

DIARIES OF PETER O'REILLY

1858 – 1905



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1895

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SAMPLE DIARY PAGE

Peter O'Reilly's travel diary during Indian Reserve Commission trip to Alkalai Lake and Canoe Creek. August 30 - September 2, 1895

Friday 30th Augst
 Up at 4 o'c. Bowyer 15-6 - Drove
 in stage about 4 miles ^{accompanied by Grete & I at 3 o'c} took about 35 miles
 Laid off 7. He & I did not get back to Moor's
 till 9.36 - Always tired - Intensely hot, had
 lunch with walk of a new Indian horse

Saturday 31st - Rather stiff up at 5.30 - started
 at 10.7 - in advance of Bell - arrived at Dog
 Co 20.11 - 17 miles - R. Lunched at the Chinaman
 George - who gave us a capital meal - Beer
 Arrived Canoe Cr 6.30. Camped a mile above
 the village - horses tired. 15 miles today for
 while at dinner - Prentice passed the route to
 Ashcroft - with 20 miles to make to

Sunday 1st Sept. - Remained in camp, heard
 used up - Bell called during the day he
 brought 4 lbs mutton for the P.C. & other Co
 Had a talk with the Indian Menard & 12
 Bought 6 Geese

Monday 2nd Sept. - Up at 4 - By great effort got off
 at 6.15 - drove miles where we took horses
 & rode to Alkalai Lake - inspected old deer, laid
 out 2 - Small reserves - Craig & Johny asked in what
 he called a winter paper - 6.72 miles - Not supported by
 the chief or any of the tribe. Drove to Rabbit's camp, ca

The mountains are an insignificant mass 16 miles

DIARY SUMMARY

Frank, Kit, & Jack O'Reilly go ice skating at Colwood, and prepare for a ball in aid of the Protestant Orphans' Home – Peter O'Reilly attends a meeting of the B C Corporation – “acacia” and apple trees pruned.

FEBRUARY

Peter attends shareholder meetings of Albion Iron Works “a most unsatisfactory shewing”, Canadian Pacific Navigation Company “very unsatisfactory statement of accts”, and Victoria Gas Company “satisfactory” – Peter becomes a director of Albion Iron Works, continues to finance mortgages, and suffers from his leg condition – Jack plays football.

MARCH

Peter arranges lease of Fairfield fields at \$15 per acre – the O'Reilly family continues to attend St Johns, St Saviours, and Christ Church Cathedral on Sundays mornings and evenings.

APRIL

Carry O'Reilly attends a maternity home meeting – Tenth anniversary of Peter and Carry's carriage accident – potatoes planted in field at Point Ellice - James Campbell, employee, drunk and let go.

MAY

The Robert Jacksons arrive from England – Kit is photographed on her horse – Fairfield is prepared for the arrival of the Trutches from England - Lady Julia Trutch arrives first looking ill – Peter and Frank O'Reilly call on the naval officers at Esquimalt – Queen's Birthday festivities - Sir Joseph Trutch arrives at month end.

JUNE

Peter attends meetings of the B C Corporation and Albion Iron Works – Julia Trutch's health continues to decline, the doctor's report not encouraging – Peter and Carry attend a lecture by the well-known journalist David Christie Murray “a very enjoyable performance” - Joseph Trutch must decide who should tell his wife Julia of her cancer diagnosis – Peter and Carry aid Julia and Joe.

JULY

Water closets, fixtures, and sewers replaced at Point Ellice – death and funeral of Julia Trutch – Joseph Trutch is depressed, suffers from indigestion, and contemplates returning to England, Peter stays with him at Fairfield – Jack takes his “Intermediate Exam”.

AUGUST

Albion Iron Works performance “unsatisfactory” – Robert Jackson leaves for England – Peter O'Reilly meets with Prime Minister Mackenzie Bowell to discuss Indian Reserve Commission matters – attends Mark Twain's lecture, “a failure greatly disappointed” – IRC lays out reserves for Alkalai Lake Indians.

SEPTEMBER

Reserves defined for Canoe Creek Indians – Kit and Jack O'Reilly take a trip to Alaska – Peter declines an invitation to Government House to meet Quebec Lieutenant Governor Joseph-Adolphe Chapleau – the family attends the agricultural exhibition - Peter completes the IRC Annual Report

OCTOBER

Peter continues to lodge at Fairfield with Joseph Trutch – attends director's meetings of the B C Corporation and Albion Iron Works – “Shooting season” commences and Jack goes hunting often.

NOVEMBER

Albion Iron Works operations remain “very unsatisfactory” – State Ball given by Governor General Lord Aberdeen and Lady Aberdeen – Peter and Carry attend a dinner for the Governor General at Government House for forty-two guests.

DECEMBER

Peter and Carry O'Reilly and her brother Joseph Trutch spend much time together during his final days in Victoria – death of Bishop George Hills in England, memorial service held at Christ Church - Trutch meets with lawyer Aikman regarding his will – Joseph Trutch, “greatly depressed”, departs for Kootenay and England – Kit, Frank, & Jack go to a dance at Government House given for Admiral Stevenson.

REFERENCES & COMMENTS

1895-01-05

Mildred Jane “Milly” Tyrwhitt-Drake
(1869-1961)

Fourth child and third daughter of Montague William Tyrwhitt-Drake and Joanna (Tolmie) Trywhitt-Drake. Married Geoffrey Barnardiston (1868-1940) in 1902.

1895-02-04

Albion Iron Works buildings

General view of some of the Albion Iron Works buildings in Victoria, BC about the time of Peter O'Reilly's election as Director.



Image: Albion Iron Works, corner of Chatham and Store Streets, Victoria, looking east on Chatham (BC Archives, F-09751, 189-)

1895-02-04

John Bryden
(1833-1915)

Coalmine manager, businessman, politician, president of Albion Iron Works, treasurer of Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway.

1895-02-19

Bagster Roads Seabrook
(1865-1950)

Engineer and inventor, manager of Albion Iron Works (1895-1903).

1895-03-04

Caledonian Grounds

Recreational field in Victoria west of Beacon Hill dating from 1887 and owned by the St Andrew's & Caledonian Society, a Scottish cultural association. The site was used for lacrosse and cricket before being redeveloped for housing in the early 20th century.

1895-03-07

Robert Earle Knowles
(1840-1918)

Dairyman of the Carnsew Dairy on Moss St in Victoria from about 1890 to 1902.

1895-05-10

Peter & Kathleen O'Reilly at Point Ellice

Peter and Kathleen O'Reilly on carriageway at Point Ellice, possibly with horse “Blackie”. Kathleen sits on a side saddle.



Image: Peter O'Reilly with his daughter, Charlotte Kathleen O'Reilly (BC Archives C-03914, no date)

1895-05-22

HMS *Hyacinth*

Royal Navy corvette launched in 1881 and sold in 1902.

1895-06-12

William Edgar Oliver
(1867-1920)

Married Mary Eleanor “Nelly” Ward (c.1870-1959) in 1896 in Victoria.

1895-08-15

Sir Mackenzie Bowell

(1823-1917)

Newspaper publisher, politician, served in Canadian Senate from Quebec (1892-1917), 5th Prime Minister of Canada (1894-96).

1895-08-15

Hayter Reed

(1846-1936)

Militia officer, office holder, businessman, Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs (1893-97) replacing Lawrence Vankoughnet.

1895-08-21

Victoria Theatre – “Mark Twain”

Samuel L. Clemens as “Mark Twain” gives his talks and readings at the Victoria Theatre in Victoria.



Image: *Victoria Daily Colonist*, August 18, 1895

1895-10-23

Prevost Island

Island in the southern Gulf Islands of British Columbia, became a favorite hunting location for Jack O'Reilly who purchased land there in 1907.

DIARY – 1895

JANUARY

1895-01-01

TUESDAY

A perfect New Years day. Sharp frost calm & clear & bright. Kit & Jack joined a party, went by special train to Colwood where the having had good skating, & had an enjoyable day.

Harry Helmcken, R. Ward, W. Pinder, W. Cornwall, Col. Baker & Chas Vernon called. In bed all the day. The brothers Cuppage & Newton dined.

1895-01-02

WEDNESDAY

Hard frost, slight fall of snow Carry attended meeting at the maternity home.

Kit & Jack went in the Young America with a party to Colwood to skate they returned early, famished ice too rough – no sport.

1895-01-03

THURSDAY

About 10 in. of snow on ground, & still falling heavily, quite a foot deep by noon. My leg slightly better, remained in bed all day

General Booth arrived, he took up his quarters at Pentrelew.

Commenced to thaw about 5. P.M.

1895-01-04

FRIDAY

Thaw continued mildly all day Snow disappearing rapidly Got up at 2.30. Green came out, wrote report re Commission and Surveyors work for coming season Carry & Kit in town.

1895-01-05 *

SATURDAY

Very mild thaw all the day, though there were some heavy showers

of snow, which turned to rain.
Green came out at 1- P.M.
Kit went for a walk to Govt
House & to the Wards.
Drummond, Milly & Nelly Drake
paid me a visit
Frank dined in town. Kit & Jack
went to the Opera Tar & Tartar by
the Pyke Opera Co

1895-01-06

SUNDAY

Slight fall of snow, thawing
Carry Kit & Jack went to St Saviours.
I remained in bed till 3.30. – Robt
& Mrs Ward, Crease Drake & Garforth
called.
All remained at home
during the evening.

1895-01-07

MONDAY

Slight frost during the night,
thawing, the snow disappearing fast
Carry & Kit went to town.
Green, Skinner & Devereux came
out, when the two latter were informed
that they were temporarily discharged

1895-01-08

TUESDAY

Rained heavily till noon.
Went to town in a carriage, attended
Directors meeting B.C.C.
Kit, & Carry paid Mrs Thomson
a visit, Thomson returned with them.
Frank attended Committee
Meeting Union Club.
A load of Bark delivered during
a downpour of rain

1895-01-09

WEDNESDAY

Heavy rain, & high wind during the night.
A good deal of snow still remains.
Fine afternoon, rain again during the
evening. Cornwall & Temple
arrived at 11- AM, & spent the day. C.F.C.
went to the Pearses for dinner. Temple
remained with us. Green came out with
reference to the survey of Southdown Mt
Ward Alice & Nelly paid us a visit.

My leg improving.

1895-01-10

THURSDAY

Rained heavily nearly the whole
day – very mild.
Green engaged with C.F.C. made plan
of original location at Ashcroft.
Green came out at 3 P.M.
C.F.C. Temple & Mrs Cornwall dined
with us. The latter remained late &
had some music.
My leg much better, but troublesome
when in perpendicular position.

1895-01-11

FRIDAY

Bright Sunshine with alternate
showers of rain. Frank seedy
Exciting rat hunt in cellar, Campbell
& the Chinaman engaged in the chase.
Mrs Drake, C St A Pearse called. Garforth
came to tea. Carry & Kit attended
St Saviours Sunday School treat.

1895-01-12

SATURDAY

Fine with occasional showers.
My leg better. Kit went for a ride to Govt House
Frank seedy. Cornwall lunched with us, he
leaves for home tonight. Ward & Alice &
Thomson & wife called.
Kit & Jack dined at the Driard with
Newton & Tollemache & party, they afterwards
went to the Theatre – Richard III – by the
Thos Keen Co

1895-01-13

SUNDAY

Cold stormy day – heavy showers of snow
Carry started for St Johns, but was
compelled to return. Kit & Jack went
to Ch. Ch. – Frank still seedy, he remained
in bed. – Jack paid visits at the
Dunsmuir &c. Kit at Sunday school
All at home during the evening

1895-01-14

MONDAY

Cold raw day. Exciting rat hunt in
cellar – no result.
Attended Directors meeting B.C.C.

In office. My leg still troublesome
Carry & Kit went to Govt House to inquire for Mrs Glennie & the others
Frank still unwell, in bed

1895-01-15
TUESDAY

Cold & raw. Exciting rat hunt in cellar no result, made a thorough search
~~Attended Directors meeting~~
with Campbell & Moon.
Remained at home. Green came out at 2- P.M.
Wrote J.W.T. – sent Memo of Int.
Also Memo of Acct re Fred St. House, but not complete.
Kit Seedy.

1895-01-16
WEDNESDAY

Bright & clear but cold. – Green came out re Amended Minute of Decision Res.
No 4 Kaitzie Inds.
Carry went for a walk paid some visits & a few bills.
Kit Seedy.
Frank much better.

1895-01-17
THURSDAY

Rained slightly all the day.
Went to the stable & cow house for the first time for a month. Everything disgracefully dirty. Campbell as usual rude when spoken to said he had too much to do &c &c, & that he wished to leave when his [month] is up.
A Tinker repaired down pipes &c
Frank improving, but unable to go out.
Drove to town with Frank, voted at Municipal Elections. Teague elected for a second term as Mayor.

1895-01-18
FRIDAY

A lovely day. I office
Did not get home till 5-45,
had to remain at powerhouse $\frac{3}{4}$ hour
Carry & Kit in town & paid some visits.

1895-01-19
SATURDAY

Raining slightly all the day.
I office.
Jack played Football – Old Country v. Colonists – the former won by 5 points
Mrs Baker called she remained to tea.
Barnes dined, afterwards music

1895-01-20
SUNDAY

Very fine bracing day, blowing S.E.
Missed the tram & going to Church
Carry, Kit, & Frank went to Vic West
Jack suffering from a bad cold, & very stiff from the effects of football.
Drummond & Alice Garforth & Barnes called.
Frank lunched at the Barracks & dined with Charley Vernon.

1895-01-21
MONDAY

Bitterly cold. In town – interview with Aikman, Robt Ward & W.C.W.
In office
Green went to Cowichan at 3. P.M. re the floating of logs down the river.
Carry & Kit came to the office
Home at 5 P.M.
Frank & Barnes drove to Beaver lake to examine the site for Filter beds.

1895-01-22
TUESDAY

Dull morning. Lovely afternoon
In town paid some bills.
Goodacre came out at 3. P.M. sold the “Brenda” cow for \$50.
Campbell pruned the Acacia tree
Kit dined at Highwood & went to the Theatre with the Wards
Barnes came out in late, he dined with us & went to the Theatre with Jack.

1895-01-23
WEDNESDAY

Very bright after a white frost.
In office.
Drove with Frank to F-field, he borrowed 2 vols Institute C. E. books
Talked with Harding re pruning of trees

in orchard. Paid Mrs Glennie a visit at Govt House. Effie, & Maude Dunsmuir, Clare Drake Barnes Newton Tollemache, & Nonie Powell dined with us. The Dewdneys returned fr. Ottawa.

1895-01-24

THURSDAY

Very fine bright bracing day
Attended meeting Directors B.C.C.
E.D. paid me a long visit at the office. We met Carry & Kit, & all went together to Govt House to tea.
Hurt my skin against a chain in dining room.

1895-01-25

FRIDAY

Sharp frost, bright & bracing.
In office
Paid the Old Doctor a visit
Frank dined at the Club

1895-01-26

SATURDAY

Hard frost. In office
Long chat with W.C. & R. Ward re A.I.W. They both urged me to consent to become a director.
Frank & Kit went to Colwood with Effie Dunsmuir to skate. Jack went in a bus
Drove Carry to all on the Thomsons.

1895-01-27

SUNDAY

Frost, very bright & clear
Carry Kit & I went to St Saviours
Canon Paddon officiated
Jack & Frank lunched with Garforth on the Pheasant.
Col. Prior called also Garforth who accompanied Carry & Kit to the Cathedral at 7- O.C. – Garforth Barnes & Pearse came to supper.

1895-01-28

MONDAY

Frost slightly overcast with every

appearance of thaw.

In office

Frank Kit & Jack went to skate at Colwood where they were entertained by the Bros Galpins. Torch light procession Band of the B.C.G.A. was in attendance they did not get home till 11- P.M.

1895-01-29

TUESDAY

Very mild, thawing.
Carry Kit Frank & Jack worked all day at Assembly Hall preparing for the Ball in aid of the Protestant Orphans
Paid a visit to Vowells house, all night.
In office
Home at 3-30 pruned the acacia trees with Campbell.
Vowell returned from Kootenay

1895-01-30

WEDNESDAY

Slight rain damp & raw.
In office. Had long talk with R.W. – Steve worked in field
Home at 3-30. – Campbell pruned the apple trees
Carry Kit & Frank busy preparing Assembly room for Ball in aid of Protestant Orphans. They went to Ball 8-45 & took Clare & Milly with them. They report the dance supper &c a great success.

1895-01-31

THURSDAY

A slight frost, beautifully bright & mild day. – In office at 10 A.M.
Carry & E.D. arrived at 1- P.M.
We three lunched at the Assembly room & afterwards paid a visit to the dog, & Poultry show.
Thomson & afterwards Nelly Drake called.

