

DIARIES OF PETER O'REILLY

1858 – 1905



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1890

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Caroline "Carry" O'Reilly's illness and operation at home performed by Dr Davie & Dr Helmcken.
April 20-23, 1890

April SUNDAY 20 1890	April TUESDAY 22 1890
<p>Carry rather worse. Kit remains with her. I went to St. John's Rev. James O'Connell - Sr. Mr. B. Sinn Jackson - Mr. Eney & Col. Baker called.</p> <p>Kit went to Sunday school & to the Cathedral at 7-01.</p> <p>Dr. Helmcken calls & says he will bring Dr. Davie tomorrow</p>	<p>Carry nervous & excited at this. Drs. Davie & Helmcken arrived sharp at 1-0 P.M. Carry was put under the influence of Ether which lasted for two hours. an operation was performed which lasted over 2 hours. The Drs. say most successfully.</p> <p>Kit remained in attendance till 2 am, when I took charge.</p> <p>Carry weak & suffered for the effect of Ether.</p>
MONDAY 21	WEDNESDAY 23
<p>Carry had bad night. no bath. In Office till 2.30 - Queen returned from Lanchester</p> <p>Dr. Helmcken & Davie called to see Carry. they report nothing serious, but that they might make a further examination.</p> <p>Sent Recd. £2.00, dated 10th March for the Cent. of Recd. £2.6.3.</p>	<p>Carry very low & depressed. Her appetite is however returning.</p> <p>Dr. Davie called early & pointed out that a nurse must be engaged.</p> <p>Later on Miss Campbell arrived & took charge of the sick room.</p> <p>Miss Ward & Mrs. Jervis & Alice called. Also Ward & Mrs. Jervis. John Maggie McJavish married.</p>

DIARY SUMMARY

JANUARY

Cold snowy weather marks the start of the new year – many friends sick and in bed – Peter O'Reilly is a pall bearer at the funeral of Lady Amelia Douglas, wife of Sir James Douglas – "Carry" O'Reilly suffers from severe cold and remains in bed – departure of HMS *Swiftsure* and Admiral Heneage, officers Stapleton, Thynne, and Homer..

FEBRUARY

Peter attends shareholder's and director's meeting of the Albion Iron Works, Victoria Gas Co, and Canadian Pacific Navigation Co, dividends declared – "Rode to see Foot Ball – a rough game" – meeting regarding proposed Indian industrial school at Alert Bay - "Electric Tram cars commenced to run" – fire damages Point Ellice dining room.

MARCH

Pruning of "acacia" trees – marriage of Alice Ward to Mortimer Drummond – Dr Helmcken orders Carry O'Reilly to remain in bed during her illness - Peter buys more shares in Bank of B.C. and invests in five lots at Port Crescent.

APRIL

Carry O'Reilly's illness continues, Drs Helmcken and Davie are called – doctors report "nothing serious" and proceed with two-hour operation at home using ether – Carry recovers by month end.

MAY

Carry's recovery uneven but continues – in Shuswap Peter meet with white landowners who have encroached on Indian lands and encourages them to leave the land – Duke and Duchess of Connaught officially open the Royal Jubilee Hospital – Joseph & Julia Trutch return to Victoria after an absence of 1½ years in England.

JUNE

Preparations for an Indian Reserve Commission trip to Nitinat on the west coast of Vancouver Island begin – HMS *Champion* arrives from Honolulu – Bishop Anson of Qu'Appelle preaches and delivers an address.

JULY

HMS *Warspite* arrives in Esquimalt harbour with Rear-Admiral Charles Hotham – Peter O'Reilly purchases more shares in the Albion Iron Works for \$2400 - tennis parties and dinner gatherings characterize the summer season.

AUGUST

A reserve is defined at Nitinat Lake on Vancouver Island, after a week the I.R.C. crew is back in Victoria – Peter O'Reilly returns home ill and is confined to bed – Drs Helmcken and Davie visit – most of Peter's activities curtailed for the remainder of August.

SEPTEMBER

Two tons of hay and straw delivered – Carry O'Reilly attends lecture on the immigration of women to BC to be servants and farm labourers – lunch on board the HMS *Warspite* with the Admiral.

OCTOBER

The Jacksons hold an auction of the contents of their home and depart Victoria to return to England – HMS *Amphion* departs Esquimalt for Honolulu and the Mediterranean – Carry and daughter "Kit" prepare for a fancy ball – another ball held by the Admiral and officers of the HMS *Warspite* which Peter reluctantly attends.

NOVEMBER

HMS *Warspite* departs Esquimalt – two Jersey calves purchased – two employees quit, two more are hired, but one quits after two weeks.

DECEMBER

Peter talks with Joseph Pemberton about prospecting for oil in the Kootenay and Alberta – death of Alfred Brealey and former Victoria mayor James Fell – another cow is purchased – wood, coal, hay, and manure delivered to Point Ellice – holly sent to Sir John Macdonald and Lady Stanley – Christmas Day celebrations at Fairfield and Highwood.

REFERENCES & COMMENTS

1890-02-11

Edward Grey Hulton

(1845-1923)

Captain of HMS *Amphion* (1888-92), severely reprimanded after he grounded the ship in November 1889.

1890-05-04

Robert Falcon Scott

(1868-1912)

Appointed to HMS *Amphion* on the Pacific Station in Esquimalt December 1888, promoted to Lieutenant in August 1889, returned to Britain in 1891. Scott led the famed ill-fated second expedition to reach the South Pole (1910-12) where he and four others perished on their return journey. Scott was considered a national hero for his courage and patriotism.



Image: Robert Falcon Scott (BC Archives C-03907, O'Reilly Collection, noted as Esquimalt, ca. 1890 on back)

1890-05-25

William John Beauchamp Pinder

(1878-1923)

Second child and first son of William George Pinder and Anne Marie Henriette Devereux, the son of Caroline & Peter O'Reilly's nephew.

1890-05-29

comment

Joseph and Julia Trutch left Victoria for England in late 1888 and did not return until May 1890. He was knighted by Queen Victoria in April 1889.

1890-07-17

HMS *Warspite*

Royal Navy cruiser launched in 1884, sold in 1905 and scrapped.



Image: The HMS Warspite in the drydock at Esquimalt (BC Archives, D-05235, 1891)

1890-07-17

Charles Frederick Hotham

(1843-1925)

Royal Navy Rear-Admiral (1888), Commander-in-Chief on the Pacific Station (1890-93).

1890-07-20

Hedworth Lambton

(1856-1929)

Promoted to Captain (1889), in command of the cruiser *Warspite* (1890-93), Flag Captain to Rear-Admiral Charles F. Hotham on the Pacific Station.

1890-07-28

Francis Algernon Devereux

(1867-1960)

Civil engineer and land surveyor, employed with the Indian Reserve Commissioner under Peter O'Reilly from about 1890 to 1895 often in conjunction with surveyor Ernest Meeson Skinner, half-brother of Anne Marie Henriette (Devereux) Pinder.

1890-09-03

Arthur John Weaver-Bridgman

(1869-1918)

Real estate agent, married Maud Lilian Trywhitt-Drake (1868-1943) in Victoria.

1890-10-13

Hugh Bowlsby Willson Aikman
(1836-1904)

Lawyer with Drake, Jackson, Helmcken in Victoria starting in 1890.

1890-10-26

William Francis Locke Paddon
(1844-1922)

Anglican vicar who came to BC in 1889 and served in Victoria before establishing a missionary church on Mayne Island, BC in 1895.

DIARY – 1890

JANUARY

1890-01-01

WEDNESDAY

Very hard frost. Half a gale from N.E. bitterly cold. Harry Helmcken, Vowell Pooley & c & c called. Paid Mrs Drake a visit. Went with Vowell Pooley & Drake to call at Govt House & Mrs Jackson. Spent an hour in the Club. Recd a budget of letters Carry seedy, her voice gone.

1890-01-02

THURSDAY

About 3 inches of snow. Strong N.E. wind all the day. Remained at home Carry's cold still bad, her voice slightly better. The childrens party on board the "Amphion" postponed in consequence of the severity of the weather.

1890-01-03

FRIDAY

Hard frost – bitterly cold Carry's cold slightly better, but still confined to her bed. Feeling very seedy, cold all through my bones. In office. Visit from Chas Vernon Long talk with Jemmett, & c – his seasons work.

1890-01-04

SATURDAY

Weather slightly moderating. Carry much better. My cold very heavy – remained in bed till noon. Kit went to childrens party on board the "Amphion" she returned at 6.45.

1890-01-05

SUNDAY

Cold stormy day very cold

hard work to prevent the water pipes from freezing. Carry slightly better – my cold very heavy. We all stayed at home Sir Matthew had early dinner with us. Capt Hammett came to tea. Kit went to the Cathedral with the Drakes. Snowing heavily

1890-01-06

MONDAY

About 4 inches of snow on the ground. Weather more moderate Remained at home. Cold still very troublesome – arranged my papers in writing table. Kit went with the Drakes to skate at Swan Lake.

1890-01-07

TUESDAY

Transfer Carriage to & from office. Weather moderating, snowing all the morning. Drove to office in a Sleigh. – Long visit from Ward & from Vowell. Arthur Pinder paid me \$15 for Mrs Coote Chambers.

1890-01-08

WEDNESDAY

Raining – rapid thaw. Called to inquire for Revd Jenns Much better. In office Pooley paid me a long visit he is recovering fr. a bad cold. Vowell in great force, evidently delighted with his room & fittings.

1890-01-09

THURSDAY

Fine bright day, but cold. Drove in pony carriage to call on Mrs Ward who was unwell confined to her bed. Saw Alice & Nelly – both looking seedy. Called to see John who has been confined to his room for 3 or 4 days.

1890-01-10

FRIDAY

About 2½ in snow fell, it commenced about 7 & cleared up at 10 AM Sent the Barrels of my gun to Capt Sampson to be repaired. Drove to office in pony carriage where I remained till 4. PM. Hamley & Willy Pinder called. Walked to Fairfield Spent a couple of hours with John who is better – home at 7.30 Mary Smith arrived 11-45 P.M. Str “Islander” very late.

1890-01-11

SATURDAY

Cold raw stormy day. Mary Smith commenced to work as house maid &c @ \$20-00 pr month. One month being pd in advance. Rented the cottage at \$12- pr month to Donald Grant. In office pd bills. Visited Dog show, a fizzle. Pd Charles a visit. Vowell Homer & Warrender dined quietly with us.

1890-01-12

SUNDAY

Transfer & Driard? Carriages Rained & snowed heavily. Church at St Johns. The Bishop preached Revd Green read the Service. Jenns ill confined to his bed. Sir M.B.B. came to early dinner. Fred Pemberton called. Drove to Church in Transfer carriage & home in Driard carriage, pd latter \$1.00 Rained & stormed all the evening.

1890-01-13

MONDAY

Hard frost. Braden called he remained a few minutes & said he could not remain to repair the broken water pipe. In office till 4. Paid John a visit found him much better & able to be out.

1890-01-14

TUESDAY

Rained & Stormed incessantly.
In office – home at 5 P.M.
Col & Mrs Baker, Green & wife &
Stapelton dined with us.

1890-01-15

WEDNESDAY

Blowing a blizzard all the day.
Attended as pall bearer the funeral
of Lady Douglas. Also Sir M.B.B. Mac-
donald, Grahame, Finlayson, Lewis
Pemberton, Tolmie. – Called at Sir
Matthews on the way home. Grahame
came to tea. Chads called. Vowell
dined with us.

1890-01-16

THURSDAY

A lovely bright balmy day.
Drove in pony carriage to F-field
Pd Bishop for butter. Called to inquire
for Dr Helmcken, & Mrs A. Pinder
In office. Jackson called.
Carry & Kit came at 4 – walked
with them to inquire for Flo Wilson.
Called on Mrs Jackson – out.
Pd Goon wages in full to 1st Jany
also \$3-60. Cash borrowed, & vegetables

1890-01-17

FRIDAY

Hard frost, bitterly cold all
the day.
In office. Found the missing
Title Deeds for N. W. Suburban Lots
Sent them with copy of plan to Edmonds
in Registered letter.
Walked home with Carry & Kit.

1890-01-18

SATURDAY

Transfer Carriage from town
Hard frost. Stormy cold day.
Attended Directors meeting of
Gas Company. Decided to order
new Holder with telescope from
Philadelphia at a cost of about \$15,000
In office. Caled on Forbes
Vernon, ill, also on FitzStubbs, C
Vernon, & Dr Helmcken, all seedy.

Stapelton & Sampson dined
with us.

1890-01-19

SUNDAY

Heavy fall of snow, 4 inches
Carry & Kit remained at home.
I went to St Johns. Sir M B B
dined. Vowell came to tea
he walked to the Cathedral with Kit
& Clare Drake & returned to supper.
Goon – Cook left to keep the
Chinese New Year

1890-01-20

MONDAY

Hard frost. In office. Lunched
at the Club with Vowell.
Kit went with Maggie McTavish
to skate at Kings pond F-field
Warrender Thynne & Homer
came to tea.

1890-01-21

TUESDAY

Intensely cold. Hard frost. Thawing
during the evening.
In office. Kit tried to get
up a party to skate but failed.
Carry came to the office at
4.30. Walked home with her
Paid Ward a visit re J.W.Ts
telegram Director Albion Iron Works
Stapelton & Homer dined & went with
us to the Theatre, “The Queens Mate”

1890-01-22

WEDNESDAY

Slight frost during th night
Thaw set in early. Strong S.E. wind
all day cold & raw. In office
Paid Dr Helmcken a long visit
found him sitting up & much better
though still very weak. – Walked
home at 6- P.M. Mrs & Mrs Stokes
lunched with Carry & Puss.
Vowell dined Carry & kit went
with him to the Theatre.

