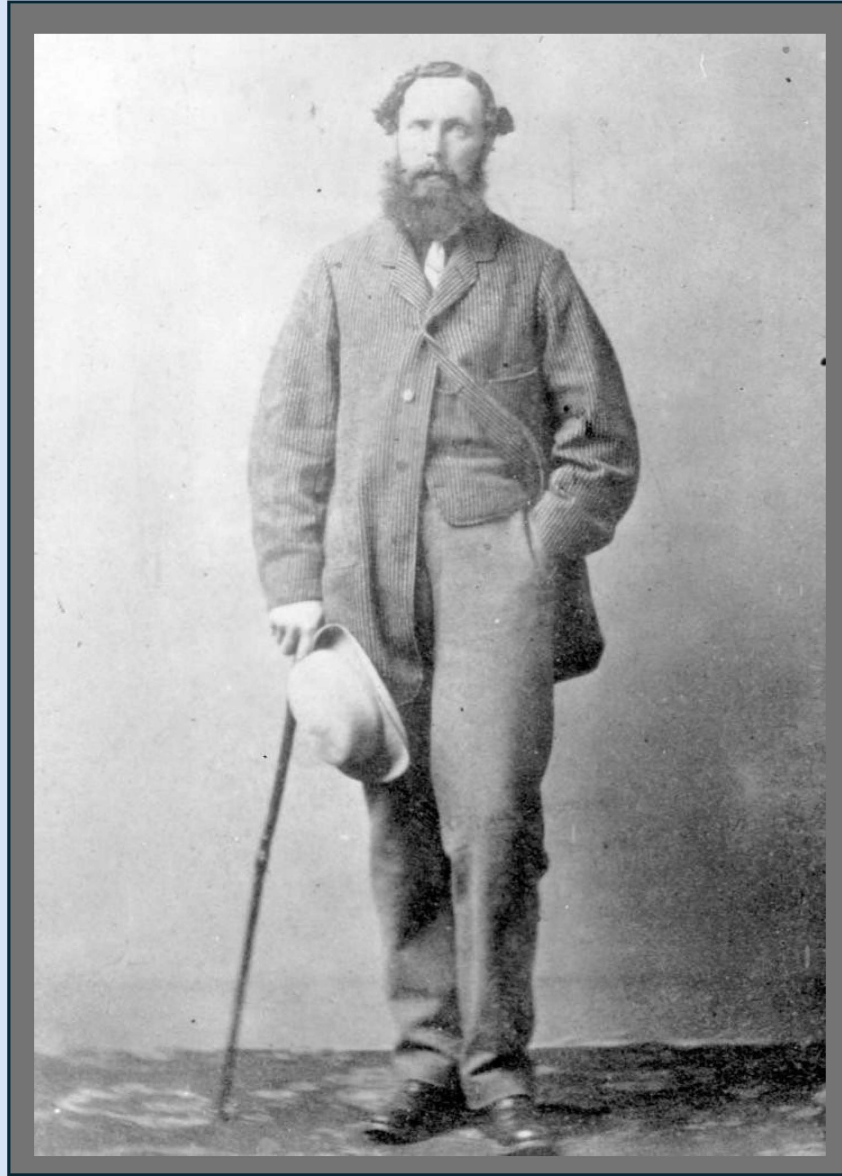


# DIARIES OF PETER O'REILLY

## 1858 – 1905



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1858

# DIARY TRANSCRIPTION

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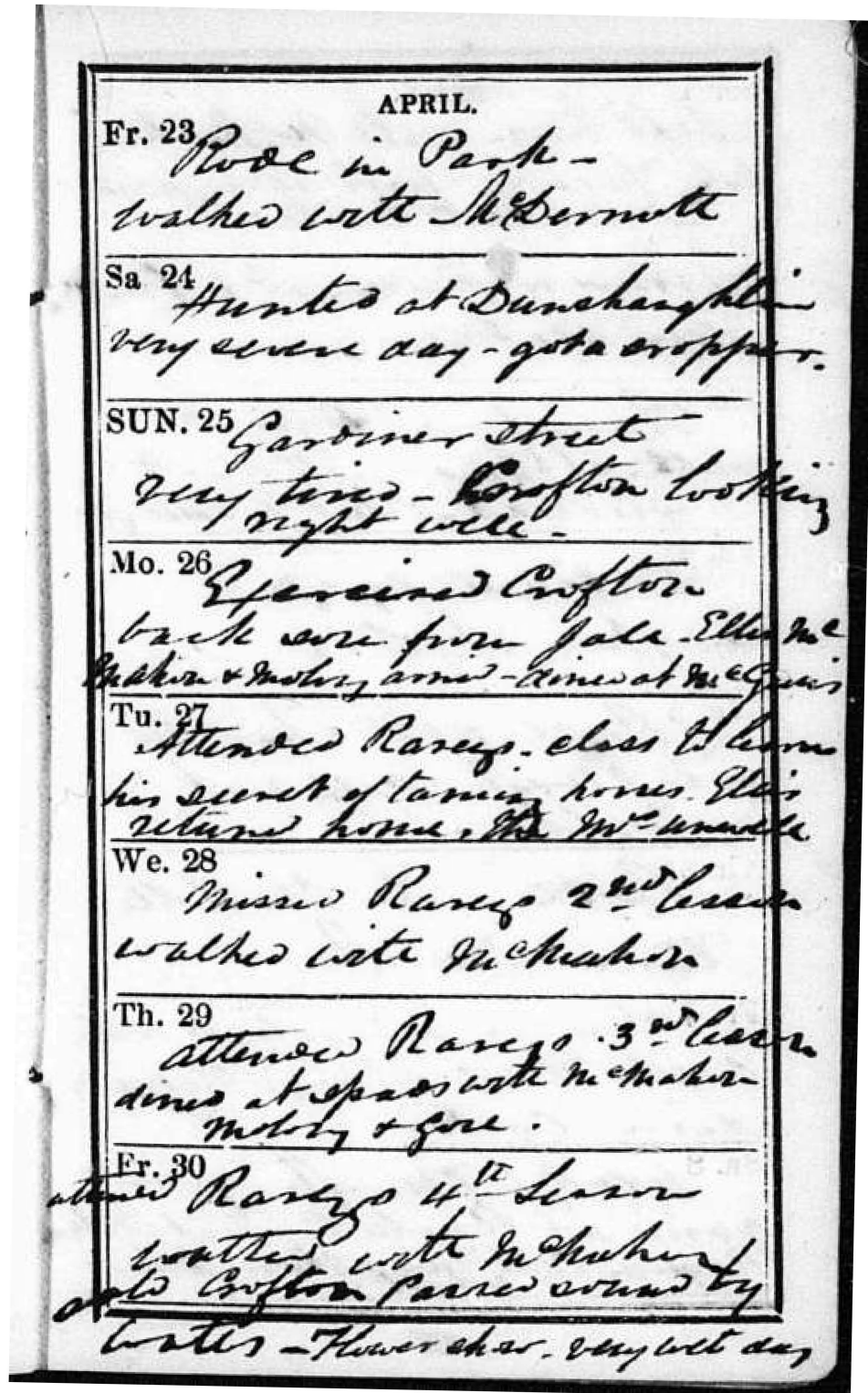
OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

# SAMPLE DIARY PAGE

Peter O'Reilly takes Rarey horse taming instruction.  
April 27-30, 1858



## DIARY SUMMARY

### JANUARY

“Grinding” (meaning unknown) – Peter O’Reilly attends dinners, concerts and pantomime theatre in Dublin

### FEBRUARY

“Grinding” continues - examinations held – Peter goes on walks about Dublin and to dinner with acquaintances.

### MARCH

No diary entries.

### APRIL

Francis Ellis arrives in Dublin – Peter and Francis attend court martial at Royal Barracks, go to Queen’s Theatre and Punchestown horse races – Peter rides and exercises horses, takes Rarey lessons for training and calming difficult horses.

### MAY

Peter O’Reilly visits the Francis & Louisa Ellis family of Faccary House near Mountfield, Ireland – horse riding with Ellis daughter Charlotte – trains horses using Rarey techniques – visit to Royal Fusiliers headquarters – dinner with Captain Knox - band concerts in Omagh with the Ellises.

### JUNE

Peter trains other horses – plays “rackets” and goes fishing – rides horses with Charlotte - visits with Mrs Ellis.

### JULY

Return to Dublin – Ellises visit Peter in Dublin with daughter Charlotte and son Tommy.

### AUGUST

No diary entries.

### SEPTEMBER

Return to Faccary House.

