

Friday July 2<sup>d</sup> 1814

To falls and Bideford, to the fort, fair

Saturday had some went to John

Dawson, then to bridge with Plank <sup>warm</sup> fair

Sunday to meeting at Line fair <sup>raining</sup>

Monday to falls and Col. Moody's fair

Tuesday planted, bridge fair

Wednesday to falls to advise damage

done by flowing of the water in

Loco river on Jeremiah Staples'

Land - - - fair a shower even <sup>in</sup>

Thursday to falls and Bideford

To advise damage done to

Capt. Lawels land by flowing of

the water in Loco river fair <sup>windy</sup>

Friday weed garden &c fair

Saturday to fall and Bideford

down to fort &c - - fair

Sunday <sup>10<sup>th</sup></sup> at home - - fair

Monday making hay cart & raiing

Tuesday first cart spread hay & fair <sup>windy</sup>

went to Buxton for salt

..... 12<sup>th</sup> July 1814.

Wednesday July 13<sup>rd</sup> 1814 —  
Sunny and rains, hay fair windy  
Thursday rain got 650 bushels of hay  
Friday mowed & raked hay & fair  
Saturday went to fairs in Bideford  
with Mr. Simmon — fair  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> to meeting at Llins & day  
then at home, fair rainy  
Monday mowing haul in hay fair  
Tuesday raked got in hay — fair  
Wednesday Ditto Ditto fair  
Thursday wet garden raked hay cloudy  
Friday to falls then spread hay  
and sowed some & cloudy fair rain  
Saturday spread raked got in hay fair  
Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> at home — fair  
Monday got in hay & rain fair  
Tuesday Ditto do & <sup>little rain</sup> fair  
Wednesday Ditto do <sup>fair</sup> fair  
Thursday to falls for taxes, cloudy  
Friday did some writing & rating rainy  
Saturday to fall & Bideford fair  
Sunday to meeting at Llins fair  
31<sup>st</sup> July rain

Monday August 2<sup>d</sup> 1814  
tied up flax cut wood weed garden  
Cloudy fair cloudy rain  
Tuesday weeding garden & rainy  
to lecture at School house —  
Wednesday to falls & fair — cloudy misty  
Thursday weeding garden & rainy  
Cloudy fair  
Friday spread & raked got in hay  
Saturday to falls and pleasure <sup>cloudy</sup> fair  
Sunday at home — fair  
Monday mowed some ad off Gilpatr.  
then put bottom to pail  
ricks on share cloudy rainy rainy  
a great rain in Afternoon & night lit  
thunder in forenoon west & north  
Tuesday went to falls & rain fair <sup>Cloudy</sup>  
Wednesday mowed spread & raked hay  
at W. Gilpatrick's on share fair  
Thursday mowed raked & hauls hay  
load for Gilpatrick 1 Self fair <sup>night</sup>  
Friday cut grain, then spread raked  
hay at Gilpatrick's got in one load for  
him hauls & load home on 12<sup>th</sup> fair

Saturday August 4<sup>th</sup> 1814  
mow'd raked got in grain & flax &c  
fair with thunder & wind rain  
Sunday to meeting at Linc fair  
Monday to falls after putting away  
grain — — — rainy rainy  
Tuesday held great went to jail  
and Aaron Scammons with  
W<sup>r</sup> S<sup>r</sup> Lins<sup>r</sup> son — cloudy rain fair  
Wednesday to falls rakes hay fair  
Thursday spade & got in hay & fair  
Friday got in hay oats & fair  
Saturday to falls with lambage fair  
— then sharp thunder & lightning rain  
Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> at home — fair <sup>windy</sup>  
Monday carried William Gill-  
patrick to Alfred — fair  
Tuesday to Burton mill then gathered  
seeds &c &c — — — fair  
Wednesday to falls fair rainy  
Thursday to Burton & Hollis to  
notify to work on highway fair  
Friday to falls notifying as fair  
Saturday to fall, gathered dry news <sup>cloudy</sup> fair  
27<sup>th</sup>

Sunday August 28<sup>th</sup> 1814  
Went to meeting house and ~~line~~  
then home no meeting rainy rainy  
Monday laid brick for George Simpson  
at Bracy Banks's road fair —  
Tuesday worked on bridge at D. Lakes  
Wednesday ditto — — — fair  
Thursday <sup>1<sup>st</sup></sup> September ditto fair  
Friday <sup>2<sup>nd</sup></sup> ditto  
Saturday unwell went to Sollomor  
Libby's paid tax to Jordan &  
Very warm forenoon then <sup>rain</sup>  
soft wind with thunder little  
Saturday went to Samuel Hills &  
then went to falls & fair warm  
cloudy thunder lightning evening  
Sunday at home — fair warm  
Cloudy with thunder lightning even  
5 Monday set up cider mill <sup>cold</sup> windy  
Tuesday to falls with bark fair  
Wednesday did some writing first  
Cider porch & — — — fair  
At 5<sup>th</sup> great frost in night cut up  
part of my comb the sixth

Thursday Septemb<sup>r</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> 1814  
fixing to make Cider ye fair rainy  
Friday made Cider Cut stalks fair  
Saturday to falls to town meeting fair  
Sunday to meeting at Line fair  
Monday hauled sand & gravel on to  
my bridges &c — fair ~~rainy~~  
Tuesday ditto &c — fair rain  
Wednesday morn saddles &c rainy  
Thursday to falls &c John Cleaver  
moved some of his goods up to  
his brothers for fear of the  
British: coming to destroy them fair  
Friday fixed Cellar &c rainy rainy  
Saturday to falls carried and brought  
Cloth from mill &c cloudy fair  
Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> at home — fair  
Monday haul gravel on bridge  
went to falls &c — — fair  
Tuesday fixed cont to haul goods  
from falls for fear of British  
then went to falls to General meeting  
Wednesday stoning Cellar, tend the  
21<sup>st</sup> funeral of Isaac Seam's wife