FEBRUARY

1895-02-01

FRIDAY

Very fine & mild. In office 10 AM
Vowell paid me a long visit.
Had chat with W.C. & R. Ward re C.P.N. Co

Campbell pruned the apple trees
Newton & Pearse called, had tea.
Carry Kit Frank & Jack went to the
Drakes – progressive Whist dining &c

1895-02-02

SATURDAY

Mild Spring like day.

In office.

Carry & Kit went to town

Campbell pruned the apple trees in
the Garden. Jack went with Gordon
to shoot at the Spit Lagoon.

E.D. & Jin Win, Jas Dunsmuir & wife
Dr Hannington & wife & Gillespie dined
with us. – Jack went with Gordon
to the Lowens.

1895-02-03

SUNDAY

A lovely day very mild

Carry & Kit went to St Johns at 11 A.M.

Frank & Jack to St Saviours

Remained in bed till 3 P.M.

My leg troublesome again

Capt Lewis Temple Cornwall &

Fred Foster called.

1895-02-04 **

MONDAY

A lovely day – my leg very threatening

Attended General Meeting of the
A.I.Ws Co – a most unsatisfactory
shewing. R. Ward & I elected

Directors, Bryden President &
Manager with salary to be fixed at
Subsequent meeting.

In office. Mrs J. D. Pemberton
& Ada, Newton & Tollemache called
Kit & Frank dined at Highwood.

1895-02-05

TUESDAY

Very fine morning – afternoon cloudy

Attended General Meeting
of the C.P.N. Co – very unsatisfactory
statement of accts – no details, over
valuation of Strs but nothing
attained by the Shareholders.

Div declared 5% J.W.T. - \$350-

Self 250-

In office. Barnes called, he

remained to dinner Singing
Mrs Ward & Alice called.

1895-02-06

WEDNESDAY

Very fine warm day

E.D. paid me a long visit

Carry & Kit went for a walk

My leg troublesome remained in
the house all the day.

Campbell returned \$11.25 sale of bottles.

1895-02-07

THURSDAY

Foggy morning – overcast rather cold

Remained in bed till 2- P.M.

My leg somewhat better.

Drummond Alice Nelly & F. Ward
dined with us.

1895-02-08

FRIDAY

Cold & overcast – threatening snow.

In bed till 2 P.M. bathed my leg
with [*left blank*] and applied the
cold poultice as directed by Dr Davie
two years ago

Carry & Kit called

Kit dined at Mrs Crofts.

E.D. Musgrave & Thomson called

1895-02-09

SATURDAY

A lovely day very bright & warm

Remained in bed till 2- P.M.

Jack played football, Old Country v

Colonists the latter won by one point

The Bishop & Miss Perrin called

Carry & Kit went for a walk

Franks Birthday

Barnes dined with us

1895-02-10

SUNDAY

Another perfect day very mild &
warm. – Did not get up till 2- P.M.

Carry, Kit, Frank & Jack went to
St Saviours at 11- AM.

E.D. & Ward the two Robertsons
called. – Frank called at Govt House
& on the Galpins. – Jack paid visits
with Barnes.

Barnes Pearse & [left blank] came to Supper.

1895-02-11

MONDAY

N.E. wind – cold. In bed till 1- P.M. Kit Seedy. Barnes digging in field. Mrs Jas Dunsmuir called. Frank dined in town, at Club.

1895-02-12

TUESDAY

Sharp frost N.E. wind, bright & cold. Accompanied by Frank drove to Fairfield – Harding & Wood spraying the trees in orchard, expect to finish tomorrow. Left note from Carry & my card for Evan Thomas. E.D. & Jin Win, Thomson & Mrs T. & Vowell called. BARNED worked in field Carry, Kit & Frank went to concert for benefit of Professor Buck.

1895-02-13

WEDNESDAY

Very lovely bright & calm Frank lunched with Barnes & went with him to shoot at the Lagoon

1895-02-14

THURSDAY

Very fine bright & mild. Attended General [illegible] annual meeting of the Gas Co. – result of ½ yrs operations under adverse circumstances satisfactory A Div at the rate of [left blank] % declared J.W.T. - \$200- C. A. Hare 200 John T. 140 OR 470 Attended meeting Directors B.C.C. Evan Thomas & Barnes dined with us Bishop Perrin & sister left for England

1895-02-15

FRIDAY

Very charming day. Took a short walk round the place, the first time this year. Hunted all my papers for Wells, tailor, acct without effect. Mrs Charles & Katie

& Mr Jenns called

1895-02-16

SATURDAY

A splendid day. Georgie & her daughter Georgie surprised us they arrived last night to have Georgie Junr's arm attended to – they went to the hospital by appointment Drs Hannington & Jones pronounce the arm to be broken & the elbow dislocated. Jack went accompanied by Steve to shoot at the Lagoon

1895-02-17

SUNDAY

Very fine & mild, threatning rain during the evening. Carry Kit & Frank went to St Johns Jack accompanied me to St Saviours Canon Paddon officiated. Crease, Wm Cornwall, Tom Pooley Fowkes & Col Baker called. – E.D. & Jin Win & Georgie came later. Saw the latter to Mrs McDonalds, & brought Kit home, she had been young Georgie company while her Mother came to us.

1895-02-18

MONDAY

Heavy rain during the night, mild & fine during throughout the day. In office. Saw Aikman re Tolmie Morgt which he sd would be paid off today. E.D. & Vowell called at the office. Also Georgie with whom I had a long chat.

1895-02-19 *

TUESDAY

Mild but slightly overcast In office. Vowell paid a long visit Attended Directors meeting Musgrave A.I. Ws – a most disgraceful state of affairs – the bookkeeper Seabrook reported gross irregularities. Musgrave Garforth & God [left blank] dined with us [overwritten text] Frank committee meeting Tennis Club

he remained at Club
to dinner

1895-02-20

WEDNESDAY

Heavy rain during the night, fine day
In office.

Harding paid me a visit, gave
him cheque \$16- for wood 8 day work
in orchard at F-field

Vowell long interview re Ind affairs
Carry & Kit paid visits. They all
went to the Theatre to *[left blank]*

1895-02-21

THURSDAY

Heavy rain at night, damp
raw day.

In office. Long chat with
R.W. & T. R. Smith re Albion affairs
very discouraging evidence of the
state of ~~affairs~~ things at the Works.
The two Georgies lunched at Pt Ellice
Drummond & Alice came to tea.
Kit & Frank dined at the Robt Wards
Carry & Jack went an exhibition of Gas at
the theatre.

1895-02-22

FRIDAY

Rained heavily at night, & at
intervals during the day.
In office long visit from E.D.
Home at 3.30. Campbell
finished pruning the apple trees
Temple Cornwall dined with us.
Brian Drake went into the
Jubilee Hospital.

1895-02-23

SATURDAY

Rained slightly till about
noon fine evening – bright & clear
Campbell absent on parade from
1- to 5 P.M. – Jack played
Football – Old Country v Colonists, the
latter one by one point.
Frank went with a party to shoot
ducks at Saanich.

1895-02-24

SUNDAY

Very fine & mild.
We all went to St Saviours at
11- AM. Canon Paddon officiated
Drove to the Thomsons where I paid
a long visit.
Ward, & Pearse & Temple Cornwall
called while I was absent
Frank returned from Saanich
Carry Frank & Kit went to the
Cathedral at 7- PM.

1895-02-25

MONDAY

Very fine. In office. Roper
paid me a visit, he looks very ill.
Dewdney called long chat with him.
Vowell also.
Long interview with Ward
Called to see Luxton.
Kit & Jack went to Mrs Crofts
progressive whist, & a dance

1895-02-26

TUESDAY

A perfect spring like day, mild & bright
In town early. Long chat with R.W. and
afterwards with E.C.B. when I delivered J.W.Ts
letter re Telephone Stock.
In office.
Roper lunched with us, took him for a
drive in pony carriage – went to Jubilee
Hospital to see Brian Drake. We called at
Govt House. Frank went to Conservative
meeting. Kit & Jack to Philharmonic Hall to see
Lady Sparke's evening party – Amateurs.

1895-02-27

Ash **WEDNESDAY**

A lovely day very mild.
Saw Aikman re Austins morgt to be
foreclosed. Pooley re political situation
& about A.I.Ws affairs. – Had long
chat with the Old Doctor
In office.

1895-02-28

THURSDAY

Very fine. In office early.
Long chat with Dewdney
Campbell pruned the hedge opposite

the bedroom windows.
Drummond Alice & Nelly & young
Wilson dined with us.

MARCH

1895-03-01

FRIDAY

A perfect day very bright & mild
In office
Bought Draft on London in favour
of Carry Hare £[*left blank*] = \$232-50
Do Louie Ellis “ 152 –
Newton & Pearse called
Frank & Kit dined at Govt House.

1895-03-02

SATURDAY

Slight frost. A lovely bright & mild day
In office long talk with Vowell
Jack played football [*left blank*] College
v Victoria Club the latter won by
3- points. Kit went for a ride with
Mr Pearse & Alice Pooley. – Frank played
Went with Carry for a drive to Beacon
Hill, Ross Bay & home by the Jewish
Cemetery. Called at Ohlsons, & bought
roses. Newton Pearse,
dined with us. Revd Barber returned from
England

1895-03-03

SUNDAY

A sharp frost – very fine bright day
Carry & Kit went to St Johns, Jack
to the Cathedral. Frank & I went to
St Saviours. Archd Scriven & Mr Barber
officiated.
Paid the Thompsons a visit, Robt Ward
& his family, W Ward & young Davis there also
Carry & Kit accompanied by Garforth went
to the Cathedral at 7 O.C.

1895-03-04 *

MONDAY

White frost. Steve worked in garden.
In office -in consultation with Vowell
re water supply for Ashcroft Indians
Saw Aikman re application from the
Caledonian Society for loan \$6,800- on
the Caledonia grounds, also saw Ward, re

same subject.

Mrs Ward & Alice the latter leaves for
Chilcotin tomorrow. Godson called.

1895-03-05

TUESDAY

Frost very fine bright day.
In office. Saw Aikman &
afterwards Ward with reference to
application from Caledonian Society to
borrow \$6,800 on the Caledonia
grounds.

1895-03-06

WEDNESDAY

Slight frost a lovely day bright
& Spring like. – In office
Drove with Frank to Fairfield returned
his book which he had borrowed, searched
for JWT's missing Bank Book & papers, could
not find them. Called to see the Georgies
said good bye to Alice at the Tennis court
Jin Win lunched with us & went with Jin Win
& E.D. to Saanich, returned at 7- P.M.
Kit & Frank dined at Pooleys. Roper rude.

1895-03-07 *

THURSDAY

Slight white frost a beautiful
bright warm day.
In office. E.D. paid me a
visit. Conferred with Aikman
re Knowles proposal to lease the
two Fairfield fields @ \$15 pr acre
Drove Carry & Georgie round Beacon Hill called
at F-field & had a talk with Knowles re renting of
the fields.

1895-03-08

FRIDAY

Slight frost – warm bright day.
In office. Long talk with R.W. re
A.I.W. = Steve worked in garden & rolled lawn
Drove with Kit to Hospital to inquire
for Brian. Called at Govt House to inquire
for cabbage & cauliflower plants.

1895-03-09

SATURDAY

Frost Slightly overcast cold westerly
wind, threatning rain.
In office. Paid some bills.

Carry & Kit went for a drive, & left a sack of vegetables for the Pinders.
Drove to Thomsons, met him & Graves & returned, drove them to town.

1895-03-10

SUNDAY

Rained during the night, bright clear bracing day rather cold.
We all went to St Saviours at 11- O.C. The Revd Barber officiated.
Croft & his wife lunched with us.
Ward & young Davis, & Garforth called
Carry & Kit went to St Saviours at 7- P.M.

1895-03-11

MONDAY

Heavy Showers during the night. Cold raw day – heavy showers of sleet & hail
Theo Davie sworn in as Chief Justice.
Spent two hours at the Gas Works to witness with Thomson a test of the Auer Gas burner.
In office.

1895-03-12

TUESDAY

Rained during the night – wild stormy day, bitterly cold. – Attended meeting of Directors Gas Co at 10 AM to consider the offer of Auer Light Co, nothing decided.
Attended meeting Directors A.I.Ws at 11- AM.
In office.
Carry Kit & Jack went to the Theatre to hear Revd [*left blank*] lecture

1895-03-13

WEDNESDAY

A sharp first. A man from the A. I. Works examined the Kitchen Range which is cracked & the brick work requires to be reset.
Attended meeting of Directors B.C.C.
In office.
Drove over to inquire for Mrs Thomson
Thomson absent at Vancouver.

1895-03-14

THURSDAY

Very hard frost. Cold but bright day
Up early. J. Bullen bricklayer
from the Albion I. Works reset the

kitchen range.

In office.

Campbell ~~bought~~ planted some cabbage plants bought at Fells store

1895-03-15

FRIDAY

Very fine bright day but cold.
In office. Vowell called fussy as usual.
T E & Georgie dined with us

1895-03-16

SATURDAY

Cold, bright clear day. In office
Waited for T.E. but he did not turn up. Jack played Football match Ireland v Creation – the latter won by 3- points. Kit & Frank watched the game. Drove Carry to Beacon Hill, we also witness the game for a short time.
T.E. & Georgie dined with us. We afterwards went to the Concert – Irish Melodies.

1895-03-17

SUNDAY

Very fine mild & Spring like.
Carry, Kit & I went to St Johns Revd Jenns officiated. Frank & Jack went to St Saviours
Drove to Thompsons paid a short visit
Temple Cornwall & Barnes called
Carry Kit went to Church at Cathedral
T.E. & Georgie came at 7- & remained to supper
Barnes also

1895-03-18

MONDAY

Slight frost. Bright clear day
In office. E.D. paid me a visit
he & Jin Win afterwards drove to Point Ellice to shew their new Carriage.
T E & Georgie dined with – they leave tonight for Penticton. Little Georgie is to remain for further treatment.

1895-03-19

TUESDAY

Bitterly cold, blowing a gale from N.W. Most unpleasant day. Clouds of dust. – In office. Did not get home till 5 P.M.
R Ward & wife & T. R. Smith

dined with us.

Frank & Jack attended Conservative meeting.

1895-03-20

WEDNESDAY

Showery cold day – bright afternoon
In office. Attended meeting
of Directors B. C. Corporation.
Mrs Ward Nelly & Miss Cox and
Garforth lunched with us.
Campbell got into a row with a
Chinaman on the Gorge road, & was
summoned to appear tomorrow
Temple Cornwall dined with us.

1895-03-21

THURSDAY

Slight rain – fine & bright, but rather cold
In office.
Campbell fined \$10- & 4.25 costs for
assaulting a Chinaman. Serve him right
Carry & Kit in town. After lunch they
paid Mrs Thomson a visit
Willy & Annie Pinder dined with us

1895-03-22

FRIDAY

Cold raw day frequent showers
of snow sleet & rain
In office.
Frank left at 3 P.M with Gordon
to fish at Duncans – “Lunatics”.
Little Georgie Ellis spent the day
with us. Kit went for her to the
Home & took her back at 6 PM
[loss]

1895-03-23

SATURDAY

Very fine. In office.
Drove alone to F-field & to Govt House
E.D. laid up - a bad cold
Took a sack of vegetables to the Pinders
Willy & Annie in great trouble having recd
unfavourable report from J.W.T. as to their
boy Willy being able to pass the Exam for
paymaster in the Navey.
Frank returned from Cowichan, no sport.

1895-03-24

SUNDAY

Bright clear col day.
Kit Jack & I went to St Saviours. Carry
& Frank to St Johns, & Carry & Kit to the
Cathedral at 7- P.M.
Gibson & Prior called. Georgie Ellis
dined & spent the day. Flo Wilson took
her to the nurses home at at 6 P.M.

1895-03-25

MONDAY

Very fine & Spring like
In office
Frank & Kit played Tennis at Esquimalt
with Mrs [Beamsden] & Garforth
Drove with Carry to Fairfield. Wood
commenced to harrow & plough the orchard.
We called at the Pinders & at Berryman
Garforth came to dinner intending to go to the
Horse training Exhibition – too late.

1895-03-26

TUESDAY

Heavy rain at night cold showery day
In office
Garforth dined with us we all went to
Gleason Horse training Exhibition

1895-03-27

WEDNESDAY

Violent storm wind & rain
during the night. Fine afternoon
afterwards showery.
In office
Long talk with Ward, & afterwards
with T. R. Smith.
Mrs Drake called.

1895-03-28

THURSDAY

Cold & overcast morning – fine afternoon
My cold very heavy. Remained in doors.

1895-03-29

FRIDAY

Very fine bright day, but cold.
My cold no better, remained in
the house.
Carry & Kit called on Mrs McCallum
Carry Kit Frank & Jack went to the
Horse training performance by

Oscar Gleason.

1895-03-30
SATURDAY

Fine slightly overcast
My cold very heavy
Frank played Gol[f] in the Tournament
Kit & Jack also went to see the play at
Oak Bay.
Carry had the rose trees pruned
by Campbell.

