

The Expense Accounts and Diaries of Samuel Elwell Sawyer, 1851-1889

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THROUGH END OF 1874**

Begin 1866, 21 February.

Notes made 1998-2004, concentrating on Sawyer's philanthropic activities in Gloucester, Mass.

Expense Accounts, 1851-1860

Mr. Sawyer first made his notes in pencil, then transcribed them in ink. Some of the final entries were out of sequence and have been corrected in this edition. This is especially true of 1856.

Not all entries have been transcribed. The records of small, routine expenses have been omitted.

When the expense records begin, the Sawyers, Samuel Elwell and his wife Abigail Ingersoll Meads Sawyer, were living in a boarding house in Dorchester run by Doctor Capen and family, paying \$15 per week. Much of their food expense was for fancy fruits and alcoholic beverages. They also spent a good deal on clothing and its upkeep. They owned a horse which they boarded with Mr. Garcelon, and buggy. In 1854, they briefly moved to the Tremont House in Boston, but beginning October 1, 1854, he is recorded as paying board to Mrs. Perkins. In 1854 he paid \$40.00 per week.

In 1851 Mr. Sawyer's grandfather, Abraham Sawyer, born 1760, was still alive in Gloucester, living in the family homestead. His mother, who had married Daniel S. Webber the Gloucester harbor pilot, soon after the death of his father in 1821, died in early December 1857. Her funeral was on Thursday, December 3, 1857 in Gloucester. Daniel S. Webber, her widower, comes into the expense account only in October 1859, when Sam Sawyer gave him \$5.00.

He had a brother, Charles, who was a professional mariner, married to the former Almira Hotchkiss of Newburyport. Charles seems not to have lived in Gloucester in the 1850s, but Almira is recorded in the 1857 expense account. In May 1857, he paid for a sextant and a copy of Bowditch's Practical Navigator for Charles's son Charley. Later, in the diary, there are many references to Charles and his family. In the 1850s, when Sam went to Gloucester to visit the family, he boarded with the Aaron Jaquith family, neighbors in the Fresh Water Cove area.

Abraham Sawyer died in early May 1856 (the funeral was on 4 May). On November 8, Sawyer paid Fitz Hugh Lane, the best local artist, \$100 for a painting of the Sawyer homestead. The painting is now in the Sawyer Free Library behind the reference desk.

1851

January 1. Abby pin money (This was her usual monthly allowance)	12.50
Cuffs. Stone marten. Present	6.50
February 1. Mrs. Lord one Qr. French	
February 3. Framing. 4 views Dresden	3.00
Framing. 2 views oil colors	.50
February 11. Enameled cards	1.50
February 13. 1 doz. Otard Brandy	3.60
Cake for Valentine Ball	1.00
February 14. Dinners &c.	2.25
Carriage to Lyceum Hall	.75
(Trip to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington inc. Mount Vernon and return)	
March 5. Mrs. Lord French tuition 1/3 \$40	13.33
March 25. Dr. Wesselhoeft [Homeopathic physician]	1.00
April 5. Pew rent 2 yrs. To April 10, 1852	5.00
April 19. Expense to Gloucester	5.05
May 1. Painting on copper (Trip to New York)	3.50
June 7. Fire crackers	1.25
June 14. Wines & Liquors. Bartlett	5.72
June 17. Painting child & dog. Cole	11.50
2 engravings. Madonna &c. Each 1.50	3.00
June 17. Dr. Wesselhoeft	1.00
June 26. 2 Jenny Lind tickets	6.00
Programme	.25
July 4. Fire works for Mt. Ida	4.00
Fire crackers, med.	1.25

Contribution for music		1.00	
July 5. Dr. Wesselhoeft		1.00	
July 30. Tudors Tour in N.A.		1.00	
(Trip to Niagara etc.)			
July 7-July 23. Albany, Utica, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Montreal, Quebec, Montreal, St. Johns, Burlington, Ticonderoga, Saratoga, Schenectady, Albany, Catskill, West Point, New York, Boston, Dorchester.			
July 10. Fare to Niagara Falls		1.50	
July 10. Tickets to Goat Island		.50	
July 11. Omnibus to Bridge		.25	
Maid of the Mist		1.00	
Hack to Whirlpool, to Canada, Lundy's Lane &c.		1.00	
Whirlpool		.50	
Tolls across bridge for selves & hack		.67	
Luncheon		.33	
Camera obscura			.25
Indian cushion	1.25		
two Indian cushions		.50	
Bow & arrow, med.		.50	
July 12. Scissor case, embroidered		.25	
Embroidered cushion heart		.25	
Needle book covers		.50	
Carved head cane		.50	
Palm leaf hat		.12	
Descending Staircase, fare over, ferry & hack		.75	
2 days at Cataract House		8.00	
Total for trip		183.80	
August 15. Assessment Germania band		2.00	
August 16. Coach to Rail Road & Ex. To Gloucester & back	6.50		
August 20. Hand cartman. Olio		1.00	
Sending bund to Gloucester		.25	
September 1. Toll gate one year			5.00
September 30. Mrs. Mowatt, Stranger, Aunt Mary & Elizabeth		2.00	
October 3. Gift to Lydia Ann. School board from July 1 st to October 1 st		10.00	

November 22. 2 bottles Malmsey wine	
one Grandma	.75
Hack to Rail Road	.50
Fare to Gloucester	1.80
Hack to Cove, four	1.00
Charley. H & chaise to Depot	.25
November 24. Fare to Boston	1.80
November 27. William at Bartlett's	.25
December 6. Gloucester map	2.50
Webster. Cold. Engraving	3.00
December 20. 2 Galls. Oil. Bartlett pd. .70	1.40
1 string 48 sleigh bells	
Difference in sleigh robe	6.00
(Gave \$21, sold for \$15)	
Expense to Gloucester & back	5.30
December 24. Evergreen Christmas, .92, .25, .25	1.42
Candy for children	.50
December 29. Webster. Col. Engraving	3.00
Blank scrap book	1.50
1852	
January 29. Miss Blaney's school. Sleigh ride	2.50
January 31. Bartlett 2 galls. Oil, pd. .70	1.40
February 17. Orphan Assylum (sic)	1.00
February 23. N.Y. Love's Sacrifice. Mrs. Forest	.50
Opera. La Gazza Ladra	1.00
February 23. Museum. Battle. "Walk the Wall"	.38
March 12. Opera. Ital. Fanny	2.00
March 19. Charley to Mr. Sprague's	1.50
April 1. Charley doctoring	2.00
April 24. Dance for the children	1.00
Horehound candy	.20
May 1. Fair at Dorchester	.75
Pine Apple	.38
May 6. Doct. Wesselhoeft	1.00

May 8. Pine Apple	.25
[May 12. Charges for 13 rolls wallpaper, curtains, fixtures, carpet. Dorchester?]	
June 5. Father Cleveland. Charity	2.00
June 11. 1 share Boston Liby.	4.00
June 14. Gloucester & back	5.47
Assessment Boston Liby. To May 15	3.00
Horse & carryall to Mt. Auburn	2.00
June 19. Unitarian Church organ	10.00
July 1. Transcript 6 mo. From date	2.00
Fire Crackers. Edw[ar]d	1.00
Frank. 4 July	1.00
July 12-July 16. Excursion to mountains [New Hampshire]: Gorham, Berlin Falls, Station House, Crawford House, Willey House, Lafayette House, Cobleigh's, Flume House, Flume, Plymouth, Weirs, Wolfeboro, Chamberlin, Alton, Dover, Haverhill, Newburyport. Whole amt. \$80.00]	
August 17. Pew rent to Aug. 1 st . E.A.H.	9.38
August 31. Expense to Gloucester & back	6.00
September 13. Toll gate one yr. Sept. 1	5.00
September 25. Horticultural Exhibition	.50
October 4. Town tax. Dorchester	6.50
October 1. Capen. 3 mo. Board to date	250.00
October 18. Signor Blitz at Dorchester	2.50
October 29. Webster Funeral. Carriage &c.	4.50
November 1. 1/4 pew rent to date	6.25
November 4. Fare to Malden	.60
November 5. Black horse. Black Hawk	350.00
Mr. Ben. Sumner service &c.	
Shoeing & horsekeeping	20.00
November 10. Hyacinths	.37
Portrait by Mignard. 1.25, Frame 1.25	2.50
Painting 2 heads	.50
November 23. Five tickets to Sontag concert	5.00
November 27. Engraving. Arch of Triumph	.25
(To James 1/53)	
Engraving. Pharaoh's Horses	1.00
Painting. Seaview	6.00
Traveller & milkmaid.	
Companions. Hogarth. \$2.	4.00

December 8. Contribution. Huntington Sy.	3.00
December 10. Sharing Horse. Casey	10.00
December 14. 4 Frames Dresden Views .92	3.68
2 Frames Dresden. Pencil. .92	1.84
Webster Col. Engraving. Mrs. Bixby	2.00
December 31. 3 months board to date.	
Mr. Capen	250.00
Aunt Jane & Aunt Mary	2.00

1853

Pin money for wife Abigail increased to \$15.00 per month

January 23. Abby Jany.	15.00
February 18. Pew rent 1/4 in full Feby 1 st .	6.25
Alboni	1.00
February 22. Telegraph to Nov. 1 '53	2.00
February 24. Forrest. Othello. N.Y.	.50
March 8. Sailors' Home cake	2.00
April 7. Theatre N.Y. Charles 12 th	.50
April 9. Horse board to April 1.	
43 days @ .42	18.06
Fanny making 8 shirts	4.00
Homo. Medicine	.17
Lizzie for making 6 linen shirts	10.00
April 16. Gloucester	5.00
April 30. Mrs. Cummings. Charity	1.00
May 13. Henry Wilson colored	
to redeem wife & children	1.00
6 Pine Apples, large	1.50
May 26. Aunt Jane making horse covering	2.00
June 4. Assessment to Liby. \$3.00,	
certificate \$1.00, fine .10	4.10
June 30. 6 mos. Board Capens	500.00
June 18. Music at Dorchester	3.00

June 25. Excursion to Cohasset & Hull	2.60	
June 27. Celebration at Gloucester	10.00	
July. (Paid Dec. 7) Doct. Codman. Self	60.00	
Doct. Codman. Wife		14.00
July 4 th . Expense to Gloucester	5.00	
Bracken \$1.00, Magnolia .33	1.33	
Expense on fishing grounds	1.50	
July 9. Transcript to July 1, '53. 6 mo.	2.00	
Shoeing horse at Gloucester	.50	
Hutchinson's at Gloucester	.50	
July 13. Expense to Isles Shoals	4.00	
Fares from Glou. & back	8.50	
Powder, shot, tomatoes &c., caps	1.50	
Tolls to Gloucester for 2 carriages	1.00	
Mr. Gardner fishing 1.25, boys .75	2.00	
Hostlers at Gloucester & Manchester	1.50	
Oranges, lemons, pine apple &c.	3.00	
½ of 11 bushels oats & truck &c.	3.12	
August 2. Mrs. Jaquith 3 wks.	37.50	
Washing, Mrs. Nickerson	.62	
2 flasks brandy & breakfast Salem	1.50	
Lobsters .25, horseshoes .50	.75	
Winchester & Swan luggage	2.00	
Washing to Aug. 1, '53	3.45	
taking Buggy to Bayley's	.38	
August 13. Dinner one week	3.00	
Tooth brushes .50, shell comb \$1.	1.50	
Candy & ice creams	.37	
Omnibus tickets	1.00	
August 14. Bottle Otard brandy	1.25	
Home Education Society for Indigent Children	1.00	
August 27. Norfolk Agricultural Soc.	2.00	
September 8. Crystal Palace	.62	
September 24. Edward Military Company	1.00	
October 15. Charles. Dr. Wesselhoeft	2.00	
October 20. [Springfield]		
October 29. Charley Tickets to Liby.	2.00	

November 7. Doct. Capen dead		
Aunt Jane & Mary		4.00
November 12. Village Festival		4.25
Banck. Sunrise 3.25, Sunset 2.25		5.50
Backhuysen. Sea view	2.25	
Power of Fashion	2.50	4.75
Cattle piece		3.00
3 gilt frames		7.25
November 21. Expenses to Gloucester		
Bouquet	1.00	7.65
Funeral expenses. Amy		25.00
Ladies Charitable Society. Turkeys		20.00
Turkey. Mrs. Ingersoll		1.25
November 23. Taxes. Dorchester		7.14
Robinson. Turkey		1.00
November 26. Dinner 1.50, expense .50		2.00
Carriage to Bartletts Thanksgiving		1.00
Colored engraving O.H.		6.00
Gilt frame. Roger		5.00
December 6. Shearing the Duke Maha		10.00
December 31. Sable boa 26.00,		
& cuffs 12.00		38.00
Memoir Mrs. Henry Irdie (?)		1.00
Maternal affection (Haughton)		10.50
Lord's Prayer (Haughton)		7.00
Power of Fashion. (Ponti?)		6.00
Power of Fashion (Richards)		6.00
Maternal Affection (self)		00.00
(\$10.00 crossed out)		
½ doz. Silver picks. Mrs. Bartlett		6.50
2 silver forks Nelson & Mary (Mrs. Sawyer)	0.00	
½ doz. Pocket combs, boys	7.50	3.75
1 larger comb		1.00
2 pearl handle knives 1.00, Atwood & Abbott		2.00
1 white ivory handled knife. Robinson		.50
½ doz. Shell handled knives,	8.00	4.00
½ doz. Cologne,	2.50	1.25
Washington's Inaugural Address. Mrs. Bixby		6.50
Board 3 mos. At Capen \$1,000		250.00
Board horse at Garcelon		22.00
Tolls at 5.00 per an.		1.67

TOTAL:

\$1377.80

1854

On February 20, Mr. And Mrs. Sawyer moved into the Tremont House in Boston, at \$55.00 per week..

January 7. Weekly Transcript .. Lottie. One year	1.00	
January 8. Damon & Pythias. Forest.	1.00	
Abby 1/4 pin money to April 1 st . @ \$200 p. a.		50.00
January 21. Transcript from July 1853 to Jany. 1854	2.00	
January 27. Dr. Wesselhoeft		1.00
February 1. Telegraph to Nov. 1, 1854		2.00
Vaccination		1.25
February 8. Orphan Assylum		1.00
February 13. Pd. Capen board in full to this date, 43 days,		
\$1200 per annum		141.78
One additional week horse		4.00
Fuel to the present date		20.00
February 28. Bouquet. Beebe party		1.12
March 10. Garnet pin Abby		35.00
Abby to July 1 st , \$20, \$15, \$15		50.00
Bouquet		.37
Bouquet		.42
March 20. Mrs. Mowatt's Autobiography		.94
Miss Cumming's Lamplighter		.80
March 31. Board at Tremont House &c.		
From February 5 5/7, week \$55		330.12
Gacelon's bill horse forward		31.07
April 20. Bouquet .50 Mary Eliza		.50
May 1. Abby extra to July 1 st		25.00
May 15. Pd. Swan bill moving		6.00
Trunk to Tremont		1.00
Weekly Transcript. Sub. Love. April 1 st		1.00
May 5. Rent of rooms at Capen's to April 22 nd \$26.00		
Minus 8 curtain fixtures \$6.00		20.00
Doctor Wesselhoeft		3.00
May 8. Mrs. Sawyer		10.00

Athenaeum. Othello	1.50
Advertisement Transcript. James	1.00
Home Education Society	1.00
May 20. Excursion to Gloucester	4.50
May 25. Mrs. Mowatt. Armand	1.00
May 29. Fare to Gloucester & back	4.00
Gift to Hannah	2.00
Gift to Mrs. Jaquith	10.00
May 31. Miss Logan. Lady of Lyons.	1.50
June 3. 6 rolls paper Almira. .62 ½	3.75
June 6. 2 Dutch coast scenes & frames. Fremart(?) (One Haughton)	42.50
June 14. Horse & buggy to Haughtons	1.50
June 17. Dr. Dadd on horses	1.00
June 30. (February) Lyceum at Gloucester, contribution to Library	250.00
July 1. Air pistol Willie	.37
Fire works Nelly	.63
July 4. Independence. Ride &c.	2.00
Charles. Flags &c. For S.E.S. schooners. Signal Ensigns.	12.11
2 frames James Hovey portrait	10.00
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July 10. Cholera medicine	.62
July 15. Transcript from Jan. 1 st to July 1, 1854	2.00
Boston Library to May 1855 or June	3.00
Fines past year	.15
Lucy wedding present	3.00
Magnolia &c.	.50
Winchester. Moving to Gloucester	2.00
Doctor Beecher. Engraving	2.50
July 28. Omnibus tickets R.R.	1.00
August 5. Tomatoes	.33
Dinner at Young's(?)	1.50
August 14. Tomatoes	.25
Dinner at Young's to Saturday	1.50
Tomatoes	.50
August 18. Carriage around Cape	2.50
August 19. Dinners	1.50
August 24. Broadway Theatre &c.	1.50
Geo. Steel gift, low by fire	5.00
Miss Morrison	5.00

September 11. 6 tickets to opening of Boston Theatre & Porter	4.00
September 16. Tribute to Baggage Master	.50
Cressy. Duke and George	1.00
Newspapers & Tickets	1.50
September 18. Washing	12.75
Mrs. Jaquith cow	125.00
Water	.25
Butcher	.25
Tolls to Boston	.40
Hostler at Gloucester	.50
½ Gall. Pale Brandy @ \$4.00	2.00
Mails	.25
Sundries	.25
September 25. Paid Swan's Express	6.00
Mr. Sawyer	10.00
October 1. Mr. Sawyer ball. To date, including \$10 in May	30.00
Magazine .17, Sundries .33	.50
October 1. Mrs. Perkins board to date	178.86
October 24. Ticket to M..L.A. lecture	2.00
October 29. Contribution to Sab[bath] Sch.	2.00
Minstrels	.25
November 3. Boston The. Julia Dean. Eliz.	1.50
November 10. Theatre. Calef & co.	3.00
November 16. Bouquet Mrs. Perkins	.50
November 20. Forest. Metamora	1.00
November 21. Forest. Gladiator	1.00
Swan furniture from Dorchester	2.00
November 27. Louisa Pyne. Crown of Diamond &c.	1.50
Circus & Museum	1.50
December 1. Mrs. Perkins board to date	171.42
Mr. Haughton's dinner	12.00
8 friends @ .50	4.00
Boots	1.00
December 4. Maritana. Louisa Pyne	1.00
1 doz. Vicar of W[akefield] Pears. Evans	1.00
Opera Maritana &c.	2.00
December 9. Sending book to Gloucester	.37
December 13. Opera. Beggars	.50
Wooden leg for Glou. Boy	1.00

December 25. Theatre. Richd. III. Bixby	1.00
Puzzle 1.00, Soldiers .50	1.50
Total for year	\$1403.35
1855	
January 1. 1 gold anchor watch. P & B.	60.00
1 same. P & B.	40.00
1 cross key	2.50
1 chain & pin	15.00
1 chain	12.50
1 pin	3.50
January 16. Grisi & Mario. I Puritani & book	2.25
February 1. Mrs. Perkins board	196.63
Pd. Note Revd. Huntington	250.00
February 1. Mrs. Sawyer due last year	25.00
February 25. Lent Charley	15.00
(Pencil, crossed out)	
March 15. Assessmt. To Board of Trade	5.00
March 28. Com. Perry monument	2.00
April 12. Ladies Home Ed. Society	1.00
April 21. Dr. Homans vaccination Nib & self	2.00
May 23. Trip to Hingham	1.40
Cor. Dr. Merrifield	.50
June 8. Revd. John Sawyer	10.00
Assessmt. Boston Liby. To May 5 th	3.00
July 3. Ravels. Mr. Bardwell & Annie	2.00
July 7. Fares to Hingham	14.00
Fares to Gloucester	15.00
1 week at Gloucester	25.00
August 1. Pd. Tax on Pew to date	8.05
Post for Grandpah to Sept. 1, '55	8.00
October 2. Esther gift	10.00
5 copies of the Life of Amos Lawrence	6.00

October 8. Rice. Poor woman	1.00
Young man to get an arm	1.00
October 22. Jas. Marshall, Jr. Tornado	5.00
October 25. Md. Rachel. Andromaque. Play	4.00
November 8. Pew tax, S.C. church, 1/4 to Nov. 1, '55.	8.05
November 9. Fraternity of churches	5.00
November 16. Forest. Macbeth. Frank, Mather, Self	1.50
November 28, Theatre. Rolla. Shanta (?)	1.00
December 17. Boston Prov. Assn. contribution	50.00
December 29. 2 doz. Pears Evans @1.00	2.00
Rubber toys	1.00
Velvet embroidered cloak. Nib	50.00
Transcript from July 1 st to Jan. 1, '56	2.50
Jane & Mary Capen	5.00
TOTAL	\$3112.48

1856

January 4. Tempest. Theatre	1.00
Weekly Transcript to Lottie [] to Jan 1, '57	1.50
January 5. Home Education Sy.	1.00
January 15. Abby quarter to April 1	50.00
January 27. Patrick good care horse	1.00
February 1. Mrs. P. board to date	187.63
La Favorita. Wife	3.00
Lucrezia Borgia. 3 nights	6.00
1 ticket extra. Prophet	2.00
Age of Fables	1.00
February 9. Gloucester	5.25
Pew tax to Feb. 1	8.05
February 20. Board of Trade assessmt.	5.00
Lagrange Troup	6.25
Barber of Seville & Erneni & books	4.50
Mr. Pickering of Glou. Eyes injured. Dale & Davison	2.00
February 29. 1 box figs Grandpah, bottle brandy	1.12
March 13. Old Folks concert &c.	1.00
Contribution Sab[bath] School	1.00
Mr. Green bl[ac]k man to release his family	1.00
Pianno (sic) from Dorchester, Crozier & Kidder	2.50

April 1. Mother gift	50.00
April 10. Bouquet Lydia Ann funeral	1.00
Lydia Ann's funeral	25.00
Mrs. Sawyer's gift, bracelet	45.00
April 16. Expense to Gloucester, Grandpah	3.00
April 18. Oranges, Figs, Grapes, Grandpah	3.00
May 1. Expense to Gloucester. Grandpah's funeral, Tuesday 4 p.m.	6.50
Revd. Mr. Mellen	10.00
Lyceum Library	250.00
May 21. Chestnut horse	200.00
Doct. Mattison	2.00
Pew tax to May 1	7.18
May 29. Contributed to a fund to the Forefathers, Plymo[uth]	5.00
June 30. Exchange in horse. Bay mare	25.00
Paid for retiring chestnut	10.00
July 3. 1 Trunk 2.25, crackers 1.75	4.00
Tolls to Gloucester	.50
10 bunches crackers	.70
3 boxes strawberries	1.50
Supper at Salem &c.	1.00
July 5. Season ticket to Aug. 31	22.00
July 10. Transcript Jan. 1 to July 1, '56	2.50
Postage of Post to Sept. 1, '56	2.76
August 19. Sumner to see horse	2.00
August 20. Carriage to Cove. Porter	1.00
August 29. Eliza Logan	1.00
August 30. Paid 1 Qr.(?) Post to Sept. 1 for Grandpah	8.00
August 1. Pew taxes No. 105 to date	7.18
September 27. Bouquet for funeral of Willie	1.50
October 1. Gloucester to Fair &c.	7.00
October 3. Esther	3.00
James putting pictures	1.00
October 13. Expense to Gloucester	6.60
Museum \$2, Sundries \$1	3.00

Mrs. Jaquith to Sept. 1	118.00
Bartlett. Pat. Board, oats &c.	25.00
Patrick services	10.00
Elizabeth gift	2.00
Winchester express	3.25
Abby to October 1, 3 mos.	50.00
Abby to Jan. 1, '57	
	50.00
[October?] Present to Julia:	
1 doz. Tea forks	25.00
1 doz. Dining forks	39.00
1 doz. Tea spoons	19.00
½ doz. Table spoons @\$42	21.00
2 salt spoons @ 1.00	2.00
1 mustard spoon	1.75
 TOTAL	 \$107.75
 November 1. Doct. Codman. Tooth	 6.00
Assessmt. To Liby. May	3.00
Regilding 2 frames	5.50
One new Tremont House	5.50
Raphael & frame	2.00
Repairing frame & children	3.80
Varnishing & repairing	1.55
November 3. Carriage to Mt. Auburn. Nib & sister, Mr. & Mrs. B.	6.00
November 5. Norma. Lagrange. 6 seats balcony @ \$1.50	9.00
Taxes on pew to Nov. 1	7.18
November 8. Lane. Homestead	100.00
Frame at Balch	21.00
Museum &c. &c.	2.00
Taxes \$240, \$108 abated [Gloucester?]	132.00
Masaniello & book	1.75
Forest. Jack Cade. Mrs. Meeks	1.00
Campbell minstrels	1.00
Fraternity of churches	10.00
J.H. Congdon contingent	10.00
 December 5. Forest. Wm. Tell	 1.00
Vandenhoff readings	1.50
December 15. Kirk Lectures	1.25
Theatre. Self	1.00

Vandenhoff .25, Sundries 1.75	2.00
Books chil[dren] Christmas	1.62
2 Ladies Almanacks @ .25	.50
1 Napoleon's Court	9.00
2 Stereoscopes @ 4.00	8.00
Microscope insects	1.50
Gravitation (?) Brass top	1.25
TOTAL	\$1734.29

1857

January 1. 2 silver napkin rings @ \$4.00	8.00
1 silver napkin ring \$3.00, spoon \$3.00. Fan.	6.00
Engraving Village Festival. Wilkie	4.00
Frame. Childs	7.00
Transcript to January 1, '57	2.50
January 7. Weekly Transcript. One year. Lottie	1.50
Binding 2 vols. Ballou &c. &c.	2.72
Abby pin money Jany.	20.00
Ladies Benevolent Socy.	20.00
January 14. Esther gift	5.00
January 16. Home Education Sy.	1.00
Cemetery Lot No. 265 & other strip	100.00
Labour getting out rocks &c. &c.	100.37
Grading, turfing &c. &c., ½ B. H. Corliss	77.20
Monument	3.24
Repairing Portfolio, M.E.B.	1.50
January 27. Telegraph 2 years to Nov. '57	4.00
February 2. French grammar. Pasqual's	1.25
Mrs. Sawyer February	20.00
Insurance of furniture, paintings, piano &c.	
Merchants Ins. Office to Jan. '58	3.00
February 13. 7 tickets to Everett's lecture	7.00
February 19. Carriage for Almira, twice	2.00
February 23. Expense to Beverly. Jos. Ober	2.10
March 4. Museum Dred. Doct. Bennet	1.50
March 11. Past members or officers of the M.L.A. celebration—wine	6.00
Carriages home from Revere	1.00
March 13. Expense to Beverly	2.00

March 16. Mrs. Fanny Kimball M.L.A.	2.00
March 21. Life membership M.L.A.	50.00
Gift to slave for his freedom	1.00
Making frame M.L.A. [certificate]	.80
March 25. Dr. Wesselhoeft	3.00
April 2. Trip to Gloucester	6.00
April 3. Buchanan & Breckenridge	.25
April 11. Extra expense to N.Y.	2.00
April 12. Nelson's birthday presents	.87
April 15. Camel's hair shawl. Birthday present Nib. See July	
May 1. Carriage to Mr. Bixby's funeral	
Do. For Mrs. Sawyer	
Do. To Eastern R.R.	.50
May 8. Board of Trade assessmt.	5.00
Mrs. S. French teacher	24.00
Taxes on Pew No. 105 12 mo.	8.05
May 9. Camille. Miss Heron	.50
Contribution wooden leg	.50
May 11. E.E. Hale Warren St. Chapel	5.00
Contribution slave	.00
May 20. 1 sextant or octant \$32.00, Bowditch Navigator \$3.00 for Charley	35.00
June 1. Home Education Sy.	1.00
June 4. Interior. Peter Neefs	17.00
Landscape. Mireveldt	3.50
Amsterdam. A. Storck	2.00
Flower piece. Unknown	1.50
Female head. L. Baker	3.00
Flowers, bird's nest. Schlesinger	7.50
Flemish peasants. Unknown	6.50
Flight into Egypt. Zucharilla	17.50
Boy Frye to look after them	.25
Nails & hooks	.15
June 6. Nelly book for Mary	.25
1 couch. Green & gold	16.00
June 18. Int. on \$400 Charles 9 days	.60
June 10. Mrs. Sawyer French	6.00
July 1. Freight waggon to Beverly	1.40

3 boxes strawberries	1.20
July 3. 2 boxes strawberries	1.00
Fireworks 1.30, sundries .70	2.00
Mrs. Cummings charity	1.00
July 14. Transcript Jan. 1 to July 15, '57	2.50
July 21. Camel's hair shawl, C.F. Hovey & Co. (See April 15)	150.00
Canadian missionary	1.00
August 4. Int. on \$12m 62 ds 7% G.B. & Co.	147.00
August 13. Mrs. Bixby extraint on amt. Of Life Insurance \$1,933.40	10.00
Pew rent August 1	8.05
September 10. Mrs. Joseph Ober, 13 weeks	210.00
September 11. Clock for Mrs. Ober	5.00
Expense at Beverly, Hay & grain, Frank &c.	80.30
September 12. Expense to Gloucester	7.50
Charity Libby boy	1.00
September 19. Expense to Beverly	2.60
October 2. Contribution to Mr. Hale	1.00
Contribution to release slave	1.00
November 1. Pew taxes. So. Con. Society	8.05
November 2. Mother. Bl[ac]k & crim[son] de laine	4.62
November 14. Mother	10.00
November 25. 1 pr. Chicken Miss Sanger	
1 turkey Mrs. Farnsworth, apples also	2.71
December 1. Expenses to Gloucester	3.70
December 3. Do.	5.00
Thursday. Mother's funeral	79.87
December 25. Presents children	4.00
December 31. Doct. Wesselhoeft, Sept. 30, Oct. 2	3.00
TOTAL	\$4,149.29
Franklin Co., Lewiston 6 installments	872.86
TOTAL	\$5,022.15

1858

January 7. Transcript to Jan. 1, '58	2.50
Weekly do. To Lottie year	1.50
January 13. Tickets to Beecher	1.00
Complimentary concert. Kimball	1.00
January 22. Pd. For Deed of Pew # 70	1.25
New York Herald &c.	1.00
January 27. Insurance Furniture February 1 st at Merchant's Ins. Office	3.00
News. Herald &c.	1.00
February 3. Telegraph to Nov. 1, '58	2.00
Pew tax South Cong. To Feb. 1, '58	8.05
February 5. Cleveland contribution	2.00
Board Mrs. Perkins	201.79
H. dinner	12.00
February 8. Assessment. Board of Trade	5.00
February 10. 1 pr(?) Atlantic X Cotton for Scenery painting at	
Fair for Public Library	2.41
New York Herald	1.00
February 19. Ravell's Theatre	.50
February 22. Lyceum Library. Ladies	50.00
February 23. Extra for bracelet	20.00
Bouquet flowers	1.75
Party contribution	25.00
Bouquet Mrs. B.	.50
March 8. Mrs. Farren coom(?) Peril	1.00
March 10. Mrs. [] Board February	193.00
Provident Fair	12.00
March 13. Collection of shells	12.50
March 29. Expense to Gloucester	5.50
April. Board to July 1, '58	188.00
Mr. H.	9.00
April 1. New South pew tax @ \$12.87 ½ [year]	6.44
April 6. Assessment to Liby., May '57	3.00
Board of March	203.76
Mr. H. dinner	12.00
April 8. Ministry at Large	5.00
April 14. Paid fare Saml. Campbell to G.	1.00
April 24. Expense to Gloucester	4.50

May 4. Bouquet to Miss Parsons. Tending(?)	1.25
May 8. Exp. To Gloucester & back	4.25
May 11. Tax So. Cong. Society to May 1.	8.05
May 12. Board & fires 14 times	202.84
Mr. H. dinner	12.00
May 14. Expense to Gloucester	2.00
May 22. 1 moss rose Mrs. Murray	1.40
May 25. Expense to Gloucester	4.00
June 1. Season ticket to Eastern R.R.	33.00
June 5. Gloucester. Nib	2.00
June 12. Board in May	202.76
Dinner Mr. H	12.00
June 19. Mrs. Sawyer Gloucester	2.00
June 26. Exp. To Gloucester & tolls	1.50
June 30. New South pew tax @ \$12.87 ½ [year]	6.43
Transcript 6 mos. To date	2.50
July 3. 3 boxes strawberries 2/3	1.12
September 10. Pew tax So. Cong. Society. August	8.05
October 18. Jaquith Board 16 w. \$12	
Sam(?) 7 ½ w. @ \$3	
½ ton hay @ \$15	225.00
Mrs. Sawyer's fare	1.00
Making 6 shirts	9.00
Mrs. S. April & May	40.00
October 27. Pd. Davis undertaker removing Father's remains (37 years)	8.00
October 29. 3 Testaments L.A.S.	3.00
November 2, frt (?)	.53
November 8. Mrs. Sawyer Gloucester	2.00
November 21. Contribution Thanksgiving	2.00
2 chant books @ .20	.40
Recording deed pasture	.62
November 26. Ex. To R.A. Lamb's funeral	.20
December 4. Assessmt. To Library. May '58	3.00
December 18. Young Doct. Wesselhoeft	1.00

December 20. Doct. Homans first time Medicine pills & cough syrup	.62
December 26. Doct. Homans second time Medicine pills &c.	.75
December 31. Assessmt. O. G. Cemetery '58	2.00
Cutting grass around lot No. 265	7.00
Printing press Nelson	2.00
Village farm. Mary	1.75
Pew tax to Jan. 1 '59	6.43
Transcript 6 mos. To date	2.50

Total private expenses \$3639.04

Receipts (from back of expense book)

Cash received, January 30-December 24 \$9906.68

Drawn for private expenses, part in making up cap (sic) for Chas., & balance for repairs of the old Homestead, together with the use of dividends on stock.

1858. Chas. Sawyer, Jr., Debtor	
May 10. Paid for Brig Souther	3000.00
June 2. Lumber &c.	1000.00
June 10. Draft Lumber	200.00
June 30. Note of his	1236.60
June 30. Balance	563.40
Total	\$6000.00

Chas. Paid for chain \$122 to me & I paid HS & Co. the same

Received: Dividends, note Charles Sawyer, Jr. and interest	\$22807.06
Haughton, Sawyer & Co.	
Franklin Ins.	
Fitchburg R.R.	
American Ins.	
National Ins.	
Manufacturers Ins.	

Paid	
October 7. 60 shares Salisbury Mills	6900.00

Bank Cape Ann

1859

Memo: Recd. Of M. Bartlett ½ Pew tax, Oct. 1 '58	6.44	
Jan. 1 '59		
Paid pew tax on Lowell pew including Jan. 1 '59 and gave it up to the Society		
Jan. 5 '60 Pew tax settled including January		
Feb. 19 '59 Left with J.E. Clausson, firm of Adol Spalding & Co. No. 82 Emperado, cor. Cuba St. 50 doubloons (Crossed out)		
January 1. Carriage to store. Sick	1.00	
January 2. Doct. Homans third time Medicine	.42	
January 4. 4 silver forks Mrs. Jaquith half	6.34	
January 5. Doct. Homans fourth time Pills .25, Winchester .25	.50	
January 10. Lottie Weekly Transcript, to January 7 th 1860 Almanac '59	1.50 .25	
January 11. Autocrat of the Breakfast Table. Holmes Europe, Its Scenes & Society The Angel Visitors	1.00 1.00 .75	
January 14. Doct. Homans 14 th , 15 th , 16 th		
January 17. Carriage from store	.35	
January 26. Cape Ann Light to Nov. '59 1 gall. Pale sherry. Williams	2.00 3.50	
January 27. Ins. On Furniture to Feb. '60 Chart of Life, Doct. J. Henry, Rossville, Md. Repairing & filling teeth. Dr. Cod (?) Contribution rep. Church W.P. (?)	3.00 1.00 20.00 2.00	
January 28. Carriage to store & back		.70
January 31. Doct. Homans Ballou on Cuba Turnbull on Cuba Spanish grammar Pew tax to Cong. Society to Feb. 1	.50 1.25 .75 8.05	

February 3. Doct. Homans	
February 8. Mrs. Perkins board	219.52
Mrs. Perkins extra present	50.00
June 9. Paid Nellie int. on note	.30
June 10. Expense to Cuba & the South	1454.25
June 12. Expense to Gloucester &c.	10.00
June 16. Plated pitcher & salver. Mrs. H.	25.00
June 21. Carriages to Haughton's	5.00
Chas. Extra services dinner	1.00
Fare to Newton Corner. Lord's	.80
Carriages to store &c.	1.05
June 24. Aunt Jane Carriage	.35
Board of Trade assessmt. For yr. '59	5.00
June 26. Omnibus to So. Boston	.20
June 28. Tompson & Co., to Doct. Dewey	.38
Contribution Ital. Woman	.50
Bay mare 4 yrs. Old	
Black Hawk & Morgan	200.00
Mrs. C.L. Wheelwright	
Fair, Ball's Statue Washington	5.00
Mrs. Cummings Moral Reform	5.00
June 30. Nellie Box fire crackers	2.35
Spoon & fork for Mrs. Woods	
Child, Harriet Appleton	4.75
July 1. Expense to Gloucester	3.15
Season ticket to Gloucester	33.00
(July & August)	
Annual assessment Oak Grove Cem.	2.00
Iron number to lot	.62
Mrs. Perkins board to date	153.00
July 5. Transcript to July 1 '59	2.50
Paid note Little Pasture (see memo)	?303.60
New South Pew tax to July 1, '59	153.00
Paid Mrs. Bixby int.to July 1 '59	
July 20. Theo. Parker Letter Santa Cruz	.50
July 26. Straw hat for Sam	1.00
July 30. Mt. Auburn	5.00
August 1. Forest Hills	1.20
August 6. Cressy, doctoring mare	2.00

Mt. Auburn tickets	1.00
August 15. Coles. Philosophy on Health	1.00
August 26. Excursion Nahant & camp	4.00
August 30. Quarterly ticket E.R.R.	33.00
½ lb. Gum Arabic Turkey @ .75	.37
September 4. Washing to Sept. 1	6.25
Fair for school house	2.00
Herbert Ingersoll fare	1.00
Campbell fare &c. Pictures	1.91
September 8. Pd. Pew tax No. 105 to May 1 & August 1 '59	17.24
October 1. New So. Pew tax to Oct. 1	6.44
October 5. Atlantic & newspapers	.35
October 6. 8 doz. Muir & Co. ale @ 1.25	10.00
October 10. Paid W. Bayley & Co. for monument, head & feet stones	
Setting &c.	400.00
Lunch \$1, cogs \$1	2.00
Pd. L.D. Prate Labour &c.	9.00
For plinth & four sockets	75.00
Teaming	2.50
Setting Griffin	2.80
freight men & derrick	9.59
Griffin labour on foundation &c. &c.	4.90
Mr. Pratt ex. To Mt. Auburn	2.00
October 13. Paid Mrs. Jaquith 7 w.(?)	200.00
October 18. Share in Boston Athenaeum	65.50
October 20. Guesses at Truth by Two Brothers. London	
E. for Mr. Maway	2.75
October 26. Land opp. House Gloucester (see memo)	
Rectory of Moreland	1.00
Poor man's plaster	.25
D.S. Webber, gift	5.00
Poor man's plaster	.25
Gum arabic .20, sundries .30	.50
Atlantic Monthly, November	.20
October 29. Taxes	103.79
Poll taxes	1.50
Webster's Dictionary	7.50
from Choate's Library	3.75
Miscellaneous books	9.31

Phillips & Sampson miscell. Books &c. (Three bills)	193.06
November 12. Winter scene	4.50
Scotch boy	1.50
Landscape. Griggs	3.00
Rising by Frost	3.00
Chip off the Old Block	1.62
Infant Saviour	2.00
and St. John	2.00
Dilemma. Rondel	6.50
Departure	4.75
2 game pieces, \$1.50 & \$2.00	3.50
November 12. 1 bottle cod liver oil	.50
Ingersoll mortgage	.50
November 15. Letter to Halifax	.10
Contributions in Raffle, Washington Fair	20.00
November 17. Expense to Gloucester	2.50
November 21. 1 pair English spectacles	2.75
December 14. Fanny Kemble. Measure for Measure	1.00
December 20. 1 doll .75, Red figure box .87	1.62
2 vases .60, 1 pearl knife .75	1.35
2 bronze figures dancing @ 1.75	3.50
December 21. Macbeth. Boston Theatre	1.50
Paper dolls Mary	.25
December 31. Nelson for goods New Years gift	2.50
1 ring silver, Willie Murray	3.00
1 spoon silver, Jamie Murray	3.00
7 vols. Plutarch. Haughton	7.00
1 vol. Tuckerman. James	1.00
1 vol. Belarion (?) Annie	.83
2 vols. Whipple. Murray	1.00
1 vol. Beecher. Mrs. H.	.67
1 vol. Saml. Rogers. Julia	.50
(All entered in bill book)	
Pew tax church Green @ \$12.87 to Jan. 1 '60	6.43
Stanfield sketches \$7.20, 2 prints .87	8.07
Doct. Homans bill	23.00
Transcript from July to June '60	2.50
Pew tax No. 105 to Nov. 1 '59	8.62
Pd. Mrs. Bixby int. \$3m to date	90.00

Total	2754.62
Expenses on Estate at Gloucester & & Little Pasture & Ledge	1501.66
Total	4256.28
Cash received from HS & Co.	4258.28
(Includes expenses:	
October 25. Ingersoll land	150.00
October 29. Monument	485.00
Pictures, etc.	150.00
Charles Sawyer, Jr. 1859	
June. Paid ½ profits first voyage	1432.57
August. Paid half (error in making up)	274.13
August 15. Due me	7706.70
1860 (All entries crossed out. "See new tan colored Book")	
January 7. Lottie Transcript to 1861	1.50
January 13. Ticket to Heart of the Andes. Church	1.00
2 green memos [books] Mrs. S.	1.75
2 brown do. Self	2.25
1 black tin trunk	3.00
Mrs. Nowell's book	1.25
Aquarial Garden	1.60
Fon du Lac Church	2.00
January 27. Doct. Russell	1.00
January 29. Children's Mission. Willis	5.00
February 4. Ernani. Opera. Matinee	1.00
Church. Niagara	.25
February 9. Doct. Russell	1.00

1861 Diary (Complete)

(Flyleaf) Saml. E. Sawyer from Nelson. Jan. 1 1861.

JANUARY

January 1. Collect Fitchburg R.R. div.

See Franklin Co. div.

Attend Merchants Ins. Meeting 10 am.

See Hill Mill Div.

[] American Ins. Co.

Boston & Worcester RR

Sam Campbell returned

gas escaped in Walnut St.

Cotton advanced 12c having been during the political trouble, as low as 9 1/3 to 9 3/4

Every prospect of a further entrance during the spring.

Pew tax settled with Mr. B. for the year 1860 including Jany. 1861.

January 2. Legislature assembled. John A. Andrew Govr., Wm. Claflin Prest. Senate, J.A.

Goodwin Speaker House, Wm. Stowe Clerk, John Morissey Sergt. Arms.

Revd. Doct. Phelps Andover deld. Sermon Old South

Dinner at Parker for Cadets at which Govr. Banks was present & took his leave of them.

January 3. Gov. Banks first valedictory recommended repeal of the Personal Liberty act.

Violent snow storm. Kept house all day having a cold in head.

Reports from the South rather alarming, rebellion rampant, threatening of the USA Forts in Texas & Georgia.

Gov. Banks deld. His valedictory.

January 4. Snow storm continues.

Fast day appointed by the president in which some of the churches did not cooperate, one of them was Doct. Putnams Roxbury.

The Revd. Chas. Bucher of Georgetown disapproved.

The abolition churches objected on account of their dislike or (hatred) of President Buchanan—Certainly not a Christian spirit.

Heard Dr. Walker at Kings Chapel who deld. A very able discourse.

Doct. Deweys discourse was rather indifferent so says I.

January 5. John A. Andrew as this day sworn into office, Govr. He delivd. His Inaugural.

Fine weather & excellent sleighing.

Reports of the several sermons deliverd. Yesterday upon the union appeared in the daily papers, the most patriotic were from Revd. Doct. Walker; Revd. Mr. Todd, Winter St.; Revd. Doct. Adams, Essex St.; Revd. Doct. Annington, Emmanuel; Revd. Mr. Jacobs, Jewish Synagogue, & others.

Revd. Mr. Stone, Park St.; Revd. Dr. Manning, Old South & some others were unworthy Christian ministers.

January 6. Pleasant weather & good sleighing.

Heard Dr. Dewey, he preached from the text: Do this in remembrance of me; and explained the object of the sacrament as an emblem of Christ. He regarded as no more sacred than prayer & that people were too superstitious.

January 7. Subscribed for 5 copies of the Weekly Courier to be sent to Gloucester one for each, to wit:

Aaron Jaquith

Danl. S. Webber

Mrs. Joseph Moore

James Ingersoll

Amos Page

Inauguration of city government.

Mild weather, some rain. A great many avalanches rendering the pedestrian head in a constantly uncertain position out of doors, street or sidewalk.

Snow enough left for good sleighing.

Cotton advancing.

January 8. American Ins. Co. meeting 12 n.

Wrote letter to J.J. Crittenden.

January 9. National Ins. Co. meeting 10 am.

Manufacturers Ins. Co. 11 am.

Steamer Star of the West with reinforcements & supplies for Fort Sumter was fired into going into the Charleston Harbor when she at once withdrew & returned to N York. A flag of truce was sent with Lieutenant Talbot to the Governor & the matter was finally submitted to the president. Thompson one of the cabinet resigned.

January 10. Div. Salisbury Mills

THIS READS LIKE LETTER TO THE EDITOR. CHECK THE WEEKLY COURIER.

Exciting news from the South. Unless something is done by the Republicans to allay the furious sentiment of the secessionists there will be bloodshed.

Crittenden propositions are what one wanted to satisfy the South but the Republicans will not vote for them nor do they propose [] them else — to make the slightest concessions for the sake of peace or for the highest motives to save our beloved country from anarchy & destruction.

January 11. This goodly heritage bequeathed to us from former generations [sanctified?] are bathing in the noble blood of our fathers is to be sacrificed to their idols—the abstract [] Emancipation!

Individual opinion is pride, self conceit with obstinacy must domineer over the Constitution & the Union to be shattered. Can it be? Where is the patriotism of the present generation? Have we degenerated? Has our blood been diluted by business & the blessings we have enjoyed. Then we need adversity to bring us to our senses in order to appreciate our goodlie (sic) heritage.

January 12. The picture now before our vision is [draped?] in dark & gloomy clouds which [remains?] true of the portentous words of the immortal Webster. He said, “When my eyes shall be turned for the last time upon the sun in the heavens, may I not behold him shine upon the broken & dishonoured fragments of this once glorious union.” How prophetic are these words & how beautifully expressed. Would that he were here to utter in those thunderous tones of eloquence the deep patriotism of his breast. Traitors & disunionists would hide their heads in shame.

January 13. Yesterday Mr. Seward of New York delivered a [] speech in the Senate, the first movement that has been made by the Republicans towards concession. They must back down and now accept of the compromise offered by Mr. Crittenden – or take the dreadful responsibility of a dismemberment of the Union. My hopes and prayers are concentrated in one desire to subject these resolutions in Constitutional amendment to the popular vote for I have great confidence in the truth & patriotism of the people.
Coldest day & sleighing.

January 14. Annie Perkins engagement to John Chandler which creates much gossip about town on account of the disparity of age. He is about 56 years old and she is a beautiful girl of only 18 years.

January 15. Div. Franklin Co. Lewiston.

January 16. Very stormy rainy day did not go out of the house.

January 17. Attended Union meeting at Rooms of Board of Trade & passed compromise Resolutions to be sent to Congress after canvassing the city for signatures.

Wrote note to H.K. Horton.

South Carolina voted to organize the nucleus of a standing army.

January 18. Spent the evening pleasantly at the Rooms of Sidney Homer in company with Wm. Jewell & a Mr. Jones of Portsmouth. Played 8 games of whist.

January 19. Purchased for Mrs. Sawyers old acct. 158 shares of Bates Manuf. Co. 102 3/4.

January 20. Delightful winter day. Strange minister preachd. Theme home & society. Death of Revd. Chas. Lowell, D.D. He died in the morning while the bells were ringing for church, at Elmwood, Cambridge.

January 21. Weather cool & pleasant.

Attended Union meeting.

Called upon Mr. Bright [Franch?] at Waltham who have a charming old place, the house decorated with many old portraits & other paintings & drawings representing old members of the family, their dwellings, churches & & William Bright is engaged to a cousin, B.I. Wentworth. Senators from Georgia, Alabama, Florida formally withdrew from Congress. Georgia order of secession signed. Postal service in Florida discontinued.

January 22. Paid for stock for Mrs. S. 158 shs Bates.

Called at Haughtons in the Evening.

January 23. Weather still pleasant & good sleighing.

Called at Doct. Howes at South Boston. They were both absent.

The Committee with the Memorial to Congress signed by 14m persons left for Washington today viz. Edw. Everett, R.C. Winthrop, E.S. Tobey, Chas. L. Woodbury, & Amos A. Lawrence & one attendant.

January 24. Doct. Lowell was buried from the church today. His body was taken to Mt. Auburn. The services were conducted by the Revd. Doctors Walker, Frothingham, Stockbridge, & his

colleague Bartol. The address was delivd. By Mr. Bartol & very good.! The house was filled & almost all saw the body.

January 25. Snow storm. Commenced yesterday & cleared up this morning.
Annual meeting of the Antislavery Society of Massachusetts at Tremont Temple broken up yesterday Thursday 24th.

January 26. Had two teeth filled and Mrs. Sawyer had hers examined.
It is proposed today to have a Union meeting at Faneuil Hall on the 5th of February.
Revd. Theo. Parker two guns of the Revolution bequeathed to the State. Accepted in a speech by John Andrew.
Louisiana secedes.

January 27. Delightful winter day.
Fannys birthday, 5 years.
Doct. Dewey preached a very earnest & [patriotic?] sermon upon the signs of the times, alluding with much force & eloquence to the fearful aspect & condition of our Country, accusing the people of apathy, stirring them up to a sense of their danger.

January 28. Kansas admitted into the Union.

January 29. Charles came up on Tuesday to charter the Brig Souther.

January 30. Pacific Rail Road bill passed.

January 31. Called at Mrs. Theo. Parker's in the Evening.

FEBRUARY

February 1. Went out to Jamaica Plain & called upon Miss Agnes Thomas who is to be married in March.

Called at C.J. Sprague's in the Evening.

The sleighing has been very good for several days. Commenced snowing in the evening at 9 o'clock.

February 2. Rainy day.

Large stock sale & heavy. No prospect of settling the political difficulties.

Concert in the Evening at Music Hall [Stagelli?], Patti & Mills pianist. Patti sung beautifully.

February 3. [Blank]

February 4. Meeting called of the citizens of Massts. At the Exchange which passed a resolve requesting the Representatives & Senators of the Legislature to vote to send Commissioners to Washington to consult upon the condition of the [Union ?], adopt measures to save it. This convention assembles at the mediation of Virginia.

February 5. Meeting called at Faneuil Hall. J. Thomas Stephenson in the chair. He introduced the object of the meeting in an eloquent & patriotic speech which electrified the crowded Hall. Followed by B.R. Curtis. Adjourned at 7 o'clock PM. Speaking: Saltonstall, Gurdon, Welch, O'Brien, Shurtleff, Hillard, Preston.

February 6. Spent evening with Jos. Sawyer.

February 7. Doct. Codman fixed broken tooth.
Weather remarkably variable. Mild & thawing in the morning, rainy at noon, rainy at 1 o'clock, pleasant sunshine at 2 o'clock, & thick snow squall at 2 o'clock, cleared up at 4 o'clock with high wind & became very cold.

February 8. Coldest day for 80 years, since yesterday at 2 o'clock the thermometer fell from 43 above zero to 20 below zero. Much damage done by the gale. Houses unroofed (sic) &. Spent the evening with Mrs. Perkins and whist party of about 18 to 20 people—object to introduce her son-in-law (that is to be) to her household.

February 9. Still cold but pleasant weather. Sleighing good.
Stock sales of most description partake of the despondency now prevailing in the country. No hope of reconciliation seems to open upon us.

February 10. [Blank]

February 11. Saw the play representing the French Revolution at the Howard Ath. Called the Dead Heart—a thrilling play.

February 12. Saw Blondin walk the tight rope across the Tremont Temple almost as high as the ceiling & some other wonderful performances.
Sam Cowell took a part in the entertainment of the Evening by singing some comic songs, Corkleg Billy Barlow &.

February 13. Children at Tea. Mr. & Mrs. Tufts call in the Evening.

February 14. Took tea at Mrs. Bartlett's & met Mrs. Bixby and Fanny.
Bro. Charles was there.

February 15. Rainy all day.