Thursday September 22<sup>nd</sup> 1814  
New Siling & lengthening roof of  
School house to make it higher <sup>rain</sup>  
Friday ditto ditto — cloudy <sup>rainy</sup> fair  
Saturday to falls hauled up a load of  
goods for John Cleaver to my  
house for safe keeping <sup>warm</sup> & fair  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> at home — fair  
Monday to falls to training in Capt.  
Leetlands Company — fair  
Tuesday pulling beams &c fair  
Wednesday Laid bricks for  
Abraham Tyler <sup>1/2</sup> day then  
went to get Clay for School  
house Chimney made <sup>clay</sup> <sup>rainy</sup> <sup>rainy</sup>  
house <sup>bricks</sup>  
28 Thursday hauled Clay & sand for  
School house <sup>rainy</sup> <sup>rainy</sup> foundation  
Friday 30<sup>th</sup> laid bricks at School  
house & — — fair  
Saturday October 9<sup>th</sup> 1814  
laid bricks at Schoolhouse fair  
Sunday at home — — fair

Monday October 9<sup>th</sup> 1814  
laid bricks at School house then  
went to falls to training <sup>Cloudy little rain</sup> fair  
Tuesday laid bricks School house fair  
Wednesday Little Do glocks <sup>rain in night</sup> fair  
Thursday laid hearth School house  
half days work then to Buston mill <sup>rain</sup> fair  
Friday gathered corn then to falls for  
lime for Schoolhouse &c — fair  
Saturday dug potatoes — fair  
Sunday <sup>10<sup>th</sup></sup> to meeting at Line fair  
Monday dug potatoes &c — fair  
Tuesday Ditto — fair  
Wednesday Ditto <sup>11<sup>th</sup></sup> finished fair  
Thursday to fall &c — fair  
Friday sorting <sup>peeled</sup> beets <sup>rain</sup> fair  
Saturday mad mortar for School  
house & dug carrots <sup>Cloudy</sup> rain fair  
fair cloudy sprinkled rain fair rain wind  
in evening & night —  
Sunday at home 16<sup>th</sup> Cloudy fair  
Monday hale <sup>17<sup>th</sup></sup> Dung went to fall  
to training &c — fair

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 1814  
worked mortar for school house  
then piled carrots &c — fair  
Wednesday top chimney at School  
house & — fair windy  
Thursday making Cyder Cloudy fair  
Friday to falls made Cyder &c fair  
Saturday made ~~Cyder~~ Cyder fair  
Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> to meeting at Line  $\frac{1}{2}$   
day then to said funeral of Wm Morris  
child in Buxton — fair  
Monday making Cyder &c — fair  
Tuesday hale John Denett make  
Cyder  $\frac{1}{2}$  day then went to falls fair  
Wednesday to falls with apples  
and onions &c — fair  
Thursday lathing School house fair  
Friday went to falls got one quart  
molasses one pint rum for Mr. Simpson  
~~Saturday plastering school house~~  
fair rain in night — Cloudy fair  
Sunday plastering school house  
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> went to the fort to see John  
Simpson cloudy rain fair —  
Monday plastering School house  $\frac{1}{2}$  day 31<sup>st</sup>  
then to Warrington to falls

Tuesday November 1<sup>st</sup> 1814  
Smoothing plastering  $\frac{1}{2}$  day at  
School house &c &c went to Samuel  
Hill John Hayes — fair  
Wednesday got Clerom pain for  
Mrs Simpson being very sick —  
cut wood killed a sheep & fair  
Thursday banked house through beans  
Cut wood &c &c wife sick cloudy then  
Snow and snow in night 6 or 6 inches  
Friday through beans first barn  
To put up lattice or little snow fair  
Saturday went to head of town and  
to D. Burnham's &c Cloudy little rain  
Sunday to meeting at Lene Cloudy fair  
Monday to town meeting & rainy  
Tuesday to falls for things for Mrs Simpson  
etc being sick (Dad Bacon) fair  
Stated with Town Treasurer gave my  
note of hand for \$138.43 to be paid  
on demand —  
Wednesday to falls paid six dollars  
to Sheriff Jordan for execution  
and some carrots &c — fair  
wife sick

Novm 9<sup>th</sup>

Thursday November 9<sup>th</sup> 1814  
Went to Scarborough for Doctor then to  
falls & home <sup>Sun</sup> Cloudy  
Friday to fall for taxes & fair  
Saturday to falls got salt and plant  
at D. Cutts mill &c — <sup>plus</sup> fair  
Sunday <sup>13</sup> at home Cloudy rain evening  
Monday first born &c — rainy  
Tuesday killed cow for beef & fair  
Wednesday hauled 2 rocks for underpinning  
from John Denrett (Burton) fair  
Thursday hewing rocks for underpinning  
then to Lector at School house cloudy rain  
Friday fixing underpinning rollers  
for self &c laid some blocks in school  
house &c — <sup>(rain in night)</sup> Cloudy  
Saturday fixing underpinning rollers  
for self &c <sup>rainy</sup>  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> at home no meeting  
it being rainy all day almost  
Monday underpinning house fair <sup>selected</sup>  
Tuesday hauling gravel from Celler  
onto the road &c — Cloudy  
Wednesday Ditto fair rainy night