1895-03-31
SUNDAY

Fine & bright.
Carry & Frank went to St Saviours
Kit & Jack to St Johns.
My cold very heavy, but slightly
better than yesterday
Georgie Ellis dined & spent the
afternoon. Rose Jenns came for her at 6 P.M.
E D & Jin Win, Crease Ward Barnes &
Brian called.

APRIL

1895-04-01
MONDAY

Bright morning, & mild. Showery during
the afternoon.
The Old French Woman left the
Cottage & gave back the key.
Campbell went to town at 7- PM to
attend a drill of [*left blank*] & did not return
during the night
My cold very troublesome all the day.

1895-04-02
TUESDAY

Rained heavily during the night.
Fine till about noon – very stormy
afternoon.
My cold slightly better. Attended Directors
meeting A.I.Ws.
Recd per Ward Telegram message from
J.W.T. “Going”.
Campbell did not return till 8- P.M. said
that after Drill he went to a dance at Telegraph Hotel
& over slept himself – evidently had been drunk.
Steve mild the cow cleaned the horses &c.

Garforth dined, he & Frank went to the horse training
exhibition

1895-04-03
WEDNESDAY

Rained heavily during the night & forenoon
Cold & stormy
Carry attended meeting at Maternity Home
Sent Carriage harness to be cleaned by Norris
My cold very little better

1895-04-04
THURSDAY

Jacks 22nd Birthday.
Jack rode Blackie to F-field early.
Harding came out at at 10 AM.
Very cold & stormy – showers, hail
sleet & rain.
Carry bad cold confined to her room
My cold slightly better, but still heavy.
Willy Pinder & wife paid us a visit.

1895-04-05
FRIDAY

Jin Wins Birthday
Cold N.W. wind
Carry much better
My cold still very troublesome.
Reen came out for a couple of hours,
he reports Mrs G. very ill, Temperature 103-
E D & Jeanie, Thomson & Mrs T. paid
us long visits.
Garforth dined & accompanied
Kit Frank & Jack to Oscar Gleasons
horse training performance.

1895-04-06
SATURDAY

Slight frost followed by
A lovely mild day.
Took a walk round the place for an hour

1895-04-07
SUNDAY

Mild bright day.
W.C.W. paid a long visit
Mr & Mrs McKenzie, W. Cornwall
called
Spent a most unpleasant day.

1895-04-08
MONDAY

A lovely day mild & balmy.

Campbell packed shrubs bulbs &c &c
for Mrs Trench & Mrs McKay.
In garden nearly all the day.

1895-04-09

TUESDAY

Fine & clear but rather cold.
Steve worked in field
Wilkinson, carpenter, brought 2 small
frames & put them up in garden.
In office.
Campbell very unsatisfactory & rude

1895-04-10

WEDNESDAY

Bright clear day. Cold E. wind
In office.
Long chat with W.C.W. in office

1895-04-11

THURSDAY

Cold & stormy showery.
In office

1895-04-12

Good **FRIDAY**

Frank left at 8 AM to fish with
Green at Cowichan
Carry Kit & self went to service at
St Saviours at 11- AM.
Jack went boating with Gordon & the Lowens
A very lovely day bright & very warm
Campbell & Steve planted a few drills
of potatoes in field.
Jack brought Gordon & Mr Winter to
dinner.

1895-04-13

SATURDAY

In town. Chat with Hamley
One of the most unpleasant days
I can remember – high wind &
clouds of dust. My eyes very
painful, & not improved by the
dust.

1895-04-14

Easter **SUNDAY**

Fine but rather cold
Carry Kit & I went to St Johns
Revd Jenns officiated
Holy Communion.

Jack went to St Saviours
Temple & young Foster called
Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral 7- OC.

1895-04-15

Easter **MONDAY**

Fine & bright all day.
Campbell & Steve planted
potatoes in field.
Barnes called he remained to
lunch & went up the Arm to fish
with Kit & Jack.

1895-04-16

TUESDAY

Most unpleasant day squally
hail sleet & rain very high wind.
In office
Mrs Trench & Miss Cox lunched
with us.
Garforth came to tea and
remained to dinner.

1895-04-17

WEDNESDAY

Cold Easterly wind, bright & clear
In office
Long interview with E. C. Baker
re Telephone stock for J.W.T.
Drove to Govt House found E.D.
very seedy confined to his bed.
Paid Robt & Mrs Ward a visit both
recovering from recent colds.
Frank returned from Cowichan

1895-04-18

THURSDAY

Bright & clear but cold E. wind
Campbell swept dining room
chimney.
Steve & Moon beat carpet.
Beanlands paid us a visit
Carry & Kit called on Mrs Pemberton
Annie Pinder came to tea
The 10 anniversary of my accident

1895-04-19

FRIDAY

Very bright & fine, but cold.
In office.
Chat with R.W. & T.R.S. re B.C.C. & A.I.Ws
matters.

Beaumont & Pearse called, tea
Garforth came to say good bye & remained
to dinner – he leaves tomorrow for Alaska
H M Paulson rented the Cottage
on Henry St at \$7-00 per month

1895-04-20
SATURDAY

A lovely day. Campbell drunk
again & unable to do anything. In the
afternoon he handed over the stable &c &c
paid him in full to date \$12- and
he took his departure.
Steve did the work in stable & about
the place.

1895-04-21
SUNDAY

A lovely day. Up at 7- AM
Steve came early & assisted to ~~put~~
feed the animals &c.
Albert Janes commenced
work at \$25 per month, to be
increased to \$30 after two months
if satisfactory.
Carry & Kit went to St Johns at 11- OC
Frank to St Saviours. Kit & Jack to Esquimalt
at 7- P.M. Georgie dined & spent the day.
[overwritten text]
Morely & Rose Jenns
called

1895-04-22
MONDAY

A lovely day very warm.
Carry very busy in her garden
assisted by Wee.
In office.
Vowell paid me a visit, he leaves
for Harrison Springs tonight.
Beaumont called.

1895-04-23
TUESDAY

A perfect day – very warm & balmy.
Cary busy all day superintending
the cleaning of the drawing room.
Janes swept the chimney under
Franks direction.
Attended Directors meeting
A.I.Ws – things more satisfactory.
Temple exercised Blackie, & dined.

1895-04-24
WEDNESDAY

Very fine warm day.
Carry worked all the day in the
garden with Wee as assistant.
In office
Long talk with W.C.W. re
A.I.Ws & Bank matters.

1895-04-25
THURSDAY

Very fine. In office.
Drove to Fairfield
Long talk with T. R. Smith re
A.I.Ws & B.C.C. matters.
Eileen & Georgie lunched with Carry
T.E. paid me a long visit, he dined with us
Eileen also
Kitty went for a ride with Pearse
to Prospect Lake
Carry Kit Frank Jack & Eileen went to the
Theatre

1895-04-26
FRIDAY

Very fine. In office.
Wrote some letters.
In formed Green that the Dept
intended to dispense with his services
after 30th June. – He went to Cowichan
at 5 P.M.
Drove Carry to Govt House to
inquire. Kit & Jack went to Saanich
at 7-30 to private Theatricals.
T E dined with us

1895-04-27
SATURDAY

Frank laid up with bad sore throat
Bright clear day round rather
dusty in town. Dull afternoon
very like rain, which did not come.
In office. – Paid R Ward a
visit at his office where I met Dick.
Gave Canon Paddon a cheque \$10-
on acct of Revd Lipscomb.
Paid the Thomsons a visit.
T.E. dined & remained till nearly 11 OC

1895-04-28
SUNDAY

Frank better but still confined to his bed

Very charming day.
Carry Jack & I went to St Saviours
at 11- AM. Carry Kit & Broadwood
went again at 7- P.M.
Temple called

1895-04-29
MONDAY

A very perfect day.
In office. E.D. paid me a long
visit.
T.E. dined with us.

1895-04-30
TUESDAY

Very fine
Attended Directors meeting B.C.C.
In office. E.D. drove me to Govt
House where I lunched.
Drove early to F-field met Grimm
& arranged with him to paint the
carriage for \$25. Norris to do the
trimming.
T.E. dined with us.

MAY

1895-05-01
WEDNESDAY

Very fine. In office, did
not get away till 5½. Beaumont
& Pearse called.

1895-05-02
THURSDAY

A lovely day. In office
Had long chat with R.W. & T.R.S.
re A.I.Ws.
T.E. & Georgie Junr dined with
us. Carry, Kt, Frank, Jack
& I went to the Theatre. "Martha" by
the Amatures in aid of Cricket Club.
Fairly successful.

1895-05-03
FRIDAY

Another lovely day. Slight rain the
early morning. In office long talk with Vowell
Wee planted the asparagus plants
sent by [*left blank*] & Co to replace the
failures of last year.

Kit went for a ride accompanied by
Pearse.
Carry Kit Frank Jack & I went to Theatre
to see the opera of [*left blank*]

1895-05-04
SATURDAY

Very stormy day clouds of dust in
town. In office. Paid Ward a
visit when I met Townsend.
E.D. & Jin Win drove over & paid
us a short visit.
R. E. Jackson & Mrs Jackson arrived
from England.

1895-05-05
SUNDAY

Rain during the night, bright
clear day. Carry & Kit & Frank went to St
Johns – Jack to St Saviours
I remained all day in the house
My leg threatenng to be troublesome.
Jackson & Johnston paid us
a visit the former looking wonderfully
well. Willy Pinder & his two children
called.

1895-05-06
MONDAY

Rained during the night, an
unpleasant day in town, high
wind & dust. In office. Vowell paid
a long visit, he presented me with
½ Doz nice trout.
Drove to the Thomsons & then to Govt
House. E.D. goes to Kamloops tonight
to meet his horses expected fr. Regina.
Kit Seedy.

1895-05-07
TUESDAY

~~Another charming day. In office~~
Rained heavily during the night
& forenoon. – Attended Directors
meeting A.I.W. Co
R. Ward & Mrs W. Gillespie & wife, Dr
Jones & wife & Capt Huntingford dined
with us.
Jackson paid me a long visit, he told
me all about the threatened suit
Bostock v Jackson

1895-05-08

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day. Chat with Ward & afterwards with Robt.

In office.

Drove to Fairfield. Called on Mrs Jackson – called on Mrs R Ward out – inquired for Mrs W.C.W. better but confined to her room. Green dined with us

1895-05-09

THURSDAY

A perfect day. In office
Vowell paid me a long visit
Jackson came to office had a chat with him.
Home at 3.45 PM.

1895-05-10 *

FRIDAY

Very unpleasant day wind & dust.
In office.
R. Ward & wife & Smith & wife lunched with us. Kit was
Photographed on her horse, afterwards the party was grouped.
Green left for Cowichan at 5.30

1895-05-11

SATURDAY

Very fine. In office.
D. Higgins & H. Chapman had an encounter in the Power House.
Harding reported the horse George lame. – Drove with Kit called to inquire for Mrs Ward, out. Went to Fairfield examined George – a bad bruise in front of forefoot. We paid Mrs Thomson a visit.

1895-05-12

SUNDAY

Fine forenoon. Missed the Tram & remained at home
Carry Frank Kit & Jack went to St Saviours at 11- O.C.
Jackson & wife dined & spent the day with us. – A tremendous storm a perfect hurricane throughout the evening.

Kit & Frank went to the Cathedral at 7- P.M. Jack at the Lowens. Green sent 9 fine trout.

1895-05-13

MONDAY

Very mild & bright, a good deal of damage the result of yesterdays storm. Long talk with R. Ward while E.D. joined us. Lunched at Govt House went for a drive with E.D. round Beacon Hill, & home to Point Ellice. Jack rode “Blackie” to F-field in the morning – later in the day he developed lameness in the off shoulder.

1895-05-14

TUESDAY

Blackie very lame tuned him into field
A lovely bright day. In office
Long chat with R. Ward & afterwards with W.C.W.
Went by train paid a visit at Highwood, & I said goodbye to Robt & Mrs Ward, accompanied by their children, they leave tonight fr. England
R.W. gave me the Photos taken by him on Friday. – Carry & Kit also called.
Arthur Jones drove me home.

1895-05-15

WEDNESDAY

Threatning to rain all the day.
In office. Called on Smith re B.C.C. business
Carry called for me in carriage drove to F-field -the Horse “George” still very lame
Drove Mrs Jackson to the Cemetry
Blackie better but still lame

1895-05-16

THURSDAY

Seedy – Threatning rain dull cheerless day. In office.
Vowell in force re Vowell.
Barnes called talked to him re Lee Yeun going to F-field, O.K.
Drove Barnes to town – picked up Jackson – drove him & Mrs J to Govt House and then round Oak Bay Hotel over new road
The Jackson & Johnstons dined with us

1895-05-17

FRIDAY

Slight rain in forenoon – fine after 12 O.C.
In office. Long visit from Jackson
when the Bostock trouble was again gone into.
Letter fr Dept re retention of Green
on terms stated.
Revd Barber called.
Green went to Cowichan, 5 3. P.M.

1895-05-18

SATURDAY

All appearance of rain has passed
away. In town. Conference
with T. R. Smith re B.C.C. matters.
Saw Grimm & Norris re repair
of F-field Carriage.

1895-05-19

SUNDAY

Very fine – rather cold & dull afternoon
Carry Kit & Frank went to St Johns
Jack & I to St Saviours.
Temple Cornwall dined with us. R Wilson
W. Cornwall young Holmes called
Carry went to St Saviours at 7- P.M.
Kit & Jack to Cathedral
Revd Barber came to supper
Frank left for Vancouver to meet Julia on
Tuesday. Crease & Mrs C. left on Assize
Circuit.

1895-05-20

MONDAY

Fine but overcast – threatening rain
In office. E.D. paid me a
long visit.
Carry drove me to Fairfield to
see the house put in order.

1895-05-21

TUESDAY

Fine but rather stormy. In office
Vowell paid me a long visit.
Drove with Carry to F-field ~~Julia in bed~~
Afterward attended Executive meeting
Synod at Collegiate College. Carry, Jack & I
met the Charmer at 7-15. – Julia
arrived escorted by Frank, she looks very
ill & thin.
Lee Yeun & Mrs Freeman? Commenced work

1895-05-22 *

WEDNESDAY

Strong West wind clouds of dust in
town very unpleasant day in town.
In office. Carry drove me to
F-field. Julia resting in bed.
The Maidservant Mrs [*left blank*] satisfactory
Accompanied by Frank proceeded to
Esquimalt. Called on Admiral Stevenson
out. Saw Stanley, Hornby, & G. Ward.
Called on the Hyacinth, Capt May out.
Sent off 2 telegrams & 1 letter to J.W.T.

1895-05-23

THURSDAY

Threatning rain cold & raw East wind
In office.
Drove F-field. Julia still
complains of being fatigued, she
remained in bed.
Home at 3.30. Paid the Thomsons
a visit.
Very busy preparing for tomorrows
entertainment.

1895-05-24

FRIDAY

Very threatning all the day. Rain at intervals
The Regatta a great success, the
usual boat & canoe races came off
The Jacksons, Mrs Trench, Revd Barber
the Pinders Temple &c lunched with us.
The Admiral took our party for turn in
his launch & returned with his staff to tea.
A goodly number came to supper

1895-05-25

SATURDAY

Threatning rain all day. Glass very
low. Sham Fight on Beacon
Hill all the Naval & Military forces
were represented – very successful.
Kit joined the Dewdney party & lunched
at Govt House where the Admiral & Staff
was entertained. Carry & I went to F-field
Julia in bed, but said she was better. Drove
with Carry Jack & Temple to the Races, very poor
sport. – Temple dined with us.

1895-05-26

SUNDAY

Slight rain in the early morning.

Fine day.

Carry Frank Jack & I went to St Saviours.

The Jacksons & Temple dined with us. Barnes & Bryan came to tea.

1895-05-27

MONDAY

Very fine the rain appears to have passed away.

In office

Drove with Carry & Kit to Fairfield
Julia out for a walk, much better

Took Mrs Jackson for a drive round
Beacon Hill & by the coast to Oak Bay
Frank out with Kirk yacht race

1895-05-28

TUESDAY

Bitterly cold all the day, glad to have a fire in the evening.

In office.

Long chat with T. R. Smith re
A.I.Ws

Drove to F-field with Carry.

Julia remained in bed, she says she is much better.

1895-05-29

WEDNESDAY

Cold raw day very stormy, heavy showers of rain

Frank left at 6.30 with Mr [left blank] in a canoe for Cowichan.

In office. E.D. paid me a

long visit. Vowell excited re Small pox scare among the Indians.

Could not get to F-field owing to the heavy rain

1895-05-30

THURSDAY

Cold raw day N West wind

In office.

Drove with Carry to Fairfield

Julia very complaining she looks ill – remained two hours with her

Grave Mrs Gillespie a drive to town
Green dined with us.

1895-05-31

FRIDAY

Fine & bright, but cold

In office.

Vowell paid a long visit, his office is being refurbished up.