1890-01-23

THURSDAY

Carry suffering from severe cold

remained in bed all the day.
Drove to office in pony carriage.
Kit joined me at 2.30 – we attended the opening of Legislative Council. The Speech read by Sir Matthew.
Paid the Drakes a visit
Heavy shower of snow about noon
Carry slightly better.

1890-01-24

FRIDAY

Transfer Carriage – home & to dance at Mrs Fosters.
Cold raw day. In office
Carry still suffering a good deal, confined to her bed.
Took Kit to a dance at Mrs Fosters, did not get home till 3 AM.

1890-01-25

SATURDAY

Transfer Carriage 1½ hour
Very stormy day, high wind
Snow & rain.
Did not go to office
Went to the funeral of Robt Wards child.
Homer & Sampson dined with us.

1890-01-26

SUNDAY

A very stormy night & day.
Snow & rain
Carry confined to her bed, but is evidently better
Went to St Johns Church at 11- Revd Jenns officiated.
Sir Matthew dined.
Jackson, Vowell Capt Hammett Tytler called. ~~Stapelland~~ Stapleton came to supper & to say good bye

1890-01-27

MONDAY

A miserable day. Stormy & wet.
Drove in pony carriage to office, & home at 3- O.C.
Jackson & I called on “Swiftsure” to say our adieus, sent 2 [mats]

to Sir Michael by Sampson.
Called on the Acorn & Amphion gave Warrender a seat to town
Thynne & Homer called to say good bye.

1890-01-28

TUESDAY

A wild stormy day throughout.
H.M.S. Swiftsure – Vice Admiral Heneage left for England.
Carter examined the roof of the house & gutters.
In office.
The horse Blackie shod.

1890-01-29

WEDNESDAY

Blowing hard S.E. all day
occasional showers of snow & rain.
In office. Wolfenden of N. W. called with reference to building on Capt Knox’s lot.
Called on Robt Ward to inquire for his children.

1890-01-30

THURSDAY

Carter brought 2 men to put up new gutters round back veranda
McLennan’s man came at noon to connecting down pipes, & soldered tin on roof.
Vowell called, also Drake & wife.

1890-01-31

FRIDAY

Very stormy day. Snow & rain. One of Carters men worked repaired old Hen house &c.
Carter came at noon, put on locks & patched broken water pipe under bath room.

FEBRUARY

1890-02-01

SATURDAY

Heavy snow fall during the night about 2½ inches.

Drove pony carriage to office & back, had a chat with Ward & Thomson. John paid me a visit.
Rode Blackie round Gorge
Bridge paid Mrs Thomson a visit.

1890-02-02

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & return
Stormy night & morning
We all drove to St Johns Church
Revd Jenns officiated
Holy Communion, Carry & Kit remained
Sir M.B.B. dined.
Arthur & his wife called – also
Ward Townsend & Warrender. John paid us a visit. – We all staid at home and read

1890-02-03

MONDAY

Very heavy rain all the day, high wind during the evening
Attended Annual meeting of the Albion Iron Works – 10 pr cent Div declared.
The Gas Co (Directors) meeting, for which I was late. Div declared at the rate to 6 pr cent. It was also decided to call up the \$10 pr share due on the D. shares & to raise \$[*left blank*] by the issue of fresh shares.

1890-02-04

TUESDAY

Stormy wet day. Attended general meeting of shareholders C.P.N. Co A Div of 8 pr cent declared, payable 1st July.
John came to office & left in a temper.

1890-02-05

WEDNESDAY

Drove to town in pony carriage
Fine morning. In office
Carry & Kit went for a drive.
They afterwards came to town.
I walked home with them.
Warrender came to tea.

1890-02-06

THURSDAY

Kit drove me to office.
Fine day.
Walked home with Carry.

1890-02-07

FRIDAY

Cold raw day. In office
Edmonds paid me a visit re building on Capt Knoxes lot the cost of which he said would be about \$29,000.
Very heavy rain – did not get home till 6 P.M.

1890-02-08

SATURDAY

Cold raw day. Kit drove me to the office, took Mrs A Pinder for a turn round Beacon Hill & called for me at noon. Edmonds called in reference to building of Capt Knoxs Lot. Finlaison called
Rode to see Foot Ball – a rough game. Paid Mrs Ward a visit
Carry & Kit called on Mrs Thomson

1890-02-09

SUNDAY

Franks 24th birth day.
Very cold raw day threatning rain
We all went to St Johns at 11- Revd Jenns as usual.
Sir Matthew dined.
Lang called, also Lindley Crease, Cecil Ward & Tytler
We all remained at home during the evening.

1890-02-10

MONDAY

Sharp frost. Cold day cutting East wind
Kit drove me to the office
She met Zoe & Charlotte & took them to lunch at Point Ellice.
Corbould called re the purchase of right of way through my lots at Vancouver – he offered \$500.

1890-02-11 *

TUESDAY

Transfer Carriage to Bishops close & returning.
A lovely day – bright & balmy
In office till 2- P.M. Mrs Robt Ward & Miss King called.
Carry Kit & I dined with the Bishop
Also Col & Mrs Baker, Jackson, & wife
Beanlands & wife, Ward, Alice, & Gertie
Powell & Capt Hulton.

1890-02-12

WEDNESDAY

Cold stormy day.
Walked to town & back at [*left blank*]
Lang, Gertie Powell and
Warrender dined with us
Warrender left for Ottawa.

1890-02-13

THURSDAY

Very Stormy Cold day.
Remained at home.
Braden sent two men to repair
the water pipes &c. Discovered
the drain from sink &c to be
in a fearful state.
The men worked from 9 30 till
2-30
Carry & Kit went to a
dance at the Drakes.

1890-02-14

FRIDAY

About ½ an inch of snow
fell during the night.
Cold raw day, frequent showers of
snow. In the office till
4.30. Called on Mrs Charles &
Mrs Jackson, both out. Paid Hamley
a visit

1890-02-15

SATURDAY

Bitterly cold ~~day~~ – light dry
snow falling throughout the day.
In town – remained in office till
1- P.M. Interview with Pidcock
re land at Alert Bay for Ind Industrial
School. Home at 2.30 PM.

1890-02-16

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & return
About an inch of snow on
the ground.
Carry & Kit drove to Church
I walked. St Johns at 11- AM
Revd Jenns
Isr Matthew dined with
us. Jackson [Brian] Lindley
& John T. paid us a visit

1890-02-17

MONDAY

North East wind all the day
Piercingly cold.
Drove in pony carriage to
the office – remained till
5- PM walked home with
Brian.

1890-02-18

TUESDAY

Another cold piercing day
N.E. gale all the day.
In office. Fire in Govt
Str. (Hastie & Lockhart)
Corbould dined with us

1890-02-19

WEDNESDAY

Drove pony carriage to town
Cold raw day. In office at
10.30.
Called with Kit on Mr &
Mrs Abbott, out.
Attended meeting of Trustees
of Christ Church Trust. Passed
resolution to sell lot Christ Ch
Parsonage for \$10,000 net.

1890-02-20

THURSDAY

Cold raw day Strong N.E. wind
Drove in pony carriage, left
Kit at Kings pond to skate
In office. Walked home
with Carry.

1890-02-21

FRIDAY

Fine bright warm day.

In office. Paid freight duty
&c on box sent by Jack.
Home at 5. Capt Hulton
Mrs Hannington, Mrs Pooley
& Alice called.
Mr & Mrs Abbot dined
with us.
Sent J. C. Wells (Tailor) P.O. Orders
£11/2//6
Electric Tram cars commenced
to run.

1890-02-22
SATURDAY

A most delightful day
Sharp frost at night, clear
warm day.
Drove to office, after 12 noon
took Vowell for a drive round
Beacon hill, & home to lunch
Kit walked with Zoe to Naval
Hospital Esquimalt. Carry went
to town with Vowell. Wrote to J.W.T.
Tom Ellis

1890-02-23
SUNDAY

Very fine day Spring like and
warm.
St Johns Church at 11 OC
Revd Jenns officiated
Sir Matthew & Vowell took
early dinner with us.
Puss went with the Drakes
to the Cathedral at 7- PM

1890-02-24
MONDAY

Blowing a gale fr N.E.
Frightfully cold. In office
Home at 5 P.M.
The students lamp took fire
in dining room – a good deal
of damage was done before it
was extinguished

1890-02-25
TUESDAY

Bitterly cold – strong N.E.
wind all day, freezing hard
In office
Reported the fire at house

to Robt Ward.
Snowden & wife dined
with us.

1890-02-26
WEDNESDAY

Hard frost. McClure from
R. Wards office valued the
damage done by the fire at \$58.
Had long talk with Thomson
& afterwards with Ward re
purchase & building on Lot at
N. W. –
Lang & Gertie Powell
dined with us.

1890-02-27
THURSDAY

Hard frost during the night
Good skating reported
Kit Seedy.
Mrs Seaton called.
In office. Saw Mason &
Jackson with reference to Lot
at N. W.

1890-02-28
FRIDAY

Very cold. NE wind all day
In office
Home at 5.30.
Settled with Lambert his acct
in full to 22nd Feby wages &
attendance \$37.00

MARCH

1890-03-01
SATURDAY

Cold raw day NE wind.
In office till 2 P.M. John
paid me a long visit.
~~Settled with Lambert~~

1890-03-02
SUNDAY

Fine day slight N.E. wind
Church at St John, Revd Jenns.
Holy Communion.
Sir M B B dined with us
Kit went to Sunday school

1890-03-03

MONDAY

Fine day forenoon, cold evening.

In office

Called on Mr & Mrs Jeens re Fairfax Haynes joining the Mounted Police.

1890-03-04

TUESDAY

A lovely Spring like day.

In office. Kit drove to

Highwood where she lunched

I came home in the pony carriage

Pruned the Acatia trees.

Flo Wilson & Silvia called

also Capt McCallum & wife

he stated that he had applied to

buy S. Plains. I told him I would

retire.

1890-03-05

WEDNESDAY

Cold bright day. East wind.

In office.

The Pooleys & Mr Chads dined with us.

1890-03-06

THURSDAY

Had the Acasia trees pruned

In office conferred

with Vowell in regards to

water rights within the

Railway belt.

Pooley paid me a visit.

1890-03-07

FRIDAY

Bright day rather cold

In office.

Willy Pinder called to inform me

of Arthurs doings in regard to his

wife & her money. Had a long chat

with John, he agreed to see Rithet

re getting work for Arthur at the

Albion Iron Works.

Vowell dined with us.

1890-03-08

SATURDAY

Cold raw day rained a good deal during the day

In office

Long chat with Tompson in

Club – went over the Gas Works

with him. Home at 4- O.C.

Vowell

1890-03-09

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & return

A return of Winter – heavy snow

showers all the day – bitterly

cold.

Church at St Johns.

Revd Jenns officiated

Sir Matthew did not put in an

appearance.

Vowell lunched with us. Ward

paid us a visit also Rose Jenns, &

John, who remained [t]ill 9. P.M.

1890-03-10

MONDAY

Cold windy day – blowing a gale.

Drove Mac to town, inquired for

M.B.B. paid Drummond a visit

In office. McGinty told me of

Jacksons illness – paid him a ling

visit.

1890-03-11

TUESDAY

Up early, pruned Acacia trees

In town

Paid \$37-50 Extra Insurance

on House furniture & effects &c.

Young McEnery lunched with

Carry & Kit they afterwards paid

Mrs Jackson a visit.

1890-03-12

WEDNESDAY

Fine day. Drove to town

In office till 4.30 – paid Hamley

& Jackson a visit – found the

latter much better

1890-03-13

THURSDAY

Very fine day. Carry & Kit drive me to the office, they went to F-field Home at 5. Warrender called Carry & Kit went to Highwood to say good bye to Edith who leaves for England tonight.

1890-03-14

FRIDAY

Fine day. Warm showers at intervals.

Remained at house expecting gardener [*left blank*] who did not turn up. – Sent 2 boxes of shrubs, bulbs lilies of the valley &c to Mrs Abbott.

1890-03-15

SATURDAY

Fine day Chinaman washed the rose trees.

Kit drove me to the office, she went to Highwood & called for me Carry & Kit drove to Naval Hospital I accompanied on blackie, came home by way of the gorge.

Wrote to Jack, sent him P.O.O. 30s/ for his Birthday

1890-03-16

SUNDAY

A lovely day. We all went to St Johns. Sir M.B.B. dined Arthur Pinder & his wife, F Vernon Warrender, Drummond & Brian called.

Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral at 7- P.M. Brian had supper with us

1890-03-17

MONDAY

Bright clear day, but cold N.E. wind. Ward announced the arrival of a new recruit at Highwood – a daughter. In office. Paid Snowden \$1666-66 – 1st instalments of purchase of 5. Lots at Crescent City. – Ohlson worked

½ day pruning roses &c.

1890-03-18

TUESDAY

Slight frost – dull gloomy day In office. Drew \$5000- from B.B.N.A. on T.E's acct pd to his Acct in B.B.C. \$[*left blank*] & sent him the bal. \$[*left blank*] less discount. Paid Ward a visit when I met the Bishop.

1890-03-19

WEDNESDAY

Transfer Carriage to the Wedding & return.

A lovely day bright, & clear Alice Ward married to Mortimer Drummond.

Walked with Johnston & Ward to pay Dupont a visit, & to see his horses.

