

*The Diaries of  
Samuel Jones Melvin*

*1906*

With Compliments of the season  
Presented by

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### HELP IN CASE OF ACCIDENTS

**DROWNING.**—1. Loosen clothing, if any. 2. Empty lungs of water by laying body on its stomach, and lifting it by the middle so that the head hangs down. Jerk the body a few times. 3. Pull tongue forward, using handkerchief, or pin with string, if necessary. 4. Imitate motion of respiration by alternately compressing and expanding the lower ribs, about twenty times a minute. Alternately raising and lowering the arms from the sides up above the head will stimulate the action of the lungs. Let it be done gently but persistently. 5. Apply warmth and friction to extremities. 6. By holding tongue forward, closing the nostrils, and pressing the "Adam's apple" back (so as to close entrance to stomach), direct inflation may be tried. Take a deep breath and breathe it forcibly into the mouth of patient, compress the chest to expel the air, and repeat the operation. 7. DON'T GIVE UP! People have been saved after HOURS of patient, vigorous effort. 8. When breathing begins, get patient into a warm bed, give WARM drinks, or spirits in teaspoonfuls, fresh air, and quiet.

**SUNSTROKE.**—There are two important indications for treatment—reduction of temperature and the use of stimulants. The patient should first be removed to a cooler spot if possible, or at least where shade can be secured. The treatment should be begun at once. The clothing about the neck and body must be either loosened or removed. Cold is particularly indicated in cases where there is great heat of the body, and delirium and convulsive movements are present. This means of reducing the temperature may be applied in the shape of cracked ice about the head and spine, or the use of cold water. If the heat of the body is very great, it may be necessary to wrap the patient in sheets wet with cold water. If there is, besides the great heat, evidence of serious depression, stimulants must be used while the cold is being applied.

**BURNS AND SCALDS.**—Cover with cooking soda, and lay wet cloths over it. Whites of eggs and olive oil. Olive oil or linseed oil, plain, or mixed with chalk or whiting. Sweet or olive oil and lime-water. Shock, which is always present in severe burns, requires the administration of stimulants. Pain is more constant and intense in burns than in any other form of injury, and requires sedatives, which should be administered by the medical attendant. Later on the appearances of inflammation and other complications are to be carefully watched for.

**HÆMORRHAGE.**—The usual treatment is rest in the recumbent position; small pieces of ice should be freely swallowed, and the application of ice wrapped in a towel, or in an ice-bag, or snow, cold water, etc., over the stomach; hot applications may be applied to the extremities.

**FIRE IN A BUILDING.**—Crawl on the floor. The clearest air is the lowest in the room. Cover head with woolen wrap, wet if possible. Cut holes for the eyes. Don't get excited.

Wea. fair MON. JAN. 1, 1906 Ther.

M. S. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at home about five o'clock & started  
for work. Grace went to work but Gill's  
firm wore off and he proposed to go to visit  
Charles & I. I walked out from Aspin  
road to Haulins. Found Cactus in full  
bloom on table. Fored away all day and  
went to Sabbath School entertainment  
at night. I helped Robt Boyle to  
attend to chores and did the milking.  
My cough tighter than common during  
the day and evening, felt well otherwise.  
Beautiful sunshine in first of year.

Wea. very fair TUESDAY 2 Ther.

M. S. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at seven and started fire in  
stove. Attended to usual chores and  
spent most of the day hauling  
corn fodder and finished the  
job at feeding time in the evening.  
The last of the harvesting of the crop  
of 1905 on the Haulin farm. The  
weather was remarkably pleasant  
and my health was as good as  
ordinary, my greatest suffering being  
from dizziness caused by nasal catarrh.

Wea. *Wet* WED. JAN. 3, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at seven and found it  
raining. Rained all day. Spent  
day in the stable after attending  
to feeding, used Curry comb  
and brush cleaning the cattle and  
making them more comfortable.

Received some mail during the  
day and had the pleasure of reading  
at night, of the pleasure afforded  
the prisoners in penitentiary on New years  
day, extra fare and music rendered by various  
convicts on various instruments and human voice.

Wea. *Blustery* THURSDAY 4 *freezing* Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at six. Usual chous. We spent  
the forenoon repairing private road  
through Hanlin's field and in the  
afternoon we slaughtered a beef.  
At night when Henry Beyle called  
for his milk I arranged with  
him to take the kidney tallow out  
of the hind quarter of beef they had  
brought from Hanlin. We did not  
receive any mail during the day.  
No carrier yet secured for our route.

Wea. *Cloudy, Windy* FRI. JAN. 5, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven O'clock and  
attended to usual chous. Hanlin  
spent most of the day delivering  
beef which we slaughtered yesterday.  
I hewed out some apple tree stumps  
which I intended to take home  
for Galbraith to manufacture into  
rolling pins. In the afternoon  
Robt Boyle and I ground two  
hilar scythes, I made some search  
for a lost sledge and attended to  
feeding and milking etc.

Wea. *Windy* SATURDAY 6 *Squally* Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pileburg Pa.  
Slept until after seven O'clock.  
We spent the day clearing off  
brush and grass about the fences  
on lot across the road preparatory  
to burning and clearing the lot off.  
Left for home about half past  
five. Carried some tallow and  
two pieces of cypress wood  
for bread rollers. Found folks  
at home all well. Helen had  
been out to church one night and  
been to theater this afternoon to see some

from the wood pleased.

Wea.

SUN. JAN. 7, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
 Slept until half past seven.  
 Helen Grace Till and I attended  
 Church at Mt. Washington and heard  
 Rev. Carpenter from Rom. 12<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup>  
 Communion service. Stewart  
 Franklin called in the evening,  
 In the evening our family all attended  
 Church except Grace and heard Rev. Carpen-  
 ter from Es. 1<sup>st</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> Not well delivered.  
 Good altar service after sermon. Good  
 number of members gathered about the  
 altar. Snowing as we came home

Wea.

Stormy MONDAY 8 Snow. Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
 About six o'clock I awoke with Helen  
 and Till about me putting me on account  
 of one of my spells. Soon conscious and  
 slept until after seven. Did not feel very  
 well all day and at instance of women  
 folks remained at home and read.  
 Put a board in walk at front door.  
 Snowed nearly all day. In the evening  
 Till and I attended at Mt. Washington  
 Church and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
 attended Quarterly Conference and did  
 not get home until after eleven o'clock.

Wea. Cold

TUES. JAN. 9, 1906

Ther. <sup>know ground</sup>

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
 Arose about 4-40 and kindled fires.  
 Went down town with Grace in the  
 morning and bought some shoe soles and  
 had my Pension papers made out.  
 Spent most of day soiling and healing  
 Till's every day shoes. Alice and I  
 attended Church at Mt. Washington at  
 night in Sunday School room and  
 heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Rev.  
 3. 21<sup>st</sup>. Only about 15 persons present.  
 Rev. Carpenter not a drawing preacher.  
 Till worked until nine at night.

Wea. fair

WEDNESDAY 10 Snow on ground Ther.

W. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
 Arose at some about 4-40 and started  
 fires. Galbraith and I ate breakfast  
 together. I left home with Grace when  
 she went to work. Went through Mt.  
 Washington tunnel on street car.  
 I walked out from Aspinwall to  
 Hanlin's before eleven o'clock. Mr. Fetter  
 here ate dinner with us. Spent after-  
 noon cleaning stable, feeding, etc.  
 etc. Weather somewhat cold but  
 clear and fine. Felt achy in the  
 evening.

Wea. fair <sup>Afternoon cloudy</sup> THUR. JAN. 11, 1906 <sup>Mild</sup> Ther.

Mr. Staudin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose about six o'clock, grazed my  
chess and attended to usual chores.  
Roped up some fence wire and helped  
haul some manure. Ford went to Sharps-  
burg for feed & Robert and I attended  
to stock. I did not feel well during  
the day. My stomach seemingly out  
of order. Felt languid and unable to  
hurry about. Piles troubling me also.  
Spent the evening reading in the  
Pittsburg Gazette. Finished some a  
little before six o'clock.

Wea. Cloudy FRIDAY 12 <sup>Heavy</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Ford was away with team and  
brought home load of coal. Robert  
and I attended to stock and  
hauling manure. I did not feel  
very well but was still able to  
work. My mind considerably  
engaged over the state of the  
Washington M. S. Church at present  
holding protracted meeting. J. Carpenter  
Pastor. Congregation not seeming  
in sympathy with the movement.

Wea. fair SAT. JAN. 13, 1906 <sup>Moist</sup> Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Mr. D. Haulin spent the forenoon deliv-  
ering a cow and calf which he had sold  
and in the afternoon he and Bob Boyle  
hitched up young sorrel mare and worked  
her for the first time, and she did well.  
After attending to putting down hay, I  
walked to Aspinwall, and arrived at  
home at eight o'clock and found Helen  
alone, the young folks having gone to choir  
practice. Mary and Fannie Thorley and  
Fred Haulin with them. Bed with us over  
night. Protracted meeting closed for want of interest.

Wea. Damp SUNDAY 14 <sup>Cloudy</sup> Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Fred Haulin took breakfast and dinner  
with us and attended at Mt. Washington  
Church and heard Rev. Cyburn preach  
a Foreign Missionary sermon from II 7  
9. I did not feel well. Spent afternoon  
at home. Broke up old music Gospel  
Hymns, for "There is my wandering Boy  
Sought". We all attended church at  
night and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
from the parable of the Prodigal Son a  
better sermon than he usually preaches. After  
service after sermon, W. W. W. W. W. W.

Wea. fair MON. JAN. 15, 1906 <sup>hazy</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsturg.  
Arose at home at 4:30. Went down  
into City with Grace as she went to  
work. Rode out from Des Moines with  
Harry Boyle. Spent the afternoon  
haying cattle and forking up manure  
about the straw stack. Mail service  
seemed to have been suspended R.F.D.

No. 3. ps. I did get several papers out  
of the box at night. Robert went  
to Sharpsturg in afternoon for a  
load of coal. I sent a letter to New Voice  
Co with two new names McElroy and Smith.

Wea. Stormy TUESDAY 16 <sup>cloudy. Snow.</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsturg.  
Haulin & Robt Boyle went to  
Sharpsturg for load of coal. Mr.  
Coleman came to try to buy farm  
and ate dinner with us.

I spent the day about the stable.  
Made some improvement on  
fastenings for a double door  
but did not get it quite completed.  
Spent the evening reading  
the Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.  
Weather getting colder.

Wea. <sup>Cloudy</sup> WED. JAN. 17, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsturg.  
After usual chores we hitched  
up the horse and hauled two or three  
loads of stone to the end of the  
private bridge for filling and  
in the afternoon used the old  
team for same purpose.

Nothing of any particular im-  
portance occurred. Saw Mrs  
Shup busy engaged carpentering  
raising a barn-balcon frame. Seemed  
to handle tools well. Home assisting.

Wea. Cloudy THURSDAY 18 <sup>windy</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsturg.  
After usual chores were attended  
to Robt Boyle and I spent the  
day hauling stone to Haulin's  
private bridge. Mrs Haulin went  
to Sharpsturg and left her mother  
in Fred's care. He spent about  
two hours at the bridge before his  
wife got home. Learned in the  
evening that they had been offered  
\$250 per acre for their farm but  
were holding for \$300 per acre.

Wea. fair. FRI. JAN. 19, 1906  
Afternoon Cloudy  
Ther.

Mr. J. Haulins near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at six and started fire in  
stove. After usual chores spent  
the day putting gravel on hill at  
end of private bridge. While  
standing on rear end of wagon holding  
to back lever, it slid past end of land  
bolster and precipitated me into  
the run and I was obliged to  
hasten to the house and change my  
clothing. Did not feel any evil effects  
of the wetting during afternoon.

Wea. Cloudy SATURDAY 20  
Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Attended to usual chores at  
Mr. J. Haulins and then Robt  
Boyle Ford and I spent the day  
setting gate posts and building  
fence at the approach to the  
private bridge. I walked to  
Aspinwall after five o'clock and  
when I got home found Alice not  
well, and Sam. McCalmont here  
over night. Grace and Gill attended  
Choir meeting. Retired about  
eleven o'clock.

Very fair. Much like day of April  
Wea. SUN. JAN. 21, 1906  
Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock  
and took a bath. Sam. McCalmont  
took breakfast with us and went to  
church with no. heard Rev. Carpenter  
preach from Luke 18: 23 "One thing  
thou lackest" Alice and Freda visited  
at 4<sup>th</sup> Av. M. E. Church Allegheny at night &  
other members of family at Mt. Washington &  
heard Carpenter on "Christ's temptation."  
A remarkable day all through. Mercury  
registered 74 1/2 above 0. Beautiful sunshine  
birds swarming like spring.

Wea. Cloudy MONDAY 22  
warm. Rain Ther.

Mr. J. Haulins near Sharpsburg.  
Left home about nine o'clock after  
repairing a bid-lyster. Rode out from  
Aspinwall with Harry Boyle. Spent  
afternoon attending to the cattle and  
repairing the fence near the water  
trough and when we got through it  
was raining and we went to the shop  
and ground tools etc. Ford worked  
out and opened some drains on  
the road. Weather reports in daily,  
a cold wave coming.



Wea. <sup>Went to the</sup> <sup>Evening</sup> <sup>freezing</sup>  
TUES. JAN. 23, 1906 Ther.

M.D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
After attending to usual chores in  
the morning &c. Ross Boyle and I spent  
most of the day grinding edged tools,  
saws, planes and hatchets and axes.  
Ford went to town in forenoon and  
in afternoon went out on horseback  
& try to sell some beef and was not  
home at milking time. Very remark-  
able weather for the time of year.  
Rained part of the day, turned cold in  
the afternoon and was freezing after  
dark.

Wea. <sup>Getting colder</sup>  
fair WEDNESDAY 24 Ther.

M.D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Slept until almost seven o'clock.  
Ford spent forenoon away from  
home peeling beef and Ross Boyle  
and I hauled a load of posts after  
chores were done. In the afternoon  
we killed and dressed two small  
beems - leifers. One of them Ross  
shot twice and then knocked it  
down with the stone hammer.  
Weather very mild for the time  
of year. Ground but slightly  
frozen.

Wea. <sup>Very fair</sup> <sup>Springlike</sup>  
THUR. JAN. 25, 1906 Ther.

M.D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg  
After attending to chores in  
the morning, Haulin and Ross  
Boyle each loaded up some beef  
and distributed it among some  
customers. In the afternoon we  
did some more chores & had  
a yard and a butcher beside a  
private citizen and a preacher  
called. We dug a hole and set a  
gate post in the lane and at night  
Ford and Lizzie went visiting and  
left Mother, Mary and me alone.

Wea. <sup>Very fair</sup> <sup>Springlike</sup>  
FRIDAY 26 Ther.

M.D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Haulin and his wife left home in buggy in  
the morning and were gone all day.  
Robert Boyle and I hauled manure  
in forenoon and in the afternoon  
after attending to the stock as usual  
we spent the time putting an exten-  
sion to a gate and raising it on  
the post set yesterday on the side of  
the private road. "Mother" Magee and  
I were at home alone for dinner.  
Weather much like springtime.  
Ground somewhat frozen.

Wea. fair <sup>Springlike</sup> SAT. JAN. 27, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

After attending to usual chores on the Haulin farm, Robt. Boyle and I spent the forenoon hauling manure and putting it on the orchard, while Ford was pruning trees. In the afternoon I attended to the haying of cattle and preparing feed for future use and we repaired the fence along the lane. Ford and Robt. Boyle went to Hoboken to attend primary election. I walked to Aspinwall and carried some feed with my clothing. <sup>Prohibition Party place on board</sup> ~~at Mrs. Tucker's in Washington.~~ Signed petition

Wea. Cloudy SUNDAY 28 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Arose about seven O'clock and ate breakfast with Helen and Gill. The girls being at Washington Pa. We attended church at Mt. Neeshington and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from II Tim. II. Ch. 7 and 9 vs. 1-3 inclusive. Gill sang solo "There is a Land where Simeon hath seen". Gill was only one from our place to attend church at night. Helen and I spent most of the evening reading and studying the Sabbath School lesson for next Sabbath "The Temptation of Christ" very interesting.

Wea. fair <sup>With Springlike</sup> MON. JAN. 29, 1906 Ther.

Mrs. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa. Arose at some about 4-30 O'clock

and attended to fires. ate breakfast about six with Helen and Calbraith, the girls being at Washington visiting Tucker's folks. After doing some mending I stopped in Pittsburg and sent some money to the New-voice Co and bought myself two new overall jackets. Walked out from Aspinwall to Haulin and spent afternoon preparing barn to receive straw.

Wea. Threatening <sup>rain</sup> TUESDAY 30 Ther.

Mrs. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Arose at six and started fires. After usual chores, we spent the day hauling straw from the barnyard into the barn and did not get through. A sick cow required some attention. Weather was very mild. White frost in the morning but threatened rain all afternoon. The dust on the straw affected me considerably and I feared it would make me sick in the evening but I felt better at bedtime.

Afternoon Cloudy  
Wea. fair WED. JAN. 31, 1906 Ther.

Mr. S. Haulin's near Sharpburg Pa.  
Arose at daylight and found  
Haulin lying in lounge, he had  
not retired during night on account  
of sick cow. He hauled the last  
of the straw in the forenoon  
and he went to town for medicine  
for the cow in the afternoon.  
Robert worked some clearing  
fence row and I did chores  
about the barn righted up a  
gate post, forked some straw etc.

Wea. Stormy THUR. FEB. 1 Snow Ther.

Mr. S. Haulin's near Sharpburg.  
Slept until late. Attended to  
usual chores. Haulin went from  
home and sold some beef.  
Robt. Boyle went to Sharpburg  
and got a load of feed. Spent  
part of the day clearing up the  
bottom of snow slicks in the  
barn yard. And putting barn  
in order. Fresh cow in the evening.  
Sick cow not improving much.  
Weather stormy all day and  
colder at night.

Blustery  
Wea. Cold FRI. FEB. 2, 1906 Ther.

Mr. S. Haulin's near Sharpburg  
Slept until daylight then found  
that mercury was hovering about zero.  
After doing usual chores we killed  
and dripped two small hogs weigh-  
ing about 68 lbs to the quarter.  
Robt. Boyle took two quarters and  
the hides away in the afternoon  
and Ford and I did chores and  
repaired the pipe of the heater in  
the cellar. I prepared some mortar  
to put back wall in the cook stove.  
My hands getting sore with clacks.

Wea. Very Cold SATURDAY 3 Blustery Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
After doing usual chores in the morning  
Mr. S. Haulin, Ford and Robt went  
from home to distribute beef and I  
spent my 68<sup>th</sup> birthday doing chores  
about the stable. Left Haulin's  
about 20 minutes after five walked to  
Ashmunville, arrived at home a few minutes  
after eight and learned that Geo. A.  
Haulin had died in Denver Colorado  
last Saturday and that Clyde Melvin  
was at home and down with Typhoid  
fever. Folks at home all well.

Wea. *Moderate* SUN. FEB. 4, 1906

*Snowing*  
Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose a little before seven and took  
a good bath. We all except Grace  
attended church and heard Rev. Carpenter  
preach from the words "And I, if I be  
lifted up will draw all men unto me."  
I attended Sabbath School in afternoon, upon  
Christ's Temptation "very interesting but did  
not get much information. Marie  
Hankin and Mitchell Crothers called  
in afternoon and our whole family  
attended church at night and heard  
Carpenter from the words "Then God Seed me".

Wea. *Clear* MONDAY 5 *Snow* Ther.

M. E. Hankins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at home about half past seven  
ate breakfast at six with Helen and  
Galbraith. Snowing at daylight and  
I swept some paths. Left home  
about half past eight and stopped at  
P.O. and sent money order to Allentown.  
Rode part of way from Allentown  
with Harvey Boyle. Spent afternoon  
laying cows and carrying them.  
Went away most of the day with the  
wagon. Clear and cold at night.