23<sup>rd</sup>

Thursday November 24<sup>th</sup> 1814  
hauling Gravel from Celler <sup>windy</sup> fair  
Friday hauled John Cleavers  
goods back to fulls of fair plett  
Saturday stoning Cellerage fair  
Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> at home fair snow  
Monday helped Lawyer buck two  
hogs - went to R. Cleaves & fair  
~~and saw part of the hill~~

A very ~~heavy~~ shock of an earth quake  
was felt about half after seven  
in the evening of the 28<sup>th</sup>.  
Tuesday helped R. Cleaver kill  
cow then mend fence & fair  
Wednesday fixing barn cut  
wood &c cloudy cold rainy

Thursday December  
4<sup>th</sup> 1814 Thanksgiving day  
at home no meeting snowy  
Friday to fulls <sup>to mill</sup> fair  
Saturday killed hog & wt. fair  
3<sup>rd</sup> 290

Sunday December 4<sup>th</sup> 1814  
at home no meeting snowy  
meeting at my house in evening  
Monday hauled old wood & fair  
Tuesday to fulls for tax & fair  
Wednesday had oxen & ge - fair  
Thursday to fulls of Bideford for taxes  
Friday hauled wood home one load  
to School house off three feet, fair  
Saturday to Burton to mill & fair  
then to Samuel Hills to a <sup>meeting</sup> fair  
Sunday at home no meeting <sup>fair</sup> snow  
Monday to fulls & - fair  
Tuesday fixed bob sled & snow  
Wednesday hauled off old wood & fair  
Thursday killed hog & ge - fair  
Friday fixing barn & ge snow rainy  
Saturday to Burton to meet <sup>at</sup> Smiths a young woman baptise  
by Doc Flander cold windy fair  
Sunday to meeting at Linne then  
to Abner Woodoms to evening  
meetings 18<sup>th</sup> fair

Monday December 19<sup>th</sup> 1814  
to falls for Taxes &c fair, snow  
Tuesday wait'd & tend on women  
being washing day fair clear cold  
Wednesday altering Chimney for  
Capt Edmund Moody fair pleasant  
Thursday hard wood & fair  
Friday altered Chimney for self fair  
Saturday hard wood & fair  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> tend & funeral  
of John Holmes Leander  
— clear cold windy  
Monday to falls to mill fair  
Tuesday cutting logs fell and  
hurt my leg & right arm fair  
then a thick snow then fair.  
Wednesday at home Lame in  
my arm not able to work  
fair little snow  
Thursday cutting up a great  
pine tree for logs &c fair

Friday December 30<sup>th</sup> 1814  
Cutting and getting them across  
the gully on over & home cloudy  
Little snow in night  
Saturday 31 December 1814  
hauling logs &c fair  
Sunday January 25<sup>th</sup> 1815  
to meeting at Line fair pleasant  
Monday getting Logs over the  
gully and home of Edward  
Brudbury & wife here —  
fair warm rain even  
Tuesday getting timber & logs &c  
fair cloudy rainy  
Wednesday ditto &c fair  
Thursday helped John Beary haul tree  
logs to river &c snowy. Mrs Simpson  
very unwell sent for Doctor at ten  
o'clock at night in a snow storm  
Friday to falls to get Brandy & wine  
for Mrs Simpson then home fair low windy.

Saturday January 7<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home tending on wife being  
very sick & cut wood & fair  
Sunday at home tending on Mr.  
Simpson very sick yet — fair  
Monday tending on my sick wife  
~~fair went to Dunston to Doctor and~~  
to Nehemiah Libby for unigen fair  
Tuesday tending on sick wife & fair  
Wednesday Ditto do fair  
Thursday Ditto fair  
Friday for doctor &c Snow  
Saturday at home tend on wife fair  
Sunday <sup>15<sup>th</sup></sup> at home Ditto fair  
Monday to old orchard <sup>fair cloudy</sup> to fall  
Tuesday at home tend on wife  
she being sick but getting better fair  
Wednesday to Aaron Burahams to buy  
hay then to old orchard <sup>fair cloudy</sup>  
Thursday Wait & tend in house  
first sled to haul salt hay &c  
Cloudy then snowy rain  
January 19<sup>th</sup> 1815

Friday January 9<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home Corried Mr. Simpson in sleigh  
to John Berry's, Nicolas Dennis and  
wife came to see Mr. Simpson for pleasure  
Saturday to marsh land & load hay  
Sunday at home — fair Cloudy  
great snow storm began 10 o'clock  
at night —  
Monday unload hay &c — snowy  
Tuesday to falls for wine &c for Mr.  
Simpson he being still sick & weak fair  
Wednesday to falls to mill &c — fair  
Thursday tend in house &c Ebenezer  
and Martha Simpson were from  
York — fair cold  
Friday to falls with Ebenezer  
Simpson he going home fair cold  
Saturday <sup>Corried</sup> Neff's hide to D. Barnba  
tend in house &c fair cold  
Loring Joshua's cattle hooked by ox  
died in night  
Sunday Skinned Calf & fair very cold  
a meeting at J. Berry's evening  
29<sup>th</sup> 1815

Monday January 30<sup>th</sup> 1815

Tending in house very cold windy

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> To falls &c. ten degrees  
colder than yesterday four or five  
degrees colder than any yet

Cold winds cold

Wednesday February 1<sup>st</sup>  
Carried Mrs Simpson to R. Cleaves  
<sup>8 sister</sup> & c. fair some cold

Thursday at home carried Mr Simpson  
and letter to John Berry & fair

Friday tending in house &c fair cloudy

Saturday went to York, with Martha  
Simpson — Cloudy fair

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> at York & Elliot fair

Monday came from York with  
Mr Emmer for to saw a snow storm

Tuesday at home tend in house & fair

Wednesday ditto cut wood & fair

Thursday to falls with one great  
log to Dr. Catts — fair

Friday to fall with 2 logs & fair

Saturday February 9<sup>th</sup> 1815 fair  
To falls with three logs to Dr. Catts.