Had bad cold coming on & did not go out.

Charles here trying to get business for the Brig Souther or to sell her.

February 16. Saw the French Bark Bogota taken as a slaver, 300 tons, 6 ½ years old, \$8m., very poor concern.

Also the Ship Minstrel 430 tons built by S. Hall, So. Boston, 14 yrs. Old, \$10m.

Concluded to sell the Brig Souther for \$26 or to go fit her up & load with lumber to Buenos Ayres.

Bot. 5 shares American Ins. \$156 ¾.

February 17. Had bad cold & did not go to church. Pleasant.

Col. Lincoln called in he Evening.

February 18. Chas. Came up abt. Brig.

February 19. Decided to repair Brig & send her to Buenos Ayres with lumber.

John Williams died, 81.

February 20. Stormy, snow & rain.

“Old Abe” in New York. Crowds gathered at the City Hall to see & welcome him. Many curious incidents are related of him on his way to New York.

February 21. No hope of compromise measures. Meeting [favours?] in the peace convention.

February 22. [Blank]

23. “

24. “

February 25. Put Brig Souther in Dock for general repairs, reported her to Capt. Pearce.

February 26. Went to East Boston to see the Brig. She appears to be perfectly sound. An offer was made by L. Pomeroy & Son for 30 bales F wool 20c 6 mos. 14c second NI, 18 balance third NI 0.15.

February 27. Took Brig out of dock.

Peace convention adjourned.

February 28. Commenced overhauling the running rigging & renewing. Delightful day.

MARCH

March 1. Paid assessment on the Langdon Manufg. Co. \$750 - 1,500 and got certificates.

Let chambers of the store to C.M. Lee [See?] & Brothers who manufacture shoes in Athol. The terms are \$10c per an. For 1 yr. & 9 mos. & not exceeding \$11c for 3 more.

2. [Blank]

March 3. Remarkably warm and pleasant weather.

March 4. Very warm & pleasant.

5. [Blank]

March 6. Took tea & spent Evening with Mr. & Mrs. Tufts in company with Mr. & Mrs. Freeland.

March 7. Charles & Bartlett at the house. Loading Brig with Ice at Charlestown by Charter of Edwin J. [S.?] Adams to Pernambuco, get pay for sugar home only at 73 per Bag and foreign port charges paid.

Very, very cold weather.

March 8. Still loading Brig. Took note of Charles for amt. Due me on previous advances, he also transferring the Brig to my name. I having given him credit in a/c for the same at \$3000. He pays interest on this amt. & on note.

9. [Blank]

10. “

11. “

March 12. Brig Souther transfered to me for \$3m.

13. [Blank]

March 14. Stormy. Considerable snow fell.

Mr. Thatcher, Mamie, Lizzie & Eddie spent the evening.

March 15. Cleared vessel for Pernambuco. Charter 3c sugar home. Insured out and back.

Cancelled mortgage on house & paid balance due Charles \$200, took up obligation.

CSJr. Note old a/c \$51341 int. \$1283, \$526.24

March 1/61 5 mos. J-Aug 1/4

CSJr. Note new a/c \$1000 & int. 2250 = \$1022.50

March 1/61 5 months Aug. 1/4

CSJr . Note new a/c

Copper \$529.27 Due Aug

Advances \$358.12 15/18

Int. 5 mos. March 15th. 22.19

9 Bolts Duck 5 mos. 102.69

\$1012.27

March 16. Violent snow storm 6 in. Snows cleared away in the afternoon.

Charles went to Gloucester.

March 17. Pleasant weather. Cool. Considerable snow & very fair sleighing.

Went to church. Collection for Kansas famine.

March 18. Charles sailed at 2 oclck PM for Pernambuco. Wind north East before night—prospect not propitious. Paid every bill of repairs, expenses, outfits, duck, cordage, advance wages, half pay order & for him before he left. He left his wife about \$2c.

Very cold weather, good sleighing.

Presented Chas. With Revised statutes.

Sam, his son, went with him.

March 19. Souther anchored in Nantasket Roads, strong no. east wind & cold snowstorm. A very uncomfortable time for Charles. Other vessels met with disaster.

Rarey [Ravey?] John S. had an exhibition in the evening & although stormy a crowd of people assembled—the house was crowded and not even good standing room left.

March 20. The morning opened with a bright sunshine, but is probably too rough outside for Charles to go to sea, and cold withal.

Mrs. Dexter & Helen tea with us. Mr. & Mrs. Dale and Mr. & Mrs. Bartlett were here in the Evening. Helen is a very intelligent girl.

News of the Evacuation of Fort Sumter & blowing it up.

March 21. Indication of another change in the weather.

Violent & heavy snowstorm it must be a terrible day tonight in Massachusetts Bay. I only hope & trust that Charles is safe.

Went with Mrs. Bartlett & Nib to see [Ravey?]. He exhibited four horses & two poneys and experimented on the several horses. I could not see that he did anything remarkable or more than any competent person acquainted with horses could not do. In a word it was a gross imposition, humbug. Cost over \$5.00. A fool and his money etc.

March 22. The storm continued to rage with thick snow & sleet all night. A large body of snow has fallen. [I] almost fear for Charles's safety but hope he found a harbor in Provincetown. Feel very anxious to hear from him.

A.F. Boardman failed and assigned his p[roperty].

March 23. The snowstorm blocked up the Rail Roads., broke down the telegraph wires and did much damage. We do not yet hear from all along the sea coast but hear of some shipwrecks near by. We can only hope & trust that Bro. Charles found a safe port before the storm came on.

Today is pleasant & mild. The bright sunshine reflecting from the clean white snow is dazzling to the sight, and the trees upon the Common with their branches covered with the white flakes, presented in the sunlight this morning a fairy like effect. Some trees were broken.

March 24. Pleasant weather. Nothing heard from Charles.

By invitation of Sidney Homer, we went to see Moses in Egypt & was much pleased, especially with Sig. Subini & Stigelli & Miss Phillips.

Charles returned & anchored in the harbor at 10 o'clk AM having suffered by the entire force of the late storm in the Bay. Lost Boat & one sail, sprung a leak in consequence of the calking being badly done. By her [] and will be delayed a day or two for repairs etc.

I am thankful that he returned alive & well. Sam did well.

March 25. I saw Charles this morning. He appeared well & bright notwithstanding the terrors & suffering to which he has been exposed. The Brig was nearly submerged during the storm of forty eight hours & properly going to keep her free.

The men behaved well, did their duty uncomplainingly, some frost bitten.

Sam was sick a little but has a good deal of pluck, not going to back out—a hard beginning for a young sailor.

Ravey's free exhibition.

March 26. Went to opera. Linda di Chamonix. Miss Kellogg took part Linda.

Mild weather & the snow fast disappearing.

March 27. Mild & rainy. Snow going off rapidly.

Saw opera La Juive. It was got up in elegant style & was highly applauded.

Weather pleasant at night.

March 28. Went to opera La Somnambula. Miss Kellogg as Amina, Brignoli as Elviro, Lusina as Count Rudolph. Miss Kellogg did wonderfully & Lusini was admirable.

March 29. Went on board Souther. Delightful day. She will be ready for sea tomorrow

Nib & Mary Eliza & Nellie went to the opera The Jewess. Saw Enchantress.

March 30. Good weather. Strong breeze from the west, a first rate chance for the Souther to get out of the Bay. Fresh wind all night. Assisted Charles in buying a new boat 18 feet for the Souther, \$42.50, Cragin.

March 31. Pleasant weather. Souther went to sea early this AM. Wind westerly, light. Wind changed in the afternoon to the east. Poor chance to get out.

APRIL

April 1. Cold east wind, very fresh & raw.

Saw the pilot who said the Souther went out by the Cape Cod yesterday.

Went out to Thomas Moxley's West Roxbury to see his cattle and a pair of Blk. Horses.

Thick snow storm commences about 8 o'clock in the evening.

April 2. Snow storm continues with much violence this AM, wind easterly. [] very doubtful if the Souther has got beyond it.

Went alone to a whist party at Mr. Bardwell's. Present: MR. & Mrs. Harding, Burlington [], John Clark, Annie, Junie?, Jamie.

Storm unabated in the evening & snow much drifted.

April 3. Storm continues. Snow fell during the night.

Went to opera, Don Giovanni.

April 4. Delightful, mild day. Fast.

April 5. Pleasant weather, wind E.

April 6. Wind east. Saw Tirrell's Panorama of California—good.

Opera troupe left for N.Y.

April 7. Pleasant. Wind still East.

Doct. Davey preached. Discoursed on the death of Judge Shaw.

April 8. First visit to Gloucester.

April 9. Fine weather, wind E.

April 10. Fine weather, wind E.

April 11. Delightful day. Miss Betsy & Nellie birthday & gathering of Susan, Mr. & Mrs.

Haughton, Annie at Mr. Bartlett's in the evening.

Bought brown mare 6 yrs. Old. Farmington, Me., Wm. A. Whittier.

April 12. First shot fired against Fort Sumter by the Confederate states, and returned by Fort Sumter, bombarding kept up from 4 o'clock in the morning until night. The Confederate army continued the fire at intervals during the night—the most effectual shots were from a battery at [Cummings?] Point & Fort Johnson.

Prest. Lincoln to carry out the programme of his inaugural in a secret way prepared himself to send provisions to Fort Sumpter (sic), peacefully if possible, forcibly if necessary, baffling & [] he finally sent his force but he did not do it and Sumpter surrendered.

April 13. 2,000 shots were fired from the several forts and batteries; the shot & shell fell upon & within the fort, thick & fast for 2 days when Anderson showed his white flag. Genl. Beauregard

went to Sumter & took Anderson a prisoner of war & he now is now the General's guest. Several warships & supply steamers were laying off Charleston waiting [] to carry in supplies, but a storm prevailed & it was very rough. They did not attempt to do it. No loss of life on either side.

April 14. Delightful mild day. Wind westerly.

April 15. Went to Gloucester. Lottie came up with one wagon brought up to the depot.

April 16. Military assembled on the Common making up two regiments to answer the requisition of the President. Ten companies each of 64 men & officers together 780 men. Rainy.

April 17. Several volunteer companies assembled at the State House, took an oath of allegiance to the government and their equipments then departed for Fort Munroe & Washington. Poor creatures, they think it patriotism but those who have been guilty of bringing this state of things upon us are blood thirsty partizans.

April 18. Horse went to Ward's. Troops assembling & departing for the South. Sanguinary strife is rampant. The Republican party in high glee, thirsting for the blood of our brothers & fellow countrymen, not willing to yield to them just & equal sights [rights?] but determined to subdue them.

April 19. It cannot be done. Rivers of blood may flow to enrich the Southern soil, but the indomitable will of our Southern friends cannot be intimidated. Out troops attacked in Baltimore by by a mob with stones & in return they were fired upon. 3 killed & several wounded.

April 20. Major Brown of Baltimore sent telegraphic disp[atch] to Lincoln yesterday that it was not desirable to let any more troops pass. Governor Hicks was sent for & said he opposed to secession, but he could not consent to an attempt to subdue his Southern brethren by force of arms.

April 21. Pleasant weather.

Strange preacher, very enthusiastic & good. Public meeting called in State St. at 10 o'clk, very large crowd assembled & much enthusiasm. Speeches made by Fletcher Webster & others afterwards. The Irish commenced speech making.

April 22. Destruction of several Government ships in the harbor of Portsmouth & of the Gosport Navy yard property, amounting as variously estimated in the newspapers at from ten to fifty millions of doll[ars]. The Pennsylvania (sic) was one of the largest first class frigates 120 Tons.

April 23. LETTER TO THE EDITOR?

The most intense war excitement prevailing. Everybody on the qui vive to hear the last news from the seat of war. Nothing else thought of, business is at a standstill, except the din & hurry of war preparation, military equipments moving to & fro & thousands find em-

April 24. ployment in making shirts, uniforms etc. for the soldiers. Large contributions are made by private individuals in fitting out companies and in providing for the wants of the soldiers' families. A free & generous spirit is manifested everywhere.

April 25. For myself I feel anxious for the perpetuity of our whole country, entire as go(?) For the support of our national flag without obliterating one single star, not even defacing the brilliance of one of them. My desire being to grant to every state its constitutional rights to retain their

April 26. united (?) Loyalty, to continue as heretofore a free, prosperous & powerful people. Our flag has been respected upon every sea & in every harbour (sic), & an American citizen has always been secure in person, in whatever clime or wherever his feet might lead him. Bought horse, Gent.

April 27. The question naturally arises in my mind while witnessing this warlike bloodthirsty spirit of aggression upon the South. The bitterness of feeling now rampant, Is this going to accomplish the dear object of my heart's desire? Can we subdue our southern brethren?

April 28. Will they become loyal if we succeed in every battle? Doubts, gloomy doubts follow in my thoughts upon these reflections. The if blood & treasure are poured out like water how great is the sacrifice if no good comes[?] if we thus destroy this glorious heritage?
Repairing the church.
Mrs. S. sick.

April 29. We established three depots for the sale of military equipment: New York, Philad[elphi]a & Chicago.

April 30. Tuesday went to Gloucester & arranged for setting out the trees, shrubs & plants. The weather was pleasant and I should have been glad to remain. Bot. Flagstaff and got Capt. Webber to arrange & put it up. Called upon Mrs. Whittemore, Prest. F. C. Society.

MAY

May 1. Our soldier's Hat called Continental is becoming quite celebrated. We shall sell many of them, under the patronage of Genl. B. F. Edwards. Gave him \$50 for the patents.
Cool weather.

May 2. The war excitement continues full tilt, the din of preparations still continues. Prescott went to Phila.

May 3. Cold & uncomfortable.

May 4. Sent \$250 or in other words \$100 & placed at the disposal of the Female Charitable Assn., the whole of the first named sum when needed for the benefit of soldiers' families, widows, orphans etc.
Bought Meg (?)

May 5. Bright, pleasant day.

May 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 blank.

May 12. Drove mare to Gloucester. Started precisely at nine o'clock. Stopped at Beverly about 2 hrs., went over the Rubber factory and arrived at Brookbank at 4 o'clock. Pleasant drive, lunch on the way, slight shower.

May 13. The absorbing topic of conversation is war and general depression of business. Failures etc.

May 14. Blank.

May 15. Went out to J. B. Bright, Waltham.
Called at Mrs. Bixby evening.

May 16. Called upon Mrs. J. P. Bailey.

May 17. Called in the evening upon Mrs. Bardwell.

May 18. Sam Campbell came up intending to leave having done some things wrong at home. Arranged with Mr. Morrill for the Rockport Duck for tent, 28 ½ inch 10 oz, 5 to 6,000 yds. Per week.
Sidney Homer called.
Letter from Hillman B. Barnes at Columbus, Ohio.

May 19. Pleasant weather.
Went to church. Dr. Davey(?) Pleached (sic) upon the battle of life & duty as Christians in this day and hour of civil conflict.

May 20--May 31 blank.

JUNE

June 1, 2 blank.

June 3. Commenced the season. Opened house.

June 4–June 30 blank.

July 1–13 blank.

July 14. Rosa Bonheur presented us with a large and beautiful bull calf, handsomely marked, it came very unexpectedly. The cow gave five quarts on Saturday.

July 15–July 29 blank.

July 30. Sam Campbell went to the funeral of his mother at 10 o'clock.

July 31 blank.

AUGUST

August 1–August 4 blank.

August 5. Sam Campbell returned to his duties this AM after the greater part of the time of his absence in dissipation. My duty clearly was to discharge him.

August 6. Finished my labours upon the place, so far as to carry out my original plan & I am thankful indeed to feel that my confinement of three years has come to an end.

August 7–August 14 blank.

August 15. Page & Rust commenced & worked all day.

August 16. Page & Rust worked till 5 PM.

August 17. P & R didn't work.

August 18. Quite ill during the past night, sore throat & almost entirely filled up. Created some solicitude, but a flowing sweat & other remedies together with the favour of a kind providence has almost restored me to health. I am full of thankfulness.

August 19. P & R not at work. Mr. Hadley took away the young Bull.

August 20. Page & Rust & one man worked.

Left home at midnight in my yacht Inglemere for Provincetown with Nellie as my companion de voyage. Jas. Ingersoll and Charles Marshall, Jr. as boatsmen. Wind norwest fresh at first but after an hour or two it became moderate. Fine moonlight. Turned in at 2 o'clk, Marshall at helm.

August 21. P & R worked all day.

Arose at 5 o'clock, wind light, chiefly aloft, a most delightful morning. Took breakfast at 7 AM, arrived at Provincetown about 11 ½ o'clk AM.. Made Race Point about 8 o'clk, dined at 2 o'clk and went ashore, traversed the whol length of the single street. Called upon some old acquaintances.

August 22. P & R not here.

Arose at 6 ½ o'clk, wind strong from souwest indicating rain. At 12 o'clk got out small anchor. She lays very steady. Read & wrote most of the day. Took dinner at 2 o'clk, have good, most excellent appetite. Didn't go ashore, rough outside, several large vessels started & returned.

August 23. Page worked half day.

Arose at 5 o'clk, went ashore for supplies & took the opportunity to go up into the Observatory which is situated on a commanding hill, from the top of which we had a fine view of the sea coast around the Cape & the town. Met Jesse Small at 8 ½ o'clk, weighed anchors & started for Wellfleet. Arrived there about 1 o'clk.

August 24. Page, Rust & one man worked.

The water is so extremely shoal in Barnstable and Wellfleet Bay that was very difficult to navigate our small yacht over the flats which at high water which at high water were covered with only about 12 feet water. Wellfleet is a very pretty town situated upon undulating hills, the houses are white, the ground well cultivated.

August 25. Came across the Bay last night. Fair wind part of the way, then came a head wind and fresh. Arrived at the Cove at 5 o'clock..

Pleasant day.

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Sawyer were at the house spending a few days.

August 26. Page, Rust & one man all day.

August 27. Page, Rust & one man all day.

August 28. Page, Rust & one man all day.

Mrs. Dexter & daughter and Miss Jerusha Palmer spent the afternoon.

August 29. Page, Rust & one man all day.

August 30. Page, Rust & one man half a day.

Mr. & Mrs. Wood came down from Ipswich & spent the day.
Mrs. Gilbert & Addison also came over from town.

August 31. Cow driven to Pearce's Bull.
Page & company brot over derrick.
Miss Betsey Le Kain came down to spend a few days.
SEPTEMBER

September 1. Mrs. Bradbury, her son & daughter called over.
The Misses Hughes came over.
Went to ride with Miss Betsey to Kettle Cove.

September 2. Page, Rust & 2 men all day getting up derrick.

September 3. Page, Rust & two men all day. Commenced setting stone.

September 4. Page, Rust & one man all day.
Miss Betsey Le Kain returned to Boston.
Charles A. Hovey married by Doct. Davey to Miss Priest (?)

September 5. Page, Rust & 2 men all day.

September 6. Page, Rust & 2 men all day.

September 7. Page, Rust & two men ½ day.

September 8. Blank.

September 9. Page, Rust & three men all day with yoke of oxen. Driven deaf & dumb.
Mr. Proctor of West Parish.
Sam (?) & James cleared up the lower place above the landing.

September 10. Page, Rust & 2 men half day.
Wind north.
Report reached me at night through Mr. Bartlett that a rumour was afloat in Boston that we are supplying the secessionists or Confederate states with military outfits, that the partners had been arrested or run away & our property confiscated.

September 11. Rainy all day. No work.

September 12. Page, Rust, three men & yoke of oxen at work.

September 13. Page & Rust not at work.

September 24. Page, Rust & two men at work.

September 15. Blank.

September 16. Page, Rust & two men.

September 17. Page, Rust & two men.

September 18. Page, Rust & two men. Page only half day.

September 19. Page, Rust & two men. Page only half day.

September 20. Page, Rust & two men. Page only half day.

September 21. Page, Rust & one man.

September 22. Blank.

September 23. Page, Rust & two men.

September 24. Rust & two men. Page worked laying brick under the cow barn. Commenced. It will take nearly 3,500 bricks, 2 casks of lime & load sand to do the work, besides 2 casks cement.

September 25. Page worked under stable.
Rust & men not at work.

September 26. Page worked under cowbarn.
Fast day.
Rust & men not at worked (sic).
School ship came here yesterday & went out this morning.

September 27. Page worked under the cow barn 6 hours and finished making, 3 days 6 hours.
Rust & two men worked together with yoke oxen & driver—deaf.

September 28. Rust & two men 3/4 day & Page 1/2 day.

September 29. Blank.

September 30. 3 men all day.

OCTOBER

October 1. Page & Rust all day.

Thatcher's Island new lights first lighted. They are very brilliant. French lanterns.

October 2. 3 men all day & 1 man ½ day.

Dale & family went home.

October 3. Page, Rust & one man all day & yoke oxen & man ½ day.

Weather delightful.

October 4. P & R not at work.

Nearly finished fence in Dennen Place.

October 5. Rainy. Page & Rust not at work.

October 6. Foggy & [] in the morning. Cleared off in the afternoon.

October 7. Page, Rust & two men. Derrick broke down.

Warm as a July day, many roses in bloom in our garden & we plucked a bloom from the wild rose bush in the [] orchard.

Got over the Cap Stand.

October 8. Rainy, hauled timber.

October 9. Page, Rust & two men.

October 10. Page, Rust & two men.

Went to dinner party at Mrs. Gilbert's, hour 5 o'clock, present Capt. Lowe & wife and E. [ben] H. Stacy. Occasion was pleasant, dinner excellent.

October 11. Rainy, wind southerly. Put down coir(?) Platform.

October 12. Page, Rust & one man. One man half day.

October 13-18 blank.

October 19. Wentworth team ½ day.

October 20. Mr. Jones monument was consecrated by an address by Revd. Mr. Mellen who also del[ivere]d his farewell sermon in the morning, has gone chaplain in the 24th Regiment under Col. Stephenson.¹

October 21. W, team all day.

Went to Capt. Lowe's to tea & met John J. Babson & Mrs. Gilbert & Addison.

October 22. W, team all day.

October 23. W, team all day.

Brother Charles arrived from Liverpool in the Souther, 47 days passage, very boisterous, some 20 days gales. Loaded with coal. Had to put into Dunbarton on the coast of Ireland. Leaking \$50 damage.

October 24. W, team all day.

First frost which destroyed our tomatoes &c.

October 25. W, team ½ day.

October 26. W, team ½ day.

October 27. Blank.

October 28. 21 w girls.

October 29. 2 yoke & Wentworth hauling stones. Mr. Page one hour drilling AM, and Page & Rust one hour PM.

October 30. 1 yoke, Wentworth, manure.

October 31. 1 yoke, Wentworth, gravel &c.

NOVEMBER

November 1. Digging & picking stones & burning brush, Dennen place. James went to his brother's wife's funeral.

Benj. Page & Rust half hour drilling AM & ½ hour PM.

November 2. Blank.

November 3. Violent So. East storm. The Mary T. Porter barque was safely brought into the Cove & got off on Tuesday following. Lumber drifted ashore from coaster which cut away her masts.

November 4. 2 yoke ploughing.

November 5. 1 yoke ploughing.
Meg had three puppies.

November 6. 1 yoke ½ day ploughing valley.

November 7. Settled with Page, Rust & paid them \$201 wharf & [\$]24 for Webber's wall.

November 8. Mr. Page worked 2 hrs. on wharf, eastern side making the steps.

November 9-November 28. Blank.

November 29. Finished the lot in the Oak Grove Cemetery & feel well satisfied with it: it is certainly beautiful adding an ornament to the Cemetery. It has cost altogether \$800 [\$1800?] or not far from it. The Dale & Jones monuments were added this season by Mr. Pratt.

30 November. Stormy in the morning. Came up to winter quarters. [Boston] Haughton still in Washington, has been successful in getting our debt from government.
Agreed with Jas. Ingersoll to take care of the Horses & Cow for the milk of the cow & \$10 per month from Dec. 1, '61.

DECEMBER

December 1-4. Blank.

December 5. Went to Gloucester to finish up a few odd jobs &c. Staid over one night, weather mild.

December 6-12. Blank.

December 13. Bro. Charles almost finished loading Lumber &c. For Buenos Ayres.

December 14. Mr. Haughton returned from Washington, or rather from W. via St. Louis & Springfield, Ill. at midnight. He was successful in obtaining a [] amt. \$138m from Govt. & \$16m from Ill. Sold to Tucker Tureton(?) 35 Bales Crool(?) At 26 1/2c 6 mos.

December 15. Prince Albert died.

Members of our Society were requested to remain after church to hear a letter of resignation & farewell from Doct. Dewey. His excuse for leaving is ill health, an affection of the head. He cannot write. He goes to Sheffield to live in retirement.

December 16. News from England rather startling. The seizure of Mason & Slidell, ambassadors of the Southern states on board mail steamer Trent has aroused the English man's pride and indignation. They regard the whole thing as an insult.

December 17. Special messengers sent from England to Lord Lyons and to our government from Mr. Adams, came over in the Europa, arrived this PM.

December 18. Brig Souther sailed today for Buenos Ayres at 10 o'clk, wind west, good breeze, mild & delightful weather. Bro. Chas. Was in good spirits, appeared well & cheerful, went down the harbour in fine style.

Prospect of a good passage & prof[itabile] voyage.

December 19. Blank.

December 20. Molly was taken down to Mr. Butler's by James.

December 21. Blank.

December 22. Span taken over to the car barn, Little pasture.

December 23. Snowed during the last night & rained during the day. Wind northerly & norwest.

December 24. Settled some unpleasant differences in commissions &c with Shannon.

December 25. Christmas, quite cold.

Shannon left town for a western trip.

Heard Revd. Mr. Foote at King's Chapel.

December 26-31. Blank.

CASH ACCOUNT

JANUARY

Received

1. Fitchburg. 60.00

1. No. American. 50.00

7. American. 50.00

12. Salisbury. 300.00

18. Franklin Co. 100.00

Paid

6. Chas. 100.00

17. Page 50.00

FEBRUARY

Received		
8. Holyoke Co.	120.00	
Paid		
20.	783.75	
15.	200.00	house

MARCH

Received		
11. Boston Ins. Co.	130.00	

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JANUARY

January 1. Made usual presents to the children &c., also a present to Mr. Haughton of 16 vols. New American Cyclopeda, costing 45.50 per volume, \$88.00.

Spent the evening with Mrs. Bartlett and the children.

(Coded record of profits and expenses)

Stock Dec. 31 1862 \$260,360.90

January 2. Record of \$2,000 lent to Jos. S. Perkins. Lent January 3. \$1,000 paid January 20. \$600 paid May 23. Balance \$400, plus interest of \$28.83.

January 3. Charles returned from New York where he has been looking for a vessel. There has been several recent battles. One, the battle of Murfreesboro in which there was great slaughter on both sides.

Stocks very much excited here and in New York.

January 4. Heard our minister Rev. Mr. Tilden. He preached a [new?] sermon & gave us pretty decidedly his opinion on the Emancipation proclamation of president Lincoln. It was altogether too abolition & did not suit his parishioners—several especially.

Memo: Jan 24. 1864. Have not entered the church since. Hope it will be sold & relieve me of the taxes.

January 5. Looking over old books & papers.

Enquired about the Boston Insurance stock, can buy at \$125 per share.

Got dividend of 10% on old & new stock of the Salisbury Mills.

January 7, 8, 9, 13(= 11). Names appropriate for vessels. [Include Brookbank, Monteglade, Copperhead, Gold Digger, Count Cavour, Cock Sparrow, Corporal Trim, Jackscrew]

January 12-14. Blank

January 15. Purchased in New York new Barque Annie M. Kelley, 360 tons, with poop deck 430 tons. Capacity abt. 4,500 barrels. For \$17,000 cash, metal &c with cost additional \$2,500, making whole cost \$19,500. Bought lumber at \$21 @ 8 1/2c.

Memo. Later. She stands to cost \$20,000. [Bought for them by SES's brother Charles.]

January 16. Charles returned from N.Y. Speaks well of the new vessel. She is 124 feet long, 27 4/12 beam, 11 7/12 dept. About 5 feet between decks, built of birch, maple & beech plank outside, spruce beams //& lower deck, upper deck pine. Well found in almost everything. Linen sails.

January 17. Balance as of December 31, 1862. \$90,000. The actual result was better.

January 18. Geo. L. Low Gloucester, both feet amputated by Dr. Hodges, Drs. Davidson & Garland were present, also Doct. Dale.

January 19. Charles went to New York & Sam with him.

January 20. Cotton sold at 77 ½ cents lb., Heavy sheetings 37 ½ cents nett.

January 21, 22, 23 blank.

January 24. Bark has been metaled & again afloat. Her deck & bends will be caulked Monday & then she is ready for cargo.

January 25. Heard Mason Jones deliver a lecture on St. Paul. It was a most graphic narrative & extremely interesting. Bartlett went with me.

January 26. Blank.

January 27. John S. Webber borrowed of me \$100, promised to pay me tomorrow. Returned.

Went to see Laura Keen at the Howard Athenaeum.

January 28. May 18. Get Kelly insured homeward.

January 29. [Insured bark Annie M. Kelly \$21,000, also cargo \$22,000.]

Fannie Bartlett had a party, young ladies & gents. Birthday on January 27th inst. Seven years old.

January 30. Blank.

January 31. Received Bill of sale of the barque and paid for her, also arranged with the New England to exchange notes.

Wm. Spen (?) Sandwich Glass Co.

February 1. Tamarack wood, which is as good as southern pine for strength and durability, from our own forests in great abundance. The Annie M. Kelly built of wood from Grand Manan.

February 2. [Calculations on insurance Annie M. Kelly]

February 3. Yesterday Genl. McClellan received his friends at the Tremont House and such a crowd as was assembled there to do him honor would have flattered a Napoleon, and such cheers were heartfelt. J.H. Wolcott entertained him in the evening.

Today he goes to Lawrence, & this evening a serenade(?) At the Tremont [] .

February 4. Went to the artists reception this evening. There was a large company. Haven (?) Fields Whipple & Co. We enjoyed the occasion very much. Our invitation came from Mr. Scott, Mr. Bartlett & Lottie also went, Mrs. Haughton did not.

Mrs. Sawyer & myself called upon Gen. McClellan.

February 5. Moderated, snowy.

The Transcript has a glowing account of the reception last night, and hopes these receptions may become an institution.

(Later addition) Artists reception.

February 6. Went to New York. Rainy all day.

February 7. [New York merchants. Probably suppliers of ship's cargo.]

February 8. Blank.

February 9. [More New York merchants.] Returned to Boston.

February 10. Bought of J.S. Stanton 132 & 134 Maiden Lane, New York, 10,000 galls. Silver Spring oil, illuminating @ .57 & 10 galls. Cases 51 ½.

Increased the quantity to 15 or 20,000 gallons.

February 11. [Notes New York merchant, New Bedford captain, Steamer Evening Star to Havana & New Orleans.]

February 12. Blank.

February 13. Saltpetre from Bengal, spices, pepper, Singapore.

February 14-15. Blank.

February 16. Bark at Pier No. 43, East River.

Went to Monteglade.

Opera Dinorat(?) Evg.

Wrote J.C. Perkins about suit versus Hovey.

Wrote Wardsworth & Son about new vessel now being put upon stock.

February 17, 18, 19. Blank.

February 20. Obtained at National Ins. Office insurance including war risk for \$6,000, at 4% from New York to Buenos Ayres. (Crossed out)

Went to New York via Norwich & Worcester R.R. and steamer New York, most excellent boat & accommodations. Met Wm. Bigelow of Clintonville.

Mrs. Sawyer went out to Mrs. Lord's to dinner.

February 21. On seeing brother Charles I found that he had not conformed to orders in regard to the sugar, as I did not want it being subject to so much loss, equal to .03 per pound besides the freight, and the oil was not forthcoming. Consequently the vessel has been long delayed.

(Later comment) On Wednesday following these remarks ascertained that the order for the 20,000 gallons oil was not considered placed.

February 22. Violent snow storm commenced at 8 o'clock. A.M. & continued during the day & night, about 6 ft. (?) 8 in. Snow fell.

Spent the day & night on board barque, completely embargoed.

February 23. Advance pay to officers & men.

Mate: John Winchester, \$35 mo. March 1; Second: Stanley, \$25, February 25; Steward David Ingersoll, \$30, Feb. 16th; Sailors, 6 men, \$18, March 4th; Captain C. Sawyer, Jr., \$50, January 20th.

Mate's wife Susan M. Winchester, Eastport, Maine.

Note: David Ingersoll. Perhaps David, Jr., son of David & Sally, born August 3, 1823.

Gloucester VRs, Births, 381. A David Ingersoll, 3rd and Mrs. Frances P. Ingersoll were married in Gloucester, July 9, 1843. (Gloucester VRs, Marriages, 303). Fanny Parsons Ingersoll, daughter of Joshua [and Fanny Parsons] baptized at Universalist Church, May 23, 1824.

February 24. On calling upon J.S. Stanton, manufacturers of oil, this afternoon I first discovered that my brother had not ordered the 20,000 gallons of oil as I had requested in my telegram and letter—they having orders only for 15,000 gallons. The result was I had to pay 1 cent per gallon more than the price I ordered it at. This was very annoying, both on account of price and not delivery in season.

23 February. Officers for vessel with pay. Mate. John Winchester 35 mo. March 1.

Mate's wife Susan M. Winchester Eastport Me.

February 25. Kerosene oil in barrels purchased in New York will cost: Cooperage per barrel, .06; Labour per barrel, .06; Storage per month, .06; Insurance per annum, 8%; Waste 2 to 3 gallons per annum by evaporation.

February 26. Rainy all day, nothing done toward loading, everything hanging by the delay of getting the oil. I am sorely tried by the lack of promptness in my brother Charles.

Geo. F. Brown & wife, Salem, passengers and friend.

February 27. Mail to Buenos Ayres. French steamer via Bordeaux from Boston. Mail goes on the 8th every month.

Southampton steamer via Southampton from Boston. Mail goes on the 22nd every month or before these dates if the steamers sail so as to connect.

February 28. Get the Barque ready for sea after a delay of twenty-five days, having only metaled her and loaded her with say 17,000 feet lumber; 21,000 gallons Kerosene; 100 barrels Stuart's sugar, 50 barrels 95% alcohol; 400 boxes corn starch @ 40 lbs., 25 cases lard @ 200 lbs; 11 Pierce's Kerosene lamps; 1 case summer check hats amounting to over \$20,000 cash. Just as we got our clearance we found the sailors had skedaddled & so must wait.

Came home in the night train—very uncomfortable.

March 1. Snow storm this morning which partially reconciled me to the disappointment yesterday in not getting the barque away.

March 2. Blank.

March 3. [Notes on insurance.]

March 4. The Bark Annie M. Kelley sailed from New York this morning for Buenos Ayres, consigned to Edward H. Folmar & Co.

Gold came down by the [] & created a panic in New York & here too. Merchandize did not seem to be effected.

March 5-8. [Review of birth, childhood, temptation, preaching of Jesus.]

March 9. Mr. & Mrs. Chas. S. Stratton held a levee at the Tremont Temple this evening, admitting .25, photographs .25. There was quite a large assembly. Mrs. Stratton sang two songs, her voice is very childlike, she has quite a pretty face & wide awake (eyes?). Her name was formerly Saronia Warren. She was 21 31st Oct. 1862, and he 25 in Nov. 1862. Going to Europe in April.

March 10. [Possible] Captains: Colman Kelley, Harwich, Mass.; Lincoln F. Cobb, Eastham, Mass.

March 11. [Imports from Brazil, Central America.]

March 12. Thesarus (sic) of England Words & Phrases classified & arranged by Peter Mark Roget. London, 1852.

March 13. Blank.

March 14. Names of Commission Houses for Consignment. [Batavia to Foochow.]

March 15. During the whole of the last week we have had wintry weather. Snow in abundance, keeping the sleighs constantly in motion and the race grounds out on the Brighton road have been crowded with vehicles. The weather has also been very cold. Today it is extremely cold.

March 16. [Report on ship arrival Liverpool]

March 17-22. Blank.

March 23. Benj. F. Burgess, 38 India Street. Yacht.

March 24. Blank.

March 25. Gold declined to 139 today. Goods also declined.

March 26-27. Blank.

March 28. Gold advanced to 142 ½. Price of cotton goods very uncertain.

March 29. [Bible verse on covetousness.]

March 30. Went to Athaneum & saw John Elwins(?).

March 31. [Notes on business]

April 1. House No. 17 Purchase St. sold for \$4,925.00 to M.A. Ring, 1,680 feet.

Harvey D. Parker bot Chapman Hall, \$26,000.

April 2. Hillman Barnes married to Eunice Bartlett at 8 o'clock. This evening at Mrs. Bartlett's, No. 5 Hanson Street.

Later note: & Mr. Cram married another daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Bartlett at the same time. The services & ceremony were performed at the same time by Rev. Mr. Whitney under one head(?).

So they go in duplicates.

April 3. White pinks

Nemaphla (?)

German asters

Mignonette

Purple & White candytuft

Sweet Elysium [Alyssum]

Rocket

Larkspur

Yellow Escallozia

Snap Dragon

Eternal Flower or Everlasting

Phlox Drummondii

Canary Bird Flower

Morning Glory

Asterton(?)

Get clematis from woods.

April 4. Geo. D. Chapman. Kerosene.

With root & Rust

215 Pearl Street

New York.

April 5. Joint Committee on the Conduct of the War

Senators Coade, Ohio; Chandler, Michigan; Wrode(?), Penn.; Julian, Indiana; Odell, New York;

Gooch, Mass.; Andrew Johnson, Tenn.

April 6. Salisbury div. 7 1/2%

Most charming day, wind westerly.

Said Bin Sultan sailed this A.M.

Haughton went to New York to meet Mr. Culbertson.

Met Wadsworth at the store in relation to another vessel. He asked \$67.50 per ton, ready for sea, to be delivered in October.

April 7. Rainy in the morning & snowing in the evening.

Gold declined to a fraction below \$150 & recovered to \$152

Market for merchandize very uncertain, especially in cotton goods. I have repeatedly, during the past few months, charged our Mr. H. & partners to guard against having too large a stock on hand when goods decline, stating that prices would not only be low, but goods a drag.

April 8. Manufacturers Ins. Dividend.

J.W.A. Scott, artist, Newburyport.

April 9. Fine display of the aurora borealis this evening at 9 o'clk., making a brilliant belt encompassing the heavens from East to West. It was a remarkable phenomena (sic).

April 10. Hamil Woolen Co., 7 ½%.

April 11. Nellie's Birthday. 15 years.

April 12–19. Blank.

April 20. Engaged George Marshall, 19 years old, to work for me this season, at \$18 or \$20 per month if he does well.

April 21. Merchants Ins. Dividend.

Gold declined to \$146.75 here; cotton about .65.

April 22. Obtained \$5,000 from the Bank of Cape Ann at 5% int. per annum with C. Sawyer, Jr. note 8 mos. From Jan. 31, 1863, 5 mos. & 12 days to run, interest \$112.50 paid to Capt. Low in advance. This note becomes due Oct. 3, 1863, \$5,000.

April 23. The barque A.M. K[elly] has been out 50 days today, has probably arrived at Buenos Ayres.

April 24. Commenced raining at noon today, wind northeast.

April 25. Continued raining all night & all day today.

Gold today \$151.

April 26. Very cold, wind NW, not cleared off.

April 27. Blank.

April 28. [Trees from] S. C. Pitman, Swampscott–Lynn.

30 Norway spruce

24 Lindens

4 Larch

2 Horse Chestnut

4 Dog Wood Red

4 Willows

5 Elms

1 Arborvitae

3 Yds Box

2 Norway Maple

April 29. [List of stocks owned]

April 30–May 2. Blank.

May 3. A. M. Kelley arrived today at Buenos Ayres. 60 days passage.

May 4. [Insurance house & barn, Gloucester]

May 5. Offered for the Barque Jewess at the rate of \$36,000 for three quarters to Alex Side. He wants \$28,000 for his interest.

Unpleasant weather.

May 6. Unpleasant weather.

Called at E. Bassett's in the evening.

Received demand notes.

May 7. Commenced raining during the night & rained nearly all day.

Report from the Battler of Fredericksburg [Virginia] states that Genl. Hooker has been defeated & recrossed the Rappahannock with great loss, say 20,000 men on each side. People much excited.

May 8. Blank.

May 9. Went to Gloucester 2 ½ o'clk, pleasant day.

May 10. Pleasant day, wind southwest.

[] reported by telegraph that Genl. Keyes & Stoneman had taken Richmond, not believed.

Mrs. Jaquith taken sick.

May 11. Went to Boston. Saw Side & repeated offer for Jewess.

Very warm.

Richmond not taken.

William came.

May 12. Wind east & cool, rained in the evening.

Set out 33 evergreens, & gave Charles 7: gave him 2 before and one linden besides five elms.

May 13. Loaned Mrs. Bartlett \$11. Paid.

Saw the Morley horse today. He is very handsome. Bartlett bought him for Nelson, \$125.

May 14 [For advertisement]

Trip to the Mediterranean.

The Elegant New Barque Jewess

Capt. Charles Watson

Will remain at Smyrna about 30 days giving (crossed out) affording time to visit many objects of interest in the old world & will probably touch at some other port homeward.

Passage out & back \$250.

Will sail Having very superior accommodations. Will take a few passengers. Every attention to comfort is provided.

May 15. Names of passengers:

Daniel S. Lawson, \$125, paid; F. B. Fuller, \$100, paid; Benjamin Tucker, \$125, paid.

(Added) Edward Rose, Smyrna, Englishman

May 16. \$50. First mate Chas. Stevens \$45 per mo. 1st May; Half of \$28, Second mate Chas. Carville, \$28 per mo., 11th; Half of \$25, Fredk. A. Luki, \$25 per month, 12th; \$25, Steward, Augustina Zara, \$25 per month, 1st.

Obtained insurance on Barque Jewess: Manufacturers, \$15,000, 9%; Washington, \$17,000, 10%

May 18. Mrs. Jaquith still sick, fever probably turned, needs Madeira.

Gold 150, cotton 58 to 60; D[ry] goods declining

Barque Jewess sailed at 10 o'clock. A.M. wind southwest, strong breeze.

May 19. [List of supplies]

May 20. [Companies dealing in charters]

May 21. Rosa Bonheur was safely delivered of a bossy at 9 o'clock am & we call him Ten Strike. Inglemere [pleasure boat] brought over.

May 22. Very hot today, wind northwest.

Painted the larboard side of the Inglemere

May 23. Paid Alexander Sidi balance due on Bark Jewess \$22,000 & settled all other bills against her.

Measurement: Length 134.6; Breadth, 29.4; Depth, 17. 531 tons.

May 24. Blank.

May 25. Inglemere hauled out to her mooring.

May 26–May 28. Blank.

May 29. Jewess spoken this day, Lat. 41, Lon. 39, or about 18 to 19 miles on her way.

May 30–June 2. Insurance on the bark A. M. K[elley].

June 3. Hovey's house robbed, & robbed again on Saturday night, June 6th.

June 4. Went to sail, wind south west.

June 5. Went to sail, wind SW, strong breeze.

June 6. Purchased two shares Merk. Manufg. Co. stock at \$1,085 and \$1,077.50, total \$2,162.50 for Mrs. Sawyer, old account.

H.S. & Co. delivered to me the notes loaned to them by Chas. Sawyer, Jr. for discount, seven in all. They are paid & cancelled.

Got insurance policies for A.M.K[elley] & cargo from Buenos Ayres.

June 7. Rainy nearly all day & all night.

June 8. Rainy nearly all day & all night.

The police are in pursuit of the burglars who entered Hovey's house—presumed to have been seen walking through the village about 8 o'clock PM.

June 9. Rainy all day.

June 10. Estimate for Hen House in continuation with Cow Barn.

June 11. Caught the rogues who entered Hovey's house.

June 12–June 18. Blank.

June 19. Note for \$241 due National Ins. Co. today if without grace. Today. Paid.

C. S[awyer], Jr. note \$5,000, stamps paid for \$250.

June 20–June 26. Blank.

27 June. Estimate of costs in suit against George O. Hovey.

[Mostly lawyers' fees J.C. Perkins, C. P. Thompson. Total \$750.04]

June 28. Dividends declared & payable.

June 29. Rebels shell Harrisburg.

Flag 9 x 4 ½ feet, Inglemere.

June 30–July 1. Blank.

July 2. Danl. W. Bartlett. Essex excess 37 oz. Troy silver, fifth.

John W. Marshall, assessor 7th div., 5th district.

Returned to him July 2, 1863:

1 wagon \$1, 2 horses \$2, 1 Phaethon \$5, 1 Yacht \$10, 37 oz. Silver \$1.11. Total \$19.11, paid October 3d.

July 3. Blank.

July 4. Michael Lorancy(?), Brookline.

July 5–7. Blank.

July 8. Pd. Postage Kelley 123.

Amount Merchandize June 30, 1863 \$92.57.

July 9–11. Blank.

July 12. Rosa Bonheur went to see a gentleman today.

July 13. Blank.

July 14. Riot in New York.

July 15. Riot in Boston.

July 16–July 17. Blank.

July 18. Fredk. Luke paid today, half pay \$12.

July 19–July 23. Blank.

July 24. Meg [dog] had a gentleman from town to see her.

July 25. Returned the dog to W. H. Steele, Jr.

Gold \$125.

July 26–August 2. Blank.

August 3. Mrs. Annie Hill left Halifax for Brookbank, and arrived on Wednesday the 5th inst., here at 4 o'clk. PM.

August 4. Blank.

August 6. Mrs. Annie Hill arrived in Boston by steamer Arabia & came down in the 2 ½ oclk train with Arthur Sawyer son of John James Sawyer High Sheriff of Halifax.

August 7. John James Sawyer, Halifax, [married] Eliza Tobin.

Children:

James, oldest, born 1825, dead.

William Tobin, next

Eleanor, third, lives in England, married

Charles

Elizabeth

Edward, died infant

John Bland, died in Jamaica, October 1863

Mary

Frances E.

Alice, married

Emily I.

George Arthur

August 8. Anne Hill [married] Judge William Hill, Halifax.

Mary Norton Chipman [married] Judge Jared Ingersoll Chipman

Children:

James Blowers Martyr, in Montreal, married

Annie Elizabeth, maiden

Frances Mary, married to Professor Doctor Robert Pabine(?) Howard, Montreal

Jared Ingersoll, died 19 years

Richard Uniac Chipman, Insurance, Toronto

Harriet Lawrence [wife of Richard?]

Captain Royal Artillery Thomas William Ferguson Chipman, in California, may be dead.

August 9. Elizabeth Kent Stimpson, married Brown Stimpson, first lived in Boston, moved to Thomaston where he died. Occupied in a bank or upon his place at Th[omaston].

Children:

Eliza, maiden

Charles, captain

Caroline Holmes, married James Blowers Martyr Chipman, have about 6 children

James, married at Thomaston, employed by State Prison

William Henry, Halifax firm of Lordly & Stimpson, married Jane Hayes, 3 children.

August 10. James paid exemption fee \$300 & got certificate. I furnished the money. [Exemption from service in Union Army.]

August 11–August 18. Blank

August 19. Old mare came from pasture, 2 ½ months, June 2d.

Mr. & Mrs. E(?) H. Lord came.

August 20–August 22. Blank.

August 23. Annie M. Kelley arrived 60 days from Buenos Ayres.

August 24. Mr. & Mrs. Lord left for the Isles of Shoals.

August 25. Duty on 81 bales wool.

August 26–August 28. Blank

August 29. [Hair brokers, buyers, New York]

August 30. Blank

August 31. 5 bales sample wool sent to James Vila & Co.

Cargo discharged & finished.

September 1. Hides marks.

September 2. [Cargo Annie M. Kelley]

81 bales wool, 2,518 hides, 7 bales hair

September 5. Alex. Lidi proposes to charter the Jewess for Smyrna and will go out in her himself.

Charter offered for the A. M. K., \$16 gold for B. A. for Lumber.

September 6–September 8. [Ships names]

September 9. Blank.

September 10. Mr. & Mrs. B. K. Hough & daughters came over to spend the afternoon, went to sail &c. &c.

September 11–September 12. Blank.

September 13. [Names of companies, some St. John, New Brunswick]

September 14–September 15. Blank.

September 16. Mrs. Anne Hill & her nephew George Arthur Sawyer returned to Halifax in the steamer Africa, Capt. Stone, & arrived there in 34 hours.

September 17. Same invoice as before, different lots.

150 doz. Chimneys, small; 100 doz. Chimneys, large. [For kerosene lamps?]

September 18. Oliver H. Perry, Middlesex, Mass.

Fredk. Howes, Rig .10 ton \$35.80

September 19. Meg had five pups, one dog and four sluts, 4 black & tan, 1 black & white. 8 weeks.

Amount cash at H. S. & Co.

[Total] \$1,600

September 20. Blank.

September 21. The Barque Prima Donna sailed today for St. John, N. B. to load lumber for Buenos Ayres at 2 ½ o'clk PM with fair & good breeze.

Nieba(?) Was born this AM

Estimated profits:

Hides \$15,000

Wool 19,000

Hair 1,500

Freight 1,000

Cargo total: \$36,000

Cost & expenses 31,000

[Profit] 5,000

September 22. [Estimates to insure cargo St. John to Buenos Ayres]

September 23. Blank

September 24. Prima Donna arrived at St. John on Wednesday [September 23] at 3 o'clk AM, 36 hours from Boston.

September 25. Blank.

September 26. Offered 27 ½ cents for 60 bales wool. Sold the balance. Bond.

September 27. Decided to paint the house, outside.

September 28. Hair was sent to Wm. G. English, Salem, by Merritt & Co. Express.

Engaged Brown & Shackelford to paint the house. [September 29–October 12]

September 29–September 30. [Calculations on hair: Saxony, Merino, No. 1, Belly]

60 bales, tare 14 lbs. Each

Sold £700 sterling to John E. Thayer & Bro., 30 days at 154% air, belongs to Barque Jewess, Stamps \$150, [Total] \$4,789.61]

October 1. Dividends

October 2. [Calculations profits on wool]

October 3. Note \$5,000 due the Bank of Cape Ann, today. Paid.

Paid the above and got another note discounted same amt. 6 months to run, dated Sept. 30th, 5% 6 months, due the 3d of April 1864.

October 4–October 6. Blank.

October 7. Sent to Charles, St. John \$100 greenbacks.

October 8. Blank.

October 9. Frigate Sabine, Commodore Ringgold, sailed at 11 o'clk today. We saluted him.

October 10. Sam. V. Bixby committed villainy.

Finished painting house.

October 11. Blank.

October 12. Put up Inglemere, wind northeast, good breeze, fair weather afternoon.

Gathered corn afternoon.

October 13. Gathered russet apples, only 3 bbls. in all. Put two barrels russets & one assorted aside for myself & gave away balance.

Gave Jaquith the hens, nineteen [in] all.

October 14. Took up carpets chamber.

Gathered apples.

October 15. Put up vines, gathered apples.

Prima Donna sailed from St. John at 4 o'clk [today--crossed out] on the 17th inst.

October 16. Took up plants. Gathered apples. Put up []

Charles Brown of Brighton died while riding through Malden this evening. Funeral at 12 o'clk on Tuesday next at Brighton.

October 19. Jewess credit. Passengers.

Daniel S. Sampson	\$125
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Board	30
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Tucker	125
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F. B. Fuller	100
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[Subtotal]	380
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[] Smith & Adams	6
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Total credit to H S & Co.	386
Balance not Fuller, \$40 or thereabouts (Not pd.)	38
Total	\$424

October 20. [Expenses Jewess]
Drew from H S & Co. \$1,000 to pay sailors &
Seamens' wages 951.39
Custom House 73.83
Noting Protest 1.25
Hauling ship 6.00
Running lines, arrival 1.50
Pilotage 29.34

[Total] 1063.11

Due me Capt. Watson bal. 17.58
Harbour Policy, \$10,000 merchandise \$26.25, private

October 21. Blank.

October 22. In Boston, Jewess nearly discharged. Mr. Hayden proposes to charter her.
Ordered Davis & Fredson to caulk her above the metal.

October 23. Went to Ipswich Bay with Charles Hough, gunning.

Went to Straitsmouth on Tuesday 21st inst. [21 October was Wednesday]

October 24. John Rhynas, Montreal. Authorized him to secure registration under the merchant shipping act of 1854.

Please forward blank form for mortgage. []

Henry Fletcher of Montreal measured Barque Jewess.

October 25. Joseph Jones woodlot estimate

600 feet on road, 400 feet deep to wall. Total 5 ½ acres.

October 26. Henry Fletcher Tide Surveyor, Customs, Montreal. T Bouthellier, Collector Hon. Customs, Montreal.

Official number 42619

Whole tonnage 475.55

F. W. Grantham, Clerk, British Customs, No. 7, Deane St.

John A. Willard, New Castle, Northumberland Co., New Brunswick

October 25. Alexander Side £810, settled for \$5,835.00.

Deposited with H S & Co.