*8 below 0*  
Wea. *Very Cold* TUES. FEB. 6, 1906

*fair warmer*  
Ther.

M. E. Hankins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at daylight and found the  
weather very cold learned during  
the day that mercury had been 8  
below zero in the morning. After  
doing feeding we assorted potatoes  
until noon and after watering  
stock &c we hauled some manure  
in afternoon being the young  
cow's mare for a lesson to her.  
Snow on the ground but sled was  
not in order and we used the  
wagon.

Wea. *Clear Cold* WEDNESDAY 7 *Mercury at zero* Ther.

M. E. Hankins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose about seven o'clock and  
attended to usual chores and after  
breakfast helped Ford and Ross  
Boyle to start five head of cattle  
which they took to Sharpsburg to the  
butcher. I spent most of the day  
in the stable, feeding cattle, wheeling  
out manure and carrying cattle.  
Sick cow improving some and ate some  
corn fodder in the evening. I walked up  
to the mail box. Rags until after nine  
o'clock at night. *Clear Cold*

Wea. ~~clear~~ <sup>2 below</sup> ~~Snow on ground~~ THUR. FEB. 8, 1906 Ther.

M. S. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose a few minutes after six.  
And found weather cold, two sick  
Cows in stable called for Hards  
attention a good portion of day.  
Robert Boyle and I spent most  
of the day hauling out manure.  
I felt the cold considerable in  
forenoon. At night I wrote a  
letter to Mary Stephenson at  
Greensburg in Greene Co Pa.  
Expected to finish it at home.

Wea. ~~fair~~ <sup>Moderate</sup> FRIDAY 9 Ther.

M. S. Haulins Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose about seven and attended  
to usual chores feeding and  
milking &c. Two sick cows in  
the stable required considerable  
attention in forenoon. Food  
went to town for medicine and  
took some chickens. Robt Boyle  
and I cleaned the manure out of  
two shades and hauled it into the  
orchard. Weather quite cold in the  
morning but moderating and thawing a  
little in afternoon.

Wea. ~~fair~~ <sup>Cold</sup> SAT. FEB. 10, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Arose at ~~6.30~~ a little after  
six and beside doing feeding and  
other chores spent most of the day  
hauling out manure. Walked to  
Aspinwall and got home a little  
before nine O'clock learned on the  
way some of the death of Nathan Hill  
a member of our church and choir  
who had a surgical operation per-  
formed in November last and three  
large stones removed from his kidney.  
He seemed to be getting along well until

Wea. ~~fine~~ SUNDAY 11 <sup>cloudy</sup> Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Arose at home a few minutes before  
six and started fires. We all attended  
church and heard Rev. Carpenter  
preach from Gal. 6 "9 & 10" and in  
afternoon we attended the funeral  
of Nathan Hill at the church. He had  
a surgical operation performed about the  
middle of Nov and three large stones remo-  
ved from his kidney and was getting along  
well until recently, died Thursday eve.  
Good attendance, good music and good  
addresses by Lane Carpenter & letter from Minister

Wea. <sup>Moderate</sup> fair MON. FEB. 12, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home about 4-30 O'clock  
and ate breakfast with Helen and  
Bill. Rode to town in car with Grace  
and walked out from Ashmwall.  
Felt somewhat unwell all day. My  
heart was out of order and I felt very  
weary and had to stop and rest on way  
out. Helped Robt Boyle take the  
hide off a young heifer that had  
died. Ford was attending an auction at  
which an old tall wooden clock sold for  
\$42. Evening quite pleasant.

Wea. <sup>Mild</sup> fair TUESDAY 13 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose a few minutes before  
seven O'clock and helped with the  
feeding and chores as usual.  
Robert Boyle and I spent the day  
hauling out manure. finished  
hauling to the orchard and put  
three loads on the garden. Ford  
spent the day by mowing apple  
trees. I did not feel very well during  
the day - my bowels were somewhat  
troublesome and not feeling well in the  
evening.

Wea. <sup>Squally</sup> Cloudy WED. FEB. 14, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Slept until seven then found  
the weather cloudy and misting rain.  
I spent most of the day in the  
stable carrying cattle. Mr. Will Huddle  
came and bought two fresh cows,  
and the Boyle boys came in the  
evening and took away a cow and  
calf which they had bought. Ford  
and his wife went to Sharpsburg  
in the buggy in afternoon. Got a fall  
on slippery ground in evening and felt  
some the base of it at night. Sick cow

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> clear THURSDAY 15 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After attending to usual chores  
about the barn in the morning  
I helped Robt. Boyle to start two  
cows and calves which he took to  
Mr. Huddle's. Ford attended a sale  
during the day and I found it diffi-  
cult to find something to occupy  
my time profitably at, as it was  
too cold to work out of doors.  
Ford got home at supper time.  
Evening very clear & cold. Felt some  
rheumatism in my left arm.

Had a calf and made to car for

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> fair FRI. FEB. 16, 1906 Ther.

Mr. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Attended to usual chores in the  
morning at usual time and  
then I spent the forenoon currying the  
cattle and in the afternoon we  
hauled out several loads of  
manure using the young sorrel mare  
with old Jimmie for a team.  
Two men came in afternoon to buy  
fresh cows but could not be accom-  
modated. One cow came fresh in the  
evening after they had gone. Clear  
and cold at night.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 17 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day at Mr. D. Haulin's doing  
chores about the barn, helping with  
the feeding and milking and carried  
almost all the hells. Walked to  
Aspinwall, stopped at barber shop  
on Duquesne Heights and had hair cut  
and shave. Found folks all well  
when I came home. Helen and  
Alice told me when I came that my clothes  
smelled like the manure pile. I felt as  
though I were a nuisance to my friends and  
did not sleep much through the night.

Wea. <sup>Snow</sup> Cloudy SUN. FEB. 18, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock and after  
sweeping snow from paths took a good  
all over bath. <sup>Spent</sup> Sabbath Grace and  
I attended Mt. Washington Church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter from Duke 9<sup>th</sup> St  
57. I attended a temperance meeting at the  
M. E. Church Mt. Washington. Nothing new.  
Attended church at night and heard Rev.  
Carpenter from Rom. 13<sup>th</sup> St. Helen  
attended profr meeting at Mrs. Ford's  
across the street from us. Snowed  
some in the evening.

Wea. <sup>mild</sup> fair MONDAY 19 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at 4-35 and kindled fires.  
Spent most of the day working  
the washing machine and doing  
some mending on some of my  
suspenders and clothing. Wrote  
a letter in the evening to the  
"reg. voice" to correct a mistake  
which they had made concerning pay  
for two new subscribers. Till was  
having trouble at night to find his  
tax receipts preparatory to voting at  
tomorrow's election. Stared at some  
attend election tomorrow.

Wea. fair TUES. FEB. 20, 1906 Ther.

W. Melvin's, Old Home, near Eldersville Pa  
Arose at home about half past four o'clock and  
at breakfast with Ed and Helen. Voted at the  
City election. Voted for Gutfrie for Mayor on  
the Prohibition ticket. Left Birmingham at  
9-30 and rode out from Hankin Station with  
Fred Magee in McChry's milk wagon. Spent  
afternoon and took supper at Ann Thorley's.  
Their young folks went to Robt Cassidy's and I  
spent night at Will Melvin's. Clyde just  
got up out of Typhoid fever and getting along  
well. Ground thawing and weather getting  
warmer. I'm glad to be at the old home.

Wea. Rain WEDNESDAY 21 Cloudy Ther.

Ann Thorley's near Eldersville Pa  
Slept until after seven o'clock. Will and I  
took a long walk over the old home farm. Dog got  
a ground hog in hollow tree, supposed it might  
be their pit, but it would not eat bread.  
Clyde getting up after fever and getting along  
well. In the evening I went to the Thorleys  
and spent the night very pleasantly with  
the family. Did not retire until eleven  
o'clock. My Sister Ann over 77 years old  
but feeling pretty well. My health pretty good  
and enjoying my visit richly. Sent a postal  
card home.

Wea. fair <sup>Cool</sup> THUR. FEB. 22, 1906 Ther.

Ann Thorley's near Eldersville  
Arose at Ann Thorley's between six and  
seven o'clock and spent most of forenoon  
about the house. Ate a lunch about eleven  
o'clock and Sam Thorley and I went in  
two horse buggy to bridge at Steubenville, over  
which we walked and rode back in  
street car. First time I had seen the bridge.  
On track and road along the river bank  
sliding. Drove down to Follensbee and inspec-  
ted the wonderful new town about 200 houses  
built inside of two years. Got back to Ann  
about dark.

Wea. fair FRIDAY 23 Ther.

John Melvin's Harmonas Creek.

Arose at Ann Thorley's about seven o'clock.  
Spent most of forenoon there. Took dinner  
at Will Melvin's and remained there until  
afternoon. Margarett took me to Eldersville  
in buggy, called on Mrs. Mary Walker and  
Mary Jackson and took supper. Called at  
Will Thorley's. Got to John Melvin's about  
where I spent the night. Talked until after  
eleven o'clock. Found John very fondly stiff  
in his limbs. Talked until about  
o'clock. Weather favorable for Sugar making.



Wea. <sup>Warm</sup> fair SAT. FEB. 24, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at John Melvin's about six  
o'clock and in forenoon cleaned out  
their spring block and put in spout to  
furnish them water for house use. Left  
Hankin St. about 3-24 and Sam Thorley  
came home with me. Found Amy Tucker  
here. Calbraith and Grace attended  
Choir practice at night. Weather during  
the day was exceeding fair. Much  
like spring. Amy Tucker and Sam Thor-  
ley with us over night.

Wea. <sup>Damp</sup> Cloudy SUNDAY 25 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock. Sam Thorley  
here and went with me to Mt. Washington  
M. P. Church where we heard Rev. McCannell  
from Mat. V ps 14 at night heard Rev.  
Carpenter from I. K. 13 ps. 26. Amy  
Tucker and Alice attended. M. P. Church  
in the morning and M. P. Church at  
night. Helen was not out  
during the day. Weather was quite  
damp and unpleasant. McCannell  
away attending a funeral in forenoon.

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> MON. FEB. 26, 1906 Ther.

M. P. Hankin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home at 4-30 and started  
fires. Sam Thorley and Amy  
Tucker took breakfast with us.  
I left for Sharpsburg about  
nine o'clock, walked out from  
Aspinwall as I was too late to  
get on the milk wagon. Robt Boyle  
away at town and Fred left in  
the afternoon. I attended to the  
milking. Frank Sibert came in  
the evening and spent the night  
with us. Windy & Cold

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> TUESDAY 27 Ther.

M. P. Hankin's near Sharpsburg.  
Hankin & Frank Sibert talked until  
about two o'clock in the morning when  
Frank came to bed with me. Slept until  
seven. Spent part of forenoon carrying  
Cows and hauling manure. Fred sold  
the hay more than for \$190. Robt  
Boyle and I grubbed out some  
bushes in the back yard in afternoon  
but it was so cold and foggy that  
he could not do much good. I read an old  
book at night, the evidence in the trial  
of Henry, Bridgman for killing Allen James.

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> fair WED. FEB. 28, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes before seven and helped with the chores. I milked the cows both morning and evening. Helped to hoist the loads of feed to the bins and kindled a fire under kettle and boiled some horse blankets. Robt and Ford went to the timber and got some hickory wood to smoke meat with. I read some at night in the Trial of Brice land for murder of Bligham.

Wea. fair THUR. MARCH 1 Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Sleeps until almost seven O'clock. Helped to do usual chores. Ford went for load of coal. Robt. Boyle and I cut some brush and vines out of fence row in forenoon and set two posts for support of grape vine and removed some under brush. Ford sold two cows in afternoon and he and I took them to Aspinwall after five O'clock and did not get our supper until nine. Did not retire until eleven. Weather moderating.

Wea. <sup>Pleasant</sup> fair FRI. MARCH 2, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Attended to several chores in the morning and shovelled out a load of coal. Ford and Diggins went to town in buggy and Robert Boyle went for a load of coal. I spent the day doing chores such as cleaning cow stable and chicken house, attending to fire in smoke house etc. Bent a cane and hammered down the nails in my shoes. Read in the Brice land trial at night.

Wea. Wet SATURDAY 3 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at M. D. Haulins about seven and spent most of the day about the shop and stable as it was wet and unfit to work out of doors. Ford and Robert went to Sharpsburg and brought home a couple of dry cows. In the evening I put fire under the large kettle and put some beef heads to cook for the chickens. Walked to Aspinwall and got home about half past eight and found folks all well. No very especial news.

Snow

Wea. Stormy SUN. MARCH 4, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock and took  
an all over bath. I attended at the  
Mount Washington Church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
Numbers 10<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup>. A. Noice of our  
family there but myself. Spent After  
noon at home packing and did not  
attend any gathering at night was  
at home with my wife while the  
young folks attended a Missionary  
Meeting at Mt. Washington Church addressed  
by Mrs. Calloway

Wea. Squally MONDAY 5 Ther.

M. S. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home about 4-30 and  
started fires and swept snow  
off of paths. Walked from  
Aspenwall to Haulin's and  
spent some time doing chores  
about noon then Robt. Boyle  
and I cleared away some brush  
about a fence row preparatory to  
repairing fence. Ford was awake  
all day. Read testimony in  
Breedland tent at night

Wea. Fair TUES. MARCH 6, 1906 Ther.

M. S. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose about 6-30 and attended to  
chores as usual then Robert Boyle  
Ford and I spent remainder of the  
day clearing brush off the field across  
the road - a very rough field ground  
nearly all over with brush and briars.  
We made quite an improvement by  
cutting out and burning the willows  
in the hollow and other trash. I went  
out to the mail box in the morning  
and mailed a card to W. H. Underwood  
concerning excursion to Becksburg

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 7 Ther.

M. S. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at usual time and  
attended to usual chores, I  
spent the day cutting briars.  
Ford was called from his work  
in forenoon by some one at the  
stable and he went to Blacksmith  
shop in afternoon. Robt Boyle  
spent most of afternoon about the  
shop and stable. Snow falling all  
day but not enough to wet through.  
My cotton blouse do any harm.  
Felt somewhat rheumatic

Wea. *Partly Cloudy* THUR. MARCH 8, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose about six and helped with  
the chores as usual. Ford went  
away on horseback and was gone  
all day. Robt Boyle and I  
spent the day in the clearing.  
I spent the day cutting briars  
and he cut some briars and  
did some grubbing. Rheuma-  
tism affecting me so much  
that it was difficult for me  
to walk on hillside. Spent the  
evening examining evidence of <sup>the</sup> ~~murder~~ <sup>murder</sup>

Wea. *Cloudy* FRIDAY 9 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose about usual time and  
did the milking before break-  
fast. Spent the day in the  
clearing cutting briars and brush.  
Robt Boyle used the team with  
chain and hook pulling out  
grubs while Ford used mallet  
and brier hook. Did not get  
over very much ground on account  
of its terribly overgrown condition.  
Went tired at night. Mrs. Hagg  
in bed all day.

Wea. *Cloudy* SAT. MARCH 10, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at usual time and milked  
two cows and attended to some  
other chores before breakfast.  
Spent the day cutting briars and  
brush in Haulin's overgrown  
field. Quit at four o'clock and  
walked to Casinwall. Found it  
a hard drag as I was somewhat  
afflicted with rheumatism in my  
right hip joint. Luce and Gill  
gone to choir practice. All about  
as well as usual except Gill.

Wea. *Cloudy* SUNDAY 11 *snowing*, Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at six and took a bath.  
Young folks and I attended church at  
Mt. Washington and heard Rev.  
Carpenter preach from "Sermon on  
the Mount" according to Luke. Gill  
and I stopped at Mr. Johnson's on  
Meriden St. to learn whether he pro-  
posed to go to Wickburg with picnic  
party. He had made no preparations. Spent  
the afternoon and night at home.  
Young folks went to church through the  
snowstorm. Snowing all evening.

Wea. *Cloudy. Snow on the ground* MON. MARCH 12, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at half past four and  
put on fire and swept snow  
off foot paths. Snow about five  
inches deep. Did not go out to  
Mr. S. Haulins on account of snow.  
Helped Alice to do a washing.  
Was looking for an order for trans-  
portation to Picksburg, but it did  
not come through the mail and I be-  
gan to fear disaffirmment. Snow melted  
some during day but still consider-  
able left and more came at night.

Wea. *Cloudy Snowing* TUESDAY 13 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at 4-30 and started fire  
then returned to bed while Helen  
prepared breakfast. Spent forenoon  
about the house reading and  
was disaffirmed when mail came  
it did not bring looked for order. Recd  
a letter from Charley & F. and answer-  
ed it in the afternoon. Clyde came  
in the evening and attended an enter-  
tainment of Young Men's Club in Mt.  
Washington M. P. Church. Helen did not  
go. Evening unfavorable. Still snowing

Wea. *Cloudy Snow on ground* WED. MARCH 14, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.  
Arose about half past four and  
started fire and returned to bed.  
Clyde Melvin took breakfast  
with us and went to work at Union  
Dept. Spent most of day in the  
house reading and writing letters  
Felt tired at night for want  
of usual out door exercise  
I wrote two letters in the evening  
to Ross Taggart and E. W. Bauman  
old comrades, concerning trip to Picksburg.

Wea. *Cloudy Snow* THURSDAY 15 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at half past four and swept  
snow off sidewalk up to Oneida St.  
Recd through the mail an order  
for free transportation to Picksburg  
N.Y. to dedication of Soldier's Monument  
Visited Harry Harkin at B & O. Dept.  
to learn about arrangements for the  
trip but got but little information.  
I bought a pair of shoes and at night  
I put them on Galbraith's shoes.  
Still snowing and snow deep and  
very unpleasant

Cloudy Snow around niches  
Wea. FRI. MARCH 16, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at 4-30, started fires and swept snow off porches and paths out to Well Alley. Ate breakfast with Helen and Gertrude. Did not feel very well. Spent most of forenoon reading New Voice and Buggetts town Enterprise. In afternoon went to City with Helen got new hat, had trouble with silvermith about my watch did not put in new post according to agreement. We attended M. E. Church at night and heard Rev. Pollock from Rev. 22:17 "Good sermon".

Wea. Cloudy Snow. SATURDAY 17 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at half past four, kindled fires and swept snow from paths. Spent forenoon reading news. In afternoon I cleaned up my clothing preparatory to my trip to Wickburg. And in the evening I called on Mr. Hutcheson the ticket agent of Balto and Ohio R.R. and also at the house of David Johnson but found he did not intend to go to Wickburg. Gertrude and I attended choir practice at night. Ground still covered with snow.

Snow melting slowly  
Wea. SUN. MARCH 18, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about half past six and started fires bathed myself and prepared to attend Church. Heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Mat. 5:13 "Ye are the salt of the earth". Mr. Groat called in afternoon to talk with Bill about Young Men's Club. I attended a Prohibition lecture delivered by a Dr. Smith in Presbyterian Church Grandview Av. Good! Helen and I attended M. E. Church at night and heard Rev. Keckler preach from 1<sup>st</sup> John. Young folks at Mt. Washington M. E. Church.

Wea. Wet. Snow. MONDAY 19 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at 4-30 and started fires then went back to bed and slept until almost seven. Spent most of forenoon helping with the washing. Went down town in afternoon and bought shoes and overshoes and got a ticket over the Baltimore & Ohio R.R. to Wickburg trip paid for by the State to attend dedication of Soldiers Monument. Got shaved and hair cut. Weather most disagreeable, both rain and snow. Was busy making preparation to start on trip to Morrow morning at 8-30.

Central Depot Palace Hotel Cincinnati  
Wea. fair TUES. MARCH 20, 1906 Ther.