1890-03-20

THURSDAY

Slight rain. In office all the day. Recd letter from Vowell informing me of the death of his sister – poor fellow is greatly affected. Drake & his wife & Lindley Crease dined with us. Lindley remained at night. The Johnstons were to have been with us but they did not turn up.

1890-03-21

FRIDAY

Very fine day. Drove to town Kit went on to Highwood, & to Mrs Johnstons.

In office.

Agreed to see Capt Knox's lot at N. W. \$20,000 – net – half cash. Bal 8 % with priviledge to remain for 5 yrs power to pay off in sums of not less than \$5000.

Telegraphed to Capt Knox offered £4000 for Lot. Recommend accept.

1890-03-22

SATURDAY

Raining slightly all the day
In office. Bought P O O's
for £15//13 = \$77-00
in favour of Emily White
Home at 3. P.M.
Harry Helmcken called.

1890-03-23

SUNDAY

Bright clear day but cold.
Church at St Johns Revd Jenns
Sir Matthew & Vowell dined with
us.
Warrender called
Carry & Kit started for the Cathedral
were late from Tram, & returned.
T.E. arrived per Islander.

1890-03-24

MONDAY

Cold raw day slight rain.
Carry very complaining she
remained in bed.
In office till 5.30.
Rented the cottage on Henry St
to *[left blank]* Healey for \$12 pr
month.

1890-03-25

TUESDAY

Bright clear day N.E. wind
Carry very seedy. Dr Helmcken
ordered her to remain in bed.
Paid Lambert in full of
all acts. See Cheque Book.

1890-03-26

WEDNESDAY

John Campbell commenced
work - \$25 per month & found
The cow Brenda calved.
Carry still obliged to remain
in bed. Dr Helmcken called

1890-03-27

THURSDAY

Fine day.
Carry a little better Dr
Helmcken came to see her.
Telegraphed Capt Knox to send

P. O. Attorney
[overwritten text]
Telegraphed Knox

1890-03-28

FRIDAY

Very fine day.
Saw Bullen re work
for Arthur Pinder & for Lambert
Carry still confined to bed –
slightly better.

1890-03-29

SATURDAY

Fine forenoon, but cold
In office.
A party of 12- including the
Drakes Pembertons &c rode down
to visit Drummond & wife?
Rode with Tom to spye
out the land of the Pearse, & to
the head of the Arm.
Carry obliged to remain in bed but
decidedly better.

1890-03-30

SUNDAY

Fine day.
Carry much better – very
impatient to get up.
Tom & I went to St Johns
Church Revd Jenns officiated
Kit remained at home with Carry
Sir Matthew did not turn
up. Mrs A Pinder, Jackson
Vowell L. Crease & McGinty called
Kit went to the Cathedral.

1890-03-31

MONDAY

Gave Ward cheque \$2234-40
= £456- being 1st & 2nd instalment
on 19- new Shares in Bank B.C.
3rd instalment due 26th June – to
be pd in London & charged to my acct.
Carry still confined to her
bed

APRIL

1890-04-01

TUESDAY

Transfer Carriage to Govt House & return

Fine day, but cold

In office.

Kit & [I] dined at Govt House

Carry better she got up during the afternoon Tom kept her company while we were at Govt House

1890-04-02

WEDNESDAY

Cold N. West wind

Carry rather worse, had to remain in bed.

In office. Arranged with

Jackson to join his new company.

Tom exercised Blackie

1890-04-03

THURSDAY

Sharp frost

Cold wind bright sunny day.

In office. Took a ride

with Kit the first for a long time. Went to Naval Hospital

with reference to *[illegible]* for young *[left blank]*

Tom left for his home

at 10.30 PM

1890-04-04

FRIDAY

Cold day. Drove at 7- AM

beyond Cloverdale to get some moss for Kit.

Carry slightly better

Puss & I went to Church at

St Johns Church at 11- AM.

Revd Jenns officiated

1890-04-05

SATURDAY

Bitterly cold day NE wind

Slight rain.

In office. John & Vowell

called. Home at 4. P.M.

Rode to Snowden to see his

boat. Kit decorating at St Johns Church.

Carry slightly better.

1890-04-06

Easter SUNDAY

Bitterly cold day – blowing half a gale from the N West.

Carry slightly better, but not able to go to church.

Kit & I went to St Johns

at 11- OC Revd Jenns officiated

Sir Matthew & Heathcote

came to early dinner. Ward, Willy

& Drummond called. Kit & I went

to the Cathedral at 7. Heathcote &

H. Brealey returned with us to supper

1890-04-07

MONDAY

A heavy shower of snow & sleet

A stormy rough day.

Carry still improving.

Remained at home, worked in the garden.

Mrs Jenns paid a long visit

H. Brealey & Heathcote

dined with us.

Green brought out Jemmetts

resignation, he lunched with us

1890-04-08

TUESDAY

Transfer Carriage from town.

Fine day. In office at 9 AM

Rode with Kit & H Brealey

to pay the Drummonds a visit

at Aldermere – lunched & had

tea with them. Arrived home

at 7- very tired.

Brealey dined with us.

1890-04-09

WEDNESDAY

Very cold windy day. In

office. Home at 6. P.M.

The McGinty & Brealey

had tea. Gave Brealey a

box of plants &c to take to

Burton Prairie.

Drove with W. Pinder to

Esquimalt to see a boat

Willy breakfasted with us.

1890-04-10
THURSDAY

Bitterly cold. Blowing hard from the N.W. all the day.
In office. Recd telegram from Abbott re purchase of a boat. Wrote & asked him to order one for me.
Carry much better up for breakfast. Kit seedy.
She was invited to join a riding party to Goldstream.

1890-04-11
FRIDAY

Carry no better. Kit Seedy
The ground covered with snow
Ice ½ inch thick
Alderman Holland came to see me in reference to opening David Street.
In office.
Keen N West wind all day

1890-04-12
SATURDAY

The ground again covered with snow – sharp frost.
In office
Thomson walked part of the way home with me – after an inspection of the excavation for new gas holder.
Remained at home all the evening.

1890-04-13
SUNDAY

Bright clear cold day
Carry slightly better but still confined to her bed. Kit remained with her. I went to St Johns. Revd Jenns officiated
Sir Matthew dined.
The Jacksons called. Drake & I walked over David St.
Warrender called pd a long visit & remained to supper

1890-04-14
MONDAY

Cold raw day.
Carry slightly better.
In office all the day.

1890-04-15
TUESDAY

A fine day mild & warm
Bishop brought over cart from F-field & Campbell commenced to put manure on field for potatoes &c.
Walked with Vowell to see lot at back of Langleys, nearly all rock – paid Charles a visit
Vowell dined. Maggie & Mrs McTavish lunched with Carry

1890-04-16
WEDNESDAY

Dark gloomy morning – rained heavily all the forenoon.
In office till 5 PM
Carry not so well, obliged to remain in bed.

1890-04-17
THURSDAY

Bright day. Cold westerly winds.
Carry very complaining at having to stay in bed.
In office
Called to see Dr Helmcken, he expressed an intention to call in Dr Davie

1890-04-18
FRIDAY

Carry still obliged to stay in her bed. Dr Helmcken called.
In office, home at 4. P.M.
Jackson called & explained his idea with regard to the purchase of [Gushions] farm.

1890-04-19
SATURDAY

Carry no better, she complains of weakness.
In office till noon. Green went to Cowichan to fish.

Drummond lunched with us, & took Kit to join the riding party at Cordova Bay
Remained at home.

1890-04-20

SUNDAY

Carry rather worse. Kit remained with her. I went to St Johns. Revd Jenns officiated. Sir M.B. dined Jackson, McEnery & Col Baker called.

Kit went to Sunday school & to the Cathedral at 7- O.C.

Dr Helmcken called & said he wd bring Dr Davie tomorrow

1890-04-21

MONDAY

Carry had bad night – no better

In office till 2.30. Green returned from Cowichan

Drs Helmcken & Davie called to see Carry – they report nothing serious but that they must make a further examination.

Sent Reece & Co P O O dated 10th March or the amt of acct £2//6//3.

1890-04-22

TUESDAY

Carry nervous & excited at

~~the~~ Drs Davie & Helmckens

arrived sharp at 1- PM. Carry was put under the influence of E which lasted for two hours – an operation was performed which lasted over 2 hours.

The Drs say most successfully.

Kit remained in attendance till 2 AM, when I took charge.

Carry weak & suffering the effects of Ether.

1890-04-23

WEDNESDAY

Carry very low & depressed, & her appetite is however returning.

Dr Davie called early & pointed out that a nurse must be engaged.

Later on Miss Campbell arrived & took charge of the sick room.

Mrs Ward Drummond & Alice called also Ward & Mrs Jenns, John Maggie McTavish married

1890-04-24

THURSDAY

Carry going on well had a good night, her appetite is returning.

Dr Davie gave a favourable report.

In office. Had a chat with

Vowell who gave an amusing account of the McTavish Fulton marriage.

A number of people called to inquire for Carry.

1890-04-25

FRIDAY

A lovely day. – Carry going on well.

In office – home at 4.30

Took Kit out for a ride, & did not get back till near 8- O.C.

1890-04-26

SATURDAY

Transfer Carriage to Races from 2-30 to [*left blank*]

Fine day. Carry had a good night & is decidedly better. Dr Davie came at 9 A.M. & gave a good report.

Bishop came over & harrowed & rolled the field. Carrots Turnips Mangolds & Tares were sown.

Kit drove Mrs Drake & Mrs Musgrave to the Gymkhana Races. I rode Blackie & acted a[s] one of the judges

fairly good sport. Carry not as well. – very nervous.

1890-04-27

SUNDAY

Carry better again – slept well.

Kit & I went to St Johns. Brian accompanied us. Revd Jenns

officiated . – Sir M B B lunched with us

Both Drs Davie & Helmcken called & were satisfied with the condition of the patient.

1890-04-28

MONDAY

Very fine day. Carry going on well.

Tubb commenced to work at \$[*left blank*] per month with board when in the field.

In office.

1890-04-29

TUESDAY

Carry steadily improving. Dr Davie called early.

In office till 5 P.M.

1890-04-30

WEDNESDAY

Carry much better.

Dr Davie called early.

Very warm day. In office – attended meeting in Jackson office to pass article of association for new B.C. Investment & Loan society. Flora Macdonald & Gavin Burns married.

MAY

1890-05-01

THURSDAY

Very hot day. Carry improving
Drs called & sd she might sit up for a short time.

Tubb & Cameron cleaned dining room carpet.

In office. Bole pd me a visit

Attended adjourned meeting at Jacksons office

1890-05-02

FRIDAY

A lovely day. Carry very much better – moved for the first time into the drawing room. Seedy could not go to the office. Green came out for a short time.

Austin called with reference to the Anderson farm for T.E.

1890-05-03

SATURDAY

A very warm day. Carry going on well. In office till 2 P.M.

Kit drove Alice & Nelly to Esquimalt to see Cricket Match. The Victorians v. Amphion. I rode Blackie called at Hospital for Romer & had trouble to get him home.

1890-05-04 *

SUNDAY

A lovely day. I remained at home with Carry. Kit went to the Cathedral. Sir M.B. dined with us. – Warrender & Scott Arthur Pinder & wife & Brian called.

1890-05-05

MONDAY

Intensely hot. I don't remember such warm weather in May.

In office. Hamley, John & Vowell paid me visits.

Drew from Savings Bank \$50- on acct of Ada Cornwall.

Alice Drummond accompanied by her Mother called to say good bye, they leave for Chilcotin in the morning.

1890-05-06

TUESDAY

Intensely hot.

The patient going on well

In office. Home at 6.

Mrs Drake & a number of others called

1890-05-07

WEDNESDAY

Carry not so well – depressed.

A most oppressive day.

Drove to [*left blank*] garden bought geraniums Fuchias cabbage & cauliflower plants \$3-10.

In office

Drove with Green to look at the Anderson farm for T.E.

1890-05-08

THURSDAY

High wind during the night

Slight rain in the forenoon.
Carry again improving.
In office
Went with Kit to Concert at
St Johns school room, came home
with the Drakes.

1890-05-09

FRIDAY

Cool, very pleasant day
Carry going on well.
Kit seedy.
In office. Got box from
Custom House, containing Numnah
Album &c sent by Sir M.C.S.
The Thomson called, also Vowell
Revd Jenns &c

1890-05-10

SATURDAY

Slight rain – cool & pleasant.
Carry progressing well
Willy Pinder's carpenter repaired fence
& boat house.
In office – home at 2.30
Dr Helmcken called.
Also rose Jenn, & Brian Drake

1890-05-11

SUNDAY

Soft rain throughout the day.
Church at St Johns, Revd Jenns.
Sir M.B.B. lunched with us
John paid us a long visit.

1890-05-12

MONDAY

A delightful day – fresh & cool
after the rain of yesterday.
In office.
Mrs Drake & Mrs Ward called
Drove Kit to call on Zoe
in their new home [*left blank*] Str.
Called at [*left blank*] garden & bought
Geraniums &c \$4-10.

1890-05-13

TUESDAY

A lovely day.
Carry going on famously.
In office – home at 4.
Drove Kit to Esquimalt to call

on Capt & Mrs Hulton.
Warrender came to tea.

1890-05-14

WEDNESDAY

Very warm day.
Carry not quite so well.
Helmcken & Davie called.
In office. Paid Transfer
acct in full to 1st May.