Paid on account Jewess

British Consul fee \$50.00

Henry Fletcher measurement 30.00

Certificate ownership 1.00
[Total] Collect H S & Co. 81.00

Isburg(?) Discharging 100.00

Went to Forest Hills today

October 28. Finished getting out manure.

Repairing shingles on house.

October 29. Entertained Com[modore or Commander?] Thomas T. Craven of the Frigate Niagara, with Surgeon John L. Fox, at dinner today. Gave him (Com.) salute on arrival & a ride through woods.

October 30. Chartered Bark Jewess to Selent(?) & Hall for lumber to Buenos Ayres at \$16 gold, pesos(?) 48 per day [] all payable there. Despatch here [] 12 days and 30 days there.

October 31. Finished caulking today and put the Jewess on the dock to load.

November 1. Dividends

Merc[hant] Marine Ins. Co.

Capt. Chas. Watson of the Bark Jewess spent the day with me.

Capt. Watson paid to date from May 1 to November 1, 6 months.

Pd. Capt. Watson

Difference in insurance of 3% between \$15,000 7% and 12% \$12.50

Services, 6 mo. @ \$125 \$750.00

Insurance on chronometer \$55.00

November 2. Went to Boston with Capt. Watson and took in 48 tons ballast. Made arrangement with stevedore to stow cargo lumber at .80 per 1,000 feet.

Brought down with me 1 American ensign, 25 feet; 1 American smaller, 12 feet; 1 American jack, 13 feet; 1 Pendant.

Ordered of Curtis, India Sq.(?), 1 English flag, 6 yards, 1 English jack, 4 yards, both for \$20.

November 3. Commenced papering apples, got up rockweed, cleared up apple tree limbs & did many other things.

Took Mrs. Low home & invited Mrs. Dexter & Helen to go on board Niagara.

[Wind] very fresh from southwest.

November 4. Went on board the Frigate Niagara by invitation of the Comr. with several friends:

Mr. & Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Gilbert & friends, Mrs. Dexter & Helen, Mrs. Jaquith & Lottie.

Commenced loading the Jewess today in the afternoon. Finished Friday the 13th, 8 ½ days

loading. 290,000 lumber, plus 163 ½ shingles \$425, 6,360 pr. pickets \$16.00

Actual quantity of lumber on board Jewess, 306,473

November 5. Went to Boston, thence to Mt. Auburn with Mr. Haughton to select a gravestone &c.

November 6. Paid William \$50 on account.

November 7. First snow, not much.

November 8. Blank.

November 9. Hauling rockweed & gravel.
November 10. Papering kitchen & on Wednesday varnished, 1 man 1 day, 2 men ½ day.
8 rolls paper is required for the kitchen.
Adv[anced] to John [] Gilbert \$10.
November 11, Settled with Capt. Watson
Paid him 6 mos. Services \$750; ins. Chronometer \$55; 25% of 6167.74 is \$1541.94; discount on insurance (private) \$112.50.
Effective insurance on Jewess, 8 mo., Bark & freight to & from B. Ayres.
November 12. Passengers for Jewess, \$148 each [or] \$100 gold.
Page & Wentworth [working around house]
November 13. [Wages mates, steward, cook, John A. Gilbert]
Jewess all loaded. Carry 303,000(?)
November 16. Note Washington Ins. Office for insurance on Bark Jewess to Smyrna & back, including war risk. \$13,000 on vessel, \$4,000 on freight, Total \$17,000, 10% \$1,700 due this day 6 mo. Or 19th, 3 days grace.
Miscellaneous bills \$180.84
November 17. New England policy. \$10,000 year 8%, \$801.00 and other endorsements. War risk 2 1/2% or \$250. Total \$1,051.
Due on 19th or with grace 22nd. November.
November 18. Barque Jewess sailed today for Buenos Ayres, wind southwest, strong, had two passengers, Meyers \$148, Jay \$150, Return on wood \$4.00, Total credit \$302.00.
John Torsleff, No. 334 Washington St., Silver plater. Capt. Watson's friend.
November 19. Blank.
November 20. Note Manufacturers Ins. On Bark Jewess to Smyrna & back, including war risk, \$15,000 on vessel at 9%, \$1,351. Due this day or 23rd, 3 days grace.
November 21–November 29. Blank.
November 30. Came up from Gloucester in the last train this PM.

December 1. Lease of Cruft's store, Pearl St. 5 years from Dec. 1, 1860.
Insurance on Prima Donna from B.A. Columbian \$10,000, 3%(?) 176.00
Note 6 mos. Due June 1/4 1864.
Molly & Don, horses, sent to Mr. Butler's today at \$1.50 per week.
December 2. Ins. Policies due, Paid Dec. 1863.
Columbian \$689.50, Merchants Mutual \$842.50.
December 3–December 5. Blank.
December 6. Prima Donna has been 50 days today and has probably arrived at Buenos Ayres.
December 7–December 11. Blank.
December 12. Second snow, fine & slow. Wind moderate, northeast.
Ship Osborne Howes {Hovey?} returned disabled about a week since.
December 13. Rainy.
December 14. Continuous showers through the day, at 2 ½ o'clk in the midst of a pouring rain, thunder & lightning took place.

Went to Sanitary Fair. Opening of the Sanitary Fair at the Music Hall in the evening. Tickets \$2, reserved seats \$1 extra.

Whole receipts about \$150,000, increased afterwards to .

December 15–December 18. Blank.

December 19. Art & Artlessness, Mrs. Leslie, Minnie & Her Pets.

Mr. Optics, writings, Lee & S[hephard]

Poor & Proud, All Aboard, Brat(?) Club,

River Side Story Books

Rich & Humble, Lee & Shephard

In school & Out

“My days & nights on the Battle Field,” Carleton.

December 20. Blank.

December 21. Sanitary Fair closes tonight at 10 o’clk. This fair has drawn an immense crowd of people. The country folk have overflown the city, every hotel filled & the Music Hall crowded.

December 22. Blank.

December 23. Elijah Loring’s house on Boylston St., No. 70, to be sold.

December 24. Blank.

December 25. Went to King’s Chapel in the morning to see the beautiful glass windows recently placed over the chancel, a gift from John A. Lowell, made in Munich.

Dined with Bartlett. Had a nice dinner of ducks & turkey, plum pudding &.

After dinner went to the Athanaum (sic)

Evening was delightfully spent at Mr. Hough’s. The Howes(?) & Hawes & Bartletts were there. Entertainment &

December 26. [Savings Banks]

December 27. Hardly an article of the Constitution which this model government has not violated notoriously. The suspension of the Habeas Corpus Act, the refusal of military men to submit to the jurisdiction of courts of justice, the suppression of free discussion in the Press and at public meetings, the conscription of soldiers, the issuing of an inconvertable currency, the arbitrary imprisonment of citizens, these and innumerable other acts of flagrant violations of the constitution & &.

December 28. Prima Donna arrived at Buenos Ayres this day, 71 days passage.

December 29. Blank.

December 30. Jewess was spoken Nov. 27th Lat. 32.31, Lon. 41.51.

December 31.

Sales year & profits, 1863.

Haughton	150,000	9,000
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Richards	100,000	9,000
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Woods	206,000	19,000
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Perkins	155,000	15,000
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Shaw	318,000	33,000
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Prescott	215,000	21,000
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Lewis	381,000	33,000
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Amy	180,000	13,000
Dodge	72,000	6,000
Flye ?	180,000	13,000
B	86,000	10,000

Memoranda

Received of Samuel E. Sawyer, Forty five Dollars for services from December 1, 1862 to April 15, 1863 \$45 [Signed] James Ingersoll

Sixty dollars for services two months from April 15th [Signed], Gloucester, June 15, 1863

Sixty dollars for services two months from June 15th [Signed], Gloucester, August 15, 1863.

Sixty dollars " " October 15, 1863

Forty five dollars, one month & half " November 30, 1863

Received of Samuel E. Sawyer, Forty dollars for services, two months from April 20, 1863

[Signed] George Marshall, Gloucester, June 20, 1863.

Forty dollars, two months, August 20, 1863

Twenty dollars, one month September 20, 1863

Cash Account

January

1. 5 Weekly Couriers	5.00
Pew tax	12.87
16 vol. New American Cyclopeda	80.00
7. Doctor Alacantara	1.00
Hannah Sawyer []	5.00
14. Courier	4.10
Transcript	2.66
31. Stereoscope & pictures, Codwell(?)	30.00

February

28. 16 photographs	2.00
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April

1. New South pew tax to date	12.87
Annual Cyclopeda	3.50
3. Filling one tooth	2.00
11. James to April 15 th	45.00
Gift to James	5.00
14. Fare to Gloucester	4.35
Gift to Mrs. Jaquith	5.00
Mrs. David Ingersoll, half pay	15.00

15. Cough mixture	.60	
16. Dog taxes Meg & Sarah	6.00	
29. Ins. \$1,500 on house, 6 years	15.50	
May		
11. Pitman. Trees	75.00	
Freight on ditto		2.29
14. J. C. Perkins. Hovey Private.	100.54	
June		
15. Mrs. Fanny Ingersoll & husband	15.00	
September		
28. Taxes at Gloucester	70.45	
November		
25. Female Charitable Assn.	25.00	
December		
1. 8 rolls oak paper @ .25	2.00	
7. Filling three teeth	12.00	
14. State, city & county tax	690.20	
22. Female Char. Soc.	25.00	
25. Bouquet for Eleanor		.75
Japanese boxes	4.67	
Work box Mrs. B.	4.00	
Parian figure	2.25	
Shakespeare	1.12	
Wreath of Beauty	4.00	
Album	2.75	
Backgammon	4.00	
Familiar Quotations	1.50	
Frame .25, Dancing baby .15	.40	
Bouquet buds Mrs. Hough–Nieba	2.17	
Total gifts	604.46	

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January 1. Sent 5 Weekly Couriers to Gloucester.
 January 2. Wawunnukeseag, Mackerell, Abergonian, Swampscott.

January 3. Endeavoured to get Pew at Kings Chapel.
January 4. Max Maretzik's opera troupe commenced with Ime, tonight. Principal artists: Mmme. Midori, Sig. F. Bellini, Sig. Mazzolini, Miss Kellogg, Sig. Biachi, Sig. Lotti.
January 5. Blank.
January 6. Opera of Norma. Invited misses Mary & Fanny Sawyer and Mary Hough, who with Mrs. Sawyer enjoyed it beyond measure.
January 7. Opera La Traviata.
January 8. Don Giovanni. It was very good and fair house.
January 9. Poor Paddy (Daddy?) Of all the Christian men, I think, on basest food pours down the vilest drink.
January 10. Barque Jewess arrived at Buenos Ayres. 53 days.
January 11. Ernani, said to be good. Was unwell with cold.
January 12. Martha. Excellent. Still unwell.
Gold advanced to 154. Cotton & goods advancing.
January 13. Macbeth. Endeavoured to finish settlement with Thos. Lord's heirs. A precious set of rogues.
January 14. Faust. New & good. Crowded house. Bartlett went with me.
January 15. Same. Fine weather. Sleighing done.
Gold 155 ½.
January 16. Mrs. Bixby called to advise with me about advancing \$1,000 to Alfred at Lansing, Michigan to go into business. Advice: No..
Wrote to Mrs. Annie Hill.
January 17. The 23rd, 25th & 32nd Mass. Regiments returned on furlough to recruit & enlist more men. They were received at the State House with salute & escorted to Faneuil Hall to partake of collation.
January 18. Prima Donna. [Insurance] Delaware. \$11,000, 2%, 6 mo., \$221.
Faust again. Mrs. S. went with me, very full house & performance went off very well.
Miss Kellogg & Mazzolini principal cha[racters].
Gold 159 ¾.
January 19. Webster law library sold by Leonard.
Doct. Homans went up to Southbridge to see Mrs. Dresser who is sick with lung fever. Nelson went with him.
January 20. Purchased 12 vol. From Webster's library today.
Went out to South Reading to see land of Thos. Lord.
January 21. The young ladies Mary & Fanny Sawyer took dinner with us and the Hough family spent the evening with us. The Bartlett children came.
Telegram received of Mrs. Dresser's death.
January 22. The Houghs, the Sawyer girls & ourselves went to the Tremont to see "The Ticket of Leave Man." Bought several paintings.
January 23. Called upon Jas. Ritchie in relation to the Internal Rev. tax. Bought 5 shs. Merc. Mar. \$115. Gold 156 ¾. Cotton 84.
January 24. Mrs. Chester A. Dresser buried.

Bark Said Bin Sultan arrived.

January 25. Saw the opera of Judith. Very fair.

January 26. Called upon Mr. & Mrs. Lord and spent the evening at the Revere House. His brother George & wife came in, also Mr. & Mrs. Warren.

Delightful weather.

January 27. Took tea at Bartletts'. Fine weather, mild.

Gold 157.

January 28. Weather still fine, no snow. Ice dealers are gathering a most excellent quality and in great abundance.

Bought 2 shs. Appleton \$1010.

Mr. & Mrs. Woods called evening.

January 29. Went to the opera, "I due Foscari," with Mary & Fanny Sawyer and Mary Bartlett. They were all delighted.

January 30. Paid Int. Rev. Income Tax, \$3,000, protesting against it as excessive.

Haughton in New York.

Opera troupe left.

Gold 157.

January 31. Took half pew No. 22 Kings Chapel with Josiah Quincy, Jr. on trial. The pew belongs to him. It is pleasantly situated & we like it much.

Mary Sawyer took dinner & tea with us.

February 1. Snow storm, wind easterly.

Deposited in the Franklin Savings Institution to the credit of William Sweeney \$256.00.

Draft for 500,000 (?) Men to [be] made on the 10th of March.

Fanny sick.

Gold 157 3/4.

February 2. Delightful morning and change before noon. Mild.

Sold demand notes 157, silver 152.

Called upon the Houghs & met the Hughes. Spent pleasant evening. Invited all to see Coriolanus. Forrest.

February 3. Very mild weather, pleasant. Saw new Monitor Canonicus.

Picture frame flower piece, Size 19 1/4 x 22 1/4 inches.

February 4. Mild weather. H[oughton] in New York. Lottie spent day with us. Bought pictures at Leonard's.

Gold 158.

Lewis Foster here.

Paid Russell Wadsworth bill (?) Patent.

H returned this p.m.

February 5. Very mild & pleasant, ground bare.

Lottie went home.

Sent 5 newspapers to John James Sawyer.

Went to the Boston Theatre to see Forrest in Coriolanus & invited the Hough & Hughes family.
We all had a good time. 16 [].

February 6. Still mild weather, ground bare.

Hung some large pictures.

Gold 158 ½.

February 7. Still mild. Heard Rev. Mr. Foote.

Brooke. I know not whether our names will be immortal; I am sure our friendship will.

February 8. Snow storm, sunshine &c.

Called to see Mrs. Haughton.

February 9. Mary & Fanny have been sent for to return home.

Mr. Haughton offered Mr. E. D. Bigelow \$26,500 for his house on Boylston St., asked \$27,000.

Mr. Dresser came down.

Cotton 84, gold 159 ½.

February 10. Delightful morning.

Purchased 1 [share] Hamil Mfg. Co. [for] Mrs. S.

Cold & windy afternoon & evening.

Business active.

February 11. Dined at Bartletts' with the Misses Sawyer who also spent the evening there.

Charles & Millie came in during the evening.

No snow.

Cotton 81, gold 159 ½.

February 12. Milder weather, no snow.

Received London Times from John James Sawyer. Saw Thomas Lord & proposed to take land on School St., \$10 @ foot to cover balance of claim, giving up one note of \$1,600.

February 13. Have a very bad cold.

February 14. Went to Kings Chapel in the morning with Mrs. Sawyer and afternoon with Mary Sawyer. Mary & Fanny dined with us, & we all took tea with the Bartlett family.

February 15. The young ladies came with me to the store & then we went to the picture rooms.

Bought 30 shs. Atlantic @ \$80.

Wrote to John James Sawyer, Mrs. Judge Hill & Arthue [Sawyer].

February 16. Mild weather. Began to snow at noon, cleared during the evening, windy & very cold.

Went into the Brokers Board, spent two hours. It is a perfect babel.

February 17. Wind northwest, blowing at most a gale, very cold.

Mary & Fanny left in the Arabia at 4 o'clock [for Halifax]. Went over to see them on board.

Called on the Houghs last night.

February 18. Fire screens: Parlour 2' 10" x 2' 5", Library 2' 8" x 2' 7 ½".

Picture sale at Leonard's, they sold at a very high price.

Steamer Arabia did not sail until 7 o'clock this AM..

GLOUCESTER FIRE

February 18. Great fire at Gloucester.

February 19. The fire broke out yesterday morning at 4 o'clock in Front St. & destroyed about half of the business section. Loss estimated at \$3 to 4,000,000.

Took tea & dinner at Bartletts'.

Wrote Capt. Low & offered \$500 to \$1,000.

February 20. Committee of Finance on Lyceum & Liby [Gloucester] G. P. Low, Geo. L. Chesbro, Charles Fitz, Wm. F. Davis, J. S. Rogers, Edward Burnham, C. C. Pettingill to cooperate with

S. E Sawyer, Eben Dale, B. K. Hough, Geo. H. Rogers & Addison Gilbert

Selection of books: HA Parmeter & others.

February 21. Went to church all day. Heard a stranger ...

Evening wrote a few verses addressed to Nieba during her Babyhood.

Mrs. Perkins came in & spent an hour.

February 22. Went to Gloucester to see the effect of the destructive fire and to contribute to those who were left destitute. Lost \$400,000 Ins. \$200,000. Gave the Female Charitable Assn. \$500.

Called upon Capt. Low, Mrs. Dexter and Aunt Harriet.

Mrs. Dennison died yesterday.

February 23. Called upon Aunt Stevens and again upon Aunt Webber & Capt. Dennison. Came up in the afternoon.

Charming day, mild, clam & pleasant. Mrs. Jaquith came up to town with us to see the burnt district.

February 24. Rainy. Cleared in the afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Lord spent evening.

February 25. Delightful day. Mild.

Paid for bracelet &.

Bought pictures.

Gold 158 ½.

February 26. Rain & snow all say. Cleared off during the evening.

Took tea at Mrs. Bartlett's.

The good citizens of Gloucester are disturbed about contributions.

February 27. Delightful day.

Received from Capt. Low acknowledgment of my contribution of \$500 to the sufferers by the great fire placed in the hands of the Female Char. Society.

Heard from E. H. Folmer & Co. informing me of arrival of Prima Donna at O. B

February 28. Mild but dull weather. Went to church all day.

February 29. Mild & dull weather.

Mr. Haughton went to New York & B [Baltimore?] Also.

March 1. Mild & overcast.
Bought 20 shares Atlantic, @ \$87.50, \$1,750.
Serenade at 11 o'clock this evening. Albion.
Heard Eben Dale bought Fessenden house, about \$7,000.
Mrs. Bartlett unwell.
Presentation. Size 24 29 ½ in.

March 2. Snowed nearly all night, fair sleighing this morning. Delightful day, bright sun and mild, 3 inches snow or more.

Heard Oscanyan on Turkey.
Was informed that Dale has bought the Fessenden house at Gloucester at \$7,000.

March 3. Delightful day. Gold at 160 ½.

Saw new landscape by P. Weber.

Mr. H. came home last night.

Bartlett picture John Huss at Council of Constance \$225.

New public Brokers Board established.

March 4. Remarkable weather. Mild.

Called at Chas. Sprague's in the evening, he freely expressed his ideas upon the subject of Christianity and the authenticity of the Scriptures. He is fanatical.

Gold 161 ¾.

Sent flowers to Mrs. B.

March 5. Still mild.

Nina unwell. Sent her a bouquet. Went with Nelson to see Doctor Russell who advised with him.

Wm. H. Warren. Bridport, Addison county, Vermont. Pr Black.

March 6. Mild but rainy.

Went to church all day. Mr. Foote preached.

Fanny spent the day with us.

March 7. Rainy, wind south.

Called at B. in the evening.

Mr. Dow (Dorr?) christened picture "Scene on the Rhone near the Jura Mountains"

March 8. Delightful day.

Paid Washington Ins. Co. \$1,706, yearly policy A. M. K.

Mr. & Mrs. Dow (Dorr?) Called in evening.

Received letter from Capt. Watson & Folmar & Co.

Gold 164.

March 9. Pleasant.

Mrs. Dexter & Helen called.

Gold in N.Y. 169.

March 10. Charming day.

Bought 2 colored engravings. Turkish luxuriousness.

Called at Bartlett's, talked of \$50,000 hides in connection with W. Foster.

March 11. Rainy all day.
Went to store in the PM.
Have a bad cold.
Loaned to ... Paid Mrs. C. M. Perkins \$30.
Mrs. H sick with sore throat.
March 12. Magnificent day.
Went over to East Boston.
Received letter from Charles.
Wrote anniversary note—20 years in business—to Mr. Haughton.
Wrote to John S. E. Rogers, name of Fort (?) Lawrence.
Gold 161.
March 13. Charming weather.
Went to church, & Mrs. S. Mr. Foote preached.
March 14. Attended meeting Boston Ins. Co.
Went into Wm. F. Weld's house, \$30,000.
Hides firmer. Gold 161 ½.
March 15. Blank.
March 16. Went to hear Martha.
Gold bill passed. Gold 161 ½.
March 17. Delightful weather.
One of Lane's Pictures sold at Leonard's for \$55.
March 18. F. G. Low estate say 48' x 120'.
Insurance effected.
\$12,000 cargo Columbian Georgiana 1 3/4.
\$7,000 Freight Mercantile. Prima Donna 7
\$11,000. War R.
Received letter from Buenos Ayres.
Tea with Mrs. Dow, met Lord's.
March 19. Called at Joseph Sawyer's evening.
Gates (Yates?) & Porterfield, No. 15 Wall St.
Geo. Savory & Co.
No. 158 Pearl St., N. Y>
March 20. Pleasant day.
Mr. Foote preached morning, Mr. Hale preached afternoon.
March 21. Cold weather.
Said Ben Sultan went to sea.
Called on Mrs. Whitcomb &.
March 22. Due Columbian Ins. Co.: Prima Donna cargo \$4,000 @ 2 ½%, \$101.00
Cold & windy. Wind east.
March 23. Snow storm. Cold weather.
Went to see Rosedale.
Barque Coleman (Warren?) White put back.

March 24. Delightful weather.

Saw Lucretia Borgia.

March 25. Went to Gloucester. Attended town meeting.

County commissioners in session. Damages straightening road.

Mr. B[artlett] and Mary went to see Faust.

Gave up idea of F. G. Low's estate. (Sold \$6,400)

Good Friday.

March 26.

Delightful day.

War insurance: \$15,000 Jewess, Mercantile 1%, self.

\$5,000 Law(?) Ins. For C. Watson, 1%, \$50, paid cash.

March 27. Easter Sunday. Mr. Foote addressed the children in the afternoon and presented them with flowers, which decorated the chancel. He is interested in children.

March 28. Fine weather.

Bartlett in New York, negotiating for the Emma Wadsworth, schr. (Schooner?), about 100 tons, \$3,400.

Comes home tonight.

Gold 168 ½.

March 29. Wrote to Mary & Fanny Sawyer and enclosed lines to Nieba. Sent 6 papers to J. J. Sawyer.

Gold 165.

March 30. Easterly rain storm. Saw an Essex built schooner about ten years old, 96 tons, called the Hydrangea, owner asks \$3, 700. Good vessel.

Gold 164.

March 31. Very stormy, wind easterly. Rain & snow together.

Did not go out all day.

Gold 165.

April 1. Dividends

Washington Ins. 17th.

National, Merchants, 22nd.

Hamilton W(?) Co., Suffolk Bank

Salisbury Mills.

Rainy all day.

Gold 168.

April 2. Due Bank of Cape Ann \$5,000.

Rainy. Paid \$5,125 ins. For Capt. Watson.

Stocks again inflated.

Gold 166 ½.

April 3. Heard Rev. Mr. Robbins forenoon and Rev. Hepworth afternoon. The latter preach a very peculiar original sermon.

Due Bank Cape Ann \$5,000 today. To remain at present.

April 4. Pleasant weather.
Andrew Carney died aged 72.
Received letter from Charles, lengthy & unworthy.
Salisbury div. 7 ½% quar.
April 5. Market excited.
Caleb Curtis buried today. G. J. Leonard, Canton, Mass.
Attended artists' reception. Very much crowded & warm. Fair exhibition, met everybody.
Gold 167 ¾.
April 6. Pleasant day. Wind east.
Gave Lunt(?) Courier \$50.
Mr. C. H. Lord has been very sick. Now improving.
Gold 170 ½.
April 7. Pleasant. Fast(?) Day.
Attended church, few there.
Called to hear how Mr. Lord gets along. Still improving. Rev. Mr. Murray has been sick. His child very sick. Fanny Haughton also sick.
April 8. Pleasant weather, wind easterly.
B.H. Corliss & H. A. Parmeter, book committee, called upon me & I introduced them to Loring.
April 9. Due Merc. Mut. Ins. Co.
Prima Donna [insurance] \$122.50.
Mild day, wind still easterly.
Gold 171 1/8.
April 10. Lowering.
Went to Kings Chapel.
Commenced snowing at 12 o'clock.
Mr. Foote preached admirably on Liberal Christianity.
April 11. Rainy all day.
Miss Betsy Lekane & Nelly celebrated their birthday at dinner. Hercules, Lady Mulgrave, Dimple.
April 12. Two or three inches of snow fell during the night & winter seems to linger in the lap of spring. Wind still northeast.
Wrote to John James Sawyer, George Arthur [Sawyer], Nova Scotia and to Mrs. Dorr at Tangier.
Gold advanced to 174 ½.
April 13. Cold & disagreeable, wind easterly.
Collected dividends insurance companies: Manufacturers \$150, National \$120, Washington \$280.
Fainted last night lighting the gas.
Paid Mercantile note \$122.50.
Gold 175 ½.
April 14. Pleasant weather, wind northwest.
Wrote an article for the Courier, "Where Are We Drifting"
Went out to Cambridge to see Mr. Warren about horses.

Wrote to James. William called.

Gold touched

April 15. Mr. Murray's child died today.

Sent an article to the Courier "Where Are We Drifting"

April 16. Saw [Thomas] Ball's² Equestrian Statue of Washington. It is a beautiful model. It only takes two yrs to put it into bronze. Much credit is due to the talents of the artist for it is complimented in the highest degree.

Gold 171.

April 17. Mr. Murray's youngest child was buried this morning at Forest Hills, his name is Huntington.

Rev. Mr. Diamond performed the service.

Prof. Stearns preached for us.

April 18. Called again to see Ball's statue with Mrs. Bartlett & Mary.

Panic in the stock & gold market in New York today, every stock felt the pressure & many brokers failed.

Called at Hughes.

Gold 169.

April 19. Insured \$4,500 cargo Jewess, \$1,500 cargo Sun, Captain Watson.

Mrs. Hough & Annie called.

Panic in New York continues.

Thesarus (sic) of England Words & phrases, classified & arranged by Peter Mark Roget.
London, 1852.

Gold 165.

April 20. New England return prem. Mooley Brighton.

Ringbolt, John Codman, son of Doctor C.

April 21. Attended large sale of pictures, Leonard.

Bought \$12c gold at 168 ½, \$2,022.

Got Sum(?) Policy Capt. Watson 3/25.

Julia Murray was delivered this day of a male child, doing well.

Received note from Susan Mansfield acknowledging receipt of \$100, widows &c.

April 22. Delightful day.

Went to Gloucester. Offered George \$30.

Meg had three beautiful pups.

Requested James to change elms.

April 23. Pleasant day.

Sam White mare belonging to Mr. Craft, price \$200, thought it would snatch (?) Gipse.

April 24. Professor Andrew Peabody preached all day. In the afternoon he preached upon the times. A most excellent sermon.

April 25. Went to East Boston and saw the hides landing from the Dolphin. They look very well & weight say 2 ½ lbs.

Wrote George and James.

April 26. Entered hides in bond, 2,518(?). 58,169. Should be 2,526 hides, short 1182. Duty paid in gold \$779.70. Gold 182 ½. Ex. Stamps &c. Currency 120 & 186.

April 27. Rainy.

Gold 181.

April 28. Prima Donna arrived, 55 days, in New York, sailed from Buenos Ayres March 4th. Offered Mr. Read for china dinner ser \$165.

Gold 180.

May 29. Made up Internal Rev. tax for the year 1863. Tax \$927.96.

1/3 paid \$5,000 towardhides.

Engaged George from May 2nd. \$35.

April 30. Delightful weather. Kent Hough sails in the Barque Swallow to Bahia.

Finished & signed my codicil.

Received letter from Capt. Watson.

Gave Gloucester Lyceum & Library for the purchase of books, \$500.

May 1. Heard Mr. Foote [] he preached two very good sermons. My interest & respect for him & his talents rather increases.

Rainy, wind easterly.

May 2. [Made \$4,583.79 on selling hides]

Called out to Mr. Bright's and called at Mr. Hough's.

May 3. Return carriages &c. For Revenue taxes: 3 carriages @ \$1, \$3.00

1 carriage \$5.00

1 Yacht \$10.00

37 silver 3 \$1.11

Total \$19.11

Received letter from Capt. Watson. Difficulties Deanniger(?) & other matters.

Kneeland St. estate 1075

Bought 100 shares Rockland \$1250.

Horses came home from B.

May 4. Paid for 100 shares Rockland \$1,262.50.

Send \$1,000 to order of C. Sawyer, Jr. to pay sailors' wages & &

Mrs. S. ordered \$50.

Gold 179.

May 5. Mild & pleasant. Went to Gloucester & took balance of pictures.

Engaged Eben Burnham, a boy well recommended, @ \$25 per month. Commencing tomorrow.

Mare Nib lame again.

Called at Haughtons'.

May 6. Eben commences.

Another Battle at Chancellorsville, heavy loss on both sides. Lee defeated.

May 7. Eben's father wrote a note to say that he cannot come for the price he asked & agreed upon.

May 8. Prima Donna cargo. Imported.
[1,800 hides, \$37,812]
Warehoused Kidder's store, No. 10, Rowe's [Wharf]
May 9. Went out to Capen's & was received with great kindness by the whole family.
Haughton went.
Engaged chambermaid \$2.50
Heard of Banks' defeat & great loss, superseded by General Canby.
Gold 171.
May 10. Blank.
May 11. Capt. J. Lewin. Howland & Pope.
Eben commences 12th.
12 Worcester St., Cambridge Port.
May 12. Rainy.
Eben Burnham commenced today. [] \$ per month. [\$25, from expenses list at back of volume]
William, No. 17 Albany St.
May 13. Charles came home from N.Y.
May 14. Rainy.
May 15. Rainy.
May 16. William went with me to see several pair of horses.
Gold 174 1/4.
May 17. Prima Donna Eng. Tons 388 60/100
C. S. Jr. went to New York.
Offered [code] for a pair horses.
Called at Dr. S. G. Howe's & at Hough's.
Bought C.S. N. interest in gold 177 1/2.
Gold 177 1/2.
May 18. Purchased yesterday the Capt. Interest in gold received for freight of Prima Donna,
amounting to in gold \$4,516.45 x 177 1/2. \$8,016.70.
Balance sold in New York.
May 19. Bought pair of rich(?) Horses, 7 years old, [code] of James Power. Mare weighs 1,060,
Horse 1,130.
May 20. Chartered Prima to James E. Ward & Co. for \$2,000 gold to Havana, 15 say days
allowed to N.Y.
Really chartered yesterday.
May 21. Warm day. Went to Gloucester for the season.
Bark Georgina arrived with 1,800 hides for Prima Donna. [in gold \$1,910.98]
May 22. Wind easterly. Pleasant.
Plants [bought] of Taylor:
18 verbena, 16 heliotropes, 6 pansy & daisy, 2 roses, 14 assorted, 3 tomatoes.
May 23. Jewess arrived, 63 days Buenos Ayres, has 708 bales wool & 1,000 hides.
Calf sold to Cressey & Bray.
Prima Donna chartered to Havana \$2,000 gold, 15 week lay days.

May 24. Wind east, cold & unpleasant.

Went to Boston.

Queen Victoria 45 years old today. 1819.

Advanced Capt. Watson \$1,400 to pay seamen.

Engaged Grant to discharge 1,800 blaes.

Gold 182 3/4.

May 25. Wind east.

Went to Boston.

Enquired of C & C and Norton about sails for the Jewess, entirely cotton \$2,800.

Engaged Crowell to measure wool \$1,000, went to discharge 18.

May 26. Storage of hides, No. 10 Rowes Wharf, Kidder's bonded warehouse. Putting in & taking out 2c hide, storing for month 1/2c.

May 27. Due Columbian \$17600.

Rosa Bonheur went to see a gentleman.

Jewess discharging.

Gold 186 1/4.

May 28. Engage suit of sails \$3,400 C & C for Barque Jewess.

Jewess discharging.

Insured hides Kidder's store \$10,000 6 months, Delaware 26c.

Charles came home.

Gold 187 5/8.

May 29.

Cool weather.

Jos. Sawyer & wife were down.

Canvass recommended by Capt. Read. Edinburg Navy Extra, Edinboro Ropery. Alex. Lott & Co., Liverpool agents.

2,680 yards for Jewess.

May 30. Went over for the Inglemere. Delightful day, wind westerly.

[Jewess & Georgina hides stored Rowe's Wharf]

Jewess 1,000 Kidder's No. 10, Georgina 459, No. 10, Georgina 550, No. 12, [] 791, No. 15.

Gold 88.93 14.

May 31. [Jewess cargo \$11,622.57]

Gold 88.90.

June 1. Jewess 1,000 hides C.H. weight 23,466

Invoiced 24,004.

Gold 87.2-89 1/4.

June 2. Duck approved by Capt. Read. Edinburg Navy Extra. Edinburg Ropery. Agent Alex. Lott & Co., Liverpool, Eng.

20 sails, 2,680 yards.

June 3. Paid note Bank of Cape Ann, \$5,000 2 mo. \$5,050.

Contracted for suit of sails, Chandler & Cousins \$3,600.

Stopped at Manchester.

Paid for Georgina hides \$383.50.

Gold at 191, & 1732.48.

Bell.

June 4. James finished painting the Inglemere, nearly done in just five days.

Engaged Davis caulking Jewess \$175.

Mrs. Bartlett & children came over.

June 5. Salt ship came in Webber.

June 6-June 7. Blank.

June 8. Prima Donna lay days expired.

Insured at New England on Prima Donna one year \$10,000 at 8%. \$801. Due Dec. 11.

Insured at Columbian \$11,000 year 7 ½. \$826. Due June 11, 1865.

And \$4,000 Columbian freights to Havana & outport & home at 2 ¾% 6 months \$111.00 Due Dec. 11th.

June 9. Blank.

June 10. Gold 199.

Great fire on Rowe's Wharf. The Davises(?) were burnt out. Loss \$200,000. Nos. 16 & 17. It commenced at 1:00 AM.

I staid at Brookbank &c.

It was very cold for June. Girls went to ride to Manchester.

Phaeton sent.

June 11. Offered by Mr. Fields, Tudor & Co. for the Jewess to Bombay, \$7,000 Rupees., no commissions.

[Insurance] 6 months. Jewess hides, N. E. \$6,000

6 months. Georgina. \$10,000. Delaware

6 months. A. M. K. \$10,000. Delaware.

Rosa went to gentleman.

Gold 196 ½.

June 12. Mary's birthday. 14 years.

Went to Manchester. 2 horses.

Address Capt. Sawyer. Havana.

Care Francisco Catala or the British Consul.

June 13. Chartered the Jewess today to the Tudor Co., Mr. Fields for Bombay to load at once at Charlestown. Part ice & &. Without expense or commission or commission on port charges at Bombay, dispatch here & there.

\$7,000 rupees.

June 14. Capt. Chas. F. Stevens commenced Danl. Carter \$80, \$45.

Jewess removed to Tudor's.

Remained at Gloucester and bent sails of [yacht] Whip & went to sail in afternoon.

Gold 197 ¾.

June 15. Jewess ready to receive cargo. Will put in 300 tons ice & &c.

Hear nothing from Charles, don't know if the Prima Donna has sailed, don't wish him to go.

Gold 196.

June 16. Price white marble from St. Paul's, Church of Ephesus & small pieces of stone from a cave.

Commenced loading lumber this AM.

Prima Donna sailed from New York.

June 17. Insured Jewess one year \$10,000 at Delaware Mutual from June 16, 1864 to June 16, 1865, at 10%, \$1,001. Due 19 June 1865.

June 18. Jewess. Length 134.2, breadth 29.4, depth 17.4, between decks 5 or about.

June 19. Blank.

June 20. \$50 per share Cap. Stock Lancaster payable.

Wm. Ballard, 7 Eldridge St. near Division, New York.

4 feet cotton jack screw \$45.

June 21. Called at Mrs. Dexter's and at the Dale's.

June 22. Nina Perkins married at 11:30 o'clock AM to Frank Shaw, an Englishman. It was a fine day, good company, elegant flowers, excellent entertainment & fine music.

June 23. Brown & Lovell's ship. Length 160 feet, breadth 32.4, depth 20, between decks 7.4 776 tons.

Parted shroud of yacht Whip.

June 24. [Insurance on Prima Donna] Yates [Gates?] & Porterfield

June 25. [Insurance on Jewess]

June 26. Extremely hot yesterday & today, almost insupportable.

Jewess almost loaded yesterday.

June 27. Appleton dividend due 5%, Hamilton due 5%.

Had new rigging for Whip.

June 28. Paid bills of Jewess.

June 29. Mary Alice:

Length 150, breadth 33, depth 21.8, between deck 7.6

June 30. Capt. Chas. Stevens' wife's name Eveline Stevens, Portland. \$40 half pay.

Jewess taken to the Stream.

July 1. Boston & Wor[cester] div. Due 5%

July 2. Collected:

Lancaster \$500, Langdon \$300, No. American Ins. \$50, Franklin Ins. \$120, Washington Mills \$250, American \$100.

July 3-July 5. Blank.

July 6. Left Gloucester for Halifax in Steamer Africa, in company with B.K. Hough & lady and Nelson. Steamer left East Boston at 10:00 o'clock.

Pleasant company on board. G. B. Blake, young Glidden & others.

July 7. Wind fair, all sail set, going about 10 to 11 knots, made Lambro Light at 8 o'clock.

Arrived at Halifax at 11 o'clock. Run down a fishing smack entering the harbour.

July 8. Went over to Dartmouth. Called upon Mrs. Chipman, Mrs. Hill, Lawrence & Edith. The harbour of Halifax is really magnificent. The flag ship Duncan(?), Admiral Hope, lies there, & the Buzzard.

July 9. Went to Mr. Downs & saw his collection of birds &. Move up to Four Mile House opposite the Basin.

July 10. Went to Garrison Chapel in the morning, where the officers & soldiers attend. Went to St. Luke's(?) In the afternoon.

July 11. Lunched at Judge Bliss on Monday at 2 o'clock.

Rosa bonheur called.

[Insurance on Jewess. Total \$1,491.75]

July 12. Due dividend Franklin Co. 4%, \$100; Salisbury Co. \$450.

July 13. Blank.

July 14. Went to a large party at Judge Bliss, met numerous military epaulette, shoulder strap, gold laced gentlemen, few civilians. Ladies were dressed elegantly. It was really a musical or singing party. The supper was elegant.

July 15. Left Halifax and our dear friends with regrets, although Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer escorted to come down(?).

July 16. Took the steamer Emperor for St. John. Crossing the Bay of Fundy it was rough & Nib was a little disturbed. Arrived at 6 o'clock, stopped at Stubbs, miserable hotel.

July 17. Went to several of the churches including the large cathedral, also rode to the suspension bridge and across to the opposite shore. There were many ships in port.

July 18. Due Delaware Mutual [insurance on] Prima Donna, \$11,000 2%, \$221.00.

July 19. Took st[eamer] New England to Portland. Stopped at Eastport, very smooth water, comfortable night, arrived at Portland next morning.

July 19. Left the good steamer & stopped at the Preble house, miserable. Drove about town & into the beautiful grounds of Mr. Brown(?) Who has a fine estate, arrived home at 4 o'clock. Hot ride.

July 20. Went to the city. All right.

July 21. Went to sail.

July 22. Went to sail & Charley Hough accompanied me.

July 23. Paid Rowes Wharf storage \$1,800. Lombard storage to July 27th on account \$200.

July 24. Squash pies made from squash given to me by Mr. Wentworth, very good.

July 25. Blank.

July 26. Called upon Mrs. Haughton & Julia & invited them to come over to spend the day on Wednesday.

July 27. Mrs. Haughton & Fanny together with Mr. Murray came over for the day, & Julia & Willie came over for tea. & Mr. Haughton. Part went back by small boat, others in carriage.

Regulator came down with Gov[ernor].

July 28. Quiet all day.

Regulator made her first trip down & we saluted her.

July 29. Saluted Regulator.

Called upon Mr. Haughton & went to the Fort Allen.

Capt. Chas. Watson, Care John Torsleff, 95 Broadway, Chelsea.

Dr. C. Munde, Florence, Ins.(?)

July 30. Went to Boston in steamer, gave a note on demand with interest to Capt. Chas. Watson for \$1,818.61 for his quarter interest in 1,000 hides at 31c weight, arranged on sale.

July 31. Wrote to N.D. Carlisle & Son claiming \$480 gold []

(Settled in 1866 by Watson at \$240 gold)

Wrote to Aunt Esther & sent her \$5 dress.

Mr. & Mrs. Hough & Geo. S. Hilliard called in the afternoon.

August 1. Visited the new school House. It is truly a fine spacious building which the citizens may well be proud of. It has a large light cellar ten school rooms & hall 44 x 52 the whole area being 52 ½ x 82. Original contract \$11,000 for everything except furniture.

August 2. Went to see bell on old school house, thence to cemetery where Wm. Pratt is erecting a monument to John Smith, Jr. very fine cost \$1,300 thence to new ledge, Gilbert.

Saw Mr. Butler near ledge, 94 years old, smart.

August 3. Wind east, very foggy & rainy, fresh breeze. James's child sick. This rainy day is a blessing.

August 4. Tristram Shandy.

August 5. Received letters from Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer, Halifax.

August 6.

July 1. Old balance	68,562.96
Interest	2,742.52
Profit & loss	18,333.33

TOTAL	89,638.81
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Out, expenses	4,833.77
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July 1, New balance	84, 805.04
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Gold 261.

August 7. Blank.

August 8. Ordered Bell for new Grammar School House from H. N. Hooper to weigh about 600 lbs. 70c.

Ordered from F. H. Lane 2 Pictures 14 x 21 to be done he is at leisure. One moonlight \$25-\$30.

August 9. Received letter from Mrs. Judge Hill. Wrote to Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer inviting them to come up.

Hough went with me to sail.

Mr. & Mrs. Lord came at 4 PM.

August 10. Went to sail with Mr. Lord, also to ride around the little heater(?).

Called at Lane's studio.

Very warm.

Gold 255.

August 11. Mr. & Mrs. Lord returned in the steamer today at 1:30 o'clock., fired salute as they passed.

Lunched at 12 o'clock noon.

Revd. Mr. Richards & son George walked over.

Charley Hough here.

August 12. Revd. Mr. & Mrs. Richards spent the day & Mrs. Bartlett & children came over in the afternoon.

James's child died.

August 13. Went to the city.

Mr. & Mrs. Haughton came. Mrs. Richards & son came down.

Wrote to Emerson Goodrich & Bigelow, 74 Wall St.

August 14. Mr. & Mrs. Haughton & Mrs. Sawyer went to church.

August 15. Mr. & Mrs. H. staid over, went to sail in the morning & to ride in the afternoon. H. ordered 3 paintings of Mr. Lane for \$150, 2 size about 18 x 30, & 1 small.

August 16. Charley Hough came over, took down topmast and painted it & rove halyards.

Haughtons went up.

August 17. Decided to have new floors to the Boat house and sent James for lumber &c.

Wrote to Emerson Goodrich & Bigelow.

August 18. Read Summer Cruise of the Helen by Robert Carter. Very good.

James 7 Eben fixed the garden.

August 19. Laid floor in Boat house. Sargent could not come.

August 20. Went to the City.

Wrote to Carlisle short note.

Received letter from him, Hayes & Choate.

Wrote also to Emerson G & B giving name.

Paid Internal Rev. \$927.98.

August 21. W. F. Vaneragonian(?), Barkley St., New York.

Mr. Dwight's sister, Mrs. Cheney & daughter called & spent an hour or two.

August 22. Went to Newton Corner to make a visit to our good friends Mr. & Mrs. Lord, who are soon going to Europe to spend some time, perhaps years. G. C. Lord's place is very finely situated & only excelled by Mr. Farwell's. Met Mr. Frank Hayes of New York.

August 23. Returned home after a delightful ride to Waltham &c. And dined.

Gold 256.

August 24. Charley Hough, Pearce son of Capt. George & James Ellis sailed & dined with me today.

August 25. Called to see Mr. Lane to make a sketch of old Homestead for Haughtons. Gone to Boston.

Invited Houghs & Winchesters to come over & sail this PM.

August 26. Mr. & Mrs. Winchester, Mrs. Hough, Elizabeth, Eleanor & Charley, also Fred.

Mansfield came over. Had a fine sail & lunch. Went on board school ship.

August 27. Went to the city. Received a letter from Carlisle. Saw Mr. Pearson who went with me to see Mr. Chas. F. Choate. Wrote to Carlisle &c.

Gold 249.

August 28. Whitman Improved Cider Machine. Agent Parker Gannett & Osgood, 49 No. Market St.

August 29. John F. Pearson of Buenos Ayres, partner of S. B. Hale.

August 30. Went to sail & sent the girls to sail.

Gold 232.

August 31. Went to sail in the afternoon. Bell in Collins School House raised 628 lbs. Good. \$480.

Geo. B. McClellan nominated by acclamation at Chicago President & Geo. H. Pendleton of Ohio, V.P.

Gold 243 ½.

September 1. Went to Eastern Point to catch tautog. Joseph, Arthur, Mary(?) & Mary Bartlett went. Delightful day.

September 2. Went to Boston early train. Met our Halifax friends Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer & Mrs. Chipman at 9:40 and came down at 10:30 o'clock, just in time to meet train.

September 3. Went to sail in the morning and called at the Houghs' in the afternoon.

Don came from pasture.

September 4. Our friends went to church in the morning, dined at 4:00.

September 5. Doubtful weather, wind E.

Mrs. & myself rode to town in the afternoon, called at Houghs'.

September 6. Rode around the Cape with two teams, including old carryall. Party: Mr. & Mrs. S., Mrs. Chipman, Nib & myself, Nelson.

Mr. & Mrs. Hough, Elizabeth, Mary, Annie & Eleanor.

Cool day.

Mr. & Mrs. Hough dined with us.

September 7. Went to Manchester in the afternoon & called upon the Bartletts.

Hough & wife, Charley & Annie called over in the evening.

H & wife quite worried.

September 8. Had chowder party in Boat House. Hough family & Hughes, Capt. & Mrs. Low, Mrs. Green(?), Lottie, Nelson, Sawyer Boys. Fired cannon, hoisted flag, sent to Boston for codfish.

Delightful day.

September 9. Sailed in the morning & called at Aunt Harriet's, Aunt Stevens's, Mrs. Gilbert's & Houghs' in the afternoon.

September 10. Went to the city and came down at 10:30 o'clock.

Dined at Houghs' 4:30, came home at 7:30. Moonlight.

September 11. Mr. Sawyer & Mrs. Chipman rode over & called at Mrs. Elwell's & Eliza Stacey's.

Dined at 4:00 o'clock.

September 12. Rainy all day, stormy in the evening. Carried out extra anchor.

Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer & Mrs. Chipman went to Aunt Harriet's to tea.

Made 4 decoys.

Gold 215.

September 13. Mrs. Chipman left for Montreal. Mr. S. & myself accompanied her to Beverly.

Rainy all day.

Made 4 decoys.

Gold 227 1/4.

September 14. Elwell took Photograph of the house. Hough & part of his family came over.

Three views.

Went to Mrs. Jaquith's to tea.

September 15. Butler hauled load of hay, 2,800 lbs.

Went to sail & visited Fort Allen; to ride in the afternoon over to the Point.

Eliza Stacey dined with us & rode.

Delightful day.

Gold 228.

September 16. Walked to Stage Fort & over the highest ledges. It was very pleasant. Wind nor'west. Saw the disputed boundary.

Went to Rafe's Chasm on a picknic (sic).

James Chipman came from Halifax. Jaquiths at tea.

September 17. Went to the city, returned at 10:30 o'clock.

Invited to dedication of Collins School house. It was an audience composed chiefly of women & children.

Visited Library with Mr. Sawyer & then went to Custom house.

Delightful night. Full moon.

September 18. Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer & Lady Brookbank went to church, heard Mr. Rogers.

Walked to the Spy Rock after lunch. Went on board Napoleon, 11 tons, Boardman & Haven.

High tide, Delightful day.

September 19. Rainy in the morning, cleared at 10 o'clock.

Photograph taken of the place.

At 5:00 o'clock Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer and Lottie started to sail, wind died away.

Gold 225.

September 20. Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer left at 10:00 o'clock for Boston to spend a week with the Houghs.

Delightful day. Went to sail in the afternoon. Halfway Rock & back.

September 21. Mercantile Marine freight Prima Donna	\$141.25
Mercantile Marine. War. Prima Donna	111.25
TOTAL	252.50
Columbian. Cargo. Prima Donna.	211.00

Mr. [F.H. Lane - crossed out] Lane came over to draw the outline for picture for Haughton.

September 22. J.W. A. Scott Artist Cambridge Port.³ Wrote to him inviting him to come to Brookbank on Thursday next to spend a few days.

Also [wrote] to Hough answering invitation to come up.

September 23. Picked barrel apples for Hough, awaiting keg for cider. James commenced laying out flower garden.

Old mare came home.

September 24. Photographs.

	Best front.....	2 nd . Front	Street view
Sept. 23	4	1	2
Sept. 24	6	4	8

September 25. Wind strong norwest. Reading nearly all day.

September 26. Wind strong norwest, cold.

Took up Took up Heliotropes &c.

Went gunning at sundown, saw flock whistlers, over 50.

Mrs. Sawyer went to the city.

September 27. Went to Boston to see three Halifax friends & dined at Houghs', sat from 5 to 8 o'clock. Mr. & Mrs. Hughes came in. Staid until 9:30 o'clock.

Panic in New York. Gold 188.

September 28. Our friends went on board the Arabia at 8:00 o'clock & left at 9:00 o'clock.

Delightful day.

Haughton in New York.

Ordered frame 4 ½ in. 15 x 26 \$15.

Mrs. Sawyer drew \$100.

Gold 196.

September 29. Due Mercantile Ins. Co. War. Jewess. \$15,000, 1 % \$151.25

Wind east, rainy.

J.W.A. Scott came down at 9:00 o'clock.

September 30. Rainy. Scott making sketches.

October 1. Went to the city.

The decline in gold has unsettled prices of all kinds of merchandize & created a wild panic in business circles.

October 2. Rainy.

Sancho slightly lame.

October 3. Doubtful weather. Went to the Point, gunning.

Scott making sketches from under the hill of the Cove, Wharf etc.

October 4. Scott returned this pm at 4:40.

Saw Copley's picture.

Put the yacht up at 1:00 o'clock & brought everything home.

October 5. Went to the Point gunning.

October 6. Went to the city at 7:10, returned at 10:30.

Panic still continues.

Mr. & Mrs. Bardwell at our rooms.

Gunning in the afternoon.

Sancho died.

Mackerell plenty off the Point.

October 7. Took carpet in Library up.

Charming day, wind west.

300 sail fishermen went out.

October 8. Collected this day [dividends]:

Boston Ins. Co.	6%.	\$240.	Dep. HS & Co.
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National Ins.	10%.	120.	Dep. HS & Co.
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Salisbury Mills	7 1/2%	450	“
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Bank of Cape Ann		40	“
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Washington Ins. Co.		280	“
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Manufacturers Ins. Co.		150	“
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October 9. Pleasant day, cool, wind north & strong.

October 10. Wind southwest, very heavy.

Gathered corn.

October 11. James commenced with me five years ago this day.

Delightful day. Gathered apples.

Trimmed trees on the Cut.

October 12. Prima Donna arrived from Long Cay Fortunes Island Bahamas with 10,000 bushels salt cost 10c.

Mate Smith wages commence \$50 per month.

Theron I. Dale & his nephew Eben sailed in the Asia, Capt. Moody.

October 13. Went to the city at 7:10 and returned at 10:30. Stormy, Wind East.

Paid Capt. Hopkins \$350 in gold.

Received first load turf. James & Eben husking corn.

October 14. Commenced turf bordering flower garden. Received the load turf 2 AM.

Wind westerly, rainy.

Gold 214.

October 15. Went to the city & tried to sell the Prima Donna's salt. Sold salt 20c bushel gold, 1/2 currency.