Left home about eight o'clock and met quite a number of my old comrades at Pittsburg. Traveled all day and reached Cincinnati about dusk.

Spent the night in a licensed hotel just about opposite the depot.

Considerable of drinking but quiet. Had a good bed. Slept with comrade Geo. B. Forsythe. Had no means of exit had there been a fire, but by a very small elevator in the Bell in room with us. Rested well.

Wea. fair WEDNESDAY 21 Ther.

Williams House Chattanooga Tenn.  
Rose at Cincinnati about half past six and took breakfast at hotel. Left Cincinnati about nine o'clock. Saw some very fine sights as we passed through Kentucky and some exceedingly poor land in Tennessee. Saw the old engine, General captured during the war. Took supper at restaurant and lodging at Williams Hotel.

Wea. fair THUR. MARCH 22, 1906 Ther.

On Cars at Meridian Miss.  
Arose at Williams Hotel in Chattanooga about five o'clock for of 40 and hunted a restaurant and took a lunch. Found we could not get train for two hours or more, got on street cars and then on incline and went to top of Lookout Mountain and saw some most interesting sights and viewed some war relics, a cannon and a whistle with a birds eye view in it. Left Chattanooga about eight at Meridian west of night and got on train about two o'clock and crossed.

Wea. fair. FRIDAY 23 Ther.

Crickburg Miss. Mrs. Beechler.  
Left Meridian sometime probably about two o'clock on train somewhat crowded with old soldiers and got to Crickburg a little after daylight and about twelve or thirteen of us took lodging at Mrs. Beechler's at \$1.00 per day and one place was good. Spent most of forenoon waiting for bus to start first and took officers and staff. It was I think with others. I did not go. Walked all over historic places afternoon and attended Governor's reception at night.

fair *Vicksburg Miss*  
Wea. SAT. MARCH 24, 1906 Ther.

Crossed at Mrs. Brierly's about six O'clock  
Spent forenoon about town, visited the  
Court House, then on its top. Afternoon  
Rode out to dedication of monument a  
distance of about four miles in open spring  
wagon behind two very large mules a  
Negro driver, friend Good treatment under  
the circumstances. Dedication services  
very interesting. Treatment of friends  
services most cordial. Treated cross  
kindly. Best of feeling at campfire at night  
where 'Blue and grey' came together in  
fraternal greeting. *Shut out. One horse*

Wea. Showr SUNDAY 25 Ther.

On board Cars near Meridian Miss.  
Took breakfast and dinner with Brierly  
family. Bought some relics as souvenirs  
and attended church at Baptist  
church with our host. Heard Rev. Hays  
preach from Heb. 12: 1-7. Left Vicksburg  
about seven O'clock, passed wreck of morning  
train, engineer killed. Ran into Meridian  
a little before dark and took supper. Was  
special train between eleven and twelve  
at night. Cyclone had passed through  
Meridian destroying a great deal of property  
and killed several people about a week ago.

On board Cars <sup>between Chattanooga and</sup> ~~Meridian~~ Cincinnati  
Wea. fair MON. MARCH 26, 1906 Ther.

Spent afternoon of the night on train  
between Meridian and Cincinnati. Saw  
one two horse plow at work and also saw  
a steel lay rake. Country most desolate  
I ever saw. Very little stock and  
seemingly nothing raised beyond it.  
Saw some green wheat very refreshing to  
the eye. Got into Cincinnati about 6:30  
P.M. and left at 7:30 P.M. Sat with  
Donaldson in train. Had two seats  
tuned together and were able to get some  
sleep. Train not crowded and made  
good time. Standing trip well.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 27 Ther.

123 Plymouth St Pittsburg Pa.  
In company with Alex. Donaldson,  
and G. G. Gade, left Cincinnati about  
7:30 last night and spent the entire  
night on the train. Got to Pittsburg about  
half past seven in the morning and  
met Grace as she got off the street car  
going to work. Found folks all well, but  
not satisfied because I did not take  
more good of my trip. South was very tired  
and worn out and slept some in the  
afternoon. Trouble making out my diary  
Spent \$3.70 on trip there and 70



Wea. fair WED. MARCH 28, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Slept until after 11 and Grace  
had gone to their work. Spent part  
of the day telling about my trip.  
Felt so much done out that I did  
not go out to the farm. Bought a boy  
for Alice and put a bed on it for a  
window seat and recessed for clothing.  
We attended Church at Mount Washington  
at night and heard Rev. Dr. Shepherd  
preach from 2 Peter 1:12 "Better Con-  
gregation out than common. Helen went  
out but was very tired."

Wea. Showery THURSDAY 29 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Slept until half past four o'clock  
kindled fires, went back to bed.  
and slept until after seven. Then to  
store and got things and put on boy.  
Gallie with me and I attended Church  
at Mt. Washington at night and  
heard Rev. Hummel preach from  
Is. 42:1-4 "He shall not  
fail. Will come home just after  
sermon. Fred Haulin, Chalmers Fulton,  
Dr. McCalmont and John were here.  
Fred over night."

Wea. wet FRI. MARCH 30, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
After kindling fires went back  
to bed and slept until after  
seven o'clock still feeling  
the effects of my trip south.  
Went down into the City and  
got some butter and eggs. Young  
folks took tea at Rev. Carpenter's  
and attended church. Helen and I  
also attended church and heard Rev.  
Pfeiffer preach from Rom. 1:12.  
He talked so fast I could not under-  
stand a great deal that he said.

Wea. Snow SATURDAY 31 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about half past six and  
started fires. Snow falling rapidly.  
Spent most of the day about the  
house. Carried some manure and  
covered the shrub. Wrote a letter to  
T. H. Brierly of Wickburg Miss and put  
up some newspapers to send by mail. Charley  
and Flo. Came in the evening and spent  
the night with us. I did not feel very  
well. Felt as though I were losing my  
intellectual faculties and suffering some form of  
rheumatism.

Wea. fair SUN. APRIL 1, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St., Pittsburg Pa.  
 Arose about half past six and started  
 fires as usual. Young folks at church  
 with me and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
 from Ecl. 11 "Cast thy bread upon the waters",  
 Sacrament administered. Three Bentons and Mrs  
 Gray united with the church. Charley and  
 Fto. left for home about half past four O'clock.  
 Belle Carothers & her husband called in. Chas. &  
 Fto. left about five O'clock. Our whole  
 family attended church at Mt. Washington  
 at night and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
 Mat. 7 "Judge not that ye be not judged"

Wea. fair

MONDAY 2

Ther.

M. D. Haulius near Sharpsburg.  
 Arose at home about half past four  
 O'clock and started fires. Left home  
 with Tracy about eight O'clock  
 and walked from Plymouth to  
 Haulius. Spent afternoon trying  
 to figure brush off clearing  
 and did not succeed very well.  
 Brush not dry enough. Showed  
 some of the trinkets I brought  
 with me from Jacksonburg.

Wea. fair TUES. APRIL 3, 1906

Ther.

M. D. Haulius Sharpsburg Pa.  
 Spent the day mostly about  
 the stable and garden. Scattered  
 manure and leveled down the  
 dirt that covered the cabbage  
 and in the evening scattered  
 some manure in the orchard.  
 Ford was away in the afternoon.  
 Robt. Boyle hauled a load of coal  
 in the forenoon. I read a number  
 of letters written from the ark by  
 Francis Wray to his sister Mrs. W.  
 Weather very fine.

Wea. Shower

WEDNESDAY 4

Ther.

M. D. Haulius near Sharpsburg.  
 Slept first after six O'clock  
 then helped to do the usual chores  
 and spent the rest of the day  
 clearing in my yard in the orchard.  
 Robt. Boyle hauled some brush  
 off the orchard and in mid  
 forenoon set some young cabbage  
 and lettuce plants in the hooped.  
 Was a very fine day until supper  
 time when it commenced raining  
 I suffered some with rheumatism  
 and took nearly all night. By the way

Wea. <sup>showery</sup> THUR. APRIL 5, 1906 Ther. <sup>afternoon</sup>

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Slept until after six o'clock.  
then attended to usual chores  
and Robt Boyle and I took  
a cow and calf to Will Slippy's.  
Rained in afternoon and we  
put the teeth in a barrow and  
I painted part of it. Robert  
glazed some panes in some  
wash for his bed and Ford  
went to Sharpsburg in the  
evening with Victor's traps. Still out  
at night.

Wea. fair FRIDAY 6 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose about seven o'clock according  
to terms here and helped with the  
usual chores and spent the most  
of the day clearing off ground to  
be plowed; cut pieces and  
dug out stumps. In the  
evening Robt Boyle and Ford  
started the plow and made  
a small opening using the  
hillside plow. Air was quite  
cool all day. Ford away at night.

Wea. fair SAT. APRIL 7, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose a little before seven  
o'clock and helped to do the  
usual chores on the Hanlin farm  
then spent most of the day  
cutting pieces and clearing off  
the field for corn. After four  
o'clock milked four cows then  
walked to Ashinwall and got  
home at nine o'clock found the  
all well except Helen and Grace  
had had colds. Suffering myself with  
piles and rheumatism.

Wea. Cloudy SUNDAY 8 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose a little before seven  
o'clock started fires and took a  
good bath. Galbraith, Alice and I  
attended Mt. Washington church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Mt  
7<sup>th</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> psalm. Galbraith sang a solo.  
Anna Campbell absented herself from  
the choir. Bill, Alice and I attended  
church again at night and heard Carpenter from  
2<sup>nd</sup> Cor. 4<sup>th</sup> 17-18. John McHelmie absent  
and Bill sang another solo. Anna Camp-  
bell still out of the choir of her own choice.

Wea. ~~bet~~ MON. APRIL 9, 1906 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home about 4-30 and  
started fire. Took breakfast with  
John and Gill. Got ready to go to  
Hanlin's but rain stopped me and I  
spent the forenoon washing and put out  
clothes line for Alice. Had my Cousin  
papers made out in afternoon and  
met Enford Melvin near Post Office.  
Was raining heavily when I got to  
Aspenwall and my pet got quite wet  
on my way out. Helped do the milking  
at night.

Wea. ~~Cloudy~~ TUESDAY 10 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Slept until late. Helped to do the  
chores as usual. Greased the cow  
wagon and Robert, Boyle and I  
spent forenoon hauling stone off  
the field we are plowing for corn.  
Spent most of afternoon gathering  
up briars and Ford plowed some  
while Robt gathered the stones out  
of the furrows. My corns hurt  
me badly during the day and I  
found it good to retire early.

Wea. ~~Cloudy~~ WED. APRIL 11, 1906 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose about the usual time and  
sped to do the chores. Cut a hole  
in an old shoe and put it on over  
my corns and had comparative com-  
fort during the day. Spent forenoon  
gathering up briars and most of  
afternoon gathering stones out  
of plowed ground. Robt, Boyle  
and Ford both plowed in afternoon.  
Weather was cloudy but did not  
rain to hinder our work.

Wea. ~~fair~~ THURSDAY 12 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
After doing up morning chores I  
cleaned up the pony "Beauty" and  
harnessed her to the buggy for Mrs  
Hanlin to go to Sharpsburg. Robert,  
Boyle and Ford spent the day plowing  
and I spent the day near the house  
where I could be called should the old  
lady need anything as she was by herself.  
I cut some water sprouts from some  
apple trees and threw down a lot of  
hay out of the mow. Weather very much  
like Spring. Frost in the morning.

Very fair  
Wea. FRI. APRIL 13, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose about usual time and  
helped to attend to the chores.  
I spent most of the day making  
a ditch in the field to be plowed  
for oats. Was hot well during the  
day. Pico bothering me very much.  
I attend to all the milking in the  
evening and gave four calves  
their attention and stripped to  
four fresh cows beside milking  
three others. Was quite tired at  
night.

Wea. wet. SATURDAY 14 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at Mr. D. Haulin's at usual  
time and helped with the milking  
and other chores. Ford and Robt  
Boyle spent part of the day plowing  
and I cleaned out the henhouses.  
In the afternoon when the rain  
drove them in from the plow we  
went into the blacksmith shop where  
Ford mended some chains and a lock  
over and Robt and I put clips on traces.  
My toe very sore with corn compelled me to  
walk in overshoe on my way home.

Cloudy  
Wea. SUN. APRIL 15, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about seven o'clock with a  
to sore that I concluded that  
I could not well attend church. Found  
my corn had healed. Spent the  
day at home reading. Felt quite  
nervous weak. Young folks attended  
church. Ed and I attended the  
Childrens day service at Mt. Washington  
at night and Grace and Alice  
attended at the M. E. Church on  
Squares lights. Rained some  
in the evening.

Wea. fair MONDAY 16 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home about half past  
four o'clock and took breakfast  
with Ed and his mother. Tried to  
mend the handle of a table but  
gave it up. Rode out from Opin-  
wall with Willis Boyle in truck  
wagon. Helped to water the  
cattle at noon, hark out to the  
mail box and spent the remainder of  
afternoon digging ditch. Had wear a  
shoe with hole cut over corn.

Heavy frost. Freeze  
Wea. <sup>Very fair</sup> TUES. APRIL 17, 1906 Ther.

M. & Haulin's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Arose at usual time and did chore.  
Learned by the morning that Ford  
had sold his black mare, Jess and I  
helped him flow two rounds using  
the sword. Three year old she went so  
well that I was not needed, and  
spent my time making ditch  
in the oats field. Frank Slater  
was with us for dinner and  
took Jess away with him leaving  
an exceedingly poor black mare in place.

Warm  
Wea. <sup>fair</sup> WEDNESDAY 18 Ther.

M. & Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at usual time and assisted  
with the chore. Took Mrs Slater  
in buggy to Sharpsburg sent some  
eggs by express to Frank Seibert.  
Gathered some water creep for  
greens as I came home. Spent  
most of afternoon digging out  
a stump. Took a cleaning  
away from a cow. Read some  
in the Gazette of night. Got  
better than Communism today.

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> THUR. APRIL 19, 1906 Ther.

M. & Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Usual chore before breakfast.  
Ford and Robt. Boyle spent  
most of the day plowing, each  
had a colt in team and did not  
rush them. Spent some time helping  
me to take out stumps and they  
rolled them off the plowed ground  
after supper and I attended to  
the milking. Will's Boyle came  
in the evening to get Ford to go  
and see one of their cows taken sick.

Wea. <sup>Cloudy</sup> FRIDAY 20 Ther.

M. & Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
When went to stable in the morning  
found Robt Boyle's mare had a colt  
and doing well. They plowed part of  
the garden in forenoon and planted  
some stuff. Helped Lizzie to set  
out her dahlia. Filled up some  
holes where stumps were taken  
out and in the afternoon  
we put some stone in ditch.  
I attended to the milking in the  
evening. Five calves sucking the cows.

Wea. Fair SAT. APRIL 21, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at M. D. Hanlin's about usual  
time and did usual chores before  
breakfast. Ford away during forenoon  
with old team one horse borrowed from Grop-  
man, Robt. Boyle and I spent forenoon  
plowing with two colts. Robt. and Ford  
plowed in afternoon and I filled  
in ditch. Got through at Saffertown  
and walked to Cassinwall. Got  
home about nine o'clock almost  
exhausted. Looks all well. Rec'd a  
letter from Mrs. J. Brierly Buckburg Miss.

Wea. partly fair SUNDAY 22 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at six and took a good bath.  
Fannie Thorley with us for breakfast.  
Attended at Mt. Washington Church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
St. John 4:32. Could not keep awake.  
Mary Thorley came home with us for dinner.  
And went with Alice to Sabbath School.  
Our young folks attended church  
at night and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
concerning the San Francisco disaster.  
Helen and I remained at home.  
Snowed some in evening.

Wea. Cloudy <sup>Cold Snow</sup> MON. APRIL 23, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at home a little after five  
O'clock and ate breakfast with Call  
and Helen. Stopped at P.O. and  
sent one dollar for Wesleyan Methodist.  
Walked out from Cassinwall after  
feeding cattle at noon. Robt.  
Boyle and I spent the afternoon  
scattering manure in the orchard.  
Ford away all afternoon. Weather  
quite cold and snow flying in  
the air. Felt weary at night  
and somewhat stiff with rheumatism.

Wea. Fair TUESDAY 24 <sup>Cool & Clear</sup> Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Usual morning chores. Found ice on  
water, thick as window glass.  
Helped to start away five cows and  
calves which Ford sold in the  
morning all to one man for \$200.  
Spent part of the day trimming  
briers around the field being  
plowed for oats. Fed the  
milking and attended to the  
cattle in the evening while Ford  
and Robt. Boyle were plowing.

Wea. *Cloudy* WED. APRIL 25, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg.  
usual chores in the morning then  
I took a fresh cow and calf to  
Mr. McMorans. Helped Robt. Boyle  
haul some stones off the oats field  
and Ford got started to drilling  
oats in the afternoon. I spent  
most of the afternoon scattering  
manure in the orchard. I atten-  
ded to the cattle after supper,  
milked three cows and did the  
feeding and haying of the whole herd.

Wea. *showery* THURSDAY 26 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about six and attended to  
feeding the cows and milking  
before breakfast. Ford and Robt.  
Boyle succeeded in putting in  
some oats in forenoon but rain  
prevented them from finishing in  
afternoon. Filled some holes in  
ditch gathered some greens cut  
some seed potatoes and attended  
to the cattle again in the even-  
ing sewed on some buttons at night.

Wea. *fair* FRI. APRIL 27, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes after six  
o'clock and attended to milking  
the cows before breakfast. Spent  
part of the forenoon clearing some  
rotten flooring and rubbish from  
about the door of room over the  
spring then cut some potatoes  
and in the afternoon Ford and I  
planted perhaps sixteen or eighteen  
bushels with the planter. 20 rows  
eleven and a piece of one kind - Irish  
Coblers.

Wea. *fair* SATURDAY 28 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at Mr. Haulins about six o'clock  
and helped to do the morning chores.  
Robt. Boyle hitched his mare for the  
first time since she had her calf  
and I helped him haul two loads  
of manure. I scattered some manure  
and help the singletree off the trees  
while Ford was plowing in after-  
noon. Rode with Ford in buggy  
to Sharpsburg at night and  
found folks all well at home.



Morning Shower

Wea.

SUN. APRIL 29, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St - Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at home about half past six  
O'clock and took a good all over  
bath. Attended church at Mt.  
Washington and heard Rev. Carpenter  
preach from Acts 26:19. Met Mrs  
Jimmie Thorley at church and met her  
son Russel going to Mr. Carpenter's car for  
home. Did not feel well in my head during service.  
Some collection for benefit of San Francisco sufferers.  
8:13, 57. Jimmie Thorley and Russel with us in  
afternoon and some there. I went to bed  
at night. ~~Left hope would that others do to you~~

Wea.

fair MONDAY 30

Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home about half past four  
and spaded some in the garden and  
prepared to plant. Walked most of  
the way out from Refusal until wagon  
caught me. Scattered some manure at  
dinner. Got almost through plowing  
the orchard. Helled Robert Boyle  
load some manure and did the  
milking after supper. Suffering  
with sore corns and rheumatism.  
Not able to dam much water.

Wea.

fair TUES. MAY 1, 1906

Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at six. Milked two cows  
before breakfast. He spent  
the forenoon and part of  
afternoon planting sweet corn.  
Ford and I finished plowing  
about the apple trees in the orchard.  
He went to Sharpsburg after supper  
and Robt. Boyle plowed and with  
three horses and I scattered manure.  
We worked as long as we could  
see. My feet were sore and it  
made me very tired.

Wea.

Rain WEDNESDAY 2

Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose a few minutes before six  
and started fire and attended  
to milking before breakfast.  
Repaired some fence that was  
down and got some wet before  
I got to the house. Repaired  
my shoes some and helle Ford  
and Robt. Boyle took a cow and  
calf to Robt. Seibert's. I cut up  
some old boards and trash for  
the furnace to clear it off the yard.