### OCTOBER

Hunting for grouse, hares, and snipe – Peter evaluates hunting dogs.

### NOVEMBER

Hunting with friends – horse training – rides with Charlotte.

### DECEMBER

Trips to Omagh with Mrs Ellis and Charlotte – exercises horses – receives “Valuable present from mistress” on Christmas Day - illness of Mrs Ellis and Charlotte.

## REFERENCES & COMMENTS

1858-01-01

### **grinding**

Meaning unknown. It may refer to preparing for examinations which occur on February 23-25 after which the word ceases to appear.

1858-01-01

### **comment**

Peter O'Reilly's employment during 1858 is unclear. He may have been employed as a horse trainer. Previously, he had served with the Irish Revenue Police from 1850 to 1857, achieved the rank of Lieutenant and was stationed at Mountfield, County Tyrone.

1858-01-19

### **do**

Abbreviation for "ditto".

1858-04-12

### **Francis Ellis**

(1819-1881)

County Magistrate, and Captain, Major, and Colonel in the Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

1858-04-24

### **cropper**

To fall from a horse.

1858-04-27

### **Rarey technique**

A method of calming horses named for its inventor John Salomon Rarey (1827-1866).

1858-05-01

### **Faccary**

Home of Francis & Louisa Ellis near Mountfield, County Tyrone (now Northern Ireland), also spelled "Fecarry".

1858-05-05

### **Charlotte Anne Ellis**

(c.1841-1931)

Eldest daughter of Francis & Louisa Ellis.

1858-05-05

### **Robert Dobbs Coulson**

(?-?)

Resident Magistrate for County Tyrone residing at Omagh.

1858-05-09

### **Omagh, Ireland**

County town in County Tyrone, Ireland (now Northern Ireland).

1858-05-10

### **Gortin, Ireland**

Village in County Tyrone, Ireland (now Northern Ireland).

1858-05-13

### **Louisa (McMahon) Ellis**

(?-1889)

Married Francis Ellis in 1841.

1858-06-03

### **Thomas Ellis**

(1844-1918)

Eldest son of Francis & Louisa Ellis.

1858-06-10

### **William Claud Cole-Hamilton**

(1833-1882)

Captain in Royal Marines in Ireland.

1858-07-20

### **"Tommy"**

Nickname for Thomas Ellis.

## DIARY – 1858

### JANUARY

**1858-01-01 \*\***

**FRIDAY**

Molbo St

Grinding

**1858-01-02**

**SATURDAY**

Party at Rathmines

Mrs Waldrons

**1858-01-03**

**SUNDAY**

Gardiner St

Dined at Dennans

**1858-01-04**

**MONDAY**

Grinding

**1858-01-05**

**TUESDAY**

Grinding

**1858-01-06**

**WEDNESDAY**

Grinding - dined at

Blacks & Party

**1858-01-07**

**THURSDAY**

Grinding

Pantomine

**1858-01-08**

**FRIDAY**

Grinding

Dr Hamilton & Dennan

Dined

**1858-01-09**

**SATURDAY**

Grinding

Walked with S. N.

**1858-01-10**

**SUNDAY**

Gardiner St

Dined at Eccles St

**1858-01-11**

**MONDAY**

Grinding

Hungarion Kolondzy Band S. N.

**1858-01-12**

**TUESDAY**

Grinding

Dined at Dennans G. Nicolls

S. N.

**1858-01-13**

**WEDNESDAY**

Grinding - walked with

S. N. went by G Rogers Ellis parcels

Jullians Concert

**1858-01-14**

**THURSDAY**

Grinding

Jullians morning concert

Mrs Swans Party S. N.

**1858-01-15**

**FRIDAY**

Grinding - attended

meeting of P. P. officers at Northumberland

Pantomine with S. N.

**1858-01-16**

**SATURDAY**

Grinding

Walked with S. N. at N. went

home - sat up at night.