Drove with Kit to F-field. Julia much better apparently, we strolled about the rocks for 1½ hour.

J.W.T. arrived per “Charmer“ looking well. Drove with him to F-field. Carry & Kit arrived later.

JUNE

1895-06-01

SATURDAY

A lovely day – bright & warm. All appearance of rain has disappeared.

Drove in Transfer Carriage fr. town to F-field where I spent the day. Julia very complaining.

Carry & Kit arrived at 3. P.M.

We got home at 7- P.M.

1895-06-02

SUNDAY

A lovely day – mild & warm, no wind
Carry & Kit went to St Johns. Jack & I to St Saviours.

Paid the Thomsons a visit

Carry & Kit went to St Saviours at 7- P.M.

1895-06-03

MONDAY

Very stormy & very dusty on town.

Met J.W.T. by appointment with him to lunch at F-field

Carry arrived in pony carriage, we paid Mrs Jackson a short visit

Julia very complaining. Mrs Freeman has left, saying she was ill.

1895-06-04

TUESDAY

Went to A.I.Ws meeting adjourned

Pooley unable to attend. Long chat with Bryden & Smith re Stove department, & repairs to Vigelant.

Office undergoing repairs

Lunched at Club with J.W.T.
Julia reported to be better.
Carry & Kit went to Highwood, Tennis party. – Frank returned from Cowichan

1895-06-05

WEDNESDAY

Very fine. R.E.J. in high spirits having won his case in the Supreme Court, had a long chat with him.
Attended meeting B.C.C. only self & Smith present.
Had a Sandwich at Club with J.W.T.
Spent a couple of hours at F-field.
Gordon dined with us.

1895-06-06

THURSDAY

Kit seedy.
Very warm day – no appearance of rain.
My office still undergoing repair
E.D. opened his new Tennis Court, intended to be present, but remained at home.
Carry & Frank went.
Chat with J.W.T. who reported Julia to be very complaining & suffering pain.

1895-06-07

FRIDAY

Very warm. Attended meeting A.I.Ws
Drove with J.W.T. to F-field to lunch
Carry arrived drove home with her, very late.
The Jackson, Col. & Mrs Peters, Miss Hathaway Lieut Collard “Royal Arthur” & Croft dined with us.
Green went to Cowichan at 5. P.M.

1895-06-08

SATURDAY

Very warm. Saw “George” shod, walked about town too much. Had a short chat with W.C.W. – In office
J.W.T. reports Julia no better.
Carry & Kit went to Esquimalt, Cricket & Band. – Frank attended Races at Stanley Park – he dined at the Club.

1895-06-09

SUNDAY

Very fine & warm day – nice cool breeze.
Carry & I went to St Saviours. Kit &

Frank to the Cathedral.

Jackson (Mrs J. not well) & Croft dined with us.

Jack lunched on board Royal Arthur with Collard. Temple & Morely called.
Kit & Carry went to the Cathedral at 7- P.M.

1895-06-10

MONDAY

Very fine & bright – high wind clouds of dust.
In town at 10- AM. Long talk with Smith re St “Vigilant”
In office. J.W.T. very much troubled about Julia who is no better. Carry, & Kit paid a long visit at F-field.
Green & George Bushby dined with us.

1895-06-11

TUESDAY

This day twelve month Sir Matthew died.

In office. Carry & J.W.T. came – the former greatly depressed
Julia had a bad night & suffered much. Later J.W.T. drove to Pt Ellice & reported Julia to be much better.
Rose cow went to the Ball

1895-06-12 *

WEDNESDAY

A lovely forenoon, blowing half a gale throughout the evening.
In office. Pooley & I interviewed Vowell re repair of Str “Vigilant”.
J.W.T. paid me a visit. Todd, Ind Agent, called to shew me letters from Bishop Ridley re conviction of Fred Allen Kingcolith Ind, very condemnatory of Todd
Mrs Ward, Beatrice Abbott, Nelly & Oliver
Mrs Pooley Alice & [illegible], Effie Dunsmuir Miss Harvey & Jackson spent the afternoon, tennis.

1895-06-13

THURSDAY

Bitterly cold. High wind & dust in town. In office. J.W.T. paid me a visit – very depressed – Julia no better. Dr Jones called in, he & Dr Helmcken held consultation

J.W.T. drove to Pt Ellice. Doctors give a discouraging report. Carry Kit & Frank went to dance at Govt House

1895-06-14

FRIDAY

Very stormy cold & unpleasant. In office. J.W.T. paid a long visit went with him to F-field. Julia did not appear no better suffering a great deal of pain. Carry & I returned in Joes carriage. Called to see Mrs Jackson. She & R.E.J. go to Cowichan tomorrow with Dunsmuirs to a dance on Royal Arthur.

1895-06-15

SATURDAY

Fine the wind, slightly moderated Streets crowded Foresters parade Long talk with Ward. In office. Drove with J.W.T. to F-field. Carry took Julia for a short drive in pony carriage, went with J.W.T. in his carriage round Beacon Hill & back to Pt Ellice. Kit & Jack went to Esquimalt, Cricket & Band. Frank went to Cowichan

1895-06-16

SUNDAY

Still cold, but fine. Carry & I went to St Saviours. Kit & Jack to Ch Ch they lunched at Fairfield. – Carry took Julia for a short drive in pony carriage. Called on Dr Jones – he described the complaint as malignant disease of the intestines – “Cancer”. – Temple called Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral. Frank returned from Duncans, no sport

1895-06-17

MONDAY

Another unpleasant day, cold & windy In office. J.W.T. very depressed Julia suffered greatly during the night No improvement. Carry took her for a drive Home at 5. – Kit went to Mrs

Pooleys to tennis.

1895-06-18

TUESDAY

Very stormy, clouds of dust, looks like rain. In office J.W.T. greatly troubled – no better report of Julia. Carry & Kit [*left blank*] Joseph Gilroy commenced work at \$25 pr month. He is to sleep in town till Friday when Janes leaves.

1895-06-19

WEDNESDAY

Slight rain very threatning, cleared up at noon – very fine. In office. J.W.T. called Julia reported to be slightly better Vowell in great force at prospect if selling Crows nest property. Tennis – The Pooleys, Effie Dunsmuir the Miss Harveys Mrs & Mrs Barnsden Nicholson Lowring Flo Wilson Rose Jenns Eileen Mrs Ward & Mrs Jackson The Admiral. The Barnsdens & Miss Harvey remained to dinner.

1895-06-20

THURSDAY

A good shower of rain during the night, very fine. In office till 5- P.M. Carry spent the day at Fairfield Julia not better. Saw Dr Jones – he sd he had no reason to alter the opinion he had previously expressed &c. Carry Kit Frank & I went to the lecture given by David Christie Murry, a very enjoyable performance

1895-06-21

FRIDAY

Rained heavily at intervals during the forenoon. In office. J.W.T. in great grief – poor man fully realized the dangerous condition of his wife Carry spent the day at Fairfield The Jacksons dined with us. Kit & Frank went to a progressive whist party at Mrs Ridgeway Wilsons

1895-06-22

SATURDAY

Alfred Janes left – paid him in full.
A lovely day. Everything refreshed
after last night's rain
In office. J.W.T. in great trouble
decided that either Carry or Canon
Paddon should tell Julia critical
state. Met him Carry & Kit in Weilers, selected
chairs &c. – Kit & Jack went to the
races, Gymkhana. – Paid the Thomsons
a visit. J.W.T. drove Carry home.
T.E. dined with, he left for home

1895-06-23

SUNDAY

Very fine, but windy.
Went with Jack to St Saviours.
Carry & Kit to the Cathedral.
Col Baker with us
George Ward, George Johnston, Nelly & Oliver
Thomson & Ward called.
Carry went to St Saviours at 7- P.M.
Revd Barber came to supper.

1895-06-24

MONDAY

Carry went to stay at Fairfield
A lovely day – very bright & warm.
In office. Kit & Carry drove to
F-field – they afterwards arranged with
Weiler about furniture, went with
Carry to F-field & drove [*illegible*] to town.
Kit went to tea at the Ladies Club.
Carlow cut the hay in field for
which I agreed to pay him \$3-00.

1895-06-25

TUESDAY

Roasting hot – not a breath of
wind. In office. Attended
meeting B.C.C. only Smith present
J.W.T. called went with him &
Carry to F-field.
Julia on the rocks looking very
much worse. Went with her, Joe &
Carry for a short drive.

1895-06-26

WEDNESDAY

One of the very hot days of the season
In office. Long chat with W.C.W.

& also with Jackson who is greatly
exercised about a letter he had
recd from Archer Martin re Bostock
J.W.T. called went with him to
F-field – helped Julia down stairs
& into the carriage took a drive with
them.

1895-06-27

THURSDAY

Sent Invalid chair to F-field.
Intensely hot throughout the day
In office. Long chat with T.R.S.
re the Ker application.
Also with Gillespie. J.W.T.
called at 2.30 – went with him
to F-field. With great difficulty
got Julia to take a drive accompanied
by Joe & Carry. Drove Kit home. J.W.T.
came for her to remain the night at F-field

1895-06-28

FRIDAY

Very fine. Glass low, threatening rain
Gilroy & Wee busy hay making
In office. Talked with Aikman
re J.W.Ts affairs
Drove to Fairfield. Julia had had
a bad night, but was not suffering much
took her out in chair. J.W.T. drove me
home.
Green went to Cowichan

1895-06-29

SATURDAY

Gilroy & Wee finished the hay
just before the rain commenced
which lasted all day.
In office. Jackson excited
about an insolent letter he had recd
from Archer Martin.
Called on Dr Jones – he gave a most
discouraging report of Julia.
J.W.T. drove me home – sent by him to F-field
Salmon Spinach Pillow Covers towels &c &c
Frank went with Worsfold to fish at [*left blank*]

1895-06-30

SUNDAY

Slight rain in the morning
lovely afternoon.
Went to St Saviours at 11- OC

Archd Scriven officiated.
Kit & Jack went to the Cathedral their
Mother returned with them. Jackson
& wife dined with us also Temple.
Barnes called, he called to Supper.
George & William & Mrs Preston
arrived at F-field.

JULY

1895-07-01

MONDAY

A Holiday

A lovely day very fresh after
the recent rain.
Worked in the garden with Carry
till lunch. Drove her to F-field
at 3- P.M. She went for a drive
with Joe, & Julia the former apparently
no better, though not suffering so acutely
Mrs Drake paid me a long visit
Frank returned fr [left blank] he brought
a nice dish of trout.

1895-07-02

TUESDAY

Very fine & bright
Attended meeting of Directors B.C.C.
In office. J.W.T. called – reports
Julia not suffering so keenly.
Went with Frank to David Christie Murry's
lecture at St James Hall.

1895-07-03

WEDNESDAY

Fine but threating rain.
In office. My leg very
troublesome – seedy. Came home
early & remained in doors.
J.W.T. drove Carry home, she
remained the night.

1895-07-04

THURSDAY

Raining off & on all the day
Rathe seedy, in bed during the afternoon
Attended meeting of Directors
A.I.Ws.
Gilroy scattered the fish
manure over the meadow land.
Julia not better, had a bad night

suffering a great deal of pian.

1895-07-05

FRIDAY

[no entry]

1895-07-06

SATURDAY

Very fine all day.
Colbert & [left blank] came to look at
sink pipe fr scullery they are to
return with inspector Park on Monday.
Moon rude & noisy.
Remained in house my leg very
troublesome. Frank went at 5 PM
to troll for Salmon. Kit & Jack also went
to Esquimalt to try their luck. Carry & JWT
drove over & stayed an hour
[overwritten text]
Julia partook
of the Sacrament.
She refused to drive
for the first time

1895-07-07

SUNDAY

Intensely ward. My leg very
troublesome – remained in bed
Kit went to St Johns at 11- AM.
Jack & Frank spent the afternoon
at F-field assisting to nurse Julia
Miss Wright, Ottawa, & Louisa
called, also Jackson.

1895-07-08

MONDAY

Very warm & oppressive.
[left blank] the Sanitary Engineer
inspected the sewers W.Cs &c
he ordered new closit fixings cistern
ventilators & traps which means a
heavy expense.
Drove with Kit to town she went to F-field
& returned soon Julia suddenly worse Drove
J.W.T. back to F-field in a hurry. – I remained
there till 7- P.M. The Jackson, Miss Wright
& [left blank] had high tea & went up the Arm

1895-07-09

TUESDAY

Intensely hot. [left blank] & Colberts
men [left blank] working at the

sewers & W.C's

In office. Drove with J.W.T. to F-field remained till 6 O.C. drove home with Kit. Called to inquire for Charles who is threatened with another attack. Nelly Drake caught an 18½ lb Salmon she & Milly brought it over for my inspection.

1895-07-10

WEDNESDAY

Intensely hot & sultry.

Colbert & his assistants still at work at W.C's.

Remained in bed till noon
my leg no better.

J.W.T. accompanied by Annie
Pinder arrived at 6- he remained
an hour.

Kit went to Govt House at 5. Frank
joined her later, high tea.

1895-07-11

THURSDAY

Another oppressive day very warm

Remained in bed till 5.30

Kit went of Fairfield early, she
drove to Bishop Cridge to say that
Julia wished to see him & Mrs Cridge.

Kit drove her Mother home she
remained a couple of hours, when J.W.T.
took her back to F-field.

1895-07-12

FRIDAY

Very fine. Remained in bed
till 4 P.M.

Carry & Kit at Fairfield all day.

Julia reported to be gradually
growing weaker – her sufferings
very great but most uncomplaining
Jack & Frank with Brian Prior
& Worsfold played tennis.

W.C.W. paid me a long visit J.W.T.
drove him home.

1895-07-13

SATURDAY

Another bright clear very warm
day. – My leg slightly better

remained in bed till noon.

Thomson paid a long visit

J.W.T. drove Carry over they remained
a couple of hours. – Julias condition
unchanged.

1895-07-14

SUNDAY

Carry at Ffield. Kit & Jack went
to the Cathedral. Frank at St Saviours
Remained in bed till 1. O.C. Drove to F-field with
Frank at 3- remained till 6. Julia a
good deal changed, she continues to suffers greatly,
the end cannot be far off,
Jeanie called to say good bye
the Pinders arrived & remained a short
time – home at 6.30 – the Dewdneys
paid us a visit & remained to supper

1895-07-15

MONDAY

Very fine – at F-field

all day – Julia perceptably weaker. Dr
Jones says she is not suffering much
except fr. weakness – she was carried as
usual to the lawn where she remained till
7 PM – the Dr says she cannot last over
tomorrow. Poor Joe greatly broken down.
Drove Kit home at 8 PM

1895-07-16 *

TUESDAY

Very lovely day. Went with
Kit to F-field, her Mother sd she had
better not go off to home sent her to Mrs Jackson
Julia sinking fast, the Dr repeated that she
cannot live through the day. Everyone
trying to assist but so little can be done at 5 to 7-
PM the dear soul passed very peacefully passed to
her home, wonderfully possessed of all
her faculties.

Telephoned for Haywood, gave him
instruction at to funeral &c
Remained the night at F-field.

1895-07-17

WEDNESDAY

Could not sleep, up at 5-
relieved the nurses till 7- Drove in Joes
Carriage to Cemetry pointed out site of grass
then to Pearse, absent, to E.D. Ward, Crease
Graham, Drake Pooley Thomson, & Jackson
Pall bearers arranged with Haywood cost &c &c
Saw Beanlands & Paddon, Haywood arrived at

5, body remained in drawing room, Carry much
[left blank]

1895-07-18
THURSDAY
[left blank]

1895-07-19
FRIDAY

A lovely day. – Attended Directors meeting B.C.C. – In office till 5. O.C. Carry & Kit in town procuring mourning J.W.T. with George & Wm Preston arrived after a long walk. Joe greatly depressed. Jackson paid me a visit, he said they would likely leave for England next week Regatta at Esquimalt.

1895-07-20
SATURDAY

Very fine. In town early saw W.C.W. re A.G.P. the Power of Attorney, & the advance made to him by the Manager of the Bank of Kamloops. Saw Dr Jones he promised to get Dr Haningtons acct & send it to me with his own. Drove in Transfer Carriage to F-field. JWT very low spirited, he went for a walk with Wm Preston. Drove home with Mrs Preston in J.W.T. carriage.

1895-07-21
SUNDAY

Very lovely day. Carry Kit & I went to St Saviours at 11- OC. Revd Barber officiated. The Jacksons telephoned to say they could not dine with us. Paid the Thomsons a visit The Dewdneys called & remained to supper. Kit & Jack went to the Cathedral & brought back the Jacksons & Temple to supper.

1895-07-22
MONDAY

Very lovely day. In office all day – home at 5. O.C. My leg very threatenng

1895-07-23
TUESDAY

The Prestons left for their home.

Fine bright day. Carry went for Mrs Jackson. In office. Kit brought the carriage to the office – drove myself to Fairfield lunched with J.W.T. to Cemetry Carry & Kit drove home together. Took up my quarters with J.W.T. at Fairfield.