Wea. fair THUR. MAY 3, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hauling near Sharpsburg Pa  
Usual chores in the morning. Fred  
and Ross Boyle spent the day  
plowing and dug a hole beside a  
stone and buried it. I spent fore-  
noon putting wood into cellar and  
cleaning up rough place in yard.  
Helped to bury stone in afternoon  
and attended to the cow in the  
evening. Had quite a tedious time  
bringing Maggie and her calf from the  
lower field. Red cow sick through the day.

Wea. fair FRIDAY 4 Ther.

Mr. D. Hauling near Sharpsburg.  
Arose about the usual time. Started  
fire in the stove and helped with  
morning chores. Day's work was  
varied, spent most of time taking  
out stumps in field where they were  
plowing. Was sent to barn to help  
Harry Boyle to measure up some potatoes  
and get the potato planter out of shed.  
Found one of the steers out on road  
after supper and put him in place before  
doing the milking. One of the dry cows sick.  
I dose quite lame with rheu matism.

Wea. Cloudy SAT. MAY 5, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at Mr. D. Hauling's about usual time  
and attended to usual chores before break-  
fast, then spent the day hauling manure  
putting out Cabbage plants etc. Set about  
seven hundred cabbages in the garden  
and in the afternoon we hauled  
manure in two wagons onto a field  
intended for sweet corn and potatoes.  
I walked to Caspwall and arrived at  
home a little after eight o'clock. Folks all  
well. Young folks at choir practice.  
My feet very sore.

Wea. Cloudy SUNDAY 6 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about half past six o'clock  
and took a good bath. Got Gill to  
pear my sore corns. Mother remained at  
home while the rest of family attended  
church and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
from 1<sup>st</sup> Cor. 13: 13. I felt very sleepy  
in church. Preacher's sermon of address  
not very interesting. Girls went out to  
woods for pickets with Maggie McEldon and  
Mabel Elfleind. I went to church at night  
with young folks and heard Carpenter on  
the power and the gift. Night cool.

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> Cloudy MON. MAY 7, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Arose at home about half past  
four. Spaded some in garden and  
nailed some strips on the fence to  
keep the dogs out, but could not  
repair fence between us and the  
Snodgers property. Was too late  
starting to catch milk wagon and  
I walked out from Ashinwall.  
Scattered manure in afternoon.  
Old mare's leg broken and was  
shot. Ford and I dug hole partly after  
cuffer to bury her in. <sup>Cold Cloudy</sup>

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> Cloudy ~~from~~ TUESDAY 8 Cold rain Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Slept until late. Ford had been sick  
through the night with sick cow and  
he was not up to breakfast with us.  
I did milking. Spent forenoon digging  
pit for dead mare. At noon sick cow  
died and we buried both in one grave.  
I spent most of the afternoon covering  
them up and was tired at night to  
enjoy expected company and ice cream.  
At my cream asked to be opened before  
a company came and went to my room. Robt.  
Boyle & wife, Walter Brown & wife came.

Wea. <sup>Snow fell at different times</sup> Cold WED. MAY 9, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose in the morning that Walter Brown  
and wife and Robt. Boyle and wife were  
all the visitors who came last night  
and ice cream was plentiful. We went  
out in morning to plant potatoes but  
found ground too wet and spent the day  
hauling out manure. Weather so cold  
that we had to wear extra coats. Snow  
fell at different times during day.  
Sizzie told me that Charley their  
old Canary bird (18 yrs old) died last  
night had been in the family 18 yrs.

Wea. <sup>Cold</sup> Cloudy THURSDAY 10 Ground frozen Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at six. Usual chores. Scraped  
up some manure in barn yard.  
Helped Ford to flog about a row of  
apple trees & peach trees in forenoon  
and in afternoon we planted quite  
a large patch of potatoes. Was my  
business to walk along and see that  
the machine was feeding and covering  
properly. Was quite tire some. Kept  
through at Sulphur mine and I started  
to the milking. Two strippers and three  
cows with calves sucking.

*So much work*  
Wea. fair FRI. MAY 11, 1906 Cool Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about usual time and did  
usual chores before breakfast.  
Ford and Robt. Boyle chimed  
three stamps and made a good job  
of it. Ford and I scattered manure  
in forenoon Ford went to town in  
afternoon and Robt. and I harrowed.  
I was too much affected with  
rheumatism to stand very much  
tramping over plowed ground.  
Did not gain any to signiff during  
the day.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 12 warm Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at M. D. Haulin's a little before  
six and did usual chores. Ford was  
called to Mr. Meyers to doctor a sick  
cow. I harrowed part of forenoon then  
helped to plant sweet corn forenoon and  
afternoon. Rained a shower in forenoon.  
I left for home a little after six  
O'clock and walked to Ashtown - very tired.  
Found all well but Grace and she was  
under the doctor's care for liver trouble because  
that Charles had quit his job at Ashtown and  
was about to start a new firm.

*Deummer heat*  
Wea. fine SUN. MAY 13, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about half past six and took  
a bath. Alice and I attended church  
at Mt. Washington and heard Rev.  
Carpenter preach from "The Bible" a pretty  
good sermon but too hurriedly delivered  
and I could not understand more all he  
said. Went to Nixon Theater in afternoon  
with Raymond Janeson and Anna and heard  
John Wooley speak on Prohibition did not  
hear all he said. House well filled.  
Did not attend church at night. Got up late  
after preaching. Parley and Flo were well.

Wea. threatening rain MONDAY 14 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home about 4 O'clock and  
repaired fence between us and Snodgrass.  
Put on some chickens to keep  
the dogs out. Grace still not all to  
go to work. I left for Haulin's about  
half past eight. Talked out from  
Linwall. Scattered some manure  
after noon. Ford planted the orchard  
to Cyrene. Boyle had a sick horse  
and called Ford in to dose him and  
he was away at bedtime.

Evening Shower  
Wea. fair TUES. MAY 15, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes before six  
and attended to usual chores.

Ford plowed and harrowed last  
year's potato patch for corn and  
Robt. Boyle and I spent the day  
hauling stones off the ground.  
We had sowed for corn. About  
five o'clock in the evening a  
rain came up and kept storming  
until after night. Ford went  
to Boyle's to see a sick horse. A cow  
came fresh in the evening.

Wea. fair WEDNESDAY 16 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at six. Usual chores  
did the milking in the evening.  
Ford went to town in forenoon  
with wagon. Robt. Boyle and  
I set out some cabbage plants  
and scattered some manure.  
The Boyle Bros lost a horse with  
paralysis. Two fresh cows taken  
away during the day and two more  
sold. Ford and Robt. planted  
corn in the evening in last year's  
potato patch.

Hot  
Wea. fair THUR. MAY 17, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about six and when I went  
out to milk the cows, found a young calf  
so feeble that I could not suck, and  
seemed to be hanging on a rope improp-  
erly adjusted. But it got better during  
the day and was able for its supper.  
Robt. Boyle and I spent the day  
until supper time hauling stones off  
our corn field and in the evening  
Robt. and Ford planted 4 rows of  
sweet corn working until after  
dark.

Wea. fair FRIDAY 18 <sup>from Shower</sup> Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
When we went to milk in the  
morning found fresh cow having  
symptoms of Milk Fever and Ford  
applied his new remedy injecting or  
pumping air into the udder. She was  
staggering in the morning and  
before night she was seemingly well.  
Robt. Boyle and I spent the day gathering  
and hauling stones off cornfield, still  
about one load left at night. More and  
coll. brought from Pittston plant to pasture.

Wea. fair SAT. MAY 19, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at M. D. Haulins at usual time  
and did usual chores. Spent the forenoon  
gathering stones and roots of the  
cornfield while Ford was away at town.  
In the afternoon Robt. Boyle marked  
out the ground and Ford used the single  
planter and planted. I carried off roots.  
A party of picnickers in the field in the  
evening. Found Grace still quite well  
and under the Doctors Care when  
I came home. Weather quite cool in  
the evening.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 20 Cool Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about seven o'clock and took on  
all over bath. Alice, Gill and I attended  
Church at Mt. Washington and heard Rev.  
Carpenter preach from Gal. 2:20.  
Mrs. Georgeanna Smith was there  
and came home with us for dinner. Steward  
and Fred Haulin, Misses Adams, Campbell  
and McKelvey called in afternoon to see  
Grace who was quite poorly. Gill, Alice  
and I went to church at night and  
heard Carpenter preach from I am the  
bread of life.

Wea. fair MON. MAY 21, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at home about five o'clock  
and staded up some of our  
garden which had docks in it.  
Left home a little after eight  
o'clock. Rode out from top of hill  
above Aspinwall with Willis Boyle  
in milk wagon to near Haulins.  
Spent afternoon scattering manure.  
Robt Boyle finished the job after  
lupper. Wrote a note to Gill  
before I went to bed. Haulin had no  
money to feed.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 22 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose a little before six and did  
usual chores before breakfast. Went  
out to box and pushed a letter to  
Gill. Ford and I spent most of  
forenoon putting spraying pump and  
barrels in order and in afternoon  
we dug post holes preparatory to sowing  
patches of corn. In the evening  
a number of Robt. Boyle's friends gather-  
ed to surprise Robt's wife on her 22<sup>d</sup>  
birthday. I did not attend.

Wea. fair WED. MAY 23, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg  
I rose at usual time and did  
usual chores. We spent most  
of the day putting wires on a  
fence around some corn we  
had planted. In the evening we  
put in a pair of pole bars.  
I had very peculiar feelings  
at night when I understood  
to write in my diary and could not  
get my mind right for some time.  
I think I fell asleep before I wrote.  
Slept well.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 24 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg  
Slept a little later than usual  
but did usual chores before break  
fast. Robt Boyle and got things  
ready and commenced spraying the  
orchard in the forenoon. I planted  
some potatoes and filled up five bushels  
for sale and Ford took them to town.  
We mowed some colts and steers  
across the hollow to pasture. I did  
the pumping for spraying in after-  
noon. 2<sup>nd</sup> horse came from Pittsboro plant

Wea. fair FRI. MAY 25, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg  
I attended to the milking of five  
cows morning and evening and  
Robt Boyle and I spent the day  
spraying the orchard. I did the  
pumping and thought I did too  
much of it for the amount of Tere-  
tory we got over. Pump did not  
seem to be in good order.  
Ford and Lizzy went to Crump  
Campbells at night and left me about  
I retired to my room about nine o'clock  
having locked the door and put the key out.

Wea. partly fair SATURDAY 26 Shower Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
At Mr. D. Haulins I attended to usual  
morning chores and then helped  
during the day to repair some  
barbed wire fence. Rained in the  
evening a little before supper time  
and continued after night. Mr. D. Haulins  
took me to Sharpsburg on my  
way home in the evening and I  
stopped at barbershop on Duquesne  
Heights and got shag hair cut. Found  
folks tolerably well. Grace getting better.

Return on their return

Wea. ~~Cloudy~~ SUN. MAY 27, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Arose at home about seven o'clock  
and took a bath. Till Alice and I  
attended church at Mt. Washington  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
from Rom. 14: 17-18 "Saw Alex. Ho-  
rison who had returned from the South  
appearing badly sunburned."

At night the whole family went  
to church and heard Rev. Carpen-  
ter preach from Phil. 4: 11 "He made  
use of some very crude remarks  
did not feel as though I could vote for  
him."

Wea. ~~Clear~~ MONDAY 28 ~~Clear~~ Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Woke up at half past four  
o'clock. Spent most of forenoon  
repairing old harness and pre-  
paring it to be put on stage with  
cruskeys at meeting of friends out tomorrow  
night. Had to do most of a washing.  
Went home about four o'clock and  
walked out from the wind.

Got my harness through safely. It  
suffered a little too late to feel very  
well at night.

Wea. ~~fair~~ <sup>fine</sup> TUES. MAY 29, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Usual chores before breakfast.  
A little frost visible. Robt. Boyle  
and I spent forenoon repairing wire  
fence and by the afternoon I was  
alone as Robt. was taken to drive  
team to scraper on the road.

Sizzie and Ford went to the  
cemetery in the evening with flowers  
to decorate graves of friends. They got  
back just after I had gone to my room  
and was taking my shoes off. Weather  
fine. Evening quite cool.

Wea. ~~Cloudy~~ WEDNESDAY 30 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
After morning chores were done  
Ford took stage to a neighbor's and  
got 600 tomato plants and we  
set them out before dinner. Robt.  
Boyle marked the ground. Defud  
most of the day, smoothing the  
rows about the tomatoes. Was  
very cloudy all day and rained a  
little but not enough to spoil  
decoratory services very much.  
Could work out of doors all day.



*Cloudy Showery*  
Wea. THUR. MAY 31, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hankins near Sharpsburg  
Got a little later than usual in  
the morning. Did the milking  
as usual before breakfast and  
a churning after breakfast.  
Ford brought home a thousand  
tomato plants and we set  
them out. Then replanted some  
sweet corn that was planted  
on the 1st of the month. I did  
the milking after supper and  
uncovered two rows of corn in the  
orchard where Ford & Bob were cutting.

Wea. *Cloudy* FRI. JUNE 1 Ther.

Mr. D. Hankins near Sharpsburg  
Ground was wet from last  
night's rain and after usual  
chores we went to digging post  
holes to make a fence around  
a field across the road from  
the large mansion. I spent  
part of forenoon finishing a piece  
of wagon fence. In night Ford  
and Lizzie went to Sharpsburg in  
wagon to get some wire. Two  
fresh cows and three calves taken away.

Wea. *fair* SAT. JUNE 2, 1906 Ther.

123 ~~Amouth~~ Plymouth Sh. Pittsburg Pa.  
Usual morning chores at Mr.  
Hankins. White Ford went for  
plants I used the bee killing  
in rows and when he returned  
we set out 1000 plants and  
in the afternoon I replanted  
some sweet corn. Left for home  
15 minutes before seven and walked  
to Aspenwood. Found folks at home  
all well. Will go to Co. doctor.  
Grace's health greatly improved.

Wea. *fair* SUNDAY 3 Ther.

123 Plymouth Sh. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock.  
I was the only one of the family at-  
tending our church. Heard Rev. J.  
C. Carpenter preach from John 10  
14". Election of delegate to Confer-  
ence and instruction of same. Not  
wishing to vote my objection to the  
retention of Rev. Carpenter. I came home  
without talking with members as usual.  
Heard Rev. Carpenter at night from Rom. 6  
14. Vote for Carpenter to return 16 for 8 against  
council absent opposed to make it even.

Wea. fair MON. JUNE 4, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Still got back from Co. Co. about  
four o'clock and left until eight  
then went to work. I got up about  
six and spaded some in the  
garden and left home a little  
before nine o'clock and rode out  
from Ashmirell with Edith Boyle  
on milk wagon. Replanted some  
sweet corn and laid some in  
the tomato patch. Ford and wife  
attended a funeral in the after-  
noon and left away at night.

Wea. Cloudy TUESDAY 5 Showery Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes before six  
and kindled fire. Usual chores before  
breakfast. I treated rain all  
forenoon. I spent forenoon and  
part of afternoon hoeing tomatoes.  
Edith Boyle Ford and I all had  
ones in afternoon but were  
driven in at different times  
by light showers. Heaviest  
shower of day came after  
sunset. My back was bad in  
forenoon but better in evening.

Wea. Wet WED. JUNE 6, 1906 Showery Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about six o'clock and did  
usual chores. Had rained in the night  
and ground too wet for cultivation.  
Ford was from home nearly all day.  
I mended one of his shoes in the  
forenoon and in the afternoon  
Edith Boyle and I set some posts  
for wire fence. Concluded in the  
evening that our boys had made a  
mistake about a corner and we did  
not put the posts in the holes until we  
would get further instructions.

Wea. Showery THURSDAY 7 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual morning chores. Ford and  
Edith Boyle took a fattened calf to the  
butchers and brought home two  
cows, stuffers; then went to  
Hofoken and brought two crippled  
horses from the Filtration Plant to be  
put up there, one of them had a bad  
quitter on left front foot. I spent  
most of the day mowing weeds and grass  
off the dooryard and feeding it to the  
manure pile. Milked six cows in the evening.

Wea. fair FRI. JUNE 8, 1906 Ther.

W.D. Haulins, near Sharpburg Pa  
Arose a few minutes before five o'clock  
and kindled fire. Milked five cows  
before breakfast. Spent most of the day  
hoeing tomatoes and filling in the  
rows between. In the evening I went  
to the hollow and got a number  
of ferns expecting to take some  
of them home with me tomorrow  
evening. Ford and Robert were  
busy cultivating corn and potatoes  
during the day & taking care of bees.

Wea. Showery SATURDAY 9 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Arose at W.D. Haulins at usual  
time and spent forenoon hoeing  
tomatoes. Afternoon very threatening  
for rain but did not amount  
to much. Did not work in after-  
noon only gathered in some wood.  
Walked to Aspinwall on way home  
Carried some ferns and flowers.  
Found folks at home all well.  
Alice and Gill at Rock Point at a  
picnic. Did not get home until  
after we had retired.

Wea. partly fair Shower SUN. JUNE 10, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about six o'clock and took a  
bath. Ford Haulin here & attended church  
with us. Heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
John 21:17 - "liberally fair" sermon. Rained  
about the time we got home. Repaired binding  
of my hymn book. Nettie Dougherty  
visited us in afternoon. Gill attended  
a meeting of Federation of Churches for  
temperance work. Childrens Day ser-  
vices were held in our church in the  
evening but I did not attend. Layford C.  
Melvin with us over night.

Wea. fair MONDAY 11 Ther.

W.D. Haulins near Sharpburg  
Arose at home shortly before five  
and spent some time mowing lawn  
and fixing up props for clothesline.  
Went to drug store and got paper and  
envelopes and sent money to H. Haulin  
of W. Blocher Co. and to Bergetts town  
Enterprise. Ate breakfast with  
Layford Melvin and Helen. Walked  
out to Haulins from Aspinwall. dug around  
apple trees in afternoon. Ford brought home  
three cows and two orphan calves.  
I did the milking. Evening cool.

Electra to decide Consolidation of Pillsbury

Wea. fair TUES. JUNE 12, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at usual time and kindled fire  
in stove. Spent forenoon digging about  
apple trees and afternoon hoeing  
corn and cleaning briars and  
weeds out of it. Helped Robt  
Boyle in the evening with the  
crippled horses. Ford was caring  
for one down and had to help it  
up and one needed bathing on core  
leg which it refused to have done.  
Mr. Campbell brought his Grand Ma home  
Retired about midnight.

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 13 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose a little later than usual  
but was first up and kindled fire  
and did milking and other chores before  
breakfast. Spent the day hoeing  
corn in the clearing and cutting  
out briars and other trash.  
Was cloudy all day and wind  
blew from the east. Crippled  
horses troublesome getting down  
and having to be helped up. Learned  
from daily paper large vote yesterday in  
favor of uniting Pillsbury and Allegheny

Wea. fair Partly Cloudy THUR. JUNE 14, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
After doing up the usual  
morning chores I did a churning  
of butter before I went to the  
Corryville then greased my shoes  
also. Spent most of the day  
hoeing corn and cutting out  
weeds and pulling out briar  
roots. Another horse was  
brought in the evening from  
the Filtration Plant to pasture.  
I felt pretty well during the day,  
but tired at night.

Wea. Cloudy FRIDAY 15 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
After usual morning chores I  
spent the day digging a hole  
and after supper Ford  
helped me to bury a black horse  
which died last night owned  
by Gillespie of the Filtration  
Plant and for which he paid  
\$25.00 this spring. The job was  
well I was able to do during the  
day except to help to bottle milk  
in the evening. Another fresh cow.

