
better – paid Mrs Charles a short visit  
Poor old Hare, Oliver, died

**1876-12-28**

**THURSDAY**

Rained heavily during the night  
Walked to town with Dewdney

had a long chat with McCreight in  
reference to Church matters.  
Home at 1½ P.M.  
John called at 6- & remained  
a few minutes.  
The Dewdneys dined at  
Barnards. -

**1876-12-29**

**FRIDAY**

Archie shod

Rained heavily during the  
Night. Styles worked at  
the garden walk.  
Attended the funeral of  
Oliver Hare, afterwards attended  
trustees of Church fund at  
McCreights office – the Bishop  
& Charles present.

**1876-12-30**

**SATURDAY**

1 Ton Coal delivered by Capt Clarke  
Fine day. Settled with Dewdney  
for all cash advanced by him to the  
Children &c &c. Agreed with him to  
take half an interest Viz [left blank] acres  
in the Burrard Inlet land purchased  
fr. Crease, & to pay for it \$ [left blank]  
Carry & self drove to Esquimalt to  
see the Dewdneys off in the Dacota at 12 O.C.  
Carroll, Thompson & Alice Barnard  
went also. – The Woods & Mrs [*deletion*]  
Laurence called. Style worked

**1876-12-31 \***

**SUNDAY**

Dear Puss – birth day 9<sup>th</sup>  
Fine day very mild. Walked  
with Carry & took Frank & Puss &  
the three Ward children to St Johns  
Revd Jenns read the service the  
Bishop preached.  
John paid us a short visit  
& informed us that he Zoe & Fanny  
would dine with us tomorrow  
Ward also came - walked part  
with of the way with him.

## MEMORANDA

H. P. Walker Esqr.  
Barrister at Law  
25 Temple Court  
Melbourne.

P. H. Nind Esqr.  
Care of Miss Sivewright  
The Priory  
Caversham, Reading  
Berks - England

1876  
17<sup>th</sup> March  
Wrote to H. P. Walker  
9<sup>th</sup> March Wrote to White  
18<sup>th</sup> March Wrote to Nind

C. F. Cornwall	
Wire [Netting]	\$4.25
Broom for [illegible]	75
Needles Scissors Thimble	2.75
Boots	<u>2.25</u>
	\$10.00

[overwritten text]  
Paid  
25<sup>th</sup> April 76

27 Oct  
Recd \$100 fr H P.C. \$120.00  
Leaving Bal \$36.25-  
See memo fr [illegible] to Race fund  
fr. 75-

<u>H. P. Cornwall</u>	
Redfern	\$2-50
Hibben	3-50
Brown	75
Rudolph repair of ring	1-50
Do fr Bill	96-50
“ Repairing pin	2-50
Cash	200-00
Oppenheimer over boots	3 50
Boots	8-00
Bacey H.B.C.	3 75
Cleaning Cost, Pierre	<u>2 00</u>
	\$324.50

Less Dust \$70	<u>170 -</u>
Cheque <u>100</u>	\$154.50
170 Bacey	3.75
Bacey	3.75
Childs Chair	4.25
	166.25
Cash \$5	<u>10.00</u>
Do <u>5</u>	156.25
10	

[illegible words]

Henry the 2<sup>nd</sup> 27- lbs gross 24.20  
Clement Do - -

Left the following bills unpaid  
31<sup>st</sup> May J. Uren Savona Ferry \$5 -  
1<sup>st</sup> June Cornwalls 9-00  
2<sup>nd</sup> “ Hautier 3.50

## CASH ACCOUNT

### CASH ACCOUNT – JANUARY

Date	Received	Paid
2 <sup>nd</sup> Church, St Johns		1 00
3 Chinaman – tramping in loft		1 00
6 G. Frye 2 Tons hay, Tibbets		45
“ Meyer hair dresser fr T. E.		5 5
7 Capt Clark coals acct ti date		38 2
8 Theatre Herrman the Conjuror children		3 5
9 Church St Johns		1 5
X9 Ah Sim wages		25
10 Mrs Green, Cook, wages		26
X12 Jno Monk, subscription to the Standard		3 2
“ Finlay Brodie & Co in full		7 7
“ J Heywood acct in full		33
“ Bowman Carriage hire		5 00
“ Stafford & Goodacre in full		84 74
13 <sup>th</sup> Theatre 5 seats for Opera		6 28
“ E B Marvin		1 50
“ Grancini		2 00
“ Layton – cash borrowed		2 50
X” H Lyne Sub to Colonist to 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan		6 50
14 Fellows & Roscoe		11 78
McLean & Co		36 50
15 <sup>th</sup> Huntingdon – Plaster		5 00
“ Langley acct in full		29 00
“ Baker fr. labour getting out [ <i>illegible</i> ]		23 00
“ Steel “ do -		10 00
16 Church St Johns		- 50
17 Hibben & Co		66 75
“ Finlayson acct to 31 <sup>st</sup> Decr		56 80
“ Thomson, bread bill, Do		41 16
“ Turner & Co acct Do		152 87
“ Ah Sim – wages		10 00
21 Colonial Hotel – Westminster		21 00
22 Thos Cook – waiter		2 00
“ Fare up & down Str Otter		7 50
22 Franklin drayage		- 75
23 Church Cathedral		- 50
26 Telegraph acct		- 75
29 Standard in full to date		1 00
30 Church		1 00