**1858-01-17**

**SUNDAY**

Molboro Street

Grinding

**1858-01-18**

**MONDAY**

Grinding

**1858-01-19 \***

**TUESDAY**

Do

Dined at Perrins

**1858-01-20**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Do

**1858-01-21**  
**THURSDAY**  
Do  
Perrin dined here

**1858-01-22**  
**FRIDAY**  
Grinding  
C. Ellis & the Alexanders came to  
Dublin

**1858-01-23**  
**SATURDAY**  
Do

**1858-01-24**  
**SUNDAY**  
Breakfast at G. Nicolls  
called at Baggot street & Browns  
Molboro street

**1858-01-25**  
**MONDAY**  
Grinding  
Called at Mount St the Alexanders

**1858-01-26**  
**TUESDAY**  
Grinding  
Called at Eccles st

**1858-01-27**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Grinding  
Walked with the Alexanders

**1858-01-28**  
**THURSDAY**  
Do

**1858-01-29**  
**FRIDAY**  
Grinding  
Went with the Alexanders to  
Gordon Cumming

**1858-01-30**  
**SATURDAY**  
Grinding  
1st wet day for 2 months

**1858-01-31**  
**SUNDAY**  
Molboro St  
Walked with A.D.N.

## FEBRUARY

**1858-02-01**  
**MONDAY**  
Grinding  
Went to the Queens with  
A.D.N.

**1858-02-02**  
**TUESDAY**  
Grinding

**1858-02-03**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Grinding  
Walked with Molony & the Alexanders

**1858-02-04**  
**THURSDAY**  
Grinding

**1858-02-05**  
**FRIDAY**  
Grinding - Molony left town  
Met the Knox'es

**1858-02-06**  
**SATURDAY**  
Grinding - changed my lodging  
from Gloucester St to Buckingham St  
Dined with Garret & went to Pantomine  
with the Knoxes

**1858-02-07**  
**SUNDAY**  
Grinding - National School  
St Patricks walked with Miss  
Knox - & dined with McDermott

**1858-02-08**

**MONDAY**

Grinding all day

**1858-02-09**

**TUESDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-10**

**WEDNESDAY**

Grinding

Walked with the Knox'es - went to Party at Miss Walsh's - fearfull crush not home until 4- AM

**1858-02-11**

**THURSDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-12**

**FRIDAY**

do

**1858-02-13**

**SATURDAY**

do

**1858-02-14**

**SUNDAY**

Molbo street

**1858-02-15**

**MONDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-16**

**TUESDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-17**

**WEDNESDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-18**

**THURSDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-19**

**FRIDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-20**

**SATURDAY**

Do

**1858-02-21**

**SUNDAY**

Molbo street

**1858-02-22**

**MONDAY**

Grinding

**1858-02-23**

**TUESDAY**

Examination

**1858-02-24**

**WEDNESDAY**

Examination

**1858-02-25**

**THURSDAY**

Examination

Dined at McGuires

**1858-02-26**

**FRIDAY**

Walked about town

**1858-02-27**

**SATURDAY**

do

**1858-02-28**

**SUNDAY**

Molbo Street

Walked with Miss K

## MARCH

**1858-03-01**

**MONDAY**

sleeting & snowing all day

McMahon Rudge Tyrell &c dined

**1858-03-02**

**TUESDAY**

Sleeting & snowing all day.

**1858-03-03**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-04**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-05**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-06**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-07**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-08**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-09**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-10**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-11**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

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**FRIDAY 12**  
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**1858-03-13**  
**SATURDAY**  
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**SUNDAY**  
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**1858-03-15**  
**MONDAY**  
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**1858-03-16**  
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**1858-03-18**  
**THURSDAY**  
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**1858-03-19**  
**FRIDAY**  
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**1858-03-20**  
**SATURDAY**  
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**SUNDAY**  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
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**THURSDAY**  
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**FRIDAY**  
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**1858-03-27**  
**SATURDAY**  
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**1858-03-28**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-03-29**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-03-30**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-03-31**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

## APRIL

**1858-04-01**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-02**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-03**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-04**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-05**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-06**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-07**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-08**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-09**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-10**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-11**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-04-12 \***

**MONDAY**

Ellis arrived in Dublin  
spent the day with him & went to  
Queens Theatre.

**1858-04-13**

**TUESDAY**

Went with Ellis to court  
martial at Royal Barracks  
dined at McGuires.

**1858-04-14**

**WEDNESDAY**

Punchestown Races  
met L Williams just home  
from Dover.

**1858-04-15**

**THURSDAY**

spent day with Ellis &c  
went to Q Theatre.

**1858-04-16**

**FRIDAY**

Ellis left town  
dined with Garrett.

**1858-04-17**

**SATURDAY**

Sat in house all day  
McMahon & McDermott dined

**1858-04-18**

**SUNDAY**

Gardiner street  
went to Kingston to see  
the Coulsons.