Wea. *Cloudy Shower morning.* SAT. JUNE 16, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day at Mr. Haulin's.  
Hood some sweet corn in the morning and then hood the tomatoes which took us until supper time. I rode with Ford in the buggy to Sharpsburg and arrived at home a little after eight o'clock and found people about as well as usual. Found Flo here and learned that Cheley was at work in Coshocton Ohio preparing machinery to make cut logs, at Peggy and Lears.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 17 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock. Young folks and Flo attended church at Mr. Washington M. Church and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Phil. 3: 13-14 "Pursue peace". I attended Sabbath School in the afternoon. Lesson - The transfiguration. Maggie & Helvie came home with me for a stroll with Alice. I attended church again at night with the young folks and heard Rev. Carpenter from St. John 21: 1-22. Better sermon than usual. Both type written. Fannie Sherley

Wea. *streaming rain* MON. JUNE 18, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home a little before six and plaid some in the garden and pulled some weeds. Fannie Sherley and Flo Melvin took breakfast with. I stopped in town and bought a pair of cotton pants on which I found it necessary to resew some of the buttons and the hem. Walked out from Ashwall to Haulin's. Empty'd bin from meat barrel and hood some sweet corn in the afternoon. Ford away. Robt. Bork gathering cherries.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 19 *streaming rain* Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual chores morning and evening and then spent the day hoeing sweet corn. Hood down some ridges in forenoon in front of the Cultivator and then hood the corn after it level things up. Hood two rows in another patch after the milking was done. Ford left home in the evening without telling anyone where he was going. Weather hot.

Showery

Wea. WED. JUNE 20, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Morning was showery and I did a  
churning before. Went to other work.  
Helped to set out about 2000 Cabbage  
plants. Rain in afternoon stopped  
us from hoeing. I saved some on on  
of Fred's shoes and helped to clean  
up and repair the hen house and  
moved the brooder into it and in  
the evening I had quite a job  
getting the young chickens moved  
in to roost. Felt pretty well through  
the day.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 21 <sup>Evening Showery</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Fred helped me do the milking in  
the morning. We spent most of  
the day setting out tomato  
plants among the sweet corn  
where worms had taken it and  
hoeing sweet corn. Corn mostly  
hard to attend because it was  
not properly planted - most of  
it so deeply marked that it could  
not be cultivated without covering  
it. Helped George to put her chicks  
in the coop after doing the milking.

Cloudy

Afternoon Showery

Wea. FRI. JUNE 22, 1906 <sup>with</sup> Ther.

Mr. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Helped to do the milking before  
breakfast. Spent much of day  
gathering roots off cornfield.  
With Bob and Fred spent  
forenoon working small patch  
of corn in last year's potato patch.  
Mr. Gentlemen and his ladies  
spent afternoon picnicing under  
Sugar tree near gate. Older lady  
supposed to be mother of girl rode  
horse back astride and got land  
near in buggy over stones.

Wea. Cloudy SATURDAY 23 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at Mr. D. Hanlin's at usual time  
and helped to do the milking before break-  
fast. Ground being too wet to work in, I  
spent most of the day closing holes about  
the chicken yard to keep young chicks in  
the enclosure and cut a small hole in the  
side of the house and put an old stove door  
on it as an outlet. Carried some ferns  
home with me in the evening. John Deit-  
rich and wife & child visiting at Fordo when I  
left. Found folks all well at home quite  
late getting in.

Wea. fair SUN. JUNE 24, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock and took a bath. Gill, Grace and I attended church at Mt. Washington M. P. Church and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from II Cor. 6: 20 and in the afternoon I attended Sabbath School, the lesson was Quarterly review. Young folks attended church at night but Helen and I remained at home. Weather was fine. Slept well.

• Wea. fair MONDAY 25 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home a little before five o'clock. Cleaned out some ditch above the fence to turn wash off the garden. Left home about half past eight. Rode out from Aspin wall with Willis Boyle in milk wagon. Hord Cabbages in afternoon. Hord away at stockyard. I did the milking in the evening and wrote a letter to Mr. R. Haulin Colorado after night.

Cloudy  
Wea. TUES. JUNE 26, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After doing morning chores I carried a letter to the mail box and spent most of the day hoeing Cabbage and Corn. In the evening I went to the hollow and got two Quaking asp poles and put them in the chicken house for additional roosts for the young chicks. It was cloudy and threatening rain all day and quite warm. Dined from home after supper.

Wea. Mostly fair WEDNESDAY 27 Shower Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After attending to usual morning chores I scraped up the manure in the henhouse preparatory to hauling it out. Did a churning and patted the stock in different fields in forenoon. Three boys came and were picking berry free about the place and at Mr. Kieffer's suggestion I started them. Hord and Robt Boyle away on road. I fastened some wire on fence in afternoon and hord some corn and potatoes. Rained a little in the evening. Hord consulted my

diary of Haulin's on pasture

Wea. *cloudy* THUR. JUNE 28, 1906 Ther.

M. S. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.

In the morning took out ten barrels of chicken manure and spread it on the hills of late sweet corn.

I spent nearly all day hoeing sweet corn and Roth cultivated with the double cultivator. I brought a cow and calf up from the bottom after supper. Some man looking at the cow had his family with him in carriage. Did work to town in the evening and did the milking and other chores.

Wea. *fair* FRIDAY 29 Ther.

M. S. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.

After usual chores I bed about 1400 Cabbage plants in the forenoon and in the afternoon bed corn in the orchard, badly grown up with fall grass. Brought a fresh cow from the lower field in the evening and seeing the warm running water tempted me to a bath and after milking I went to the run and bathed but was a little doubtful about the propriety of it for fear of taking cold.

Wea. *fair* SAT. JUNE 30, 1906 *Thunder Shower* Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

After usual chores in the morning at Haulin's we spent most of the day hoeing corn in the orchard and about the middle of the afternoon a thunder storm drove us in. In the evening I with Lizzie Haulin gathered about a quart of mulberries which I brought home with me. Found the cord of our clock weight broken and made one and as Tell was setting it up the other one broke and when it was made the pendulum rod broke and we could not repair it. Fred Haulin with us over night.

Wea. *fair* SUN. JULY 1 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Attended Communion service at Mr. Washington and heard Rev. Carpenter talk from Gen. 42:1-2 "This do and live!" Fred Haulin with us for breakfast and dinner, and also Nettie Langforty who gave us considerable news from the Country. Tell and our two girls attended church at night. Helen called a short time at Miller's while they were away and I went to bed. Did but very little reading during day.



Wea. fair MON. JULY 2, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose at home about five o'clock  
and ate breakfast with Galbraith.  
Then repaired the pendulum rod  
of the clock, put on the new cord  
I had made and set it up. Left  
home about nine o'clock, walked  
out from Aspinwall and did  
not get to Haulin's until after  
noon, then spent the afternoon  
hoeing corn. Ford away at stock-  
yards afternoon and went to bring a  
cow home at night.

Wea. Showery TUESDAY 3 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
After usual chores Robt. Boyl and I  
went across the hollow and cultivated and  
hoed corn until rain drove us from  
the fields. We then spent some time  
grinding scythe and machine  
knives. Ford left soon after dinner  
and when it quit raining, Mr. Campbell  
brought the manure spreader home  
and after we had put it away we  
hoed corn in the orchard. Ford still  
away at bedtime.

Cloudy Showers  
Wea. WED. JULY 4, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Slept a little later than usual.  
Attended to milking before breakfast  
then did a churning, and spent  
most of the day hoeing corn and  
tomatoes. Ford spent the day  
about home. He cultivated tomatoes  
and in the evening used the hilling  
plow among his early potatoes.  
A small picnic party in the  
bottom near the bridge. Very quiet  
day, but little shooting and not much  
display of fireworks at night.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 5 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Morning chores as usual. Ford and  
Robt. spent the day with the  
horses among the corn and potatoes.  
I was not with them. I hoed corn in  
the orchard nearly all day. After  
I had done the milking in the  
evening I placed a ladder to a  
cherry tree near the chicken house  
and mounted it, a rung broke  
but fortunately the elevation was  
such that I lit on the next rung  
and was not hurt, thank God!

Wea. fair FRI. JULY 6, 1906

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After usual chores I had some corn  
and cut some weeds out of a few rows  
until almost noon, and pulled  
weeds out of the potato rows in after-  
noon. Robt. Boyle ran the double  
cultivator with moldboard shovels  
through the corn in the orchard leaving  
a sharp ridge along the row of corn.  
I thought he would better have  
been in bed. Ridge shaped like roof  
to run water off. Robt & Ford away at  
night.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 7

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent most of the day hoeing corn  
in field across the hollow from  
Hanlin's house. Three of us at work  
there. In the evening I rode in  
buggy with Ford to Sharpsburg  
on my way home. Found Helen  
at home alone. Ed and Alice at  
Choir practice, Grace away at Scott-  
sdale ball game. Mrs. Wragg and  
Lizzie at Sharpsburg. Mrs. Wragg  
remained there over Sunday.

Wea. Cloudy SUN. JULY 8, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Slept until late. Attended church  
at Mt. Washington M. P. Church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter preach from St.  
Mark 13. Cause of 34. Lied to every  
man his work. Alice sang in the  
choir for the first time. Grace  
away attending church with a friend.  
Helen and I spent the afternoon  
at home and did not attend  
church at night. Alice sang again in  
choir and succeeded very well.

Wea. Showery MONDAY 9

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home about half past five  
o'clock and ate breakfast with  
Helen and Calbraith. Left home  
about eight o'clock and stopped at  
Post Office in city and got some  
stamps and mailed some letters &  
a package. Walked out from  
city in wall. Ford commenced cutting  
wheat in forenoon. Rained some  
after dinner and did not take the  
binder out. Hoed corn until supper time.  
I did the mulling. Ford away.

Wea. *Shower* TUES. JULY 10, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg  
About six o'clock in the morning  
was first up and started fire in  
stove before milking; we got out  
the binder and finished  
cutting wheat during the day  
although it rained and detained  
us some. Mrs. Haulin was  
away at Pappetone and brought  
her mother home soon after.  
Was late getting through with  
evening work. Very cloudy & hot.

Wea. *fair* WEDNESDAY 11 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Kindled fire in stove and did milking  
before breakfast; hove corn and  
cabbage until dinner time, and  
hove sweet corn in the after-  
noon alone while Ford was  
plowing potatoes and Robt. Boyle  
was plowing. After doing the  
milking in the evening I hove  
two rows of sweet corn after  
sunset, hurrying to get ready  
to put up hay.

Wea. *fair* THUR. JULY 12, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual morning chores. We spent  
the forenoon hoving corn in the  
new ground and in afternoon put  
carrage on wagon and hauled in  
three loads of hay for the first  
of the season. The gray mare Ford  
was doctoring for the Fuller Plant  
Co. died in the morning and he hauled  
her out after sunset. He moved  
some of the supper and Robt. Boyle  
I brought in a load of hay. Harley  
Boyle helped me to milk and got some

Wea. *fair* FRIDAY 13 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
The sun was up when I got out in the  
morning. Robt. Boyle and I spent most  
of the forenoon burying the old gray  
mare that died yesterday. I hove some  
cabbage in the garden and in the  
afternoon I hove up some hay and  
we put in two loads after supper.  
I did the building. Did not like Robt.  
Boyle's pitching. Large fork falls set on  
edge on the load. Hay rather short  
about evening. Was not very well during  
the day. Bones out of order.

Wea. fair SAT. JULY 14, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent forenoon at Mr. D. Hanlin's  
receiving corn and in the afternoon  
we hauled in two loads of hay.  
I left for home about six o'clock  
stopped at barber shop and got shave  
and hair cut. Found folks as well  
as usual. Nettie Dugherly here sewing.  
Bill Grace and Alice at choir  
practice and we did not get  
to bed until midnight. Expected John  
Dimit but he stopped with Rev. Carpenter.

Wea. Cloudy SUNDAY 15 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven o'clock at home  
and took a good bath. Attended  
Church at Mt. Washington M. S. Church  
and heard Rev. John Dimit preach  
from Luke 9th. Ch. 57. Sermon  
very much preferable to those preached by  
Carpenter. Was much pleased with both his  
manner and matter. Left and he set his face  
steadfastly toward Jerusalem. Much disappointed  
because he did not stay to preach at night.  
Spent afternoon and evening at home.  
Time seemed long and tiresome.

Wea. Rain MON. JULY 16, 1906 Rain Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home a little before six  
did some mending in the yard.  
Stopped at Overhouse and  
Post Office in the morning and  
presented my pension vouchers.  
Rode out from Aspinwall with  
Will's Boyle in milk wagon Ranelson  
us part of the way out. Robt. Boyle and  
I hauled out one load of straw and  
while it was raining we put another load  
on the wagon. Ford poured some in the  
morning then went to town. Robt. buried his

Wea. Rain TUESDAY 17 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Was awakened some time last night  
by a very heavy rain shower and  
it rained plentifully nearly all  
forenoon. Ford and I ground some  
scythes and moved the old  
wagon into the barn where I  
repaired the old wagon ladders for  
hauling grain and hay. In the after-  
noon Robt and I hauled straw out  
of the barn to put about the tomatoes  
took the last load out of the mow after  
supper took a bath at night.

Saturday July 14th

Wet Shower. Afternoon fair

Wea. WED. JULY 18, 1906 Ther.

W. J. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Spent part of forenoon putting  
straw about tomato plants and  
about three o'clock raked up some  
hay and Robt and I hauled more  
load after supper while Ford was  
mowing some. In the forenoon  
I went across the hollow to the  
line fence and repaired some  
broken wire. Crawford Campbell  
turned some cattle in to pasture  
on Ford's field. Weather was good  
for drying hay after noon.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 19 Ther.

W. J. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Attended to usual chores in the  
morning. Spent most of the fore-  
noon putting straw about the  
tomatoes. Robt. mowed some.  
And in the afternoon we put in  
one load of hay and some raking.  
And in the evening we raked  
up some hay that was not very  
well cured and put some of it  
in stooks. I did not collect all  
in the forenoon, but well enough.

Threatening rain

Wea. fair FRI. JULY 20, 1906 Ther.

W. J. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Drove a few minutes after five  
triddled fire in stove and did the  
milking before breakfast. Did a chur-  
ring and put a lock on the wagon,  
and scattered out some hay in  
forenoon and we put four loads  
of hay into the barn in the afternoon  
two of them were not well cured  
and to have the pulleys of the  
hay fork afternoon. I drop the  
hay in another section of the barn.  
I did the milking after sunset.

Wea. Rain SATURDAY 21 fair Ther.

1263 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.  
Morning was wet and perfect for  
harvest. I put some baling wire in  
cracks of fence to keep chickens out of  
tomato patch. Ford took a basket of  
cabbage and his first small basket of  
tomatoes to market. In the after-  
noon we put in two loads of hay  
after we had turned the mowers and  
when I left Ford & Robt were gathering the  
raking. Lizzie sick all day. Got home 9:30  
and found folks all well. Young  
folks at choir practice.

Wea. fair SUN. JULY 22, 1906 ~~show~~ Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at seven and took a good  
bath. Ell. Grace and I attended  
Church and heard Rev Carpenter preach  
from Heb. 4<sup>th</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> a repetition of  
the subject matter of John Dilut's  
sermon of last Sunday. Spent after-  
noon at home. Rained and became  
very much cooler. I attended church  
night and heard Carpenter preach from Acts 14  
15. Did not like his sermon. Discard-  
ing Christian Perfection and preaching too  
much Carpenter.

Wea. fair MONDAY 23 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home about five o'clock  
and mowed some grass and weeds in  
the back yard. rode with Grace on  
the car down into the city. Walked out  
from Aspinwall. Helped to unload some  
hay. Mowed some fence corners. and  
helped to bring in one load of hay  
before supper. I attended to the  
calves and the milking. Fred and Robert  
went with the butcher and took five steers,  
one cow and two calves and Miss  
Mira a labor came with Fred.

Wea. fair TUES. JULY 24, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at 5<sup>th</sup> not feeling well and did  
not feel well all day but helped to  
haul in four loads of wheat and  
two loads of hay. Fred spent the  
forenoon mowing and in the evening  
he raked up what he had mowed.  
I felt very miserable all day  
my stomach out of order. My  
limbs and my head aching. I  
took a little but the wheat  
now at noon. Weather fine cool.

Wea. fair WEDNESDAY 25 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Fred mowed in the forenoon and  
raked after supper. We hauled in  
three loads of wheat and unloaded  
three one load left off over night.  
We hauled in four loads of hay  
and unloaded four one load on  
wagon over night. I felt much  
better during the day but my  
stomach still out of time.  
Miss Laura here. Roped well out  
in the buggy in the evening.

E. S. Naylor died. *Takeshime rain*  
Wea. fair THUR. JULY 26, 1906 *night* Ther.

Mr. Haulin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual morning chores then  
unloaded a load of wheat and a  
load of hay. Hauled in three  
loads of hay during the day and  
Haulin mowed all forenoon and  
after supper. He raked up what  
he had mowed in the forenoon  
but thought it hard to dry away  
to haul. I attended to milking and  
labeled up the road some and  
filled up under a gate to  
keep the chickens from the tomatoes.

Wea. Cloudy FRIDAY 27 *rain hail* Ther.

Mr. Haulin's near Sharpsburg  
Usual morning chores. Spent  
morning putting hinges on gate  
and filling under. Mowed some  
about fruit trees and fence-  
corners. Harvey and Leonard  
Boyle helped us and we threw  
some wet corn cobs before dinner  
and put in six full wagon loads and  
one piece of a load of hay after a worse  
heavy rain and hail storm in the evening.  
I did not go to Sharpsburg in forenoon

Wea. fair SAT. JULY 28, 1906 *Rain* Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
After chores did a churning with  
a churn that was out of repair.  
Cut some grass in fence corners and  
rattored some hay before dinner.  
In the afternoon we hauled in a very  
large load of hay, John Dietrich and Fred  
Haulin helping to put it on and  
put it away in the mow. Miss Mc  
Kevey and Dietrich's baby with us  
for supper. I walked to Ashin  
road and got home before nine o'clock  
Rained at night.

Wea. Stormy SUNDAY 29 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Arose at home about seven o'clock  
and spent the morning getting  
ready for church. Gill, Grace  
and I attended Mt Washington  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
Exodus 14<sup>th</sup> pt of 13<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>. Spent  
the afternoon at home. Wrote a letter  
to P. W. Brierly of Becksburg, W. Va. Attended  
church at Mt Washington with Gill and  
Grace and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
40<sup>th</sup> Psalm, 8<sup>th</sup> verse. Congregation small.

Wea. fair MON. JULY 30, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Arose at home a few minutes before six.  
Mowed some weeds in the yard. Then  
went with one down town and I bought  
myself a suit of clothes for 25<sup>00</sup> which was  
more than I expected to lay out at once.  
Was detained at different places waiting  
for cars and with accidents to track.  
Spent afternoon mowing about apple trees  
and put in two large loads of hay  
after supper one in the barn and the  
other on wagon outside pasture.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 31 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Arose a few minutes after five  
and attended to milking before breakfast.  
We unloaded two loads of hay,  
set up the binder and raked and  
bound some cradled oats until  
dinner time. In afternoon we hauled  
in three full loads of hay and a  
piece of a load of rakinings.  
I had mowed some after supper  
but did not get quite through with  
the job. Benhart's bull causing trouble.

Wea. fair WED. AUG. 1, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Arose at half past five and milked  
fore and did milking before break-  
fast. We unloaded the two wagon  
loads of hay. Robt. finished mowing and  
soon as the oats were dry with four  
horses to the machine they commenced  
cutting and I bound and shocked some  
that had been cradled. Shocked some  
after supper and hauled in one  
load of hay, still another load out  
raked up. Ford's Birth day 37.