### CASH ACCOUNT – FEBRUARY

Date	Received	Paid
1 <sup>st</sup> Thomson for investment in Loan Society		500 00
3 <sup>rd</sup> J Russell Carriage fr. town		2 50
“ Bowman – Carriage fr. town		1 00
“ Hocking fish & [ <i>illegible</i> ] pr driver		50

5 Baker labour hauling stones		7 50
“ Seymour G T act in full		67 50
6 Church		1 25
X7 Ah Sim wages		10 00
9 Bryant, in full to date		8 25
“ McDonald in full		24 50
“ Burns & Edwards Do		24 75
“ Mrs Fox Do		3 12
“ Matthews, Richards & Tye		2 66
“ Jay & Co		21 25
X11 Ah Sim – wages – see diary		20 00
“ Mrs green “ in full cheque		30 00
12 <sup>th</sup> Frank for Valentines		- 75
13 <sup>th</sup> Church St Johns		- 50
15 Carry Pd Mrs Robertson for St Johns		2 50
Do Mrs Crease Cathedral Sun school		2 50
15 <sup>th</sup> Wm Irvine fr 8 cords wood		32 00
17 S. A. Spencer – Photographer		16 00
“ J. Sehl		13 00
“ Wm P. Sayward		51 50
“ H. Short		14 50
“ M. R. Smith confectioner		17 35
“ Bird seed 25 Fish 25		- 50
20 <sup>th</sup> Church, St Johns		1 50
21 Dunlop, stand of Carriage & horse fr 6 months		5 00
25 Arnaud, Colonial N. W.		5 50
“ Mrs Keary Beds & meals		12 00
24 Wm Fisher – Hare soup &c		3 75
“ Webster N. W. fr. cheese		2 50
26 Fare to N. W. & return		7 50
27 Church Cathedral		1 50
28 White - Langfords Lake		1 -
“ Franklin – drayage		1 50
Self -		- -

### CASH ACCOUNT – MARCH

Date	Received	Paid
1 <sup>st</sup> C.W.R. Thomson 25 C, Gas shares	1250 00	
3 Franks hair cut		50
3 W. Charles – Commission Frisco		45 25
4 W. of Wilson in full		26 25
“ Morris express freight on box apples		- 50
“ Sausages		50
5 Church St Johns		50
6 Theatre – Vivian – box -		8 00
“ Stable man at Dunlops		2 50
10 C. W. Siffken – Pew Rent St Johns		12 50
“ Plummers raffle		5 00
“ Baskets		1 50
11 Mansell – boot maker		12 25
“ Drummond		9 00

“	J. Leach – hauling stones fr House	18 00
“	Chinaman fr. fish	1 00
12 <sup>th</sup>	Church – Cathedral	50
X13	Ah Bat – months wages in full	20 00
“	Ah Sim wages on acct	20 00
14	Fish	50
16 <sup>th</sup>	Bacon at Heywoods – per Chirs	2 50
21 <sup>st</sup>	Fish	- 50
22	Sub to [illegible] Guardian to 28 Nov	7 50
“	Fish	- 50
26	Church	- 50
27	Standard newspaper to 25 March	1 00
“	Fish	- 50
“	C.W.R. Thomson Loan Investment for Investment in	500 00
“	Chinaman work in garden	3
30 <sup>th</sup>	W. R Clarke – Coal bill to date	40 50
X”	Ah Sim – wages – per Mrs OR	5 00