**1858-04-19**

**MONDAY**

Rode in Park with  
McCarthy - dined at spads

**1858-04-20**

**TUESDAY**

Rode in Park. Lows  
Dined. Party at Hamiltons

**1858-04-21**

**WEDNESDAY**

Exercised Crofton  
Low dined.

**1858-04-22**

**THURSDAY**

Rode in Park  
dined at Dennans.

**1858-04-23**

**FRIDAY**

Rode in Park -  
walked with McDermott

**1858-04-24 \***

**SATURDAY**

Hunted at Dunshaughlin  
very severe day - got a cropper.

**1858-04-25**

**SUNDAY**

Gardiner street  
very tired. Crofton looking  
right well.

**1858-04-26**

**MONDAY**

Exercised Crofton  
back sore from fall. Ellis Mc  
Mahon & Molony arrived - dined at McGuires

**1858-04-27 \***

**TUESDAY**

Attended Rareys - class to learn  
his secret of taming horses. Ellis  
returned home, the Mrs unwell

**1858-04-28**

**WEDNESDAY**

Missed Rareys 2nd lesson  
walked with McMahon

**1858-04-29**

**THURSDAY**

Attended Rareys 3rd lesson  
dined at spads with McMahon

Molony & Gore

**1858-04-30**

**FRIDAY**

Attended Rareys 4th lesson  
walked with McMahon  
also Crofton Passed round by  
Watts. Flower show - very wet day

## MAY

**1858-05-01 \***

**SATURDAY**

Left town with McMahon  
for Fecary - first having paid  
a round of visits.

**1858-05-02**

**SUNDAY**

Arrived at Fecarry at 6 OC A.M. -  
very seedy.

**1858-05-03**

**MONDAY**

Rarefyied Seymour  
coult & Moses - with great  
success - went to Omagh

**1858-05-04**

**TUESDAY**

Poisoned eggs, &  
magpie shoots.

**1858-05-05 \*\***

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte  
into Omagh - called at  
Coulsons.

**1858-05-06**

**THURSDAY**

Rode with Charlotte  
Ellis in Omagh.

**1858-05-07**

**FRIDAY**

1st dinner of Fusilier [*illegible*]  
Capts Knox Strong & Ridgeway  
dine - cards.

**1858-05-08**

**SATURDAY**

Went to Omagh - good game at Rackets & beat Coulson Ridgeway. Capt Knox & Strong dined – whist.

**1858-05-09 \***

**SUNDAY**

Head Quarter of Fusiliers arrived in Omagh. Capt Knox dined.

**1858-05-10 \***

**MONDAY**

Ellis at Gortin Road [*illegible*]  
Rode with Charlotte.

**1858-05-11**

**TUESDAY**

Rarefyied - Rode with Charlotte to Omagh to hear Band.

**1858-05-12**

**WEDNESDAY**

Went to Omagh with Ellis Band played - hurt my knee.

**1858-05-13 \***

**THURSDAY**

Went with Mrs Ellis &c to hear Band.

**1858-05-14**

**FRIDAY**

Went with Ellis to Omagh [Lowe] [*illegible words*]  
Ellis played Racket.

**1858-05-15**

**SATURDAY**

In house all day  
knee very sore, & blistered.

**1858-05-16**

**SUNDAY**

At home a regular cripple.

**1858-05-17**

**MONDAY**

At home.

**1858-05-18**

**TUESDAY**

Coulson & a large Party to see Raryfy system most successful 3- subjects.

**1858-05-19**

**WEDNESDAY**

Ellis in Gortin.  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-05-20**

**THURSDAY**

Went with Ellis to Omagh.

**1858-05-21**

**FRIDAY**

[Poisoned] mountain  
Cashel Langham &c not home till 8- O.C.

**1858-05-22**

**SATURDAY**

Rode to Omagh on Seymour. Carpendale dined & slept.

**1858-05-23**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-05-24**

**MONDAY**

Large Party to breakfast  
Rareyfing. Ellis went to Crevenagh.

**1858-05-25**

**TUESDAY**

Ellis in Omagh Road  
Sessions. Rode with Charlotte

**1858-05-26**

**WEDNESDAY**

Went to Termon to Rarefy most successful - dined, & had a jolly dance. Charlotte remained.