Wea. Cloudy THURSDAY 2 Slower Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Unloaded a load of hay after usual  
chores and then brought in the last  
load of hay for the season making 39  
loads in all without any upset or fall off.  
We finished cutting oats about  
three o'clock and put tools away.  
Some harvest, except oats hauling  
and trimming some fence corners.  
I shelled some marrow from wagon-  
shade and Robt. & Ford prepared some  
tomatoes and cabbage to take to market.



Wea. fair FRI. AUG. 3, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Ford got up at three o'clock and  
went to Pittsburg to market with  
Cabbage and tomatoes, and back to  
Sharpsburg in afternoon with a veal  
calf. I repaired a gate hinge and then  
spent nearly all day mowing fence corners  
Had had scythe in forenoon and did  
but little work. Robt. Boyle mowed some  
with the machine and also with a scythe  
I went to the pun in the evening and  
took a bath. Suffering considerably with  
piles.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 4 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day at Mr. D. Hanlin's  
In the morning Robt. Boyle and I  
put a dozen hauled cash up over  
head in henhouse and put the  
road wagon in shelter beside doing  
some grinding then I spent the  
remainder of the day trimming  
fence corners with mowing scythe  
until I was almost done up. Walked  
to Deserwall. Home at nine o'clock  
All well. John McCalmont here in

Wea. fair SUN. AUG. 5, 1906 Ther.

~~123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg~~  
Crossed about seven and took a  
good bath. Gill, Alice and I  
attended Mt. Washington Church  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
from Romans V 3 4 5. Bought  
new suit of clothes and felt very  
comfortable. Spent afternoon at home  
attended Wesleyan Methodist Church  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
1st Tim. 6 9. On wealth and all gotten  
fair. Felt very weak and tired.

Wea. partly cloudy MONDAY 6 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Took breakfast at home with Gill and  
his mother. Rode out from Deserwall  
with Willis Boyle. Waited more than  
half an hour for a man to bring his  
horse to top of hill to be brought out to field  
to pasture but he mistook the place.  
The horse was brought out in afternoon  
Robt. Boyle mowed back with machine  
and I mowed fence corners with scythe.  
Rode away with wagon in the afternoon  
and did not get home until about  
nine o'clock.

Wea. <sup>Showery</sup> TUES. AUG. 7, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Hanlin went to market before  
daylight and got home before noon.  
Robt Boyle dug a hole and buried a  
calf that died yesterday - the property of a  
contractor at Filtration plant. I spent  
most of the forenoon mowing weed  
in fence corners - rain drove me  
in twice. Ford went to cattle market  
in afternoon and did not get home  
until after night and I did not  
learn what he had bought. Still raining  
at bed time.

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 8 Showery Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Attended to usual chores before  
breakfast. Robt Boyle and Ford took  
the road wagon and went to Sharpsburg  
for a small steer which they put in the  
wagon and brought home. I spent  
the day working on the private road  
which was badly washed by the  
recent heavy rains. Did not  
rain very much during the day  
but there were several light showers.  
I felt pretty well during the day.

Wea. <sup>Showery</sup> THUR. AUG. 9, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Awoke half past six and did milking  
before breakfast. Shoveled some  
gravel out of a ditch in the morning  
and spent most of the day cutting  
weeds in pasture field. Robt Boyle  
used mowing machine cutting weeds.  
Weather very unfavorable  
for getting out, dry and ready to  
fall in. Robt and Ford got a  
small load of tomatoes and  
cabbage ready to take to market.

Wea. Cloudy FRIDAY 10 Showery Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Ford went to market before  
daylight. I attended to usual  
chores in the morning beside  
digging some potatoes and getting  
some roasting ears. Gunned some  
wild cherry fruit out of a fence  
row and cut weeds in the pasture  
field. Rain drove me in just  
before supper time and repaired  
a hinge on the barnyard gate. Rained  
again late in the evening.

Wea. Showy SAT. AUG. 11, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St Pittsburg Pa  
Attended to usual chores at  
usual time and with Ford  
and Robt. Boyle spent forenoon  
scraping up manure in barnyard  
and in afternoon I cleaned out  
the hen houses and helped Robt.  
to grind some scythes after the  
rain in the evening. After  
supper I walked to Aspinwall  
found folks at home all well and  
no choir practice at night.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 12 Ther.

123 Plymouth St Pittsburg Pa.  
About four o'clock Charles P.  
Came in on his way to Monongahela  
from Cochocton and took breakfast with  
us and left as we went to church. Grace  
Alice Gill and I attended church and  
heard Rev. Carpenter from Rith 1<sup>st</sup>  
Sub of 15<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> streets and spent  
afternoon at home. Wrote a letter  
to John D. France. Grace, Gill and  
I attended church at Mt Washington and  
Heidi and Alice at Daguene Heights M.C.

Wea. fair MON. AUG. 13, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Took breakfast at home with Bill  
and his mother, mowed some grass  
with sickle, left home about half  
past eight, rode part way out  
for Aspinwall with Will's Boyle  
Scattered out some oats to dry and  
hauled them in in the evening although  
they were not in good case. Ford  
hauled up some cabbage and  
tomatoes preparatory to going to  
market. Did not feel very well  
plus coughing etc. No rain.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 14 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Ford went to market before daylight  
and I attended to the milking, he got  
home about ten o'clock. Robt. Boyle and  
I spent the forenoon scattering out  
oats shocks to dry and also part of  
the afternoon. We hauled in three  
loads. I did not consider the oats  
in good order although it was shelling  
off rapidly. I listened at night  
to Lizzie playing four pieces of music  
from Pentecostal hymns No. 3. Rather fine.

Wea. fair WED. AUG. 15, 1906 Ther.

M. J. Harlin's Near Sharpsburg  
usual morning chores. Unloaded  
a load of oats. Spent most of fore-  
noon picking up potatoes after the  
potato digger and in the afternoon  
Ford and I hid up some oats that  
were spread out to dry and hauled  
in two loads the last of our  
harvesting. At night Geo. Campbell  
came and asked for help to thresh  
on Friday as that would be Fords  
market day I supposed it would fall on  
me to help.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 16 Evening  
Cloudy Ther.

M. J. Harlin's Near Sharpsburg  
I spent the day cutting weeds  
first in the pasture field then  
in the orchard between the  
rows of corn along the apple tree  
rows. Ford and Robt. Boyle  
gathered a load of tomatoes  
to take to market and got the  
new market wagon come from  
the shop. Had two more calls for  
help to thresh tomorrow at Pragers  
and Boyle's. I dreaded going into  
the dew, sickened me last year.

Wea. Show FRI. AUG. 17, 1906 Ther.

M. J. Harlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Ford started to market before  
dusk. I rose at half past five and  
did the usual milking. Commenced  
raining while we were eating break-  
fast. Before rain was over I went  
to Pragers to help thresh. Rain ceased  
early and we finished there before noon.  
Saw Mr. Prager treating his membrane  
quart-bottle supposed to contain whisky.  
Threshed at Boyle's in afternoon and got  
through about half past five. Stopped the  
work very well and did not kill.

Wea. Change SATURDAY 18 Rain Ther.

23 Chrysomto In. Matting Pa.  
After usual chores Robt. Boyle  
went to Mr. Morns to the machine  
shop and I worked among the  
late sweet corn and sowed some  
turnip seed. Took the weeds out of  
Cabbage and unloaded the two  
wagons of oats. Left for home  
about six o'clock amid threatenings  
of a thunderstorm. Folks about as  
well as usual. Grace gone on va-  
cation, letter from her at Harlin Sta

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> SUN. AUG. 19, 1906 Ther.

23 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about five o'clock and took  
a good bath. Gill, Alice and I  
attended church at Mt Washington  
and heard a young man named Mor-  
gan from St John 11. Pleasings of  
Christ's life. Gill wanting me to get  
my photographs taken before reunion.  
Prayer, Helen and I attended  
church with Gill and Alice and  
heard Rev. McConnell preach from  
27<sup>th</sup> Psalm 14 verse a very good sermon  
~~much better than Carpenter usually preaches.~~

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> MONDAY 20 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Helen and I left home about  
half past eight o'clock and went  
to Dabbs Photograph Gallery in City  
and I sat for picture and ordered a  
half dozen. Saw Helen on the car to  
go home. I walked out from skinwall  
being too late to catch milk wagon.  
I spent most of afternoon with  
Lizzie in barn rubbing up potatoes  
to take to market. 2 baskets tomatoes. 8 bush-  
els corn and one basket of apples.

Wea. <sup>Light Shower</sup> <sup>fair</sup> TUES. AUG. 21, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Haulins went to market before daylight  
in the morning. After doing feeding and  
milking Robt Boyle and I took the  
carriage off the wagon and spent the day  
hauling a stone pile off the oats stubble  
where it was to be plowed - a shower of  
rain sent us in just before supper time.  
I went to the box for the mail in the  
evening and received 2 cards and a letter  
from Grace at Coshocton Ohio very interesting  
from a loving daughter. Read over my sketch of  
my army experience at night.

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> WEDNESDAY 22 <sup>partly cloudy</sup> Ther.

Mr. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg.  
Robt Boyle and I spent fore-  
noon hauling stones from pile  
in oats stubble. In afternoon  
I took Mrs Spang in buggy to Sharps-  
burg. Let her out on hill near water  
trough. Spent part of afternoon  
rubbing tomatoes for market.  
Had a load ready at night.  
Thunder clouds raked around in  
the afternoon but no rain for  
us.

Threatened rain  
Wea. THUR. AUG. 23, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Road went to market before daylight and  
in afternoon we gathered another load of  
tomatoes (for Antaup) Robt. Boyle and I had  
a few unpleasant words in the morning  
while loading heavy stone on the wagon  
with a plank and rollers. I put the roller  
under and before I got it straightened to  
the proper course on the board he gave  
the stone a shove which put it off the  
board and nearly under the wagon. He was  
willing to admit it was a mistake but still  
seemed to think it was his fault. We agreed to  
drop the matter.

Wea. FRIDAY 24 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg  
Road went to market with tomatoes in  
the morning before daylight. I changed  
Beauty for Lizzie and she took her  
mother to Campbell's. We spent most  
of the day gathering tomatoes and  
wiping them and gathering corn.  
Did not get our supper until  
after night. Had fifteen baskets of  
corn, about fourteen of tomatoes  
and one of cabbage on the wagon.  
Thundered some in afternoon. I  
walked out to mail box after supper.

Wea. fair SAT. AUG. 25, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Robin went to market in the  
morning and I spent most of  
forenoon hunting for some of Campbell's  
missing cattle in Hanlin's field and failing  
to find them Robt. Boyle searched and I  
plowed until he learned that Campbell's  
had taken them out. I cut some weeds  
in the orchard in afternoon. Walked to  
Carpenter's. Found Charley and John here  
when I came home. My pocketbook still  
missing and concluded it had been lost or  
stolen.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 26 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about six o'clock and took a  
bath. Charles and John here. Helen  
Elliott and I attended Mt. Washington Church  
and heard Dr. Brown preach from 1<sup>st</sup> Tim.  
4<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup>. He had him with us for dinner.  
Place went with others to visit hospital in  
afternoon. Drove away on her vacation  
at Coshocton Ohio. We all attended  
church at night and heard Rev. Beile  
preach from Jude 3<sup>rd</sup> part. a very  
good sermon but voice weak and I  
could not hear it all.

Wea. Rain MON. AUG. 27, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home a little before six  
o'clock. Ate breakfast with Mr. Elady  
and Gill. Stopped at Jo Bell's and had  
hand on patch moved. Some discussion  
with Bell and another man about Sane-  
tification. They did not seem to believe  
in it and advanced some very erroneous  
ideas. I walked out from Sharpsburg in  
rain. Robt and Ford gathered load of  
corn and tomatoes and Buggie and I  
raked tomatoes in the barn. Large load.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 28 Ther.

Ford Haulin started to market before  
daylight. Robt. Boyle drove during  
forenoon Buggie and to Campbell's  
and brought in water pump.  
gathered some onions and in the  
afternoon went and I went to  
Walter's and helped to truck.  
Boyle helped also at Tripman's.  
Haulin washed his new wagon  
and marked some market baskets.  
Weather over, fair and evening quite  
pleasant.

Wea. fair WED. AUG. 29, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After morning chores while Robt  
Boyle and Ford were gathering  
corn and tomatoes in forenoon I  
made some repairs on the private  
road and in the afternoon I helped  
to gather and wife tomatoes. The  
women folks gathered and shelled  
fifty quarts of Alder berries for  
sale. I walked out to the mail-  
box after night. Sick cow still  
down and not able to rise.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 30 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Ford started to market before  
dawn of corn and tomatoes before  
daylight and got some fruit about  
noon. I dug a few onions and  
put them in the corner. Then spent  
the remainder of the day digging  
and shoveling on the road. Robt  
Boyle spent the day plowing.  
Harry Boyle brought the mail in  
the evening when he came for  
milk. Fall pretty well during day.

Wea. fair FRI. AUG. 31, 1906 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After usual chores I spent the forenoon digging a hole and burying a cow which died while I was doing the milking in the morning. Spent the afternoon picking and washing tomatoes. Ate a very hearty supper after night. Read account of Homer L. Castle's nomination of his nomination as Governor at his residence in Pittsburg last night said to be good. Ladies attended and sat on the porch.

Wea. fair SAT. SEPT. 1 Ther.

123 Plymouth Ep. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day on the Hanlin farm gathering up potatoes; Robt. Boyle turned them out for me with the digger and helped me a little in the evening to fix up. I walked to Aspinwall and arrived at home a little after nine o'clock and found Alice and Gill had gone to Washington County and Grace gone to Mt. Washington. The choir practice all well as usual.

Evening Cloudy. Rain

Wea. fair SUN. SEPT. 2, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth Ep. Pittsburg Pa.  
Rose always from O'clock and after Helen had taken bath I took one while she was preparing breakfast. Only Grace at home to sit with us. We attended church at Mt. Washington and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Heb. 13:14 - a very poor attempt at oratory. Spent afternoon at home reading. Grace and I attended church at night and heard Rev. Carpenter from Rom. 12:1. Subject not well handled. Rain storm.

Wea. fair MONDAY 3 Ther.

McD Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home a little before six and spent some time repairing an old fence about the yard. Ate breakfast with Grace and Helen. Gill and Alice being in Washington Co. Rode part of the way out from Aspinwall with Crawford Campbell on lumber wagon. The meekers had left our gate open and a few cattle got out. Spent afternoon washing to maver. Walked out for mail. Rec'd card from Alice picture of child at telephone. Hello Pa Pa. In having a good time.



Coat  
Wea. fair TUES. SEPT. 4, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Haulin started to market before  
daylight. After doing milking  
and other chores I spent some  
time pulling Spanish needles out  
of the chicken lot then spent  
all day gathering up potatoes  
which Robt. Boyle turned out  
with the digger Ford and Robt.  
gathered up the last row in the  
evening. Ford again asked me for a  
date of horse taken in to pasture which

he should have told me by now

Wea. fair WEDNESDAY 5 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Came at M. D. Haulin's a little after  
five o'clock and did the milking.  
Spent most of the day cleaning  
potatoes and in the evening I  
helped Robt. Boyle haul two or three  
loads of stone. About six o'clock  
left and walked to Ashmumby coming  
home to attend Regimental reunion  
at West Middletown. Came down in  
Washington Co. on a visit. Photo taken  
of me recently re-digged. Also an old type of  
publication

Round Head. Regimental Reunion  
Wea. fair THUR. SEPT. 6, 1906 Ther.

John Thompson's Near West Middletown  
Left home about ten o'clock on Robt.  
R. R. Helen, Grace, Ella and I and  
Margaret McKeely from Holey. We were  
taken in Carriage from West Middletown  
to W. Middletown very lengthy procession  
of Roundheads & their families. Good  
intended dinner for entire crowd  
which had gathered for miles around.  
Plenty of music both martial and Regt.  
band. Good addresses. Confederate Gen.  
made one address. We four spent the night  
very pleasantly with family of John Thompson

very comfortable and pleasant

Wea. fair FRIDAY 7 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Grace and Ella Helen and I came at  
John Thompson's Near West Middletown  
and ate breakfast by lamplight and  
were taken in carriage to Robt. station  
for early train. Found splendid opinion  
of Thompson family and their kindly  
entertainment. Formed many new ac-  
quaintances at yesterday's reunion and  
renewed many old ones. Went down  
into city in afternoon and did some  
shopping. Did not feel very well.  
Weather very fair.

Wea. fair SAT. SEPT. 8, 1906 Ther.

1 2 3 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about six. Spent most of day mowing grass off the yard and in the evening gathered a basket of ground cherries. In the afternoon a small boy of eight years fell from a large Oak tree in back lot just above our house and was seriously injured. Nannie Anderson came in afternoon and spent night with us. Thought I felt some symptoms of creeping paralysis.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 9 Ther.

1 2 3 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about six in the morning and took a bath. Nannie Anderson went to Church with Gill. Grace and Alice in Washingtons. We heard Rev. Clow preach in forenoon and at night. He did not tell us where his text was but his sermon at night was very interesting. Advanced the idea that the posterity of Adam before the fall were the angels. Gill and Grace sang duette in forenoon. Gill and Anne Campbell sang for Baptists in noon and afternoon and night.

Wea. fair MON. SEPT. 10, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home about six o'clock and ate breakfast with Helen. Call. Called at Carothers and saw Mary McDonald, Belle & Mitchel. Called at Nan Morrison's and saw Marie Haulin. Nan and Etta walked out from Aspinwall, picked and washed tomatoes in afternoon and helped to load them at night. Old bay horse belonging to Tubertson Plant died afternoon and owner took away the old horse man and his colt.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 11 shower Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's near Sharpsburg  
Haulin started to market before daylight and returned at noon. I helped "Beauty" and Mrs. Wray and Mrs. Haulin drove over to Campbell's and were back at noon. Geo. Campbell was thrown from horse and hurt some. Doing a grave for a dead horse but we did not get time put in it. I helped to pick some tomatoes and they were loaded into the wagon with Cornelia's horse to take to market tomorrow. Rained in the evening.

Wear *Fair* WED. SEPT. 12, 1906 *Thunder Shower* Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose about six and did milking before  
breakfast. Hanlin started to market  
before daylight with Corn, tomatoes and pears  
and got home about noon. I spent most  
of the forenoon covering up a horse that had  
died belonging to the Pullerton Paul Conrad  
to. Gathered some peaches and wiped  
some tomatoes in the afternoon.  
Very heavy electric storm in the evening.  
Had preparing another load to go to market  
tomorrow. The more ripe fruit during the  
day than any day during season and late supper

Wear *Showery* THURSDAY 13 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
I got up and went to market before day-  
light and returned at noon.  
Robt and I gathered tomatoes  
after doing chores. Rain stopped  
at noon in forenoon. Lizzie and I  
wiped the tomatoes in the afternoon  
and they made up a load of tomatoes  
and corn. Heard in afternoon that  
we were to thresh tomorrow afternoon  
and I moved some wood off coal pile at  
night - but little there. Read account  
of yesterday's terrific Electric hail storm

Wear *Fair* FRI. SEPT. 14, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Hanlin went to market before  
daylight and Robt Boyl and I  
spent the forenoon preparing for  
the threshing machine, setting it  
just after dinner and it did not  
come until near sunset. We threshed  
a little. Ate supper after night and  
had some music. Threshers with  
us over night. Had ice cream  
about ten o'clock. I did not far-  
take. Weather quite cool.

Wear *Fair* SATURDAY 15 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at Mr. D. Hanlin's a few minutes  
after five o'clock and did the milking  
before breakfast. Finished threshing  
at noon 2/3 bushels Oats and 3/4  
of wheat. Felt in bed with  
bad cold in afternoon and  
Robt Boyl and I put away  
the chaff and rid up after the  
machine. I walked to Aslin-  
cove all and got home about half  
past eight. Dicks all well  
Young folks all at home.