Bought in connection with Mr. Hough to divide 1/2. \$4,010.

Delaware scrip 77%

Gold 220.

October 16.

Wind westerly, unpleasant.

October 17. At work in the flower garden.

October 18. Continued to work in the garden.

October 19. Went to the city. Engaged [] sails for Prima Donna, made of Russia Duck [code], 22c yard for making.

October 20. Changing rose bushes.

Sent \$500 to Mr. Parmeter. [Cash accounts. Gloucester Lyceum & Library]

October 21.

Lower top sails	0.139
Upper “ ”	1.135
Jib & spanker	3.220
Top gallant	5.120

Prima Donna [Total] 614

Finished the flower garden.

September 22. Went to the city.

Finished discharging salt. Offered P.D. \$15 gold, Lumber to B.A.

Got out 15 loads manure stables, 10 cow barn.

Gold 210.

October 23. Charming day.

October 24. Due Delaware Mut. Ins. Co. Jewess. \$9100.

Got Photograph Elwell of Mrs. & Myself. Only fair.

Set out trees in garden.

October 25. Gathered balance apples.

Charley Hough spent the day with us.

Put up stove in boat house. Present from Mr. B.

October 26. Phaeton home. Lady Mulgrave, Doct. Landress.

Load lumber for Prima Donna. Skillings. Canada boards \$38. Spruce \$30 & \$31.50. Joist spruce \$25. 2% discount for cash.

October 27. Mr. Hall came from Boston to see Molly and Don.

Burnt brush & did odds & ends.

Gold 217.

Sent off old mare Seniorita to Dura Warren, North Cambridge.

October 28. Rainy.

Fixed shutters to boat house. Papered apples.

Gold 218.

October 29.

Insurance Prima Donna. 8m Delaware cargo 10m cargo. 2m 4% \$401.00, 8 mos. July 2, 1865.

Made balance cider 44 gallons, 16 bushels \$2.

Gold 220.

October 30. Fine day. Mrs. S. and Lottie church in Phaeton & Nabob.

Mr. Gilbert came over & took dinner with us, offered to accept \$150 or \$165 for the Don. Too cheap.

October 31. Painted south side boat house, red.

Wind N.W.,. showered.

Charles went to the city, loading Prima Donna.

Gold 228

November 1. Load of hay from Butler. 29c. Paid.
Finished painting boat house. Fine day, wind N.W.
Don sold \$150.
Revd. Mr. Rogers made a call.
Gold 250.

November 2. Went to the city.
Purchased provisions &c. P.D.
Painted boat house.
Gold 240.

November 3. Delightful day. Set out woodbine &c.
Made seven calls. Had photograph taken.
Gold 235.

November 4. Wind south east, at high water gale of wind. Two schooners went ashore at cut near canal.
Got Painting Lanes \$50 for Mrs. (Cores? Cowes?) National Sailors fair.

November 5. Johnson & Parker riggers, Lewis St. near old ferry, East Boston.
Prima Donna British Registered No. 46950. 388.60. Official number.

November 6. William Sweeney. No. 17 albany St.
Sylvester Brown, Jr., Ipswich.
Rock maple trees \$2.50.

November 7. Freyer, Herman & Co., Montevideo 7 Buenos Ayres. Introduced by R.W. Forbes & Co.
Rainy. Moved to winter quarters.
Great demonstration on the Common for McClellan.

November 8. Cloudy. Voting day.
Fletcher, King & Hovey, Bowdlear, M.S. Hall, Chandler & Co., Garland.
Presidential election today.

November 9. Rainy. Lincoln elected! God save the country.
Went to Sailors Fair with Bartlett evening.

November 10. Rainy in the morning. Cleared in the afternoon.
Spent day at Gloucester, dined on roast ducks.

November 11. Fair weather.
Loading Prima Donna. Almost completed.

November 12. Rained again at 12 o'clock. Did not finish loading until 3 o'clock in consequence of not getting lumber.

November 13. Heard Mr. Foote today. First snow fell with rain.

November 14. William went to the store.
Prima Donna. 2nd mate's wages are \$40 per month, commenced about first.
Cook's wages \$50 per month, commenced about 10th.
P.D. carries equal to 227m.
Prima Donna cleared.

November 15. Prima Donna sailed 1 o'clock.. Wind south west. Went down with tugboat Miller to the Castle, returned in the tug boat.

Snowed in afternoon, cleared up during evening.

Gold 240.

November 16. Fine day. Wind west, strong. Charles must have a very fine run today.

Paid all bills.

Went to Athaneum (sic) pictures on exhibition for benefit Sailors Fair.

Gold 233.

November 17. Went to Gloucester. Pleasant morning, rainy evening.

Called upon Mr. Lane artist.

Gold 223.

November 18. Sent silver ladle to Eliza. Capen as a wedding present. She is about to be united in the bonds of wedlock with Mr. Sheldon Barry.

Gold 210.

November 19. National Sailors fair continues until next Tuesday. Sales during the week \$150m.

Midday gold 223, Gold 219.

November 20. Mrs. Whitcomb at dinner.

November 21. Rainy. 30 days on salt expired today. Mr. Oakes did not pay & refused decidedly to pay the $\frac{1}{2}$ per bushel (currency?)

Wrote to Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer & Mrs. Hill & Mrs. Chipman. Photographs sent.

Willard sold gold for Doct. Richards 217.

November 22. Pleasant day. Fair closed.

Collected at 12 o'clock today \$1,859.60 gold of Edw. Oakes & the best price I could get of Burnet (?) & Drake or Worcester was 226. Last quotation 226 $\frac{1}{4}$ from New York.

Divided claim of $\frac{1}{2}$ & settled it, \$23.25.

November 23. Cool & pleasant. Went to Gloucester.

Size of Haughton's pictures 2. 18 x 30 & 1. 10 x 15. [Lane?]

Load of hay from Butler about 26c, first load since settlement.

Received \$150 for the Don.

November 24. The Bartlett family and Mrs. Bixby dined with us today, Thanksgiving. We had a very nice dinner, pleasant day.

Went on board Kearsage.

November 25. Gave to Salem Mutual Ins. Co. deposit(?) Note for \$134.25, also order for \$31.46 return Prem. & \$1379 in cash to pay for insurance on furniture, paintings, books, carriages, & boat house. 2 years.

November 26. Went to Salem to see Lady Mulgrave. Saw the Doctor who says the mare can go home next week.

Saw Matt's new ship Sea Gull. Fine vessel 11 years old, good sailor but small carrier.

Gold 228.

November 27. Heard Mr. Tilden in the morning and Rev. Mr. Bartol in the afternoon, a quaint sermon.

November 28. Lowery weather.

Reported that the Florida was accidentally sunk at the moorings.

B. Butler looked to have been blown up.

Gold 230.

Renew Fire Pol. Del. 10m @ 35c.

November 29. Went to Gloucester last time. Wet in the morning, warm, cleared.

Left \$25 with James for a ton salt hay & potatoes.

Gold 236.

November 30. Ship Francis D. D. Kelley. Length 152, Breadth 33, Depth 21.8, 7.8 between decks.

Celeste Clark, Waldoboro. About 700 tons.

Lady Mulgrave came home.

December 1. Delightful day. Molly went to Butler's.

Gold 229.

December 2. Went out to call upon J. W. A. Scott East Cambridge artist. He had many sketches. Some of them taken at Gloucester.

Gold 230.

December 3. Rainy all day.

Suggested to Mr. Haughton to get refusal of store for another term; also to ask Mr. Beebe if will let his store.

Gold 230 3/4.

December 4. Blank.

December 5. Delightful day.

Went over to ship Sea Gull, almost loaded at Charlestown, Rum & Tobacco.

Paid Int. Rev. War tax.

Gold 229.

December 6. Went to Monteglade. Ordered new sign. Ravenswood etc.

Ship Sea Gull went to roads. Wind so-south-east.

Gold 231.

December 7. Morning pleasant & afterwards rainy. Sea Gull sailed at 10 o'clock.

Sold gold at 240, \$1859.60. At 12:30 o'clock quoted 243 3/4 & receded to 240.

December 8. Had under tooth filled.

Wind northwest, strong. Sea Gull has good chance.

Gold 240.

December 9. Charming winter day. Moonlight night.

December 10. [Insurance].

Snow storm.

Gold 239.

December 11. Stormy. Snow 6 inches deep, turned to rain but did not spoil the sleighing.

Robt. Wing (?) Arrived yesterday, lost chains & anchors, a providential escape.

December 12. Sent to the Ladies Charitable Assn. \$50 to be distributed to the poor.

Mrs. S. received from HS & Co \$200. Cloak &c.

Called at No. 5 Newton Place. Met Aunt Esther & gave her \$20.

Mr. Haughton's house caught fire yesterday.

December 13. Mr. & Mrs. H. & Annie came near an accident siding (?) By a horse running into them.

December 14. Blank.

December 15. Went with Capt. Watson to see ship Mountain Wave, built by Majoram(?) In 1852. 635 tons, now being metaled @ 26m.

Gold 236.

December 16. Snowy.

Gold 234.

December 17. Rainy.

Bought share of Amoskeag from Mrs. S. funds \$1212.50.

Finished Zenobia. Second time.

Gold 226.

December 18. Pleasant.

Mr. Foote preached all day; in the morning a sketch of the life of John the Babtist (sic); afternoon commenced a series of sermons on the life of Christ.

Mrs. S. wrote to Mrs. Sawyer & Chipman.

December 19. Rainy.

December 20. Collected dividend on Lancaster Mills \$200.

Wrote to James about sleigh & C.

Called by request to see Hannah about going to New York.

December 21. Quantity of flannel of 28 or 29 inches to make 3 pair drawers 6 3/4 yards, to make 3 shirts, 6 7/8 yards, or 13 3/4 yards whole suit.

December 22. Mountain Wave offered for \$35m. 635 tons, 12 years.

December 23. Dimensions ship: 152, 33, 21.8 depth, 7.8 between.

December 24. Delaware Insurance scrip sold today \$925 @ 7% to B.K. Hough.

Ordered bouquet for Nieba for Christmas.

December 25. Mind not high things but condescend to men of low estate. Be not wise in your own conceit. If it be possible, as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men. Romans 12th chapter. Mr. Foote.

Church trimmed.

December 26. Blank.

December 27. Bought 50 shares Atlantic Mills at 95, pay on January 2nd.

December 28. Mrs. Sawyer taken with a severe pain & after doing the several common place remedies, sent for Doct. Homans at 10 o'clock. She took teaspoon full morphine, very low (?) Until relieved.

December 29. Doctor called this morning. Mrs. Sawyer better, not well.

Mrs. S. better at night.

Gold 225.

December 30. Went to Grand Junction Wharf to see prize steamer Hope to be sold at auction on Wednesday January 4/65. She is 650 tons, 300, 35, 16 for New Orleans business.

H spoke of the future of business.

Gold 229.

December 31. Paid William Sweeney \$175 for his services last summer, which he deposited in the Five Cents Savings.

Sent box to James, presents.

Paid Mrs. Bixby \$90 interest to date.

MEMORANDA

Received of Samuel Sawyer Twenty dollars for services December & January of 1864.

[Signature] James Ingersoll.

\$20, February & March 1864.

\$120 April, May, June 1864.

\$80, July, August 1864.

\$80, September, October 1864.

\$40, November, December 1864.

Get receipt from Eben.

Prima Donna.

1864, November 20. Charles Sawyer, Jr. \$100 mo.

1864, October 12. Smith \$50 adv. \$100

1864, Nov. 1? Clark \$40 adv. \$50

1864, Nov. 12? Steward \$50 adv. \$60

1864, Nov. 16 6 men \$30 month, 4 \$50 adv., 2 \$45 adv.

Wm. F. Vanwagenen, Barklay St., New York

Via Marseilles

Mr. Benjamin F. Field, Jr

Ice House, Bombay

Cash Account

January

1.	Diary .35, Almanac .30	
	5 Weekly courier to Jan.	5.00
	1 Daily to July 1, '64	4.00
	1 Transcript to Jan. 1	3.50
22.	2 Round Holy Family \$4.50	9.00
	1 Fruit 7 ½ Old & Young .75	9.75
	Presentation Rest. Howarth	15.00

	Coast scene. Vernet	21.00
	French village. Bernard	19.50
	Terriers & Rats. Armfald ?)	21.00
	Truckage .37 Postage .38	.75
	4 Ticket of Leave. Tremont.	2.00
29.	3 Picture Frames	1.75

February

2.	16 tickets Coriolanus	8.00
4.	Engraving. Charles 1 st .	4.00
	Engraving. Last Supper	8.00
	Savoyard Boy	1.50
	Dog & Duck	1.75
	2 Statuary	3.75
	Trucking	.50
	Christian Martyrs. Lottie	.75

	Home Education Society	1.00
	Bouquet Haughton	1.00
	Jean Ingston Poems. Fanny	1.00
	Familiar Quotations. Mary	1.25

February

	Female Charitable Assn.	500.00
	Paintings. \$18, \$13.50, \$3	34.50
	Setting diamond & garnet	12.50

March

	2 Engravings Turkey	3.00
19	100 Photographs	7.60
24	27 Photographs	2.25

April

16	Picture \$5 & 15c	20.00
28	2 Ital. (?) Pictures 8 ½	17.00
30	B.F. Thomas codicil	25.00

June

1	Frame Ital. Mother	4.00
	E & F King painting for school house	29.11

July

6. Fares to Halifax	40.00 gold
Claret Africa	.63
6 servants Halifax	3.40
2 tickets Windsor	2.70
Luggage	.69
Clifton. Windsor	3.00
Fare to St. John	6.00
Dinner & ale Emperor	1.31
Stubbs St. John	8.25
Fares to Eastport	3.00
Carriage at Halifax	1.20
Book marks, basket & cane	.85
Downs. Birds &c.	.97
Fare home .50, Carriage 1.00	1.50
2 fares to Portland	10.00
2 dinners New England	2.50
2 suppers New england	1.25
Carriage	6.50
Fares Beverly	6.70
TOTAL to Halifax	208.45

August

Internal Rev. 927.98

October

Cemetery assessment	4.00
Glou. Lyceum Library	500.00
Cressey doctor horse	3.00

November

Lanes Picture Mrs. Cores(?)	50.00
Frame for same	18.00
10 National Sailors Fair	2.00
16 Athenaeum & Car	.75
17 25 Photographs house	50.00
2 doz. Photo self & Nibs	9.00
26 Doctor Lady Mulgrave	45.00

December

Internal Rev. Tax	989.60
City & county tax	997.70
Summary TOTAL	12,475.61

1865

January 1. This year commenced by congratulations & good wishes at 12 o'clock. Matt & myself set the old year out & new one in. Renewed congratulations this morning. Mr. Foote text Rev.

21.5. Behold & make &c.

January 2. Collected dividends. Mr. H & myself talked of a future copartnership arrangement & suggested his views. New Years Day in New York.

Stock merchandize \$464,302.34.

January 3. Called upon Otis Tufts & inquired about condition of steamer Hope. Ascertained her boilers are out of order & will cost abt \$20m & 3 mos. To repair. Intended for New Orleans line.

Called at Jos. Sawyer's.

Gold 229.

January 4. Stormy. Snowing fast. Went to the sale of steamer Hope, \$127,500, or \$150,000 repaired.

Gold 233.

January 5. Fine weather. Lottie went home. Called at Jas. B. Dow's evening. Got policy Fire Ins. New England on Hades at E. Boston \$5m, 6 mo.

Gold 227 ½.

January 6. Stormy.

Capt. Chas. Watson, c/o John Forsleff, 95 Broadway, Chelsea.

January 7. Stormy & unpleasant.

Prima Donna arrived at B.A. 53 days.

P. Cotte, French Boot Maker, No. 238 Sixth Avenue, New York.

January 8. Attended church as usual, the Rev. Mr. Foreth(?) Of West Cambridge.

Painter C. C. Cass,⁴ Central St.

January 9. Atlantic cotton Mills meeting 12 o'clock. Attended the meeting. Only five stockholders present. Chose officers.

Received order on HS & Co. from Mr. Jaquith for \$292.32 & \$1,330.32, amounting to \$1,622.64 credit Jan. 1, 1865 to be invested as I may think best.

January 10. Suffolk Bank.

Meeting American Mills 12 o'clock.

Webster born Jan. 8, 1782, died Oct. 24, 1852, aged 70 yrs., 9 mo., 6 days.

Everett born April 11, 1794, died Jan. 15, 1865, aged 70 (corrected to 71 yrs.0, 9 mo., 4 days.

Di[sparity] at time of death only 2 days.

Gold 223.

January 11.

National Ins. Co. meeting 10 o'clock.

Manufacturers Ins. Meeting 11 o'clock.

January 12. Mrs. S. drew from M. Willard \$50 & paid for New Years presents.

Peace rumours have unsettled the gold market &&

Gold 219.

January 13. Went to the opera, Don Sebastian. Very good, fine scenic display.

Gold 218.

January 14. Bought at auction 3 shares Dwight Mfg. Co. \$647.50. And 5 Suffolk Bank Mrs. S. \$118.75. Very large sale.

January 15. Edward Everett died suddenly this morning at 4:30 o'clock of apoplexy. He was on the street day before yesterday, apparently in good health. On Monday last he addressed the Savannah meeting at Faneuil Hall, aged about 72 (corrected to 71).

January 16. Received of Mr. Bartlett half amount of pew tax including January.

Collected div. Merchants Ins. Extra \$200.

January 17. News of the taking of Fort Fisher came this morning.

Wrote Dossaboy Merwanjee & Co., Bombay, India. Via Marseilles.

Gold went to 214 ½.

January 18. Sent Aunt Esther fifty dollars to the care of Alfred Cressey.

Bought 10 shares Naumkeag Cotton Mills at 102 ½ per share.

Gold 210 ½.

January 19. Funeral of Edward Everett. The procession, which was quite large, passed by our house. The Hough family, Mrs. Spaulding, Mrs. Haughton, Mr. & Mrs. Shaw & others were here to see. A lady fainted & brought down(?). Closed store at 12 o'clock.

Gold 208.

January 20. Great excitement in gold & merchandize, gold especially has declined touching 201 ½. Business at a stand. Rumours of peace are flying. Blair gone to Richmond again, & Alex. Stephens to Washington.

30 millions value cotton discovered at Washington.

January 21. William H. Warren, Broker, New York in connection with two others, putting \$10m each, new concern.

Gold 197.

January 22. Blank.

January 23. Stormy, rain & snow.

Panic in the gold market which has spread to merchandize. Cotton down to 85c.

Gold 199 ½.

January 24. Mr. Warren sold the old mare for \$125, expenses upon her \$60, leaving \$65 which is credited to dep(?).

January 25. Haughton in New York goods at auction. Cotton & cotton goods declining 20%. Received letter from Baring Bros. London, advising of Jewess deposit 533.10.10 settled with Capt. Watson 22310. Deducted balance old account & leaving 528.0.0

Gold 205 1/4.

January 26. Gave Capt. Watson memo on int.(interest? Intent?) For \$1308.25 & he drew \$308.25 leaving balance memo \$1,000 on int.

Received letter from Capt. Stevens (Stearns?) Jewess charter to Rangoon at 1 rupee & 5 annas for rice, 9,500 bags estimated capacity 3 ½ [].

Mr. Foote called.

Gold 207.3.

January 27. Haughton returned from New York.

Bought 16 shares Naumkeag 104 1/4 Arnold..

Paid Rowes Wharf storage hides to date.

Sold £528 to Blake Bros. & Co. [Total] \$5325.37.

At night Gold 218.

January 28. Bought for AIS [Abigail Ingersoll Sawyer]

20 shares Naumkeag Manufacturing Co. 105, 12 shares Hill Mfg. Co., 140 ½

1 Merrimac, SES, 1030.

Butler at Lowd's(?) Addressed his constituents, fizzle fizzle.

January 29. Reverend Mr. Edward Young preached.

Union Mutual Marine Ins. Co. of New Bedford declared scrip dividend of 60%, Metropolitan New York 50% scrip.

January 30. Called at C.J. Sprague's in the evening.

Gold 211.

January 31. Eliz. S. Capen & Shelton Barry are to be married at 8:30 o'clock this evening. We are invited but did not go out. The Spragues went & Shad(?) Pearce.
Constitutional amendment passed by 119 to 56.
Gold 205.

February 1. We commence a new month with softened weather.
It is reported that Peace Commissioners are in Washington, Stephens, Hunter & Campbell. No expectation of peace.
Gold 203.

February 2.
Noticed in the Courier the specimens of red granite on exhibition at the Merchants Exchange Reading Room, named it Egyptian Granite. L.B. Pratt & Fuller are the workers of the quarry.
Gold 205.

February 3. Rent on income of Allen's estate on State St. \$26c, 24c, \$11 & \$7250.

Peace Commissioners were on board steamer River Queen in the James River.

February 4. Petroleum quotations straw & white 65 to 67 [More on petroleum prices]

February 5. Snow storm. Mr. Foote preached.

February 6. Sent to Female Charitable Assn. \$25.00

Rev. Robert P. Rogers \$25.00

Andrew J. Allen's store on State Street sold at auction for \$216,200.00, equal to \$93.82 per foot, 2,342 3/4 feet.

February 7. Peace may not be expected at present. The ultimatum given by the President was unconditional surrender, leaving to him to exercise such clemency as he chose by the offenders, also to accept of constitutional amendment.

February 8. Great meeting assembled at the African church Richmond. Speech by General Smith who called it & Jeff Davis who together with the Assembly were all very warlike determined to fight it out.

February 9. Business paralyzed.

Paid Mrs. Perkins \$868.

Very cold at night.

Gold 212.

February 10. Paid for 5 shares Naumkeag Mills \$575.

New Bedford vessels: Alfred Gibbs, Daniel Webster, Rainbow, Reindeer, Courser, Nautilus, Sea Breeze.

Gold 212.

February 11. Bought 2 shares Langdon Mfg. Co. \$1150.

Rumours of the evacuation of Charleston.

Loaned Mrs. S. \$3 & \$7 = \$10. Paid March 2nd, SES bal. \$1236, AIS \$2205, AIS debit \$1850.

Jewess arrived at Rangoon today from Bombay. December 9. 64 days.

February 12. Revd. Rufus Ellis preached on prayer & Mr. Foote in the afternoon on Christ.

Snowstorm.

Gold 203 1/2.

February 13. Went to Gloucester. Stopped at Mrs. Jaquith's, rode over with Mr. Rowe. Went to E.H. Pearce's wood lot. Rode with Lady M[ulgrave] [horse], she went well, not apparently lame.

February 14. Bought Ed. H. Pearce's wood lot about 16 acres for \$242.50 or about \$15 per acre. Came up at 4 o'clock & Lottie came with us.

Gold 208 ½.

February 15. Saw ship Nightingale sold at auction on Saturday for \$10m. Very poor concern, no good.

Stock made up \$464.

Gold 205.

February 16.

J. H. Bartlett & Sons, New Bedford.

Stagnation of business.

Stormy & splashy.

Gold 204.

February 17. Fine weather, dull business.

February 18. Blank.

February 19. Foul weather. Mr. Foote preached.

February 20. News confirmed of the evacuation of Charleston and Columbia.

Sent \$100 to Almira on account.

Gold 198 ½.

February 21. Great trade sale commenced. Extra train from New York for dry goods jobbers. Very large attendance. 1,000 lots representing 5m packages. Sale meets expectations.

Gold 199 ½.

February 22. Washington's Birthday.

Great dry goods sale done.

[Total] \$11,352.05

February 23. Went out to Mr. Barry's to a small party of about fifty friends, and a very pleasant one it was. Singing & dance. Charles & Millie went with us.

February 24. Delightful day.

Paid Almira \$100 on account P.D.

Mishawum in for(?) Charlestown.

February 25. Haughton gone to New York with his wife, visit to Mr. Murray.

Wilmington evacuated.

Paid Mrs. May Smith \$60 on account P.D.

Gold 199 ¾.

February 26. Mr. Peabody of Portsmouth preached. Rainy Sunday, cleared PM.

February 27. Delightful day.

Mr. Haughton went to N.Y.

Gold 202.

February 28. Snowstorm nearly all day.

Bought 30 cases [] Gingham 30c.

Mr. H. sold 26 cases in N.Y. at 31c.

Gold 202.

March 1. Mayor Lincoln's reception. Seven hundred invitations. Did not go, but called at Joseph Sawyer's & spent the evening very pleasantly.

Gold 198 ½

March 2. Mr. H. still in N.Y.

Mrs. S. drew \$50 for private uses.

Mr. Lewis left \$1050 to invest for him.

March 3. Author of "Schonberg Cotta Family" is said to be Mrs. Charles, daughter of the late Mr. Randall at Tavistock, Eng.

March 4. Inauguration of Prest. Lincoln. His ridiculous speech etc. Andrew Johnson Vice President was tight & made a silly speech.

March 5. Sell for A.I.S.

4 shares Hamilton Mfg. Co., (new) 25 shares Boston M(?) Rail Road, (old) 2 Appleton Mfg. Co., 25 Naumkeag Co., 25 Suffolk Bank.

March 6-7. Blank.

March 8. Sell 30 shares Naumkeag, 40 National Ins., 50 Atlantic, 30 Franklin Ins., 4 Dwight, 1 Merrimack, 40, Holyoke W>P>(?) Co., 30 Franklin Ins. Co., 25 Franklin Co., 25 Washington Mills.

March 9. Stormy.

Saw Veteran with Matt at the Museum.

March 10. Mrs. Dexter & Helen spent the day with us. They are visiting at eben Dale's.

Cotton 73c mid, Gold dec. 186 ½.

March 11. Had tooth filled Codman.

Fine cool day.

March 12. Heard Rev. Mr. Normanby of Portsmouth.

March 13. Attended meetings of the Mercantile Marine Ins. Co., Franklin ditto & Boston. The latter paid 5% & 15% extra div. \$800. Deducted on stock \$12, 919.39 & settled books.

March 14. Elected Director of the North American Fire Ins. Co.. Albert Bowker, president. Silas Pierce, H.N. Hooper, W(?) Ober, C.H. Parker, J. Jeffries, Jr., A.H. Wellington, Solomon Piper, Eben Atkins, J.C. Potter, B.E. Bates, Paul Adams, Edward Wigglesworth, E.C. Dyer.

March 15. Went to Mrs. Haughton's to tea.

Wrote to Fanny Sawyer, Halifax.

Frank Dickman & wife came.

March 16. Went to Mrs. Hough's to tea.

March 17. Went to Mrs. Barry's to tea.

Emerson, Goodrich & Bigelow, No. 74 Wall St., New York.

Gold 169.

March 18. Auction sale stocks. Dull.

Gold 165.

March 19. Mr. Foote preached morning, Mr. White, uncle, afternoon. Christened the baby. Quite a large company.

March 20. Panic in business circles. Gold declining has reduced prices of all articles of merchandise and paralyzed trade.

March 21. Went to Gloucester.

On my return found everybody excited. Gold had gone to 150. Some failures in New York. Governments [bonds?] fell rapidly. 10/40. 86. 5/20 par 730. 89 &c.

March 22. Wednesday. Bought 20 cases Hamil Delaine at 25, 5% discount 30 days.

Gold 156.

March 23. Thursday. Attended sale of paintings at Leonards.

Gold 150.

March 24. Friday. Good weather. No business. No failures to affect the house. Goods move slowly & at low figures.

Gold 155.

March 25. Saturday. Stocks down & everything else. Delaines at 22 ½ best styles, the same makes on a cost 55c.

Gold 154.

March 26. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Wilson of Salem preached. Morning sermon very good. Text: What is man?

Trenc the mere. Cut the sea.

March 27. Monday. The sun crossed the line this AM at 9:22 beginning of spring in the northern & autumn in the southern hemisphere. Days 12 ½ hours long. Sun rose at 5:51 & sets at 6:20 today.

Received letter from Charles dated Dec. 25th.

Gold 154, 155.

March 28. Tuesday. Very busy again at the store.

Walker sold R.E. station Court St. & Fulton. Commercial stores 14,250 & 14, 875.

Called at Bassett's.

Gold 153.

March 29. Wednesday. Business more active. Traders begin to feel that prices have touched bottom.

Weather has been very good.

Mr. & Mrs. Woods called.

Gold 151.

March 30. Thursday. Rainy.

Better feeling in business. Opened & sold many goods.

Robert Wing sailed. Wind south west.

Gold 151.

March 31. Friday. Rainy.

Business active.

[] Houghton \$20. Paid.

Gold 151.

April 1. Saturday. Received payment Dog Cart. Dep.(?) Net \$115.50.

Bought 15 shares Dwight \$550.

Matt taken with severe pain.

Gold 154.

April 2. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached.

News of the great battle.

April 3. Monday. Fine weather.

A great Federal victory. Richmond reported taken.

Sent to James \$50 balance to April 1.

April 4. Tuesday. Overcast.

Thos. Milward sold his farm at Fresh Water Cove to Samuel Dolliver of Marblehead in 1652 & died in Boston Sept. 1653.

Gold 149.

April 5. Wednesday. Nothing is talked of but the great success of the Federal arms, the fall of Richmond & Petersburg & the future of the Confederacy without a capital.

Gold 154.

April 6. Thursday. Mrs. Sawyer drew \$50 private.

Spoke to Mr. Perkins about conversations last December.

April 7. Friday. Dividends payable.

National \$120, Merchants \$100, Washington \$280, Manufacturing \$150, Cape Ann \$50.

April 8. Saturday. Received brief letter from Charles dated February 11th.

April 9. Sunday. Mr. Foote in the morning and Doct. Putnam of Roxbury in the afternoon.

Lees Army surrendered.

April 10. Monday. Went out to William Fuller's Nursery at Winter Hill Somerville and bought ornamental & other trees & shrubs.

Office 18 ½ Merchant Row.

Great rejoicing.

Gold 144 ¾.

April 11. Tuesday. Had tooth filled & paid for two.

Wrote to James: hoist flag.

Chas. Tucker, New Bedford, bought Atlantic.

April 12. Wednesday.

Mr. Haughton went to N.Y.

April 13. Thursday. Went to Gloucester. Pleasant. Hoisted two flags. Arranged about setting trees.

Became life member of the Fisherman's & Widow's Charitable Society.

April 14. Friday. George Marshall commenced today at \$25 per month.

Prest Lincoln shot at Fords Theatre at 10 oclk this evening & Sec. Seward stabbed at home, his son Fredk attacked.

April 15. Saturday. Lincoln & Fredk Seward dead. Business entirely suspended. Have arrested Wilkes Booth as the murderer of Lincoln so reported.

April 16. Sunday. Mr. Foote. All the ministers made mention of the assassination of Prest. Lincoln.

April 17. Monday. The citizens are full of excitement, rumours of the capture of Booth & his confederates are constantly reported but without foundation.

Mr. Seward & son about the same. Hopeful

Gold 149.

April 18. Tuesday. The exchange is draped in mourning, and all the public buildings & many of our private dwellings.

Business active.

April 19. Wednesday. Prest. Lincoln's funeral. Almost [added in margin] every house draped in mourning, churches all opened at 12 noon and generally filled. Procession on common. Business stood still. Immense gathering in Washington. 60,000 people.

April 20. Thursday. Business commenced with great energy. Not goods enough to supply the wants. Advanced from that low prices, very scarce.

Fast day in New York State.

Gold 148.

April 21. Friday. Rainy.

Business still very active, goods very scarce. Prints 1 cent higher.

Gold 149 3/4.

April 22. Saturday. Rainy.

Ship built by Albert Currier. 750 tons. 156, 32.4, 21.9, 7.6

1500 tons Calcutta. 1150 ton []

April 23. Sunday, Battersea Copper Shop. Yacht. Deby Street.

April 24. Monday. Business very active. No goods.

Arranged with Haughton for a continuation of co-partnership at 15%, \$50,000 capital.

Cotton 50 to 57.

Gold 151 3/4.

April 25. Tuesday. Subscribed for \$5,000 stock in Boston Screw Co.

Rosa Bonheur has a bull bossy.

April 26. Wednesday. [Financial calculations, gold & silver]

Gold 151 3/4.

April 27. Thursday. Delightful day.

Johnson finally surrendered to Sherman on the same terms Lee did Grant.

Made up Internal Revenue account.

April 28. Friday. Mrs. Sawyer \$50 charged to her account.

Bought for Seth Lewis: 4 shares Naumkeag @ 92, \$368; 5 shares Naumkeag @91 3/4, \$458.75.

Sold 100 shares Rockland @ 5 1/4, \$94.50.

Gold 146 1/2

Mrs. S. paid for cloak.

April 29. Saturday. Internal Tax Revenue \$18,835.62

Less exemption \$600 600.00

Total 18,235.62

[Calculations]

\$1504.16 tax

April 30. Sunday. James Freeman Clark preached. Mr. & Mrs. Dow (Dorr?) Called & spent evening.

Int. Rev.:

1 watch	1
1 carryall	1
2 []	4
1 []	6
1 Yacht	10
37 oz. Silver @5	1.85
Total	\$22.85

May 1. Monday. Pleasant morning, rainy afternoon.

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For list flower seeds, see 1864 book.

May 2. Tuesday. Went to Gloucester. Pleasant day. Mrs. Gilbert came up [] Augusta. Directed the setting out of elms in front.

Collected dividend Bank of Cape Ann.

Hired counting room in New York, corner Duane & Church sts.

Gold 141.

May 3. Wednesday. Bought \$500 7 3/10 U.S. Bonds June 15, 3 years.

Say \$1,000 fro Mrs. Jaquith, 1/4 dis. & int. all [].

Cotton started up 8 or 10 cents today.

Collected div. \$50 Cape Ann.

May 4. Thursday. Went to Wm. Fuller Nursery at Winter Hill got Bartlett Pear Tree & Linden paid \$80.

\$100,000 offered for Jeff. Davis.

Sent beach wagon.

Gold 142 1/2.

May 5. Friday. Went out to P.C. Brooks Jr.'s place at West Medford for spruces.

May 6. Saturday. Taylor Melrose.

24 Large plants	4.00
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24 Verbenas	2.00
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24 Various	2.00
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36 Pansys	2.25
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\$10.25

Paid \$10.00

May 7. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached in the morning & Mr. Robbins in the afternoon. Walked to India Wharf after church, saw Matthew Luce.

May 8. Monday. Went to Gloucester, weather fine, Brookbank looked delightfully.

Cotton advanced 10 cents lb., .60.

Planted 12 Grape vines in the Dennen Place, Isabella & Clinton.
Gold 157 ½.
May 9. Tuesday. Rainy.
Spoke to Haughton first about sending P. to Europe.
May 10. Wednesday. Bought \$650 7 3/10 Govt. Bonds \$643.69 for Mrs. Jaquith.
Also 3,00 [self] \$2970.90
11th, 5,000 [self] \$4952.50
Spoke of sending to europe. Jewess arr. Bombay.
Gold 129.
May 11. Thursday. Fine day. Received from Mr. B. bal hides \$3,759.73.
Talked of sending Perkins to Europe.
Molly home. 23 w. \$2.
Gold 128 ½ to 131.
May 12. Friday. Paid \$2500 on account Boston Screw Co.
Called at Mr. Hayes & Sprague's.
Gold 130–133.
May 13. Saturday. Paid Mr. Quincy rent of pew for one year to Feb. 1st last.
May 14. Sunday. Redd. Mr. Miles formerly of Lowell preached & did very well.
May 15. Monday. Went to Gloucester.
Ordered scuttle windows kitchen.
Called upon Mrs. Shaw.
Settled with Jaquith for 1622.64 by 7 3/10 U.S. Bonds.
May 16. Tuesday. \$5,000 7 3/10 U.S. Bonds self \$4957.50.
Bought groceries & sent them down.
Received \$5,000 (?) Gold draft bods. On New York accepted tomorrow.
Prima donna.
May 17. Wednesday. Spoke to Mr. H. about Perkins going to Europe.
Prima Donna arrived at New York, 50 days from B.A.
[Bought gold \$1135.91]
May 18. Thursday. Rainy. Packing up. Looked for horse.
Called at Mr. Foote's & hough's.
May 19. Friday. Rainy. Packing for Gloucester.
Store 109 & 111 Mill St. sold \$39,700.
Gold 130.
May 20. Saturday. Assisted Mr. W. in buying horse \$180.
Came to Gloucester for season.
May 21. Sunday. Delightful day. Opened house.
Bark Georgina arrived one year ago today, bringing 1500 hides for Prima donna, CH 37,124;
Inv. 37,812; frt. 36,524.
May 22. Monday. William & the girls came. Rainy.
May 23. Tuesday. Rainy. Afternoon cleared & very warm. Trimmed the garden.
James not very well, dizzy.

Gold 132 ½.

May 24. Wednesday. Jewess arrived one year ago today, bringing 1,000 hides. CH 23,466; inv. 24,004.

Pleasant weather.

Went to Boston.

Haughton in Washington.

May 25. Thursday. Brought yacht over to mooring. Cut grass in front house.

Gold 134 ½.

May 26. Friday. Charming weather, wind north. Ordered 15 cakes of ice.

Gold 138 ½.

May 27. Saturday. Rainy. Went to the city.

James painted kitchen piazza.

Fanny Bartlett came down.

Gold 136 1/4.

May 28. Sunday. 10,000 Fire insurance Delaware Kidder \$35[], effected or renewed this ins. Yesterday for 6 months.

Unpleasant. Wind north east.

May 29. Monday. Rainy in the morning.

C. S. Jr. went to New York.

May 30. Tuesday. Mr. Heywood photographer came down and took some sketches.

Rather windy.

Commenced painting yacht.

May 31. Wednesday. Jaquiths went to Boston. Lottie here.

Heywood here all day; took 9 views, some good.

Bartlett's family came to Manchester.

June 1. Thursday. Went to Boston & returned at 10:30 o'clock.

Funeral procession Prest. Lincoln.

Charles Sumner delivered eulogy.

June 2. Fanny returned home to Manchester. We missed her very much.

Took yacht to mooring.

June 3. Saturday. Went to Boston. Engaged \$6,000 7 3/10 Government [Bonds} 2d series @ 99 3/4 for Addison Gilbert.

Rooms taken by Mrs. Chandler.

June 4. Sunday. Charley Hough came over to dinner. Very warm in the forenoon. Wind changed to the east & had thunder shower late PM.

June 5. Monday. Wind strong east.

June 6. Tuesday. Dividends payable.

Merrimack June 12

Washington Mills June 28

Langdon June 15

Boston & Worcester July 1

Lancaster, Bates	July 1	
Franklin	July 1	
No. American	July 1	
& Salisbury		
June 7. Wednesday.		
March 2. Received Seth Lewis		\$1050.00
May 12. Interest		12.25
Total		1062.25

[Bal. Int. paid \$137.28]

June 8. Thursday. [Calculations]

Went to sail first time.

Arrived J. Haughton & wife.

June 9. Friday.

Called upon Aunt Webber & Aunt Stevens; also upon Mrs. Gilbert & Mrs. Low.

June 10. Saturday. Paid Capt. Watson \$1,000 note & interest, \$1022.67.

Miss Linzee came down. Heavy showers overtook us driving from the depot.

Gold 137 ½.

June 11. Sunday. 10,000 fire ins. Delaware Lombard \$354; 6,000 New England. Rows. \$214.

Paid both. Renewed 6 months.

Cool, wind south east.

June 12. Monday. Wind south. Pleasant day.

Mrs. Bartlett drove over.

June 13. Tuesday. Very warm in the morning. Ladies went to Manchester in the afternoon.

June 14. Wednesday. Went to the city & returned on the 10:30 train. Drove over to town with Lady M.

June 15. Thursday. [Calculations. Bonds?]

Revd. Mr. Rogers dined with us.

June 16. Friday. \$10,000 Jewess [insurance] renewed 10% \$1,000.

Rainy in the morning. Rode to the cemetery in the afternoon with Nabob. Drove myself.

June 17. Saturday. Went to the city & returned at 12 o'clock. Sailed in yacht & took Miss Linzee & Lottie with me. Had tea party in the boat house. Bartlett family & Jaquiths & Miss Linzee were there & enjoyed it.

Rowed in small boat. Looked rainy.

June 18. Sunday. Nib did not go to church. Spent most of the day in Boat House.

June 19. Monday. Mrs. S. & Miss Linzee went to ride & Mrs. Bartlett & the children came over. Mary had been visiting & returned.

June 20. Tuesday. Went to sail in the yacht, fine southerly wind. Miss Linzee was much pleased.

Miss L. went to Manchester to make a visit.

Trimming trees.

June 21. Wednesday. Ice came this morning. 3 boxes strawberries came from Henry F. Lee, Manchester.

June 22. Thursday. Thunder shower in the afternoon. Trimmed & finished trees.

Dossabhoy Merwanjee & Co., Bombay via Marseilles.

June 23. Friday. Sailed up to Manchester.

Saw sloop White Wing built by Mallory at Mystic, Ct. 53 tons.

June 24. Saturday. Miss Linzee returned to Boston from Manchester.

Gold Chk. E.F.D. [Ed. F. Davison? See June 30] \$4969.31. 142 \$7056.42.

3 boxes strawberries.

June 25. Sunday. \$17,000 Jewess [insurance] Columbian. Year. \$1276.00, \$8,000 Washington year \$601.25. [] paid.

[Hull & freight Jewess insurance calculations]

June 26. Monday. Henry F. Lee, Manchester, strawberries.

Went to Pratt's Ledge. Rained all night.

June 27. Tuesday. Delightful day, foggy morning.

Wrote to John Jas. Sawyer & Arthur sent photographic views.

Sailed in the afternoon.

June 28. Wednesday. Went to the city.

6 strawberries.

June 29. Thursday. \$10,000 Prima Donna, Delaware \$401, cargo to & from off 100.

Trimmed barberry bushes. Rode to Knowlton about fish.

June 30. Friday.

Went to sail.

Very hot in Boston, thermometer 94[☉], fine showers at night.

Charles in New York to settle with claim damage \$496 gold. Ed. F. Davison.

July 1. Saturday. Ins. Cargo Prima Donna.

3 boxes strawberries.

Received \$350 from attorneys in settlement with J.S. Stanton & deposited it with Yates & P.

July 2. Sunday.

Showery.

Capt. Chas. Watson, Wellesley, Mass.

July 3. Monday. Had the yacht measured & took her out to her mooring.

6 boxes strawberries.

July 4. Tuesday. Independent day.

Went to sail in the forenoon and chowder at Boat House 3 o'clock.

Company Bartletts, Jaquiths, Charley Hough & Eleanor, two friends Lewis & Sewall. Fired cannon &c. &c. Good time.

Rosa went to gentleman. Meg one pup.

July 5. Wednesday. Attended exhibition of Collins school by invitation of Mr. Parmeter.

Proposed to Mr. Parmeter to give a sum of money to prepare medals for the next exhibition to best scholars.

July 6. Thursday. Had a fine sail.

July 7. Friday. Attended exhibition of the young ladies high school. Florence Foster [Teacher, see School Committee Report, 1865] fifteen graduated with much honor to themselves & reflected much honor on their teacher.

July 8. Saturday. Went to Boston.

Insured bark Prima Donna \$16,000 Columbian 4 ½ \$721.00, \$5,000 Washington 4 ½ \$251.25, 12 months Due July 11, 1866.

To Australia & back to user. 1/4% to be added for every port besides.

Addenda.

July 9. Sunday. Delightful day.

July 10. Monday. Had a fine sail.

July 11. Tuesday. Rainy, had fire in boat house.

Put off buoy to middle week.

July 12. Wednesday. Went to the city. Invited James & wife to come down. George went picknicking.

Received letter from Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer Halifax.

July 13. Thursday. James Haughton came down & wife at 4 o'clock. Showered.

Wrote to Mr. Sawyer & Mrs. Hill.

July 14. Friday. Went to sail to Bakers Island. James & wife & Mrs. S. rode 1/2 hour.

James Ingersoll went fishing, caught plenty of perch.

July 15. Saturday. Ice came 3rd time.

Went to the city.

James H[oughton] & wife drove around cape. Miss Linzee went to Henshaw's at Nahant to visit.

Shares S h [Sawyer & Haughton?] \$500 on account.

Gold 142.

July 16. Sunday. Delightful day.

James & wife & Mrs. Sawyer went to church and heard the Rev. Mr. Lothrop. B.K. Hough & Geo. K.(?) Hillard called & Mr. Gilbert about 6 o'clock.

July 17. Monday. Rainy, fine showers AM.

After dinner James H. & self went to cove rock fishing. Charley & Annie called.

Gold 143.

July 18. Tuesday. Went to Rafe's Chasm morning, also around little heater(?).

James unwell at home.

July 19. Wednesday. Went to the city, returned at 10:30 AM.

Rode to Farmer Butler's.

Wrote to Capt. Watson about going to Portsmouth at sale of two barques Roebuck & E. Allen.

Mrs. Gilbert called over.

[Insurance] \$5,000 Delaware freight 12 months 5% \$251.

July 20. Thursday. Went to Portsmouth to attend sale of Ethan Allen \$20,000 & Roebuck \$14,1000 & returned by Fast Train. Took tea at Mr. Charles Salmon(?).

July 21. Friday. Very warm weather.

Went to ride with Nelson in buggy & two horses.

July 22. Saturday. Went to the city, sales of the firm very large, especially in New York.

Called to see B. F. Dwight archi(?) In behalf of Mr. Pratt.

Paid Mr. Butler hay, arranged for 10 tons more or less, at price of this month.

July 23. Blank.

July 24. Monday. Santa Anna, Sagamore, Cutshamaci(?) [Names of ships?]

July 25. Tuesday. Monitor Agamenticus came in, Captain Parrott, also the school ship, Capt. Mathews.

July 26. Wednesday. Went to Boston & returned at 10:30 o'clock.

Attended party at Hare's [Hawes'?] to meet Capt. Parrott of monitor Agamenticus.

July 27. Thursday. Went to sail to Baker's Island. Nelson returned home. James out again.

Joseph Sawyer & wife came down to Jaquith's.

Paid storage Rowe's hides to date \$42.

July 28. Friday. Warm weather.

Mrs. Bradbury & friends(?) Called. Also Mr. & Mrs. Bartol & Mrs. B. Aunt Elizabeth afternoon.

Called at Benj. Corliss.

Sent Esther \$750 rent.

July 29. Saturday. Very hot weather, hottest day.

Charley Hough & Sewall came over.

Prima Donna \$3,000 Columbian frt. 4% \$121, 12 months to Adelaide & back, due August 1, 1866.

July 30. Sunday. Delightful day, rather cool.

Mrs. S. went to church, & Lottie & Mary Sawyer.

July 31. Monday. Aunt Eliza & Lucy came to make a visit. We spent most of the day in Boat House. Aunt & Nib went over to Mrs. Moore's.

AUGUST

August 1. Tuesday. Went to sail in the morning with Lucy & two Sawyer children.

Rode in the afternoon down to Mr. Butler's.

August 2. Wednesday. Went to the city. Returned at 10:30.

Sales last month \$654,000, Profits [code]

Called at Hough's.

Aunt Eliza returned to Ben's & will go home tomorrow & her daughter, gave her ten dollars to pay part of expenses.

August 3. Thursday. Rode to Manchester & invited Mr. & Mrs. Bartol to come up & spend Friday.

August 4. Friday. Mr. & Mrs. Bartol came up via Rail Road. Went to the Country thence to call upon Mr. Lane the artist afterwards went to sail. Got becalmed. Enjoyed the day.

August 5. Saturday. Went to the city.

August 6. Sunday. C. Sawyer, Jr. address:

Care J. Colton & Co., Merchants

Adelaide

Australia.

Papers &c. 60 days mail.

August 7. Monday. Went to sail up to Beverly, wind northwest & delightful weather, fine sail.

August 8. Tuesday. Charles went to sea, bound for Australia.
Called upon Mrs. Haughton at Pigeon Cove.

August 9. Wednesday. Went to the city.
Sold \$141.68 gold @ 143 \$202.51, 1/4 part belongs to Capt. Watson.
Advance Capt. Stevens' wife to Aug. 1, \$120.

August 10. Sailed in the afternoon. Dale had a fishin party in the sloop Helen. Had a race.

August 11. Friday. Expected the Haughtons from Pigeon Cove to spend the day. Weather not propitious.
Attended party at Rogers Hall, charades & dancing.

August 12. Saturday. Went to the city. Called upon Mrs. Bixby & Fanny.
Haughton came down to P. Cove with Anne.
Watson drew \$150 on account of interest and 1/4 of \$202.51.

August 13. Sunday. Went to church, heard Rev. Mr. Rogers. Theme from the story of Ruth and her daughter-in-law.
Gilbert call, also Mr. Hough, wife & Anne.

August 14. Monday. Invited company to go to Thatchers Island.

August 15. Tuesday. Geo. S. Hillard(?), B.K. Hough, Charley, Doctor Hildreth, Capt. Low, Gilbert, J. C. Calef, Jaquith.
We were three hours going to Thatchers Island & an hour & half coming home. All had a delightful time.
Field & wife called.

August 16. Wednesday. Went to the city. Charley Hough went to Halifax in steamer Asia, together with Mr. Hughes & daughter Eliza.
Called upon Mrs. Hutchins & Mrs. Gavin.
Showers.

August 17. Thursday. Expected Mrs. Haughton & Jamy to spend the day, but the weather was not propitious.
Cool & pleasant in the afternoon.

August 18. Friday. The Haughtons came by rail, went to sail. Mrs. H. and Augustine did not go, but the latter was taken ill during our absence. They all returned by railroad. Nelson came over by boat.

August 19. Saturday. Went to the city. Receiver letter from Capt. Stevens dated July 8 [] in letter not yet received.
Mary, cook, came to the city.

August 20. Sunday. Mrs. Caroline M. Perkins, wife of Rufus Perkins, died suddenly on Friday evening last about 10 o'clock, aged 58 years & 3 days. We lose a good friend & pleasant home.

August 21. Monday. Mrs. Sawyer & myself went to the city & returned at 10:30 o'clock.
Took the Dexters to sail.

August 22. Tuesday. Mrs. Perkins' funeral at 12 o'clock noon, the two Mr. Ellis officiated. Funeral not large. Her body was taken to Hingham for burial. Great abundance of flowers.

August 23. Wednesday. Went to sail & returned at noon.
Afternoon rode to Manchester & invited Mr. & Mrs. Foote to come & spend the day.

August 24. Thursday. Clam chowder at Swift's farm by invitation of Mr. Hough. Company about 75 in number. Had a very good time.

August 25. Friday. Eleanor came over to visit Fanny. Doctor Hildreth dined & sailed with me. Rode to town in the afternoon.

August 26. Saturday. Went to the city. Called at 11 Beacon St., saw Mrs. Chandler. Saw Col. Lincoln in regard to rooms, also Mr. Cotting. Spoke to Tudor about charter Jewess.

August 27. Sunday. Sold last week for \$3cm [\$300,000?]

August 28. Monday. Mr. Heywood came over & took several Photographic views.

Revd. Mr. Bartol & the children were here & dined.

Purchased corner lot at auction for protection. Worth \$100, cost \$400.

August 29. Tuesday. Mr. & Mrs. Foote & Miss Linzee came and spent the day. Went to sail in the morning and supped in the Boat House. Enjoyed the day very much. Mrs. Bartlett drove over.

August 30. Wednesday. Went to the city in morning. Called upon Mrs. Warren & Miss Linzee at Pavillion. Also at Aunt Harriet's.

Gold 144.

August 31. Thursday. Joseph Sawyer & family and the Jaquiths took tea in the Boat House.

Delightful night.

SEPTEMBER

September 1. Friday. Very hot.

Went to Rafe's Chasm at 4 o'clock PM with Mrs. John E. Thayer, Mrs. Warren & Miss Linzee.

September 2. Saturday. Went to the city. Very warm.

Julia Murray has a little girl.

James & wife returned from Pigeon Cove.

September 3. Sunday. Revd. Mr. & Mrs. Bartol came from Manchester, [he] preached for Mr. Rogers in the morning & dined with us & spent afternoon. His sister & Nelson came over.

September 4. Monday. Called upon Mr. & Mrs. Warren at Pavilion. Saw Mrs. J.T. Heard, Mrs. J. E. Thayer, Revd. Mr. & Mrs. Thayer & Mr. Patterson.

Paid for J. S. Webber the amount of his taxes, \$80, as a loan & did not take the deed—left open. Digging well cow pasture.

September 5. Tuesday. Went to Manchester. Invited Revd. Mr. Bartol & Mr. Foote to come up & spend Thursday for a ramble at Eastern Point.

Nieba awoke in the evening, not very well. Had been talking in her sleep.

September 6. Wednesday. Rainy.

Went to the city.

Nieba quite sick.

One of Bartlett's horses killed by getting his leg through trap.

Finished well. 3 feet water.

Gold 144 ½.

September 7. Thursday. Jewess arrived at Mauritius.

Mr. Bartol came, met him at depot. Mr. Foote went to the city.

We rowed & sailed to the Eastern Point, left our boat at wharf & crossed to the back side, walked nearly round point & then had sail in yacht. Enjoyed it.