Sunday to meeting at Line 4<sup>th</sup> day

then at Stephen Seavers 4<sup>th</sup> day fair

Monday hauld 2 logs out of wood & fair

Tuesday cut wood & fair

Wednesday alter'd chimney & fair

Thursday at home Edward Bruey  
and wife Rose & fair

Friday to falls for things for Mr

Simpson the being unwell fair snow evening

Saturday at home to Dr. Catts & c.  
a great snow storm

Sunday at home no meeting here fair

Monday to falls & fair then snow

Tuesday at home small work

rain snow & rain snow rain

Wednesday to falls at the celebration of

Peace between Great Britain & America fair

Thursday to falls & fair

Friday cut wood went to R. C. J. H's

& J. Bryant on 24<sup>th</sup> fair cloud & snowy

Saturday February 25<sup>th</sup> 1815

to falls &c fair snowy

Sunday<sup>26<sup>th</sup> to meeting at Line  $\frac{1}{2}$  day  
then a meeting at my house fair</sup>

Monday cut wood &c fair Cloudy

Tuesday to falls for taxes &c fair

March 1<sup>st</sup> 1815

Wednesday to falls for taxes fair

Thursday to falls with Mr. Simpson cloudy fair

Friday to falls (with Cleaver Easy credit) fair

Saturday into pen for pigs & fair

Sunday<sup>5</sup> at home fair

Monday mend barn floor &c fair

went to R. Cleaver, with Mr. Simpson

Tuesday carried horse hide to David

Burnham, then to falls fair

Wednesday broke vase & fair

Thursday having timber &c boiling

down sugar for Lugar fair

Friday ditto ditto ditto fair

Saturday ditto ditto &c fair

11<sup>th</sup>

Sunday March 12<sup>th</sup> 1815

To meeting at Line fair

Monday to falls to Town Meeting of Cloudy, and a snow storm

Tuesday at home did some writing tend cattle &c fair, snow ever

Wednesday boiling sap into sugar

rain then fair

Thursday tend cattle & sheep fair

Grace Scammon & New Wife here

Friday to foliage snow

Saturday did some chores about house &c fair

Sunday at home fair

Monday made sugar &c fair - snow

Tuesday at home unwell fair

Wednesday at home do fair snow

Thursday ditto do snow rain

Friday ditto do do rainy

Saturday to town to Society meeting

Sunday to meeting at Line fair

11 26<sup>th</sup>

Monday March 27<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home did some choors & rainy  
Tuesday to falls &c fair pleasant cold  
Wednesday tend farmed of Rich and  
Seammons wife & fair snowy  
Thursday to falls with Starver  
Seams to get instructions how  
to proceed with W. Gillpatrick  
when at Alfred - hail snow rain  
Friday to falls to get Corpse  
to Caday W. Gillpatrick to  
Alfred snow rain bad  
April 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday carried William Gillpat-  
rick to Alfred left him at the  
Jail house to appear before  
Joseph Emerson on Monday  
the third day of April Fair  
Sunday at home snowy  
Monday to falls to meeting  
good singing in forenoon  
afternoon bad - fair pleasant  
Tuesday reading &c rainy  
Wednesday to falls &c fair rainy  
April 5<sup>th</sup>

Thursday fast day to meeting  
at line went to R. Cleaver fair little  
Friday bad pain in my back  
did little at boiling sap & fair  
Saturday at home tending sap  
&c &c snowy  
Sunday to meeting at Line fair  
Monday boiling sap &c fair  
cloudy rain night  
Tuesday at home did but little  
of anything went to R. Cleavers rain  
Wednesday to falls &c fair pleasant  
Thursday Thanksgiving day  
on the account of peace  
at home unwell fair  
Friday at home unwell snowy  
Saturday to falls &c snow squalls fair  
Sunday at home five of the fam-  
ily sick at once with Influenza  
fair there some showery fair  
Monday to falls with a few  
Simpson &c fair pleasant  
Tuesday to falls for taxey fair  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> at home tend lame cow  
Cloudy &c rainy cloud little

Thursday April 28<sup>th</sup> 1815  
to falls ye fair  
Friday made stakes ye fair  
Saturday kill calf went to falls with  
Reuben <sup>Cloudy & rain</sup>  
Sunday <sup>28<sup>th</sup></sup> went to meeting house  
no meeting a rain storm  
Monday maul'd dung then helped  
Stephen Milleian rais barn fair wind  
Tuesday took up apple trees for  
James Ross ye began to har  
row ground for sowing fair  
Wednesday to falls haul'd logs over  
the bridge to G. Cutts mill fair pleasure  
Thursday sowed common barley & turn  
Friday sowed black eyed peas then  
plowed some of fair cold  
Saturday at home cut some potatoes  
the rain in my hip <sup>and</sup> <sup>rainy</sup> had  
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> snow night <sup>Snow</sup>  
Sunday April 30<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home rain in back ye  
snow rain fair Cloudy