Wea. fair SUN. SEPT. 16, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St Pittsburg Pa  
Arose at seven and took  
a bath. Grace, Till and I  
attended church at Mr. Wastings  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach  
from St. John 14:27. Spent most  
of afternoon at home. Called at  
Carothers and met Ed's wife from  
California, and Marie and Grace  
Hulvi. At night our whole family  
attended church at the home and  
heard Rev. Richter from 2 Cor 5:19.  
Well pleased to hear Richter again.

Wea. fair MONDAY 17 Ther.

Mr. D Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home about half past five  
ate breakfast with Helen and Till called  
at Carothers to see Ed's wife and babe  
from California. Stopped in City and  
left my teeth with Dentist Bill for  
repairs. Got my weight on a  
machine in City 145 lbs. Rode  
out four miles from Ashmwall  
with Will's Boyle. Picked tomatoes  
most of afternoon and did the  
milk in the evening. Fored  
well had cold.

Wea. fair TUES. SEPT. 18, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St Pittsburg Pa  
On the Bright Ford was quite  
sick and not able to go to market  
and Will Boyle went in his place and  
sent the Doctor out. We gathered  
a load of tomatoes and corn after  
Robt came home a little before noon.  
I had arranged to go home at night  
to be registered as a voter and feared  
not to get, least I should come on hand  
of me. Met Parley and Till at our  
house. Parley went to Cosodon at night.  
I was registered 67 yrs old. Met Till.

Wea. fair WEDNESDAY 19 Ther.

Mr. D Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg. Pa  
Arose at home a little after five and took  
breakfast. Left home before seven  
and met Robt. Boyle on Butler St with the  
market boy. He still had 14 baskets  
of tomatoes unsold, I boarded car  
again and walked out from Refin  
Hall. Picked tomatoes in afternoon.  
Mrs Boyle and two Miss Meyers helping.  
We gathered 45 baskets and Robt  
gathered a basket of corn. Ford  
much better and able to be up and  
about.

*By mostly fair*

Wea. *Wet.* THUR. SEPT. 20, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sheepsburg.  
Arose a few minutes before  
six and did the milking  
while it was still raining.  
Took two extra horses and  
helped Robt. Boyle up the hill with  
a load of tomatoes for the factory.  
I gathered tomatoes most of the  
day and hauled them to the barn  
in the cart where Mrs. Haulin  
wiped most of them. Helped her  
later. Ford and Grace went to the  
city in afternoon.

Wea. *fair* FRIDAY 21 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's near Sheepsburg.  
Arose at usual time and did chores.  
Officer and twelve men from workhouse  
cutting corn for Haulin during the day.  
I helped to tie shocks with a Slav.  
in forenoon and picked tomatoes  
in afternoon with Robt. Boyle and  
his wife. Got a load ready to take  
to the Heines Factory. Robt. notified  
me at bedtime that he wanted me to  
help him with extra team in morning.  
Grace Haulin left in the evening to  
go to Ohio to teach school.

Wea. *fair* SAT. SEPT. 22, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes before four  
o'clock and took a team and helped Robt.  
Boyle up the hill with a load of tomatoes.  
Gathered some apples in forenoon. Spent  
afternoon plowing with M. D. Haulin.  
Got home about half past eight.  
Mourne Fulton with us over night.  
Was much interested in his prayer  
in conducting family worship. My  
was not by any means stereotyped.  
Was very glad of his visit.

Wea. *fair* SUNDAY 23 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Mourne Fulton took breakfast and  
dinner with us and attended church with  
us twice at Mt. Washington and heard  
Rev. Carpenter from Matt 13: 22 and  
from St. John 15: 40 two better sermons than  
he usually preaches. At a church meeting  
at night arrangements were made for inter-  
taining strangers at next Sabbath's re-  
union. Only decorating of the church to  
be with cut flowers. Grace Haulin  
was with us for dinner and started for  
Ohio in the afternoon.

Wea. fair MON. SEPT. 24, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home a little before six  
O'clock and took breakfast as  
usual. Put wire traps in a row  
belonging to Haulin's blind bride.  
Caught up to Willis Boyle on the way  
out from Aspinwall and rode  
with him in wagon. Spent after-  
noon plowing. Robt Boyle  
plowed some in the evening also.  
Women folks visited at C  
Campbells during the day. Weather  
very fine and cool.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 25 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at six. Haulin started  
before daylight to market with  
Tomatoes and Corn and got good  
prices. Had officer and twelve  
men <sup>from work house</sup> gathering up potatoes and  
cutting off Corn. One man helped  
me to grind their cutters. We  
gathered a load of tomatoes, Corn  
and Cabbage in afternoon. This  
piece of timber fall on my hand  
and knocked off large patches of skin

Wea. fair WED. SEPT. 26, 1906 Ther. Evening Cloudy

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Haulin went to market before day-  
light. I arose about six and did  
usual chores. Robt Boyle and I  
unloaded the wagon that was filled  
with potatoes and took it to the  
patch and filled it again with  
sacks which we filled from piles  
on the ground. In afternoon I gathered  
six baskets green tomatoes. Ford and  
Robt gathered ripe tomatoes, Corn and  
Cabbage. Mrs. Wragg was in bed all  
day not able to get up.

Wea. Cloudy THURSDAY 27 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Haulin started to market before daylight  
and returned about the middle of afternoon  
and went to shop to get Kingbolt of his  
new wagon mended. R. F. and I  
gathered Tomatoes in forenoon and  
part of afternoon. Miss Ida Meyers  
and Lena Boyle helped to wipe  
tomatoes until dark when we got through.  
Sold but small for tomorrow because  
we could not get more ready. Mrs. Wragg  
still sick and in bed.

Wea. fair FRI. SEPT. 28, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpburg  
Rose at six and spent the  
day gathering tomatoes to be  
taken to the factory for packing.  
Ford went to market before  
day's. As usual. In the evening  
Hill's and Leonard Boyle came  
and got Ford's wagon and ladder  
to bring a company of young folks  
from Aspinwall to a corn roast.  
Had trouble getting the ladder  
fit on. Weather fine. Mrs. Wray's

Wea. Cloudy SATURDAY 29 Rain Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.  
Roll Boyle took load of tomatoes  
to factory for Haulin. Haulin helped  
him to take of hill with team. Did  
chores as usual and then spent  
most of the day plowing. Roll Boyle  
helped me in afternoon and we  
finished about four o'clock and did  
the milking before I started home.  
Ford was in afternoon and Roll  
and his wife went to the Exposition  
in Pittsburg in the evening. I walked to  
Aspinwall on my way home.

Wea. Cloudy SUN. SEPT. 30, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about six o'clock and  
took a good bath. We all attended Re-  
union Rally services at Mt. Washington  
M. P. Church and heard Rev. W. Rutter  
preach a splendid sermon from "Ephes 7"  
12 Sabbath School Rally in afternoon very  
interesting and good turnout. Christian Endeavor  
Rally at night, larger audience than in  
day light and exercises very interesting.  
Eunice and family took dinner and tea at  
Rev. C. Carpenter's, Charley and Fido not  
there. All exercises very interesting.

Wea. Cloudy MON. OCT. 1 Rain Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpburg Pa.  
Arose at some about six o'clock and  
breakfasted with Hill and his mother.  
Rayford Melvin took breakfast with the  
girls afterward. He had been at the  
reunion last night and returned to our  
place after seeing his girl home and walked  
out to Haulin's from Aspinwall and  
spent the afternoon gathering and  
sipping tomatoes for market. Rained  
in the evening and was very cool.  
Note of last three days at night.

Afternoon  
Wea. *Cloudy* TUES. OCT. 2, 1906 *Fair* Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Haulin went to market before daylight.  
I attended to usual chores, brought in  
the pony, and hitched to buggy for the  
mistrip to go to Sharpsburg. Cut some  
firwood to take the place of coal  
which we did not have, and soil  
which Mrs. Wray was afraid to  
use. Gathered some green tomatoes  
and in the afternoon harrowed  
some wheat ground while Robt.  
Boyle was distributing lime with  
the drill. Black fence taken away.

Wea. *Cloudy* WEDNESDAY 3 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Attended to usual morning chores.  
Robt. Boyle went to Sharpsburg in  
lime and I gathered green tomatoes  
and Ford gathered ripe ones in forenoon.  
I harrowed a whole in the afternoon  
and Robt. put on some lime with  
the drill. Lizzie helped to wash  
tomatoes in afternoon and load  
was put on the wagon after night.  
Threatened rain during the day  
but did not stop our work.

*Damp*  
Wea. *Cloudy* THUR. OCT. 4, 1906 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
About three o'clock Haulin started to  
Pittsburg to market with tomatoes and  
cabbage. I cut up some old logs for  
firewood and sawed up a small hick  
ory for furnace wood. In the afternoon  
I harrowed some and Robt. Boyle  
distributed some lime with the drill  
although the ground was too wet to  
make well. Ford was away in the after-  
noon and brought home two cows. Weather  
very unfavorable for the last day of the  
Sharpsburg fair.

Wea. *Very fine* FRIDAY 5 Ther.

Mr. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Haulin took a cow and real calf to  
Sharpsburg in the morning and brought  
home a load of coal. I spent most of  
the day gathering tomatoes, Robt. and  
Ford helped in the afternoon and  
Lizzie and Robert's wife helped to  
wash them at night. I attended to  
the milking of six cows. Was mine  
o'clock before we got through and ready  
for bed, then Ford went out for  
the mail. No rain during the day.



Wea. SAT. OCT. 6, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
After a wet day spent on the Haulin' farm  
cleaning stable, mending chum and putting  
hoops on bucket and half bushel measure,  
pecking tomatoes etc. Arrived at home  
about half past eight shaved and went  
to hall and heard Rev. Dr. C. H. Mead  
talk on Prohibition a most entertaining  
speech among other things he told of having  
addressed a large audience in N. Y. State &  
held up a saloon keeper, unknowingly @  
the object of his efforts to save the boss. Saloon  
keeper afterward quit his business as the result.

Wea. <sup>Morning</sup> <sub>wet</sub> SUNDAY 7 <sup>Afternoon</sup> <sub>fair</sub> Ther. <sub>cold</sub>

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at seven Young folks and I  
attended Mt. Washington Church and heard  
Rev. Carpenter talk on work of Spirit.  
Communion service. Congregation small.  
Spent afternoon at home. Intended  
to have gone to Sheridan to hear Rev.  
Dr. Mead but my folks did not like to  
have me go alone so I gave it up. All  
attended church at night and heard  
Rev. Carpenter from 2<sup>nd</sup> Tim. 4<sup>th</sup> vscl. 7  
Fred Haulin with us over night.  
Anna Campbell absented herself from choir.

Wea. fair MON. OCT. 8, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home a little before six and took  
breakfast as usual with Helen and Till.  
Stopped at Court House and had bunch  
for pension filed out and took it to the  
office. Rode out from Sharpsburg  
with Willie Boyd on Milkwagon  
and spent the afternoon gathering  
green tomatoes. Got the cows  
in after night and milked. Read  
some in newspaper before going to  
bed. Weather quite pleasant.

Wea. Wet. TUESDAY 9 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes after six and  
did the milking before breakfast.  
Fred went to Pittsburg with tomatoes  
before daylight and sold five ones for  
one dollar per basket. Did chores in the  
forenoon and gathered up a few apples  
and pears. Put a pair of awls on my  
every day shoes and helped to gather  
in tomatoes in afternoon after it  
quit raining. Was quite cool and  
strong indications of a freeze.

~~first snow. Several squalls during day.~~  
Wea. WED. Oct. 10, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
After usual chores I spent the day picking  
tomatoes, both ripe and green and they were  
stored away in the barn - the large ones  
to ripen and the smaller ones to be sold  
green. Ford and Robt. Boyle assorted a  
load in the afternoon and prepared them  
to be taken to market tomorrow evening.  
I gathered all afternoon alone and  
found the weather uncomfortably cool and  
squalls of snow fell at different times  
whitening the ground. Ice forming on door  
steps at half past eight P.M.

Wea. Cloudy THURSDAY 11 Cold 9. Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg.  
Haulin went to market before  
daylight. Ground covered with snow  
and crust frozen on ground.  
I spent the forenoon doing odd chores.  
Robt. Boyle took a cow and calf  
to John Mierert's and I spent  
some time assorting and picking  
some tomatoes in the stable.  
So much like winter we fear  
they might freeze. He finished  
cutting off corn in the afternoon.

~~Heavy frost. Ground frozen~~  
Wea. fair FRI. Oct. 12, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes after six and did  
usual chores. Ford went to Sharpsburg  
with some chickens, a few green toma-  
toes and some potatoes. He also took a  
horse to Frank Slater. Robt. Boyle and  
I spent most of the day assorting and  
preparing tomatoes and preparing them  
for market. Weather was uncom-  
fortable cold in the barn where we were  
at work although a furnace was  
very comfortable out of doors.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 13 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg B.  
M. D. Haulin went to Pittsburg to market  
before daylight. I did usual chores.  
Helped Robt. Boyle to move the young  
cattle. Cleaned stables and filled up  
some seed wheat in forenoon and  
gathered a few apples. Gathered up  
apples in afternoon for cider. Walked  
to Aspinwall Got home about half  
past eight. Found Helen Till and Alice  
all suffering with colds. Grace away  
at choir practice. Fire broke out on our  
street but was soon extinguished.

Galbraith was offered \$7.50 if he would work  
at battery making today for me & look at Humphill  
but he refused through respect for the sabbath.

Wea. fair SUN. Oct. 14, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about seven o'clock and took  
a good bath. Grace Gill and I  
attended church at Mt. Washington  
and heard Rev. Carpenter from Rom.  
12:15. Harley Johnson took dinner  
with us. Spent afternoon at home.  
All attended church at night  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach his  
second sermon from Rom. 12:1-2  
7 "I have finished my course". Gill and  
Alice could not sing in choir because  
of their colds.

Wea. fair MONDAY 15 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose at home about half past five  
and ate breakfast with Helen and  
Gill. Commenced work with Whitcomb  
and Humphill. I stopped at Joseph  
Pell's in city and paid for repairs of  
my teeth and went to jewellers and  
had hand fastened on watch. Walked  
most of way from Aspinwall. Rode with  
Miner. Rolt Boyle drilling, reaping and  
Ford removing and dragging. I spent the  
afternoon picking up apples for cider.

Wea. fair TUES. Oct. 16, 1906 <sup>Warm</sup> Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg  
Arose at six. Attended to manual chores.  
Ford and I spent forenoon washing  
apples for cider and he took them to  
press in afternoon. Got home after dark.  
I husked four shocks of corn in  
the afternoon for the night. Rolt Boyle  
finished drilling in the wheat.  
Mrs. Hanlin and Mrs. Wray visited  
at Boyle Brothers in the afternoon.  
Elizabeth Vertis called to see Ford but  
he was not at home. Weather warm.

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 17 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose a few minutes after six and  
spent the forenoon cutting and  
breaking up old stubs for firewood  
with which to boil cider. Ford and  
Rolt Boyle assorted some apples  
and tomatoes and loaded the wagon  
for market tomorrow morning and  
picked a few apples in afternoon.  
I hauled out some scrap tomatoes  
and husked a shock of corn in the even-  
ing. Lizzie boiled cider during the day.

Wea. *Cloudy* THUR. OCT. 18, 1906 *Wet* Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpburg.  
Ford went to market before day light  
with apples and tomatoes, both green  
and ripe and in afternoon went  
out to look for cows to buy.  
After usual chores, I carried the  
ashes out of the cellar from the  
heater and Rob and I hauled out  
what was in barrels, I husked  
three shocks of corn and dried up  
some pigs in my shors. Helped to  
pear some apples at night for apple butter.

Wea. *Wet* FRIDAY 19 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpburg.  
The day was wet through and  
unfit for out of doors work. Ford and  
Robt Boyle took a mare to broken  
which Ford had sold. I spent the  
forenoon putting things to rights  
in the potato cellar and carrying  
some apples down from the barn  
floor, and in the afternoon repaired  
the part of the pump and assisted  
some potatoes. Could not make apple  
butter on account of the rain.

Wea. *Fair* SAT. OCT. 20, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at M. D. Hanlin's a few minutes  
after six and after attending to some  
usual chores, spent most of the day  
shoring apple butter and left for  
home in the evening before it had taken  
off. Ford spent the day about the  
farm and whitewashed the stalls in  
the cow stable. I walked to Westwood  
stopped at barbers and got shaved  
and my hair trimmed. Young folks at Expo-  
sition closing. Corwin Barclay with us over  
night.

Wea. *Fair* SUNDAY 21 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at eleven. Corwin Barclay took  
breakfast and dinner with us and attended  
Church with us. Heard Rev Carpenter  
preach from Genesis 12 "2". Corwin  
left for home in afternoon. A very agreeable  
young man learning Pella makes trade.  
Ella and Grace sang a duette at  
Church at night and we had Rev.  
Carpenter preach from 2 Tim. 4:7.  
I have kept the faith. Helen at home  
alone until we came home.

Wea. *fair* MON. OCT. 22, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home a little before six.  
Helen got ready and went out  
with me to Haulin's field to make  
some apple butter. I borrowed a  
kettle and she boiled some cider in  
the afternoon. Mrs Haulin went  
to see Mrs Gros who was very sick.  
Food started about three o'clock  
in the morning to go to Ohio to visit  
his friends and attend some public  
sales. Retired a little after nine  
o'clock. Helen feeling quite tired.

Wea. *fair* TUESDAY 23 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at six and did usual chores.  
Food away in Ohio. Robt Boyle and I getting  
some apples and washed them and he took  
them and got nearly a barrel of cider, made  
and brought home a load of coal. Mended  
the pump handle, cut some wood  
and harnessed the team and hauled a  
load of wood. At night Robt Boyle  
and his wife came over and we  
peared apples until almost seven o'clock  
had a very pleasant time and lunch  
before going to bed.

Wea. *fair* WED. OCT. 24, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at six and attended to milking  
and other chores. Went to Prager's then  
to Boyles and from there to Walters for  
Boyles butter. Helped Helen and  
Sippie Haulin during the day making  
a kettle of apple butter with which we  
got along nicely and got it off about  
sun down. Prepared a card at night  
a note on a photograph of myself  
as a birthday present for Mrs. E.  
Haulin for tomorrow morning.

Wea. *Cloudy* THURSDAY 25 Ther.

*Sippie Haulin's Birthday*  
M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Slept until almost seven o'clock. Food  
away in Ohio and Helen here making  
apple butter. I spent most of the day  
cleaning up after making apple butter.  
Took Prager's butter home. Helen finished  
soiling in some cider and then I cut  
up what wood was left and carried it  
into the cellar for the heater. Put my  
photograph under Sippie's plate in making  
a birthday present for her. This the  
anniversary of Robt Boyle's wedding.

Wea. *Cloudy* FRI. OCT. 26, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.  
Hanlin away in Ohio and did  
not get home as expected. I attended  
to chores as usual and spent  
most of the day husking corn  
though feeling very unwell. In  
the evening, Helen, Lizzie Hanlin  
and I went in buggy to Sharpsburg,  
put up horses in stable and attended  
Lecture in Aspinwall by N. Howard  
Prohibition truth pure and simple  
exceedingly interesting. Got back  
about midnight. Felt better.

Wea. *Wet* SATURDAY 27 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
M. D. Hanlin still away from home.  
Husked two shocks of corn in the  
morning after chores when rain stopped  
me. Helen and I came with Robt  
Boyle to Sharpsburg and thence home.  
Found Alice had gone with other  
friends to attend the funeral of  
John W. Hanlin. She got home at  
night. We learned from Gazette that  
John Crisp's wife was dead. Did not  
hear when she died.