#### CASH ACCOUNT – APRIL

Date	Received	Paid
1 <sup>st</sup>	Mrs Keary – N, W, Meals & Beds	10 00
3	Madame Borde – cheque	85 00
“	Fanny Saunders wages to 31 <sup>st</sup> March	25 00
5	Hautier meals & bed	6 00
11	J. Uren Do	8 00
12	Cornwall “ “	4 00
“	Kearsey Cooks Ferry Do	2 50
13	Hautier Do Do	5 00
“	Dart Boston Bar Do Do	7 50
14	Fare Reliance N W to Yale & returning	10 00
“	Steward Meals & bed Do	7 50
“	Enterprise Fare to N. W. & returning	10 00
“	Steward Meals & bed	7 50
16	Church Cathedral	1 25
X17	Ah Sim wages on acct	10 00
X”	Ah Bat Do in full to 12 April	25 00
18	R. Ward – Fire Insurance Imperial to 13 <sup>th</sup> Augst /77 Cormorant St house	16 87
18	B. B. C. Life insurance City of Glasgow to 16 April/77	151 56
19	Brodie – Underclothing fr M.T. Johnston	13 50
“	Duty on Do	1 75
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Eli Harrison acct in full	32 00
“	Heywood – fr Salt & sugar fr pig	2 00
“	Chris = fr curing & smoking do	5 00
“	Sub to Standard to [left blank]	1 25
20	Concert – St Johns Choir fund	2 00
24	Church St Johns	1 00
21 <sup>st</sup>	W. J. Archibald, Telegrams	3 80
25	Chinaman fish	- 25

26	Pd Ah Bat in full	11 62
28 <sup>th</sup>	Ah Sim wages, see diary	50 00
29	A. Clyde – blacksmith	5 00
“	John Heal price of cow “Lady Tick”	40 00
“	W. R. Clarke, I Ton Coals	9 00
“	Chinaman Cabru – vegetables	1 75
30 <sup>th</sup>	Church St Johns	- 75
28	Ah Sim for Chinaman 2 days on trial	2 00

#### CASH ACCOUNT – MAY

Date	Received	Paid
1 <sup>st</sup>	A. Clyde – repair of Croquet hoop	1 00
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Vipond repair Grass Cutter \$2.50 &c	3 00
5	Chinaman – fish & vegetables	- 50
7	Church St Johns	- 50
8	Franklin Express waggon	1 25
“	Elvin Do	2 00
“	J. Heal – bal due on Cow \$2.50 and charge for bringing her home \$2.50	5 00
“	Chinaman Pock marked fish vegetables	2 00
8	H. B. Company	293 85
“	H Sanders in full	38 17
“	E Marvin 2 hooks & rings	- 75
9	Carter Express – potatoes fr [illegible]	- 50
11	Cabrou – Chinaman, Vegetables	- 50
11	Barnard & Co Buggy C. C.	132 00
12	White Express with Fish	- 50
14	Church St Johns	- 75
15	Mrs Gribbell fr Mechosin Cemetry	2 50
“	W. J. Wilson – hat for Teague	4 00
“	H. B. C. Bacey for Cornwall	3 75
“	Pierce – cleaning coat fr Cornwall	2 00
15	Vipond repair of scissors	- 50
X”	Pahn wages on acct & advanced see diary	30 00
15	Fanny wages to 1 <sup>st</sup> May	20 00
19	Indian at Coquitlam	50
20	Arnaud Colonial Hotel in full	23 50
23	Tuttle Yale Meals &c	10 50
26	Hautier meals beds &c	7 00
“	Spence bridge lunch	1 00
31	Gerod – Passage to Kamloops & returning	7 00
“	J. Uren, Meals, bed &c	6 50

#### CASH ACCOUNT – JUNE

Date	Received	Paid
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dart Boston Bar meals &c	3 50
1 <sup>st</sup>	Lent John Gowens, near Lytton	5 00
4	Church Yale	- 50
5	B. Douglas, Curry Comb	1 25
“	McLeland – Royal City – Fares	10 00

“	Steward Do – meals beds &c	7 50
7	Colonial Hotel N. W. meals &c	5 25
“	Enterprise fare to N. W. & return	10 00
“	Steward Do fish & meals	6 75
“	Drayage to Point Ellice	- 75
8	H [left blank] “19 Wives”	3 60
9	Luxford Cabbage plants	1 25
“	Bryant acct in full	7 00
11 <sup>th</sup>	Church St Johns	- 50
12	in town – vegetables & fish	1 00
“	Mrs Lethbridge – pr Mrs OR.	20 00
“	E Marvin – Nails &c pr McDole	
17	W, Irvine 13 cords wood @ \$4 pc and Straw \$7.50	59 50
20	R. Ward insurance on House & furniture	56 25
22	Stuart & Keast acct in full	58 00
“	Fruit & vegetables – Johnston St	1 00
“	Dray. From Victoria, Bran, Wheat &c	- 50
“	Stuart Subscription to Regatta at Esquimalt	2 50
X25	Ah Sim wages	20 00
25	Church St Johns	1 00
26	Lunch at Metropolitan	2 75
X27	Pahn wages in full to this date McDowell in full, see diary	20 00 48 75