1895-07-24
WEDNESDAY

Very fine. In office Had a long talk with Jackson who is ~~very~~ undecided what to do, his business matters are very unsettled. W.C.W. advises him to remain till return from England of H. Helmcken J.W.T. no better – lumbago very painful – he is run down in body & in mind.

1895-07-25
THURSDAY

Hot dusty day J.W.T. not so complaining In office, he & I lunched at Pt Ellice. W.C.W. came ~~up~~ down & chatted for a couple of hours.

1895-07-26
FRIDAY

Very fine. In office till 4 PM J.W.T. evidently much out of health bad attack of indigestion Dr Jones came to see him, he ordered him to take medicine Carry & Kit came over, they remained a couple of hours.

1895-07-27
SATURDAY

Slightly overcast, fine day. In office – attended informal meeting B.C.C. – Paid Mr & Mrs Charles a short visit. Carry & Kit came to F-field they remained to dinner We all called on Jackson to say good bye – she informed us that their plans were altered & that they would not leave for some days.

1895-07-28

SUNDAY

J.W.T. very ill during the night, he woke me up at 2 AM better in the morning Ward called for me we drove to Christs Ch at 11. Canon Beanlands preached Hewetson officiated.

1895-07-29

MONDAY

Very fine. J.W.T. better but still seedy. In office. Vowell excited having recd a telegram directing him to join Mr Daily & party on Sunday & to accompany them to Metlakatla in Quadra J.W.T. lunched & dined with us at Pt Ellice. We returned to F-field at 9- PM.
Jack went up for his Intermediate Exam

1895-07-30

TUESDAY

Fine but no appearance of rain, which is much needed.
In office. Tried to find Jackson, but failed. J.W.T. lunched & dined at Pt Ellice he is better, but still much out of sorts We drove back to F-field Jack took the carriage home.

1895-07-31

WEDNESDAY

Very hot day – high wind & dust
In office E.D. paid a long visit
Mrs Jackson & Mrs Johnston lunched with Carry. I drove them home at 5. O.C. & then drove J.W.T. to the Cemetry where the ground was measured for putting in a curbstone
Carry & Jack dined at F-field & drove home at 8 O.C.

AUGUST

1895-08-01

THURSDAY

Very fine in town early Attended Directors meeting B.C.C.
Green got prices for “curbing” from Stonecutter
J.W.T. lunched & dined at Pt Ellice
Frank drove the carriage home

1895-08-02

FRIDAY

Bright & clear. High wind, dust in streets most disagreeable. In office frequent visits from Vowell, he leaves tonight to join the Premier, Daily & Hayter Reed.
Did not leave office till 5. P.M.
J.W.T. exercised at Will Pinders report re Crosdaile, very stupid

1895-08-03

SATURDAY

High wind. J.W.T. better in every way. – In office till noon
Drove with J.W.T. – We dined at Pt Ellice & came to F-field about 10. O.C. in pony carriage. Jack took back the trap.

1895-08-04

SUNDAY

Intensely hot. Ward kindly drove me to Church. Beanlands & Hewetson the latter preached on the Book of Proverbs Holy Communion.
Jackson Crease & Frank called, the latter accompanied J.W.T. for a walk.
Mr Fletcher came at 8 PM
& remained till 10. O.C.

1895-08-05

MONDAY

Blowing very heavily all the day.
Clouds of dust. J.W.T. went to the Cemetry by appointment with Phillips
Attended Directors meeting B.C.C.
Green got prices of granite curbstone
Went to Pt Ellice at 3 OC J.W.T. came out late & remained to dinner
Jack drove pony carriage home

1895-08-06

TUESDAY

Very calm after the storm of yesterday
Attended Directors meeting
A.I.Ws – unsatisfactory. Rithet
Bryden & Pooley advocated the principal of giving commissions to obtain contracts.
Pooley made an unfair attack on R.W.
Went to Pt Ellice. J.W.T. dined with

Carry. – We drove back to F-field.

1895-08-07

WEDNESDAY

Oppressively hot, dust everywhere, the streets in a most disgraceful condition
In office. Long talk with T.R.S.
& afterwards with W.C.W.
Took a drive with J.W.T. who complains of being seedy. Lumbago & generally out of sorts.

1895-08-08

THURSDAY

Very sultry, & unpleasant dust everywhere. – In office.
Jackson called – he informed me of his intention to leave for England on Friday night, tomorrow. Mrs Jackson spent the day with Carry & Kit. She Jackson & J.W.T. dined with us. Drove Mrs J. & J.W.T. home. Jack took back trap.

1895-08-09

FRIDAY

Recd bill of particulars re Bostock
In office early. Jackson in intense excitement – just after his encounter with Pearse, he admitted & regretted having lost his temper, what a pity, two old friends quarrel about a trifle.
Drove with J.W.T. called Govt House found Carry & Kit – the former went home with J.W.T. I drove the pony carriage. Called 3 times on Mrs Jackson – out. They left for England.
Green went to Duncans.
Mr Fletcher dined at Fairfield.

1895-08-10

SATURDAY

Very warm, no sign of rain.
Remained in house. Examined with J.W.T. the contents of his box.
Drove with him to the Cemetery then to Pt Ellice, took up Kit & paid the Thomsons a visit.
We dined with Carry & returned to F-field by Tram.
The Tennis Tournament ended Fowks champion.

1895-08-11

SUNDAY

Very strong wind, the dust most disagreeable. – Ward & Nelly called & drove me to church. Canon Beanlands justified his love for Tennis.
Frank dined with us at Fairfield

1895-08-12

MONDAY

Fine, with Fog & Smoke.
Carry with JWT. Kit & self in buggy went to Goldstream where we lunched & spent several hours. Theo Davy & wife with Lady Thomson and family arrived while we were there.
Got home at 7- PM returned with J.W.T. to Fairfield.

1895-08-13

TUESDAY

Smoke & fog
In office.
Drove with J.W.T. to Fairfield Cemetery to inspect new curb stone
Had a chat with W.C.W. and with Aikman.
J.W.T. dining with us. I went to F-field with him.

1895-08-14

WEDNESDAY

Thick fog & Smoke most unpleasant
In office. Took a drive with J.W.T.
Carry Kit & Frank dined with us at Fairfield.

1895-08-15 **

THURSDAY

Very Smoky. Attended meeting of Directors of Gas Co. – Div declared at the rate of 2½ pr cent.
J.W.T. drove Carry & Jack. Kit accompanied me to Thetis Lake where we had tea, got back at 7. – Returned to F-field with J.W.T.
Sir McKenzie Bowell, Messrs Daly & Hayter Reed & party returned arrived in Quadra from the North & put up at Mount Baker Hotel

1895-08-16

FRIDAY

More Smoke, wind & dust
In office. Hayter Reed called
had a long interview with him re
work of Commission finance &c.
Called Carry called on Mrs Daly &
on Mrs Bowell at the M. Baker Hotel.
J.W.T. dined at Pt Ellice. I returned
with him to F-field.

1895-08-17

SATURDAY

Fog & soke. Drove to the Cemetery
to inspect work done by Smith. Called & left
cards in Sir McKenzie Bowell, Mr Daly
& Hayter Reed at M. Baker Hotel.
Got to office at 11.30 too late to see the minutes
& too late to prevent Reed & Vowell fr giving
instructions to Green. Had an interview with
Reed. – Daly & wife & Mr Bowell & wife
came to Tea. Reed did not put in an appearance
J.W.T. & Frank Carry & Kit lunched at Fairfield
& WCW left for Kootenay.

1895-08-18

SUNDAY

Up at 6- AM. Raw fog & smoke
We all went to St Saviours at
11- O.C. Revd Barber officiated
Carry Cornwall came to us on a
visit she & Temple dined & spent
the day. – Attended the funeral
of Mrs Dobbin. Paid the Thomsons
a visit. – Kit Jack Carry &
Temple Cornwall & Barkley returned to
Supper.

1895-08-19

MONDAY

The atmosphere somewhat clearer
& cooler. Green came to breakfast
& superintended the packing of Kitchen
&c. – Kit Carry Cornwall, & Barkley
went to see the Warrimoo in Dry Dock
Drove to town. Saw the horse “George”
foot examined. In office
Wrote our names in Gov Generals book
paid Mrs Ward a visit – spent a
most unpleasant evening.

1895-08-20

TUESDAY

Slight rain all the day
most acceptable.
Green came to breakfast he
finished the packing.
Attended Directors meeting
B.C.C. – In office
Decided not to start tonight
for Alkalai L.

1895-08-21 *

WEDNESDAY

Fresh & very lovely day after the rain
Green came out to arrange baggage &c
Frank Ellis also paid us a short visit
played Tennis.
We all went to the Theatre to hear
Mark Twains Lecture – a failure
greatly disappointed. Went on board the
Charmer en route to Alkalai Lake
Jack saw me off.

1895-08-22

THURSDAY

Reached Vancouver 8.30. Smooth passage
By Greens advice, breakfast at Merchants
Exchange – Never again. Spent an
hour with Murry Bank of B.C. went by
Tram to Zo [*left blank*] gardens at entrance to
Park. Spent a deary time till the train
left 3- PM. A good crowd, every seat occupied
Saw Dodd at Yale – Supper North Bend
7.30 – Ashcroft 12-20. – Wretched
accommodation at Hotel.

1895-08-23

FRIDAY

Very fine & warm.
Arranged with Tingley re Stage
&c. Cornwall arrived at 9 O.C. he
drove me to Ashcroft . Mrs C. kindness
itself. Paid Mrs Henry a visit – found
Miss Emily Howard there.
Long chat with Cornwall

1895-08-24

SATURDAY

Up at 5. OC. Stage arrived for me
at 5-45. – with Green & Chinaman,
driven by Fred Tingley. Changed
horses at Hat Creek. Clinton at

11-30. Saw Bell called on Mrs Foster. Delivered parcel to Maude Cornwall Posted letters to Carry & J.W.T. Started at 1- O.C. driven by Fred Colombe, 83, at 7.30 – house kept by Webber 68- miles, bitterly cold, Snow Hail & rain.

1895-08-25

SUNDAY

Up at 4.30. Started 5.15. Cold raw morning – a sharp frost. Roads heavy particularly on Bridge Cr. Hill, & to the 108- where we lunched & changed horses Very fine & warm, changed horses, & reached 134- the stables at 5- OC. Billy Morrison in great force. Changed horses & reached Eagles 7-30. Distance 67- miles Judge Heath glad to see me. Sent Ind messenger to inform Drummond of my advent

1895-08-26

MONDAY

Intensely Hot day. Started at 9- O.C. very delightful drive along lake to Pinchbecks. Crossed the Mountain to Isnardys where we arrived at 1- P.M. 15 miles Indian “Mouse” returned fr. Drummonds at 5. PM with note . “Mouse complained that the Ferry men would not cross the river. Fink returned prospector from B-water. Remained at Isnardys for the night wretched accommodation Siwash house

1895-08-27

TUESDAY

Passed a miserable night in “Isnardy Hotel” Up at 4. Drove to Ferry 6 O.C. met Drummond he drove me to his ranch where Alice gave me a hearty welcome. Everything comfortable The brothers [*left blank*] staying with the Drummonds but do not appear to be in great favour.

1895-08-28

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast 7- OC – left at 8.30 in trap with Drummond. Alice on horseback reached the ferry at noon. Green in wagon met me – sent a few Ictas back to the Drummonds. Ascertained that the river mt road was

impassable. After a rough lunch at Isnardy’s started & reached Eagles at 6.30.

1895-08-29

THURSDAY

~~Threatning rain – heavy showers during the afternoon.~~

~~In office~~

Very fine. Up at 5- got off at 7- AM Good Mt Road – passed Felkers & two other settlers. Reached Bowie’s at 2. O.C. 24 miles. Agent Bell met me with whom I arranged to start tomorrow at 6- OC fr Bowie’s. Drove 3 miles to Moors where we were made very comfortable.

1895-08-30

FRIDAY

Up at 4. O.C. Reached Bowies at 6- AM. Drove about 5 miles accompanied by Green & Bell. Took horses, rode about 40 miles. Marked off 7- Res. Did not get back to Moors till 9.30 – awfully tired We were accompanied by the Chief & about 30 Inds.

1895-08-31

SATURDAY

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[*TRAVEL DIARY*]

Rather stiff. Up at 5.30 – started at 10-7 in advance of Bell – arrived at Dog Cr 20-11- 17- miles. Lunched at the Chinaman “George” – who gave us a capital meal – Beer. Arrived Canoe Cr 6-30 camped a mile above Ind Village – horses tired 15 miles fr Dog Cr While at Dinner Prentice passed en route to Ashcroft with 20 miles to make by [*left blank*]

SEPTEMBER

1895-09-01

SUNDAY

[*left blank*]

[*TRAVEL DIARY*]

Remained in camp tired & used up. Ball called during the day he

brought 4 lbs mutton fr the B C Cattle Co
Had a talk with the Inds re the [Meadow] &c
Bought 6 Grouse

1895-09-02

MONDAY

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[TRAVEL DIARY]

Up at 4 – [illegible] effort got off
at 6.15 – drove [left blank] miles where we took horses
& rode to fish Lake – inspected old Dam, & laid
out 2- small reserves. Crazy Johnny asked for what
he called a winter range – 6 x 2 miles – not supported by
the Chief or any of the tribe. Drove to [Robbels] ranch
up the mountain – an infamous road 16 miles

1895-09-03

TUESDAY

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[TRAVEL DIARY]

Rained at intervals [illegible] towards
morning. Started at 7- Rode 6 m
to a meadow owned by Williams [illegible]
returned to Camp at noon. Left in waggon for
Clinton 25 m at 1.10 PM – a horrible
road [illegible] & very rocky – rained
heavily snow & hail, bitterly cold
reached Clinton 25 miles at 7.30
Called to see Foster for a few minutes

1895-09-04

WEDNESDAY

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[TRAVEL DIARY]

Up at 5. Could not
get B-fast till after six got off
at 15-7. Bitterly cold – changed horses
at Hat Cr Ashcroft at 12 noon
Lunched at Mrs Henry Cornwall [illegible]
Mrs Foster arrived to meet Mrs [illegible]
en route to Clinton

1895-09-05

THURSDAY

[left blank]

[TRAVEL DIARY]

Cold threatening rain

1895-09-06

FRIDAY

Train 40 minutes late. Left Ashcroft
Station at 3- AM. Arrived North Bend on
time 7-30, & Vancouver 12-30.
Charmer 7-30 Victoria Frank met
me – found Carry quite well. Kit
& Jack gone to Alaska.
Met Ward & Cambie in train the
former with McCreight accompanied me to
Victoria.

1895-09-07

SATURDAY

Overcast – slight rain during the
afternoon. Green came out at 10-
the Chinaman Hong cleaned the knives
forks &c &c packed them & the tents
away. – Took down the tennis nets.
Paid Mrs Ward a visit.
Rained heavily for a short time

1895-09-08

SUNDAY

A lovely day. Carry Frank & I went to
St Saviours Church – Revd Barber officiated
Carry took Kits class at Sunday school
Wm Cornwall paid me a visit.
Frank lunched with Barnes.
Revd Barber & Barnes came to supper

1895-09-09

MONDAY

Very fine. Attended Directors
meeting A.I.Ws.
In office. Paid T. R. Smith a
short visit.
[left blank] called to see me re an
appointment in the Provincial Police
E.D. & Jin Win dined with us
Frank rather seedy

1895-09-10

TUESDAY

Very lovely day. In office.
Long chat with Hamley missed
seeing E.D.
With Carry called on the Bishop &
Miss Perrin, & on Mrs Charles.
Called Went to Dodds Garden.

1895-09-11

WEDNESDAY

Fine bright day slightly autumnal.
Rained during the afternoon
Left Carrys card on Madam Chapleau
& my own on Hon Chapleau & Royal
The Old Doctor called to interview
Carry re Maternity Home.
Mrs Pearse called.
Carry & I declined invitation to Govt
House to meet Messrs Chapleau & Royal

1895-09-12

THURSDAY

Looks threatening – heavy shower during
the afternoon. – In office.
Carry & I invited to lunch & to tea at home
at Govt House both declined.
Frank preparing for his trip to Albernie

1895-09-13

FRIDAY

Frank left for Albernie accompanied
by Worsfold via Naimo.
In office. Vowell & McKay had
a passage of arms. Dewdney paid
me a visit , & lunched with us.
Drove Carry to Fairfield.
Attended Executive meeting of the
Synod
A lovely bright day

1895-09-14

SATURDAY

Fine morning.
Young Wilkerson put new floor in
Blackies stall
Slight rain about noon
In office. Green at Cowichan

1895-09-15

SUNDAY

Up early. Gilroy incapable and
he remained so all the day.
Attended to the horses &c myself
Went with Carry to St Saviours
Remained at home.