**1858-05-27**  
**THURSDAY**  
Rode with Ellis to  
McCartlands.

**1858-05-28**  
**FRIDAY**  
Put up Bar for training  
horses to leap.

**1858-05-29**  
**SATURDAY**  
Omagh - spent day with  
Black.

**1858-05-30**  
**SUNDAY**  
In Omagh with  
Colonel to get his tooth out.

**1858-05-31**  
**MONDAY**  
Helped to put Moses in  
Harness.

## JUNE

**1858-06-01**  
**TUESDAY**  
Rode to Glenloch on Seymour  
with Ellis to inspect shooting  
lodge.

**1858-06-02**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Ellis in Gortin - drove  
the *[deletion]* [Phaeton] to Termon  
for Charlotte.

**1858-06-03 \***  
**THURSDAY**  
Rarefying Willie Hamilton's  
mare - then into Omagh played  
Rackets. Tom arrived fr school

**1858-06-04**  
**FRIDAY**  
Coulson started for  
Belfast - in Gortin with  
Ellis petty sessions.

**1858-06-05**  
**SATURDAY**  
Rode to Omagh with  
Tom - played Rackets.

**1858-06-06**  
**SUNDAY**  
*[no entry]*

**1858-06-07**  
**MONDAY**  
At home

**1858-06-08**  
**TUESDAY**  
Fishing at Lough Fingrane

**1858-06-09**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Ellis at Gortin.  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-06-10 \***  
**THURSDAY**  
Willie Hamilton  
married.

**1858-06-11**  
**FRIDAY**  
*[no entry]*

**1858-06-12**  
**SATURDAY**  
*[no entry]*

**1858-06-13**  
**SUNDAY**  
Walked over mountain  
& dined with Black

**1858-06-14**  
**MONDAY**  
Fishing at Lough  
Fingrane

**1858-06-15**  
**TUESDAY**  
Dined at Seskanore  
Dance in the evening

**1858-06-16**

**WEDNESDAY**

Long chat with Mrs Ellis  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-06-17**

**THURSDAY**

At home

**1858-06-18**

**FRIDAY**

At Gortin for reception  
of Willie C Hamilton - dined  
& danced - not till 6- OC AM

**1858-06-19**

**SATURDAY**

Omagh. Rackets

**1858-06-20**

**SUNDAY**

McClintoch dined &  
slept.

**1858-06-21**

**MONDAY**

Drove with Ellis & McClintoch  
to buy hounds at Loughry  
lunched at Desertcrete  
Manlys dined. McClintoch  
went home E. Alexander dined

**1858-06-22**

**TUESDAY**

at home

**1858-06-23**

**WEDNESDAY**

Ellis at Gortin - rode with  
Charlotte & E Alexander

**1858-06-24**

**THURSDAY**

Fished Fingrane

**1858-06-25**

**FRIDAY**

at home

**1858-06-26**

**SATURDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-06-27**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-06-28**

**MONDAY**

Rode with Ellis & Charlotte  
to Seskanore

**1858-06-29**

**TUESDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-06-30**

**WEDNESDAY**

[no entry]

## JULY

**1858-07-01**

**THURSDAY**

Rarefying - Mrs Miss  
& Mr Byrne

**1858-07-02**

**FRIDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-03**

**SATURDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-04**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-05**

**MONDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-06**

**TUESDAY**

Went to Seskanore

**1858-07-07**

**WEDNESDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-08**

**THURSDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-07-09**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-10**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-11**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-12**

**MONDAY**

Hunting on foot with  
McClintoch at Killyclogher  
very wet

**1858-07-13**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-14**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-15**

**THURSDAY**

drove to Fecary - all at  
Termon but Mrs Ellis

**1858-07-16**

**FRIDAY**

Went to Dublin with  
Roache

**1858-07-17**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-18**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-19**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-20 \***

**TUESDAY**

Mrs Ellis & Tommy  
arrived in Dublin - met them

at the Terminus

**1858-07-21**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-22**

**THURSDAY**

Ellis & Charlotte  
arrived in Dublin

**1858-07-23**

**FRIDAY**

spent day with Mrs Ellis

**1858-07-24**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-25**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-26**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-27**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-28**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-29**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-30**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-07-31**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

## AUGUST

**1858-08-01**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-02**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-03**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-04**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-05**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-06**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-07**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-08**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-09**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-10**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-11**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-12**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-13**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-14**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-15**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-16**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-17**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-18**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-19**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-20**

**FRIDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-21**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-22**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-23**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-24**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-25**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-08-26**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-08-27**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-08-28**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-08-29**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-08-30**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-08-31**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

## SEPTEMBER

**1858-09-01**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-02**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-03**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-04**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-05**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-06**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-07**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-08**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-09**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-10**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-11**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-12**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-13**  
**MONDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-14**  
**TUESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-15**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-16**  
**THURSDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-17**  
**FRIDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-18**  
**SATURDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-19**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-09-20**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-21**

**TUESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-22**

**WEDNESDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-23**

**THURSDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-24**

**FRIDAY**

Arrived at Fecarry

**1858-09-25**

**SATURDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-26**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-09-27**

**MONDAY**

[*illegible*] - went by mail

**1858-09-28**

**TUESDAY**

Grouse shooting with

Ellis - 6½ brace - 3 hares

**1858-09-29**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-09-30**

**THURSDAY**

Shot with Ellis

6 brace - 4 hares 2 snipe

## OCTOBER

**1858-10-01**

**FRIDAY**

Rode to Seskanore with

Ellis to see hounds.

**1858-10-02**

**SATURDAY**

Rode to Omagh with

Charlotte.

**1858-10-03**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-10-04**

**MONDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-10-05**

**TUESDAY**

Hunted Hercules at

Lunatic Asylum

**1858-10-06**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-10-07**

**THURSDAY**

Coulson dined slept

Danced.

**1858-10-08**

**FRIDAY**

Coulson & Ellis at

Gortin - danced in the

evening

**1858-10-09**

**SATURDAY**

Went to Omagh

with Ellis & Coulson

Rackets.

**1858-10-10**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-10-11**

**MONDAY**

Shot with Ellis at

Langham - bad sport.

**1858-10-12**

**TUESDAY**

Very wet

**1858-10-13**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-10-14**

**THURSDAY**

R Lindesay arrived

**1858-10-15**

**FRIDAY**

Coursing very wet  
bad sport

**1858-10-16**

**SATURDAY**

Rode to Omagh with  
Charlotte

**1858-10-17**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-10-18**

**MONDAY**

Molony & Ellis shot  
Glenhordial. Lindesay arrived  
drove Mrs to Omagh.

**1858-10-19**

**TUESDAY**

Hunted at Mullaghmore  
R Lindesay Ellis & myself Cutahy  
Bow wow in scarlett

**1858-10-20**

**WEDNESDAY**

shot with Bob Lindesay

**1858-10-21**

**THURSDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-10-22**

**FRIDAY**

Hunted at Ranelly  
bad sport

**1858-10-23**

**SATURDAY**

Rackets with Coulson  
& R Lindesay

**1858-10-24**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

**1858-10-25**

**MONDAY**

Walked to Swifts with  
Charlotte & Mrs Ellis

**1858-10-26**

**TUESDAY**

Hunted at Drumragh

**1858-10-27**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-10-28**

**THURSDAY**

Netted a bag man

**1858-10-29**

**FRIDAY**

Hunted at Drumconnelly  
cross roads - good run  
lamed Hercules

**1858-10-30**

**SATURDAY**

Rode to Omagh with  
Charlotte - visited Coulson &c.

**1858-10-31**

**SUNDAY**

[*no entry*]

## NOVEMBER

**1858-11-01**

**MONDAY**

Dined at Mr Dixon's -  
capital dance. The Fox's &c &c

**1858-11-02**

**TUESDAY**

Hunted at Asylum

good run. Hercules all right.

**1858-11-03**

**WEDNESDAY**

shot - dined & slept at  
Beltrim.

**1858-11-04**

**THURSDAY**

shot with Ellis good  
sport.

**1858-11-05**

**FRIDAY**

Betty session met  
Graves returned to Fecary

**1858-11-06**

**SATURDAY**

Omagh - very wet

**1858-11-07**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-11-08**

**MONDAY**

shot well Ellis good  
sport.

**1858-11-09**

**TUESDAY**

shot with Ellis good  
sport -

**1858-11-10**

**WEDNESDAY**

George Vesey breakfasted  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-11-11**

**THURSDAY**

Drove to Omagh with  
Charlotte & Mrs Ellis

**1858-11-12**

**FRIDAY**

shot with Ellis

**1858-11-13**

**SATURDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-11-14**

**SUNDAY**

Coulson lunched

**1858-11-15**

**MONDAY**

wet

**1858-11-16**

**TUESDAY**

shot with Ellis good  
sport.