#### CASH ACCOUNT – JULY

Date	Received	Paid
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Church St Johns	75
	Colonist to 1 <sup>st</sup> July	6 50
X2	Sim wages	10 00
9	Church St Johns	1 00
11	Carry Hare – Mrs OR’s bill for articles bought by private sale	85 00
12	J. P. Davis auction bill, see diary	248 25
13	A R Robertson subscription to Church funds, Cathedral & St Johns	10 00
“	Pooley share of buggy hire, 1 <sup>st</sup> July	5 50
“	Church Cathedral	1 00
14	“ “	1 00
16	“ “	2 50
21	Ferriage to [illegible] & returning	2 00
“	Stage fare to B. Inlet & returning	2 00
22	Colonial Hotel N. W. X	17 50
“	Enterprise to N. W. & returning	7 50
“	Steward meals, Fish, Fruit	5 50
23	Church Esquimalt	1 00
15 <sup>th</sup>	Dr Helmcken in full	75 00
27	Dunlop for Carriage to Esquimalt	5 00
“	R Savage express waggon	2 50
“	Coloured man Do	- 50

“	McKenzie	- 75
“	Casamayor acct in full	70 32
26	Barnard & Co C. C. May & June	156 00
“	Dunlops Hostler	2 50
30	Church St Johns	1 75
31	Paid into Bank fr Capt Hare see diary	68 50
“	Share of buggy to funeral R. Woods	1 50
31	Fanny – wages to date in full	20 00

#### CASH ACCOUNT – AUGUST

Date	Received	Paid
4	Hawkins acct fruit & vegetables	6 87½
“	Do fruit	2 00
6	Church St Johns	- 75
X”	Ah Sim wages	20 00
7	Cur Reau, Chinaman, vegetables	7 75
9	Newberry – Dog chain	- 50
“	Siffken Pew Rent St Johns to 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept	12 50
9	Henry King for Hay – see diary	83 75
X”	Ah Sim wages Cur Reau fr Chinaman 2 work days	1 00 2 50
X10	Sam Chinese Cook wages in full to 5 <sup>th</sup> Augst	25 00
13	Fare to Yale – “Royal City”	5 00
14	Hautier – breakfast	1 00
20	Uren Savona Ferry (see diary trip last)	3 00
“	Jones Cache Cr	50
21	Cornwalls – meals &c fr 2 trips	15 00
“	Nelson – Spence bridge	2 75
22	Hautier	3 00
22	Dart – B. Bar meals	4
24	McQuarrie – Franks boots	8 25
“	Tuttle meals	2 00
“	H. B. C. Tooth brush	37½
“	McQuarrie – Lord Dufferin fund	10 00
25	Fare to N. W. Royal City	5 00
“	Steward Meals Beds &c	10 00
26	Fare self & Carry to Vic	15 00
“	Steward meals beds &c	9 00
27	Church Cathedral	1 00
29	Drake my share of water pipes	212 -
“	Do -my share of side walk	12 00
30	Redfern repair of trinkets fr Mrs Tait	2 00

#### CASH ACCOUNT – SEPTEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
1 <sup>st</sup>	Fanny – wages	20 00
“	Mrs Levy – fruit	2 75
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Church - Cathedral	1 00
4	Boat hire – Esquimalt	- 50
“	Indian – Grouse	- 50

5	Elvin – drayage Maple Bank	5 00
“	Grouse – Indian	- 50
6	Digby Palmer	10 00
“	Goodacre & Co acct to 31 <sup>st</sup> May	100 50
“	Thompson Baker acct 31 <sup>st</sup> Augst	61 29
“	Rueff & Co	109 97
“	C. W. R. Thomson for Investment in Loan investment Society	1500 00
X5	Telegram to Capt Hare – Care of Mr Booker	2 50
X7	Ah Sim wages	5 00
X10	Ah Sim wages	20 00
“	Church St Johns	- 50
11	Sam – Cook – wages to 5 inst	25 00
“	Telegram to Hormer C. C.	- 50
14	Rudolph acct in full	14 50
“	Williams – book binding	5 50
17 <sup>th</sup>	Church Cathedral	1 00
20	Chinaman Fish & vegetables	- 75
23	Wadley – roast of beef	2 00
“	Waller grapes	- 25
“	Churn dash	75
25	Sayward – Lumber bill	28 60
“	Brodie Findlay Durham acct	17 50
“	J. C. Bales – price of buggy	125 00
“	Pitts – box grapes	1 75
“	Heathorn – pr boots fr Frank	4 00
27 <sup>th</sup>	Clute shot 8 lbs	1 00
“	Cunningham – box wads & shot	1 25
29	Morrison share of expense of trip to Pitt Meadows	4 50
30 <sup>th</sup>	Hotel Bill Colonial N. W.	5 00
“	Fare – Enterprise up & down	7 50
“	Steward Meals & beds, & Fish	4 75
“	Maynard Express waggon fr Enterprise	75