1890-05-15

THURSDAY

Carry no feeling so well.
In office – Mason handed
me a draft for \$21,000 – half
payment of ECKs lot New Westminster
Gave F. Richards cheque \$1000. Wrote
to Knox Draft at 69- days £2000
Henderson cheeky & declined to
recognise agreement re horse “Mac”
Left per “Islander” for Shuswap
Brenda put to Bull.

1890-05-16

FRIDAY

Good passage – arrived at
Vancouver at 9- AM. Had chat
with Keith. Left by mid-day train
F. Barnard & Cambie passengers
Explained to Frank B. the
agreement made in regard to the
horse Mac – he sd he would inquire
into it on his return to Victoria.
Two calves sent to grass at
Tolmies farm at \$1.50- per
month each.

1890-05-17

SATURDAY

Arrived at Shuswap at 5 AM
Mara came on from Kamloops.
Hed interviews with the Indians
& with Messrs Sullivan Johnston
& [*left blank*] and finally arranged
that the two latter should abandon
the land being paid for their crops
Returned by West bound train &
arrived at Ashcroft at 12 O.C.
put up at the Ashcroft hotel.

1890-05-18

SUNDAY

Fine day. Engaged tap & drove to Cornwallis accompanied by Green Found Henry looking seedy and depressed. C.F.C. much as usual Had early dinner & tea – returned to the Station at 8 P.M.

1890-05-19

MONDAY

A train arrived on time, but not the regular which was late & did not come till 5 AM. Miserable day no sleep. Abbott found me out at North Bend – travelled in his car to N Westminster, & came on to Victoria in the Y[osemite] where we arrived at 12 OC night Found Carry much better, & all going on well.

1890-05-20

TUESDAY

Slightly overcast. Carry much better. – In office, busy preparing report of my doings at Shuswap Home at 5.30.

1890-05-21

WEDNESDAY

Fine day. The Duke and D[uchess] of Conaught arrived per Str Abasinia from Japan. Reception at Govt buildings. He subsequently opened the Jubilee Hospital, & visited the Dock. Drove Kit to Fairfield, & afterwards to a tennis party at Esquimalt.

1890-05-22

THURSDAY

The Duke & party left during the night for Vancouver. Slight rain all the day. In office. Went with Ward to inspect the Dunsmuir mansion, called at highwood for Kit where she had gone to tennis.

1890-05-23

FRIDAY

Slight rain. Weather more settled. In office Drove Kit to see John & to congratulate him on the anniversary of his [*left blank*] Birthday.

1890-05-24

SATURDAY

Unusually fine for the Queens Birth day “God bless her”. Carry & I sat on the point & watched the hundreds & they proceeded to see the Regatta. Kit went in the steam barge of the Amphion to the Snowdens where a large party had assembled. Willy Pinder borrowed our boat his own leaked badly. Arthur Pinder & his wife, Willy & Beauchamp had supper with us. Kit & I went in our boat with Brian to see the Illuminations

1890-05-25 *

SUNDAY

Fine warm day. Kit remained at home with her Mother. Went to St Johns Church. Revd Jenns officiated Sir M.B.B. walked home with me. – John & Charlotte Vowell Jackson McEnery Warrender & Scott called. Kit went to the Cathedral. Tytler & McEnery came to Supper.

1890-05-26

MONDAY

A most unpleasant day, wind & dust. In office.

1890-05-27

TUESDAY

S W Wind – clouds of dust – in the office

1890-05-28

WEDNESDAY

Still Blowing half a gale from the S.W. In office. Slight rain

1890-05-29 *

THURSDAY

A lovely day, a good deal of rain during the night. In office.

Our first game of Tennis very successful.

Sir Joseph & Lady Trutch arrived from England. Kit & I met them at the Wharf, both well.

1890-05-30

FRIDAY

A lovely day. In office home at 2-30. J.W.T. lunched with us. Walked home with him to Fort Str very tired. Vowell rowed me home in the new boat which arrived last night. It appears to be a success. Vowell & Warrender remained to dinner with us.

1890-05-31

SATURDAY

A very fine day. Warrender sent two Blue Jackets to arrange fittings for the new boat. Drove Kit to call on Mrs Pearse out & Mrs Jackson & at Fairfield. Rained heavily. Went with Kit to Theatre

JUNE

1890-06-01

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & back. Raining slightly all the day. Carry Kit & I drove to St Johns. Revd Jenns officiated. Very long service Holy Communion. Sir M.B.B. dined with us. Warrender & Scott arrived in their canoe. Kit went to Cathedral at 7 OC.

1890-06-02

MONDAY

Fine day in office. Mr McRea called – he dined with us. Vowell at New Westminster

1890-06-03

TUESDAY

A lovely day. Kit drove me to town. In office till 3. O.C. Mrs Jackson lunched with Carry. Tennis – The Wards Fosters Langleys, Pinders, L Crease Warrender, Brian &c &c.

1890-06-04

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day. Green surveying West boundary of Ind Reserve Victoria. Rode half way to F-field met J.W.T. & returned. Rode with Kit to call on Messrs Pearse & Stewart – Hatley Park – did not get home till 8.30 – very tired

1890-06-05

THURSDAY

Fine day very hot. Rode to F-field lunched & had a long chat with J.W.T. Tried to induce Carry to take a drive.

1890-06-06

FRIDAY

Very hot day. In office. Met J.W.T. at the bank. Had long chat with Smith H.B.C. re testimonial to Chudley, and appointment of Miss Campbell as nurse to Jubilee Hospital. Drew \$250- from Bank – paid Goodacre \$120- gave Carry \$100.

1890-06-07

SATURDAY

Close sultry forenoon. In office. Gave Thomson cheque \$670- calls

on D shares in Gas Co Viz Capt Hare \$200
& self \$470

Came home early to take Carry to
drive by appointment but she wd not
go.

Called at Drakes to see Nelly &
Mrs Murry who arrived last night
Went with J.W.T. to inquire for Frank
Pinder who is very ill.
Slight rain

1890-06-08

SUNDAY

Fine day. Church at St Johns
Revd Jenns officiated
Sir M. B. dined with us.
Ward Hughes, & Col Anderson
called.
Kit went to the Cathedral
with the Drakes.

1890-06-09

MONDAY

Fine day In office
Called on Hughes at the Bank.
Lunched with him Ward, R.W.
& Col Anderson at the Poodle dog.
Took Hughes for a drive
in pony carriage round head
of Arm.

1890-06-10

TUESDAY

Heavy rain during the
night. In office
Hughes lunched with
us.
Kit & I dined at High
-wood to meet the Bank Directors
Hughes & Gillespie, Sir Joseph &
Lady T, The Bishop, Jackson & wife

1890-06-11

WEDNESDAY

Rain during the night & fore-
-noon. In the office
Set P.O.O. £10-0-0 to John
Bathurst See J.A.&N.S.
Arranged with Burnes B.B.N.A.
for renewal of T.E's note \$5000
30 days.
Carry & Kit went out for

short drive. – Pooley J.W.T. & Vowell
called.

1890-06-12

THURSDAY

A glorious day. In office
Paid Hughes Gillespie & Ward
a visit at the bank.
Gave Snowden a cheque for
\$1666-66 – 2nd instalment on
Port Crescent Lots.

1890-06-13

FRIDAY

Provincial Elections
Very fine. Green came out
at 10 AM to arrange outfit for
trip to Nitinat – he remained
to lunch.
Paid Charles a visit, & offered
to take him to Nitinat, which he
gladly accepted. Went to an at
Home at Highwood. Dined at
Delmonico with Hughes Gillespie
Ward G. Gillespie Willy & Cecil
Ward.

1890-06-14

SATURDAY

Dark day slight rain.
In office. Lewis called and
informed me that the Douglas
could not start for the W. Coast of the
Island before the 1st or 2nd July.
Home to lunch, Vowell
spent the afternoon & took Carry
for a pull in the new boat. Rode
to F-field. Blackie bad cough
T E arrived. Sent Mask to Abbott

1890-06-15

SUNDAY

Fine in the forenoon. Went to
St Johns with T.E. Kit came late
Revd Jenns officiated.
Sir Matthew, Hughes & T.E. dined
Bridgeman called.
Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral
at 7- PM.
John paid us his usual visit
of 5. Minutes

1890-06-16

MONDAY

Slight rain throughout the forenoon
In office.
T.E. rode blackie to head of the Arm

1890-06-17

TUESDAY

Rained heavily during the night & all forenoon.
Attended meeting of shareholders of C.P.N. Co at 11- AM
J.W.T. paid me a long visit at the office.
Called on the Powells, the Dr out. Cols Baker & Anderson & Vowell called.
T.E. left pr Penticton pr "Islander"

1890-06-18

WEDNESDAY

Rained heavily all the day
Hughes & Gillespie lunched with us & said good bye, the[y] leave tonight for Vancouver
Major & his wife & Vowell & Scott called. The Drakes played Bagatelle.

1890-06-19

THURSDAY

Very fine day. In office
Long visit from J.W.T. who afterwards walked with me to Point Ellice.
Major & his wife dined with us
Went with Kit to a dance at Mrs Pooley's.
H.M.S. Champion arrived from Honolulu.

1890-06-20

FRIDAY

Heavy rain during the night. Fine day. Very tired remained at home all the forenoon. Rode Blackie to town, had two fore shoes put on.

1890-06-21

SATURDAY

A lovely day. In office
Kit rode with the Drakes to a Pic nic at Cadboro bay
Mrs Ward paid us a visit
Drove her home.
Sir Joseph & Lady Trutch dined with us.

1890-06-22

SUNDAY

Heavy rain during the night
Fine forenoon
Went also to St Johns Church
Revd Jenns officiated
Sir M.B.B. did not return with me.
Vowell dined. Capt Clair of the Champion called

1890-06-23

MONDAY

Rain in the early morning. Very fine day. In office

1890-06-24

TUESDAY

Fine. In office. Carry & Kit went to Tennis at Sir M B Bs
I rode to F-field – both out.

1890-06-25

WEDNESDAY

[no entry]

1890-06-26

THURSDAY

[no entry]

1890-06-27

FRIDAY

[no entry]

1890-06-28

SATURDAY

Very warm day. In office
Came home with the intention of going to Mrs Wards pic nic to Gordon Head. Vowell arrived, Carry & Kit decided not to go. – Drove Carry, Kit on Blackie to call on Capt & Mrs McCallum.

1890-06-29

SUNDAY

Heavy rain during the night
Fine day. Carry Kit & I drove in pony carriage to St Johns. Revd Jenns officiated. Sir M.B.B. dined.
Lindley Crease & Cecil called.
Drove in Transfer Carriage to the Cathedral at 7- P.M. The Bishop of Qu Apple, Anson, preached could not hear a word. Brian & Nelly Drake came to supper.

1890-06-30

MONDAY

Fine day. In office accounts paid, & made up to date.
Attended meeting to present testimonial & purse to Mrs Chudley – See Jubilee Hospital
We all went to tea at F-field to meet Van Horn Senator Drummond, Angus & Abbot. – Attended meeting at the Bishops & School House to hear address from Bishop Anson &c – a poor attendance, Bishop of Qu Apple.

JULY

1890-07-01

TUESDAY

The hottest day of the season.
Rode to F-field where I remained 3 or 4 hours. Called with J.W.T. on Langley Kit drove Julia to make calls.

1890-07-02

WEDNESDAY

Thunderstorm – heavy showers throughout the day.
Went in Vowells boat to town.
The Wards were to have lunched & spent the day but did not come
J.W.T. paid us a long visit
The Wards arrived about 9 PM & remained a couple of hours.

1890-07-03

THURSDAY

Overcast threatenng rain.
In office. Long visit from Jackson.
Called to see Charles, out. paid

Mrs Jackson a visit.

Drake, wife & Mrs Murry dined with us.
Attended meeting for Trustees of Bishop endowment fund at Bishop close.

1890-07-04

FRIDAY

Dark morning, but it kept fair.
Croasdaile's excursion to Anacortes.
In office

1890-07-05

SATURDAY

Rained heavily during the night & forenoon.
Rode "Blackie" to town – had two hind shoes put on
In office – visit from J.W.T.

1890-07-06

SUNDAY

Fine. Drove Carry to St Johns Church in pony carriage
Revd Jenns officiated.
Sir M.B.B. dined with us.
McEnery & John called.

1890-07-07

MONDAY

A lovely day. In office
Vowell gave his long talked of dinner at "Steves" – Nineteen
Drove with Carry & Kit, got home at 10 AM. – Inspected the water dam & filter beds at Beaver Lake.
Lady T went to Seattle.

1890-07-08

TUESDAY

Hot day Green came out at 10 O.C. & remained to lunch
Arranged & packed supplies &c for Nitinat. Green went to survey at Indian Reserve.
Sir J.W.T. dined with us
Carry & Kit went to Tennis at Sir M B Bs

1890-07-09

WEDNESDAY

Heavy rain during the night
In office.

Mr Staveley Hill called, had long
talk with him. Called on Hamley, out.
Young Critchley & Mrs A. Pinder
went for a pull in the new boat, did
not get back till 10 AM

1890-07-10

THURSDAY

Raining all the day.

In office, where Hamley & Mr
Staveley met by appointment at
12- O.C.

1890-07-11

FRIDAY

[no entry]

1890-07-12

SATURDAY

Fine day. In office
Took Kit for a ride
to Beacon Hill to see a game
of Cricket. Called at F-field
on our way home

1890-07-13

SUNDAY

[no entry]

1890-07-14

MONDAY

[no entry]

1890-07-15

TUESDAY

A lovely day. In office
Sir Joseph paid me a visit
Rode to F-field in the evening
& remained to dinner, John also
dined. Jackson spent a couple
of hours.