**1858-11-17**

**WEDNESDAY**

Drove to Omagh with  
Mrs & Charlotte.

**1858-11-18**

**THURSDAY**

Lunging colt  
Drove to Seskanore with Ellis

**1858-11-19**

**FRIDAY**

Shot with Ellis. Frost

**1858-11-20**

**SATURDAY**

Lunging Simoon  
& coursing good sport

**1858-11-21**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-11-22**

**MONDAY**

Lunging Simoon coursing  
at Glenhordial. Bad sport  
shot 2 br of each 1 br of grouse

**1858-11-23**

**TUESDAY**

snipe shooting with  
Ellis - bad sport

**1858-11-24**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode with Charlotte

**1858-11-25**  
**THURSDAY**  
Lunging colt

**1858-11-26**  
**FRIDAY**  
Lunging colt -  
coursing - very wet evening

**1858-11-27**  
**SATURDAY 27**  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-11-28**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-11-29**  
**MONDAY**  
Lunging colt - rode  
with Ellis Charlotte & Fanny  
to Mr Dixon's

**1858-11-30**  
**TUESDAY**  
Ellis hunting - very  
wet day

## DECEMBER

**1858-12-01**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Drove Charlotte & Mrs  
Ellis to Omagh.

**1858-12-02**  
**THURSDAY**  
Rat hunting  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-12-03**  
**FRIDAY**  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-12-04**  
**SATURDAY**  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-12-05**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-12-06**  
**MONDAY**  
Lunging colt for  
first time - got on very well

**1858-12-07**  
**TUESDAY**  
exercised colt

**1858-12-08**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Rode with Charlotte  
Ellis went to Dublin by [*illegible*]

**1858-12-09**  
**THURSDAY**  
Rode with Charlotte

**1858-12-10**  
**FRIDAY**  
Drove to Omagh  
Took out Simoon

**1858-12-11**  
**SATURDAY**  
In Omagh to meet Molony  
Humfrey. Race between McClintoch  
& Buchannan

**1858-12-12**  
**SUNDAY**  
[no entry]

**1858-12-13**  
**MONDAY**  
Exercised Simoon  
Drove to Omagh with  
Mrs & Charlotte

**1858-12-14**  
**TUESDAY**  
Rode to Termon with Charlotte  
home by Drumnakilly. Ellis  
returned from Dublin by Dungannon

**1858-12-15**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Ellis in Gortin. Long  
chat with Mrs Ellis

**1858-12-16**

**THURSDAY**

Chat with Ellis.  
Hunted Simoon 2nd time  
good sport - lost a shoe.

**1858-12-17**

**FRIDAY**

shot snipe with Ellis  
bad sport

**1858-12-18**

**SATURDAY**

Wet  
Exercised horses from  
McMahon

**1858-12-19**

**SUNDAY**

[no entry]

**1858-12-20**

**MONDAY**

Hunted stag. Simoon  
stuck on bog - very good sport.

**1858-12-21**

**TUESDAY**

Ellis drove to Omagh  
Tommy home from school  
Molony dined & slept.

**1858-12-22**

**WEDNESDAY**

Rode McMahons horses

**1858-12-23**

**THURSDAY**

hunted - Hercules - blank  
day very wet.

**1858-12-24**

**FRIDAY**

Drove Mrs & Charlotte to Omagh

**1858-12-25**

**SATURDAY**

Valuable present from  
mistress - very wet

**1858-12-26**

**SUNDAY**

very wet  
Charlotte very ill - Dr Flemming  
sent for.

**1858-12-27**

**MONDAY**

Charlotte a little better  
Rode Hercules with Tom

**1858-12-28**

**TUESDAY**

Very wet - could not  
hunt Charlotte no better Mrs E  
complaining

**1858-12-29**

**WEDNESDAY**

Ellis at Gortin  
Charlotte no better Mrs  
no better wont give up

**1858-12-30**

**THURSDAY**

Snow  
Charlotte something better  
Mrs obliged to go to bed

**1858-12-31**

**FRIDAY**

Mrs very ill. Charlotte  
better - shot snipe with Tom  
Ellis in Omagh