September 8. Friday. Saile din the morning. Went outside, very rough & uncomfortable.
Saw Mr. Page about clearing Little Pasture. Will commence on Monday.

September 9. Saturday. Went to city. Talked of chartering the Jewess, misunderstanding about gold or currency.
Saw Mrs. Geo. Hill about rooms. Her terms \$85 for 8 months, no allowance for absence.

September 10. Sunday. Called Dr. Davidson to go and see Nieba. She is very sick.
Went to Manchester, walked over to back side to Lobster Cove.

September 11. Monday. Doctor Davidson went to see Nieba—not expected to live all day. Sad, sad news. We all loved her so very much. Nieba died at 1 o'clock.

September 12. Tuesday. Went to the city with Mrs. Sawyer to prepare for funeral tomorrow.
Rained while in the city, hot.

September 13. Wednesday. Commenced clearing Little Pasture.
Baby was buried today. Funeral at 1 o'clock.
Mr. Bartol made impressive & sympathizing remarks and prayers. Mr. Foote was present.
Very, very hot at midday. Family stopped with us.

September 14. Thursday. Went to the city. Hot.
Accident yesterday B. G. Boardman's carriage. Miss Wardsworth[?] daughter of Alex was killed instantly, pole broke.
Continued clearing pasture. HOT.

September 15. Friday. At work on pasture, workmen &c, 2 yoke oxen & two Mr. Page, Mr. Page & James & George. VERY, VERY HOT.
Mr. Bartlett came down sick, touch of dysentery, saw the doctor.

September 16. Saturday. Emerson & Porter. Found [] horse.
Went to the city. Stocks high.
Mr. Bartlett sick at home. Sent for the Doctor Davidson.
Selected green carpet for rooms.

September 17. Still warm weather. Did not go to church.
Bartlett still unwell. Doctor Davidson came over to see him.
Great fire in the woods. Went to Swift's farm. Village much in danger, called up the selectmen & chief of fire department.

September 18. Monday. Rainy. Took yacht over to the harbour. Leaking.
Bartlett still sick.

September 19. Tuesday. Rained during the night.

September 20. Wednesday. Went to the city. H informed me that the stock did not hold out.
Page, James & George at work & 2 yoke oxen part time.

September 21. Thursday. Same at work in pasture.
Brought Whip over & stopped a leak in butt, oakum out.
All went Nieba's grave with flowers.

September 22. Friday. Same at work in pasture.
Blowed fresh eastward.

September 23. Saturday. Page, Bray, James & George at work & 2 yoke oxen part.

September 24. Sunday. Blank.

September 25. Monday. Rainy in the morning. Page, James & George continued work in pasture at 8 o'clock AM, oxen part.

Blasted one rock.

September 26. Tuesday. Two Brays, Page, James & George continued ploughing &c. &c.

September 27. Wednesday. Two Brays, Page, James & George continued ploughing 7 finished.

Nelson & myself went to city & started with Long Boat and returned, headwind.

September 28. Thursday. Went to sail with Charley Hough & Nelson.

September 29. Friday. James went in the 4 o'clock train to bring the boat down and we started in the Whip and went down to Fort Warren, but James returned to the city. Had a fine breeze coming back.

September 30. Saturday. Went to the city and sold to Richardson

1,000 Hides at 24 lbs. .31, 15 days

1,800 Hides 21 lbs. .30

Also 2526 hides 22 lbs. .30, 30 days.

Culls 2/3 price. Pearson.

OCTOBER

October 1. Sunday. Went to the cemetery with Mr. Bartlett & family, thence to see Mr. Pratt about fence stone of red granite.

Mr. Marchant sells to Mr. B. next lot to mine for \$150.

October 2. Monday. Mr. & Mrs. Bartlett & family returned to the city & are going to Tremont House.

James went to Boston for the boat & C. Hough & myself met him beyond Half Way Rock & brought him down. Fire excitement neat []

October 3. Tuesday. Mr. Capen came down by appointment at 12 o'clock, his wife did not come. Drove about own and afterwards to Batters(?).

Gathered corn.

October 4. Wednesday. Mr. Capen here. Returned at 4:40 o'clock. Drove to cemetery.

Took Yankee Doodle, 3 months.

Put up yacht.

Wind north east. Had Nelson's and my boat to bring sails &c.

Wrote to Clara, Australia.

October 5. Thursday. Gathered Kilumhells [variety of apple?]

Trimmed up the Ravine, cutting down alders &c.

Col. Div. National Ins. 1.20

Boston Ins. 2.40

Salisbury Ins. 4.50

Total 8.10

Gold adv. 146.

October 6. Friday. Went to sail in new boat.

Spent afternoon & tead at Mr. Hough's. Played croquet.

Gold 148 ½.

October 7. Saturday. Gathered Russets.

Mrs. Sawyer & myself spent day in Boston, dining at Tremont.

Mrs. Hill has a very nice carpet & ready to go down.

Gold 146 ½.

October 8. Sunday. Rainy, wind easterly, the first for some time. The drouth has been very severe, and the fires in the woods have done much damage.

Div. Mrs. S. Suffolk. \$125

Salisbury \$300

October 9. Monday. Foggy. 250 sail of vessels went out of the harbour this morning. Fog cleared, got bait to go mackereling. Wind light. Fleet went far away toward Cape Cod.

October 10. Tuesday. Wind norwest. Went to sail in the Launch. Flawy(?). Sails very well.

DSW went in the PM. Mary Stephens called.

October 11. Wednesday. Div. Gloucester Bank CW \$50

Washington Ins. \$280

Manufacturers Ins. \$150

Merchants Ins. \$100

James went with me to city to see yacht Ripple.

Wind sowest.

October 12. Thursday. Did a little gluing.

Called upon Mr. Pratt & went to the cemetery & laid out the lot, 39 ft. front, 43 feet deep, 27 feet rear.

Sailed in launch, strong breeze, wind north.

Gold 145.

October 13. Friday. Finished gathering apples & sent off cider apples.

Circus troupe.

Went to sail. Killed two coot.

Aunt Charlotte came down.

Mr. J. & Lottie spent evening.

October 14. Saturday. Went to the city. Collected dividends:

Manufacturers \$150

Washington \$280

Received Thos. O. Richardson check for \$18,000 on hides payable on Monday

Butler brought load of hay. 3 to do.

October 15. Sunday.

Wind east, fresh breeze, stormy. Spent the day in Boat House.

October 16. Monday. Gunning, killed three coot. Wind norwest, very fresh. Went beyond Egg Rock.

Nelson came down at 2:30. Charley H. coming tomorrow.

October 17. Tuesday. Went to sail in the launch, wind pretty strong, westerly.

Revenue cutter Pawtuxent overhauled every fisherman in the harbor & examining papers.

Shot three coot.

Nelson returned to B[oston.]

October 18. Wednesday. Went to the city & Custom H[ouse] with Richardson. Came down at 10:30 o'clock. Gunning in the afternoon, killed two coot, gave to Jaquith.

Gold 146 ½.

October 19. Thursday. Stormy, wind sowed, put launch to upper wharf.

C. Hough came over to dine on coot, very good.

October 20. Friday. Intended to go to Squam, wind too strong sowed.

Killed one coot at landing.

C.H. [Charles Hough] came over at 4 o'clock.

October 21. Saturday. \$10,000 Nor(?) From 148007 to 148016 inclusive.

Called at Mrs. Hill's, gave memo, proposed to charter Jewess home to Boston or New York 7%.

October 22. Sunday. Heard Revd. Mr. Rogers, very poor, at church. Text Romans 12:13.

C.H. returned over the road in company with Fred M.

Mr. Gilbert came over at 4 o'clock.

Met Mr. Tuckerman the artist walking with Jos. Stevens.

October 23. Monday. Put up Images(?). Fixed steps to beach.

Gold 146.

October 24. Tuesday. Received fourth load of hay. 27.00

Three previous 30, 28, 28 6.00

½ load of straw about 12.00

Cut sweet apple tree & 2 cherry.

Went to sail on launch last time.

October 25. Wednesday. Paid Almira \$100 on account C. S., Jr.

Hauling muck to the hill, Bray and one yoke oxen.

Made calls upon Mrs. Dexter, Mr. Rogers, Aunt Harriet, Rachel, Doctor Hildreth, Calef, Mrs. Gilbert & Mrs. Lowe.

October 26. Thursday. Hauled 12 loads muck to homestead & some 12 to hill. Brays & 2 yoke [oxen], Davis & one.

Called yesterday upon Mr. Tuckerman. Mrs. Dexter called down.

Got half done Bartlets (?) Lot.

October 27. Friday. Saw Webber about \$400 lot.

Two yoke [oxen] Bray & Davis ½ day, hauled 6 loads muck home.

Invited to Captain Low's to tea. Didn't go, rainy afternoon.

October 28. Saturday. Stormy. High wind southeast.

Went to the city at 10:10 o'clock.

Paid for \$5,000 7 3/10 #82200 to 82204.

Money stringent. Gold 146.

October 29. Sunday.

Pleasant day. Put up pictures and packed trunks.

Called in evening to Captain Lowe's. Lottie.

October 30. Monday. Returned to the city for winter, a truly menacholy [melancholy] day for me.

Pd. Wm. Soneen(?) In full, \$150, also Bridget & Mary in full.

October 31. Tuesday. "Received of Samuel E. Sawyer one hundred dollars for Sept. & Oct., \$100." [Signed] James Ingersoll.

Spent day at Gloucester hauling manure from cow barn, 13. Bray & one yoke.

November

November 1. Wednesday. Went to Salem(?) Midnight at Charlestown M. Yard \$135.00.

Treed horse with Matthew.

Paid Mrs. Hill board Sept. & Oct.

Chartered Jewess £3.5 to U. S.

Mrs. Sawyer drew \$100.

Mary & Bridget came in to say they will come again next summer 50 each [] for winter.

November 2. Thursday. The screw(?) Co. at Boston is very finely located & very promising.

Paid Captain Watson 1/4 of £375, 5% (?) \$2,650, by note Oct. 17th for \$500 & 16.25 fast(?).

November 3. Friday. Matthew engaged pew at King's Chapel.

November 4. Saturday. Mrs. S. sold Worcester R. Rd. \$3217.50, also Nort. Lancaster Mills \$5600.00, Langdon Mills \$2500.00.

Collected \$17,000 of J.O. Richardson hides.

Rainy nearly all day.

Gold 146 3/4.

November 5. Sunday. Attended church, Mr. Foote preached and Mr. Robbins in the afternoon.

Called upon Mrs. Bixby. She is not well & troubled with heart [].

Spent evening at Mrs. Bartlett's and Miss Linzee went with us.

November 6. Monday. Spent day at Brookbank. Mr. Frank Bray & one yoke splitting rocks near garden, doing very well. James has accomplished a good deal last week. Lottie came up with me.

Mr. & Mrs. Foote came, gave photos.

November 6. Tuesday.

Bot for Green Book. Mrs. Sawyer 10,000 49797 & 49798, also 46676 to 46683 inclusive.

Bot for Mrs. Sawyer Red Book \$5,000 163757 to 163761 inclusive.

Wrote Mrs. Hill & Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer.

Gold 147 1/4.

November 8. Wednesday. 5,000 163762 to 163766 inclusive. Self.

Offered Jewess to Croshaw & Co., L.

U.S. 67/6, England 72/6, Continent 751. Chrough Thyer & Peabody 7 1/2% com.

Collected 4157 from C. & C. Sails Prima Donna.

Mr. Haughton went to New York.

November 9. Thursday. Revd. Mr. Bartol called last night, very pleasant call, gave him photographs house.

Richardson Entered for export \$1000 hides Rowes, \$300 Lombard's.

Sent \$50 to Revd. Mr. Foote for Provident Association & Mrs. [Foote?] \$10 Children's Mission.

Gold 146 1/2.

November 10. Friday. Went to Brookbank. Still the work, men are splitting rocks for the Wharf.

Dined at Jaquiths'. Molly bad cold.

George will leave on the 14th of month.

November 11. Saturday. Went to Mt. Auburn with Matt to see stone work & monument. I like the granite one of Benj. Ropes Nichols near Nathaniel Bowditch's.

Cotton goods lower & dull, also Cotton 52 cents.

Gold 146 ½.

November 12. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Foote preached twice.

Miss Linzee went with us PM.

Received note from Mr. Foote acknowledging receipt of \$50 for Provident Assn.

November 13. Monday. Called upon Rev. Mr. Bartol, he & his daughter were out, had a pleasant call upon Mrs. B.

Dry good declining.

November 14. Tuesday. Settled storage, insurance & weighing hides.

Also with L. O. R. paying back 56708.

Saw Mr. Pratt & Bartlett about stone work.

Attended meeting of No. Am. Ins. Office, voted to extend charter.

Gold 147 ½.

November 15. Wednesday. Went to Brookbank, day was very fine. Bought wood on old Orchard lot No. 10, \$25 and presented it to James.

Cotton 15 cents lb. Lower.

Wrote lines to little Nieba, pub.

Mr. H. in New York, 7 3/10 96 lowest.

November 16. Thursday. Collected sale Merk(?) Stock \$1344.50, also dividend Merc. Marine Ins. Co. \$300.

Mat[thew Bartlett] gone to New York.

Sent \$100 to Mercantile Library Assn.

Mat returned tonight.

Gold 147.

November 17. Very warm weather, four days wind southwest.

7 3/10 adj. To 97.

Settled for all export of hides, including ½ commission to Morey \$171.18.

November 18. Saturday. Bought for Mrs. Sawyer today at 97 1/8, 7 3/10 5,000 Nos. 4212 to 4216.

Mr. H. left New York at 12:00 m.

Gold 147.

November 19. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached in the morning, giving a history of the Common Prayer Book. Mr. Bartol officiated in the afternoon from the curious text, Do your own business.

It was rich and racy, few hearers. How few of our people go to church PM.

November 20. Monday. Unpleasant weather, wind easterly, did not go to Gloucester as intended.

Mr. Haughton came home Saturday evening.

James & wife called during the evening & Mr. & Mrs. Bartlett spent evening.

November 21. Tuesday. Violent storm, wind east, rainy. Went to store late & got very wet.

Men did not work today.

Brig Larch of St. George loaded with lumber went ashore on Cut Beach. Knocked her stern off. Cove Ledge Buoy came ashore.

November 22. Wednesday. Went to Gloucester. Not very pleasant. Work not finished on the wharf. Fixed up Mother's rose bush.

James drove me over. Dined at J's. [Jaquith?]

No works on rocks today.

Gold 147.

November 23. Thursday. Called upon Michael Scott, who is leaning against the last mile post, for soon he must go. He has been a faithful servant & has deserved all our care. Wife & three children.

Went out to Madame Eustis'.

November 24. Friday. Called to see Michael Scott. He is about same as yesterday, took some grapes & oranges to him.

Went into the Church Green. Saw Mr. Cutting, G.W. Simmons & Col. Sever.

Went to the Fair with Mary, Nelson & Mrs. Sawyer. Took many tickets.

Gold 147.

November 25. Saturday. Saw Michael. He is very low.

We are very sorry to hear that Mrs. Bixby is becoming feeble, not much appetite. Her breath is very short & she cannot make any sudden exertion.

Mercantile Library Assn. fair closes tonight.

50 years.

November 26. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached on "humility" AM, & afternoon "as thy days are so shall our strength be."

Called in the evening upon Mrs. Bixby and upon Mrs. Sawyer with Lottie.

November 27. Monday. Went to Gloucester. Sale of wrecked boards at auction. Day very pleasant.

James & Frank Bray & one yoke at work in the afternoon. Walked back.

Lottie came down home at 12:15.

Spoke with H. about buying church.

November 28. Tuesday. Wm.(?) Woods goes out west.

First snow fell last night.

Called on Mrs. Bixby. Bottle whiskey.

Called at Mr. Haughton's. Met son of Revd. Mr. Blagden, who looks like C. A. S.

Gold 148.

November 29. Wednesday. Saw Mr. Frost about cost of altering church. He will soon render estimate.

Dry goods rather dull & low.

Gold 148 1/4.

November 30. Thursday. Rainy. Had bad tooth ache in evening.

Gold 148.

December 1. Friday. Rainy morning. Clear PM.

First day of winter. One month of our stay in Boston has quickly gone. Time flies. Soon we shall be thinking of Brookbank.

December 2. Saturday. Michael Scott died this AM at 7:00 o'clock of consumption. He was a faithful servant to the house for ten years.

Saw Mr. Frost & talked about Church.

December 3. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached in forenoon & Mr. Lathrop in the afternoon from text, "I will." Very good.

Called upon Mrs. Bixby & met Mr. & Mrs. Tilden.

Mild weather.

December 4. Monday. Rainy. Went over the church again & concluded to buy it. Frost estimates cost altering \$11,000.

Michael Scott buried. Funeral expenses \$60.

Saw Col. Sever about church.

December 5. Tuesday. Pleasant day, much cooler.

Called at Mr. Hough's, had a very pleasant visit. Talked of copers mine.

December 6. Wednesday. Collected \$2670 Int. Del. Scrip, also \$20.00 Captain Watson for short weight in hides.

Read President's message & Sec. McCulloch's report, both considered very good.

Gold 147 ½.

Bought largish(?) Heavy sheetings.

December 7. Thursday. Thanksgiving, attended church. Mr. Foote preached. Very few present, about 100.

Dined at Bartlett's.

First snowstorm all day. Stormy day.

Invited to Mrs. Hughes to party.

December 8. Friday. Cool & pleasant.

Called at Frank Rowell's for photograph of myself.

Haughton & wife, Annie & Fanny called in the evening.

December 9. Saturday. Bought 100 bales Medford sheeting at 28 ½ cents, equal to 85 ½ hundred lb.

Collected \$580 Delaware scrip. C.S.W.(?) Interested in 1/4 of \$130.80 or \$22.89.

Matt bought barque Zoloff. 171 tons, \$5675.

Gold 144 ¾.

December 10. Sunday. Doctor Hedge preached a charming discourse this morning.

December 11. Monday. Heavy sheetings firm with an advance. Cannot duplicate purchases.

December 12. Tuesday. Saw Col. Sever about the church & must wait until he arranges with the city.

Went to a charming party at Mr. Geo. Hughes.

December 13. Wednesday. Met Col. Sever again with plans & [] About 10,549 feet left after the city had taken what they want.

The body of Doctor Richards' daughter came down from North Conway.

December 14. Thursday. Met Col. Sever again today, nothing definite arranged.

Mackerel tonger for goods.

Government up [] 2%.

Gold 145.

December 15. Collected dividend Langdon \$2500. Coupons \$365, \$365, & \$1095 + \$1825.00.

Attended funeral of Doctor Richards' daughter at Mr. Haughton's.

Goods very active & have(?) Advanced.

December 16. Saturday. Bought 25 shares Naumkeag 127. 3175.

Governments lower.

Cold weather.

Cotton goods very scarce.

Mrs. Sawyer drew private \$50.

December 17. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Humphreys of Springfield preached this morning upon the unwritten history or life of Christ. Some portions of the sermon were eloquent.

December 18. Monday. Offered for Beebe's store \$15,000 & taxes.

Weld store 6530 feet, tax \$155 [per thousand].

Beebe store 11,050 feet, taxes \$230 [per thousand].

December 19. Tuesday. Mrs. Sawyer has a very bad cold.

Saw Captain Sever at his house.

Goods advancing & business active.

Ordered porcelain picture Nieba.

December 20. Wednesday. Went to Gloucester, fair weather.

Called at Mrs. Gilbert's & Mr. Knowlton's.

Settled bills for labour &c. James paid Almira \$50 on account Prima Donna. Insurance Prima Donna year from today.

3 policies \$22,000.

Gold 146 ½.

December 21. Thursday. Business not so active, but goods well sustained.

Snow last night.

December 22. Friday. Great military display & speeches giving the old battle flags of Massachusetts.

Mrs. S. buying presents for Christmas.

Gold 146.

December 23. Saturday. Attended auction & bought 28 shares Washington Ins. Co. at \$175.50.

Hired John Beebe's store 5 years at \$16,500 per annum & property taxes.

December 24. Sunday. Snow storm in the morning and rainy with high wind in the afternoon.

Mr. Foote preached on Hospitality. Church decorated.

Mary unwell.

December 25. Monday. Mr. Foote preached a very good sermon. Church nicely trimmed, very full, the singing fine.

Called on Mrs. Bardwell, saw the twins.

Spent evening at Bartletts' and opened presents.

December 26. Tuesday. Very mild and pleasant.
 Went with Fanny to Rowell's to have her porcelain photograph.
 Called upon Mrs. Gould evening.
 Gold 145 ½.
 December 27. Wednesday. Rainy, wind southerly, warm.
 Madonna della Sedia by Raphael
 M. N. Bolster, Atlas. Johnsons(?) Wilkinsonville, MS.
 December 28. Thursday. Washington Mills 11 o'clock.
 Attended exhibition of the Chauncy Hall School. Some of the performances were very creditable.
 Very rainy.
 Frederick W. Freeman. Sermons. Thomas R. Ticknor.
 December 29. Friday. Frame flower piece, 19 x 22.
 Bought Politicians by Grainger.
 Called at Mr. Gookin's, not at home, then at Mr. Haughton's, saw Doctor & wife.
 December 30. Saturday. The sales of today, to U. T. Steergirt(?) & others was pretty bargain packages, which are charged January 1, '66.
 Snowstorm in the afternoon.
 Last business day of the year.
 Myrmon(?) Abercrombie.
 December 31. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached two sermons appropriate to the closing year, and were well written.
 Albert Durer, Nuremberg 1471. Father goldsmith. He painter & architect & sculptor.
 Adoration of Magi. Descent from Cross, Paul, John, Mark, St. Jerome.

Received of Sam. E. Sawyer one hundred dollars for services for the months of November and December 1865, in full. \$100. [Signed] James Ingersoll.

Cash Account

January	
Cash on hand	146.00
2. Subscription Exchange RR	15.00
4. Aunt Esther	10.00
Repair g. spectacles & stamps	1.25
5. New South pew tax to Jan. 1, '65. Paid	12.87
Transcript to June 1	5.83
Benj. Cross(?) E. Point Light	10.00
9. Doctor Homans	10.00
13. Don Sebastian & life	4.30
Charity. Leg	1.00
Zenobia	1.00

18. Aunt Esther gift [total 100.00]	50.00
27. Fanny's birthday, 1.00	1.00
[Total]	145.20

February

6. Female Charitable Assn.	25.00
Rev. Robert P. Rogers [total 100.00]	25.00
8. Balance board to Feb. 1	568.00
10. Stamps for certificates	2.00
13. Fare to Gloucester & carriage	4.00
Steak	1.05
Poor family	5.00
14. Fares home & Lottie & car	5.50
James hay, shoeing &	47.84
17. Poor girl	.35
Stamps	.65
23. Carriage to Dorchester	6.00
Mend spectacles	1.00
Courier to July '65	3.50
Postage stamps &	1.00
Courier to July 1 '65	6.00
27. Black currant lozenges	.75
Washing Feby.	6.35
[Total]	718.44

March

1. Board February \$10 error	291.00
Candy 2.25 Stamps .25	.50
2. James on account [Total 3 mos.]	50.00
7. Veteran	1.50
Repair coat	2.75
9. Bouquet Miss Robb	2.25
11. Filling tooth	3.00
Brandy, port, Bourbon	23.50
20. Mrs. Eveleth last bill	3.30
Recording deed, W[ood] lot	1.00
21. Tickets to Gloucester	5.25
Ticket Dorch(?)	.50
27. Hair brush & tooth	.80
29. Omnibus & stamps	2.00
31. Hannah mending	1.20

Washing 2 weeks by Mrs. Eayres	3.72
Candy for baby	.20
[Total]	392.27

April

1. James bal. To date	50.00
10. Mrs. P. board March	311.00
Tax New South March	12.87
Filling two teeth	8.00
16. Easter contribution	5.00
26. Raspberry vines	5.50
Meg licenses	5.00

May

1. Season ticket	37.50
6. Wm. Fuller trees &c.	80.00
13. Quincy pew to Feb. 1.	57.50
16. Mrs. Perkins board	301.00
22. Mary 15, Bridget 10	25.00
27. Silver vase & salver	175.00

June

6. Nib house expenses	10.00
James on account	50.00
10. Chicken & strawberries	6.38
Mrs. Perkins board May	256.00
14. Winchester	64.29
Views [photographs] at Brookbank	30.83
21. William. Expenses	76.27
24. Aunt Esther rent	10.00
Magno .40 Linzee hack .50	.90

July

1. Jas. Read, lame, cont.	5.00
Pew tax No. 70 to date	12.87
4. James gift on int.	50.00
Whip [] & license	15.50
12. Chickens. Strawberries	12.50
15. Transcript to July 1	4.75

Mrs. Sawyer house	5.00
19. Internal Revenue	23.85
20. Ex. To Portsmouth &c.	6.00
Butler. Hay &c. &c.	285.19
20 bushels oats & teamster	17.75
28. Aunt Esther rent	7.50
31. Aunt Eliza gift	10.00
Season tickets 3 months to Oct. 31	37.50
Williams bill	79.38
Pettingill. Planing Aug. '64	2.50

August

15. Thatchers Island. Lt. Harris	1.00
5 Boston tickets	5.25
Mrs. Sawyer house	5.00
22. Wreath Mrs. P.	5.00
Hack & fares	5.20
28. Esther rent	10.00
31. Internal Revenue tax	1504.20
Daniel Bray bid	2.00
Winchester stable	12.80
Oar to match	1.20
James, July & August	80.00
Witham's bill	59.00

September

2. Paid taxes for D.S. Webber	80.00
8. Courier to Jan. 1 '66	4.50
16. 10 dozen stereo views	35.00
23. Gloucester taxes	127.85
M.L. Hall bill	13.74
Mrs. Sawyer house	5.00
Nelson's fare Boston	1.20
30. William's bill	86.5[]

October

4. Bray's bill pasture	50.50
Page's bill pasture	43.75
5. Mrs. Sawyer house 5 of 5	10.00

Pew tax to Oct. 1	12.87
7. Pr. Chickens	2.00
1 yd. 27 in. Silk	5.00
James. Small bills	7.60
9. Bait .50, chickens 3.00	3.50
14. Government launch	125.00
Cider barrel 1.25 & making 1.50	2.75
15. Esther ent Sept. & Oct.	15.00
Mrs. Sawyer house	10.00
21. Chickens 2.20, flask .35	2.55
Johnsons maps	17.50
S.E. Williams & Co.	33.50
Hasps .15, Tickets 5.25	5.41
28. Tickets 5.25, tea & 1.40	6.65
Jaquith 15.00, Hay & Poor	30.00
29. Spade 1.50, shot .54, eggs .20	2.24
Williams bill	46.00

November

City & county tax	1580.00
Poll	2.00
James Sept. & Oct.	100.00
William sew(?) To Oct. 30	150.00
Mary Lynch	69.00
Bridget H. & adverts	53.00
Mary & Bridget gift	10.00
1. Mrs. J. R. Hill Oct.	386.42
6. Tickets to Gloucester	5.25
36 loads muck Steele	18.00
Female Charitable Assn. Susan Mansfield	50.00
Telegraphs to Nov. 1, 1866	2.00
9. Provident Assn., Rev. Mr. Foote	50.00
14. Geo. Marshall 7 mo. @ \$25	175.00
16. Mercantile Liby. Assn.	100.00
James woodlot	25.00
Photographs place	8.25
22. Cards 1.25, tickets 5.25	6.50
23. Mercantile Fair	8.50
Surcingle .75, Grapes & .55	1.30
Gall. O.T. Brandy 9.00, Port 3.50	12.50

December

Savage 1.00, Little wanderer 10.00	11.00
Tickets 2.10, Pict. Boston 1.00	3.20
1. Board month of Nov.	364.28
4. Esther Nov. & Dec.	15.00
5. Hair .35, James turkey 3.00	3.35
12. Hack to Mr. Hughes	2.00
15. Cereus 1.00, stamp .50, hat 10.00	11.50
16. Washing 9.06, corks 1.25	10.31
18. Gin .50, watch crystal .50	1.00
20. James bill labour & James Nov. & Dec.	210.00 100.00
Bronzes 44.50, clock 86.50	131.00
23. 2 liturgy 9.00, bracket 5.25	14.25
Evergreen .50, Kate 3.00	3.50
25. Nelson 5.00, Mary 5.00	10.00
Patrick 2.00, Michael 2.00	4.00
Contr. 2.00, Candy .60, Arks 1.25	3.85
29. Politicians 8.00, shade 1.00	9.00
31. Board Mrs. Hill	376.42
Summary:	
Gifts	928.00
Repairs	78.00
Total:	10,727.46

1866

January

1. Monday. Rainy day and very sploshy. Collected dividends. Krolw(?)

The Bartletts dined with us.

The year opens with much confidence in business circles.

Paid Mrs. Hill.

Gold 145.

2. Tuesday. Sent package to the Jaquiths including stereoscope & 2 views, shawl pin & 1 doz.

Cleavers soap. Mrs. B. also sent a parcel in it.

Ordered 2 new pattern stereoscopes, originated in part by self.

Called on Mr. Foote.

Gold 144 ½.

3. Wednesday. Legislature assembled & sermon delivered at Old South.

Dull day.

Diary given to members of firm, also to Willard, Hilman, Shaw, Prescott, Dodge, Lewis, Flyte & Matt. [Bartlett].

Called on Mrs. Dow & Mrs. Hough.

Gold 144 1/4.

4. Thursday. Called at Dr. Codman's, had 4 teeth extracted.

Ordered 10 shares Naumkeag, .123.

Called at Mrs. Hughes'.

Collected of Bartlett \$25, pew tax.

Gold 142 ½.

5 Friday. Bought 30 shs. Naumkeag, 123, \$3,699.50.

Very cold weather.

Andrew Warren, Waltham, clock & watch dealer.

Brought home Fanny's photograph.

Gold 143.

6. Saturday. Had my own photograph taken F. Rowell.

Got Boston Screw Co. certificate 50 shares. Ordered 25 shares more at \$52.50 each.

Very cold weather tonight.

Mrs. Sawyer called upon Mrs. Whitcomb.

7. Sunday. Cold snowstorm.

Mr. Foote preached twice. His sermon in the morning was one of his best, on truth &c.

Oisi(?) Capt. Watson on memo. \$1818.61 & another \$500.00, total \$2318.61. Paid in March '66, plus interest. [See March 21, 1866.]

8. Monday. Attended meeting Atlantic Mills today 12 o'clock.

Report: Lost 6 mo. To June \$167,000.

Made 6 mos. To Dec. \$472,000, bal. \$305,000.

Dividend on \$1,500, 10%, \$150,000.

Made 2 million pounds, running full-time.

Collected Salisbury Mills 15% quarter.

9. Tuesday. Still cold weather. Wind west.

Mrs. S. went to a Bee at Mrs. H.

Attended meeting of No. Am. Ins. Co.

Cotton \$.01 lower. Business dull.

Gold 137 ½.

10. Wednesday. National Ins. Co. 10 o'clock..

Order George M. Haskins.

Delightful day.

Gold 138.

11. Thursday. Went to Rowells & had Mrs. S. taken.

Delightful day.

Went with J. Sullivan Warren, wife, Miss Linzee, Mrs. Lincoln & Mrs. Sawyer to D. T. Hall Bazaar.

Got Nieba's picture Whipple's.

12. Went to ride with Matt's new small black horses.

Received 1 doz. Fleming's ale. Nipped.

Puck. Argosy, Herald & Mouse, Flee, Whippowil, Zephyr.

13. Saturday. Large sale of stocks at Hinshaw's. Manufacturing shares were active.

Had an entertainment at the house of tableaux. Very good and then dancing.

Business dull.

14. Sunday. Revd. George Eliis preached. Subject: the buried talent. Very good. Preached in the afternoon.
Spent evening with Linzee at Bartletts'. Called at Mrs. Bixby's.
Barque Fredonia arrived with 300 passengers & crew of ship Gratitude.

15. Monday. Elisha Bassett, 108 Pembroke St., called upon us this evening.

16. Tuesday. Snowstorm, rain in the afternoon.
[Code. Probably how much each partner made in 1865.]
Maggie O'Rouque. 10 years old. No. 1 Oliver St. Bowditch School.

17. Wednesday. Bought for Mrs. Bixby today: [Total \$900.56]
Market improved for goods.
Called upon Mrs. B. with ale &c.

18. Thursday. Wrote letter to Jos. O. Proctor & Wm. A. Rowe Corp. on Lecture Hall &c. & took 10 shares \$100, [total] \$1,000.
Went & Mrs. S. to see Faust, Glover's sermon opera. Very fair.
Gold 140.

19. Friday. Whipple did Nieba's picture, colored & charged \$40.
Gold 138.

20. Saturday. Sent Mrs. C. Sawyer, Jr. [sister-in-law] \$100 on account. Drew \$50 on account for A.S. Sawyer [her son, Abraham Samuel Sawyer].
Auction sale spirited.

21. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Chaney preached in the morning & announced(?) the Hymn: O Thou whose power. Mr. Foote preached afternoon, or rather gave an exposition of the first chapter of Acts.

22. Saw Siamese twins & the wild Australian children.
Mrs. Dow called in the evening.
Business still dull.
Sent to Mrs. Bixby 1 doz. Ale.
Gold 139.

23. Tuesday. Columbus Ins. Co. failed \$6 million. Got reinsured.
Received 1 doz. Ale.
At home.
Gold 139 ½.

24. Wednesday. Cool weather, business dull, goods declining, little prospects ahead, gloomy.
Capt. Watson came over & get reinsured at Clary's.
Michael's wife called. Aunt Jane came to dine.

25. Thursday. Snowstorm.
Called at Boston Ins. Office. Mr. Freeman agreed to insure Jewess at 8%(?) For the year & Prima Donna on her voyage, 2 ports(?) Added 5%.
Went to hear L'Africani opera, very good.
Cotton lower. Gold 139 ½.

26. Friday. H. bought 31 bales Appleton \$.30. Business dull.

27. Saturday. Re-insured at Boston Ins. Co. Mauritius. \$9,000 on Jewess, year from Sept. 17 '65, 6 mos. on freight \$15,000 at 8%.

On Prima Donna at Boston Co. \$8,000 vessel, \$3,000 freight, [total] \$11,000 at 5% & \$8,000 vessel at Washington at 5%.

28. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached. Matthew 15:23 & afternoon exposition 1 chapter Acts. Went to a sacred concert of the Italians & Germans.

29. Monday. Sent Esther S. rent \$10. [Gloucester VR, Marriages, p. 495. Sawyer, William M. and Esther S. Corliss of North Yarmouth, int. Nov. 14, 1830.]

30. Tuesday. Opera German. Faust.

Production of Langdon Mills: 22 cases per week, 1700 yds. each. 30 c say \$500 each case. 572000. [\$5720.00?]

31. Wednesday. Called on Mrs. Sullivan Warren. Met Wm. Forten in the evening at Bartlett's. Goods declining slowly.

Gold 140.

February

1. Went to opera. Der Freschnitz(?)

Fine winter weather and excellent sleighing some days.

2. Friday. This German opera troupe is composed of much musical talent and Bethoven's (sic) opera of Fidelio was perfectly charming. Mesdames Rotter & Johannesen, Miss Hermann, Habelman, Himmer(?), Steinicke, Wemlich & others good.

3. Saturday. Fine weather & good sleighing.

Goods a little firm, prospects of more active business.

Mrs. Ringbolt Codman called.

Heard at 6 o'clock PM from Jewess at Bom [Bombay?]

Sent Augustine stereoscope views.

Gold 140.

4. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached twice. Communion day.

Called at Mrs. Bixby's. She does not appear to improve.

5. Monday. Business more active H. [Haughton] gone to New York.

Spent evening at Tremont with Mr. & Mrs. Foote. Lickey's History of Rationalism recom[mended] by Mrs. Foote.

6. Tuesday. Goods active & trifle higher. Green \$255 & 100 short, Red \$1363 over & div. apl. all \$1863.

Gold 139 ½.

7. Wednesday. Spent pleasant evening at Mr. Bartol's. Met his brother minister at Lancaster.

Sent stereoscopes to Mr. Foote and to Mrs. Hough.

Offered \$50 for Morehead house.

8. Thursday. Col. Sever called to say that the arrangement with the city in relation to the church had been changed & no money to be paid.

Went to see Enchantress.

Gold 140.

9. Went to museum. Sons of Cape. Very good performance.
Mr. H. Still in New York. Goods moving slowly.
Received letter from Capt. Stevens. Bombay.
Gold 139 3/4.

10. Saturday. Auction sale rather dull.
Haughton got home.
Attended Milton's panorama. A gift enterprise. 20 present.
Paid Mrs. Stevens, Jewess, \$120.

11. Sunday. Reverend Mr. Kalthrop, an Englishman, preached all day. Very good. Mr. Foote sat in his own pew.
Called on Mrs. Bixby.
Warmer wind, south. Snow melting.

12. Monday. Rainy.
Finished History of Gloucester.
Capt. Charles Watson's residence: No. 53 Chestnut St., Chelsea.

13. Tuesday. Proprietors of New South Church meeting at 3:30 o'clock. Board of Trade.
Voted to petition to the Supreme Court to dissolve the Society and distribute the proceeds. Gave \$2,000 to Tilden and \$2,000 to poor.

14. Wednesday. Have a very bad cold. Got it last week by wetting my feet every time I went out crossing the streets in the snow, which did not tread.

15. Thursday. Fanny sick, threatened with a slow fever.
Very cold weather. No snow upon the ground.
Gold 137 1/2.

16. Friday. Weather still cold.
Business dull again. Cotton lower, goods slack.
Wrote to James [Ingersoll]. Offered \$12 to 15 hours.

17. Saturday.
Auction sale. Pretty active. Heavy stock on hand.
Gold 137.

18. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached from Jer. 31:3 in the morning and exposition upon the Book of Acts PM.
Called with Nelson on Mrs. Bixby.

19. Monday. Very rainy all day. Did not go out on account of bad cold.
Mr. Haughton called at dinner time.
Sent stereoscopes to Mr. & Mrs. Bartol & Revd. & Mrs. Rogers & doz. views each.

20. Tuesday. Delightful weather.
Heard from James. All right at B[rookbank].
Mr. & Mrs. Wood called, also Mr. Haughton & Fanny.
Gold 137.

21. Wednesday. Lottie came up.

Went all over Mrs. Garner Green's [Gardiner Greene] house No. 32 Beacon St. Many people want it & it will probably bring \$75,000. Hear that Jewess is chartered for New York. 47/6 ton 35 dz.(?) Jan. 17.

22. Thursday. Washington's Birthday. Theatres are generally closed.

Attended a pleasant party at Mrs. Mixer's in the house.

23. Friday. Today the Gardner Green [Gardiner Greene] house was sold at auction. The Misses Wells bought it at \$92,000. 3923 fat(?)

Went out to Dr. Capen's & called on Elizabeth & Mamie.

24. Saturday. Mrs. Sawyer drew \$50, private.

Saw Vandercorin \$3,000 auction yesterday. Dogs, rats (?) Sold \$78,000 during the week.

Miss Mary Parrot died yesterday.

25. Sunday. Mr. Morrison preached in morning & Mrs. Hale [of] Dorchester P.M.

Called with Mrs. Sawyer & Nelson upon Mrs. Bixby. She has taken [to] her bed, now three days, and will not probably ever be better.

26. Monday. Saw the Ravels with Nib & Linzee, asked Willard to make up a sketch of last year's bees.

Engaged ticket to Military Ball.

Charley H[ough] called.

27. Tuesday. Mrs. Sold 1 Merks(?) Mg. Co. \$13.

I bought one share Dwight \$735.

Cold snowstorm afternoon.

28. Wednesday. Paid for Dwight \$735.

March

1. Thursday. Spoke to H[oughton] about dissolution.

Got 3 tickets Balcony for Grand Military Ball, 5th inst.

2. Friday. Received letter from C. S., Jr. Adelaide & got insurance on Prima Donna, Dec. 20 '65, 12 mos.

18,000 Boston. Vessel

3,000 Boston. Freight. 310, 9% yr. \$901.00.

8,000 Washington. Vessel. 9% yr. 721.00

4,000. Washington Mutual. N.Y. 9% 361.25.

Charge to Adelaide 2 1/4%

3. Saturday. Sold £750 sterling, 146 1/4 current H S & Co. \$4,875.

Auction sale not spirited & lower.

Took tea with Mrs. Houghton & saw James's beautiful engravings.

Gold 133 3/4.

4. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached forenoon & afternoon, first on Lord's Supper, PM exposition Acts.

Called on Mrs. Bixby. She is better.

5. Monday. Bought \$5,000 7.30 Govt. 2 Series 99 5/16 \$5047.60.

Attended great military ball & invited Miss Linzee & Mary B. It was really a magnificent affair & cost nearly \$20,000.

Bought Morehead house \$500.

Paid insurance to Adelaide.

Gold 132 3/4.

6. Tuesday. James Haughton, Jr. was ordained with three others this AM at Dr. Hyntington's church. Sermon by J. J. T. Coolidge. Good.

7. Wednesday. James H. Jr. called this AM to say he will preach his first sermon on Sunday.

Bought 3 shares Bates for Mrs. S. @ \$160, \$480.75.

Attended artists reception.

Gold 133 1/4.

8. Thursday. Saw Miss Bateman in Leah. Mr. Cooper supported her.

Bought 5 shares Bates for Mrs. S @ 160, \$801.

Gold 131 3/4.

9. Friday. Two months I have been urging to have our books settled and it is not yet done.

Gold 130 3/4.

10. Saturday. Stocks & all at auction sale.

Spoke to H. In relation to my going out of the concern. He made objection. Interest is small & give no direction.

11. Sunday. Attended Kings Chapel AM.

James H., Jr. preached his second sermon at Mr. Huntington's this afternoon. St. John. 1:xii.

Sad night & day on account of business.

12. Monday. Bought \$1,000 bond for F.B. [Fanny Bixby] \$1012.40, \$1,000 plus interest from Jan. 1 \$1014.00.

Balance due Fanny \$1.60.

Gold 130.

13. Tuesday. Bought \$2,000 7.30, 99 1/2 C, \$2,500 7.30 99 1/2 CW.

Spoke to Haughton about forming a new connection under name of H. Perkins & Co., with Richards.

14. Wednesday. Mr. Haughton called Mr. Perkins & Mr. Woods to his house this evening to consider the question of forming a new concern as suggested by me, as I have informed him that I shall retire April 1st.

Spent evening at Mrs. Joseph Sawyer's.

Mrs. Dexter & daughter & Mrs. Dale called.

Gold 130 1/2.

15. Thursday. Lottie goes home. Pleasant day.

Spoke to H about private expences not to exceed \$6,000 for juniors, \$10,000 self. Also about name H. Perkins & Co.

Charley Hough & Sarah Hughes called.

16. \$5,000. Mild & rainy. Sold check 45, sold share Merk(?) For Mrs. Sawyer \$1200.

The books for January 1, 1866 are finally settled today after two months & half, hard begging & urging.

17. Saturday. Let farm at West Roxbury to James Branner of W.R. for five years, three years at \$600, two years at \$700. NO TAXES
 he agreeing to release for one dollar a year for unexpired time.
 Long conversation about new concern, 11 o'clock.

18. Sunday. Bright beautiful day, cool wind west. I am very much troubled about the business of the house and fear there has been fraud & villainy committed. It is with difficulty that I can get any information from partners.

19. Monday. Had a general conversation with Mr. Perkins in regard to all matters of business and offered to dispose of my interest in \$400,000 stock at 25% discount \$100 or \$15,000 allowance. Mrs. Bartlett & family went to New York.

20. Tuesday. Proposed to H, S & Co. To deduct \$400,000 on stock or \$15,000 my share to be permitted to go out of the house. Also gave them interest in lease, \$5,000 more. The new concern Haughton, Perkins & Co. Release me from all liabilities & losses.
 Finished with Doctor Codman.

21. Wednesday. Haughton in New York preparing for sale.
 Snowstorm during the night, wind E.
 Business dull. Sold lot of flannels.
 Paid Captain Watson yesterday \$2408.64, amt. two notes \$1818.61 & \$500, plus interest \$90.03.
 Gold 128.

22. Thursday. Large sale of our goods in NY at Wilmerding & Mountegan(?). 84 packages sold, large loss.
 Mate came home.
 Sent Almira \$100 on account.

23. Friday. Haughton still in New York. Business very dull today.
 Gold 125.

24. Saturday. Business more active.

Sold 25 shares Washington @ \$156	\$3892.50
sold 40 shares Holyoke @ 115	4600.00
Sold 20 shares Frankmin @ 101	2009.95
Ross \$5,000 7.30 bonds (?) Williams	
James's wife Augustine had a boy.	
Haughton returned tonight.	

25. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached twice today.
 Called to see Mrs. Bixby. She is pretty bright.
 Haughton & Fanny called.
 Cold & snowy.

26. Monday. Dull day. Let to Butterfield & Haven eastern half of store \$4,000 & property taxes.
 MD Row 15m(?) \$5098.00
 40 shares Holyoke @125 \$4600.00
 Bal. 498.00
 Total: \$5098.00

27. Tuesday. Arranged with Higbee & Foster for their store at \$2,000 & property taxes.

Paid for Morehead house \$500.
Saw Miss Bateman in payline(?).
Mrs. S. Drew private \$150.25, & balance red book \$39.40.
28. Wednesday. Let store to Higbee & Foster, \$2,000, plus taxes.
Talked with Haughton & Perkins about signing agreement.
Drew 2 months board. Hill \$740.72
Went with Matthew Bateman, Bearce(?) Fazes(?) & afterward told him about affairs.
Gold 128.
29 Thursday. Signed agreement with H. Perkins & Co. in settlement of business for \$65,000.
Moved first cases to Beebe's store. Rainy all day.
Nelson went to New York tonight.
Gold 128.
30. Friday. Continued moving to Winthrop Square.
Pleasant day.
Prints improving.
Invited Miss Linzee & Mrs. S. To see Miss Bateman in Juliet. It was a very good performance.
Gold 128.
31. Saturday. It was twenty-two years on the first instant since Mr. Haughton & myself came together. Tonight ends the name of Haughton, Sawyer & Co., a name that has stood scarcely second in credit.

April

1. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached & to the children in the afternoon; then a distribution of flowers to everyone of the children. It was a very pleasant occasion.
Called on Mrs. Bixby. She is poorly.
Spent evening with Miss Linzee & met Miss Robb, Mrs. Codman & Colonel.
2. Monday. The new ship is launched, called Haughton, Perkins & Co. And I trust is on a prosperous voyage. She is officered and well-manned.
The store is very elegant.
Got letter from Charles. The Prima Donna has a \$10,000 charter = Delaware \$8,000.
Mrs. B. & family came home.
3. Tuesday. Elegant weather. The business at the store very good today & sales \$12,000 broken stock. May the new concern go in prosperity. Prints 1 c[ent] higher & some other goods also.
Goods in demand.
Gold 128.

3 May. Went to Mr. Hills nursery at Saugus.

4 May. Bought of Sam Hatch
64 Pear trees, Tyson, Dach & Law
12 Apples assorted
20 Peach assorted

4 Grape assorted

5 May. Bought of Hill, Clifftondale

65 Elms

5 Chestnuts

2 Shrubs

12 Lindens

10 (?) Evergreens

3 Apples

8 May. Bought & presented to Gloucester 100 Elm Trees from Hills

10 May. Attended large sale pictures.

11 May. Attended the continuation sale elegant paintings.

13 May. Hills first delivery.

13 Linden

4 Horse & Am. Chestnut

15 Evergreen

70 Elms

3 Apples

Total = 105

17 May. Bought 6 Engravings \$20.75, ordered 4 frames \$19.00.

28 May. Hollyhocks. Morning glory. Gilly flower. Feverfew. Amaranth or Tears of Blood. Tigerlilies. Larkspur. Ladys delight. Mignonette.

21 November. Attended auction sale of pictures at McGilroys (McElroys?) Matt. Bot about ten. They were very fair.

28 November. Attended auction sale at Leonards bought four engravings.

6 December. Auction sale of Webers pictures & other known artists at Jenks. Also, sale at Leonards.

8 December. McElroy. 8 Brattle St.
Tolman (?) Both dealers in pictures.

13 December. Bought picture Winter Scene. La Branche (?)

14 December. L.A. Tolman, 803 Wash St. Pictures & Picture Frames.

20 December. Winter on the Penobscot by W.A. Freirich, Fruit by Rosin.

21 December. Attended auction sale of paintings. Bought two. Madonna & Child and Interior.

28 December. Sale of Tolman pictures at Leonards. Sold very well.

Cash Account

March

31. 3 pictures 1 Gould (?) 36.00

April

25 Pear Trees & delivery. 15.34

May

16. 6 Engravings 20.25, Frames 20.25 41.00

June

1. Plants from Taylors 8.40
Elms, lindens, etc. Hill 200.00
2. 2 Photographs \$1., Mr. Jaquith \$20. 21.00

December

19. Photo 25.00
Engravings 13.25
2 Paintings & Frames 27.00
2 Chromos & Frames 18.00
29. 2 Bronze Horses 30.00

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Flyleaf: Saml. E. Sawyer/ No. 11 Beacon St./ Boston

4 January. Bought 3 Paintings. Stable scene, Patience and Impatience.

14 January. Sleigh ride on Brighton road.

22 February. Still snowy. Saw a beautiful sea view by Norton. It is about the best thing he has done 22 x 36, \$2c.

13 March. Calld with Miss Linzee at several Picture Galleries.

17 April. Finished memorial of the young soldiers who were killed during war Kings Chapel.

21 April. Revd Doct. Peabody of Cambridge preached on the Resurrection on the dedication of the monumental tablet erected in memory of fourteen young men who were killed during the war. The chapel was decorated with Flowers.

22 April. Went to Brookbank & with Capt. David Low made plan of wharf etc. rainy.

23 April. Delightful day. Marked trees at cut to be taken up & exchanged.

30 April. Went to Gloucester. The Elms on the cut are renewed (?) 21. Set out on premises 10 Pear Trees and 6 Grape Vines.

15 May. [New York]. Picture Galleries in New York
Studio Building West 10th St.
Gerpil (?) Broadway.
Derby 625 Broadway.

1 June. Came to Brookbank this AM. Pleasant day. Opened house. Everything in order by night.

2 June. Delightful day. Warm and pleasant. House airing. Walked with Knowlton over the Normans Woe road. Fifth anniversary of the Sabbath school in the village.

26 June. Ella has photograph taken.

12 July. Proposed to give a town clock for the Town Hall four sides.

13 July. Orderd tower clock of Howard (?) & Co. for the new Town house.

25 Sept. Left Boston in the China for Queenstown Ireland.

26 September. Arr. Halifax.

3 October. Arr Queenstown.

6 October. Dublin, 8 Belfast, 10 Glasgow, 12 Edinburgh, 18 Left Edinburgh, 23 arr. York.
Stately homes, towns.

9 November. Left York for London.

10 December. Arr. Paris, 29 left for Lyons, 30 left for Marseille, 31 arr. Marseille.

Cash Account

January

4. 3 Paintings & frames. 6. 8 ½ 22.50

March

27. 3 doz. Photographs 7.00

April

11. Engravings. 6. 5.87

26. 4 paintings Leonard. 107.00

May

1. Elm & Pear trees 56.00

June		
10. Norton 26. Picture frame 30.		56.00
August		
19. School Books Gift	6.00	
Photograph Ella		11.00
September		
4. School prizes		187.25
Philo. Apparatus		116.29
10. Female Char. Assn.		50.00
19 Tower Clock Turret (?)		550.00

1868

January. 1 Marseille, 6 Nice, 11 arr. Genoa. Steamboat to Leghorn. 13 Rome to Naples with Bierstadt and wife.

16. With Bierstadt and wife to Pompeii

18. Intended to go to Mt. Vesuvius. Heard sad news of my brother's death.

31 January. Rome.

12 March. Chapman's studio.
T.B. Reade Spirit of the Mist.
Ives sc. Rebecca, Indian group.
Hazeltine American soldier.
Podestis Guido's Christ & &

14 March. Several studios. W.W. Story's in the afternoon. He impressed me most favorably with his frank conversation. He is now modeling a statue sitting of George Peabody for the London Exchange.

18 March. Went to Rinaldi's at Canova Studio. R his pupil.
Also to Cantalamessus to see the group of statuary of Mr. Brewer then to other studios & finally to Mr. Bierstadts to see his pictures of Mt. Vesuvius etc.

21. Bought 52 Pantographs. Also painting of Madame Henribofe (?)

Left Rome for Florence.