1890-07-16

WEDNESDAY

A glorious day. Drove to
town with Kit in Transfer
Carriage 1¼ hour.
The Dunsmuirs, Misses Hills

F Pemberton C. Ward B. Drake
Scott &c played tennis
After dinner a party went up the
Arm in boats.

1890-07-17 **

THURSDAY

Fine day. In office.
Capt Lewis called to tell me
the Douglas would leave for Bonilla
Point on Tuesday.
Cary drove Kitty to tennis at
the Dunsmuirs, & paid a visit
at Fairfield.
The Flag Ship "Warspite"
Admiral Hotham arrived at
Esquimalt.

1890-07-18

FRIDAY

Fine warm day. In office
Saw Drs H. & D. re C.O.R.
Called at Charles' to tell him
the Douglas would leave fr Nitinat
on Tuesday.
Rode with Kit to the McCallums
had a beautiful view of the Flag ship &
Squadron. Called at Snowdens
The Jacksons & Johnstons called.

1890-07-19

SATURDAY

Very hot. Remained at home.
Kit went to town.
Drove with Jackson to Esquimalt
called on the Warspite "Nimph"
Daphn[e] Espiegle.
Kit had the Dunsmuirs &c to
tennis. Beaumont called
The Jacksons dined.

1890-07-20 *

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & back
Oppressive day.
Church at St Johns. Revd Jenns
officiated. Sir M.B.B. dined
Admiral Hotham, Capts
St Clair & Lambton paid us
a visit. John called,
Kit went to the Cathedral with
the Drakes. Scott came to Supper

1890-07-21

MONDAY

In office Recd telegram & letter from Dewdney – saw Capt Lewis re Douglas. J.W.T. paid me a visit.
Mrs McCallum Garden party.
Drove Carry & Kit to it, a successful gathering.

1890-07-22

TUESDAY

Intensely hot. Paid for my new shares in the Albion I. W. \$2400.
Telegram from E.D. wait his arrival
Saw Lewis, also Charles.
Drove Kit to Tennis at N.B.B
Carry & Kit went in boat with Mr Critchley.

1890-07-23

WEDNESDAY

A burning hot day.
In office.
Kit had some people to tennis: the Dunsmuir girls, the Drakes Critchley, Scott Hayes Pearse &c Pearse dined with us.

1890-07-24

THURSDAY

~~Vowell returned from Nanaimo at 1- P.M.
Dewdney arrived per Islander at 9- P.M. he stayed with us.~~
Kit went up the Arm to Miss Pemberton's Pic nic.
Drove Carry to Fairfield

1890-07-25

FRIDAY

Vowell returned from Nanaimo
Mrs Arbuthnot Emerson called at the office. Gave him cheque \$25. – (190 Douglas Str Formerly of 17 Lancers & 89- Regt
Dewdney arrived per Islander.

1890-07-26

SATURDAY

Fine day. In office
Saw Vernon re signing plans of reserves.
Lunched at Club with Vowell, Dewdney, Vernon, & F. Barnard
Carry, Kit, E.D, & self drove to Esquimalt to see Cricket Match. J.W.T. John & Vowell dined with us.

1890-07-27

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage
We all went to St Johns
Revd Jenns officiated.
Sir M.B.B. dined. Vernon & Vowell, Scott Warrender Capt Lambton & Mr Abney ~~dined~~ called
Dewdney went to the office with Vowell, & returned at 9- O.C.
Scott supped with us.

1890-07-28 *

MONDAY

Very warm day. F. Devereux appointed temporarily as Surveyor to I.R.C. dispatched him to Ft Simpson in charge of Skinners party.
Lunched at Club with Vowell, E.D. Forbes, J.W.T. & John Trutch were also of the party.
E.D. dined at F-field. Georgie & Tom dined with us. Vowell went [north] in the Louise

1890-07-29

TUESDAY

A charming day – very busy in office. Paid Georgie a visit
Lunched at Club with Vowell Dewdney & J.W.T.
Drove with Carry Kit & E.D. to Sir M B B tennis party
E.D. left at 11- PM saw him on board the “Islander”

1890-07-30

WEDNESDAY

Preparing for my trip to “Nitinat”. Examined pair of horses for J.W.T.

In office
T.E. & Georgie lunched with
us.

1890-07-31
THURSDAY

Left in Str Douglas at 6 AM
for Nitinat accompanied by Green
Charles, Tubb & Chinese Cook. Capt
Lewis also went to Bonilla Point.
Tried to Camp near Cloose Village
but found it impossible. We
all remained in the Str.
Engaged canoes for the trip to head
of Nitinat lake.
Fined day smooth sea, slightly
unwell.

AUGUST

1890-08-01
FRIDAY

Fog. Two ships passed north
Did not leave Camp till 10 AM
as we could not enter the Nitinat
lake before high water. Defined
reserve at entrance.
High wind too rough to be pleasant
Camped on a bar about ½ mile
up the river
Green cought one trout.

1890-08-02
SATURDAY

Fine day remained in Camp
Green went up the river about
2 miles to Tucks camp

1890-08-03
SUNDAY
[no entry]

1890-08-04
MONDAY
[no entry]

1890-08-05
TUESDAY
[no entry]

1890-08-06
WEDNESDAY
[no entry]

1890-08-07
THURSDAY
[no entry]

1890-08-08
FRIDAY
Slightly better. Took Capt Lewis
on board and left for Victoria at
6. AM. Fine day, smooth
passage reached home at 2 P.M.
Suffering great deal on pain
could not get wither Davie or
Helmcken till 9- OC when the
former arrived, he ordered me
to remain in bed.

1890-08-09
SATURDAY
Remained in bed all
the day. Dr Helmcken
called, he also prescribed
bed. Very much better
T.E. J.W.T. Julia & John called.

1890-08-10
SUNDAY
Fine day. Kit & Miss Freer
went to Church in Transfer
Carriage.
Remained in bed Dr Helmcken
called. Very much better.
T.E. called Sir M.B. Dined
Admiral Hotham Capt St Clair &c
called also

1890-08-11
MONDAY
No quite so well
remained in bed
Dr Helmcken called

1890-08-12
TUESDAY
Better got up at noon
Kit Carry & Miss Freer
went to the Tournament.
J.W.T. & W. Pinder called

1890-08-13

WEDNESDAY

No so well – remained
in bed till noon.

Kit & Miss Freer went
to see the Tournament.

Capt & Mrs Lewis called

1890-08-14

THURSDAY

Slightly worse.

In bed all day

1890-08-15

FRIDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-16

SATURDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-17

SUNDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-18

MONDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-19

TUESDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-20

WEDNESDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-21

THURSDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-22

FRIDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-23

SATURDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-24

SUNDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-25

MONDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-26

TUESDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-27

WEDNESDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-28

THURSDAY

[*no entry*]

1890-08-29

FRIDAY

A lovely day.

Dr Davie called

Much better ~~got up at~~
~~2-P.M.~~

Carry & Kit went to

Citizens Ball to Admiral

Hotham & fleet.

1890-08-30

SATURDAY

A lovely day. Dr Davie

called early, he said I

could get up & go out.

Took a short stroll to the

stable & garden.

1890-08-31

SUNDAY

Cold damp day. Up at
noon, very cold could not
go out.

T E dined & spent the

day. The Admiral & Capt

Lampton called, also Pooley

Scott, Brian, McEnery &c.

Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral

SEPTEMBER

1890-09-01

MONDAY

Sporting season commenced.

Rained from about noon.

Carry & Kit went to town.

1890-09-02

TUESDAY

Fine day. T.E. rode Blackie to head of Arm.

Up at noon. Dr Davie called

Jas Todd delivered 2,355 hay @ \$17- pr ton.

1890-09-03 *

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day

Maud T. Drake married

to [left blank] Bridg- [left blank]

X Jas Todd delivered 2610 lbs of hay.

1890-09-04

THURSDAY

Fine day. Up early, remained out a good deal.

The Dunsmuirs & Mrs Snowden Mrs Wooley & Miss Haig, Abdey Brian played Tennis, Mrs Ward & Nelly Wrote to T.E.

1890-09-05

FRIDAY

A lovely day, after a stormy night. – Carry busy house cleaning.

X Jas Todd delivered one load straw.

1890-09-06

SATURDAY

A lovely day.

Revd Jenns & Thompson called Carry & Kit drove pony carriage & called on Mrs Mara & Mrs F Barnard, Mrs Prior, Mrs Grey, and on Mrs Preston at Fairfield. Sir Joseph, John & Crease returned Comox

1890-09-07

SUNDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & return

A lovely day. Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral to hear the Bishop

of Nova Scotia (Dr Courtney) preach.

Young Drummond dined

& spent the day.

Nelly Drake, Jackson Admiral

Hotham & Mrs Williamson called

Also John & Charlotte.

Julia's 62 birthday.

1890-09-08

MONDAY

A delightful day.

Carry busy having drawing room cleaned & chimney swept.

J.W.T. Julia & Mrs Preston

called.

1890-09-09

TUESDAY

Another splendid day. Green busy preparing to start for San Juan to survey Ind Reserves.

1890-09-10

WEDNESDAY

Another fine bright warm day

Carry finished her drawing-room cleaning &c. She & Kit went for a drive.

Brian brought me cheque for \$3699-50 principal & interest

Brewer & Tronson morgt

Newton & Critchley called to

shew me two horses just from England.

1890-09-11

THURSDAY

Joseph Richards commenced work at \$25.00 per month & found if satisfactory wages to be \$30- pr month

A glorious day. Carry & Kit

drove to town to shop & pay bills

J.W.T. & I lunched alone.

Carry & Kiy drove a second time

called at Govt House &c.

1890-09-12

FRIDAY

Jas Campbell left, paid him

in full to 26th Sepr also for

sundry sums expended by him on my acct.

Mrs Schreiber 2 daughters &

grand daughter also Julia, the Wards
Beanlands 2 Miss Hills, Scott
Hayes Bus Vowell
&c &c came to Tennis. Brian &
Scott dined.

1890-09-13
SATURDAY

Fine day.
In the afternoon drove
with Carry to call on the
Thomsons. They leave on
Monday for Nicola.

1890-09-14
SUNDAY

Carry not very well
Kit went alone to St
Johns. –
Jackson paid us a
visit. We read & remained
at home.

1890-09-15
MONDAY

Very fine. Remained
at home.

1890-09-16
TUESDAY

Fine day. At home all
the day.

1890-09-17
WEDNESDAY

Very fine. Drove Carry to
Fairfield where we lunched &
paid a long visit, promised
to take Kit for a ride but
did not get back from Fairfield
in time.

1890-09-18
THURSDAY

Charming weather.
Sir J.W.T. Julia & Mrs Preston
lunched with us.

1890-09-19
FRIDAY

Very lovely weather. Revd Mr
Joyce called early, & again

in the evening with his mother
& Pearse when they had tea.
Recd a long letter from Frank

1890-09-20
SATURDAY

Went in the boat with
Kit & Carry, & got some
flowers from at the Thomsons. Vowell called
Jackson & wife called
Carry went attended meet
ing at the Bishops to hear
Mrs Joyce on immigration of women

1890-09-21
SUNDAY

A lovely day. Carry & Kit
went in pony carriage to St
Johns & to Cathedral in the evening.
Sir Matthrew dined with
us, also young Drummond & some
of the Warspite – they & also
Scott accompanied the ladies to
Church & returned to supper, the
Admiral & Flag paid us a visit

1890-09-22
MONDAY

Very fine. Took Kit for a
ride accompanied by Pearse
& Critchley as far as Craig flower
Bridge. We returned by the G.
Honble Mrs Joyce came from
Pearse's to stay with us.
Meeting at C Church school
with reference to building Cathedral
which I did not attend

1890-09-23
TUESDAY

Carry went to town with Mrs
Joyce. After lunch I took
her for a drive round head of the
Arm. Kit Warrender & Scott
accompanied on horseback.
Sir Joseph & Lady Trutch
dined with us.

1890-09-24
WEDNESDAY

Transfer Carriage fr ¼ 1- to ¼ 5- PM
& afterwards to din at F-field

Carry & Mrs Joyce drove to town in pony carriage. We all lunched with the Admiral on board the Warspite. We dined at F-field also Mr & Mrs Beeton & Revd & Mrs Ellison.

1890-09-25
THURSDAY

Revd Ellison & Mrs Jessop had a long interview with Mrs Joyce. Mrs Bullen & Scott lunched. Drove Carry & Mrs Joyce to call on Mrs Ward (out) Mrs Richards & at Roccabella, left them in town. Beanslands & wife came to tea. Mrs Jenns & Revd Joyce dined. Revd Jenns too unwell to come. Mrs Joyce left us at ¼ 11- PM homewards bounded

1890-09-26
FRIDAY

Dark & foggy. My cold very bad. Green came out at 11- OC.

1890-09-27
SATURDAY

Threatening rain. Dark gloomy day. Cold very heavy – remained in doors. Sir J.W.T. & Lady, & John paid us a short visit Kitty seedy, she remained in bed all the day

1890-09-28
SUNDAY

Fine day, slightly overcast. Carry drove in pony carriage to Christs Church. Kit & I stayed at home. Sir M.B.B. dined with us also young Drummond. Capt St Clair paid us a visit Kit & Drummond went to Cathedral at 7- OC.

1890-09-29
MONDAY

The rain commenced at 9- OC. It looks as if the weather was broken

J.W.T. accompanied by Bishop brought his horses over to have their tails cut, he remained to lunch & tea. Jackson & wife dined with us.