Monday May 1<sup>st</sup> 1815  
Sowed flax wheat & barley and  
barley and oats and pease set some  
apple trees of — fair windy  
Tuesday pruned apple trees for  
Jon Hayes  $\frac{1}{2}$  day then went to  
R. Cleavers to training fair <sup>Cool</sup>  
Wednesday pruned trees went to  
falls <sup>on the way to Newmarket</sup> rain ball snow rain  
Thursday pruned & set apple trees  
day artichokes & rain sleet fair  
Friday made harrow ye cloudy fair <sup>Heavy</sup>  
Saturday plowing today then went  
to falls to mill of — fair  
Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> to meeting at Line <sup>ye</sup>  
day no meeting in after noon <sup>Cloudy</sup> rainy  
Monday plowing digging stumps  
snow rain rain snow fell 3 or 4 in <sup>ches</sup>  
Tuesday plowing & saw'd beets fair  
Wednesday sowing gardens set roots  
went to falls to mill <sup>ye</sup> fair snowy  
Thursday picking up old roots  
and stumps <sup>ye</sup> fair Cloudy  
13 11<sup>th</sup>

Friday May 12<sup>th</sup> 1815  
ingrafting trees for Elder  
of Islanders of Burto <sup>rain</sup> fair  
Saturday ditto <sup>fair</sup> Day then hom  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> at home fair with <sup>Day</sup>  
Monday to falls to town meeting  
Tuesday ingrafting trees for self <sup>fair</sup>  
Wednesday ditto ~~cut potatoe~~  
cut potatoe & cloudy rain  
Thursday cut potatoe plant-  
ing Corn & potatoe beans  
pumpkin goffera went  
to York with H. Emerson  
Cloudy fair windy

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> cutting potatoe  
tend Cattle ge - hail rain then  
a great snow storm then rain  
Snow fell 4 or 5 inches. the  
ground covered intirely till night  
Saturday cut potatoe ~~ge~~ <sup>ge</sup>  
rain fair Snow not gone till  
night

Sunday May 16<sup>th</sup> 1815  
to meeting at Line El<sup>d</sup> Seavy  
preached. - fair pleasant  
Some snow on ground this  
morning that fell the 15<sup>th</sup> day  
which I melted and sheared my  
self with Benj<sup>n</sup> Simpson  
Monday plowing for potatoes  
cut bushes dug up thistles fair  
Tuesday planting corn beans  
pumpkin & potatoe fair pleasant  
Wednesday ditto - fair pleasant  
Thursday planting potatoe &  
went to falls & fair pleasant  
Friday planting potatoe fair do  
Saturday mend fence help shear  
Sheep ge ge fair sprinkling rain  
Sheared 14 Sheep marks 13 lambs  
being all I had at that time  
Sunday at home fair pleasant  
Thunder with little showy Thunder  
Lightning rain in night May 28<sup>th</sup>

Monday May 29<sup>th</sup> 1815  
planted Cucumbers Squash seed  
beet Carrot & parsnip seed etc  
rain little, fair Cloudy windy  
Tuesday unwell went to Burton  
to Nathan Elder Esq<sup>r</sup> with fair  
Wednesday to falls with wool to  
be carded & June 1<sup>st</sup> fair  
Thursday making fence & cloudy  
Friday notifying for work on  
highway monday next, making  
brush fence from Solomon  
Libby's fence at middle line  
on Southeast side of my land  
to Burton road & Cloudy rainy  
Saturday to falls with real rainy  
Sunday 2<sup>d</sup> at home unwell  
fair pleasant

Monday stoning cellar for self  
etc &c cloudy

Tuesday stoning cellar for  
self &c rainy

Wednesday worked on cellar &c &c  
fair & some showers small

Thursday June 4<sup>th</sup> 1815 off  
worked on cellar, carried to skins to  
David Burnhams ge — fair  
Friday stoning cellar for self help  
S. Hill rais barn &c — fair  
Saturday stoning cellar went to falls  
Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> at home fair  
Monday worked on highway fair  
Tuesday ditto fair, began to rain  
a few minutes before 6 o'clock great  
rain in evening and night  
Wednesday killing bugs on Cucumbers  
& Squashes, stoning cellar &c — fair  
Thursday hauling rocks for cellar then  
wond to falls & got roles at Brad & Mill  
Friday hauled boards from Ft Catts  
mill 856 feet to E. Beckers worfe  
some home &c — fair showy

— great shower in night

Saturday stoning cellar went to falls  
carried Mrs. Simpson to R. Bond, fair

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> to meeting at line fair

Monday hoeing &c fair Wind & rain

Tuesday weeding garden &c went to falls &c  
carried Mrs. Simpson to see doc't Steward fair

20<sup>th</sup> 1815

June 26<sup>th</sup> 1815 - Wednesday  
Wednesday worked on road filling  
ruts &c — fair cloudy —  
Thursday filling ruts 1/4 a day then  
went to falls got Hay of John M.  
Carr for — fair  
Friday first Celler window kiln  
bags on Squash vines & fair  
Saturday planted Squashes and  
Cucumbers. Went to falls with  
W<sup>m</sup> Simpson fair warm showery  
Sunday<sup>2<sup>nd</sup></sup> to meeting at C. Andover  
in Blinston heard a black man  
preach. (from Portland) fair  
Monday first rock to Set apart  
upon new garden ~~ye~~ <sup>July</sup> ~~Cloudy~~  
Tuesday laid bricks on arch  
for self ~~ye~~ <sup>rain</sup> fair signs of  
Wednesday ditto do — fair  
Thursday laid brick on chimney  
for self ~~ye~~ fair thund, lightning  
some broken  
Friday laid bricks self — fair  
Saturday ditto fair cloudy <sup>rain</sup>  
Sunday to meeting at Linne fair  
T. F. Gray preached July 1<sup>st</sup> 1815

Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1815  
Saturday July 4<sup>th</sup> 1815  
Laid bricks for self ~~ye~~ <sup>fair</sup> Cloudy thunder <sup>wind</sup>  
Sunday to meeting at Linne fair  
Monday weeding garden & hoeing fair  
Tuesday weeding do — do — fair  
Wednesday weeding garden then  
went to Buxton took the man  
to Eldens, horse <sup>July 6</sup> fair  
Thursday hoeing & helped A. J. Hins  
raise barn & — — — — — fair  
Friday hoeing Corn ~~ye~~ — — — — — fair  
Saturday hoeing ~~ye~~ — — — — — fair  
Sunday<sup>9<sup>th</sup></sup> at home, went to W. Ayer  
who was sick fair great rain & noo  
Monday hoeing ~~ye~~ — — — — — fair  
sat up with W. Ayer all night  
he being very sick — — — — — fair  
Tuesday attending at W. Ayer all day  
Wednesday tending on W. Ayer  
till he died about half past 3 o'clock P.M., then tend the  
funeral after sunset ~~ye~~ fair we  
Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> hoeing mowing and  
raaking men rakes & fair warm

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 1815 cloudy  
hay day got in two yags & fair  
Saturday hoeing wedgarden raked  
hay made hay pole ge cloudy little  
Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> to meeting ad Line fair  
Dinner Wedgarden measured 2 yags  
Monday hoeing spread railed hauld  
in hay ge ge cloudy fair  
Tuesday braying got in 2 yags fair  
Wednesday to falls railed hay hauld  
in one great load 3000 ft or more  
Thursday railed & hauld in 2 yags fair  
Friday spread railed hauld in hay 3 yags  
Saturday to falls with Lamb trees &  
pitch bay & rain fog cloudy  
heavy thunder sharp lightning  
great rain with gusts of wind in evening  
Sunday 23 at home fair <sup>some clouds</sup> warm with  
Monday spread railed & got in 2  
1 yag hay ge fair cloudy  
Tuesday pitched up hay had some  
moss & fair rainy afternoon  
Wednesday made railed handle went  
to J. Gilliland's - rainy cloudy  
Thursday took mare to Eldens horse  
then spread hay lots got in 1 yag  
27<sup>th</sup> fair cloudy showery

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> 1815  
rainy & got in 1 yag hay fair cloudy  
Saturday went to falls with wife  
J. J. E. got in 1 yag hay cloudy fair  
Sunday 30 to meeting ad Line fair  
Monday making small tub and sheathe  
ge ge - rain cloudy  
Tuesday August 5<sup>th</sup> 1815  
rainy & got in hay 1 yag ge fair  
after going to falls brought up  
Mrs. C. Bradbury &  
Wednesday got in 1 yag hay fair - rain  
Thursday got in 1 yag hay fair  
fixed ground soed turnip seed fair  
Friday got in 2 yags hay fair cloudy  
~~Saturday~~ Corried gun ge to falls  
Saturday to falls got in 2 yags hay  
fair little rain  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> at home fair  
Monday pitch floor got in 1 yag  
hay ge fair  
6<sup>th</sup> frost in some places in Saco

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> August 1815  
pitched off last load hay went  
to Burton to mill & fair cloudy  
Wednesday rep'd mow'd barley  
put weed in garden & fair cloud  
Thursday got in grain <sup>cloudy</sup>  
Friday got in a few bundles of grain  
Did some chores <sup>killed a lamb</sup> Cloudy came on rainy  
Saturday went to fall side rainy a storm  
Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> at home rainy rainy  
Monday cutting thistles & fair rain  
Tuesday cutting & getting in grain  
Wednesday mow'd old Shays  
harnes &c & fair rainy  
Thursday made a frame for  
books to stand in when you read  
Friday spread flax went to Isaac  
Scammons with Mr. <sup>Cloudy</sup> Simpson  
Saturday to falls with wife misty rain  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> at home Cloudy sun rain  
Monday <sup>Cloudy</sup> mow'd grass in yard  
went to T. Richard with wife <sup>rain</sup>  
Tuesday mow'd weeds took up  
old cow way of <sup>12<sup>th</sup></sup> misty & rain

Wednesday August 23 - 1815  
split some wood rebid out a little  
wheat & gege rain cloudy misty  
Sold my oxen for 78 £ to drive  
them to Portland to be paid.  
Thursday laid bricks at Bideford for  
Broadbents Marvell for dry work misty  
Friday Ditto - rainy little sun rainy  
Saturday turned over grain got in one  
lock on hay poles, a shower come on  
as soon as we got into the barn then  
thunder and rainy afternoon cloudy fair  
Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> to meeting at <sup>1<sup>st</sup></sup> Fair  
got in little grain after meeting  
a great deal of grain sprailed in this  
wet weather by sprouting the stones  
as well as the down  
Monday white washing for B. Pike  
Cloudy fair foggy  
Tuesday drove a yoke of oxen to Port-  
land for beef - foggy fair  
Wednesday dug potatoes went to falls with  
them and other lause fair then a  
heavy shower with thunder <sup>31<sup>st</sup></sup> fair  
Thursday at quarterly meeting Burton cloudy

Friday September 1<sup>st</sup> 1815  
took up flax ge ge frost in night fair windy  
Saturday to falls with Mrs. Simpson fair  
Sunday went to Scarborough with  
Thomas Andros to see Stephen Andros  
he being very sick frost in night fair  
Monday to falls worked on hedge way  
Tuesday to fall to mill in cloudy rainy  
Wednesday to fall for doctors medicine  
for Mrs. Simpson ge rainy rainy  
Thursday went to Scarborough  
of Buxton & ge fair  
Friday white washing for Dr.  
Shannon — fair  
Saturday gathering black cherries ge  
Sunday to <sup>10<sup>th</sup> meeting at Linc fair  
Thunder & lightning in evening and night  
Monday to falls with black cherries and  
apples ge — rainy  
Tuesday did some writing for Mrs. B.  
Elizabeth Lawyer ge ge cloudy rainy  
Wednesday gathered black cherries ge  
dry potatoes & ripe apples to sell rain cloud  
Thursday gathered black cherries last  
Stalks ge cloudy rain fair snowy  
(14<sup>th</sup> Sept) with thunder</sup>