31. Called at Mr. Connolly's Studio. He is a protege of Npt (?) Who suggested his choice of profession.

7 April. Called on Hiram Powers and had a pleasant chat.

9 April. Purchased some photographs.

13 April. Venice. 27 Verona. Left for Kufstein.

5 May. Arrived Vienna. 12 Prague, 13 Dresden, 26 Berlin.

7 June Hamburg, 11 Amsterdam, 14 Rotterdam, 21 Cologne & Bonn, 27 Baden Baden.

9 July. Interlachen to Berne, 16 Geneva.

September
by 23. Paris.

26 October. James Haughton sent me the name of a German painter of whom he bought the Mist on the Morning Scene. Schweinfurt.

19 November. Left Paris for Marseille.

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[Florence]

January

1. Galleries all closed. Went to Manzuoli's the Picture dealers.

4. Connelly's Studio. Marquis wife & Daughter, Queen Philippa begging the lives of Burgesses.

6. Mr. Jarvis studio. Paintings. Mr. Hiram Powers.

7. Bought 8 Paintings of Anthony Sassot & Son, also 1 Dante & Giotto of Costa & Conte op. Museum. 350

also 1 Galileo Inquisition of Egisto Manzuoli, via Lucciardini. 350.

Also Cupid with Bow & Arrow of Lodovico Milezzo. 100

8. About frames for Roman costumes. 25

Girl with rosary. 20.

& Lariom (?) By Carlo Dolci. 45.

11. Finished buying my pictures and frames and paid Sasso & Son one thousand francs on a/c.
Pd. For all other pictures.

[Left Florence for Rome]

14. Left Rome for Naples.

21. Shops. Bought coral and some paintings. Copies.

22. Bought coral & Photographs.

23. Rome

28. Studios Vadolini (?) Mr. Brewers Statue of the Arch Angel Michael is on exhibition and very fine.

February

1. To the Villa Campagna. A fine collection of engravings. Studios. [Added in pencil] Tom Appleton bought them for the Public Library.

10. Benzoni Studio & Horbecks Studio, Padolinis Studio.

15. Villa Campagna sale engravings paintings & shopping. Exhibition of modern paintings, some of them very good.

[Party = SES, Nib & Ella, Mrs. Bartlett & Fanny]

19. Bought painting of the Madonna of Rosary very fine. Also (?) Few (?) By Sassoferrata.

20. Called at Chapman's studio.

23. Bought of Filippo Casanova at the Vatican Madonna & child by Filippo Salvi or Sassoferrata.

25. J.W. Cardobles (?) Studio. Englishman 25 years in Rome. Connected with Timothy Wiggin.

March

1. Bompiani Painter & Sculptor. Excellent. Mr. Brewer orderd Diana of him—a painting.
2. Artists Studios. Landermann, Williams, Riviere and Poindestre.
3. Haseltines Studio sculpture. Handley, Giotto with gourd. T.B. Read, Sheridans ride, Equestrian. Montelant, Paestum view. Marinicci water cols. Exquis. (?)
4. Artists studio Luigi Luccoli, Asseglione & Moratilla.
5. To Minghi (?) Pittore then Nannitti pittore, thence sculptore Avertini & Podesta (?). Calld on Mr. Emerson.
6. Bought some jewelry & Photographs.
8. Went to several of the studios. Wood Warrington's. McDonald's. Ackermann. Brodski. Simmons.
And to G.P. A. Healey who had Longfellow & Daughter, Fanny B., Orestes A. Bronson, Buhlman, Strutt & Stocchi.
9. Miss Harriet Hosmer & Lombardes.
11. Went to Spilhovers to buy photographs.
12. Called at several studios. Rossi's Pompeian lady's hours. Domenchino's Diana of Chase and copy of Raphael's Holy Family (?)
Also at Coleman's who showed us a fine bunch of grapes & costumes & bought stone cameos etc.
13. Bought Gold Broach 100 frs. Ella. Photographs etc.
15. Went shopping for bronzes & jewelry.
16. Bought several pieces of Bronze and sent them to Rey's to be packed.
Mr. & Mrs. Emerson called.
18. Left Rome.
19. Arrived at Florence.
20. Drove to several places about frames and called at Sasso's.
22. Bought all my picture frames, 11 in all, cost 499 frs. And left money Mr. Manzuoli. Bought of him 2 fruit pieces for M.B. 1250 francs and one for self 100. Called on Joshua Stetson.

23 [Florence to Turin]

25. Turin to Susa

26. Arr. Paris Train.

[Visiting with Crockers & Lawrences. Ladies shopping]

April

12. Met Mr. Dewey of California who bought Sheridan's Ride, he talked understandingly.

15. Mrs. Sawyers birthday.

17. Load of Hay and Oxen in engraving. Rosa Bonheur. Engraved by E. Sambart (?), London.
60.

18. Received a very pleasant letter from Gardner Brewer thanking me for writing so full about the Fountain and about the archangel.

Mr. & Mrs. Bradbury, Mrs. Ellis.

May

3. Left Paris, arr. London

12. To Manchester

14. To Liverpool

15. Boarded the Russia

16. Queenstown. Russia sailing.

25. Arr. New York harbor. Fall River steamer.

26. Arr. 11 Beacon St. 7 am. To Gloucester.

27. To Boston. Hiring servants.

October

8. Rec. letter from Capt. Michael Watson relating to chafes on dry goods & about the ship getting damaged.

One [letter] from Manzuoli.

9. Loaned Jas. Haughton of Hanover N.H. \$500 to finish Rectory till Jany. 1, 70 without int., drawn from H.P. and Co.

Recd. Desk from Aunt Harriet.

11. Went to Boston to () Paintings etc. Custom H. ()

17. Walked with Ella to Rafe's's Chasm.

[Much on major building and repairs to estate.]

18. Gipseys camp in swamp.

20. Graded the sides of the reservoir and hauled away 11 loads gravel.

26. Bought of Burhham Pear, Apple trees ()

November

5. Enquired of Breck & Hovey about Elm Trees.

6. Went to Cambridge to Hovey's Nursery and bot 48 elms etc. \$100, 6 various \$100.

11. Went to Brookbank.

48 elms came

6 miscellaneous

All elms:

13 Friend St. School House [Sawyer School]

5 Proctor Street

10 Western Avenue

1 Collins School

6 Capt. Webber

6 Almira

13. Attended Henshaw sale but did not buy anything.

15. Took Mr. Prout (?) The C.H. officer to examine the 2 cases paintings & bronzes.

Afterwards opened the bronzes and sent some home, one Biga for Mrs. Hovey & other things for Mrs. B.

23. Went to Brookbank.

Investing & rec. letters from Capt. Watson Hongkong.
Insured Jewess.

December

15. Sent \$15 to the Female Charitable Society.

Expenses:

October

29. J.W. Marshall. Aid to chapel	50.00
Fishermen's widows	50.00
30. Fredk. Burnham. Pear & Apple Trees	41.60

November

3. Revd. Mrs. Pigeon, Chapel	10.00
Charitable Assn.	50.00
23. Knights. Painting Chapel	5.00

December

15. Female Char. Assn.	50.00
16. Blind Assylum & Carriage (?)	6.50
17. Y.M.C. Assn. Fair	5.00
17. Y.M.C. Assn. Fair	1.50

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January

9. Mrs. John Jas. Sawyer, Halifax, died about two weeks ago.

13. Went with Col. & Mrs. Lincoln, Miss Linzee, Ella & Mrs. S. to see Arctic stereopticon.

14. Capt. C. Watson goes about the house but cannot speak.

February

2. Received love note from Lottie.

9. Went to hear the Russians. Slavianski sung very well. Mrs. S. and Ella went also.

[Sleigh rides, theater, concerts, playing whist]

March

10. Went with Nib and Ella to see the Cardiff Giant, gypsum.

16. Went to Gloucester. Hough & Bryant.

18. Saw Jos. Stevens abt. Library.

Recd. Telegram from Capt. Watson [asking] for \$2,500 to pay crew. Wrote again to Capt. Watson, offered Jewess for \$25,000.

Telegram \$7.37.

26. Recd. Letter from Capt. Watson at San Francisco requesting another captain.

29. Went to annual meeting of Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals & subscribed \$10.

30. Recd. Telegram from Watson. Chartered Jewess from the Mexican West (?) & Channel for \$2,000 and more.

April

1. Saw Capt. Christopher Crowell and liked him very much but \$125 [per month.] Concluded to send out to San Francisco Capt. Geo. Johnson, his wages being less, \$75 per month. Wrote letter of instruction to Capt. J.

2. Bought ticket for Capt. Johnson for San Francisco, \$144.50, and gave him for disburse \$100.00. Sent off 3 o'clock. To S. Francisco.

9. Went to Gloucester at 2 1/4 (?) Called to see Mrs. Dexter, saw Mr. Gilbert.

11. [Back to Boston]

21. Ordered 4 7 1/2 feet settees & 47 1/4 yds. Canton carpeting for the School House Cove.

25. Bought carpet for School House.

26. Went to Brookbank, a delightful day. Had a carpet put down in School H. Saw John J. Babson, Capt. Low, Mr. Story & Mr. Gilbert.

27. Jewess sailed from San Francisco today.

May

2. Saw John Jas. Babson about the iron fences for the two school Houses. Gilbert.

5. Enquired of Joel Robinson about iron fences, 295 [feet] & 325 [feet], gates \$ per foot.

7. Heliographic artist (good)

Boynton & Heald

313 Washington St.

13. Went to Brookbank. Enquired of Mr. Stones (Stores?) About the depth of curb stones.

18. Went to Danvers to see Iron fence.

25. Bought a lot of plants & sent Roller chairs etc. to G.

26. Went to the Public Library to see Cardinal Tosti's engravings. They are very fine.

27. Went to Brookbank. Set out a number of plants & directed (?) About the house.

29. Decoration Day

3 Heliotropes

24 Verbenas

3 Fuchsias

2 Lemon verbenas

2 Sweet geraniums, 1 Waterloo, 1 Sylvia

3 Petunias

1 Lantana

2 Peonies

6 Carnation Pinks

1 Paper (?) German asters

1 Paper (?) Chrysanthemums

1 () Two o'clock

1 Box Double Panzies

Parsley

Tomatoes

Honesty

31. Came down for the season.

June

3. Drove to Manchester to find a cow. Bought a beautiful creature of Benjamin Tappan & bdl.

July

5. Gave to Library \$300 per anno Jan. 1st.

16. Iron Fences with 7 in. Base with ribbed palings 3.4 making 3.11 of J.W. Wilson & Co., 81 Haverhill St. Fences including 3 ½ 7 feet gates 275 [feet]; 9large?) 11 feet 375 [feet].

20. Saw Mr. Bennet & Mr. Ames about the stone work for school houses.

22. Cook & F. took 3 photographs.

26. Cook & F came & we sent for the Hough's, took 3 photographs, very good.

27. Arranged to go to the Tremont, \$135 per week from Nov. 1 to May 1. [Residential hotel, Boston]

Hough evening about T. clocks. [Town Hall]

July

30. 4 piers for Collins School House, also 3 headers.

Also 2 piers 22 in. Sawyer [School House] \$40.

Gave him plan of gateway.

August

2. Rev. & Mrs. Bartol & Jas. T. Fields came at 9 o'clk. Went fishing. Had very good success, they all enjoyed it very much.

Took one large photograph.

8. Ordered from Jones(?) & Co., Troy, N.Y. a large bell for Town House to weigh 4,000 [pounds], if required to \$3,600 and frame for hanging \$100. Saw contractor about tower strength. Pd. Winchester, Boynton, Cemetery.

Wrote letter about Bell to A.G. [Addison Gilbert.]

11. Called on Mr. Gilbert & deld. my letter giving Bell & Clock to the Town House and received his reply as committee.

Saw Mr. Andrews about stone piers.

12. At 9:50 left home for Newport. Saw Mr. Jones about iron fences.
18. Came home. Saw Howard about clock \$550, 15% off; or with illuminated dial \$750.
19. Saw Mr. Andrews about stone piers & Mr. Gilbert about Clock & Bell.
23. Took Photograph of Sisters Place. Hovey had the yacht taken.
26. Gave the little chapel \$50 for books.

September

7. Setting gateway at the Collins School House.
26. The Hough's came over to tea & to spend the afternoon. Cook & Friend came and we had 3 photographs taken.

October

1. Measured fence at Sawyer School H. 185 ft.; Collins 58.33.6 & small gate 7.98.6.
2. Wind northwest. Delightful w. 200 sail vessels went out.
4. Hung the Town House Bell and struck it first time. It gave the greatest satisfaction.
5. 400 sail vessels in the harbor; the streets were full.
6. Paid for the Town House Bell () lbs. \$3,600 % () including frame \$95.
7. Drove to the Sawyer School House about putting up the iron fence.
10. Wrote to Howard to have the clock put up on Thursday.
14. Rosa had Bossy Bull white.
19. Finished putting up the clock.
22. Went to the Sawyer School House about the stone work for the iron fence at 7 o'clock.
23. Wrote to chairman Corliss Democratic Town Comte. Deciding nominee for representative.

28. Getting maples from woods, in all about fifteen good & ten for the town.

29. Getting maples & setting out.

[Ella has been expected since 21st. Not yet showed up.]

30. Silver wedding day.

31. Mr. Gilbert gave us some shrubs. Took up 6 dead trees on the cut & substituted others & 2 elms for Sawyer School House.

November

5. Drove to Manchester. Burnham.

Bot 12 Apple Trees .25	3.00
8 Pear	10.50

1 Peach, 2 shrub	1.00
2 Grape, Isabella	.50

Total	15.00
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10. Setting out trees. Pear & Apple, and making cider.

12. Got deed of corner lot from D.S. Webber, \$291.65.

13. Agnes birthday. 20 years old.

15. [Moved to Boston]

17. ... all delighted with our new rooms. They are so cheerful & sunny.

18. We like our new rooms much better than 11 Beacon St. & better table.
Drew of H.P. & Co. for photographs \$105.00

19. Went to see about iron fence. It will be sent down Wednesday.

21. Afternoon heard J. Wingate Thornton address on Mayflower Compact.

29. Went to Gloucester, rainy. Called on Mrs. Gilbert & Aunt Harriet. Mrs. G. gave me pair cut Decanters for my birthday presnt, 25th inst. Which she has had since Sept. 8, 1820.
I saw Chas. Marshall about wood lots.

December

2. Went to Gloucester. Saw Marshall but did not settle the matter of the wood lot, not knowing the contents.
6. Arranged with Mr. Jones to make new gates Collins, \$40.
8. Went to Gloucester to see about Collins School H. gate way. It is not easily remedied.
19. Mr. Jones goes down to hang large gate to Sawyer School and brings up all the gates of the Collins School house to be re-made at cost \$40.
22. Made arrangements with Miss Dresser and Ballard to go to the Rockport Mill.
23. Went to Rockport with Miss Ballard, Dresser and Matthew to see the Rockport Mill. Estimated worth \$120m more or less.
25. Christmas day. Mr. Foote did very well. The carols in the pm. Were charmingly sung.
28. Saw Matthew about the Rockport Steam Mill, sold \$126m.

Cash Account

March

29. Society Cruelty to animals 10.00

August

26. Little chapel books 50.00

November

18. Cook & Friend photographs 105.00

23. Gave Lottie for Christmas tree 5.00

December

12. Female Charitable Assn. 50.00

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January

7. Capt. Watson, 89 Pearl St., Chelsea.

Had an interview with him about the settlements of the accounts of the Barque Jewess. Balance due me \$1,244.19.

8. Ella came in. Had a talk our European trip & 4 yrs. Acq[uaintance.]

[Ella seems to be avoiding him or not seeing him as frequently as he would like.]

10. Went out to the Howard Clock Co. and through the factory. It was very interesting.

13. Susan called in evening on Jos. Sawyers & gave them photo of Homestead.

14. Went to see water colors 64 Boylston.

[Board Atlantic Mills]

18. Called at Hough's' & gave photog. House.

20. Ella came in the evening & put photographs in the album.

February

1. Went to Lawrence 7:30 a.m. with Jos. Sawyer, Lincoln & Coe, then through the Washington and Atlantic Mills.

2. Met Miss Parmenter & Stevens Committee from Lyceum Library and agreed to pay int. on \$10m.

I saw Mr. Winsor super. Boston Library. He advised a free public library.

3. Met Jos. L. Stevens and went to see Mr. Winsor super. of Boston Library who gave us much information in regard to the management. His suggestions will be adopted.

4. Went to Boys' Latin School in Bedford St., exhibition very good.

Saw Greenough statue Alma Mater; went to see Ball's statue Andrew.

8. Expected to meet Marshall with deed. Went with Haughton to see the Central Park.

Met Mr. Gilbert & Low at Museum.

9. A. Gilbert called to see us this am. He said the Charitable Assn. Were short of funds. I sent \$50 to Miss Susan Mansfield, Secy.

We also talked about Library & we hope to carry on plans.

10. Paid Thomas Marshall for deed of 17 3/4 acres wood land \$500.00 and \$10 for the plan.

11. Wrote to Calvin Trask. Lot. Saw Mr. Stevens about catalogue and got two from the MLA.
Note from Susan Mansfield, Secy.

14. Ball's statue of John A. Andrew was inaugurated at State House with an address by () and
reply by Gov. Claflin (?) Before the Legislature & invited guests.

21. Went to Gloucester. Saw Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Babson, Mrs. Gilbert, Aunt Harriet and all the
folks at the Cove.
Heard the clock strike. It does well.

March

[Building house Monteglade, West Roxbury where he has land.]

3. Wrote to Revd. A. Landerson, Bay View, Gloucester and sent \$20 for his new chapel.
Went to see exhibition Art Club.

6. Revd. A. Landerson came in. Mrs. S. gave him \$15 more, \$35 for chandeliers & Lamps.

18. Went to the Dedication of the new rooms. Geneological Rooms.

22. Went to Gloucester. Called on Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Dexter, Mrs. Low, Mrs. Gilbert, Aunt
Harriet.
Town Hall is very handsome inside.

24. Went to auction of chromos.

30. Saw T.C. Farrer's paintings, art.

April

5. Proposed as member Geneological Soc.

11. The morning was devoted to preparation of the Table at the Fair. At 7 o'clk. Pm. It opened at
the Boston Theatre. The Misses Snow, Ella and Fanny Bixby went with me.

17. Wrote to H. Parmenter firm of () giving \$10m to the Library.

18. Went to Gloucester. Saw Capt. Low, visited the Town House, saw Mr. Gilbert's mother. Talked with him about piano.

22. At 12 o'clock went with Joseph L. Stevens to Newton to see the new Public library building. It is very fine.

The French Faire closed; only few things returned.

24. Wrote letter over again, giving \$10m to Library G(?) Dated 19th inst.

28. [Packing up & feeling melancholy. Ella played last on the piano.]

May

1. Regrets regrets to see so often the team hauling stone from the ledge down by my old place.

2. Went to Kettle Cove. Balm Gilead and set some out under (), changed two Evergreens and set out Elms near small Pond.

3. [In Boston] Saw Elwell's painting Gloucester.

5. Recd. Letter from Mr. Bowker concerning my gift to Library and the Piano to the Hall.

6. James & John set out 2 Elms. Stevens, Watson & Babson going out to Newton Library.

8. Recd. Letter from Revd. & Mrs. Foote about gifts to Library.

Went to Town House. Piano open. Putting down broad step T. House.

31. 3 weeks today since rain except 1 night. Love Chapel Knitting Society have a pic-nic at Boat House to buy a melodeon. They got \$40 and a good time.

[2 - 3 weeks house Gloucester new paint, carpets, wallpaper. Completed by 11 June]

June

13. Went to Dog Town & bot plants, 1 ½ doz. Verbenas & 18 variety.

22. Dedication of Town House. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Rogers; address by Addison Gilbert; oration by B.H. Smith; address by B.F. Butler; also by B.H. Corliss; music by Glee. Evg. 200 school children sang &.

30. Went to Examination of the Teaching () Class at High School, also to 40 candidates for High School. Exhibition High School at 2 o'clock and Reunion of High School Class Evg. Drew H.P. & Co. \$350, paid to Library.

July

2. Went to the Little Chapel with Mrs. S., Lottie and Agnes. Annie Gardner recited at my request Gray's Elegy. Gave chapel \$5.

17. Left Gloucester [trip to Halifax, Nova Scotia] arr. 8 o'clock on 19th.

20 Notman Photographer. Lady Mulgrave's likeness of Mrs. Sawyer very good.

29. Left Halifax for St. John. [New Brunswick]

31. Fredericton.

August

1. Visited the cathedral.

3. Arrived home.

4. Drove to Town & saw Gilbert, also Mr. Watson about Library.

7. Went to town to see Watson about Alcoves for Library and Miss Andrews, librarian, about preparing catalogue.

9. Called to see Miss Andrews about the Library.

11. [Trip to Bar Harbor.]

18. [Returned]

18. Called on Miss Andrews the Librarian to see that all the furniture is provided. The room is looking very nicely and much credit to the town.

23. Called to see about the Library furniture.

24. [Newport, R. I.]

25. [to New York] back to Newport.

28. Nantucket.

29. Went early about town and into the Museum. Grass growing in streets. Population 5m, formerly 13m; 100 oil ships nw 1.

30. [Returned to Gloucester]

September

1. Called at the Library & do now once every day.

5. Sold Barque Jewess today for \$14,500 to Morris Ketchum, New York, a loss of the entire value of the ship since she left Boston in Mch. 1869. My 3/4 interest then considered \$20m.

8. Elwell with Rafe's Chasm.

Called with Mrs. Sawyer & Lottie to see Mrs. Gilbert on her 85th birthday. She is very bright and cheerful; a number of her old friends were there who sung.

9. Sawyer Library stamp.

11. Charley left home this morning for New York to take his place as mate of Ship Archer bound for San Francisco.

22. Went in to the Newton Library.

24. Went with Mr. H[oughton] out to Monteglade to see a Lot.

24. Charley went over the road to Boston on his way to New York to join Ship Archer, owned by Wm. Perkins, for San Francisco. I pray that he may now do well.

26. Went with Mrs. Gilbert and addison to Ipswich to the Cattle & Horticultural Show. It was very good, County exhib. The Heard library has 7000 [books], fund \$10m. Building cost \$20m, books probably \$10m.

26. Went to Green-house & had the Rustic Basket filled \$1.50 to be presented to the Library by Nib. The Library room is charming and only awaits the furniture.

30. Called at the Library.

October

1. View of Gloucester by Jerome Elwell. Painting 38 x 68; frame 50 x 80.

2. Jerome Elwell's view of Gloucester was placed today in Library Room, and I have since purchased it to help him. He was very grateful.

3. Went to the Town House Library.
 4. Changed the picture 12 in. Lower. It is in better light and looks well. Paid him E[lwell] for it today.
 6. Wrote Susan Stanwood Treasurer [underlined]
 7. Miss Mary Andrews called over to see me about Library after seeing the Newton & E[ast] Bos[ton].
Recd. Letter of thanks from Jerome Elwell.
 9. Laid out Collins School H grounds.
 10. [Left for trip to west & south. Concern Chicago mortgages after fire.] 22m. Found this prop. Mortgage not burnt.
 14. Albany. Saratoga.
 18. Niagara Falls.
 20. Cleveland.
 22. Detroit.
 23. Chicago.
 24. Mr. Bass called in the afternoon and took us all over the burnt district. [Building on which SES had mortgage not burned.]
 28. Left Chicago for St. Louis.
- November
2. Left St. Louis for Indianapolis.
 3. For Louisville. [Stayed at Galt House]
 6. Mammoth Cave. For Cincinnati.
 10. For Columbus, for Washington.
 14. For Baltimore.

15. For Philadelphia. Snowstorm.

18. For New York.

22. Arr. Boston.

23. [Gloucester]. At the Library Mason Low and saw Mr. Samuel son photograph and the Painting of Gloucester.

24. Called again at the Library and arranged the furniture etc. [Called] also on Mr. Story to thank him for grading Collins S. House yard; on Mr. Perrin Sawyer(?); saw Mr. Gilbert. Heard new organ [underlined]. Went to Exhib. First Class Collins.

25. Called on Aunt Harriet & Stevens, Mrs. Gilbert & Addison (); also upon Mr. Davidson to talk about tenement houses.

26. Paran Stevens has Benzonia's Flight from Pompeii and Wm. W. Story's Cleopatra.

27. [Moved back to Tremont House] took all the Furniture & paintings from the store except the Foreign Packages (3) sent to Gloucester.

December

6. H.B. Sargent sent an offer for eastern side Monteglade about 38 to 40 acres, 17c per foot. Returned our price 20c.

9. Grand Duke's Ball. [Lost money]

13. Very busy making up a list to collect money for a fund for the Dumb Animals. Got 200 names.

31. Wrote to Susan Stanwood Treas. Of the Female Charitable assn and sent her \$500 for a fund.

MEMORANDA

Mother born 24 Aug. 1792, died Oct.(?) 1, 1857, age 65.

My monument 26 sq. 38 long.

October

3. Painting DJE [Daniel Jerome Elwell] 180.00

1872

Business card in diary cover:
George L. Brown, Landscape Painter
No. 90 G Street
South Boston

January

3. Susan Stanwood, Mary D. Andrews, Clemy Shackelford and Agnes.
Heard W. Fields deliver his entertaining lecture, "A plea for cheerfulness"

6. Bought 6 Grand Duke's Photographs. They are very good of him.

9. We arranged to go to Marblehead. Saw plan of Neck at Bridge's, 13 India street.

10. Went to Marblehead Neck to see 230 acres with Pearce, Bowker and Ober. We concluded to give \$50 to \$60m for it.

11. [West Roxbury] sold the Eastern side of Walnut St. about 38 acres at 18 3/4 per foot.

19. Jerome Elwell called.

[Much on possible acquisition & sale real estate—building lots.]

28. Wrote to Chas H. Lord, to Addison Gilbert, Miss Susan Stanwood about Nabby Joy's estate giving \$3m to the Tenement Assn, \$1m to Fisherman's & Orphan's Aid Society.

30. Called on Jerome Elwell and Lionga (?), Ide. Two friends, artists.

31. Auction sale of fine paintings at Leonard's.

February

3. Went to the artists' reception, a fine cattle piece by Gerry Champ (?), doing some nice things, also young Porter fine portraits.

4. Read all day and wrote to John J. Babson about disposing of dog tax to introduce music as a branch of education in our schools.

5. Heard C.C. Perkins lecture on art in evening (of Tuesday—added).
 6. Wrote to Col. Jeffries, Jr. asking trustees of Nabby Joy's estate for \$1m Female Char. Assn., agreed to give \$5c more.
 7. Saw John A. Hanson's pictures to be sold.
 9. Went to C.C. Perkins art lecture.
 15. Went to Brookbank & took a lot of books to the Library. Every Saturday, Atlantic Monthly, Ballou's Pictorial, 2 old volumes given to me by J. Sullivan Morrow and 9 Law Books.
 21. Talking with w. master about the ledges.
 22. Decided to send D. Jerome Elwell to Antwerp. Loan.
- [Attending operas and plays in Boston]
26. Called to see Jerome Elwell. Gone to G.
 27. Jerome called to see me. Told him to get ready to go to Antwerp to study at academy. Will probably be gone a year or two.
 29. Bought of Almira her house and land which belonged to my brother, having been all conveyed to me by the heirs, her 3 sons and daughter Agnes for pm(?) \$1m to go to Agnes.

March

2. Artists' studio exhibition. At home in the evening. Saw Elwell, shall loan him \$5c.
5. Saw Elwell. He has put off the day of sailing till the 22d.
12. Met at D. Jerome Elwell.
19. Geo. Ide & Jerome Elwell called to say that Ide could not go till May 4.

[Negotiating about investments in real estate]

26. Attended meeting P.C. Animals.
Chosen Director of Dumb Animals by stockholders.

29. Paid for passage in the Samaria for D. Jerome Elwell. Loaned to D.J.E. \$300. D. Jerome Elwell took tea with us.

30. Str. Samaria sails today 11:30 am. Elwell gave me order on Elliott B & N for the proceeds of View on Hudson, 40 or 50.

April

8. Met John Jas. Babson & talked with him 2 hrs. about Library.

9. Went to Newton to see Library with John J. Babson & Jos. Stevens.

10. Called with Mr. Babson on M. Cheffin (Claflin?) And spent an hour about Library.

11. Went to Brookline Library with Mr. Babson, Stevens & Geo. Champney.

12. Met John Jas. Babson at Boston Library. Spent an hour & a half with Mr. Winsor very pleasantly. Then to Norton's, to Doll & Richards, then to Blakesley's, saw Elwell's painting. Then to Williams & Everett's—there we met Turnbull, Marsh Dwight and Thos. Hill the artist.

16. Went to Gloucester & to Rogers Farm. Called at the Library, good.

17. Artists' reception, Lawrence Building. Many fine things Inglis collection and bought good prices.

27. Left Tremont House for Brookbank with 18 Parcels and Trunks. Left all our paintings & 2 photographs of the old house with Miss McQuain.

May

3. President & Directors of the Society Prevention Cruelty to Animals. Geo. T. Angel (sic) Prest.

7. Drove to Topsfield & Boxford for Elm Trees. Found at Saml. E.(?) Andrews 26c (?) Got home about 5 o'clk.

10. Lewis and George digging holes for the Elm Trees, broke up a piece of land for the purpose in Webber corner.

Jas. & Cressy went for Elms & returned Saturday with 45.

13. Commenced setting out the Elm Trees & selecting 11 for the Town: say 8 for the Cut, 2 Proctor Street and 1 for the Sawyer School H.

Put 10 of them at the New House front, avenue & rear.

14. Finished setting out the Elms & Pear Trees and charged (?changed) all the small Pear Trees in front of the new House to the Nursery Penen (?) Pl.

17. Went to the city. Auction sale of oil paintings. Saw drawings for Trinity Church.

21. Setting out trees. Got some maples and crabs.

23. Paid gift books Library \$100. 2 letters from D. Jerome Elwell.

24. Finished setting out trees, 12 from woods.

June

6. Bought plants \$560.

21. Attended Sawyer School examinations in the afternoon and very much interested in the recitations.

24. Went to the examination of the Collins school Am and Pm, very creditable teachers & scholars. Quite a number of visitors. I was very much pleased with drawing.

25. Went to the examination at the High School. W. Strett (?), Bren, Miss Clough & Miss Young as. & Worcester.

The examination in English literature was extremely well done.

27. Miss Clough & Miss Young teaching in High School delighted.

[He gave them tickets to show at Coliseum]

28. At 2 o'clk went to the annual exhibition of school at the Town Hall, graduating class. Mr. Swett says model class.

July

1. Sent 2 deeds of new mansion to Salem. Brown Register of Deeds. Agnes H. Sawyer & Almira H. Sawyer.

3. Offered \$50 towards helping to the High School young Morrow, 14 years.

21. Found letters relating to Library dated 1850s etc. Sh. Forbes discourse on the dedication of the Grammar School.

House 1795

MLA anniversary 1839.

August

21. [Sent money to D. Jerome Elwell]

30. [more money to Elwell] and gave him words of advice and encouragement.

September

3. Drove around the Haskell place, but fear it will not do for the Library.

8. Drove to Episcopal Chapel, St. John's, nice service.

12. Drove around the Cape. The ride was delightful.

Called to see Stimpson Rockport Granite Co. about 6 posts with caps 21 in., \$33.

Also Pigeon Cove Granite Co., \$33.

Also Newell Giles, also Colonel French, \$52 ½.

15. Walked to Stage fort & went on the heights. 250 sail of vessels.

16. Mrs. Sawyer & Emily with me at the Boat House reading & looking at the large photographs. Read a long letter from Jerome at Craigstone Castle.

22. Went to church, Universalist. The Rev. Mr. Rogers advanced his Swedenborgian ideas, good discourse, well done.

24. Sent to the Essex Agricultural Exhibition today Nabby (?Nabob) and Belle [horses], Fanny and Christina [cattle]. Belle got 2d Prem. \$10.

28. Went to Rockport. Contracted with the Pigeon Cove Granite Co., Clapp Ballou & Co.

Post and caps. 8 ft. long, 21 in. Sq., 2 in. () lines; Caps 10 in. Thick and 30 in. Sq. Priced \$33 each.

October

2. Invited to dine at 3 o'clock PM in Town Hall by Fire Department. Sat between Capt. F.G.(?) Low and James Mansfield.

Two bands & speeches, Fitz J. Babson & B.H. Corliss.

5. Paid for Jerome Elwell Painting \$118(?)

9. Went to Pigeon Cove & ordered a set of 4 posts for new house. 2 24 in. & 2 16 in.

11. Recd letter from the Sawyers (Lawyers?) & copy relating to Sawyer family, also a letter from Matthew & Geo. L. Brown, artist.

15. Mrs. S. received letter from Jerome.

November

3. Walked over to see again Aunt Harriet. She died at ten o'clock this forenoon. She has suffered very much in mind and body. John ungrateful son.

6. Aunt H. funeral.

[Horses have been having distemper but better.]

10. All day anxious about the great fire raging in Boston which () off the best part of the city, 60 to 80 acres & 100 millions [dollars]

11. Walked to town , went to City. Haughton on his bed exhausted & in despair. Board of Trade rooms. Great Calamity.

13. Went to the city. Saw the papers from the safe all black and the Mich. Central Bonds in perfect order, charred. W. Livermore & Smith took them.

14. Went to Boston, saw Isaac Livermore & Sidney Bartlett. The latter said every number must be distinctly seen, without a shadow of doubt. Saw W(?) Haughton & how I regard the deposit as minute money.

16. Went to the city.

Called to see Haughton. He is sorely tried & afflicted. To compromise with his creditors at his age, 40% a hard case.

18. Went to the city 7:25 train. Saw H and the partners. Also S. R.(?) Mudge to whom they consented to pay 42% to the creditors, 24to & 8 mos. From Dec. 31. Skinning.

[other business arrangements, mostly settlements on mortgages]

23. Packing up to go to the city. Agreed with W(?) Willard sup. Of schools to pay Music Teacher \$200.

December

6. Met with Haughton who had assured me that he could manage through a third party to pay my claim.

23. Tried to find a frame already made for Elwell's copy of the Turner's Temeraire.

30. Drew Fem. Char. Assn. \$500; Int. Sawyer Free Library \$350.

Memoranda

Geo. L. Brown, Artist
527 Fourth St., near I Street
South Boston.

Susan Stanwood Treasurer of the Female Charitable Assn.

D. Jerome Elwell

1872.

Mch. 29. Pd. Antwerp adv. \$300.

Aug. 21. Sent Exchg. \$200.

Oct. 5. 9) Temeraire \$11.82

1873

Jan. 4. Frame Temeraire 20.00 and sent Art Club

21 £25 sterling Antwerp \$139.31

May 15. Elliott B. & Noyes frame for the Hudson, etc. \$140.69

[Payments £25

Dec. 18

1874

May 2, Aug. 19, Dec. 15

1875

Apl. 2, June 12, Sept. 20, Dec. 17

1876

Feb. 21, June 6, Aug. 7

Total: \$2,366.38]

Cash Account

January

Int. to Library to July 350.00

Gift to Fem. Char. Assn. 500.00

February

3. Lottery tickets paintings 2.00
6. Lottery painting 2.00

March

1. History Gloucester 4.00
29. D. Jerome Elwell 300.00

April

17. 49 yds. Carpet library, Dr. Stevens 25.00
Vols., Books boys & girls, Nib gift 50.00

May

22. Library 100 books 100.00

July

1. Int. to Library to Jan '73 350.00

October

1. Tenement Assn. 200.00

1873

January

1. Gave note to Sawyer Free Library \$5m, 7%
Check Fem. Char. Assn. \$500
Int. to Sawyer Free Library. \$350.

3. Got frame for Jerome Elwell copy Turner's Temeraire \$20

4. Attended artists' reception

[Insurance companies, investing & settling]

11. Saw Jefferson Coolidge about \$20m Eastern RR bonds.

14. Meeting of Society for the Prevention [of Cruelty to Animals]
to Art Club exhibition

17. Wm. F. Poole of the Cincinnati Library spent two hours with us and talked of many things. He said your Public Library will open on Sundays, and it was decided today to open.

20. Went to Art Club.

21. Sent by steamer Samaria a letter of 11 pages to Jerome Elwell with £25 sterling, 125 3/8, \$139.31, also several slips from newspapers.

28. Boston artists picture sale, their works sold quite cheap.

February

1. Insured at No. Am. Ins. Co. 5 yrs:

18c on Homestead, 35c(?) On 9) House, 1m Book & Painting, 4m Under the Cliff 1 1/2%, 5c on Stable 2 1/2%

14. Attended auction sale paintings, very good collection with frames.

Bot. View Medfield, snow \$23

Fruits, pastel, Enneking \$33

Shepherd & sheep, L. Rienhard \$67

20. Drove out to Longwood & then called at Art Club to see W. Copeland.

27. Ordered of Meyers 3 frames for The Cock,, Cobler and V. Le Brun; also for Water Carrier & comp.

28. Bought 4 small paintings; visiting studios &.

March

1. Wrote to Horace Willard and sent two hundred dollars for the Teacher Mr. Bell introducing music in the public schools.

4. Bot "Who can it be from?" letter. Painting.

Also Gathering Apples.

[From cash account

Paintings: 18, 7, 105, 41, 21, 21, 11.50, 16 [Total] \$240.50]

5. Attended sale of paintings at Horticultural Hall from Auction sale of stock.

7. Bot elegant Snow Scene by Geo. F(?) Hartwick, Hoboken;

also fine landscape Actuliff(?), Old Mill at Mattawam
Sheep in Pasture, Louis Robbe, Brussels
Scenery on the Schildt, de Berburch(?), Brussels

8. My new Winter Scene, Hartwick, came home from Elliott
Blakesley and Noyes, Orange Valley, also.
Also Sheep in Pasture \$ by Louis Robbe,
View on the Schildt, de Berbere
Old Mill at Mattawam \$ Auliff
In putting up hook came down.
Heard "Bellew" recitation drew for painting \$188.00.

11. Gave to Nelson [Bartlett] Painting, Old Mill at Mattawam by Auliff
to Belle 2 Paintings, Pastorals by N. Gerome.

14. Bot paintings Webber & Higgins

[Both Soc. Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and Society Dumb Animals boards]

28. Went with Mary to some of the artists' rooms. First at Blakesley's, Custer's, Doll's, Doct.
Packer's and Art Club where we met Nib.

31. Saw the Bark Jewess bot. By Captain Mayo. She looked very well.
April

7. Ordered of A. Wentworth blk. German marble mounting for Marcus Aurelius \$

9. Paid G.D. Russell, treas[urer] of Art Club \$20 extra fee.

11. Boston artists' sale, 2 o'clock Leonard. Quite spirited and large company; 111 paintings amt.
\$7m. Contributors Brown, Smith, Shapleigh, Norton, Champney, Fisher, Hunt, Cole, Higgins,
Robinson.

12. Got Marcus Aurelius mounted, black German marble \$18. Ordered cuckoo clock. Library
sale.

18. Sent paintings to be packed.
1 Moonlight Jon(?) Culverhouse
1 Fore-topsail Schooner F.H. Lane
to be sent to Sawyer Free Library

21. Went to Gloucester at 7:15, took down paintings, etc.

1 Culverhouse Moonlight, 1 Topsail Schooner F.H. Lane for the Sawyer Free Library.

25. Auction sale Boston artists.

Elwell's old Temeraire bot \$17

Elwell's North River bot \$15

offered to sell ea. \$25 and each frames \$25.

26. [Moved to Gloucester]

28. Gave Agnes [Sawyer, SES niece, daughter of his brother Charles] 5 paintings & engravings wedding present.

Her chamber Geneva Luke(?), Old Mill at Mattawam; two landscapes, one pastel oval & dog.

May

1. Agnes married to Albert Coffin, Nantucket, ceremony by Revd. Mr. Gage. Family Coffins, brother and Lottie.

3. [Snowed 2"-3"]

4. Wrote to Marie C. Ladreyt and enclosed \$3 for the photo. Group.

7. Went to Manchester, bought 16 Pear Trees, fruiting. Frederick Burnham, Manchester. Also 5 Bartlett [Pears], 7.50, Harvey Burnham.

8. Setting out 8 Pear Trees at Homestead.

9. Setting out Bartlett Pear Trees.

10. Bought Elwell's Old Temeraire, Library, and Elwell's Hudson River houses.

12. Got two large maples from the woods & set one out on the street side and one at Under the Cliff.

13. Set out Siamese(?) Maple near stable Under the Cliff. Took up large fine elm & put it near the st[reet] front then raked over the av[enue].

[Difficulty with J.P. Shaw, Jamaica Plain, fence]

James set out 7 trees, elms, at the Cut, sold by Henshaw Bro.

15. Ordered the gates, very heavy & good, from Jones & Bartlett's, East Cambridge.

20. [Poetry?] Wrote lines: "Birdies come to me"

25. Wrote lines, "Hours at Brookbank"

26. Burnham day, pleasant. I went to the show. Not so much a humbug. 90 cars came over road.

27. In sorrow I was informed by Mr. Hough of the death of Jno. Jas. Sawyer, 74. [High Sheriff of Halifax, Nova Scotia. His father, James, son of Abraham Sawyer, SES's grandfather, his mother Betsy Hough]

28. Finished the gateway. Jas. Made a very nice job, nothing better in New England. No!!

29. Gave Lottie 2 Venetian scenes.

June

3. Went by invitation of C.R. Bill to witness the musical exercises at the Collins school. The classes have much improved.

[Operation on right eye]

14. Met Mrs. Sawyer and Mary at Blakesley's and went out hunting for presents. Nib bought fruit stand \$165 and butter dish \$80, Nelson & Belle. I bought elegant bronze Mozart \$100. Paid Blakesley's for Elwell \$26, came down \$5.

16. Went to the city. Bot Power of Love, Parian \$25 for Belle, Nelson. I saw the art exhibition, good.

24. Rode to town. Paid Mr. Upton \$20 for the Y.M.C.Assn. Organ.

26. Went to Worcester at 8:30 with the wedding party. Stopped at Bay State House. Nelson & Belle married at 1 o'clk by the Revd. Mr. Huntington. Ceremony very finely done.

27. Put up pictures for Lottie and gave her an engraving of Correggio's "Magdalen." This with the others, ten in all, make a respectable show.

28. Went to the Sawyer School house this morning to see the exhibition of drawings, some from each school. The children have made great progress. Saw Mr. Andrews.

30. By Mr. Andrews' invitation went to the Sawyer School at 9:00 and to hear 1st and 2d classes in music, good.

Then to the Collins School to the various ex[hibitions] morning & afternoon.

July

2. Ex. High School morning & afternoon. Introduced to Mr. J.H. Hunt principal of the High School, also to Miss Barry. Both of them seem to be well chosen. The exercises in all the branches were very creditable, especially in Eng. Literature which was very interesting.
3. Went to the exhibition of the High School at Town Hall, excellent. Mary & Fanny came at 4 o'clock & enjoyed it.
4. Glorious 4th. Fine day. Village's picnic at wharf. Mary & Fanny fishing on the wharf, quite successful. Sent ten boxes of strawberries to the picnic. Very thankful.
6. In the evening Matthew with the children went with me to the Little Chapel. The monthly concert. Words made in flowers, "Jesus, the Rose of Sharon." Mrs. Weaver read Resignation by Longfellow. Very, very good.
12. Drove to Eastern Point & Rocky Neck.
22. Fine day. Painting the old wooden gate bronze to compare with the other.
24. Josiah Quincy and son Joseph came over about 9 o'clock. And went to the Eastern Point and walked to the Light House, then along the western shore looking at several sites. We returned at 12:30 & lunch.
28. Dea. Ezra Farnsworth came on the 2:25 train. We drove to the Cemetery, Town Hall and to the Point.
29. Called on Mr. & Mrs. Quincy at the Magnolia House.
31. Called on Mrs. Judith Wonson about buying her cottage.

August

1. Called on Mr. W.I. Niles, E[astern] Point and selected a point for Mr. Quincy, requesting his price, about 2 acres.
2. Lomt(?) And warehouses E[ast] B[oston] burned. \$500m loss.
4. Called on Mr. & Mrs. Josiah Quincy at Magnolia, and Mr. & Mrs. Warren.
10. Jos. A. Iasigi came down from Lynn in his yacht, Eva. About 9 ½ tons, value \$1,000.
11. Went to sail in the Eva to Thatcher's Island. We had a very nice time.

14. Wrote to Jerome with £25 (pencil – Same as 9th)

17. Jos. Iasigi and Andrew Reggio came down late in the afternoon and staid overnight, with horse.

21. Went over to Eastern Point. Saw Mr. Niles about lot for Mr. Joseph Quincy.

25. Elegant day. Wind north. Niles & S(?) Drove Min (?) And I around the Cape and I called at several places. Stimpson's Quarry very interesting to see. Called on Col. French. House \$1.5m.

28. Went with Nelson down through the Canal to the West Parish Quarry.
Gov. Washburn reviewed the Cadets at Magnolia.

September

25. [Various cows won prizes] Fanny, Sweetheart; also Belle, family mare.

October

1. Firemen's Parade Day. They had several visiting companies and five bands of music. Fine display, trial of engines. Met Dr. Loring & Col. French at Fitz J. Babson & others. Dinner at Town Hall crowded. Short speeches Loring, french, Corliss, Genl. Cogswell, Gilbert and others.
2. [Went to Hamilton. Francis Dane's farm. Cattle]

3. Drove over to the Point. Saw Mrs. Wonson about her Brown House and land for Mr. Quincy.

5. Appropriated(?) Painting of Wedding girl watering plants. Gift to Arthur W. Sawyer.

9. Strong wind, north easterly. Great undertow which brought up some rock weed. Two Eastern steamers anchored over to the Point, many coasters in harbor.
Drove over to Bass Rocks. The waves were majestic.

10. Drove around the Cape and invited Lottie to go with us; had a delightful ride, 4 hours.
Philips avenue is very nice.
Took up plants and cut slips.
Gathered Russet apples; only one barrel good ones.

11. James went with me to West Roxbury and all over the estate.

19. Government of Female C[haritable] Assn.
Prest. Mrs. Horatio G. Sanford

Vice P. Miss Annette Babson
Treas. Miss Susan Stanwood
Secy. Mrs. A.H. Bradbury
Visiting Com. ----
Directors -----

20. Wrote H[aughton] making proposition for the division of the W. Roxbury estate.
Rain & high south wind. Murphy's schooner went ashore under hill.

26. Delightful day. James & I went down to Norman's Woe, Grover lot to the hook out around
the old pasture shore.

29. Mrs. Geo. O(?) Hovey died this am.

31. Wrote Walter Hastings and enclosed check for \$1235 for 105 shs. Calumet & Hecla.

[Fixing outbuildings, receiving hay]

November

8. Put brasses on Rosa and Christina's horns. [Cows] They look very well. My herd is elegant &
promising. Five including Sweetheart.

10. Preparing for migration to our rooms at Tremont.
Delightful cold clear day.

11. Deed of Roxbury Est[ate] Sumner Farm was signed twenty years ago today by the heirs
representing Saml. Sumner.
Drove to Mrs. Judith Wonson's to get her price for House and Lot for Josiah Quincy.

25. Snowstorm. Wind north.
Called over again to see Mrs. Judith Wonson about the property for Josiah Quincy.

30. Put the new straps on Fanny, Christina and Dot.

December

1. We came up with luggage at 10:10.

6. Cooler. Snow all gone. A good time for the Commissioners to go out and view the property
[West Roxbury]. By particular request they went out at 2 o'clock. And returned at 5:30. Faunce
gave his estimate to B. Ravenswood \$9c east of Glen Road \$12c and eastern side \$15c. This

would make a result precisely like my proposal to H[oughton], west side and 9 acres of the eastern.

12. Went to Gallery of E.B. & N., another competitive sale.

13. Clemmy died 2 o'clock. Pm.

Wrote to Susan Stanwood Treas. Female Charitable Assn. and sent \$200 check, fund of Teaparty(?) Making \$1,200.

16. Bought canary Tiny and cage \$10, very fine singer.

17. Brought up the bronze horse & pictures.

18. [negotiations land West Roxbury]

Bot £25 for Jerome 123% \$136.67 and wrote to him per Hecla 20th.

[West Roxbury] at 4 o'clock to settle the division. The bidding was opened & Haughton backed out & left Faunce at bottom of it. A cheat!

21. Copied letter to commissioners and appeal to the court. Matthew thinks I have a very strong case.

22. Called upon Mr. Bowker with letter to commissioners who read & approved its contents. Afterwards called with B. upon Mr. Wadsworth who could not gainsay the truth. Wadsworth & Bowker both recd. Letters from Faunce which astonished them both. Shall next to see lawyer.

23. Called at Congregational House, anniversary of Landing of Pilgrim Fathers.

24. Bought canary for Miss McQuain for Christmas present.

Meeting of commissioners at 4 o'clock to bid for division of Real Estate in Session, full four hours before Jim(?) H[oughton] would bid at 8 ½ began and resulted in my getting choice 19m(?) Or \$9500.50 west side est. 1486.217 34 1/3 acres.

East side 476.350 10 15/16 acres, all \$4516.

Haughton bal. Eastern 4217.763, nearly 28 [acres] \$9500.50, only I bid.

25. Called on Wadsworth & left plan. Drove out to Monteglade, took W. Bowker to see the land now mine. We thought better of it and good bargain.

26. Called to see Rev. Mr. Slafter (Shafter?) [] to the Genealogical Society to enter my name. Saw Mr. Wadsworth & Mr. Bowditch about the papers relating to Monteglade.

Hung my new picture &&

27. Snow. Called on Bowditch & requested him to see that the property is clear and have all parties interested sign it.

Faunce writes to Wadsworth & to Bowker about claiming the stones. I have talked with both of them and reminded them that the matter was referred to them & they decided that the stones are mine.

29. Called upon Mr. Bowditch to have all the papers carefully examined & the title before the deeds are passed.

31. Recd. From J.P.(?) Shaw the names of the men who guarded the road and gave the list to W.S.(?) Bowditch.

Lauriston L. Scaife married to Helen A. Sprague. Doct. Lothrop.

Memoranda

Jas. L. Chester. London. Genealogy.

D. Jerome Elwell
35 Rue Port aux Varche(?)
Antwerp. Belgium
No. 2, Quai Van Dyck

B. F. Stevens. Books
17 Henrietta St., London
Recommended by John C. Claffin.

Chas. C. F(?) Lyon, a boy recommended by Albert Bowker for college.

Nov. 28th.

Mrs. Ann Jane Procter showed me today two plates taken from the coffins of her grandparents.

Rebecca Elwell died at Bradford Aug. 27, 1815, aged 71.

Capt. Payn Elwell died March 28, 1820, aged 76.

Cash Account

January

1. Int. to Library 350.00
2. Frame Temeraire 20.00

February

3. Paintings. Fruit 33

	Sheep 67		
	Sands 23	123	
Paintings	21		57.00
	13 ½		
	13		
	9 ½		

March

Intro. Music schools W.	200.00
4. Paintings	240.00
20. Photograph	8.00
27. Custer's Photo Mary B.	1.50
3. Female Char. Assn.	20.00

April

9. Marcus Aurelius 10-16	26.00
Ent fee Art Club	20.00

May

12. Frames Meyers	114.00
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June

24. Bronze Mozart 100	125.00
Parian Lion & Cupid	25.00

August

9. Little blind woman	1.00
13. Tomatoes .70, Melons 1.10	1.80

September

26. Scotch pine & arbor vitae	2.00
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October

11. Jersey heifer Rosa	100.00
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December

6. Photograph Seasons	.50
16. Canary tiny & cage	10.00
10. Canary & cage. Jerry	10.00

January

1. Thursday. Pd. Int. Library, Almira, Agnes, Fanny. Gift Esther S.S. vaults.
Advertiser & Telegraph yr. 1874.
[Various stocks. Total 3,775.] Borrowed No. Am. On call 7% 3,000.
Total 6,775. Deposited New England Trust Co.

Drew Library \$525.
Drew Tremont [House] \$615.15

Drove to Brighton Rd. & called on Bartletts. Chapin, Burney & Co. Sent us a bottle montiero.

2. Friday. Rainy. Fanny came to square accts, gave her check for \$1,000 on acct of \$3,000 note which she loans to Alfred.

Paid int. on note.

Signed Commissioners Report to the judge of the Superior Court making their award of division & assignments of parts, mutual deeds are also to be given.

3. Saturday. A document for the men to sign who guarded Glen road has been prepared by Mr. Bowditch & it seems to be full & sufficient.

Paid F.M.B. interest on four notes to Jan. 1st., \$131.43 & gave her another note for this interest.
See memo.

Made up my Genealogical report and paid \$35 life membership.

Went to see J.P. Shaw with document.

4. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Foote preached 4th chapter of Joshua. Rainy in the afternoon.

Gave James a new note with interest only added \$749.86, dated Jan. 1 & paid him 3 mo. \$150.

Owe F.M.B. five notes Jan. 1, 1874: \$2,000, \$200, \$250, \$60, \$131.43 = \$2,641.43. 7%
[pencil] int. \$92.45

5. Monday. Bought canary & cage for Mary and Fanny, a good singer.

Notified Gregory that the draft for \$400 had come to hand.