1895-09-16

MONDAY

Gilroy barely able to do his work
up at 6- O.C.

In office.
Drove with Carry to Fairfield.

1895-09-17

TUESDAY

Cold & raw in the morning,
fine afternoon.
In office. Went with Carry
to the opening of the Provincial Agricultural
Exhibition. Col Baker made an
excellent address.
Small Exhibit, but of good quality.

1895-09-18

WEDNESDAY

J.W.T. Kit & Jack arrived from Alaska
all looking well, glad to see them back
J.W.T. remaining ½ hour & then drove
to Fairfield, where I joined him at noon
Went for a drive with him – high wind
& clouds of dust – very unpleasant.
We dined at Pt Ellice & returned to
F-field at 9- P.M.

1895-09-19

THURSDAY

Sharp frost, very cold, the Dahlias
slightly damaged. Threatning rain
In office. Went with Carry to
Exhibition to hear Professor Robertsons
lecture on butter making – nothing
about it – bitterly cold. Storm
Hail & rain. Drove back in
Brays Carriage to F-field Carry to Pt Ellice
Mahon entertained at Pt Ellice

1895-09-20

FRIDAY

Sharp frost cold bracing day
In office
Carry & Kit paid me a visit, as usual
in a great hurry. Spent the afternoon
alone at Pt Ellice. Carry Kit & Jack
went to the Exhibition
J.W.T. dined with us. I returned
to F-field with him, returned with
him at 9.30 OC.

1895-09-21

SATURDAY

Cold rain all the day
In office. Green at Cowichan

WCW drove me to Esquimalt to call on the Admiral – he was seedy did not see him.

Went back to Pt Ellice. JWT dined. We returned to F-field 9.30

1895-09-22

SUNDAY

Cold raw day rained slightly
Went with J.W.T. to Ch Church 11 AM
Revd Hewetson officiated Beanlands preached. W.C.W. paid a short visit. – Church at 7- PM where the Bishop preached.

1895-09-23

MONDAY

Rained slightly all the day. Wm Pinder came to B-fast. In office. Wrote letters
Went to Pt Ellice. Carry & Kit just off to town. Jack rode Blackie to Stuarts to inquire about cord wood – maple.

1895-09-24

TUESDAY

Heavy rain Pooley or Golph?

1895-09-25

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day, bright & calm
In office early.
Sent off my Annual Report
Halliday?

1895-09-26

THURSDAY

Cold raw day rained during the afternoon. In office early
Went to Pt Ellice at noon. Green came to lunch. Sent off M. of D. Alkalai Lake & Canoe Cr.
J.W.T. walked to Pt Ellice where we dined.

1895-09-27

FRIDAY

Very fine. In office. Went to Pt Ellice 2.30. J.W.T. called & drove me to Cedar Hill, Jas Tod where I ordered a load of straw & 5 sacks wheat @ 1¼ cts pr lb. to be delivered on Tuesday next. – Rather windy for pleasure.

We dined at Fairfield

1895-09-28

SATURDAY

A lovely day, warm bright calm.
Went to Pt Ellice. Kit rode Blackie with Mr Pearse. Carry drove with JWT which she enjoyed. He dined with us.
Tram car service demoralised. Came to F-field from the Power House in Transfer Carriage.
My leg slightly troublesome

1895-09-29

SUNDAY

Fine, but slightly overcast
Went with J.W.T. to Ch. Ch. Revd Hewetson officiated – Canon Beanlands preached
J.W.T. went for a lonely walk
We remained in doors.
J.W.T. read

1895-09-30

MONDAY

Very fine. In office
JWTs cold slightly troublesome
Attended meeting Directors
B.C.C.
J.W.T. & Mr Halliday
lunched at Pt Ellice
& afterwards they went for a drive accompanied by Carry.
Mr Halliday left for Quotsino in the Str Mystery

OCTOBER

1895-10-01

TUESDAY

Rained. J.W.T. seedy Cold very heavy – he remained in doors
Attended meeting Directors
A.I.Ws unsatisfactory.
In office. Drove Thomson fr Saanich to Fairfield. Carry arrived she remained to dinner.
Harding saw her home. J.W.T. instructed me in the art of making a mustard poultice with Caster Oil.
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Shooting season commenced

Jack shot 2 Pheasants & a grouse
Frank returned from Albernie.

1895-10-02

WEDNESDAY

A most lovely day, mild & warm
after yesterdays rain
The three Prestons arrived from Seattle
Frank came for me with pony carriage
Drove round Beacon Hill to hunt up
Barber the gardener. In office. Pt
Ellice at 2 PM
Jack & Pearse out shooting. Jack
brought home 6- birds.

1895-10-03

THURSDAY

As warm as summer. Barber
the gardiner & a Chinaman worked
at the Strawberry bed
Very slow, but little done.

1895-10-04

FRIDAY

Up at 7- The gardiner, Barber,
planting strawberry bed, a very slow
hand. Remained at home all the
day.
Frank & Green went out to shoot
only one bird.
J.W.T. arrived at 3- he announced
that the Prestons had returned to
Seattle. I returned to Ffield at 7- PM

1895-10-05

SATURDAY

A perfect day almost like summer.
In office. Long chat with T. R. Smith
re B.C.C. affairs. Point Ellice 2.30.
Garforth & Jack went to shoot at 3- P.M.
they got one Pheasant
Kit decorating at St Johns. J.W.T.
arrived at 5- he remained a short time
Returned to F-field at 7- PM.

1895-10-06

SUNDAY

Another very charming day
bright & warm. Went with J.W.T.
to Ch. Ch. At 11- Canon Beanlands
read the service & preached a sermon
that no one appeared to understand

Holy Communion
Willy Pinder lunched at F-field. Ward &
Mr & Mrs McKay called. Frank went for a walk
with his Uncle

1895-10-07

MONDAY

Very foggy – look like rain
In office. Pt Ellice 4 O.C.
Kit seedy
J.W.T. dined F-field 9.30 PM

1895-10-08

TUESDAY

Thick fog cold raw morning.
Fine afternoon
In office Pt Ellice 4 P.M.
Fairfield 9-30

1895-10-09

WEDNESDAY

A perfect day night &
clear. Left with J.W.T.
at 9.30 for Saanich. Frank
joined us at the fountain
Thomson at Victoria, Mrs T
gave us lunch. JWT & Frank
went for a walk they got 1- Pheasant
each. A most enjoyable day
fine weather good roads & a delightful
country.

1895-10-10

THURSDAY

Foggy. J.W.T. undecided
as to going to Kootenay tomorrow
In office. Pt Ellice at 4 OC
Carry & Jack drove to Stuarts to
inquire about maple cord wood
they did not return till 7- PM.
J.W.T. put out
Returned with him to F-field 9.30

1895-10-11

FRIDAY

Foggy morning, fine bright
afternoon.
In office
Pt Ellice at 3 PM
J.W.T. arrived at 7-
We returned to F-field 9.30.

1895-10-12

SATURDAY

Foggy morning. In office

Chat with Ward re C.P.N.

Carry & Kit in town—former

went for a drive with J.W.T.

Dined at Pt Ellice also

~~Fairfield 9:30 PM~~

Mr Hallidai

J.W.T. left for Kootenay accompanied

by ~~Frank~~ Hallidai.

Jack went to Saanich at 2 PM

1895-10-13

SUNDAY

Very lovely day, bright & clear.

~~In office. Called at B.C.C.~~

~~talk with T.R.S. also with W.C.W.~~

Carry Frank Kit & I went to St Saviours

Revd Barber officiated. Mrs Bales

fainted & was carried out of Church

Hamilton Abbott, Joe Pemberton & F

Ward called. Carry Kit Frank & Jack went

to the Cathedral at 7- O.C. - Revd Barber

Garforth & [*left blank*] came to supper

1895-10-14

MONDAY

Delightful day very warm

In office

The Dewdneys called

also Mrs Pemberton & Ada.

E.D. & Jin Win dined with us.

1895-10-15

TUESDAY

A perfect day, bright & warm.

In office. Chat with T.R.S.

Home early. Drove with Carry

~~Called~~ Kit rode – paid Mrs Glennie

a visit. Jeanie also at Cottage.

Called at Fairfield arranged with

Harding to order lumber for fence

Ada & her sister lunched with us.

1895-10-16

WEDNESDAY

Very delightful day, slight fog
in the afternoon

In office. Attended Directors

meeting B.C.C.

Kit went for a ride alone.

Drove with Carry. Called on the Pooleys

left a brace of pheasants from Jack

Called on Col Rawlston & Col Peters

both out. – Wilkerson, carpenter, worked

at closet, Henry St cottage.

Green went to Cowichan.

1895-10-17

THURSDAY

A perfect day.

In office

Carry & Kit preparing for Frank's

departure for Alberni.

1895-10-18

FRIDAY

Frank left for Alberni

A lovely day. In office

Drove Carry to Craigflower, to the

Naval Club & home by the Esquimalt

road. Kit rode with us &

round the head of the Arm.

1895-10-19

SATURDAY

A perfect summer day too warm

for comfort. – In office

Chat with T.R.S.

Left cards for Sir Wm Van Horne, Abbott

& Sweeney at the Driard.

Dined at Govt House to meet Sir Wm Van Horne,

Abbott &c, The member of the Govt &c

Mannsell per Topeka called at 12 PM

Garforth called

Jack out shooting at Saanich 1 br pheasant

& 1 willow grouse.

1895-10-20

SUNDAY

Bright clear & warm, slight

fog during the afternoon.

Carry Kit Jack & I went to St Saviours

Revd Haslam officiated.

Jack spent the afternoon at the

Snowdens. Temple dined with

us. Paid the Thomsons a visit

they returned from Nicola on Wednesday

Carry Kit & Jack went to the Cathedral at 7- PM

1895-10-21

MONDAY

Heavy fog raw & damp.

In office. Dewdney
called. Long talk with W.C.W.
re C.P.N. & A.I.Ws Co
Carry & I paid Mrs Pemberton a visit
Drove to F-field on our way home.

1895-10-22

TUESDAY

Foggy all day – cold & damp.
In office.
Home at 4 P.M.

1895-10-23 *

WEDNESDAY

Jack left pr Str Rithet for Provost
Island to shoot.
Very misty & damp.
In office. Long chat with W.C.W.
re C.P.N. & A.I.Ws Cos.
The Drummond arrived from Chilcotin

1895-10-24

THURSDAY

Slight fog, threatening rain
In office. E.D. paid me a
long visit.
Home at 4 P.M.
Drove to Fairfield

1895-10-25

FRIDAY

Fog – raw damp day.
In office.
The Quadraw got ran on the
rocks at Trial Island, hard
and fast
Thomson & Mrs T called
Drove with Carry.
Kit suffering from a Cold

1895-10-26

SATURDAY

A most perfect day – very bright
& warm almost like summer.
In office Long visit from E.D.
who told be of his proposed visit to
Ottawa, and also of the offer made
to him by F.B.
Drove Carry to call on the Thomsons
met them out driving – we returned
Carry & Kit walked to town.

1895-10-27

SUNDAY

Very fine & mild
Carry & I went to St Saviours at
11- O.C. Revd Barber officiated.
Drummond & Alice took an early
dinner with us.
Kit bad cold, she remained in
house all day. – We all staid
at home, during the evening

1895-10-28

MONDAY

Cold & raw. Dense fog
during the afternoon.
In office.
Carry very heavy cold she remained
in bed all the day.
Drove to Fairfield – home at 6 P.M.
Kit cold much better

1895-10-29

TUESDAY

Heavy fog in the early evening, bright &
clear after 9- O.C.
In office.
E.D. called

1895-10-30

WEDNESDAY

Thick fog – al day.
Kit went for a ride with the
Drakes to Thetis Lake? where they
had tea – a crazy performance in
such cold raw weather.
Drove left game for Mrs Charles,
Mrs T.R.S. Mrs Jenns & Mrs Thomson
Recd Rent in full fr. Harvey
Paulson to 19th Nov next

1895-10-31

THURSDAY

Foggy all the day.
In office. Long chat
with W.C.W.
Attended meeting of Directors
B.C.C.
E.D. Jin Win & Louisa dined
with us the latter gave a performance
in mind reading.

NOVEMBER

1895-11-01

FRIDAY

Fog cold raw day. Commenced to rain about noon & continued all the evening.

In office. E.D. called to say good bye – he leaves tonight for Ottawa.

Jack returned from Provost Island in the “Quadra” – he had poor sport. Barnes paid us a visit

1895-11-02

SATURDAY

Very fine & bright afternoon – rain commenced about 2- O.C. & continued nearly all afternoon.

In office. Paid T. R. Smith a visit.

Home at 3. P.M.

1895-11-03

SUNDAY

Kit Seedy

Rained heavily during the night.

Fine ~~morning~~ day. Carry Jack & I went to St Saviours – Revd Barber officiated Holy Communion

Paid the Thomsons a visit, while there W.C.W. Drummond & Alice arrived

We all remained at home.

1895-11-04

MONDAY

Kit Seedy

Sharp frost, white. Raw cheerless day.

In office. Green returned fr. Duncans

Drove Carry to call on Mrs & Capt McCallum.

1895-11-05

TUESDAY

Frost. Threatning rain cold & raw

Attended Directors meeting A.I.Ws very unsatisfactory. Great demand for Stoves none in stock, no effort made to secure any part of the Kootenay trade.

In office. Chat with W.C.W.

Attended meeting of Executive

Council of the Synod

1895-11-06

WEDNESDAY

Slight frost – raw damp & cold.

In office.

Carry & Kit in garden potting plants.

The Governor General & Lady Aberdeen & Suit[e] arrived.

1895-11-07

THURSDAY

Raw cold day, slight fog.

In office.

Sent 1st Exchange £15//2//6 = \$74-25 to Atkinson Tailor. Gave cheque to B.B.C. \$263- to pay New W. Municipal Taxes

1895-11-08

FRIDAY

Cold raw & damp during the forenoon – brightened up at noon

In office. – Drove to F-field with Carry. – Attended meeting B.C.C.

J.W.T. arrived - met him and accompanied him to F-field where I take up my quarters

1895-11-09

SATURDAY

The Prince of Wales Birthday

Rained heavily during the night & fore noon. Walked to town with J.W.T.

In office. Aikman called he talked over the Austin mortg affair & the sale of the Black Edmonds, Webster lot with J.W.T.

We dined at Point Ellice & drove to F-field at 10. P.M.

1895-11-10

SUNDAY

Bright & clear, but rather cold

Christ Church at 11- Service by Revd Beanlands, Sermon by the Bishop God save the Queen – Gov General & Lady Aberdeen being present.

Crease & the Pinders called

Went to Ch Ch at 7- P.M. Revd Beanlands read the Service & preached

1895-11-11

MONDAY

Rained heavily during the night.

Fine & bright during the day.

In office.

Rode with Kit. Called on Mrs Glennie & to ask Jin Win to come to us for the Ball. J.W.T. took Carry for

a drive. The mare Nelly lame –

returned to F-field with J.W.T. applied [Ellemers] & bandaged the mares leg.

1895-11-12

TUESDAY

Rained during the night and forenoon. In office.

Attended meeting Directors B.C.C. home at 5. P.M.

J.W.T. dined at Pt Ellice – returned with him at 9- P.M.

1895-11-13

WEDNESDAY

Slight rain all morning, fine & mild afternoon. In office.

State Ball at Drill Shed given

by Ld & Lady Aberdeen – pronounced a success. Kit went with Col.

& Mrs Baker. Frank & Jack went alone

The Pinders dined with J.W.T. I remained at home.

Drummond & Garforth called

Attended Directors meeting A.I.Ws

1895-11-14

THURSDAY

A lovely day.

In office. Green did not

appear – not recovered from the effects of the State Ball.

In office

Drove with J.W.T.

We dined at ~~F-field~~ Pt Ellice & went to F-field at 9- O.C.

1895-11-15

FRIDAY

[no entry]

1895-11-16

SATURDAY

Rained heavily during the night

Fine during the day, very bright

Rode with Kit to see the

paper chase which started from

Fred Pembertons. The Gov General &

Honble Majori[banks] were present

Carry & I dined at Govt House – 42

A long performance. The Bakers went

with us. I returned to F-field at 12- OC

1895-11-17

SUNDAY

Very fine. Went with J.W.T. to Ch. Ch.

at 11- O.C. Revd Beanlands officiated

Holy Communion

The Gov General Lady Aberdeen & party

present. Carry also at Ch Ch – she

spent the day at F-field & went with J.W.T.

to Ch. Ch. at 7- PM.

My leg threatning. Frank called

he went for a walk with his Uncle

1895-11-18

MONDAY

Very fine day.

The Governor General Lady Aberdeen

& Staff left in the “Quadra” for Vancouver

A goodly number were on the wharf to

see him off – the Admiral &c &c and

the band of the Royal Arthur.

Carry went for a drive with J.W.T.

returned with him to F-field at 9

Albert Janes commenced work \$30-

per month

1895-11-19

TUESDAY

A lovely day.