Friday September 15<sup>th</sup> 1815 fair  
to falls with Cherries then Ad stalks  
Saturday mad hoop & cover for sinkin  
and stoning up old cellar way ~~the~~  
Settled with A. & A. Milligan cloudy rain  
Sunday at home cloudy fair rain in night  
Monday stoned up cellar way cut & shock stalks  
Cloudy fair cloudy

Tuesday hauled some rocks then tied up  
and shock stalks ge — cloudy fair  
great white frost at night hard but little  
Wednesday stoning cellar way piled them  
shock stalks ge fair cloudy 15  
Thursday finished cellar way went to  
falls with apples ge ge cloudy fair  
Friday carried rocks out of cellar cleaned  
out the dirt ge ge cloudy rainy  
Saturday picked apples mend fence blown  
down by the wind rainy a great rain  
with a very heavy wind about E there  
at S. E. heavier still, blown up by  
the roots very large trees and broke  
of others large and small 17

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> to meeting at Linc <sup>pleasant</sup> fair  
Monday picking apples ge ge fair  
Tuesday ditto haul in stalks cloudy rain

Wednesday September 27<sup>th</sup> 1815  
Monday September 25<sup>th</sup> 1815  
picked apples went to fall great  
training — fair  
Tuesday picked apples got in  
beans & — fair  
Wednesday picked apples hand  
in stalks & cloudy little rain —  
Thursday white washing for Doctor  
Shannon & B. Pike & fair  
Friday gathered apples & fair  
Saturday stoning Celler door way  
laid north Robert Cleaves just fair  
Sunday October 1<sup>st</sup> to meeting  
at fall, D. Merrell preached  
Monday went to fast then worked on road & fair  
Tuesday gathered corn dug potatoes —  
Wednesday dug potatoes gathered corn — fair  
Thursday ditto — so rain very — fair  
Friday ditto — so rain very — fair  
Saturday I went to Joseph Richens  
to bring my wife home from Stephen  
Maffers, dug potatoes fair  
7<sup>th</sup>

Sunday Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home — cloudy — rainy  
Monday to falls with apples fair  
Tuesday went to Dr. Burnham's, then  
home and dug potatoes fair rain night  
Wednesday to falls on business & cloudy fair  
Thursday digging potatoes & finished dig-  
ing 230 bushels — fair  
Friday to falls with potatoes & — fair  
Saturday to falls with potatoes, then  
bought a yoke of cattle of widow  
Margery Sawyer, 3 years old fair cloudy  
Sunday at home 19<sup>th</sup> — fair  
Monday paid widow Margery  
Sawyer for a yoke of steers three  
years old then went to falls & fair  
Tuesday laid bricks for Joseph  
Cole & — fair warm  
Wednesday ditto — cloudy little rain  
Thursday ditto 1/2 day then pulled out  
pile out in road & — fair  
Friday laid bricks for Ichabod Jordan — fair  
Saturday set up cedar mill & — fair  
Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> to meeting at Line fair

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1815  
hewing blocks for Ichabod Jordan  
Tuesday fixing rock round Celler  
door for Capt Jordan a day then  
came home cloudy little rain sun  
Wednesday helped draw coke kiln and  
fixing Cyder mill ge fair windy  
Thursday made Cyder fair  
Friday made fence round Cyder mill  
some small choors of rain cloudy  
Saturday hewed rocks from house  
first to raise down Cyder fair wind  
Sunday at home fair  
Monday made Cart ge ge cloudy  
fair little rain

Tuesday made some Cyder ge fair  
**Wednesday November 1<sup>st</sup>**  
made Cyder ge fair plough  
Thursday made Cyder ge fair plough  
Friday made Cyder hewed dung<sup>ge</sup> fair  
Saturday took down Cyder mill  
hewed dung<sup>ge</sup> ge fair cloudy smoky  
Sunday to meeting at Line cloudy fair  
smoky (5<sup>th</sup>) Kill a pig wt 46 lb

**Monday November 4<sup>th</sup> 1815**  
went to Wm Gillibricks twice bought  
a bag of lime to allow six dollars  
ge Cloudy smoke fair worm  
Tuesday to falls with apples fair  
Cloudy little showers of wind  
Wednesday banking house went to  
Dct Stewart with wife fair  
Thursday banking house riding up old  
lode & other stuff ge began yesterday  
to dig a well began one before  
and came to a ledge cloudy rainy  
Friday cut poles for ladders & and  
a pole for boring for water bored  
thirteen feet after digging 8 feet  
came to a rock on ledge fair plough  
Saturday making ladder began a new  
place to dig a well came to ledge then  
began in another place fair  
Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> at home fair  
Monday finished ladder carried  
apples in Celler, worked on well fair  
Tuesday digging and filling up wells  
bored four poles for water came to  
water short of 10 feet (14<sup>th</sup>) fair plough

Thursday November 16<sup>th</sup> 1815  
hauled some rocks for well rain snow  
Sister Baker and Sister Simpson  
wife of Edward Simpson from York  
Friday killed Cow &c & rain fair  
Saturday carried Mr. Bradbury to falls  
Sisters Baker & Simpson went home  
began to stone well fair place, cloudy  
Sunday to meeting at line rainy  
~~Wednesday to falls~~  
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November ought to  
have been the first line on this page  
worked digging for well on & fair