1890-09-30
TUESDAY

Bright clear cold day Carry & Kit went to inspect the furniture &c &c of the Jacksons which is to be sold at Auction tomorrow they lunched at F-field. J.W.T. & Lady took me out for a drive round head of Arm.

OCTOBER

1890-10-01
WEDNESDAY

Cock Pheasant shooting commenced Rained heavily in the fore-noon. – Sent Tubb to bid for some few articles at the Jackson Auction. We all called at the Drakes

1890-10-02
THURSDAY

A lovely day. Sent Tubb to Auction (R.E.J.) Went to town for the first time since 30th July. Saw Ward Had hair cut. Jackson called, he sd the \$10,000 might not be required till Feby by “On Hing”, he gave me cheque for \$79.80 See memo.

1890-10-03
FRIDAY

A lovely day.

1890-10-04
SATURDAY

Transfer Carriage to St Johns, & to the Driard Rained heavily during the fore noon. Drove to town called on Mr

& Mrs Abbott. Tried to find Mr Smith & Mr Hornby – they called at the Tea time & afterwards dined. – Gave Mr Smith Arbuthnot Emersons letter.

1890-10-05

SUNDAY

Fine day. Drove Pony Carriage to St Johns Church – Harvest Festival Sir M B B, & Messrs Smith & Hornby dined with us. Drove the two latter to Esquimalt. They leave for Tacoma tonight. Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral at 7- PM. Brian returned with them to Supper. Heavy storm of wind & rain

1890-10-06

MONDAY

Very stormy day, heavy rain High wind – much damage done Lee's new saw mill blown down.

1890-10-07

TUESDAY

Bright clear day. Rode with Kit round Craig flower Bridge, home by Esquimalt. Sir Joseph & Lady T paid us a visit.

1890-10-08

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day. Potted geraniums & put under frame. Rented Cottage to Jno Harris at \$12- per month – he pd 1 month in advance – owe him \$2.00 The Jacksons left for England – they came at 11- P.M. to say good bye – very sorry to lose them.

1890-10-09

THURSDAY

Transfer Carriage to dinner at Highwood Fine bright day. Rode with Kit to Russells farm where we met Sir JWT, & John T. shooting. We dined at the Wards to meet Mrs & Mrs [left blank] and

the Drummonds who just arrived from Chilcoten

1890-10-10

FRIDAY

A fine day. The Wards, Alice Drummond and Mrs [left blank] came to tea.

1890-10-11

SATURDAY

Rained all the forenoon. Two new shoes on Blackie. C.A.O.R. went to town to shop Scott came to lunch – he accompanied us to ride round Careys farm & home by Burnside, he dined with us. Arranged to buy 4 tons of hay from Carey @ \$16- per ton, as I require it.

1890-10-12

SUNDAY

A lovely day. Carry & Kit went to Cathedral. Sir M.B.B. & Col. [left blank] (Farmers delegate fr [left blank] introduced by Stapelton) dined with us. The Admiral ~~dined with~~ paid us a visit also Ward & the Drummonds. Kit & I went to the Cathedral at 7- PM T [left blank] came back to Supper. Mary Smith left to take a situation at Seattle.

1890-10-13 *

MONDAY

Rained heavily nearly all day Went to town hall had a long chat with Ward. Told Aikman that I could not find the \$10,000 to lend On Hing, morgt. Paid Snowden \$1666.67 payment in full for Lots at New Westminster

1890-10-14

TUESDAY

[no entry]

1890-10-15

WEDNESDAY

[no entry]

1890-10-16

THURSDAY

[no entry]

1890-10-17

FRIDAY

[no entry]

1890-10-18

SATURDAY

Subscription to "Scientific

American" terminates F.O.R.

The "Amphion" left fr. Honolulu

en route to the Medeterien

1890-10-19

SUNDAY

Fine day we all went to St

Johns at 11- O.C. Revd Jenns officiated

Sir M.B.B., young Drummond

& Montmorency dined with us.

T.E. went to the Lowe's.

1890-10-20

MONDAY

Very stormy night & day

heavy rain.

1890-10-21

TUESDAY

Rained incessantly.

Remained at home.

J.W.T. lunched with us.

T.E. dined.

Carry & Kit went to a Ball at Govt

House.

1890-10-22

WEDNESDAY

Fine day. In office. Saw Aikman

re \$10,000 loan to (On Hing Bros)

Saw Vowell & Todd re Devereux's
letters "Kitlacadamax".

~~J.W.T.~~ Rode to Kings re cow

he promised to hunt her up tomorrow.

Sir J.W.T. & Lady, also T.E. dined

with us.

1890-10-23

THURSDAY

Rained incessantly.

Repacked with Tubb the wine

in cellar.

Drake & Mrs Drake called

Kit seedy had to remain

in bed all the day.

1890-10-24

FRIDAY

Rained heavily the greater

part of the day.

Carry & Kit assisted by Lizzie

Deasy & Hetty busy preparing

for Mrs Wards fancy ball which

comes off tonight

T.E. dined with us.

Called on Mrs Thomson

1890-10-25

SATURDAY

Up early rode to Thomson's

to see his horse, which is in a

bad way.

Drove Carry to Fairfield, then

to call on the Mr Critchleys.

Met Mrs A. Pinder who told us they

were out shooting – went to Beacon

Hill, watched the football, Vic.

v. the Fleet.

1890-10-26 *

SUNDAY

A bright clear day Carry &

I went to St Johns. Kit to the

Cathedral. Canon Paddon

preached & read the service.

Green came out he leaves

tonight for the Fraser on survey duty

Sir M.B.B. Vowell T.E. & young

Drummond dined with us

1890-10-27

MONDAY

Thick fog which cleared off

about 11- O.C. Bright clear day.

1890-10-28

TUESDAY

[no entry]

1890-10-29

WEDNESDAY

Heavy fog – cleared about 11- AM

Took Kit for a ride lunched at

Fairfield – rode round Beacon Hill, called at Highwood, out.
T.E. dined & played Backgammon with Carry.

1890-10-30
THURSDAY

Very thick fog. Lunched at Fairfield walked with J.W.T. to town. Saw Ward with reference to the Haynes note – he informed me that Mason intended to pay it off in full.

Dined with Sir M.B.B. to meet the Admiral & Capt Lampton. Went & returned with Drake.

1890-10-31
FRIDAY

Thick fog all the day. Rode with Kit for 1½ hour.
T. Critchley & Newton called also the Admiral & Acting Flag. T.E. dined with us
Went, under great pressure, to ball at Esquimalt, given by the Admiral & officers of the Warpsite.

NOVEMBER

1890-11-01
SATURDAY

A lovely day. Rode with Kit to see the paper hunt start from Duponts, rode home by Cedar hill.
The Wards, the Drummonds Mr Pearse & Williamson dined with us – 10-

1890-11-02
SUNDAY

A lovely day. Carry & Kit went to St Johns & to the Cathedral at 7- P.M.
Sir M.B.B. & T.E. dined with us. Padget Critchley & A Pinder, Lindley & Arthur Crease & John called. Mr Montmorency & [left blank] went with Carry & Kit

to the Cathedral Church

1890-11-03
MONDAY

Fog all the day
Kit went to a riding party got up by Mrs Hanington & Mrs Ward to Aldermere & did not get back till 7- PM
Drove Carry to town called on Mrs Grahame
T.E. dined with us

1890-11-04
TUESDAY

Thick fog in the afternoon – beautiful bright warm afternoon.
Sir J.W.T. lunched with us. Carry & Kit walked to town. J.W.T. told me that Willy & his wife would not come to our house again owing to the rude & unkind way they had been treated.
Took Kit to ride to see the game of Polo on Beacon Hill

1890-11-05
WEDNESDAY

A glorious day.
Green came out at 10 AM
Took Kit for a ride to Beacon Hill – Polo.
T.E. dined with us.
Kit & Carry went to Mrs Pooley's dance.

1890-11-06
THURSDAY

Thanksgiving day.
Transfer Carriage to Theatre
Very fine. Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral service at 11- AM
Went with Carry & Kit to the Concert "Mendelssohn Quintette"
Miss Marie Bernard.
Richards gave me notice that he wd leave on Saturday

1890-11-07
FRIDAY

Transfer Carriage to Theatre
Fine day In town paid

a number of bills

J. W. McKay paid me a visit
in the office.

Drove Ward to Esquimalt to
leave cards on the Admiral – he
afterwards called to say good bye.
We all went to the theatre (including
young Drummond & Montmorency) with
Vowell to hear Miss Bernard again

1890-11-08

SATURDAY

Mrs Preston died.
Cold driz[zling] rain during the
forenoon.

The Flagship "Warspite" left
for the South.

The Horse "Mac" shod.

Rode to Thomsons where I spent
an hour. J.W.T. also the Vernons
called while I was out. T.E. dined

1890-11-09

SUNDAY

Very fine. Kit drove to the
Cathedral. Carry & I went to St
Johns. Revd Jenns officiated
Sir Joseph Sir Matthew & T.E. dined
with us. J. D. Pemberton & Vowell
called. Carry & Kit went to the
Cathedral.

1890-11-10

MONDAY

Heavy rain during the night – fine
day. Rode Blackie to Fairfield
where I spent the day till 4 PM.
T.E. dined with us.

1890-11-11

TUESDAY

Rained heavily all the day
Joseph Richards left – paid him
in full 2- months \$55.00
The Bridgemans, the Vernons, the
Snowdens, & Brian dined with
us

1890-11-12

WEDNESDAY

Fine day – slight rain in the
early morning. In office till

4 P.M.

Edwin Joseph Dowson
commenced work, on trail for one
week, at the rate of \$25- pr month.

1890-11-13

THURSDAY

Fine day throughout. In office
Lunched at Club. Ward & Spalding.
J.W.T. put in an appearance for
a few minutes. Julia returned
from Seattle.
Carry & Kit called at Govt House Mrs
Dunsmuir &c
Rose Pseiffer left – pd in full \$20-
Susan Urquhard commenced
as house & parlour maid at \$20- pr m

1890-11-14

FRIDAY

Fine day. In office. Lunched
at Club with J.W.T. and afterwards
walked to Fairfield with him.
Carry & Kit went there later.

1890-11-15

SATURDAY

Slight frost – fine bright day.
In office.
Rode with Kit to the paper hunt
Mr Newton returned with us to tea.
T E dined with us, he
leaves tonight for Penticton

1890-11-16

SUNDAY

Fine day. Carry & I went to
St Johns. Kit to the Cathedral/
Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral
at 7- PM. Brian returned
with them, & remained to supper.

1890-11-17

MONDAY

Very foggy till about noon
In office
Rode to Tolmies to arrange
about the Calves, could not
find any one but a Chinaman.
Paid J.W.T. \$50- Viz –
~~Tax~~ share of Tax for 88 & 89 \$44-44
Repr of field glasses 2-50

Scarfs

3-06
\$50-00

1890-11-18

TUESDAY

Thick fog – cleared off about
11- O.C.

In office. Rode again
to see about the calves, arranged
with Mrs John Tolmie to send them
home in a day or two.
Wrote to Lord Listowel to acknowledge
receipt of case of “Grisler”.

1890-11-19

WEDNESDAY

Kit seedy.
A glorious day bright & warm
In office. Spalding called
to say that [*deletions*] owing
to a severe cold he could not
dine with us
Vowell dined with us

1890-11-20

THURSDAY

Rained heavily during the
night & forenoon. In office
Spalding paid me a long visit
Kit much better
The Drakes gave a dance
none of us went.
The two Jersey calves were
brought home from the Tolmie farm
where they have been since 16 May.

1890-11-21

FRIDAY

A lovely day, bright & warm
In office.
Vowel & Roper paid me
a long visit.
Tubb finished pulling &
stacking the mangolds.

1890-11-22

SATURDAY

A lovely day. Green drove
me to Deans to look for snipe,
he shot a brace. Home at 1-30
Kit walked to Pooley’s to see the
start of the paper hunt, but was

too late.

J.W.T. paid us a visit & brought
over a bundle of Times N-papers.
Roper dined with us.

1890-11-23

SUNDAY

Very fine. We all went
to St Johns at 11- OC Revd Jenns
officiated. Sir M B dined with
us. Tytler & [*left blank*] called
also Vowell who went with
Carry & Kit to the Cathedral &
returned with them to supper

1890-11-24

MONDAY

A fine day. In office
Walked to Fairfield with J.W.T.
Carry & Kit arrived also
remained till 4.30 came home
by tram fr. Fort Street

1890-11-25

TUESDAY

Fine day In office
Spalding dined with us
E. J. Dowson left paid him
in full \$12-50

1890-11-26

WEDNESDAY

Very mild day. In office
[*left blank*] Foster commenced
work at \$30- pr month.
Tool kit out to ride, but the
rain commenced & we had to return

1890-11-27

THURSDAY

Heavy rain during the
night – damp foggy day.
In office
Spalding left for England.

1890-11-28

FRIDAY

Thick fog all the day.
In office.
Major & Mrs H. J. Madocks
Royal Welch Fusiliers – (the latter intro-
-duced to us by Sir M. C-Seymour)

dined with us.

1890-11-29
SATURDAY

Thick Heavy fog. Remained at home all day.

Wrote to Mrs Seymour re Tram (Electric) not requiring her land, also with reference to repairs at Cemetery
Wrote to Jack. Carry wrote to Good & Co.

1890-11-30
SUNDAY

Slight rain in the morning, fine day.