In office.

Carry went to drive with J.W.T.

Kit rode with the Drakes

Mrs Ward, Alice, & Baby paid me a visit

~~Albert Janes commenced~~

~~work as before at \$30- pr month~~

Mangolds & Carrots housed

J.W.T. dined with us.

1895-11-20

WEDNESDAY

Very fine, bright & warm.

In office

Joseph Gilroy left – paid him

in full.

J.W.T. dined with us. Went to
Fairfield at 9- PM

1895-11-21

THURSDAY

Thanksgiving Day – Holiday
Went to the Cathedral at 11. The Bishop
Archdeacon & Beanlands - Archd preached.
Carry & Kit returned with us to F-field.
After lunch drove to Pt Ellice. Carry
accompanied J.W.T. for a drive. Kit &
Frank played Golph. Jack out
shooting. – J.W.T. dined at Pt Ellice
We returned to F-field at 9- PM
A lovely day

1895-11-22

FRIDAY

Sharp frost. A lovely bright day
In office.
Home at 3 O.C. J.W.T. drove
me to Elk Lake walked over the new
Water Works accompanied by the
Engineer Mr Georgonson.
J.W.T. dined at Pt Ellice, returned
with him to F-field at 9- O.C. – Jack
dined at the Pooleys.

1895-11-23

SATURDAY

Hard frost – bright clear day.
In office.
Carry came gave her [*illegible*] \$50 P.O.O's
Chat with ~~J.W.T.~~ E.D. J.W.T. called & took
E.D. away.
Garforth lunched – he, Kit Jack &
Alice Pooley went to a paper hunt, Fountain
They all returned to Tea – no room for
so many horses. We all dined at F-field

1895-11-24

SUNDAY

Hospital Sunday.
Frost. Dull & overcast all the day
Ch. Ch. at 11- OC. Revd Beanlands officiated
Joined the Dewdneys & Wards at Ch. door
J.W.T. & I called to inquire for Old
Mr Langley who is very badly laid up
confined to his bed.
Jack dines at F-field, we
all went to the Cathedral at 7- PM
Revd Beanlands officiated.

1895-11-25

MONDAY

Mild, but heavily overcast.
In office.
Kit went to ride with the
Pooleys & Garforth.
J.W.T. dined with us I returned
to Fairfield with him at 9- O.C.

1895-11-26

TUESDAY

Rained heavily during the
night. Very mild
In office.
Went for a drive with J.W.T. who
dined with us – we returned to F-field 9 OC

1895-11-27

WEDNESDAY

Stormy night – fine day.
In office.
E.D. paid me a visit
Detained till 4. O.C. by J.W.T. &
Thomson of Saanich
J.W.T. & I dined with the Pinders

1895-11-28

THURSDAY

Stormy slight rain at intervals
during the day.
In office.
Home at 3.30 – returned to
F-field at 7- O.C.
Mrs Dunsmuir's Ball.

1895-11-29

FRIDAY

An other very stormy night
S.W. heavy rain during the early morning
In office.
Went to Pt Ellice at 3-30
Crease paid me a visit
Returned to F-field at 7- OC.
J.W.T. complaining of cold – seedy.
Green went to Duncans.

1895-11-30

SATURDAY

Fine bracing day bright but cold.
In office
Attended meeting B.C.C.
Walked through town with Carry.

Went with her to Fairfield where she spent the day. Kit & Frank came to dinner.

J.W.T. remained at home suffering from cold.

Jack went to Saanich at 2 P.M.

DECEMBER

1895-12-01

SUNDAY

Fine bright day, but cold.

J.W.T. remained at home, his cold better

Went along to Ch. Ch. at 11- O.C.

Revd Beanlands officiated

J.W.T. threatened with cold.

E.D. & W.C.W. called had an hours chat with them.

1895-12-02

MONDAY

Fine & bright – but cold.

In office

Home at 3.30.

J.W.T. & I dined at Govt House

Mrs Lawrence & Louisa – the latter gave on exhibition of mind reading.

1895-12-03

TUESDAY

Fine bright day but very cold

Attended Directors meeting

A. I. Works – very unsatisfactory.

Got home at 3 P.M. Thomson walked over had a chat with him.

Janes staked & tied up the roses.

J.W.T. dined with us. We returned to Fairfield at 9.30

Carry complaining of cold, the effects of gardening yesterday

1895-12-04

WEDNESDAY

Rained heavily during the night & forenoon. Stormy day.

In office.

Had a talk with T. R. Smith re

B. C. matters. – Ordered some

Port Wine &c at H.B.C.

Home at 5.30 P.M. Mrs Jenns &

[Godson] called.

J.W.T. dined. We returned to F-field at 9.30.

1895-12-05

THURSDAY

Very mild – threatening rain

In office

Did not get home till

5. P.M.

J.W.T. dined, returned to Ffield at 9.30.

1895-12-06

FRIDAY

Fine day after a heavy nights rain

Wm Pinder came to Breakfast.

In office. – Had a long chat

with W.C.W. re A.I.Ws - paid

Gillespie a visit.

Lunched at Fairfield & went for

drive with J.W.T. – Remained at

Pt Ellice & went with Kit to hear

“Charleys Aunt”. Excellent – back

to Pt Ellice at 11.30. Carrys cold slightly better.

1895-12-07

SATURDAY

Kit seedy. Head ache &c

Slight rain very mild

Remained in house – not feeling well.

Arranged with J.W.T. to go to drive,

~~but the rain prevented us doing so~~

Mrs Greys funeral

J.W.T. dined with us. ~~Jack returned~~

~~to F-field with him at 9 P.M.~~

Frank dined at Govt House.

1895-12-08

SUNDAY

Kit Seedy. A lovely bright mild day ~~throughout.~~

~~Went with J.W.T. to the funeral~~

~~of Mrs Grey. Took a drive~~

~~round Beacon Hill – then to Pt Ellice~~

~~where we dined. Back to F-field~~

~~at 9.30. JW~~

Ch Ch at 7- Willy called –

remained in house. Paid Mrs

Langley a visit

1895-12-09

MONDAY

Fine & bright. E.D. paid me a long visit. J.W.T. joined us Drove with J.W.T. - We dined at Pt Ellice. Fairfield at 9.30

1895-12-10

TUESDAY

Very fine. In office. Went to Pt Ellice at 4 PM The Allison girls lunched. J,W,T, dined. We returned to F-field at 9.30 Jack & Frank went to dance given by officers of Royal Arthur

1895-12-11

WEDNESDAY

Rained heavily during the night Drummond & young Lennard paid me a visit at the Office Drove with J.W.T. to J. Tods ordered load of straw. We dined at Pt Ellice F-field at 9.30.

1895-12-12

THURSDAY

Rained incessantly. Remained in doors. Paid Langley a visit the old man not better Examined J.W.T. securities with him. J.W.T. went to town for a walk. We dined at F-field

1895-12-13

FRIDAY

Rained heavily during the night & forenoon. Fine from about 1- O.C. In office. Went for a drive. We dined at Pt Ellice Fairfield at 9.30.

1895-12-14

SATURDAY

G. Preston arrived unexpectedly from Frisco. Slight rain throughout the afternoon. We attended memorial services at Ch. Ch. for the dear old Bishop,

who died on the 10th inst.

Went to Pt Ellice with Carry & Kit – returned to Fairfield at 10- PM Sent Telegram to Malta of condolence. “Deep Sympathy”.

1895-12-15

SUNDAY

32 Anniversary Fine day. Carry joined us at the Cathedral. We all dined at Pt Ellice – Garforth included. J.W.T. & Jack took a walk & paid some visits. Musgrave W. Cornwall Bole & Dr [left blank] called. We all went to Ch Ch at 7- O.C. Tremendous storm of wind & rain snow & sleet – returned to F-field with JWT.

1895-12-16

MONDAY

8 inches of snow – sharp frost In office. Attended Directors meeting B.C.C. Pt Ellice at 5- PM. dined at Fairfield. Hard frost very cold

1895-12-17

TUESDAY

Hard frost. Sound of Sleigh Bells. The Prestons expected but did not arrive. In office. Attended Executors meeting of the Synod. – Did not get home till 7-30. JWT went for a drive – he dined alone at F-field I returned at 10 P.M.

1895-12-18

WEDNESDAY

Thaw has evidently set in. The Prestons arrived from Seattle 9.30. Packed up my traps & left them to be sent for. In office. E.D. called & A.W.V. for the first time. ~~J.W.T. & the Prestons dined at Pt Ellice~~ Attended meeting B.C.C. Went to Missionary meeting Ch Ch The Bishop & Mrs Sharp gave beautiful addresses.

1895-12-19

THURSDAY

Rain & Thaw In office E.D. called. Home at 3- PM Cut Holly

J.W.T. & the Prestons dined with us. – Frank attended a political meeting.

1895-12-20

FRIDAY

Heavy rain & storm. Cut Holly Attended Mrs Porters funeral as a Pall bearer – also J.W.T. Ward A Jones Higgins Vowell Eberts Jas Anderson. The Drummond Nelly & Oliver dined with us.

1895-12-21

SATURDAY

Very stormy. In office Carry joined me & we walked through the town to look at the shops Lunched at F-field & went for drive J.W.T. called on the Thomsons Pooley Drake. Drove round McCauley plains. We dined at Pt Ellice – Fairfield at 9.30

1895-12-22

SUNDAY

Fine morning. Raining all evening. Service at Ch Ch. Service & Sermon by Canon Beanlands. The Bishop read the lessons. Frank came to lunch & went with his Uncle to call at Govt House Mrs Pemberton &c &c they returned to dinner Rained heavily. “The Str Islander” went ashore at Provost Island.

1895-12-23

MONDAY

Blowing a hurricane – heavy rain In office. Carry & Frank & Jack came. In town, ordered wine & spirits at H B Co Claret at Pither & Leiser Drove with J.W.T. he called at Armadale Mrs Pearse Mrs Dunsmuir Mrs Paddon Very cold & stormy.

Col Baker called. JWT talked re his will & affairs in general

1895-12-24

TUESDAY

Very stormy, heavy rain during the night. Fine day. Aikman in consultation with J.W.T. at Fairfield. In office. Met Carry & shopped with her. The Admiral Stevenson, & Flag Lieut. called – Godfrey J.W.T. came to dinner – did not get to Fairfield till 10- the trams did not connect. The streets very full.

1895-12-25

WEDNESDAY

Fine day after a stormy night Church at Cathedral. Beanlands read the service. Sermon by the Bishop Holy Communion JWT went to Fairfield. Carry & I returned to Pt Ellice. 11 sat down to dinner Viz 5- ORs 5- Pinders & J.W.T. A carriage was provided for the Pinders JWT & Self. = Kit Frank & Jack went to the Wards after we left.

1895-12-26

THURSDAY

Heavy & incessant rain throughout the day. In office. Carry ~~spent~~ lunched & spent the day at Fairfield

1895-12-27

FRIDAY

Very stormy night & day wind & rain. In office. Aikman with J.W.T. re his Will. In office Paid Ward & Gillespie a visit Went for a drive with J.W.T. round Beacon Hill. – Frank & W Pinder called at F-field. Carry & Kit dined with J.W.T. & self. He was greatly depressed.

1895-12-28

SATURDAY

Very lovely day mild & bright J.W.T. left at 9 AM pr Str Rosalie for Seattle en route to Kootenay & England

Frank & Jack came to say good bye.
 Sent Telegram to G. Preston Seattle.
 Saw Aikman re J.W.T. assessment
 Attended Directors meeting B,C,C,
 Went to F-field packed up Jane took
 them & the F-field cow to Point Ellice
 Reached home at 5.30

1895-12-29

SUNDAY

Slight rain, very mild day.
 Frank seedy, sore throat, he remained in doors
 Carry Kit Jack & I went o St Saviours
 at 11- O.C. Revd Barber officiated.
 The McCallum's Hill & Garforth called.
 We all went to Ch Ch accompanied by
 Garforth at 7- P.M. "Xmas Carols"
 Garforth came to supper

1895-12-30

MONDAY

Commenced to snow at 7- AM &
 continued nearly all the day. S.W.
 wind thawing slush.
 In office. Recd cheque \$650-
 for 5 lots at Vancouver sold to CPR Co.
 Sent conveyance to Corbould & McCall.
 Aikman sent Certificate of Title &c to Registry
 office Vancouver.
 Kit Frank & Jack went to a dance at
 Govt House given to Admiral Stevenson.

1895-12-31

TUESDAY

[no entry]

MEMORANDA

		No
Janry		
4	Madam Scotter with Draft	
15	J.W.T.	1
Febry		
1	J.W.T.	2
4	J.W.T (AIW)	3
5	J.W.T. C.P.N.Co	4
20	J.W.T.	5
24	R.E.J. with Aikman order for clothes	
23 rd	JWT	6
March		
1	C.A.H. with Draft	
"	L. Ellis with Draft	
6	J.W.T. sent Knowles proposal to rent Ffield	
"	- - -	7
"	Carry to Mrs R.E.J.	
"	Do Madam Scotter	
18 th	J.W.T.	8
21	J C Wells	
25	A Onderdonk	
25	Grace Davey	
April		
3 rd	J.W.T.	9
"	T. S. Begbie	
18	J.W.T. N Y	10
25	J.W.T. Chicago	11
29	J.W.T. Chicago	12
May		
11	J.W.T. Chicago	13
17	J.W.T. Nelson	14
18	" pr CPR	15
19	" Nelson	16
22	" Nelson	17
28	John T.	
June		
14 th	John T.	
17	John T.	
22	Jno T.	
26	Do	
July		
6	R.W.	
6	Jno T.	
8	Carry to Emily White	
13	Jno with Enclosure C.O.R.	
18 th	J.T. with Death Notice	

Augst
 2 Jno T.
 Sept
 16th M.C.S.
 26 R.W.
 Octr
 15 C.A.H. with Draft
 Nov
 2 Mrs R W
 Decr
 1 Jno Trutch
 2 R.E.J.
 “ R W
 30th J.W.T. Seattle
 1896
 Jan 2nd J.W.T. Seattle

CASH ACCOUNT

CASH ACCOUNT – JANUARY

Date	Received	Paid
4	Madam Scotter £40 =	194 –
4	Union Club Sub to 31 st Decr	30 –
10	Davidson Bros	19 75
6	Churches	1 50
10	W T Drake	21 –
“	J. J. Wilson	6 20
“	W. C. Bryant	5 –
“	H. Saunders	17 70
“	D. H. Ross	12 50
“	D. Spencer	3 75
“	J. Hawkins	50
“	A Smith – White Smith	1 25
“	H. Clay	5 40
“	T. P. Johnston	70
13 th	Churches	1 –
X15	Ellen Dempster to 7 th inst	20 –
X”	Moon 2 m wages in full to 12 th inst	60 –
16	Chris Christodolo – Fish &c	6 3
“	Wm Wilson	11 82
“	Miss Coffey – Dressmaker	18 95
19	Skene Lowe – Photos	2 –
“	Jack	1 50
	Kit	5 –
20	Church	1 –
20	Canon Paddon St Saviour Ch school	5 –
21	Davidson Bros Birthday present Kit	25 –
22	H B Co acct in full	76 51
“	Pither & Leiser	48 25
“	Jack	5 –
25	Carry	5 –
27	Churches St Saviours & Cathedral	2 –
28	J. H. Falloner Marmalade	75
25 th	Wm Bryce Daily Colonist to [<i>left blank</i>]	6 50
26	A. & Wilson – acct from 1876	36 24
30	B. C. Milling & Mining Co	
	25 th call	7 –
31	Jack	2 –

CASH ACCOUNT – FEBRUARY

Date	Received	Paid
2	Wm C Bryant – B-smith	5 –
3	Church St Saviour & St Johns	1 50
2	Jack per Kit ?	5 –
4	½ Ton Coke	2 –
4	Pew Rent Ch Ch to 31 st Decr	9 25
7	Thos Shotbolt	17 45
9	H Saunders	18 20

“	D. H. Ross	1 20
“	Chs Christodolo	4 45
“	M. R. Smith	4 50
“	McQuade & Son	- 60
“	Fell & Co	- 40
“	Frank – his birthday	25 –
10	Church St Saviours	1 –
11	G. Baker – Ice	2 90
11	J. W. Pendry Tree Spray	1 –
12	W. T. Drake	21 –
9	Kit	5 –
“	Carry	5 –
13	Jack	1 –
14	J. J. Wilson, Baker	5 35
“	Victoria Transfer Co	9 –
“	P.O.O. [Davie] & Son Memoirs J A Mac[Donald]	5 –
15	Wm Dodds, Florist	3 25
15	Geo Morrison – Chemist	12 10
“	1 pr pruning shears	1 –
17	Churches St Johns & St Saviour	1 50
18	Load straw	
“	Chris Morley – Soda Water	7 –
14	P.O.O. Miss Shields Folkestone £9//5//10	46 -
“	P.O.O. C A Hare £10-	50 –
X”	Ellen Dempster wages to 7 th inst	20 –
18	Porter & Sons Sweet Bread	- 50
“	P.O.O. Steel Briggs Seeds	10 –
23	Pemberton & Sons Lorne Estate	6 25
24	John Stephens contract in field	25 –
25	E. C. Baker Bob Ridley 9 month	18 –
“	Mrs Croft Tickets Charity Ball	5 –
28	W. T. Drake 1 Ton Coal	7 –
28	Chas Kent Water Rent House & Cottage	36 75