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1815  
stoning well fair  
Tuesday stoning well cloudy fair  
Wednesday hauled rocks finished stoning  
well &c fair cloudy rain  
Thursday hauled sand and clay from  
well &c fair  
Friday to falls with Cyder fair  
Saturday hauled timber for well  
Curb first to lay brick &c fair  
Sunday at home 26<sup>th</sup> fair  
Monday altering my Chimney fair  
Cloudy in evening little snow  
(27<sup>th</sup>) in night

Tuesday November 28<sup>th</sup> 1815  
laid bricks altering my Chimney fair  
Cloudy rain in evening  
Wednesday Ditto cloudy  
Thursday Thanksgiving day laid brick  
altering my Chimney rainy  
Friday knighted Chimney fair cold  
Saturday felling up timber clear away  
the brick in filled up hole dug for well fair  
Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> to meeting at line fair  
~~Wednesday to falls~~ timber for well & fair  
Monday went to D. Burnham for leather  
& rain fair Specially of rains  
Tuesday hewed timber for well & fair  
Wednesday to falls with Cyder and  
roasted mutton & fair  
Thursday bought pump of Capt  
Tyler for  $8\frac{1}{2}$  dollars to be paid  
by way of George & Ebenezer Simp<sup>son</sup>  
then set pump &c rain snow  
snow in night  
Friday Cut & hauled wood & windy  
blustering snow flew &c  
Saturday Cut wood at door & fair  
cold windy w<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1815

Sunday December 4<sup>th</sup> 1815  
at home no meeting here fair  
Monday Cutting Logs & wood  
hauled some wood home fair.

Tuesday kill Cow for beef &  
Cloudy tail snow &  
had Oxen besides

Wednesday kill three hogs for pork  
ge ge fair

Thursday Cut up beef & pork and  
salted the same & fair.

Friday went to Burton brought  
Abner Woodzom's ram to my sheep

Saturday to falls to fooling mill  
Cloudy snow & rain in night

Sunday to meeting in school  
house Cloudy little snow

Monday made a hedge Cutting logs  
first place for hogs to sleep & fair

Lame with the rheumatism  
in my right knee 15 days or more

Tuesday at home but little worked  
Lame with the rheumatism fair

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> 1815  
Lame with the rheumatism fair

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December to falls  
brought C. & G. Gray to Adminster  
on bath to Merchant Richard for  
saving a child by a John Eden fair

Thursday heard timber & stone up fair

Friday tend barn & fair cloudy

Saturday to falls & fair

Sunday at home rainy

Monday putting shelves in Cloyd fair

Tuesday lame in knee did little or no

work some small jobs

Wednesday finished shelves in Cloyd

Thursday lame went to church services

in afternoon & fair

Friday lame went to R. Cleaver

in afternoon

Saturday did some writing & fair

Sunday December 31<sup>st</sup> 1815

at home a great snow storm

Lame with the rheumatic pain

in my knee

Monday Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1816  
at home lame in my knee  
little or no work — fair blustering  
kept house most of the day  
Tuesday lame yet tone bar made  
handle to drawing knife & fair  
Wednesday to falls & fair  
Thursday to falls & Biddiford & fair  
Friday lame in knee did some  
writing &c &c fair cloudy snow in  
Saturday kilo bag & to snow storm  
Sunday at home — fair  
Monday to falls & fair cold cold  
Tuesday to falls & lower ferry fair  
Wednesday went in search for  
Sheep & fair cold blustering  
Thursday went to Isaac Scammon's  
brought my wife home to see Mary  
Emmerson being sick with the measles  
then carried her back to G. Scammon  
then home Very lame fair cold  
snow storm in night  
Friday did some writing & a cold  
12<sup>th</sup> snow storm sun sun

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> January 1816  
at home lame in my knee did  
some chores about house laid up a  
few shingles to bind a fair cold  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> at home lame yet fair  
Monday to falls & lame yet fair  
Tuesday very lame kept house but  
no work — fair cold snow  
rain evening with  
Wednesday kept house did some writing  
& lame yet rainy thawy  
Thursday to falls with G. Newbegin  
and his wife & fair  
Friday lame but a little better shed  
some corn feed bags & <sup>warm thawy</sup> fair worm  
Saturday <sup>16<sup>th</sup></sup> to Buxton to mill fair  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> at home — fair  
Monday to falls <sup>then to Joshua Simpson's</sup> <sup>Buxton</sup> <sup>work</sup>  
Sick with the measles, fair  
Tuesday at home tending sick with  
measles & ge <sup>24</sup> fair  
Wednesday Ditto Ditto G. Simpson very  
sick being full of pain, foggy or misty  
Thursday Ditto Ditto the sick getting better  
of the measles (25) fair

Friday January 26<sup>th</sup> - 1816

at home lame no work fair  
Saturday at home no little Ebenezer says  
be god to grow sick, had to send for  
Mr. Berry, then for my wife, she  
being at Nicolas Donnets, then for  
Dad A Bacon in the morning  
of 27<sup>th</sup> Mr. E. Simpson very sick all  
day and most of the night, fair Monday  
this 27<sup>th</sup> being Sunday

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> Mr. Simpson much better  
this morning. I went to falls for  
tea with Ebenezer taken in  
a fit and speechless when I got  
home at sun sett ~~little~~ <sup>since</sup> <sup>night</sup> fair

Tuesday at home Ebenezer were  
sick and speechless fair

Wednesday at home Ebenezer  
began to speak and know a little  
at times but very sick & weak

Thursday at home Ebenezer very  
sick but appears to be a little  
more sensible at times than  
he was yesterday cloudy little snow

Feb<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1816 cloudy little snow