Church at St Johns Revd Jenns officiated. – Sir M B B dined with us. Rode over to Thomsons
Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral at 7- PM accompanied by the McGinty who with Brian returned to Supper

DECEMBER

1890-12-01
MONDAY

Rained all the forenoon. Remained at home
Sir J.W.T. paid me a long visit. Walked a short way with him
Took Kit to the Theatre to see Mrs Abbotts wonderful performances

1890-12-02
TUESDAY

Rained heavily during the night. Fine day. In office
Thomson in trouble about his horse which he says is much worse.
Voted at Club to elect Cawston &c

1890-12-03
WEDNESDAY

Rained heavily throughout the day.
In office.
Paid the Bishop & Mrs Charles

a visit.

Capt Wood (Daphne) Vowell & Webber dined with us

1890-12-04
THURSDAY

Very fine day.
Took Kit for a ride on Esquimalt road, & afterwards to Fairfield.
A masked ball at Mrs Beetons – Armidale.

1890-12-05
FRIDAY

Frost
A fine day in office.
Paid J. D. Pemberton a visit with reference to taking an interest in prospecting for oil at Kootenay, Alberta.
Carry Kit & I lunched at Fairfield
Blackie shod – Mack removed

1890-12-06
SATURDAY

Fine day.
Carey delivered a load of hay. Paid him in full for two loads \$34-50.
Went for a ride with Kit to Steves, Sanach, to inquire about a cow.
Heard with regret of Alfred Brealey's death at Calgary on the 5th inst

1890-12-07
SUNDAY

Slight frost – fine day
Carry & Kit went to St Johns at 11 AM & to the Cathedral in the evening.
Sir M.B.B. dined with us
Fred Pemberton paid us a visit

1890-12-08
MONDAY

A glorious day ~~fine~~ mild & bright
In office.
Sir J.W.T. Charles, Vowell &c paid me long visits.
Rode Blackie to Mrs Shaws to

see cow advertised for sale.

Vowell dined with us.

Ex Mayor James Fell died.

1890-12-09

TUESDAY

A lovely day. Remained at home gardening.

Rode Blackie to Mrs Shaws & brought from her a Red Cow \$65- & arranged to send for her tomorrow. Carry & Kit paid Mrs Thomson a visit.

1890-12-10

WEDNESDAY

Tubb & Foster brought home the Red Cow bought from Mrs Shaw.

Fine day. In office.

Ex Mayor Jas Fell buried.

1890-12-11

THURSDAY

Fine day.

At home worked in garden
Sir J.W.T. & Lady T. lunched
& spent the afternoon with us.
We walked over the place Pt Ellice which he values at \$50,000.
Vowell dined with us.

1890-12-12

FRIDAY

High wind & heavy rain during the night & afternoon. In office
Instructed H. Helmcken to prepare conveyance from T. Davie & others of 50 acres at Clienna to Dom Govt
Mara called. Vowell in feather.
Drew \$30- fr S. Bank on acct of Ada Cornwall, which I sent to H.P.C.

1890-12-13

SATURDAY

Fine day. In office
Took Kit for a ride round Beacon Hill.

1890-12-14

SUNDAY

Rained incessantly.
We all remained at home.

1890-12-15

MONDAY

27th Anniversary of our Wedding
Up at 7- AM – worked in garden.
In office
Kit seedy.

1890-12-16

TUESDAY

Very fine. Had 4 cords of wood cut by steam saw.
2 Tons Coal delivered by Heathorn at \$7- pr. ton.
Sent holly to Lady Stanley, Sir John Macdonald, E.D. & Vankoughnet.
Carry & I called on Mrs Cornwall at Pearses
The Red cow calved.

1890-12-17

WEDNESDAY

A lovely day mild as spring.
Green went out to shoot
Remained at home.
Rode Blackie to Fairfield, where I lunched.

1890-12-18

THURSDAY

A very stormy rough night heavy rain.
In office.
Attended meeting of Trustees Christs Church fund at Bank B.C.
Rained heavily during the evening
Borrowed cart & harness from F-field.

1890-12-19

FRIDAY

Stormy night & day, heavy rain.
In office.
Foster tried to haul manure from Fews but failed – too wet.

1890-12-20

SATURDAY

Very stormy wet day.
In office – home at 2 P.M.
J.W.T. called & discoursed on

the subject of where Xmas day was to be spent.

1890-12-21

SUNDAY

Heavy rain & stormy night.
Showery during the day.
Carry Kit & I went to St Johns at 11- O.C. Revd Jenns officiated.
Sir M.B.B. & Vowell dined with us. – John & Zoe paid us a visit the first for a long time
Edgar Marvin called to read us a letter recd from Miss Brealey.
Carry & Kit went to the Cathedral at 7 O.C.

1890-12-22

MONDAY

A fine day at last. In the office. – Paid Dr Helmcken a visit. Hamley called, he remained a long while.
Tubb and Foster finished hauling the manure from Fews about [*left blank*] loads
Carry & Kit went into town to shop
Returned car to Fairfield.

1890-12-23

TUESDAY

A lovely day, mild after heavy rain during the night.
Remained at home till 4 P.M.
Went to town with Kit & Carry, the former decorating at St Johns Church
Inspected the shops with J.W.T.

1890-12-24

WEDNESDAY

Heavy rain during the night & at intervals during the day.
Very mild
In town in the evening with Carry. Walked about with J.W.T.
Brian & Mr Newton dined with us.

1890-12-25

THURSDAY

Transfer Carriage to Church & return, to Fairfield & to Highwood.
Storm wind & rain throughout

the night rained at intervals all day, very mild. – Church at St Johns Revd Jenns Holy Communion. –
Sir Matthew lunched with us.
Brian & Mr Newton helped to put up our holly. – All the family, except the Wm Pinders dined at F-field also Critchley, after which Carry Kit & I joined the party at Highwood

1890-12-26

FRIDAY

~~Rain commenced at noon and continued all the day~~
Bright clear mild day.
Too Kit for a ride accompanied by Brian & Newton. Kit rode Mr Newtons Iron grey mare.

1890-12-27

SATURDAY

Fine till noon – rained all the evening.
In office
Mr Newton called.

1890-12-28

SUNDAY

Fine day. Church at St Johns at 11- AM & Cathedral at 7- PM
Sir M.B.B. dined with us.
McEnnery & Vowell called
Mr Newton & McEnnery had supper with us.
Foster left – paid him in full to date \$18.00.
Heavy rain.

1890-12-29

MONDAY

Transfer Carriage to Theatre & return [*left blank*] Porter commenced work at \$25- pr month with board – to be advanced to \$30- pr month after 2- months – if satisfactory.
In office
Rode Blackie paid Mrs Thomson a visit.
Went to Theatre Swedish Imposters.

1890-12-30

TUESDAY

Dull day. In office.
Rode with Kit & Mr Newton.
Sir J.W.T. Julia John Zoe and
Charlotte dined with us.
The Pinders declined

1890-12-31

WEDNESDAY

Transfer Carriage to Mrs Grahames & back
A lovely day mild & bright
In office.
Rode with Kit & Mr Newton
along the Burnside & back by Craig flower
Dance at Mrs Grahames, we gave
Brian a seat.

MEMORANDA

Jany	No
2 Jack	1
“ T. K. Bross	
7 Sir M.C.S.	
13 Revd Compton	
13 Frank	1
31 Capt Knox & L. Ellis	
Feb	
3 J.W.T. & Jack	2
6 Sir MCS with POO	
9 Frank	2
18 Capt Hare	
21 J.W.T.	
“ J C Wells with POO	
March	
10 Revd Compton	
10 Lord Listowel	
19 J.W.T. & L. Ellis	
21 Capt Knox Telegraph	
10 Frank	3
27 Capt Knox	
April	
18 Sir M.C.S.	
23 Frank	4
29 Frank	
May	
2 J.W.T. to Montrel	
10 Jack	4
10 Revd Compton	
13 Louisa Ellis	
14 Frank	6
15 Capt Knox with Draft	
June	
1 Frank	7
18 Jack	5
July	
5 Frank	8
28 Frank	8
29 Jack	6
Sept	
2 Carry Hare	
9 Frank	10
11 Jack	7
18 Frank	8
“ E.D.	
Octr	
10 Frank	9
“ Jack	8

Nov
18 Ld Listowel
24 Sir M. C. Seymour
26 Revd Compton
29 Jack 9
“ C.O.R. to Good & Co
“ Mrs Seymour
Decr
6 Frank 10
“ Martley – Hackley
7 Jackson
8 Hughes
10 Capt Hare [*illegible*]
15 C.O.R. to Cook

ADDRESSES

Miss Louisa D. Ellis
8 Newton Grove
Bedford Park – Chiswick London W.

Col. Fred Ellis
Priestlands – Lymington – Hants.

Capt E. C. Knox
Silverton Monkstown
Co Dublin – Ireland

Mrs Seymour
51 Onslow Gardens
London S.W.

Vice Admiral Sir M Culme Seymour, Bart
4 Grenvill Place – Cromwell Road
London S.W.

Col. J M Grant R. E.
Averly Terrace Herbert Rd Woolwich

Mrs Blakeley
Harts Leap – Sandhurst.

H. P. Walker

P. H. Nind
British Guiana – West Indies.

H. P. Green
Caistor Hall – Norwich

Mrs W. A. G. Young
Belmont, Strood Kent
[P] London Chatham & Dover or North London

Donald Fraser

T. S. Begbie
36 Walbrook Str.

D. M. Lang – Glasgow & London Insurance Co
16 George St Mansion House

Finlay, Durham & Brodie
61 St Marys Axe

C. S. Jones – London S.W. Bank
Acton, London

Revd W. C. Compton – Brooklands
Uppingham – Rutland.
Milward

T. A. Bulkley
9 Drayton Gardens
London S.W.

R. H. Handcock
10 Elgin Road – Dublin

Bank of B. Columbia
60 Lombard St E C.

F. J. O'Reilly
Ingeniero
F. C. S.
Plaza Constitution
Buenos Aires
South America

CASH ACCOUNT

CASH ACCOUNT – JANUARY

Date		Received	Paid
3 rd	Telephone acct for Decr		4 00
“	Subscription to D. Times		1 50
“	P.O.O. Mary Smith Kamloops		15 00
7	Duty on icketas for Kit per		5 50
	Parcel Post Refunded		
“	Steve 1 cord of wood		4 00
8	Sub. Colonist to 31 st Decr 89		12 25
11 th	Goodacre (cash) in full		76 13
“	H. Clay – Confectioner		6 60
“	Langley & Co		32 28
“	R. M. Smith (Baker)		24 75
“	D. Ross & Co		63 38
“	H. B. Co		50 50
“	J. Sehl		43 10
“	P. Brown – Fish & Game		8 10
“	Chinaman – cutting wood		2 00
“	Dog Show		- 50
11 th	Muirhead & Mann acct		248 61
12	Church St Johns		- 50
“	Carriage fr. Church		1 00
13	King Dyer & Co – Fish		2 00
13	W. H. Mason – Benevolent Society		20 00
16 th	F. Bishop fr. butter		9 25
17	Goon wages to 1 st Jany, cash & vegetables \$3.60		43 60
“	W. T. Drake, Coal		57 75
“	Wm Heathorn, Coal		24 00
18 th	H. Saunders		8 85
19	Church St Johns		- 50
19	C. Vernon for Scientific American		4 00
20	Pierre – Tailor		16 50
“	E C Baker pr Bob Ridley		12 00
17	N. Portman		1 50
“	R Jameson Toys &c		10 85
“	Mrs Bickford		8 00
“	J Hutcheson Dry goods		1 00
“	H. Young – White House		4 50
22	Norris – Horse brush		2 50
23	McLennan & McFeely – repair of roof of N W Bank per [illegible]		20 00
26	St Johns Church		- 50
29	Lambert wages on acct		15 00
31	Higgins, for plants & flowers		2 25
23 rd	Churton fr. Sir Michael		15 00
“	Do for Self		6 00

CASH ACCOUNT – FEBRUARY

Date	Received	Paid
2 nd Church St Johns		1 00
5 J. Hawkins, oranges		- 75
“ E. G. Prior acct in full	7 74	
“ Tye & Co Do	5 50	
“ King, Packages to & fr. Esquimalt	1 25	
“ P.O.O. Thos Goode & Co fr. E.D.	3 16	
“ W W Evans – in full all accts	18 45	
3 Daily Times to 1 st Feby		
6 th M. R. Smith, Baker for Jany	8 25	
“ G. Morrison Druggist	2 75	
6 P.O.O. for Sir Michael cash pd by him for Commission £3//14//3- =	18 90	
7 th H. Saunders St Johns Church Donation \$25 Oct Assmt \$3.81 Jan Assmt \$5.63, Pew Rent to March/90 \$12.50		46 94
9 Church St Johns		- 50
10 th Brackman & Ker Oats Bran Wheat &c	52 85	
10 Tea fr Chinese Store Cormorant St	1 30	
“ Sheridan for tuning two Pianos	6 00	
15 McLean & Stewart	20 87	
“ Chinaman – cutting wood on acct	5 00	
16 St Johns		- 50
18 Kit present	10 00	
“ Carry Victoria Transfer Co	188 90	
21 Turner & Co Freight on Jacks box	3 00	
“ Duty on Do	1 60	
“ Cakes Fort Street	1 50	
“ P.O. orders J. C. Wells £11//2//6	54 78	
23 Church St Johns		- 75
28 Lambert – wages & attendance in full to 22 nd inst	37 00	