Arranged to go to Gloucester tomorrow.

Deeds returned from Hanover. H.S. executed. Notified by Wadsworth others ready. These were ready Tuesday Tuesday 6th.

3d. Drew \$150, #100 A.I.S. & \$50 for self.

6. Tuesday. Rainy morning and day. Wind no' east. Went to Gloucester at 7:15 AM. John Wiley Maynard's drab carriage, drove to causeway abt Tasrr's Dudley lots. Gravel pit lot 17 acres, swamp op. abt. 30. Measured Dr. Davidson's house lot up to High School road, abt. 70 x 228 ft. 16m ft.
Called upon Almira & Agnes & end int. \$127.50, \$14.00.
Saw Puck & Dick & they were delighted.
Dined at Mrs. [?] salt fish very good, had very nice time on our return.

7. Wednesday. Check for choice \$9,500.50. Exp. \$675, \$200 see Commts.
A day of rejoicing. The West Roxbury land is finally divided. The com[missio]n report made to the Court, the deeds exchanged, the stones[?] awarded to me and the expense of division to be all paid by H. Thus ends a case of ingratitude.

Meeting of the Genealogical Society.
Meeting of the Dumb Animals Society at Mrs. A.
Meeting & election of officers Art Club.
Assembling of the Legislature.

8. Thursday. Still raining, wind south with a prospect of clearing this PM.
Mrs. Appleton, Mr.[?] Weld & myself on a Committee to procure new rooms for the Society P.C. Animals.
Exhibition of Art Club in the evening, great crowd. Sent ticket S.Chapin.

9. Friday. Delightful day.
Went to auction sale paintings at Leonard's, good collection.
Met Appleton & Weld at Chaffin's store to see rooms. Agreed to take the room, \$800 per annum.
Drove out to Monteglade and collected ½ rent \$87.50.
Div[idend] Hamil Woolen Co. \$150.00
Drew private use \$100.00

10. Saturday. Examined Atlantic books to Dec. '73.
Met Mr. Weld, Mr. Fay, Angel, Noyes, Washburn & Miss Wigglesworth and talked about rooms. Afterwards saw Mr. Claffin, He will do the partitions and let for \$900, the upper large room also \$900.

Drove out. Bought Jerry & cage.
Mr. Sprague & Mrs. Bartlett called.

11. Sunday. Heard Mr. Bartol upon the fact that Mr. Potter has been dropped from the roll of the Unitarian year book. He didn't like it.

Fanny P[?] called after church and Lizzie Stodder afternoon.

Went to the Bartletts' to tea.

12. Monday. Amos Page died today.

Meeting of committee on rooms, 10 o'clock. Others went again to Claffin's which are very well adapted.

Stockholders meeting of the Atlantic Mills, elected the old board of directors.

Invested for No. Am. Ins. 10 yr. Funds, \$10,000 Cambridge, 94%

13. Tuesday. Went to Monteglade and took Mr. Lynch the carpenter up Glen-road. He wants a lot.

Saw Fanny Bixby on my return abt. Alfred's mortgage, not yet cancelled. Covering \$3,000 &c. he adds another note, \$2242.40.

Pd. William J. Bowditch in full, \$100.

14. Wednesday. Cambridge city bonds now 96%. Sent bundle oatmeal and candy Aunt Charlotte and wrote to Lottie.

Violent easterly snowstorm. The railways somewhat blocked. Did not go out today and was glad that I was not obliged to go.

Wrote to Jerome & Dr. Davidson.

15. Thursday. Fine winter day, snow enough for good sleighing.

Called on Mr. Brewer in relation to the Naumkeag Co., and on several stockholders for their proxies.

Saw Mr. Bowditch who says the committee return has been made to the Court & now on record.

Wrote to Hon. David H. Bates & to [?] Gregory.

16. Friday. Another fine day. Sleighing.

Tarr & Dudley called to sell me the gravel pit and the swamp. They want an offer.

Arranged with Matthews to exchange security for \$10,000. Fire in Houghton's store.

Matthew & Mrs. B[artlett], Mary, Nelson and Belle; Mrs. Jos[eph] Sawyer and young wife Jos., and Mrs. Griffin called.

17. Saturday. Ex[amine] books of the Atlantic Co.

Saw Lewis & several other parties about proxies of Naumkeag Co.

Bot 12 shares Wash. Mills, \$667.5, auction.

Drove out to Mr. Crosby's the around Monteglade.

Went with Mary to hear at the Art Club Master Walker pianist.

Drew down \$55.66 Hay & Co.

18. Sunday. Mr. Foote: Timothy 2d, 2d, 3d. Very good.

Invited to Bartlett's to tea, met Tom Dunnel, Nelson and Belle. Returned at 9 o'clock.

19. Monday. Meeting of Atlantic directors and elected Judge Abbott president. Had a very long talk. The mill has 87,000 spindles consumes 1,000 bales of cotton or more per month. Profits now \$1,000 per day.

Talked with C.H. Miller about the Naumkeag. Got several proxies.

20. Tuesday. Fine morning.

Sent William out to J.P. Shaw's for the certificate Glen-road.

Saw Jos. L. Stevens about 2 paintings sent over to the Library.

Getting proxies for Brewer, Naumkeag. Paid for 12 shares Washington 56 3/4 \$681.

21. Wednesday. Attended the meeting of the Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. In company with Gardner Brewer, John R. Brewer, — Bremer, Wm. Amory and others to choose officers for the year. R.P. Waters, Robert H. Waters, Francis Cox, C.H. Hiller, Nathaniel Walker, J.D. Parker, J.O. Safford, Thomas P. Pingree.

Henry D. Sullivan Weaver[?]

22. Thursday. Rainy. Melting and sloppy.

Had a long talk with Fay about rooms, circular and plans for raising money.

Received complimentary letter from Revd. J.C. Thatcher, Wareham, about Jerome thanking me, and wrote him an answer.

23. Friday. Rainy, wretched travelling.

Saw Mr. Livermore. Shaw & L. Requested him to let his room. Had long talk with Fay.

Received the four signs for Monteglade. Very good.

24. Saturday. Went to Monteglade and William and I put up the four signs, another tree [?] Met Mr. Hildreth and spoke of the park question &c. He considering Monteglade worth \$500 more per acre than H's and told H. the same some time ago.

Rode out to Capens and called Mrs. Thompson and daughter of Ed. Davison. Mr. Quincy called. Very sick.

25. Sunday. Very cold. Mr. Foote preached AM. Revd. A.P. Peabody the first of a course of sermons at Kings Chapel by ministers of all denominations.

Mrs. Bartlett lunch. Went to Mr. Quincy's at 8 o'clock, had entertainments & returned 10:00.

Enjoyed the evening.

26. Monday. Very cold but no snow.

Saw Mr. Bowditch and had the certificate recorded with the four names of the parties who guarded and prevented passage over Glen road May 1873.

27. Tuesday. Saw Julius A. Palmer about Cushman ink[?] &c. Received note from E.A.C.

Went through burnt district. It was wonderful.

Fanny Bartlett's birthday. Went down there to tea. Rode home.

28. Friday. Rainy & very slippery.

At 4:30 drove to Nelson's where we met Gov. & Mrs. Bullock, Matthew & wife & daughter and took dinner. The table was elegantly spread with the silver presents and a very nice dinner. We enjoyed the company.

29. Saturday. Fine morning, no snow.

Nelson called first, then E. A. Cushman, next Jacob F. Fisher & his son Geo. W. F., & I wrote to Saml[?] & Stacy and Parker Burnham Police Com[missioner] to retain the elder as policemen & janitor.

Paid Myers for frames \$52.60.

Drove out to Wm.[?] Warner's & called. 336 Harvard [Street], 82 Atlantic [Avenue]
Went to Art Club.

30. Friday. Very cold morning. Went with [with] William to Monteglade & put up three signs on newly cut stumps of oak. \$10 reward.

Franklin Evans buried.

Put up old cobbler[?] & 40 small. Wrote to Galer ovr[?] []

31. Saturday Snow storm.

Arranged yesterday to go to Newton & take tea with the Lords.

Took up \$9,000 note Washington Col[lege] @ 10 for chapel library.

Private drew S.E.S. \$150, A.I.S. \$50.

February 1. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Foote preached upon the blessings of giving—an excellent discourse.

Mrs. B. came to lunch. We invited Mrs. Lincoln & Miss Snow to go with us to hear President Mark Hopkins in the afternoon. Mr. & Mrs. Strong sat with us, house full.
Took tea at the Bartletts'

February 2. Monday. Lowery and very cold.
Took dinner with Miss Snow and Mrs. Dr. John Lincoln of Brunswick & daughter Mary. Daughter of Pitt Fessenden. Very pleasant time.

Col[lected] div[idend] Lyman Mills 3% \$75, int[erest] John A. Hamlin, 5% \$50. Paid all bills for January \$725. Drew Tremont House \$603.40.

3. Tuesday. Severe no'east snow storm.
Note from Ja[me]s about Ledge and wrote him with \$512 enclosed for incidentals for January \$35 with stamps[?]
6 to 8 in. snow has fallen. Did not go out today. Nelson came in & spent two hours.

4. Wednesday. Fine day.
Tarr and Dudley called about the sale of pit.
Nib & Belle drove out on the Brighton road.
Liquors seized at Tremont by Metropolitan police. Ordered 1 bottle 46 Brandy.

5. Thursday. W. Hildreth called to see me about the Parks & advised me about plans.

Went to Newton at 3:10 PM to take tea with the Lords and had a very nice time. Returned at 9:20 evening.

6. Friday. Mr. E. A. Cushman came in with promises.

Saw Mr. Fay about Society matters.

Called to see Elijah Smith about Hillsdale & So. Western R.R.

Sew[?] Hen show

Col[lected] div[idend] on 67 shares Mercantile N.Y. 5% \$167.50

7. Saturday. Meeting Dumb Animals Society from 10:30 to 1:00 o'clock about circulars.

Drove out to Dorr & Milmounts[?] St. The snow quite too deep.

Went to Art Club & elected 28 new members & had a very nice entertainment.

8. Sunday. Mr. Foote. Comparing oneself by oneself. Very good discourse.

Mr. Dimond of Brown University in the PM. Method of Christ.

Mrs. Doct. Lincoln & Miss Snow went & sat with us. Belle & Nelson called. To Matthew's to tea.

Letter from Lottie.

9. Monday. Cushman called but to no purpose, all promises.

Saw W. Fay about circulars and talked an hour.

Mr. Coe of Chicago called.

Belle & Nelson drove out to Aunt Nib to Brighton.

10. Tuesday. Mild winter day.

Nib invited Mrs. Lincoln to sleighride out upon the Brighton road but she could not go. We therefore drove out.

Went with Nelson to Leonard's sale.

Jos. Sawyer called.

11. Wednesday. Dined at 3 o'clock to accommodate our friends the Lords. Had nice dinner & g[oo]d time.

Invited Nelson to go to the opera. Martha. Neilsson & Miss Cary. Capoul.

12. Thursday. Called on Mr. Lord with note from Miss Snow putting off her invitation to dinner. Went to the Bartletts to dine with Millie & daughter. Belle & Miss Davis went to sleighride on Brighton road.

Bought painting on panel of Rotterdam by by Jan Ten Compe [nwo?]

Bot 2 casks 33 gals. Ea. sherry. 2 1/4 & 2 3/4.

13. Friday. Went with Mary to Leonard's auction sale exhibition of the works of our Boston artists: Hunt, Smith, Robinson, Waterman, Johnston & others. Then to Blakesley's and Dolls, Doct. Parkers, Williams & Co. Wrote to Chas. E. Grover and Erastus Worthington.

14. Saturday. Fine mild day. Snow gone.

Went to the opera, Lucia, PM. House crowded. Very good.

Evening at Art Club. Ernest Edwards' lecture & exhibition of Heliotype process of printing.

15. Sunday.

Mr. Foote. PM Dr. Saml. Osgood. Fanny Bixby came to sit.
Bartletts to tea & evening with Mary to Dr. Ellis.

16. Monday. Ordered frame for Compe Jan Ten. View of Rotterdam.

Meeting of Atlantic Mills.

Drove out over Columbus Av. to exercise the horses.

Wrote Galen Orr, Needham.

Mrs. Bartlett ill.

17. Tuesday. Charming day. No snow.

Loaned to Mr. B. For the N. Am. Ins. Co., \$8,000 @ 6%.

Went to 45 persons in Salem, Peabody, Beverly[?], Boston. Heard Chas. Kingsley and Mark Orvain[?]

Dividend Calumet & H. \$5. \$250.

18. Wednesday. Commissions are to be appointed to consider the important question of having a public park.

Called to see Belle & Nelson.

19. Thursday. First day auction sale of foreign paintings. ½ sold, good prices. Balance tomorrow. Mr. & Mrs. Foote, Mr. & Mrs. B., Mary and Fanny came to tea. A good high tea & social, seven o'clock till ten.

20. Friday. Auction sale of paintings at Williams & Everett's. Some excellent foreign paintings. See catalogue.

Drew private \$150. SES \$100, AIS \$50.

21. Saturday. Saw Hildreth & Vinson[?] about plans for a park land.

Also Chas. L. Thayer & Hutchings.

Meeting of Directors of the Society for the Prevention had long three hour session and chose committees & authorized to offer \$1,500 besides [?] to Moody.

22. Sunday. Mr. Foote an excellent sermon alluding very gracefully to the character of Washington and the glorious example.

Afternoon Dr. Hedge a learned discourse without a text on Parsiism and its relation to evil.

Wrote to Geo. S. Boutwell [?]

23. Monday. Called to see Mr. Fay and had a good talk with him about the affect of our meeting on Saturday & the circulars.

Went with Belle & Nelson to ride out to Brookline Town Hall and Library.

Museum. Dora & Cinderella.

24. Tuesday. Saw Dr. Codman about teeth.
Nib went to Mr. Foote's lecture on Christian art.
Went to Alderman's room to hear remonstrance about cutting Paddock Elms. They decided to cut 8 to 4.

25. Wednesday. Coat mended very nicely. Violent snow storm. Went to Dr. Codman's talk. Saw several collections of painting and De Blois.
Matthew called & we all went to Miss Snow's room to see paintings. Jas. sent Nelson box of cider[? Cigars?]

26. Saw Dr. Codman about teeth.
Mrs. Foote called and an arrangement made with her to go sleighriding with Mr. F. and Mrs. Sawyer which very accomplished Very good.
Bot 9 tickets for madrigals the 2d of April.
Pd wine \$83.63. Drew \$200 private. Dep. \$25 check cashed for Fanny.

27. Friday. Went to Gloucester. Met Mayor Fears & Revd. Mr. Gage and with Mr. Bell the teacher & Mr. Allen superintendent. We went first to High School, next to the primary & town hall, next to Collins. PM to the Point and to the Sawyer, say 20 rooms. We were pleased with their progress in music. Returned 4:55 PM. Drove to cove to lunch.

28. Saturday. Called to see Mr. Fay. The treasurer is reserving some money. Now preparing eight thous[and] circulars. Doubt about amalgamation.
Had my teeth repaired. A very nice piece of work.
Rosa calved tonight. 10 o'clock.

March

1. Sunday. Mr. Foote. Advice to parents. Afternoon George Ellis. In the course: Let nothing be lost. Miss Snow went with us.
Called on Belle & Nelson and to the Bartletts to tea.

2. Monday. Elegant spring morning.
Called on Mr. Fay and talked about amalgamation. Mr. Firth(?) And Washburn came in. W. read letter from Moody. No go.
Nellie & Charles called evening.
Drew Tremont. \$566.50.

3. Tuesday. Delightful winter day. Mild.
Ordered Reefing jacket & vest. \$40., stout blue coating.
C. C. Perkins on Italian art.

Park Phaeton from Slades(?)

4. Wednesday. Price lecture at Kings Chapel by Phillips Brooks.
Genealogical Society. Paper on James Cudworth.
Col. Div. Tremont & Suff[olk] \$140.

5. Thursday. Fine weather. No snow.
Cressy offered \$190. Nabob.
Drove Mr. Bowker out to Francis St. to see houses.
Wrote to James. Drew James Jany \$50.

6. Friday. Delightful day. No snow.
Boy snatched money. Old gent, Williams.
Mrs. S. and Mary went and called upon Miss Amory and Mrs. Arthur Sawyer. [...]
Met Mr. Brown, artist, at Williams & Everett's and had talk.
Nelson went with me to Perkins Lecture.

7. Saturday. Rainy morning.
Meeting of Dumb An[imal] Socy., Doct. Morland & Mr. Washburn. Employed Dwight
Wheelock to canvass the city. Saw Chaffin about rooms.
Filmore died.
Nib not very well. Miss Snow came up with her new dog. Cost \$50. Very pretty. 11 months old.

8. Sunday.
Mr. Bartol [preached on] Zachariah XI Chap.
Wrote to Dr. & Mrs. Davidson and to Jerome Elwell.
William Everett at Kings Chapel on Christ and Socrates. Mr. Bowker called after church and
discussed the sermon.

9. Monday. Weather cool but no snow. Drove with Nelson South End.

10. Tuesday. Cold & looks snowy. Wind SW.
Drove out to the Monteglade and called to see Mr. Hildreth who afterwards called at rooms.
Heard Mr. Perkins. Donatello.

11. Wednesday. Meeting stockholders of the Washington Mills to consider the expediency of
selling the woollen mills, dividing the property. Negatived, strong.
Chas. Sumner died.
William went to Portland.
Saw Gilbert State House.
Saw Bohemian Girl. Kellogg, Van Zant.
Two Sequins. Maass.

12. Thursday. Very cold & blustering.
Called on Mr. Roy and talked about new office. Have recd. \$4200.
Saw Colo. Hutchings about the apportionment of commission.
Attended sale Foxcroft Coles paintings. 2 o'clock. ½ sold.
Drew \$275. Bought of Sargent Victoria [Code], price new.

13. Friday. Very cold weather. No snow.
Called again to see Palmer about Cushman mortgage.
Continued sale of Coles paintings. They bought good price. 125 in all, no frames. \$15 to \$16,000.
Called with [] over to see Belle.
Perkins Lecture Lowell Inst.

14. Saturday. Cool pleasant day. No snow, rather windy and dusty.
Paid Slade for storing & varnishing Park P.
Funeral services for Charles Sumner at Faneuil Hall. Crowded.
Meeting Dumb An. Society at 10 o'clock. Com. Firth, Johnson & self.
Drew private \$100.

15. Sunday. Mr. Sumner's remains were brought from Washington and placed in Doric Hall State House last night. Thousands of people visited them today.
Lizzie Stodder called PM.. Went to Bartletts' to tea.

16. Monday. Napoleon IV attained his majority today. 18 years.
Fine morning. Meeting of Directors of Atlantic Mills.
Judge Bliss Halifax, N.S. died 79 years.
Chas. Sumner's funeral at Kings Chapel 3 o'clock. Draped & flowers. Revd. Mr. Foote.
Kellogg troupe. Marriage of Figaro.

17. Tuesday. Rainy morning. Tooth ache. Reading all day & writing.
Mr. Bowker called with [] AM.
Invitation to tea tomorrow.

18. Wednesday. Called upon Abram Keith in relation to ministers(?) Meeting.
Met Mr. Goddard of Advertiser.
Meeting Finance Committee. Took Chicago mortgage \$2500 10% 3 years.
Called on Belle with carriage.
Wheelwright dead.
Interest mortgage Edson Keith \$1,000.

19. Thursday. Committee met at Firth's at 10 o'clock in conference with Mr. Chaney. Saw Mr. Fay and talked.

Saw Mr. W. G. Weld about carriage.

Also Mr. Sturns(?) about Lib[rary] room.

Took tea with the Bowkers. Had very pleasant time. William drove us over. B. sent us back.

20. Friday. Sale of Higgins, Hodgson, Shapleigh & others, Boston artists. Only a fair sale.

Drove to Monteglade and saw Mr. Brennen.

Art Lecture in evening.

21. Saturday. Met Mrs. Johnson at Mr. Firth's and arranged for meeting of the clergy at Mr. Appleton's. Form of invitation.

Drove to Garbett's with plan and explained our objects. Got it all laid out for the Park Land.

22. Sunday. Mr. Foote. Proverbs 14: 34 text. Funeral sermon Chas. Sumner.

C. H. Leonard Universalist in the afternoon course.

Called upon Belle & Nelson. Took tea with the Bartletts.

Mrs. F. W. Lincoln very sick.

23. Monday. Very windy and cold. No snow.

Called to see Russell Sturgis, W. H. Baldwin, Pat Donahoe and Henry S. Washburn to sign invitation to clergy.

Called upon Belle and Mrs. Bullock. Belle is very bright.

To Agnes a child is born.

24. Tuesday. Very cold & awfully dusty. Gave up going to G.

Went to State House to hear result of vote for Senator. Dawes, Hoar and Curtis about equal.

Democrats strong.

Ordered 200 inv[itations] Osgood.

25. Wednesday. De Blois collection at Blakesley's were sold at half his prices.

Mrs. Bullock & Belle called with Mrs. B.

Mrs. F. W. Lincoln died this morning at 10 o'clock. We feel her loss very much.

26. Thursday. Two painting sales but very poor, made in N.Y.

Another trial for senator. Dawes 92. Hoar 82. Curtis 74.

Went out to the farm. Saw Jerry Williams.

Martin Coy will work.

27. Friday. Mrs. Lincoln's funeral services 12 noon held at Mayor Lincoln's in Louisburg(?) Sq. by Revd. C. Robbins. She was buried at Mt. Auburn. Even more beautiful in death than in life, sweet & heavenly as her character was on earth.

Went to Perkins Art Lecture.
Wm. saw Martin Coy \$2.00 day.

28. Saturday. Snow storm. Cleared at 10 AM.
Attended meeting directors A.P. C. Animals & arranged the Vice Presidents & Directors. Hope to have 5 more ladies.
Went out to see Garbett.
C. C. Perkins lecture on the poetry of Michelangelo.

29. Sunday. Revd. Mr. Morrison of Milton preached in the morning and Doct. Vinton PM.
Wrote to Mrs. Hills, Halifax on death of Judge Bliss.
Wrote to Henry C. Davis, ward [], House of Representatives.

30. Monday. Martin Coy commenced today \$2. Wm. & I went out to give him directions about cutting. Saw Mr. Brennen who said he should not want my part of the farm.
Meeting of Directors North American Ins. Co. Dividend 5%.
Saw McMurtry and Garbett.

31. Tuesday. Meeting of Society of P. C. A. and election of directors added. Taft, Mrs. Homans.
Gave \$100 for life membership and Mrs. S. \$15 annual.
Drew \$100 Dumb Animals, \$100 private expenses.
4 shares \$210. Washington Mills. \$52.50.

April

1. Wednesday. Elvira born 2 o'clock PM. Elvira born unto Belle at 2 o'clock PM. 11 lbs.
Cold.
Auction sale stocks. Went out to Monteglade to see Brennen. Not at home. Saw Martin & gave directions.

Col. Div[idends]	North Am. Ins. Co.	5%	\$400	
	Union Bank	6%	\$240	
	Suffolk Bank	4%	\$100	
	Total		\$740	
Check Tremont	\$605.40			
Barnard	214.22			
Total	\$819.62			

2. Thursday. Fine morning. Went to Gloucester. Called upon Aunt Rachel and Mrs. Gilbert, also upon Agnes and the new born Abbot. Julia & Mina not at home. Requested Jas. to employ Mr. Marshall by the day.
Madrigals. Miss McQuain went with us. Good.

3. Friday. Went to Montglade. Talked with Brennen abt. rent. He has hired of H. \$350 and H repairs the house.
Called upon W.H.H. Murray and Rollin H. Neat(?)
Drew Chapel tax to)ct. 1, \$58.60.
4. Saturday. Meeting of directors S.P.C.A. Elected president, treas[urer] & Sec[retary]. Talked about rooms. On committee to examine accounts.
Called upon several of the clergy and among others E.E. Hale with our invitation.
Anti-inflation meet[in]g at Faneuil H. Wm. Gray prest.
5. Sunday. Easter Sunday. Ch[urch] full. Mr. Foote sermon very good. Afternoon. Easter carols very good. Church quite full and flowers distributed. Miss Snow and Mary Lincoln went with us. Mrs. Bullock called.
6. Monday. Bought silver cup & saucer for birthday present [code \$42.50] marked Elvira April 1, 1874 from Uncle and Aunt S.
Went to Garbetts to see plan.
An[nual] meeting Kings Chapel. Increased Mr. Foote's salary \$6,000. Elected same officers.
7. Tuesday. Rainy day.
Martin Coy, not AM, ½ day.
Went with Nelson out to see Garbett and the plan. Wrote up the advantages.
Evg. at Miss Snow's and played whist with the Cliffords. Dr. Lincoln.
Check. Cup & saucer. Elvira. \$42.50.
Div[idend] Cape Ann Bank \$50.00
Rent Jas. Brennen to April 1, \$87.50.
8. Wednesday. Martin \$10.
Drove to Mrs. Phillips to see Miss Robb and took out her canary. He immediately began to sing.
Saw the Misses Nazro and Aunt Linzee.
Then drove up through Wm. Gray, Jr. Place to Montglade. Montglade. Martin Coy burning.
Called on the Houghs evening.
Order lumber stable.
9. Thursday. Rainy morning.
Received Park plan today at 3:30 o'clock. Very good. Expense \$60 to \$70.
At 4 o'clock went to the meeting of clergymen at Mrs. Appleton's, 76 Beacon St. To her (sic) Geo. T. Angell. Good.
Miss McQuain called & received \$20 from Miss Robb.
10. Friday. Rainy morning.
Saw Mr. Fay about meeting.

Met Alex[and]r H. Rice and Horatio Harris, also Col. Hutchings to see the Plan for Park.
Advised (sic) to see M. F. Dickinson but did not approve.
Artists sale paintings.

11. Saturday. Saw Col. Hutchings & told him that I had decided not to employ a lawyer in presenting the plan of lands. Saw John Galvin about plan.
Went out to Monteglade, saw Brennen & col[lected] rent to April 1. \$87.50. He will probably allow \$100 for 11 acres. Saw Martin Coy & paid him up to Saturday night, in all \$21.

12. Sunday. Mr. Foote preached. Good. Afternoon Mr. Hale. Not sat[isfactory].
Called to see Belle and baby, also to see Mr. Hough. Anne Kent has gone to St. Louis.
Matthew & Nelson called. Spent part of the evening with Miss Snow.

13. Monday. Attended to plan & showed it to several parties and to Col. M. P. Wilder. He approved of my course. Saw Wm. Gray, Jr. &c.
Called on Mr. Woods.
Drove around the proposed park grounds & then let the 11 acres to Jas. Brennen for \$100 per an[num].

14. Tuesday. Fine day.
Saw Edw[ard] Atkinson and Isaac Fenno abt. Park, rewrote statement & key to submit with Plan to the Commission tomorrow.
Drove to McMurtry's, then to Mr. Barry's, Mr. Capen's, and to Mr. Thatcher's. Also called on Mrs. Warren & the Bartols.

15. Wednesday. [Pencil] Safford Milton 6w(?)
Sent Plan and Statement to Wm. Gray, Jr. commissioner and afterward explained to him.
Therefore the ship is launched.
Went to Milton to see N.(?) F. Safford about cutting my land.
Mrs. S. and McQuain drove out to Monteglade and to Miss Robb.
Loaned \$50 to Cushman.

16. Thursday. Went to Monteglade and spent the morning. Wm. burning the brush with Martin Coy.
Saw G. Winthrop Coffin at his office about the Park.
Drove to several places about servant girls.
Cliffords gone.
Int. Joseph Goodman \$400 15th. (Over)

17. Friday. Snowstorm.
Bought 5 piones(?) Whip &c.
Goodman's note not paid.

Called on Alderman Clark and the Mayor for share tickets.
Mr. Hough very sick. Girls at home.
Dep. Kittredge int.(?) check \$50.
(Pencil) Loans return √

18. Saturday. Fine day after snowstorm. Went down to see about the Goodman coupon. Not.
Drove out to see about [servant] girls from 2:30 to 6:30.
Miss Snow & the Bartletts called & spent part evening.

19. Sunday. Went with W. Chapin to hear Mr. Murray at Park St. Church.
Notified W. C. That we should go down next Sat[urday].
Heard Mr. Foote on history of Price Lectures.
Saw the mother & child and tead (sic) at the Bartletts'.

20. Monday. Drew for A. I. S. \$100.

21. Tuesday. Called upon Mrs. Sprague & Bassett— two pretty children, Anne and Belle Gorham
— also upon Mrs. Whitcomb.

Engaged two girls: Mary McCarty, \$4.75, Hannah Mad \$4.00 [per week]. With 2 tickets each,
during summer.

22. Wednesday. 32 Coventry St.
Went to Brookbank. Delightful day.
Spent evening with the Bartletts. The Footes were there. Good time.
Dep. Joseph Goodman's. Int. due April 15 \$400. Less 1/4% \$1. = \$399.

23. Thursday. Rain & snow storm. Mrs. B. & Nelson called. Packing trunks.
Called on Miss Snow.
Pd. Wm. Winn \$50 on account April.
Recd. cross harness \$35.
Drew \$150 private.

24. Friday. Went out to Monteglade. Saw Jere Williams & gave him \$25 to pay Martin from
\$27th, Monday. I paid Martin Coy to tomorrow nights Saturday. In full \$22.
Drew J.T.(?) Barnard \$58.29.

25. Saturday. Miss Snow & the housekeeper called. Also Nelson.
We left the Tremont 10:30 AM. Wm. came with carryall and new Victoria at 3 o'clock.
Pictures all up.
Stopped with the Jaquiths. Snowstorm commenced.
Drew Tremont \$473.70.

26. Sunday. Violent snowstorm all night and continued through the day.
We put the house in good order. Mary came to the rescue.

27. Monday. Sunny day, wind N. E. Cool. The snow all disappeared. The house is now in order.
Both girls came in the 11:15 train.
Hannah \$4, Mary 4.75 week.

28. Tuesday. James cutting around the trees & changed the snowball in front of house.
The girls are doing well.
Ordered 4 shares Wash[ington Mills] 51 - 53 ½.

29. Wednesday. Martin no.
Rain and snow all day.
Cleaned up the Boat House.
Sheperd took the calf.

30. Thursday. Very cold and windy. NW.
Bray's team & 2 men ½ day, hauled 6 loads of kelp and 4 loads gravel. Drive.
Drove Rosa to West Parish.
Drew 4 Wash[ington] Mills 51 ½ \$206.

May

1. Friday. Bright clear day, wind NW, but very cool for the season.
Edwin Fitch cemetery stones \$15.
Ordered 24 Bushels Oats @.70. \$16.80.
Ordered Mr. Fitch to do Matthew's \$15.
Received letter from Jerome.
Drew private \$100.

2. Saturday.
Fine day. Wind norwest.
James not well, cold. Called Dr. Stevens.
The Gardners came home.
Wrote to Jerome and sent £25 sterling, \$5.56. \$139.00. Drew.

3. Sunday. Charming morning. Bright & cool.
James much better.
Wm. took the girls to church.
Wrote to Mrs. Hill about Mr. H, stating his condition. Weaker.
James slowly improving.

4. Monday. Charming day.

Attended meeting of the com[mittee] on drawing and music and decided to have an exhibition of drawing about the 15th and of music the last of June. At 2:00 PM meeting of sch[ool] com[mittee]. Agreed to pay Mr. Bill at rate of \$1,000 per an[num] for balance of year, to be continued.

Drew hay & oats \$32.66.

5. Tuesday. Lowery but mild morning. A heavy circle around sun west(?)

Partial exhibition of music at the Collins School H[ouse] at 11:00 o'clock. A delegation of ten spectators were present: Mayor Fears, Marchant, Rogers, Stacy, Corliss, Somes, Procter, Gage & others.

Wrote to Fanny Bixby.

6. Wednesday. Drove over to town. Delightful. Called upon Aunt Stevens.

Mina quite ill with sore throat. Poor thing, she suffers much.

Met Mrs. Shackelford who felt badly meeting me for the first time after the death of Clemmy.

7. Thursday. Cool wind from the east.

Raking the stableyard and William rolled it.

Drove to the cemetery and Matthew. Paid Edwin Fitch \$15.

Wrote to Fanny Bixby with check \$100 on account.

8. Friday. Went to the city and out to Monteglade and put up the two signs and stone for sale.

Paid Martin \$12 to Sat[urday] PM.

Saw collection paintings to be sold at 2:00 by Leonard: one Edmund Tschaggeny # 55; one Braces Cove by Lane, &c., also collection 22 School St.

9. Saturday. Mild day, April showers. Cleaning & raking driveway, 5 hours 1 man.

Mina has benn & is now quite ill with sore throat but is on the mending way. James is also better.

10. Sunday. Delightful, luxurious day. Everybody, everything are in a holiday mood. Vegetation grows a pace. Who would be in Boston?

Doct[or] Hildreth called to see me about Bill [music teacher] &c. &c.

11. Monday. Cloudy in the morning & cleared.

Mrs. B. and Nelson came by 7:15 train - a surprise. She went at 4:55 and Nelson staid till Tuesday.

12. Tuesday. Nelson & I drove over to town in the morning. Saw Mr. Allan about exhibition, and wrote to Frank B. Morse, 13 Worcester Sq., Boston, Teacher of drawing, evening, about preparing for exhibition.

Nelson drove with me to Magnolia and then to the depot.

Paid William A. Garbett, G. & Wood Check \$63.25 for plan for Park Commissioners.

22. Friday. Fine day after a fine rain.

Sent by Mr. Procter, Dot \$6 and Sweetheart \$4 to pasture on island. Agreed for the two \$10 for season.

Mr. Hough came down today very comfortably. We called over to see him.

Wrote again to Mrs. Hill.

23. Saturday. Fine day.

Williams paid Martin \$11, balance \$4 in hand.

Received from Boynton 3 ½ tons coal, ½ Franklin, ½ range.

Drove over to the exhibition of drawings. Very good.

Raked over the avenue in an hour and quarter.

James doing something.

24. Sunday. Strolling.

25. Rainy PM.

Drove over to the City Hall by appointment with Miss S. to select drawings for exhibition in Boston.

Met Mr. Gage.

James oiled barouche.

I finished bottling wine. G.C.L. & Co.

Collected div[idend] Langdon 8%. \$1,760.

26 May. Tuesday. Fine day.

Helped Miss Sawyer take down slate and finally selected drawings.

Selected about 60 plants from Seth Cole's green house garden and set out in the circle.

27 May. Wednesday. Fine day.

Jas. & I preparing gardens for the plants &c.

Bray team & Albert^{5 PM} ½ day hauling manure Cliff.

28 May. Thursday. Fine day.

1 load manure Ingersoll. Garden. Bray team & Albert all day.

Hauling manure and rockweed and ploughing in the lower corner field. Took in all ten loads horse manure from under stable, one load rubbish from cliff yard and one load ashes from rear b(?).

29 May. Friday. Fine day.

Went to the city. Went to Monteglade. Martin \$10 on account. He will go on next week. The place is looking finely.

Examined with P. T. Homer the Hamilton Manufacturing Co. Accts. Came down at 5:00 o'clock.

Bray, Albert & team all day.

30 May. Saturday. Bray, Albert & team one day. Hauled 7 loads manure from Ingersolls' making 8, \$16.
Ploughed, harrowed & sowed with Hungarian the corner lot.
Drove over to hear the children sing at City Hall, Decoration Day.
Mary Bartlett came.

31 May. Sunday. Mild and delightful.
The apple trees are in full bloom & have been some days.
Drove over to hear the Revd. Mr. Thatcher. Very good.

JUNE

1 June. Monday. Rainy ½ day. James painting carriages. J mowed the lawn today. Brays not here.
Attended meeting of the School Com[mittee]. Voted to have instrumental music exhib[ition].
Drew check for \$3,000 to pay No. Am. Ins. Co. Loan.
Div. Hamilton Mfg. Co. 4% \$480.

2. June. Tuesday. Fine day.
Frank Bray and A[ll]bert all day. Leveling back of faced wate(?) Planting corn & Hungarian, then leveling little pasture, burying rocks, &c., &c.
Paid Unitarian Festival \$5.

3 June. Wednesday. Fine day.
Frank Bray & Abert all day. Finished little pasture and the flower garden. Planted sugar sweet corn and commenced mowing lawn orchard. Set out tomato plants.
Cock Robin died. Junior.
Fanny Bartlett Bartlett came down at 2:15 PM.

4 June. Thursday. Rainy.
Frank Bray 3/4 day. Mowing lower orchard &c. Bot 4 doz. more tomatoes, now 6 doz.
Clark brought over 5 loads, 3 in Hemlock plank, 38 pieces. Planed.
Drew \$100 private. Paid Hannah \$12.

5 June. Friday. Foggy morning.
Horace half day PM.
Met Dr. Eveleth and Revd. Mr. Read at the Point Primary School and staid till 12 o'clock.
Finished sowing grassseed and everything in Little Pasture. Set out bal[ance] Tomatoes and planted sunflower seed.

6 June. Saturday. Foggy morning. It rained at 3:00 o'clock.
Horace all day.
Went to Point School. The second room in the Primary and to the Wonson, Rocky Neck.
Gathering up the grass PM. At 3 o'clock could do no more.
Martin Coy finished at present from March 30 to June 6, 50 days, \$100.

7 June. Sunday. Dull morning.
Ps. William 4 Sunday \$1.00.

8 June. Monday. Very warm weather. Trimming & raking walk.
Afternoon attended Forbes & Rogers school.
Helped James put up hay.
The Chamberlins came.

9 June. Tuesday. Warm & pleasant.
The Chamberlins came over & spent forenoon. They dined at the Jaquiths', [I] sent over two bottles cider, 1 wine.
Mary & Fanny returned at 5:00. The Chamberlins went also. They were delighted with B[rookbank].

10 June. Wednesday. Bray's team & 2 men ½ day manure.
Went to the city & to Monteglade. Met J. B. Hildreth, also John Galvin. Talked of the Park.
Exhibition of drawings Art Club and Horticultural Hall.
Col. Div. Merk(?) \$240.
Drew check int. No. Am., 5 mo. \$87.50; Hay, Knowlton \$58.20.

11 June. Thursday. Good day.
Commenced on the stable. 3 carpenters & Frank Bray. Floor very rotten.
Got in the Hay, about ½ ton. Lower place.
Ordered ton of ice at abt. \$5.50.
Col. Div. Peacock \$675. (Sic ? \$67.50)
Check private \$150.

12 June. Friday. Dull day.
3 carpenters all day, preparing the old timbers, cleaning out rubbish and commenced laying floor.
Visited PM schools at Point.
1st. ton ice came today,

13 June. Saturday. Fine cool clear day. Wind north.
3 carpenters on floor.
Frank Bray morning from 8 AM. Upper orchard & Dennen place.
Paid Ingersoll for manure \$16.
Paid James February on account \$50.

14 June. Sunday. Fine day. W[ind] westerly. Drafted over the premises and opened the hay at 11 o'clock.
Wrote to Fanny Bartlett, to Wm. P. Sargent and to E. A. Cushman.

15 June. Monday. Fine day.

Frank Bray mowing Cliff & Moreh[ea]d.
3 carpenters con[tinue] sheathing.
Hay in Upper Orchardready, 600 lbs. & Dennen 600 lbs.
Rec[eive]d Irons for stable.
16 pr. Spruce plank, 26 ft. long ea. Stalls.
400 pine tongued, 140 spruce. Joists.

16 June. Tuesday. Good day.
3 carpenters sheathing, &c.
Put in Hay, excellent from Orchard & Dennen Place, about 600 to 700 from each. [Total] 1,300.

17 June. Wednesday. Very rainy.
3 carpenters on stalls & iron gutter.
Ordered lumber for floor, wheels for doo &c.
Visited Collins [School] 6th class. Dr. Hildreth & Revd. Mr. Read &c.

18 June. Thursday. Fine day.
3 carpenters on stalls.

19 June. Friday. Rainy.
3 carpenters on stable.
Drove to town, ord[ere]d Lumber for bedroom floor & to finish.
Went to Ex[hibition] Sawyer School.
Lumber for wash-room floor.

20 June. Saturday. Rainy. Wind no'east. Cold.
3 carpenters on stalls. Ord[ere]d new door & brot it over.
Went to Collins School Ex.

21 June. Sunday. Rainy & cold.

22 June. Monday. Fine.
3 Carpenters con[tinued] repairing wash room & at work upon the stalls & coachmen's room.
Attended Ex. AM Sawyer [School] 3rd & 4th; PM Collins 4th Class.

23 June. Tuesday. Fine. Very warm.
Got in hay, Cliff & Moreh[ea]d.
3 carpenters. Slow work, hanging large doors.
Ordered lumber for carriage house. Upper floor & sheathing. 1,200 ft. ½ planed spruce.
2 8 x 8 and 18 4 x6 floor timber finished & painted wash room.
Attended Point Grammar, 1st, 2nd & 3rd.

24 June. Wednesday. Fine, cool, norwest wind.
3 carpenters. Com[menced] tearing up floor in carriage house. Rotten.
Attended Ex. Collins. 3rd Class.

25. June. Thursday. Fine.
Went to the City.
3 carpenters carriage house.
Attended meeting Atlantic. Voted not to pay div. 3% proposed.
Meeting Finance Com. No. Am. Adams, Jeffries confirmed some investments. Voted to take
\$30,000 mortgage Chicago 5 yrs. 9% micking(?)

26. Friday. Good day.
3 carpenters carriage house.
Attended examinations of the 2nd class Collins & 1st Sawyer.

27 June. Saturday. Fine.
3 carpenters. Carriage H. Stairs, pump, chest, door &c.
Rehearsal of the children in the morning in music. Exhibition in the afternoon. 260 children.
Very good.

28 June. Sunday. Very fine. Reading & strolling.

29 June. Monday. Fine.
2 carpenters, Winchester & Hinckley who finished up.
Ex. Collins first class. 2 PM.

30 June. Very fine.
S. O. Brown forenoon & part of afternoon, Shackelford afternoon, painting stable.
Ex. High [School] forenoon & afternoon.

JULY

1 July. Wednesday. Went to the City.
Col. Div:
Naumkeag \$960
Hill Mill \$500 Int. Hopkinson \$400
Bates \$240 Frinck \$500
Franklin \$200 James \$450
Continental none Waulop(?) \$270
Dwight \$75 Meeker \$400

[Total] \$3995

Checks:

Library \$525

Almira & Ag[nes] \$136.80

Private \$250

2 July. Thursday.

3 Painters in stable 3/4 day. They used about 65 lbs lead & 5 gals. Oil. The stable is finally finished.

Ex[amination] scholars for admission to the High School. 97 appli[cants].

3 July. Friday. Good day.

Ex. Scholars for admission &c. AM

Exhibition of High School. PM.

Jas. finishing odds & ends, work upon the stable.

Bot chamber set.

William \$16.

4 July. Saturday. The Glorious Fourth. Foggy AM.

Drove to town, called on the Gilberts. He sent an elegant rose to Nib and she gave me a beautiful one. Took over old phaeton & showed it to young Boynton. Did not get open wagon at Millet's. Bray mowing low ground.

5 July. Sunday. Rainy day. Kept house, reading till night.

6 July. Monday.

Jas. [&] Wm. 1/2 day.

Frank Bray mowing lawn & hoeing the corn ! Day.

Went to town. P[ai]d some bills. At 2:00 o'clock meeting school com. & elected 70 teachers & fixed their salaries for the year.

Evening went at 9 o'clock to the Re-union of High School.

7 July. Tuesday. Cutting walks. Work on hay. Jas. Wm. all day. Cleaning up lumber &c. & preparing stable for horses.

Lottie went to Boston.

Mr. Foote & Mr. & Mrs. Hough and Charley called & spent two hours. Wm. took Mr. F. to Manchester.

Frank Bray hoeing corn.

8 July. Wednesday. Foggy AM but fine warm day. James unwell.

Jemmy & I did jobs at stable.

Mr. & Mrs. Warner & daughter called in the afternoon.

Lottie returned from Boston.
Belle & Flirt came home.

9 July. Thursday. Warm day.
James out and spliced ropes in stable.
Saw the comet under Dipper.
Nabob & Monarch came home.
Frank Bray hoeing corn.

10 July. Friday. Warm and fog.
Got in hay from lawn. 300 lbs. Bray hoeing & finished.
Received 2 ton ice. Got it in ver easy.
Jas. & Jemmy & self cleaning up. Trimming around trees and borders outside gate.
Drove to town in Barouche.

11 July. Saturday. Fine day.
Jas. & Jemmy weeding garden.
Cleaning coat(?) &c. at Boat House. Violent shower came up & rained in torrents.
Spent an hour at the Jaquiths'. Mrs. not well.
Jas. not well. Had Dr.

12 July. Sunday. Rainy all night and continued through the day.
Lottie made a long call.
Wrote to Mary F.(?) Bartlett and to Mrs. Judge Hill.
Gave Mrs. Henry Haskell \$5, church.

13 July. Monday. Very warm.
Growing elm tree front. William & put up the vine at Jas.'
Jemmy didn't come & I don't want him more.

14 July. Tuesday. Very warm.
Rode to town [in] Barouche. Called at the Houghs, saw Kent & Annie. He looks consumptive.
Jemmy not here.
Great fire in Chicago, south side, \$4,000,000.

15 July. Wednesday. Very warm.
Fixing stable and to ride to town afternoon. The Houghs called.
Jemmy not here.
Bray, Hermon & Albert and team ½ day, 4 loads gravel, ½ Jas., ½ on ridge, 2 Almira and one under cherry tree.

16 July. Thursday. Very warm.

I hoed out the gutter under the great oak and one of Bray's men helped ½ hour.
Too warm to ride. Squall & small showers.
The scene about Chicago fire exaggerated & now subsided.

17 July. Friday. Warm. Wind nor[th].
Drove over to town. Paid several bills. See entry.
Second trial of 21 scholars to High School. 62 are already admitted.
Shocking accident. Lucy F. Corliss.
Drew \$100. Private.

18 July. Saturday. Fine day.
Albert ½ day. Cleaning up Under the Cliff walk, gutters &c., then mowing weeds, &c.
Drove to town afternoon & called upon the Corlisses in their great trouble. She was mistakenly killed by a stone from a blast while riding.

19 July. Sunday. Fine day. Roaming & reading.
Capt. William Sawyer of Liverpool, Eng. Called to see me. He knew my brother fifteen years and expected to find him living. He is no doubt one of the Sawyer family. Will send record.
Gave him \$5.

20 July. Monday. Cloudy but pleasant morning.
Wrote to Newell Giles abt. horses &c.
At 2:00 o'clock went to funeral of Lucy F. Corliss, age 22 who was killed instantly by a blast, a stone crushing her head while riding through Rockport. A large sympathizing company.

21 July. Tuesday. Fine day. Doing jobs.
Prepared for fishing & went about 2 o'clock. Caught one cod & 2 doz. perch.
Drove to town & called at Hough.
Showed Mr. Giles my two horses and cow. He thinks of Monarch. He & his wife drove to Magnolia.

22 July. Wednesday. Fine cooler day.
Drove to town & called at the Houghs with 2 bottles Hard Cider for Kent.
Then to Mrs. Gilbert's and to Aunt Rachel's with bot wine. Gave bottle wine to James. Aunt Rachel & Ann Jane came over in the Barouche at 4 o'clock. Returned at 6 o'clock.

23 July. Thursday. Delightful day.
Wm. went to the city to spend the day.
Called at Aunt Stevens to see if she was well after her trip to the cove and took her a basket apples.

24 July. Friday. Fine.

Drove to town. Called to see the Houghs.

25 July. Saturday. Fine day.

Mrs. David Ingersoll died. Stoppage & inflammation.

Trimmed shrubs B.H.[boat house] walk. They look very very well.

Drove to town & called on the Gilberts & the Lows.

26 July. Sunday. Fine.

Reading at B. H. Delightful moonlight.

27 July. Monday. Fine.

Cut shrubs in front.

Ingersoll's cow turned into my Hungarian grass.

Fanny Bixby came down in the 11:15 train.

Full moon splendid.

28 July. Tuesday. Fine. Cool.

Trimming rear of house.

Mrs. Sally Ingersoll⁶ buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery at 2:00 o'clock PM, Rev. Mr. Makepeace made the prayer. 71 years.

29 July. Wednesday. Fine morning. Weeding the garden. Rainy in the afternoon and evening. Refreshing.

30 July. Thursday. Fine.

Miss McWain came down this morning. Went to Cemetery, City Hall, and drove to Magnolia Station.

Nelson came by 5:00 o'clock train.

31 July. Friday. Delightful.

Nelson & I went fishing. Caught about 4 doz. perch & had a good time.

Prem[ium] Essex Ag[ricultural] Soc. Col. By Page & Co.

Belle, Family mare	8.00
Fanny, Jersey cow	10.00
Sweetheart, heifer	4.00
[Total]	\$22.00

AUGUST

1 August. Saturday. Fine.

Nelson went to the city about house, returned at 4:00 o'clock.

Received 1 Ton Ice, \$3.00

Cut first corn for fodder evg.

2 August. Sunday. Fine.

Nelson & Fanny here. Reading & talking B. House.
Monthly concert chapel.

3 August. Monday. Fine cool evening, wind NW.
Nelson returned at 7:25 AM.
Attended meeting School Com. & voted \$600 salary to Miss Clough.
Sold to Newell Giles 7 for [code] Monarch & Fanny.
Drew private \$250.

4 August. Tuesday. Fine. Very cool.
Cow delivered. Monarch & Fanny \$300
Went to the city.

Col. Div[idend]	John A. Hamlin mart \$650.00	
	Lyman Mills	75.00
	Hamilton W. Co.	50.00
[Total]		\$1075.00

Pd. full B. Bal. Int. to July 1. End crossed(?)	91.42	
She paid me this back &c.		8.58

Making \$100 borrowed, May 8, [18] 74.
I gave her the coupon, \$36 to sell herself.

5 August. Wednesday. Fine.
Aunt Charlotte went to ride down to Magnolia.
Fishing. Hough called. Gave Kent bottle sherry.

6 August. Thursday.
Drove to town with carriage & ordered & ordered it repaired Co.(?) Mfg.
Brought home the old Phaeton & stored at Cliffs.
Drew N. Giles check \$300. Deposited amt. New Eng. Trust Co.
Engaged coal \$9.00 8 ½ and 9 ½. Franklin.
Fished at the wharf.

7 August. Friday. Fine.
Drove around Cape with the pair in Beach Wagon & took Fanny Bixby. Left Puck with Mr. Giles. They are all pleased with Monarch and Fanny have a good home. Afternoon went fishing.
Albert ½ day on lawn.

8 August. Saturday. Rainy morning.
Puck appeared while eating breakfast, very wet and chopfallen.

9 August. Sunday. Rainy all day.

Chimney swallows.

Hind wheels carryall new(?) Rimmed.

10 August. Monday. Fine

Albert 1 day. Cutting & weeding at Cliffs.

Fanny Bixby returned 9:30.

Called on the Houghs & B.H. Corliss.

Cushman came down.

Treated ungratefully by Almira Hotchkiss Sawyer in regard to my house Cliffs.

11 August. Tuesday. Fine.

Albert all day. Finished Hungarian & then put up fences & mowing.

Got plans from John Webber.

Paid Mary on account \$5.

12 August. Wednesday.

Fogg (sic)

Albert all day. Mowing lower orchard.

Covered dog.

I cleaned two long walks.

Charley Hough came to bid us goodbye, going home to St. Pierre.

13 August. Thursday. Lowery, followed by a very heavy shower. Rainy day.

Albert 2 hours mowing & trimming.

14 August. Friday. Very rainy.

Albert not here.

Hungarian & other grass down.

Called at the Jaquiths' in the evening: it rained hard & W[illia]m tackled Nabob to carryall to come for us, as we ret[urne]d.

Jas. check March & April \$100.

15 August. Saturday. Cloudy and cleared aft[ernoon].

Albert all day, fixing driveway and cut borders where the horse had broken it, & raked nearly all morning at Cliffs.

Mrs. Edwin O. Tufts and Mrs. Geo. F. Richardson & son came over from Whiting's to dinner.

16 August. Sunday. Fine. Hay making alone.

17 August. Monday. Fine.

Albert all day. Mowing by the Boat House and clearing of porch.

School committee meeting.

Took Lottie & Annie Hough and drove to Whiting's. Called on Mrs. Tufts, Richardson, and Cornelia Gibson. Wine(?)

Hay. Town of Manchester. \$30. 215.11.

18 August. Tuesday. Fine.

Albert all day weeding small garden & trimming. Got in about 600 lbs. hay from Lower Pl[ace].

Drove over to town with the pair in open wagon.

19 August. Wednesday. Albert not here.

Went to the city. First went to Monteglade. It was perfectly lovely.

Attended meeting of the Calumet & Hecla.. They represent \$250 or more per share.