CASH ACCOUNT – MARCH

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	Draft Carry Hare £47//9//0	232 50
“	Draft L. D. Ellis £31//0//5	152 –
2	W. C. Bryant Blacksmith	5 –
3	Churches St Saviours St Johns & Cathedral	2 –
4	E. C. Baker Telephone acct	12 –
5	Vic Daily Times to 23 rd Feby	3 25
6	Customs Duty on Dress Kit fr Scotter	8 –
6	Kit	6 –
“	Carry	5 –
“	G B Harrison, waiting on 5 occasions	12 50
9	F. J. OR	
#9	Jas Campbell wages – Bal in full	105 -

“	Brackman & Ker in full to date 8 inst	62 –
9	H. Mannsell Do	27 85
“	Wing Chong – Tea	2 10
“	J. J. Wilson	5 –
“	H. Young	4 80
“	Weiler Bros	1 15
“	Henry Clay	1 90
#“	Jas Campbell – wages on acct	5 –
10	Church St Saviours	2 25
14	W. T. Drake Ton Coal	7 –
16	Jack	2 –
18	A H Green in settlement all [<i>illegible</i>] acct	110
“	Wm Thompson 4800 lbs hay @ \$15 pr Ton	36 –
17	Churches St Johns St Saviours & Cathedral	2 25
#21	Campbell cash (fine)	15 –
22	Goodacre acct to 28 Feby	60 89
X22	Ellen Dempster wages to 7 th inst	20 –
24	Churches St Saviours St Johns & Cathedral	1 75
26	Horse Training Exhibition	2 25
29	12 lbs Pork per Knowles	1 30
30	Steve work on acct	10 –
31	Churches	1 –
29	W. T. Drake Ton Coal per A.H.G.	7 -

CASH ACCOUNT – APRIL

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	Campbell wages in acct	5 –
2 nd	J. Barnsley, Gunsmith – For Jack	19 20
“	P.O.O. Wildsmith, Boots £4//4//6	20 87
“	Jack – Bal Allowance to 6 th April	23 85
“	Hall Ross & Co 100 lbs Chit Rice	1 25
4	Jack – Birthday present	10 –
X5	Moon 2 m. wages to 12 th March	60 –
7	Churches	
#9	Ellen Dempster wages to 7 th inst	20 –
10	Chris Christodolo	9 85
“	Pew Rent St Johns	12 50
“	J. Hutcheson & Co	12 –
“	Joseph Sommers	1 75
“	Fell & Co	1 30
“	H Saunders	5 –
11	Jos. Perry Cord Wood	17 25
12	Good Friday St Saviours	1 75
13	Campbell wages on acct	5 –
“	Wilkinson Carpenter on acct	5 –
14	Churches St Johns, St Saviours, & Cathedral	2 75
20	W. C. Bryant – in full	5 –

#20	Campbell bal, wages &c in full	12 –
21 st	Churches	
22	Vowell – re Oak Bay acct	30 63
13	Wing Chong Tea	2 80
22 nd	Repr of matrass pr Janes	2 50
27	Canon Paddon Sub re Lipscomb	10 –
28	Churches St Saviours & St Johns	1 75

CASH ACCOUNT – MAY

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	Jas Wilkerson – Carpenter	44 –
“	Frank OR	25 –
“	H B Co acct in full	30 50
2	Fred Summers Painter	27 50
2 nd	Geo Powell 150 ft garden Hose	15 –
“	W. Thomson – Hay \$22- Potatoes \$5.50, Chickens \$3-	30 60
2	Tickets Theatre Martha	
3	Do Do	
5	Churches St Johns St Saviours & Ch Ch	
7	H. Saunders	13 50
“	J. J. Wilson	11 50
“	D H Ross	4 –
“	J. Tollick	1 50
“	Wing Chong	1 50
“	Schmith	- 50
“	Christodolo	7 95
“	Cigars	1 50
8	L. Goodacre	67 76
#”	Ellen Dempster wages	20 –
9	Madam Borde to 31 st Decr	158 75
“	F. B. Kitto Pew Rent Ch Ch to 31 st March	9 25
“	Jack	4 –
“	Kit	5 –
10	Stable Sponge	- 50
11	Wee – work in garden \$2.50 due	10 –
12	Churches St Saviours to 30 th March	
16	R. E. Jackson – Commission £8//2//7	10 50
18	Pither & Leiser Claret	36 –
18	F.J.OR Trip to Vancouver	25 –
19	Churches St Johns & St Saviours	1 75
20	Harding Chickens Eggs & Cabbage	7 –
23	Jack \$5- & \$1- at Races	6 –
24	“Wee” work in garden	5 –
26	Churches	1 25
24	Temple	
25	Frank	5 –
28	Do	10 –
“	Jack Tickets	5 –
“	Carry	5

30	Summers – printing seats	3
31 st	Daily Times	3 25
#18	Jas Freel Pr Boots, Jack	4 –

CASH ACCOUNT – JUNE

Date	Received	Paid
2	Churches St Saviours & St Johns	1 75
5	Frank	5 –
X6	Wee work in garden	5 –
7	Jack	1 50
8	Bryant – B-smith	6 25
8	Vic. Transfer co in full	22 50
9	Churches St Saviours & Ch Ch	1 50
“	L. Goodacre acct in full	30 98
“	Telephone acct to 30 June	12 –
“	Wm Wilson – Dry goods	11 45
“	Henry Young	9 75
“	Henry Clay	6 20
“	Chs Christodolo	9 90
“	H Saunders	19 65
16	Churches St Saviours & Cathedral	2 –
18	Ellen Dempster wages	20 –
20	Tickets Lecture David Christie Murry	3 –
“	Frank	5 –
X21	Taxes <u>Hope</u> Dodd Self \$31-23 Ellis \$7- Nind \$1-	39 23
X21	E. L. Kirkland Provincial Vancouver	33 33
X21	C Booth Esquimalt Mrs Seymour	8 –
22	Jack	5 50
17 th	Mrs White Fruit dish &c pd by Helen	1 20
X22	Albert Janes wages &c to date	70 –
23	Churches St Saviours & Cath	1 50
25	C. S. Finlaison duties 2 Dresses	5 45
“	Jack – Allowance per acct	12 –
X28	Moon – Cook 3 m wages	90 –
“	Drake J. & H. Bill of Costs	139 71
[loss]		
30	Churches St Saviours & Cathedral	1 25

CASH ACCOUNT – JULY

Date	Received	Paid
2 nd	Wm Bryce – Colonist to 30 June	6 50
2	Tickets Lecture David Christie Murry	4 00
3	Hall Ross – 400 lbs Chick Rice \$1.25	5 –
“	Carlow For Cutting Hay	3 –
5	Geo. Schmith	- 50
6	Nicholles & Renouf	1 05
6	Carry	11 -
“	Jack	1 50
“	Wee	15 –
“	Chinaman cutting log	5 -
10	J. H. Baker – Booth &c	9 75

“	Fell & Co	2 40
“	J. J. Wilson	10 10
“	C Christodolo	8 20
“	Dixi H Ross	8 10
“	H Saunders	7 –
“	W. & J. Wilson	25 15
“	Brackman & Ker	26 80
“	Wing Chong Tea	6 –
13	Wm Minty – Brick layer WC’s	17 40
14	Churches	2 –
17	Jack	5
19	London & Lancashire Insurance on house & furniture stables &c 3 yrs - \$8000-	100 -
20 th	J. C. Wells £21//0//10 =	103 52
20	Carry – Rent of Cattage &c	9 –
21	Churches St Saviours & Cathedral	2 25
23	Pew Rent Christ Church	9 25
23	Ellen Dempster wages	20 -
24	Jack, Intermediate Exam fee	10 –
29	Joseph Gilroy wages to 18 inst	25 –
“	Jack \$5 Mr Elliott fee \$20	25 –
“	Carry, Commissions pr Mrs Jackson	15 –
30	B. C. cold storage	1 10
“	J. Wilkerson – Carpenter	54 60
“	Jack Sub- Polo & Tennis	10 –
6	Hearne – Dye Works	2 50

CASH ACCOUNT – AUGUST

Date	Received	Paid
3	St Johns Ch Ch & St Saviours	2 50
5	John Colbert Plumber	69 67
8	T Shotbolt	18 18
“	R. J. Nott	1 75
“	D. H. Ross	13 20
“	H. Saunders	10 80
“	St Johns Church Pew Rent	12 50
“	Brackman & Ker	17 10
9	Phoenix Brewery	6 15
8	G. Morrison	7 75
9	Sehl Hastie	- 65
12	Christodolo	3 50
“	J J Wilson	4 75
11	Churches	1 75
14	J. Hutcheson	20 30
“	H. Clay	2 90
7	Weiler Bros	6 50
14	Miss Coffee Dress maker	10 80
8	B. C. Steam Dye Works	3 75
16	Joseph Perry 2 cords & cutting	8 -
9	Ellen Dempster wages	20 –
20	Sing Chinaman 2 days fr Jack	2 –

20	Moon 2 mth wages to 12 inst	60 –
20	Jack allowance &c pr his acct	34 60
21	Kit refund advances &c	25 –
“	Carry – To pay bills	25 –
24	Raymond & Sons 6 Bls Lime	5 –
25	Churches	1 50
“	Blackie & McKinnon Blackberries	- 40
14	F. Summers (Painter)	4 –

CASH ACCOUNT – SEPTEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	Churches	1 50
9	H Saunders	13 10
“	D. H. Ross	6 10
“	Brackman & Ker	6 –
“	Chungranes	- 60
“	T. H. Tye & Co	3 37
“	J. J. Wilson	5 60
“	M W Waitt	9 10
“	C. R. Redfern	18 75
“	R Lettice	4 75
“	Fell & Co	1 20
“	R. M. Smith	3 50
“	Wing Chong	3 0
7	Leigh & Sons Lumber	16 27
10	Wm Dodds	5 –
#10	Helen Dempster, wages	20 –
11	L. Goodacre	82 63
11	F. J. OR Trip to Albernie	25 –
11	D. Spencer	68 45
11	Miss Coffee White House	5 –
11	“Wee” Chinaman work in full	4 50
5	G. H. Maynard [Leg]	1 50
8	St Saviours	1 –
#10	Helen Dempster wages	20 –
11	F. OR. Albernie	25 –
11	L. Goodacre	82 63
11	D. Spencer	68 45
12	Wee – Chinaman in full	4 50
#14	Jos Gilroy 1 mth wages + \$5 advances	30 -
16	C. A. OR. Birth Day	100 –
16	Godding – Sub, roof Ch. Ch.	5 –
18	Bryant	5 –
19	C. A. OR. at Exhibition	1 50
“	Exhibition &c &c	2 50
20	B. B. C.	
22	Churches Ch Ch 75 cts	
23	Telephone acct to 30 th Sept	12 –
“	Mrs Harrison per P. Austin 25 lbs Exhibition butter 30 cts pr lb	7 50
26	G Powell & Co	2 70
6 th	Etty Keown	11 70

26	Coal	7 –
#27	Moon – wages to 12 inst	30 –
30	E White Draft	50 –
	Kit	1 50
	Jack	1 –
29	Churches	

CASH ACCOUNT – OCTOBER

Date	Received	Paid
6	Churches	
7	C Morley	4 50
“	J. Sommer	1 35
“	J. J. Hutcheson	3 50
“	J. J. Wilson	4 65
“	H Clay	2 10
“	E. J. Saunders	12 15
“	Wing Chong	1 70
“	Albion I. Works	19 –
“	Ideal Provision Store	4 75
“	H Young	9 95
“	Brackman & Ker	12 80
“	Cold Storage, Ice	3 40
“	Fell & Co	- 40
8	H. Mansell	23 55
“	B H West	2 40
“	The Province to March 96	4 00
“	The Daily Time to March 96 To Sepr 28, 95	4 50
“	J W Jeffrey	5 35
“	Union Club to 30 Sepr	13 –
9	Ellen Dempster	
10	Christodolo	12 75
7	F OR	20 –
11	Jas Willoughby, Carpenter	9 –
12	A. J. OR. (D.J.H.)	20 –
“	Do	5 –
“	F. OR.	5 –
13	Churches St Saviours & Cathedral	2 –
15	L. Goodacre	19 97
16	F. OR. Albern	40 –
18	Hearns – Dye Works	2 50
18	R Baker & Son 480 lb oats	6 –
14	Draft C.A.H. £37//1//2 =	184 03
18	Jack	5 –
19	Carry	5
“	Kit	5
	Chinaman Sing – see his acct	
20	Churches	
22	Jack – Trip to Provost Island	15 –
21 st	E. G. Prior & Co	1 75
#25	Jos Gilroy Bal wages to 18 th Oct	45 -
26	Jas Tod 540 lbs Wheat 1¼ cts	

	Straw \$5	11 75
28	C Kent – Municipal Tax Victoria	309 59
“	R. E. Knowles – Fish Manure &c	8 75
31	G. Jay – Sub – Arion Club	5 –
28	Harding for Fowl	10 –

CASH ACCOUNT – NOVEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	J W Pierre, Tailor	3 60
2	R. Carter Taxes Self Gilroy & Moon	15 –
3	Church St Saviour	1 25
#4	Moon, Cook to 12 Octr	30 –
5	Wm Thomson 2 Tons 1270 lbs hay @ \$14- & 1 Ton oats @ \$18- pr Tom	55 44
7	B. B. C. Taxes New Westminster	263 -
“	Atkinson Tailor – Jack & self £15//2//6	74 25
7	Jack on acct Provost Island Trip	5 –
“	C. A. OR.	12 –
#9	Ellen Blackstaff 1 m wages	15 –
“	F. OR. to B of B.C.	40 –
10	Churches	
15	F. OR.	25 –
15	D. H. Ross	2 25
“	Wing Chong	1 70
“	Brackman & Ker	14 35
“	J. J. Wilson	6 10
“	Weiler Bros	4 40
“	Albion Iron Works	1 25
“	R Lettice	10 –
17	Churches	
18	E. J. Salmon Coal Scuttle	1 50
“	G. Baker Ice	- 45
“	A. B. Erskine	1 75
18	B. C. Storage Ice	- 40
19	Jack – trip to Saanich	5 –
“	C A OR	5 –
“	Kit	5 –
“	Spratt & McCauley 1 Ton Coal	6 –
“	P. Wolleston Pew Rent	9 25
“	W. C. Bryant	3 75
#20	Joseph Gilroy In full	28 –
23	P. O. O.	
“	P. O. O.	
“	Perry & Tume Wire Netting	2 50
“	Janes – Stable Broom	- 80
29	Jno Dalby Black soil 4 load	6 –
29	Jack	1 –
30	Mrs Bickford	9 10
“	Jack – Saanich Shoot	5 –

CASH ACCOUNT – DECEMBER

Date	Received	Paid
1 st	Churches Ch Mission	2 50
6	Jack	5 –
6	Theatre – Charleys Aunt	2 –
“	C. A. OR	5 –
9	Saunders & Co	29 30
“	Chris Christodolo	5 85
“	J. J. Wilson Baker	5 30
“	J. H. Baker Bootmaker	4 25
“	A. & W. Wilson	1 50
“	P.O.O. to Charlotte	2 55
10	Ellen Blackstaff wages	15 –
“	Leigh & Sons lumber	6 50
“	Ticket Pioneer dinner, Graham	2 50
8	Churches	
11	Knox Bros – B.Soil	3 –
“	Wing Chong	1 70
“	Perry & Turner	21 –
“	Spratt & McCauley	6 –
“	Leech & Feltoe	7 50
13	Telephone acct to [<i>left blank</i>]	12 –
“	L Goodacre	31 40
14	B. C. Benevolent Society	20 –
“	Telegram to Malta	3 85
15	Churches	
18	Fell & Co	1 20
21	C. A. OR	15 –
“	Jack	5 –
22	Churches	
23	J. Tod 1 load Straw	6 –
“	Jack	20 –
“	C. A. OR	5 –
24	Leigh \$5 Harding \$10	15 –
25	Jane \$5 Moon \$5 Ellen \$5	15 –
“	F OR – Xmas	25 –
26	J.W.T. Commission London	50 –
25	Churches	
29	Sunday – Churches	
30	Beddoe Assessment	179 64
31	H. B. Co	83 –
“	Water rates to 30 Nov	35 13
“	Dr Davie Med Attendance	15 –
20 th	New England Bakery – Oysters	- 50