CASH ACCOUNT – MARCH

Date	Received	Paid
2 nd St John Church		1 00
3 Jas Todd Hay	21 00	
4 Dander Brush for Stable (Williams)	- 75	
5 Sub to Daily Times to 1 st March	1 00	
9 Church St Johns		- 50
4 th Hutchison P.O.O. £3-5- Hat & Photo	16 50	
10 th Reece & Co P.O.O. £2//6//3	11 46	
11 Mary Sith – month wages to date	20 00	
11 R Ward & Co Extra Insurance	37 50	
“ M W Waitt Book on Carpentry	1 25	
“ Key, pantry door	50	
“ Rep Horse Roller	50	
“ Whale oil soap	75	
“ Dander Brush	75	

“ Scrapings of Bridge	4 00
15 P.O.O. Jack for his birthday £1//10	7 50
16 Church St Johns & Cathedral	75
17 Wells Fargo Express in Roses fr N. Y. April 89	5
17 Lowenberg – Harris 1 st instalmt on 5 Lots Port Crescent	1666 66
18 Cheque Alice Ward a present on her Marriage	50 00
18 Wells Fargo, Plants N. Y. April or May	5 00
20 J. W. Carter Carpenter	61 00
“ Telephone acct 28 th Feby	4 00
21 Telegraph to Capt Knox	5 50
22 P.O.O. Emily White £15//13//0	77 00
25 Joseph Lambert Wages attendance &c &c	35 00
28 W Drake, Coal	15 00
“ John Weiler in full	19 30
“ Matress & Pillow	5 00
“ Stable Broom	1 75
“ 2 Sponges	1 00
“ 2 Buckets	1 25
“ Sundry Express charges	1 50
29 Chinaman work in garden	5 00
27 Telegram Capt Knox	9 25
31 st W K Bull Steitz Acct	16 00
31 st 1 st & 2 instlmt on 19- new shares in B.B.C. £456	2234.40

CASH ACCOUNT – APRIL

Date	Received	Paid
2 W. T. Clark milk and manure	45 60	
“ Muirhead & Mann acct in full	67 40	
1 st Subtion to Daily Times 29 th March	1 00	
5 th Goode – Cook wages on acct	10 00	
6 Church St Johns & Cathedral Williams in full fr Sundries	10 75	
12 Mary Smith wages at Sundry times	20 00	
13 Church St Johns	- 50	
14 Fish	- 75	
23 Marchant & Fletcher	2 50	
23 J. Gosnell – seed potatoes per E Bates	10 00	
24 G A McTavish plants &c	14 15	
“ P. T. Johnston	3 40	
26 Chinaman work in field	6 00	
“ Bishop for helping in field &c	5 00	
27 St Johns Church	- 75	

CASH ACCOUNT – MAY

Date	Received	Paid
X 3 rd Goon, Cook, wages on acct	10 00	
4 Church		
X 5 Tubb ono acct of wages	12 00	
“ Sing, work in field & Garden	8 00	
6 th Daily Times to 3 rd May	1 25	
7 th Telephone for March & April	8 00	
7 th for Geraniums		
Cabbage & Cauliflower plants	3 10	
7 Wm Pinder repr of boat &c	5 50	
11 Mary Smith – wages to 11 th May	20 00	
8 Concert St Johns	1 00	
9 Brackman & Ker	67 50	
“ C.P.N. charges on box from London Numnah &c	1 40	
“ Duty &c do	3 50	
X 9 th Goon Cook wages to 1 st May (\$2- due for Fish &c)	100 00	
11 Church St Johns	- 50	
X 12 Smith, Baker, Subject to Correction	20 87	
14 th Transfer acct to 1 st May	98 75	
15 Truck & Dray Co – Ploughing	12 00	
“ Capt Knox draft £2,000-	9800 -	
24 Chinaman work in field	6 00	
25 Church St Johns	- 50	
28 Tubb wages ono acct	20 00	
29 Hall Ross & Co Chit Rice	2 50	
“ G. Elvin Express	- 50	
24 Miss Campbell Attendance as Nurse	40 00	
30 C.P.N. Co freight on boat	24 25	
30 McEnergy Tickets	3 00	

CASH ACCOUNT – JUNE

Date	Received	Paid
1 st Church St Johns	2	
4 W. C. Bryant – Shoeing	16 87½	
2 Mrs Seaton	40 00	
6 Goodacre acct in full 31 st May	119 97	
6 T. R. Smith (Chudley fund)	20 00	
6 Daily Time to 31 May	1 00	
7 W. W. Evans Bacon &c	5 48	
7 Wilson Baker	8 45	
New Potatoes	1 50	
Strawberries	1 50	
7 P.O.O. Mrs Greenslade £7//15.	38 40	
7 C.W.R.T. Last call on 20-		
D. shares Gas – r Hare	200 00	
“ Do Do – on 47 shares self	470 00	
8 Church St Johns	- 50	
11 Jno Bathurst See J A & N S £10-	50 00	

“ Mary Smith wages	20 00
12 th 2 nd instalment on 5. Lots Port Crescent	1666.66
14 Strawberries	1 00
“ Chinaman work in garden	5 00
15 Church St & Cathedral	1 00
21 st Sundry strawberries	2 25
22 Church	- 75
X 23 rd Goon – for Chinaman work in field	5 00
X 23 Goon on acct wages	5 00
25 Wm Wilson	7 37
“ Erskine	3 00
“ Jamieson	3 15
“ Weiler	14 15
“ Lombard	1 00
25 P. Brown, fish	6 20
X “ J. Campbell wages on acct	20 00
26 Do - Prvl Res Tax	3 00
“ Self Do	3 00
Do Personal property Tax	63 35
30 Yale Hope Do	46 27
29 Tubb on acct	20 00
28 P.O.O. Nutty Ashley	50 00
29 Church St Johns & Cathedral	2 00

CASH ACCOUNT – JULY

Date	Received	Paid
2 nd Chas Gabriel acct in full	3 50	
3 Daily times to 28 June	1 00	
6 St Johns Church	1 50	
7 th Wm Cook Strawberries	4 30	
9 P.O.O. Carry Hare £6-	30 00	
10 Tubb in acct Wages	10 00	
“ Transfer Acct May & June	13 50	
“ Delmonico	13 00	
“ Daily Colonist to 30 th June	6 50	
“ Nutty Ashley – Kit £2-	10 00	
13 Church St Johns	3 50	
10 E. C. Baker 1 st instalment Port Crescent suburb	333 33	
14 COR	25 00	
“ C.P.R. freight on Cushions	3 75	
19 Jackson ½ two Carriages	4 50	
20 Church St Johns	- 50	
23 Albion Iron Works new shares	2400 00	
21 st Sir M.B.B. Bal due on Wine Acct	33 00	
25 Arbutnot Emerson	25 00	
26 Thresher & Glennie P.O.O. £5 =	25 00	
27 Churches	- 75	
27 Goon on acct wages	5 00	
29 Campbell wages on acct	20 00	
30 Tubb “ on acct	30 00	

CASH ACCOUNT – AUGUST

Date		Received	Paid
11	Mary Smith wages		20 00
15	Sauve Bros Cushions for Boat P.O.O.	13 00	
18 th	Jas Chalmers – plants	4 75	
22 nd	Campbell wages on acct	20 00	
X “	Goon Cook Wages Do	10 00	
29	Tubb Do Do	30 00	

CASH ACCOUNT – SEPTEMBER

Date		Received	Paid
2 nd	Mary Smith		5 00
2 nd	Central Coal Yard, Heathorn	24 00	
5	Campbell on acct	5 00	
“	Kit	5 00	
4	J R Anderson, Citizens Ball	10 00	
6 th	Pete Dowdall attendance as nurse 19 th Augst to 5 th Sept 17 days	51 00	
10	Dixie Ross & Co	139 68	
11	R H Jameson, Grocer &c	15 23	
11	H Clay Confection	10 25	
“	Jno Wilso, Baker	19 85	
12 th	Jas Campbell wages & all other accts to date	100 00	
18	Goon – Cook wages	10 00	
19	Bryant in full	12 50	
21	Church St Johns & Cathedral		
22	Jas Todd Hay & Straw in full	49 18	
22	Sing – Camp Cook	21 93	
22	Pemberton assent Lorne Estate	5 00	
“	H B Co Warfage pr Titania	- 25	
“	Keeting Lozenges & Tooth brush	1 00	
“	Chinese Tea pot pr [illegible]	2 00	
“	Cupboard for Harness room Stable	2 00	
23	Goodacre in full Andrew for 6- Brooms	98 95 3 00	
27	Tubb – wages on acct	30 00	
28	Churches	1 50	
30	Hudson Bay Co	53 88	
“	Telephone Service to 30 inst	20 00	

CASH ACCOUNT – OCTOBER

Date		Received	Paid
2 nd	P J Cushman for 20 parts of Pictorial Canada	12 00	
3	P.O.O. Emily White	50 00	
“	L Braff – P.O.O.	50 00	
4	Fruit – decoration St Johns	2 00	
4	Jacksons sale	9 25	
X 4	C S & A W Jones –		

	24- shares Albion Iron works @ \$112- with \$20 accrued interest	2738 00	
5	St Johns Church, Harvest Festival	1 50	
7	14 Chickens, per Tubb	5 60	
11	Ettie	5 00	
“	Grapes – Tram &c COR	2 50	
“	Carriage, Bacon fr Pentiction	2 35	
“	Cakes, per Scott	1 00	
12	Church Cathedral	- 75	
“	Mary Smith wages in full	20 00	
15	Fish, Game &c pr Tubb	2 75	
13	Lowenberg Harris – final payment on Pt Cresent Lots – (3 instalment)		1666 67
15	E C Baker 2- paymt with int. Port Cresent Syndicate (80 acres)	345 00	
17	One load picked wood	1 50	
19	Church St Johns & Cathedral	1 00	
22	H. C. Halpenny – papering & repair of cottage Henry St	3 00	
24	Churches St Johns, & Cathedral	1 50	
28	Brackman & Ker	89 87	
“	B.B.C. Assmt Bedoe lease	250 00	
30	Tubb on acct – wages	30 00	
31	Fish oysters &c &c per Tubb	2 00	
29	P. Brown, Fish & fruit in full	12 21	

CASH ACCOUNT – NOVEMBER

Date		Received	Paid
2	Churches St Johns & Cathedral	1 50	
4	<u>Pew Rent</u> St Johns Church	12 50	
4	Shotbolt, Chemist	54 10	
“	Hibben & Co	59 77	
7 th	Turner Beeton Co	33 42	
“	McQuade & Son Albion	60 43	
“	D. Spencer	23 15	
“	H. Mansell		
“	W. T. Drake	22 50	
“	Hutcheson, White House West side	8 13	
“	C. A. Lombard & Co	2 75	
“	W. Wilson – Dry goods	10 65	
“	R. M. Smith Baker	12 50	
“	Henry Young – White House	1 10	
“	J. Hawkins – fruit	4 60	
9	Churches St Johns & Cathedral	1 50	
11 th	Joseph Richards in full	55 00	
12	Rose Pseiffer House Maid	20 00	
“	B.C. Ice Company	1 25	
14	Grouse	1 00	
15	Lunch at Club J.W.T. & Self	- 90	
16	Churches St Johns & Cathedral	1 00	

17	J.W.T. Taxes &c – see diary	50 00
X 18	Goon wages &c to 1 st Octr	119 25
20	Transfer acct to 1 st Nov	82 43
18	Duty on Case Champagne	6 60
“	Do Do – per Green	
23	Churches	1 00
25	Wages for 2 weeks E. J. Dowson	12 50
26	T. J. Lindsay fr. 4 loads Blk soil	8 00
28	Tubb on acct wages	30 00
30 th	Churches St Johns & Cathedral	1 00
28 th	T.E. on acct of the Worgan	
	Morgt see Diary	500 00

“	Tubb wages \$20	
29	Tickets Theatre	3 00
X	Bank – Assesment on the Beddoe lease, E D & Self	250 00

CASH ACCOUNT – DECEMBER

Date		Received	Paid
1 st	Theatre – Mrs Abbots performance		2 00
2	R. Ward For Insurance		30 00
2 nd	C. E. Redfern in full	110 00	
5	J. Stevens cord wood		16 00
	J.W.T.		
6	J. W. Carey [<i>left blank</i>] lbs Hay		34 50
“	McLennan & McFeely		8 05
7	Churches St Johns & Cathedral		1 00
8 th	Vowell – price of boat, Suave		45 00
“	J W Tolmie 6 m. pasturage of two calves		18 00
8	R. Godding Pew Rent Cathedral	19 “	
10	Mrs M. Shaw – Price of <u>Red Cow</u>	65 –	
12	G Stelly – Ploughing field		15 00
“	H Short – 1 Doz Tennis Balls		4 00
13	C.P.N. Co freight on Bacon		3 30
“	Albion Iron Works		77 05
12	Foster – wages on acct		15 00
13	Susan Urquhart wages		20 00
15	F. C. Gamble – Stones		18 00
15	Dr Davie – Med Attendance	200 00	
15	Chinaman 1 day in field		1 00
16	Grouse & Chicken meat, Tubb		1 25
21	Church, Cathedral		- 50
23	Carry		20 00
“	Kit		5 00
24	Tubb’s son – COR		1 00
25	Goon – a present		5 00
“	Susan Urquhart Do		2 50
“	Church St Johns		2 00
28	Churches St Johns & Cathedral		1 50
29	Tubb, wages		50 00
30	Municipal Tax Vic	120 00	
“	Water rates Victoria		27 00
28 th	Foster wags in full		18 00
31	Joseph Perry cutting 4 cords of wood @ 75 cts		3 00