Wrote to Jerome Elwell per Celtic, New York , with exchange £25, 39, 34.75.

Deposited Calumet & Hecla \$250.

20 August. Thursday. Rainy. Albert 1 hour.

Tried to get in Hungarian but it rained before we got it in.

Invited C. H. Lord and wife to come.

21 August. Friday. Fair.

Albert mowing all day. Balance of upper orchard.

Drove to the camp of the Salem Cadets. Review 3 o'clock.

Johnny left Christina in barn. Mary went over. She had no milk.

Got in Hungarian.

22 August. Saturday. Fogg. Albert not here.

I worked on walks & weeding the garden.

Drove to town and saw Tappan. Room 60 x 22. Want \$300.

Called to see Addison. He thot it was shameful for the town.

Mary got over 2 quarts.

23 August. Sunday. Wandering fine day.

Making hay in upper orchard when Mr. Stevens called. Talked about library and his claim on S. S. Estate.

Mary milked Christina. Decided not to let Johnny milk the cows any more.

24 August. Monday. Fine.

Albert all day, cutting walk up back of upper orchard. Put up wall. Trimmed & fin[ishe]d weeding garden. Got in hay from upper orchard.

Albert milked noon & night, got 6 quarts & 4 quarts. Received note from Herbert Ingersoll. Saw Dr. Stevens about James before receiving note.

25 August. Tuesday.

Fine. Albert all day. Commenced putting up the division fence between corner lot and Webbers'. It looks very well.

Pencil:1 Ton ice.

26 August. Wednesday. Fine. Sea very rough with apparent cause wind E.

Albert all day.

Sent Agnes 3 pints milk for the baby. Also to James. 1 quart from today.

Finished the division fence. Cleaned up brush cuttings.
Called upon Cornelia Gibson.

27 August. Thursday. Fine. Wind nor'east.
Albert all day. Fixing tomatoes with hay & cutting corn stalks.
Drove to Mr. Bartol's at 3. Met Dr. Hedge who is visiting there. Had a delightful [time] & went into the new tower. Fine moonlight.

28 August. Friday. Fine. Wind still easterly.
Albert all day. Commenced digging to in valley to bury rocks.
Wrote to Jerome with 2d. of Ex. for £25 sterling. Reminded him to earn something.

29 August. Saturday. Very fine.
Albert all day digging trench.
Mr. & Mrs. Chas. H. Lord came 10:45.

30 August. Sunday. Fine.
Albert & Bray milked.
The Lords & ourselves at Boat House talking & reading.

31 August. Monday. Fine.
Albert all day digging.
The Lords returned home at 9:320 after going to Cemetery & City Hall.
Called upon Jas.(?) About the well & about the Library.

SEPTEMBER

1 September. Tuesday. Fine.
Albert all day. Digging.
Began mug cream [soup? Soap?]

2 September. Wednesday. Fine. Very warm.
Albert all day. Trimming at Morehead [house], the walks look very finely. Gathered up corn stalks.
Pd. Winchester's bill \$348.95.

3 September. Thursday. Fine. Warm.
Albert all day, mowing Morehead and Cliffs. Got in corn stalks.

4 September. Friday. Fine.
Albert all day. Mowing the Cliff field.
Drove to Mrs. Whiting's and called to see Cornelia and Minnie Gibson, also Mrs. White.

5 September. Saturday. Fine.

Albert all day. Mowing Dennen Place and got in hay from the Morehead and the Cliffs.

6 September. Sunday. Warm. Smoky.

Wandering & wrote to Mary.

7 September. Monday. Fine.

Bray, Albert & team hauled 13 loads old rock covered upon Sawyers Cor. Field.

School com. Meeting 2 hrs. Made movement for High School House.

8 September. Tuesday. Fine.

Albert all day. Bray and team 7 ½, 10 ½ & 1 to 5 ½.

Mrs. Gilbert's 88th birthday. Called to see her & the Houghs, also on Dr. & Mrs. Davidson. They had a fine trip abroad.

9 September. Wednesday. Fine. Warm.

Albert, Bray & team all day. Ploughing Sawyer Field.

10 September. Thursday. Fine. Very hot.

Albert, Bray & team harrowing & ploughing corner [field]. Bray & team done.

11 September. Friday. Fine. Very warm.

Albert all day raking Sawyer Field.

Received our 3d barrel flour.

Gathered Bartlett pears about half a bushel.

Called on Mrs. Rogers & Mrs. Gilbert.

Saw sites H.S.H. [High School House]

12 September. Saturday. Fine. Cooler. Wind E.

Wrote E. A. Cushman.

Albert day, raking.

13 September. Sunday. Fine.

Rowed to Rafe's Chasm and entered the crevasse to the inner basin. Met John Morse and his son on the heights.

Wrote lines about trip.

14 September. Monday. Fine.

Albert all day raking & cleaning up the Sawyer Field, preparing for sowing grass seed.

James abscess broke today.

15 September. Tuesday. Fine warm weather.

Albert all day sowing Sawyer Field and finally finished it. (Over #)

Drove to town. Called upon the Mayor and we both called on Mr. Hunt to see about 4th book music.

Mr. Appleton & Hough called.

16 September. Wednesday. Fine. Threatening rain.

Albert all day.

finished Sawyer field today about 5 o'clock.

½ ton ice came PM.

17 September. Thursday. Fogg, wind east. A storm brewing. Wind strong.

Albert all day. He raked over & sowed the corner lot.

Called upon Jas. & sent another bottle of wine.

Sent tomatoes & corn.

18 September. Friday. Rainy. Wind east.

Albert milked only. No work.

Went to the city.

Called to see Chas. S. Pike & Palmer. No alternative. Prop[erty] to be sold.

Col. Dividend Tremont & Suffolk	4%	140
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Mercantile Marine, NY	2%	134
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Edson Keith Mortgage	4%	1,000
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19 September. Saturday. Rainy. Wind east.

Albert milked only. No work.

Young. Collins carpenter, repaired Mr. Jaquith's barn, including sill &c. in doorway & then he repaired cowbarn and door and trap to the well, then floor in loft & stable and trap below. Very good. 3 ½.

20 September. Sunday. Misty & foggy. Wind east.

Roaming & called on James. Took over basket of pears.

Wrote to Nelson

21 September. Monday. Rainy & uncertain.

Went to the city.

Albert mowed the Dennen place and in the afternoon the lawn.

Drew private ex[penses] \$150.

22 September. Tuesday. Very fine.

Albert here. Got up eel grass to dry. Cleaned up by cow barn.

Cutting our borders.

23 September. Wednesday. Very fine.

Albert here. Raked & trimmed cliff walk. Removed rubbish.

Elegant moonlights.

Drove toward Mr. Babson's & met her, took her up, then called on the Houghs.

24 September. Thursday. Very fine.

Albert here. Fixed & sowed little garden. Albert done.

Special meeting School Com.

Finished our work.

Wrote to Haughton.

Splendid moonlight & water view.

[Interpolated] Milk stopped. Money sent \$3.84 (\$384?) But not nec[essary].

25 September. Friday. Elegant day. Very warm.

Albert came & milked. No more milk for Baby.

Grand Army parade.

Attended services at Knowlton's, Magnolia House at 7:30. Revd. Mr. Read officiated. His discourse very impressive, fine company, good singing.

26 September. Saturday. Fine morning & foggy PM.

Albert milked AM & PM, helped Wm. get in hay. 2 hours.

Mr. Hough fell in the street.

Rec[eive]d letter from Haughton. Very indefinite, unworthy. Wrote.

27 September. Sunday. Foggy. Easterly.

Mr. Bartol & Thos. R. Gould drove over in a buggy and went with us in a carryall to the Town Hall to hear [] B. Text: Who sinned? Good.

28 September. Monday. Rainy. Easterly.

Gave tomatoes & pears [to] Aunt Charlotte, Aunt Stevens. Also to several others.

Called on Mr. Hough who is again out.

Pd. Tax bill Gloucester. \$1200.25, discount \$36. Total \$1164.25.

See items of appraisal. Memos, end book.

29 September. Tuesday. Uncertain weather in the morning ending in a hard rain. Stormy.

Thought of going to Danvers to Agricultural Exhibition but gave it up & went with Mr. Bill to the Parsons, Blynman and Haskell schools to hear the children sing.

30 September. Wednesday. Fine. Strong westerly wind.

Drove to town and called on Mr. Gilbert about going to the Agricultural Fair, Danvers. [Called] on Mayor Fears & Revd. Mr. Gage about Frank B. Morse, teacher, 13 Worcester Sq[ua]re], [Called] on Miss Sawyer who volunteered to assist him without extra [pay].

Drew Burnham Bros. Oats \$52.90.

Distributing Apples, Pears, Tom[atoes] &c.

OCTOBER

1 October. Thursday.

Attended sale of Hardy Burnham's woodlot. Cut up 3/4(?) Acres to sell only the wood on it. No sale.

Received note from Almira demanding payment of note. See Letters.

Dividend Cape Ann Bank \$40.

2 October. Friday. Went to the city. Rainy.

Sale of Melment's(?) Property to Chas. E. Peck. 1st mortgage \$6590 or nearly 69¢ per foot, 9,575 feet, subject to tax bills, &c.

Drew Kings Chapel taxes to April \$58.60.

Almira sent note saying to pay in January would not do.⁸

Collected dividend Suffolk \$100, Union \$240, North American \$400, Cape Ann \$40. Total: \$780.

3 October. Saturday. Fine.

Mary, cook, sent away. Paid her 22 6/7 weeks, \$108.57 and agreed to give Hannah \$6.00.

Met Frank B. Morse, teacher of drawing & saw Miss Sawyer who volunteered assistance. Also Mr. Gage, Hildreth & Dow about arranging room.

4 October. Sunday. Fine. Cooler.

Picking up apples & pears in the morning to send away.

Met Geo. Sawyer & told him about what he had heard. Also saw Mr. Coffin who asked me for figures. I told him to make his own.

5 October. Monday. Fine. Quite cool.

Morning called on the Mayor and Mr. Gage to see about the text book for Drawing and the Fourth Music reader.

Afternoon attended meeting of the School Com[mittee] & adopted the books as above and reported about engaging Mr. Morse & rooms.

[Pencil] Ice.

6 October. Tuesday. Fine.

Gathered bal[ance] tomatoes and gave away the green to Mr. Webber, Julia & Fanny. Filled box with apples.

Drove to Sawyer School & heard the children sing.

7 October. Wednesday.

Drove over to see the Mayor and Mr. Allard about the 4th Music reader & drawing text book of Walter Smith. 4th

Music Reader costs 90¢.

Mr. Gage.

Picking Roxbury Russetts PM. Wm.
Col. 17th. Drew private ex. \$100.

8 October. Thursday. Delightful. Easterly.
Wm. & myself gathered apples all day. 2 bbls.. Russetts, 2 bbls. Sweet Pearmain, 1 [bbl] Winter do., 2/3 bbl. Greenings, 1/3 Golden Russetts.
All except Rox. Russetts for James, 4 barrels, leaving 12 bushels for my cider, 4 gallons.
Shall gather Baldwins tomorrow.
Josie Hovey injured.

9 October. Friday. Dull morning.
Saw the Mayor, Mr. Rogers, Hunt and Bill and arranged about the Fourth Music Reader \$100.
Also Miss Sawyer about drawing text.
Gathered white apples, Baldwins and the hard pears.

10 October. Saturday. Rainy.
Christina driven to Cressy's by Herman.
Very rainy in the afternoon.
News of Josie Hovey's death. 27 years old.

11 October. Sunday. Fine. Bright autumn day.
Roaming & giving pears.
Nib and I went into the woods to see the foliage.

12 October. Monday. Fine.
Gathered Baldwins &c. & finished the apple business.
Drove to town & called upon Aunt Stevens & the Houghs. Mr. H. and Kent are both very poorly, evidently failing.
Josie Hovey's funeral today.

13 October. Tuesday. Foggy and wet.
Finished gathering pears and got 560 Vicar of Winckfield [Wakefield?] from the tree rear of stable, in all over two barrels. We got 2 barrels only Russetts, 1 barrel Baldwins [to] Nelson, 3 Small Pearmain 2.9 [to] Amy, 1 Winter do. [to] James, 1 white apples [to] James. Gave James 4 barrels.
Drove over to Dennen's about Nabob.

14 October. Wednesday. Fine. Cool weather.
Gathered peck last tomatoes. Took up geraniums for Mina, including Beautiful Miller.
Trimming trees near garden.
Wrote to Waldo Colburn, Jr. \$235.81.
Drove to Hunt's about Nabob.

15 October. Thursday. Fine.

Received 5 tons mixed [coal] \$9, & 3 tons Furnace [coal] \$8, and a man to get it in.

Trimming trees in lower orchard, old limbs &c.

Drove to town about the Police Court Romm for drawing. Omitted to pass Com[mon] Council.

16 October. Friday. Delightful day.

Wm. went to the city today and returned at 4:00 PM.

Continued trimming the old apple trees and finished.

Coffin commenced moving.

Jos. Goodman due int. \$400.

17 October. Saturday. Fine.

Went to the city. Saw Vinson, Hutchings & Gray about the Park.

Also Bowker, Jeffries & Matt. And called on assessors for tax bill.

Went to Mechanics Exhibition.

Col. Div. Manufg. Ins. Co. 5% \$250

Washington Co. 5% \$300

[Total] \$550.

18 October. Sunday. Rainy.

19 October. Monday. Fine. Cooler. Wind no.

Gathered apples in Dennen place, Kilumhills & Baldwins a barrel.

Trimming trees in upper and lower orchard.

Drew \$192.75 to pay Dan[ie]l Bray, Jr. labour.

20 October. Tuesday.

Picking up 6 bbls. cider apples and put them in stable.

Drove over to town and called upon the Houghs.

Wrote to Almira that she could have the house back again for less than cost.

21 October. Wednesday. Fine, mild, charming.

Sold Nabob to Geo. Dennen for pwx [code?] on condition that he would keep him and use him very kindly.

Rode around little heatie(?). The foliage was beautiful.

Charley called, gone to Liverpool, and talked about House, offered to lose \$1500.

22 October. Thursday. Wind no'west.

With 6 barrels apples packed up, commenced making cider and made 26 gallons. ½ wine cask and 4 galls. demi[john]. Finished about 4 o'clock. Wm.

Delightful moonlight.

Aram Haskell [] wants Nabob cog(?).

23 October. Friday. Fine. Moderate calm.

Finished the cider and put up the cask 22 galls. in the cellar and 4 galls. demi.

Gave to Jaquith besides 3 galls., James 2, Shackelford 1 ½.

Drove to Fernwood and met Mayor Lord.

24 October. Saturday. Delightful weather.

Rowed over to the Eastern Point Quarry. Met Mr. Locke who is one of the parties interested.

Curbstone 60¢ run foot.

Drove to Harbor [] [written over in ink—illegible] where we had not been before and to Portuguese village.

25 October. Sunday. Another fine day.

Wandering and reading.

Mr. Gilbert came over & spent several hours and dined with us.

26 October. Monday. A summer day, mild, quite warm, no wind.

Fixing garden Image(?)

Drove to Squam Point, met Geo. Davis who was one of the three who took the yellow fever in 1821 with my father in Boston. He is 78 years old.

27 October. Tuesday. Fine. Warm.

Drove over to town to see the Mayor and Mr. Allard⁹ about room for the drawing school.

Packed a bbl. Baldwins for Nelson and a bbl. Pears ass[orte]d for Matthew and Nelson to be divided.

28 October. Wednesday. Mild & lovely.

Drove to town. Met Capt. Low, Gilbert, Jno. J. Babson, William Ferson &c. and called upon the Houghs. Kent is really very ill and has taken to his bed.

A.H.S.10 still moving.

29 October. Thursday. Fine. Mild.

Burning brush and old lumber in the Little Pasture. It made an immense fire & required watching until 10 o'clock. Finished.

Received tax bill City, \$2319.72 est.

See over for particulars.

30 October. Friday. Very ward & delightful. A summer day.

James came down stairs and walked out to the well. He appeared quite smart.

Took tea at Jaquith's. Anniversary of our wedding.

31 October. Saturday. Fine but cooler weather. Drove up in Dog town.

Paid Agnes H. S. Bal. of note \$400. Int. to date, 4 mo. \$9.33. [Total] check \$409.33.

Paid A.H.S. bal. Note house \$3274.67, [minus] rent for month October \$66.67 (annual rent \$800) [Total] Check \$3208.00

NOVEMBER

1 November. Sunday. Cloudy. Wind norwest. Cooler.

Put 11 lbs. sugar into 22 galls. cider and nearly a pint mustard seed.

Went over to Under the Cliffs

Glass broken, window cords, also paint unwashed & house in bad condition & some filth. 22 closet shelves taken out. Picture nails drawn. 4 pictures stolen.

2 November. Monday. Fine. Cool.

Collected all leaves driveway.

Drove over to School Com[mittee] meeting.

Called upon Mrs. Gilbert & Aunt S.

Proposed to Jas. Marshall \$50 per an[num], or 5 months \$20, [7 months] \$50, [Total] \$450.

[Added in ink] Finally agreed Dec. to May, \$25 and May to Dec. \$50.

3 November. Tuesday. Fine. Cool day.

Drove to West Parish and voted. Mr. Jaquith went.

Geo. Dennen hauled a load of Eng[lish] hay.

Paid Jas. in full: May, June, July, Aug [Total] \$200, also incidentals in full \$26.46.

Del[ivered] Nabob to G.D.11 for \$100. Det.

Drew private \$150.

4 November. Wednesday. Fine day.

Went with Mrs. S. To the City. Called with Mr. Bowker on the West Roxbury assessor to present my reasons for abatement of tax.

Saw Vinson & rivals, then Wm. Gray & had long talk with him.

Dined with Matthew and the whole family. Matt. not well.

5 November. Thursday. Mild not bright.

Went to Salem to see Mrs. Rebecca A. Silsbee, 380 Essex St. To talk about the fair. Got list of all the towns in the county & will ask for the names of individuals to give.

Drove to town about drawing rooms. Drawing school commenced.

Took pears to Mrs. Gilbert.

Kent Hough died at 4 PM. Wrote to Mrs. Hill.

6 November. Friday. Lovely. Almost summer day.

Drove to town and then to Beverly farms to arrange with Revd. Mr. Foote to come down on Monday to the funeral at 2 PM.

Arranged with Mr. Stevens to pay int[erest] on \$20,000 for the year 1875 to support library.

7 November. Saturday. Lovely day.

Hannah left us.

Mr. Foote came down to Houghs to see them in affliction.

Mary Moore came.

Called to see Mrs. Dr. Davidson about the Dumb Animals Fair. Also Mrs. Bradbury.

Got abatement on Boston taxes on \$2319.72, [abatement] \$368.16, [total] \$1951.56.

8 November. Sunday. Fine. Very dry.

Went to the Unitarian Church. Revd. Mr. Gage the first services after the renovation. It looks very nicely.

At the Cliffs & reading.

9 November. Monday. Fine in the morning but it showered in the afternoon.

Went to the High School by invitation of Mr. Hunt to hear the scholars sing. Mr. Willard & Mr. Gage were there also.

Mr. Foote called at 11:30 AM. Kent Hough buried 2 PM.

10 November. Tuesday. Fine. Very mild.

Invited Revd. Mr. Read to go with me to the Riverdale, the Wheeler (same building) and the Annisquam School to hear the children sing.

Returned about 1:00 o'clock.

At 6:30 PM went to the drawing school to arrange for the winter.

11 November. Wednesday. Pleasant.

Drove to town. Saw Mrs. Cochran, Mr. Eddy, Mr. Proctor with advertisement about the Fair for Dumb Animals

Jas. very much better in health.

Very dry. No water in pond. The first time this season.

12 November. Thursday. Fine. Much cooler.

Cows up right. Belle & Flirt all new shoes.

Called on Mrs. Gilbert and was sorry to find her lame in the right leg.

Engaged 4 to 6 tons hay, \$24 delivered.

Spent evening at drawing school.

13 November. Friday. Cool. First fire in the furnace.

Met the Mayor & Mr. Reid by invitation of Carrie H. Sawyer to witness the system of teaching at the Forbes and other juveniles.

Drove to town to see the opening of the mechanical class.

14 November. Saturday. Cool, freezing weather.

Making slats for Cliff H. 15 [in] all.

15 November. Sunday. Regular autumn day. Cloudy.

At the Boat House. Selected & packed 2 lbs. russets for self.

16 November. Monday. Lovely day.

Engaged Mr. Jas. Marshall to take charge of Brookbank &c. with salary at the rate of \$25 per month for five months from Dec. 1 to May 1 (5 mo.) and \$50 per mo. for seven months and pay him for labour \$2 per day till Dec. 1st

17 November. Tuesday.

Went to Sawyer School to see drawing, then to Collins school to hear music, then to Sawyer to hear music, 1st & 2nd classes.

18 November. Wednesday. Cloudy, having rain during the night which put the fire out in the Manchester woods and the Rockport woods. Mild.

Albert & team manure 8 AM to 4:30 PM.

Visited Collins to meet Miss Sawyer & see drawing.

Ev[enin]g went to Mechanical drawing school. Saw Mr. Shailer.

19 November. Thursday. Lowery. Wind norwest.

Albert & team getting out manure, came 7:30 and got through 4:45 PM.

Wrote to Chas. E. Pike asking further time to sell land.

Drew \$69 to pay for coal.

20 November. Friday. Lowery.

Cle[a]ring up Little Pasture and put cowyard fence.

Visited Collins school and Elm St. to hear singing. Met Mr. Hallowell.

Washing bottles for cider.

21 November. Saturday. Mild.

Received load cow hay from Mr. Butler.

Wm. & Marshall spreading the manure, 4 at Cliff and 8 at Brookbank, & 1 horse.

Drove to the Houghs evening.

22 November. Sunday. Fine but cool.

Drove to Butler's about hay.

Engaged of John Knight ice(?) A ton second crop \$25.

8 Eastern Photographs 16 x 20.

12 Roman [Photographs] 18 3/4 x 25 1/4

23 November. Monday. Snow & sleet. Strong breeze, wind SE.

Marshall 1/2 day bottling cider.

Gleaner pub. at Rockport by Levi Cleaves.

Mrs. Doct. Haskell, Mrs. Margaret Foster, Mrs. Daniel Low, [all] Rockport.

Robert Tarr, agent.

Bottled 78 - 22 1/2 Cider, 35 1/2 cider wine.

24 November. Tuesday. Fine. Cool weather.

Marshall wheeling out manure from one load & under stable.

Received ton hay from Butler's in the stable for horses.

Called on Mrs. Dr. David Low and on Mrs. Elwell, saw daughter, then upon Ann Jane.

Coffin brought paintings.

25 November. Wednesday. Fine day.

Put up slats on Cliff House.

A Mr. Hunt the principal of the High School called to see me and we had a pleasant interview. I showed him photog[raps].

Birthday anniversary. Loto(?)

26 November. Thursday. Lovely. Thanksgiving day.

Had an excellent turkey for dinner but no company.

Called upon the Houghs, Mrs. Gilbert and Aunt Rachel & left some cider, also upon David Jas. & Capt. Shackelford with cider &c. &c.

Took Capt. Shackelford in to see the barbarities to the house.

27 November. Friday. Fine. Mild weather.

Marshall wheeling dry rockweed & then on slats.

Capt. Shackelford came & talked.

Went to town & paid some bills.

David went with me into house and was astonished.

Made another slat for Cliff - 16 in all.

Drew private exp. \$150.

28 November. Saturday. Very mild warm south wind.

Marshall cutting pine trees. I finished many jobs.

Drove to town, called on Mrs. Gilbert, Aunt Rachel, Revd. Mr. Gage and paid many bills.

Paid Danl. Butler check \$102.12.

29 November. Sunday. Very rainy.

Looking over papers and packing all day.

30 November. Monday. Fine clear weather. Cool.

Marshall cutting wood and putting up bal. over blinds.

Called to see Ed Rogers and Ed Proctor with electrotypes.

Order newspapers, carriages, wagons &c.

DECEMBER

1 December. Tuesday. Fine & cool.

Wm. left 7:45 AM. Rowe & Clark came for luggage came for luggage and for us at 1:30, 2:15 train, arrived at Tremont 4:00 o'clock. Everything in good order.

Opened all my things & put up the small paintings.

Nib had a bad arm from a wasp sting. Talked of having Doct[or].

2 December. Wednesday. Fine.

Collecting dividends:

Ddelaware int. to pt.(?) 7.01500.	6%	\$420.90
Calumet & Hecla, \$5 share		\$250.00
Hamilton Mfg. Co.	4%	\$480.00
Lancaster Mills	10%	\$800.00
Mercantile Ins. Co.	5%	\$150.00
Langdon Mfg. Co.	5%	\$1,000.00
Nabob		\$100.00
[Total]		\$3300.90

Drew private exp. \$150.

Wm. Wynn, 6 mo. June to Dec. \$216.00

Matthew, Nelso, Mrs. B, Fanny Bixby called.

3 December. Thursday. Fine. Very mild AM then cloudy.

Drove & called on Belle & the Baby, then to Matthew where they all were to dinner. Belle is not well & they are going to New York to make a visit at 5th Ave. & change.

Fanny M.B.13 exchanged check for \$290 and cut her coupons off Bonds \$36.00.

4 December. Friday. Fine.

Drove to Nelson's to say g[oo]dbye before they go to New York.

Attended auction sale of paintings at Leonard's and bought three.

Musician [code], [code] & [code] fishermen.14

5 December. Saturday. Fine. Mild.

Called on Wm. Gray, Jr. and inquired about his idea of park or parks. He did not recommend anything in particular but left the choice of land to the next commission.

Meeting of Art Club & entertainment.

Drew \$150. Self \$50, Mrs. S. \$100.

6 December. Sunday.

Heard Mr. Foote for the first time on the communion service. Very good. He is so good himself.

Walked with Matthew and Wheelwright to Broad Street Building. A nice property.

Went to Matthew's to tea.

Miss McQuain went to Revere.

7 December. Monday. Very rainy forenoon.

Intended to go to Gloucester early train. Drove out to Roxbury &c., then visited some studios.

8 December. Tuesday. Fine mild day.

Went to Gloucester in the 10:45 train and returned at 5:5.

Met Bennet, Griffin, Addison Gilbert, Capt. Babson, Eb. Lufkin, Addison Proctor & Sanborn and talked about opening the west end Middle St.
Agreed to pay if the city could not afford.

Mr. Gilbert gave me Sumner's memorial book.

9 December. Wednesday. Cool morning.

Flirt needs hind shoes.

Drove out to Longwood.

Fanny return from New York.

Drew private \$100.

Artists' reception afternoon.

10 December. Thursday.

Meeting of Ladies of Executive Comm. at 10:00 o'clock & public meeting at 11:00 o'clock at Horticultural Hall. Address by Prest. Angell.

Drove to Mrs. Phillips & Miss Robb, Cottage St. Pleasant call.

Ex. Com. Meeting Horticultural Hall 10 o'clock.

11 December. Friday.

Sale of Cummings collection by Hatch. Ital[ian] Girl sold [code]

Sale of Boston artists at 3:00.

Int. Peacock mortgage \$675.00

12 December. Saturday. Cooler but pleasant. No snow.

Artists' studios morning.

Drove to West Roxbury. Saw the stakes for the new railroad.

Called on Jere Williams.

Div. Maerk Mfg. Co. 4% \$160.

13 December. Sunday.

Heard W. Foote, good sermon. Russell's pew sold at auction yesterday for \$178. Cheap. Mrs. Hough's gallery pew is let from Oct. 1 one year for \$64, a trifle more than taxes.

Wrote to Lottie and lines called "The Slanderer."

14 December. Monday. Directors & stockholders meeting of the North Am. Ins. Co. Some directors & Finance Committee chosen.

Charles Sumner's paintings are to be sold by Leonard.

Wrote to Jerome and sent him £25 sight.

15 December. Tuesday. Very cold.

Mr. Bowker called evening.

Wrote to Joseph and Samuel James, Chicago, about insurance.

Drew Jerome elwell, Antwerp £25 sight, [at] \$5.48, [total] \$137.00.

16 December. Wednesday. Fine day. Milder.

Mrs. S. & the Bartletts went to the wedding of Miss Merwin.

Went to Art Club reception with Mr. Bowker & daughter.

Bought \$565 Delaware scrip 1874, 50% \$282.50.

17 December. Thursday. Mild weather.

Loaned to Lee, Higginson & Co. On account of North American Ins. Co. \$20,000 30 ds at 5 ½%. Boston & Albany RR security.

Looking over papers in vaults. Stopped Courier after 31st . Mss(?)

18 December. Friday. Fine cool day.

Saw Wm. Endicott, Jr. about the Detroit & Hillsdale bonds. We give them up to trustees who take possession of the road.

Chas. Sumner's paintings, & English [paintings] are sold today. Bot. one \$[code]. D. Van Stry.
Mr. & Mrs. Chapin called. Wrote to Ann Jane and to Chas. A. Gregory.

19 December. Saturday. Fine. Mild.

Nib & Mary drove to Monteglade. Mary thought it charming.

Went to the Art Club PM.

Drew painting Sumner \$55.

Int. on Meeker mort. due Jan. 1st '74, \$400.00

20 December. Sunday. Snow storm but no sleighing.

Mr. Foote preached finely on hospitality.

Miss McQuain called. She is quite content at the Revere House.

21 December. Monday. Fair. Icy sidewalks.

Attended meeting Atlantic Mills and after report dec[lares] div[idend] 3%

Horses sharpened with two new shoes for ea. fore foot with hind shoes new last week.

Drove out to exercise horses, dress maker.

22 December. Tuesday. Fine but icy under feet. Melting.

Bought Turkey rug. Bright.

Russia diaries for Miss Bowker, Partridge, John Brooks, Frank E. Pattee, William Wynn, Jas. Marshall.

23 December. Wednesday. Fine. But still icy & wet.

Bot 12 diaries for 1875. See back.

Went up to the Art Club.

24 December. Thursday. Rainy and fearfully sloppy.

Wrote to Jerome with second £25 and told him about the Summer collection, also to Mrs. Hill of Halifax.

Wrote to Lottie with a merry Christmas greeting for all, Christmas gifts to Miss McQuain. Clifford Brooks, Lawyer Snow, Marston.

25 December. Friday.

Delightful Christmas morn[in]g. Sent off thirty dollars to the servants in Tremont [House]: \$5 each Trainor, Mead, Moore & Charles; to the rest \$2 and \$1 to nearly all.

Gave Nelson & Belle Turkey rug, Ellie rocking chair, Nelson diary.

Drove to the burnt district and dined with the Bartletts.

26 December. Saturday. Fine mild day.

Saw Saml. Gould Pres[ident] of the Manufacturers Ins. Co.

Talked again with Gideon Walker, assessor with statements. Must pay this yr. \$1951.56. Boston taxes 1951.56, 2 mo. Onterest \$19.52, [Total] \$1971.08. See Jan[uary] 1.

Received check from Saml. James for 6 mos. Int. due Jan. 1, 1875 \$450.

Drew Waldo Colburn \$142.30.

27 December. Sunday. Lovely mild October day, sunny bright and cheering.

Mr. Foote preached a charming discourse appropriate to the closing Sabbath of the year and alluded touchingly to the departed of our society &c. Carols in the afternoon.

Wrote to Addison Gilbert.

28 December. Monday. Rainy all day.

Attacked last night at one o'clock with severe pains in my left side and groin, which I battled with till 4 o'clock & sent for Doct. Homans. I got quiet relief without med. He called again at 11 today.

29 December. Tuesday. Cloudy but mild.

Mrs. B and Nelson called and spent an hour.

Drove out to Monteglade

30 December. Wednesday. Fine cool weather. Clear.

Went out shopping with Mrs. Sawyer. She bought a handsome pair china vases for Miss Snow, also a lot of socks &c. \$11.87 for the Y. M. Christian Union festival. Drove to Columbus Ave.

Matthew called.

Drew private \$100. Depr. Bnk. Int. to date \$72.14.

31 December. Thursday. Very cold but no snow.

Delivered to Geo. C. Lee, sub-manager of Union Safety Vaults, 20 first mortgage bonds, \$1,000 each of the Detroit, Hillsdale & Indiana Rail Road Compy. with coupons attached including June 1/73.

Attended evening meeting 8:00 o'clock Kings Chapel. Very good.

Col. Div Atlantic Mills \$300. See Jan. 1/75.

MEMORANDA
Acct. D. Jerome Elwell

1872				
Mch. 29	Pd. Adv. Antwerp			300.00
Aug. 21	Sent to Exchange			200.00
Oct. 5	Fr[eigh]t &c Old Temeraire15			11.82
1873				
Jan. 4	Frame Temeraire, Art Club		20.00	
Jan. 21	£25 sterling. Antwerp.Exchange			
			5.59 ½	139.31
May 15	Frame Elliott B. Noyes		20.00	
Aug. 9	£25 sterling Antwerp		140.69	
Dec. 18	£25 Antwerp		136.67	
1874				
May 2	£25 Antwerp.		5.56	139.00
Aug. 19	£25. Sight	5.39	134.75	
Dec. 15	£25. Sight	5.48	137.00	
1875				
April 2	£25. Sight	5.59	139.75	
June 12	£25. Sight	5.74	143.50	
Sept. 20	£25. Sight	5.68 ½	142.13	
Dec. 17	£25. Sight	5.53	140.00	
1876				
Feb. 21	£25. Sight	5.58 ½	139.63	
June 6	£25.		5.53	138.25
Aug. 7	£25		5.51 ½	137.88
Oct. 5				20.00
Dec.(?) 17 amt. [paid to Elwell]			\$1950.62	
August 7, [18]76 [total paid]				\$2366.38

John Kogh. Stone mason. Marcella Street. Faced walls 3 feet. \$13 perch or \$139 rod.

Patrick McMorrow. Stone mason. Lamartine street.

Dr. Herbert E. Davidson. C/o Andrews & Co. Paris.

Henry C. Davis. Hamp[shire] Co. Bullocks.

Edwin Fitch. Cleans granite.

M. Davidson. Carriage painter on Boston St. in Salem [] well recommended by Sargent.

Fannie M. Bixby. 41 Upton Street. Boston.

Gloucester Tax 1874. Appraisal as recorded.

Personal Cash \$Klm

4 horses @ \$325	900	
3 cows @ 40		120
2 heifers @ 20		40
Carriages	250	
[Total]		Kn.tew

Real Estate

House. Brookbank	3300	
Lot Do.		2500
Stable Do.		350
Boat House		100
Cow Barn	100	

[Total]		6350
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House Under Cliff	3200	
Lot Do.		600

[Total]		3800
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House, Morehead	300	
Lot Do.		150

[Total]		450
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Marshall md. Lot	150	
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All \$[code]		[\$10,750]
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Architects who exhibited their portfolios at Art Club. Feby.

John A. Mitchel. Library Washt.
 Hartwell & Wrasey(?). Mutl. Life Ins. Co.
 Peabody & Stearns
 Putnam & Tilden. Old houses altered.
 Richd. M. Upjohn. Churches
 Cummings & Sears. Old South new, Hotel Boylston
 Saml. I.F.(?) Thayer. Newport Liby.
 John H. Sturgis.
 Melander.

Order of meeting, Naumkeag.
 Read notes of the meeting.
 Records of last meeting.
 Election of clerk.
 Report of Treasurer.
 Election of Treasurer.
 Comments & Discussion.
 Election of Directors.
 Resolution.
 Adjourned.

Manchester from 1861 to 1870, 10 years. Paid div. 158%, 1863 \$2235
 Pacific from 1861 to 1870, 10 years. Do. 194%, 1864 \$2240

City of Boston Valuation. Monteglade.

Page	227. Glen road 538053	\$ 43,000
	288. Walnut St. 476360	\$ 42,900
	291. Walnut St. 887874	\$ 62,500
	309. Walnut St. 2000	\$ 300
[Total]		\$148,700
Taxes 15.60 thousand \$2319.72		
Abate \$1368		36,600
[Total]		\$125,100

Tax \$1951.56 (1874)

Gideon Walker, 50 years & McIntosh, 60 years, were assessors West Roxbury

Frink, Devonshire St., Architect

J. B. Hildreth, 289 Highland St., Boston
Box(?)

C. H. Buhl, Detroit. D., H. & Ind.

West Roxbury Estate

West Monteglade	894.374
East Monteglade	538.053
Glen road	53.800

[Total]	1486.227	@ 15¢	222.934
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East Newstead	476.360	@ 20¢	95.272
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[Total]	1962.587		318.206
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Making Glen road, Trees &c.			6.794
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[Total]			325.000
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West Roxbury Estate valued by the Commissioners at \$380.714.00

Or half of the above \$190.357.00

S. 1962 587 ft. abt 9 2/3 c at 15c 425.073 ft. 63.761.00

H. 1217.763 abt 15 2/3 c dip. 51.287 ft. or 18 1/2 cts.

Com[missioners] result marks West each F. 125.515, B.125.355, W 128.918, av. 126.596

East 15c. 254.118 less above 127.522

div. 63.761 12 1/3 east 517.120 feet

Balance 476.360 feet 40.760 out.

JANUARY

1.	Sawyer Free Library. Int.	525.00
	Almira H. Sawyer. Int.	127.50

	Agnes H. Coffin. Int.		14.00	
	Union Safety Vaults, 1 year, '74	20.00		
	Advertiser for yr. '73 to Dec. 31	20.00		
	Childrens magazines year '74		4.80	
	Canary Jerry & cage		10.00	
	E.S.S. quarter to April \$131.43	note		
	Fanny M. Bixby, int. to date		11.37	
	Daisy shoeing			60.00
	William Wynne Decy			
	William incidentals		18.50	
	John P. Barnard Keeping &c.		74.71	
	Tremont House for December	615.15		
	[Christmas Bonuses for staff]			
	Trainor, headwaiter \$5 W.I Bowditch	100.00		
	Mead, Head steward \$5 Clospring(?)	5.00		
	Fireman \$2		20.00	
	Gasman (2) \$4			
	Two boys \$3			
	Porters (3) \$6			
	Washing \$7.50			
	Waiters' ball \$2			9.50
	Pd. N. E. Genealogical \$5 & \$30	35.00		
	James Oct., Nov., Dec.	150.00		
	Mayer's frames. See over		52.60	
5	Grout Horse Blankets &c.		8.75	
	Rubbers 1.25, Stamps .50, Candy .50			2.25
6	Corks 1.50 Gloucester Ex. 7.00		8.50	
	Canary Mary & Fanny & Cage		10.55	
	Cape Ann Advertiser [] '75			2.50
	Telegraph, bal. To Jan. 1, '75			1.00

FEBRUARY

2.	Transcript 1 yr. To July 1, '74		9.00	
	Old & New 1 yr. to Jan. 1, '75		3.50	
	Art Club, sub. & supplies '74			17.00
	Alden Bartlett 2 tickets & 1			3.00
	Moses Knowlton Hay, 3044 lbs.		45.66	
	Hammer & screws			1.20
	2 carriages \$2, stamps \$2			4.00
	Bill frames & 4 small			52.60
	Amos Page \$10, to Salem 2.25		12.25	
	Carpenter .25, umbrella .25			.50

	Cologne 2.50, Ro Boy letter .25	2.75	
	Lottie for book chapel		10.00
	Washing up to February 1		7.50
	William Wynn January		60.00
	Deasy 3.75, Thomas 2.25		6.00
	[]		1.20
	Tremont House, Jany.		603.40
	3 James. January bills		5.12
	7 Fraternity of churches		10.00
	Blue books .75, copy com. records 1.50	2.25	
9	1 chromo & 2 others, framed		11.50
	Bayley's Bible & Poets		5.00
11	Opera Martha \$4, stamps \$1		5.00
12	Rotterdam compes(?) Jan. Ten(?)		
13	Opera Lyca \$2, stamps \$1		3.00
	Kingsley & Clemens		.50
23	Dora & Cinderella Museum		2.00
26	Pd. ½ two quarters wine		80.63
	Madrigal ticket concert		8.00
28	Dr. Codman, 2 teeth, very good	15.00	
	Williams rope lattice(?)		.35

MARCH

1	Tremont February		566.50
	Wm. Wynn \$60, Deasy \$6		66.00
4	Hen. Brandy 2, JDW(?)		2.00
	Books		1.90
6	James, January		50.00
9	Meyers frame Rotterdam		25.00
11	Bohemian \$1, seed birds .50		1.50
12	Volker family Howard		1.00
	Howard Slade, rat(?) & storage		30.00
	Ex. Park for Victoria, Apl.		
16	Reefing jacket, vest & do. Pants	49.37	
21	Pd. Taxes in Quincy		3.85
	James Bowker(?) Driver		1.00
26	Tickets \$1, tickets \$1		2.00
28	Washing to date, Sat.		8.40
	Rt(?) Canary .25, pt. Rape[seed] .15		.40
31	Brandy		2.00

Mrs. J.C. Johnson, gift	5.00
M.S.P.C.A. Life, active	100.00

APRIL

1	Tremont House, March	605.40	
	E.S.S.(?) Quarter to July 1	25.00	
	William Wynn, March	60.00	
2	Tickets \$1, do. 4.50	5.50	
	J.P. Barnard, horses	214.22	
3	Kings Chapel to Oct. 1	58.60	
4	Flowers for Belle & Elvira	1.50	
5	Contributors \$1, hair .25	1.25	
11	Pd. Martin Coy in full	21.00	
16	Tickets \$2, Truss \$3.50, \$3.50	9.00	
15	Flowers .50, Paper sand .50	1.00	
17	Sponges 1.50, chamois .75	2.25	
	Tooth brush \$1, Hairdo 1,25	2.25	
	Flowers Elvira		1.00
	Lock .62, putting in \$1	1.62	
23	Camphor .50, ropes .50	1.00	
	Candlestick .75, boots .25	1.00	
	2 & 1 pr.		
	2 whips 3 1/2, tickets 5.50	9.00	
	3 pr. Merino socks	2.10	
	13 3/4 [yds.] B.V. flan[ne], 29 in. @.95	13.07	
	Pd. John P. Barnard (check)	58.29	
	Deasy shoeing 6.75, Chase ex.		
24	Washing to date in full	9.00	
25	Pd. Martin Coy in full tonight	22.00	
27	Girls carriage \$1, teamster \$2	3.00	
	Henry \$3, porter \$2, do. 2 others	12.00	
	Aunt Charlotte 2 days	10.00	
	Mary Moore, 2 days cleaning	2.00	

MAY

1	License Puck & Dick	4.00
	Edwin Fitch cleaned cemetery	15.00
	Harness &c. 1.75, seed black qt. 1.15	2.90
	Stamps 1.20, Fanny washing 2.06	3.36
	Burnham Bros. Hay & oats	32.66
	2 Brass hooks .50	

	William Wynn April	60.00
8	Pd. Martin to 9th , PM	12.00
	Hack .50, Wm. Coming down 1,65	2.15
9	Brass chain .20, repr. Harness .10	.30
13	Pd. Shoeing the pair	4.00
	A.F.(?) Lyman Unitarian Assn.	5.00
19	Hack to depot & Bierstadt	1.25
20	Sundries Rust &c. \$1, Jenny \$1	2.00
29	Sharpening razor .50	.50
31	Tomato plants 4 @ .50	2.00
29	Martin Coy on a/c	10.00

JUNE

Amt. Brot over

3	Unitarian Festival	5.00
4	Pd. Shepard's bill	24.53
	Pd. Munsey's bill	17.43
	Pd. Hannah on a/c	12 crossed out, a/c Nov. 7
	Reset[t]ing shoes Nabob	1.00
6	Jennry 2.50 for work	2.50
	Webster horse \$1, Wm. .65	1.65
	Tassells &c 2.10, school .50	2.60
9	Tickets 4.50, Tickets \$1	5.50
10	Stair carpet Jas. Goft	10.25
6	Ire(?) Williams. Pd Martin to date	35.00
	Shoes mended, Rings	1.75
13	Agnes. February	50.00
	Ingersoll 8 manure	16.00
20	Mary, cook. 8 w to 22, 4 3/4	38.00
24	stamps .50	
25	Tea kettle \$2, Flour \$12.56	14.56
	Breck deed 3.58, Pearce 13.93	17.51
	3 lbs. Tea \$1.20, rings &c. stable 1.80	3.00
	Closet paper .50, Birds .25	.75

JULY

1	Post Office box to Oct. 1/4	.50
	Tickets to Boston	4.50
	Advertising cow &c.	4.33

	Chase & Collins	5.80	
	Int. Library notes	525.00	
	Almira \$122.80, Agnes \$14	136.80	
	Cont. E.S.S. to Oct. 1	25.00	
	Fish bite \$6.63, Munsey \$13.92	20.62	
	Shepherd \$29.80, B. Hay \$36.43	66.23	
6	3 ½ coal \$32.00, oats \$50.74	82.74	
	Lufkin \$11.70, Loring \$5.95	17.65	
	Straw 11.42, Wagon 12.00	23.42	
10	Ham &c. 3.36, nails &c. 1.80	5.16	
	Griffin 9.50, Hersey 4.75	14.75	
11	Mrs. Henry Haskell, Church	5.00	
14	Mending boots 2.25, patch .25	2.50	
17	Dr. Hildreth, Eye	5.00	
	Lufkin, Flirt & wagon	5.00	
	Stable furniture	16.00	
	Strawberries, 39 boxes	9.75	
	3 brooms .90, Blueberries \$1.90	1.90	
	Oil .20, Ticket to Boston 4.50	4.70	
	19 William Sawyer		5.00
23	Pd. Clark team lumber	20.00	
25	Mary Moore. Berries	2.00	

AUGUST

1	Fares Miss McQuain	3.00	
1	Wm. Green 2.60, Monarch 2.00	4.60	
3	Munsey's bill	12.00	
3	Shephard & Carters	33.35	
4	Coffee, tea 2.25, eye bolts .37	2.62	
	Carriage to the Cove	.50	
9	Paid Jemmy 5 days	2.50	
	John Webber plans	15.00	
	Mary the cook on a/c	5.00	
10	[] rims to hind wheels carryall	9.25	
	Nabob shoeing	2.00	
14	James March & April	100.00	
17	Candles .66, spoon holder 1.25	1.91	
19	Pearce's bill to date	6.94	
	Murdock & Co. Irons(?) Stable	60.60	
31	Shephard & Carter	22.69	
	Munsey bill	11.79	

SEPTEMBER

1	Shoeing Belle & Flirt	3.75
	Stamps	.51
2	Winchester stable	348.95
7	Wm. Wynn. May	36.00
11	Bbl. Flour & truckage	11.87
18	Briggs 4 g. oil @2 1/4	9.00
	Tickets 4.50, tea & coffee 1.00	5.50
19	Collins carpenter	3.50
24	2 saws .50, latch & nails 1.25	1.75
25	Grand Army parade	5.00
	Albert gift pr. Boots	5.00
26	Shoeing Belle & Flirt	3.00
	Herd grass red yp clover	3.82
29	Oysters .50, Wm. Bill to Oct. 1	5.23
	Stamps .51, Post office .50	1.01
28	City, county & state tax: 1200.25 minus 36.00	1164.25
30	64 bush oats & 2 feed	52.90
	Munsey bill	12.82
	Shephard & Carter	28.22
	Swan(?) & Newton	25.84

OCTOBER

1	E.S.S. to Jan. 1, '75	25.00
1	Kings Chapel to April 1, '75	58.60
1	Spectacles .25, Forsters .37	.62
2	Tickets to Boston	4.50
3	Mary, cook 22 6/7 @4.75	108.57
6	Pd. Mary Moore 11 qts. B	2.50
8	Greek lexicon Morrow	4.50
9	Oysters .25, ref.(?) Tin .25, stamps .30	.80
17	Tea & coffee .80, grapes .25, oyst. .50	1.55
	Mechanics exhibition	.60
	Stamps .26, mackerell 1.00	1.26
19	Daniel Bray, Jr.	192.75
31	Shephard & Carter	27.45
	Wm. Munsey bill	15.27

NOVEMBER

3	Jas. May, June, July & Aug. To Sept. 1	200.00
	Jas. Incidentals in full	26.46
	Blacking .20, postage .30, gift to Rush &c.	1.50
4	Tickets to Boston & carriage	6.00
5	Tickets to Salem & back	1.20
	5 ½ tons ice	31.04
7	Pd. Hannah Madden bal.	92.43
	adv	30.00
	wire .10, postage Transcript .30	.40
	Pd. Wilbur Proctor pasturing	10.00
11	Knives &c. .40, strips windows 1.00	1.40
12	Shoeing Belle & Flirt	4.00
	Repairing Blue Coal	1.00
13	Papers .75, bottles 2.00	2.75
19	8 tons coal: 5 @ \$9 = \$45, 3 @ \$8 = \$24	69.00
21	Danl. Bray, Jr. Teaming to close(?)	20.00
	Fish .35, fish book 6.17	6.52
23	Chickens 2.00, Shephard & Co. 22.09	24.09
28	Danl. Bentler(?) Hay, straw &c.	102.12
	Wm. Munsey 9.12, oats \$25	34.12
	Oliver Brown, paints &c.	40.00
	Butter .50, screwdriver .50	1.00
	Shackelford, tax on lot '74	1.00
30	Jas. Marshall 7.50 & 24.50	42.00
30	Mary Webber, 6 mos to Oct. 1, '74	10.00
	Mrs. Jaquith, to Dec. 1, Eggs	20.53
	Benjn Webber, Chickens, eggs & cream	11.75
	Carryall .50, oysters 1.00	1.50
30	Fanny. Washing	12.54
	Geo. Dennen. Hay	26.00

DECEMBER

1	Advertiser to Dec. 31, '75	2.65
	Telegraph 4/31/75	1.65
	William items	6.15
3	Wm. Wynn 6 mos. To 1 st inst.	216.00
	Washing 14.38 & covering .75 Wm.	15.13
	Expense on road Wm.	1.50
	Brown gloves 2.00	
	Cords, rings	.75

4	3 paintings:		
		Musicians 11.50	
		Fisherman 7.50	
		Landscape 7.25	26.25
8	Tickets 4.50, Puck Mrs. Sawyer 5.00		9.50
9	Williams 3 bills Brandy		51.00
11	Bell .35, repairing pencil seal .75		1.10
	2 waiters ball, Charles		4.00
12	Stamps 1.00, soap 1.50		2.50
17	Weekly courier for '74		3.00
20	Contribution 1.00, sundrs(?) 14.60		15.60
	Painting Cattle by J. Van Stry,		
	C. Sumner coll.		55.00
	P.C. Page butter		33.39
21	12 Russia leather diaries		12.00
22	Turkey rug, 3 ft. 7 x 6 ft. 9)Nelson		27.00
	Chairs & diary)		4.50
24	Stamps .50, fur gloves 1.00		1.50
	Miss McQuain sub Christ		10.00
	Evergreens 1.00, Cologne 1.20		2.20
25	Servants see Memo		36.00
26	Waldo Colburn, atty.		142.30

MEMORANDA

Apl. House expense

27	S.S. Pearce (sic) groceries contd.	
	3 Oolong tea 1.20, tea .40	1.60
	1 barrel Kilbourne Flour	12.00
	May	
9	Tinware &c.	1.00
	[Total] Paid	14.60

	Repairing stable	475.00
	Incidentals	25.00
	Jas. Labour &c.	50.00
	Painting	40.00
	Planing plank	6.50
	[Total]	596.50

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1. Independent Christian Church. Pastor Rev. W.R.G. Mellen. 1860 Gloucester City Directory.
 2. Fielding, Dictionary, p. 16.
 3. Fielding, Dictionary. John W. A. Scott, Landscapes, 1815-1907.
 4. Not in Gloucester Directory, 1860. Fielding, Dictionary. George N. Cass of Boston, Painter.
 5. Gloucester Directory. 1873. 22. Bray Albert W. Farmer, house at West Gloucester. Bray B. Franklin, farmer, h. Cove road, West Gloucester.
 6. GVRB 56. Adams, Sarah Davis, d. Joseph and Sarah, Oct. 23, 1802. GVRB 381. Ingersoll, David, s. David and Nabby, Dec. 2, 1796. GVRM 56. Adams, Sally D[avis int.] and David Ingersoll, jr., Apr. 4, 1820. C. R. 6. Free and Independent Church, Universalist.
 7. The Gloucester & Rockport Directory, 1873. Rockport 188. Giles Newell, treas. Rockport Savings Bank, h. 15 Main.
 8. He had paid Almira H. Sawyer interest of \$127.50 on January 1, 1874.
 9. John W. Allard, superintendent of schools 1874.
 10. Almira H. Sawyer, sister-in-law of Sawyer.
 11. G.D. George Dennen.

 12. J. H. Hunt, principal of high school. Appointed 1873.
 13. Bixby.
 14. From Cash Account, December 4. 3 paintings: Musicians \$11.50, Fishermen \$7.50, Landscape \$7.25. [Total] \$26.25.

 15. Copy of painting by J. M. W. Turner.