#### CASH ACCOUNT – OCTOBER

Date	Received	Paid
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bowman – Carriage hire	15 00
4 <sup>th</sup>	McMillan – school tax	3 00
5	Johnston for Grapes	1 00
8 <sup>th</sup>	Church St Johns	50
X”	Ah Sim wages	20 00
11	J. P. Davis – Fairfield auction acct	
11	Two Chinamen – labour on Croquet ground	21 25
18	S. Pitts Grapes	
16	C. W. R. Thomson fr L. I. Society	1000 00
20	Hautier Meal	1 00
21 <sup>st</sup>	Spences Bridge – Nelson’s Bed & Meals	3 00
26	J. Uren – Beds Meals &c	7 00

27	Ashcroft 2 lunches	1 00
30	Fare to Yale & return – Royal City to N. W.	10 00
“	Steward - Meals Beds &c	10 50
30 <sup>th</sup>	D. Mueller – 71 lbs @ 45 cts butter & keg	32 95
31 <sup>st</sup>	Stewart & Braden water pipes cocks &c	50 25

#### CASH ACCOUNT – NOVEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
8	Mary Whittaker on washing amt	10 00
9	Fanny wages	20 00
12	Church St Johns	1 50
13	Ah Sim Cook wages in full to 12 <sup>th</sup> inst	30 75
“	Wannacott – (\$5 <u>still due</u> )	20 00
“	Sim on acct wages	20 00
15	Wm Pottinger – 2 tons carrots	30 00
29 <sup>th</sup>	Murphy fr attendance on the cow	10 00
“	Ah Sim wages &c in full to 17 <sup>th</sup> inst	34 92
30 <sup>th</sup>	Church Cathedral & St Johns	5 00
“	Chinaman - work in garden	5 00

#### CASH ACCOUNT – DECEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Denny & Spencer fr Mrs Dewdney	19 75
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Church St Johns	- 75
4	White, Express man	1 00
5	Chinaman work in garden to date	6 25
7	Wannacott in full to date	14 25
4	Mary Whittaker washing in full	20 00
8	“Standard” to 14 <sup>th</sup> Octr	6 00
“	Johnston St Grouse Fish Fruit	2 00
9	Chinaman work in full in garden to date	5 00
10	Church St Johns	- 75
11	Chinaman 1 day at walk	1 25
“	Style Gard 2 days in garden	5 00
14	Parcel postage to H Cornwall & presents	3 75
“	Indian – broken leg	1 00
19	Miller fr Meals &c pr Hughes	3 00
19	Steward Reliance meals &c	4 00
20	Young Water Colonial N W	2 00
“	O. Hare fr ducks	1 50
“	Fares fr “Otter” to N W & return	10 00
“	Steward meals &c	4 00
“	Indian at N. W. broken leg	1 00
16	Ah How - Cook – wages on acct	20 00
22	Ah Huey to 18 <sup>th</sup> inst in full	25 00
“	Toys fr Children – Dewdney	
“	Cash to Children fr toys	
23	Present to Fanny	20 00

22	Hett – Cemetery fees	35 00
	Arthur Pinder – pr Carry	12 50
24	Church St Johns	1
25	Do - “	2 50
27	Maynard Express wagon	75
29	Russell – bringing hat fr Esquimalt	1 00
30 <sup>th</sup>	William’s man Carriage hire 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	3 00
“	Bucket drayage in full	8 62½
“	Canton – Chinaman work in full	5 00
31 <sup>st</sup>	Church St Johns	1 50
“	Fanny wages in full to date	20 00
30	Miss Robinson in full	20 00

## BILLS PAYABLE / RECEIVABLE

BILLS PAYABLE – DECEMBER		Amt
1876		
May		
16 <sup>th</sup>	In hand	61 50
RECEIVABLE		
[no entry]		

## NOTES

Mc Murphy  
 Dr Ash in re  
 McMurphy children 5 out  
 of 6, boys, moon blind  
 the closest 22 yrs youngest  
 3 yrs -----

McMurphy  
 applies for appointment of Bailiff as Broken  
 & appraised under C C Act  
 Broom P. 29  
 Insolvency  
 Fees of Court, Clerk [*illegible*]  
 official [*illegible*]