Wea. *Cloudy* SUN. OCT. 28, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Was not feeling well in the morning  
and did not attend church but  
went in afternoon and attended  
the funeral of old Mrs. Dickerson.  
Service conducted by Rev. Righter.  
Attended church at night and  
heard Righter preach from 84<sup>th</sup>  
Psalm ch. 2, verse 1. A blind  
man named Jones was there  
early and met with Intermediate  
Endeavorers. ~~He accompanied him to~~  
~~the head of our St. Erecting Company.~~

Wea. *Fair* MONDAY 29 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home a little after five o'clock,  
and read a verse Bill had prepared to sing  
to the tune of Yankee Doodle at a Temperance  
meeting. On the last of the way out from  
Aspinwall with a colored man whose  
father and mother had been slaves in  
Virginia before the rebellion. I found that  
John a Lizzie were gone to town. I found  
some snow that was blown down and  
then spent the afternoon husking corn  
and helping Robt. Boyle & his men.

Wea. <sup>fair</sup> TUES. OCT. 30, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg

Haulin was absent from home all day and Robt. Pope went in forenoon and brought a cow.

I spent the day wheeling out decaying tomatoes which had been gathered in to paper, and all that were worth saving into four baskets called Chis.

Some friends called in the evening and sat until bed time. Read until almost nine and retired before they left. Evening cold & windy.

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 31 Snow Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Slept until near seven, after being awake for a considerable time in latter part of the night thinking of Christian experience the beginning of Heaven below. Spent the day husking and hauling in corn although it was very cold and windy.

Learned in the morning that A. H. Slater, uncle of Mrs. Lizzie Haulin had died at Cambridge Springs where he and his daughter had gone last Monday for his health. Lizzie went to their home in Sharpsburg. Some day.

Wea. <sup>ground frozen</sup> fair THUR. NOV. 1, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

After morning chores tied some feed sacks and then spent the day husking corn on the opposite side of the hollow from the house.

Lord spent some time in the morning hunting rabbits but did not get any.

Lizzie took her mother to Sharpsburg to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law

A. H. Slater who died at Cambridge Springs on Wednesday morning. Read in the paper at night of Judge Thayer Melvin being stricken with paralysis in Helleburg Court

Wea. <sup>Oct 31</sup> fair FRIDAY 2 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.

Arose at half past five and did the milking before breakfast and then spent the day husking corn. Some hunters were trespassing and Lord ordered them off. One man started the wrong way for the road and persisted in hunting until Lord left his work and went to him and turned his course. Two other men started across the field toward them, and he ordered them to go back to the road which they did and all went away angry but no blows struck. Was alone at night. Flocks all at Slater's.

Wea. fair SAT. NOV. 3, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.

Spent the day at M. D. Hanlin's husking and hauling corn. Ford and his wife attended the funeral of A. H. Sletor in the afternoon and did not get home until dark, I did the milking then changed my clothes by lamp light and Ford brought me to the pike in the buggy. Rode with Grubs to Pleasant Valley. Learned when I got home that Alex Morrison and Lida Jamison were married this morning at six and started to Chattanooga where Alex was going to work.

Wea. fair SUNDAY 4

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Slept until almost seven. Arose and took a bath. Attended church at Mt. Washington and heard Rev. Carpenter from 9<sup>th</sup> Psalm, 1st Cl. 3<sup>d</sup>. Spent afternoon at home and Helen went with me at night to church and heard Rev. Carpenter preach to parents from Mat 4<sup>th</sup> a very good sermon.

Blind Mr. Jones attended all the services and was very much pleased. I went with him home as far as I could his way and was much interested in his company.

Wea. fair MON. NOV. 5, 1906

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.

Arose about six and took breakfast with Helen and Lill. Spent most of the forenoon repairing bedsteads, and then spent the day raking up the leaves off our yard. Pirey's folks wanted tea for bedding for horses and cows. Helped Lill with washing and Lill and I attended Prohibition Meeting at night in Carnegie Hall East End and heard C. W. Steward and Homer S. Castle speak. Castle candidate for Governor. Speeches very interesting.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 6

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg.

Arose at home about six o'clock and took breakfast with Lill and Helen. Called at Millers and at Crothers. Gave some Prohibition literature to Public Waterers. Voted for Homer S. Castle for governor of Pennsylvania. Called at Jackson's store to see about getting a coat fit. Rode out from Ashmwall with Nellie Boyles arranged some cabbage for currying. Ford out and sold 16 quarters of beef.



Wea. fair WED. Nov. 7, 1906

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose about six o'clock and did  
chores. During the day we butchered  
five hogs, heifers, and hung them  
all up in slaughter house ready to  
distribute tomorrow among neighbors.  
Spent the forenoon and  
cut and dressed three poles for  
gambrels for hoisting beams on both  
the crank and rope. The Boyle boys  
brought a load of potatoes and put in  
Ford's barn cellar. Did not get paper at  
night and no election returns.

Wea. fair THURSDAY 8

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at 5:30 and did the  
milking before breakfast.  
We weighed the five beams we  
had dressed yesterday and put  
nineteen quarters into two market  
wagons and Robt. Boyle and Ford  
Hanlin delivered them to the parties  
to whom they were sold. The Boyle  
brothers brought a load of potatoes to the  
cellar and took the 20 quarters of beef. I  
put the clay on the cabbage. My wife  
brought her mother home in the evening.

Wea. Cloudy FRI. Nov. 9, 1906

Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at usual time and did milking  
before breakfast. Spent part of forenoon  
cleaning out barn cellar and spent most  
of day husking corn. Robt. Boyle and Ford  
were both away. Robt. after coal and Ford  
at Sharpsburg. I spent some time at night  
studying the scriptures and hunting out  
passages which speak of Temptation. Some  
passages seem to be contradictory, but I  
conclude that there is a difference between  
Trial and Temptation, and that Trial is often  
meant when Temptation is used.

Wea. fair SATURDAY 10

Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the forenoon at M. D.  
Hanlin's gathering up potatoes and  
hauling in a load of sweet corn  
and fodder and husked corn in  
afternoon. Walked to Appinwell.  
When I got home learned that  
Mr. Hanlin of Hanlin St. was  
buried last Thursday and Aunt  
Elija Hanlin died on Friday and  
funeral to be tomorrow. Folks here  
all pretty well except Colds.

Cloud  
Wea. SUN. Nov. 11, 1906 Gamp Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at 7.30 and Helen and I  
with other Pittsburg friends attended  
the funeral of Aunt Eliza Ann Haulin.  
I went with Filmore Haulin to the home  
of John Stephenson and acted as a pall  
bearer with other nephews. Good turn  
out of neighbors. Address of new pastor  
was good from words "What is your  
life. What I never heard before, he  
prayed for the deceased asking that God would  
deal with her justly, graciously and  
mercifully, claiming that saints were common

Wea. Cold MONDAY 12 Blustery Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home at five o'clock and  
Grace gave me breakfast, Helen being  
away in Washington County. I walked  
out part of the way from Cabin Hill  
expecting to help Robt. Boyle to  
drive a pair of cows but he said he  
did not need me so I rode with  
Willie Boyle. In the afternoon we  
killed a beaver but the weather  
was quite blustery and at night  
the ground was covered with snow.

Blustery Snow  
Wea. TUES. Nov. 13, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Usual chores in the morning, then  
Ford spent most of the day delivering  
the beef we killed yesterday. Robt. Boyle  
went to Sharpsburg and brought  
out four heifers Ford had bought  
yesterday. I spent forenoon feeding,  
cleaning stables, moving fodder corn  
and preparing to shelter more cattle.  
In the afternoon we got the whole  
herd of 26 head started and at night  
Ford and I got the chickens quarantined  
boxed. I did not get a chance to read.

Wea. Cloud WEDNESDAY 14 Cool Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Slept until after six. Spent the day  
doing chores cleaning stables,  
foddering cattle, mending floors etc.  
Helped some with the butchering  
of a small beef in the morning.  
Weather too cold for corn husking.  
Some snow on the ground. Killed  
Ford at night to gather in some of  
his chickens which were roosting out.  
Thought some of visiting Helen in  
Washington Co. but did not know whether  
I could go out there Saturday or not.

Wet Snow.  
Wea. THUR. Nov. 15, 1906 Ther.

M. S. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg  
Arose at six and spent the  
day doing chores as it was unfit  
weather for working out of doors.  
Wet snow falling nearly all day.  
Fred delivered three quarters of  
beef in forenoon. After foddering  
stock we hung a door on page  
way between shade and feed room,  
cleaned stables carried water to  
chickens threw down hay and  
did other little chores. Ross Bode  
assorted potatoes & rid up the cellar.

Wea. Fair FRIDAY 16 Cool Ther.

M. S. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Spent the day doing various  
kinds of work. After morning  
chores I cleaned out a feed room that  
had no floor in it beside cleaning  
cow stable, put a latch on a gate  
and straightened the post up. Fred  
and Ross Bode took a load of potatoes  
to Pleasant Valley sold at 75¢ per  
bushel. I had the chores to attend to  
in the evening alone. Did not get  
any arrangements made concerning my  
anticipated visit to Washington Co.

Wet SAT. Nov. 17, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Attended to usual chores at M. S.  
Hanlin's and about ten o'clock  
left for home after arranging for  
a vacation. Found Helen had returned  
from Washington County. I had concluded  
to go to Hall's Station took a bath and  
got partly dressed then changed my  
mind and repaired the clothes wringer  
and spent the evening reading in  
the New York and the Burgettstown  
Enterprise learned of the death of Judge  
Thayer Melvin

Wea. Wet SUNDAY 18 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.  
Arose about seven o'clock and attended  
church at Mt Washington and heard  
Rev. Carpenter preach from 92 Psalm &  
verse, and again at night from James  
3: 6-7 & 8. None of our folks out in  
morning but me, Nell & Grace out at  
night. Helen and Alice went to M. S. O.  
Blind man Jones out at night and  
I was interested in his company coming  
home. He is well ported in scripture  
and seemed to enjoy services well.

Wea. ~~loot~~ MON. Nov. 19, 1906 Ther.

John Melvins, Harbor Sta Pa  
Took breakfast at home and helped with the  
washing for an hour or two then went to  
Birmingham and waited more than an hour  
for a train, walked down the R.R. from Harbor  
with Thompson Cwp. Found John quite  
poorly and trying to cut some wood. Helped  
him to saw some Susan seeming well  
as usual Spent the night pleasantly  
with them. Heard of the death of  
Saul Spafford Neofor which took place  
more than a month ago I do the  
first part of writing over done of daily record

Wea. ~~loot~~ TUESDAY 20 Ther.

Will Melvins near Eldersville Pa  
Took breakfast and dinner at John's  
Melvins. Cut a little store wood and  
sawed a lot of sheep to assist John in his  
enfeebled condition. Walked from Johns  
to Wills in the evening and found them  
just finishing husking corn and  
all well weather was most remarkably  
warm for this time of year met and talked  
with Jacob Dimick by the way a very  
pleasant meeting. Slept in my old  
place at head of stairs.

Wea. ~~fair~~ WED. Nov. 21, 1906 <sup>Warm</sup> Ther.

Ann Thorleys near Eldersville Pa  
Took breakfast and dinner at Wills  
Melvins. Went to Thorleys box for  
mail. Spent part of afternoon making  
memoranda of dates of family record  
and took a horseback ride to the  
old Creswell Mill and to Bethel  
graveyard. Spent the night very  
pleasantly at Ann Thorleys. John  
and Alma had been at Steuben  
ville and John was suffering with  
head ache Day was rather  
warm evening becoming cooler.

Wea. ~~fine~~ THURSDAY 22 Cool Ther.

Ann Thorleys Eldersville Pa  
Took breakfast at Ann Thorleys  
and spent most of the day in  
the house visiting with my friends  
In the afternoon Sam hitched  
up the buggy and took me  
to Eldersville. Took supper  
with Maggie Jackson and  
then went to Will Thorleys  
where I spent the night. Funeral  
of child postponed for coroners  
inquest child of Faith Cure  
parents did without medical atten

Wea. fair WED. NOV. 23, 1906 Ther.

John Provinces near Hanlin Sta  
Took breakfast at Will Shorty  
Helped to bury a child of Faith  
Cree parents died of acute pneu-  
monia and Criminal neglect of  
parents' decision of Coroners jury  
Took dinner with Mrs Mary Ste-  
Thenson of Hanover Township.  
Looked over the farm we used  
to own but did not feel at home  
Cold reception by present owner.  
Spent night with Provinces'  
Mast John not at home.

Wea. very fair SATURDAY 24 Ther.

Will Melvins Near Eldersville Pa  
Took breakfast at Provinces' where  
I had spent the night very pleasantly,  
then took dinner at Uncle Grant  
Hantins Dairy pleasant visit but  
too short. Walked to Hanlin Sta rode over  
to Will Steenson horseback. He rode  
behind me. Took supper at Steens  
with Vance Dodd & wife. Spent the  
night at Will Melvins. Clyde  
did not get home until after we  
had retired and I did not have  
much visit with him.

Wea. fair SUN. NOV. 25, 1906 Ther.

Will Melvins Near Eldersville Pa  
Attended Sabbath School at Elders-  
ville Worlds Temperance Sunday.  
Heard Rev A Benninger preach from  
Mat 12: 12. How much better  
then is a man than a sheep? He  
preached Prohibition pure & simple.  
Attended Sabbath School at Station and  
had good time. Called at Henry Coopers.  
Will met me and took me to Belhel.  
Heard Benninger from Mat 4: 14  
Special services. No person forward  
Spent night at Will's

Wea. fair MONDAY 26 Ther.

Will Melvins Near Eldersville Pa  
Helped Will to butcher five  
hogs in forenoon and in the  
afternoon we distributed them  
of them to parties in Eldersville.  
Took 1 1/2 to John Melvins.  
Cut it up and cut the  
same up and went home  
before ten o'clock. Met some of  
my old neighbors and had a  
good time. Sympathized with  
Will in his loneliness without a  
wife. John Cosgrove doing good service

Friday

Wea. fair TUES. Nov. 27, 1906 Ther.

John Melvin's near Laurel St.  
Took breakfast at Will Melvin's.  
Will helped Ross M. Cready & butcher his  
legs. I took dinner at Ann Sholly's  
and in afternoon visited the old house  
in which Grand father Jones lived and  
died, called on J. Walker and wife a  
few minutes and also on Miss Margaret  
J. Moore, my old School Teacher, living a  
hermit's life in dish without any living  
company or food about her but a cat. Also  
a little of her own making Malle sugar and  
brought a little home with me. Spent the night

Wea. Mostly WEDNESDAY 28 Snow Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Took breakfast at John Melvin's and  
started homeward on train about 8 O'cl.  
Stopped at Oak Dale and took dinner  
with Ed Weaver's family and Mary Steffler.  
Ed too busy in Meat Shop to come to dine  
with us. Got home before dark. Charley  
and Till went to Laurel Station to go out  
hunting. Flo was with us over night.  
Snow falling most of the day and melting.  
Heard of rober ries on our hill. Our  
girls getting afraid to go out alone or even  
to stay at home alone over night

### National Thanksgiving

Wea. fair THUR. Nov. 29, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose at five intending to go to Mt -  
Washington Presbyterian Church to service before  
meeting but Alice did not go and I remained at  
home and we went to that church at 10-30 and  
heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Psalm 4.  
5-6. Union service. Seven pastors representing  
various churches and house not full. Rev. Carpenter  
and wife ate turkey with us. Florence Melvin  
here also. Charley & Till in Washington Co.  
hunting & ate dinner at Thortley's. Neither shot a  
rabbit, but Till brought home one of Chas' three.  
Spent the evening at home. Grace took dinner

Wea. partly cloudy FRIDAY 30 rain Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose a little after five and spent most  
of forenoon looking up papers of the David  
Thorley estate. Took my best suit to  
the tailors to get it altered some.  
Spent the afternoon closing up a rat  
hole in shed kitchen and repairing  
clothes wringer. Grace got home a  
little before six and reported good time  
yesterday. Till worked overtime and did  
not get home until after nine O'clock

with our family

Wea. *Cloudy* SAT. DEC. 1, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Slept until almost six o'clock  
then ate breakfast with Alice  
and Grace. Spent most of the  
forenoon reading and in the  
afternoon I sewed two buckles  
on a gun case for Fred Hanlin.  
A case Till had borrowed on  
Thanksgiving. Till worked overtime  
at ~~McIntosh~~ Hemphill's and reported  
when he came home a man had hung  
himself at the shop. Weather cloudy.

Wea. *fair* SUNDAY 2 *Colder* Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa  
Arose about six and took a bath.  
Till spent the day at work at the  
shop of Mc Intosh and Hemphill's his  
first Sunday work since he began his trade.  
Heard Rev. Carpenter preach from Mat.  
6:24, and in the evening from  
"Mat. 27" Mt. of 22. Anna Jamison  
took dinner with Mrs. Waud  
Nicholson of Oklahoma and her two  
sons visited us in the evening. Helen  
did not go to church at night.

Wea. *Stormy* MON. DEC. 3, 1906 *Cold* Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg.  
Arose at home at five o'clock and ate  
breakfast with Helen and Till.  
Went with Grace on car to her place  
of business in city. Walked out  
from Cassin wall through wet snow  
falling. Ford at stock yards. Robt.  
helping John Boyle to raise a barn.  
I spent the afternoon attending to  
the stock putting down hay etc.  
and did the milking in the evening.  
Wind very cold freezing hard.

Wea. *fair* TUESDAY 4 *Cold* Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa  
Arose about six o'clock and started  
fires and attended to chores. Ford  
and Robt. Boyle went for some cattle  
Ford had bought and when I got through  
feeding I went to the hay shed and  
helped Mc Campbell and Boyle to break  
some telephone poles. Ford and Robt.  
dressed two hives belonging to Ford  
and Campbell brought a small one  
and dressed it among them. Was  
quite cold all day. Water froze hard in  
the pen house.

Wea. *Cloudy* WED. DEC. 5, 1906 *Over* Ther.

M. S. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Rose at six and milked three cows before  
breakfast. Ford distributed two hogs  
during the day. Robt. Boyle hauled  
telephone poles in the forenoon and Mr.  
Campbell and I finished the job in the  
afternoon as far as could well be done with  
the wagon. I helped Geo. Campbell to  
put on some brackets in the forenoon  
beside doing other chores. Building  
a private line between Campbell's and  
Hanlin's. Rats at general in afternoon  
Rained all afternoon very much.

Wea. *Windy* THURSDAY 6 Ther.

M. S. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Feeling somewhat unwell I found  
it necessary to get out before five  
o'clock. Was not well during the  
day but helped to set poles on the  
telephone line between Campbell's  
and Hanlin's. Hanlin was away all  
day and Robt. was off at noon while  
he attended to the cattle. I took dinner  
at Campbell's. Weather was very  
disagreeable on account of the wind  
raining or snowing at bedtime.

Wea. *Cloudy Cold* FRI. DEC. 7, 1906 *Evening* Ther.

M. S. Hanlin's near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Rose a few minutes before six  
and milked three cows before  
breakfast. Spent most of the day  
helping to set poles on the telephone  
line between Hanlin and Campbell's.  
Mr. Campbell and George took dinner  
with us. Got the last pole set  
after sundown and had good hope of  
getting the wire adjusted tomorrow  
and getting to connecting over it.  
Snowed considerably during day. Found cows

Wea. *Cloudy* SATURDAY 8 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day at M. S. Hanlin's  
doing chores about the barn, putting  
down hay, cleaning floors etc. Hanlin &  
Robt. Boyle were with the Campbells  
putting up wire on telephone. Walked  
to Cassinville in the evening and  
carried four jars of apple butter - a  
very hard walk. When I got home  
met with a great surprise. John  
Melvin and his wife here. John had  
been to see Dr. Schaffer and got medicine  
from him and seemed getting better.



Wea. *Cloudy* SUN. DEC. 9, 1906 *damp* Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
John Melvin and wife took breakfast with us and attended church at Mt. Washington Church and heard Rev. Carpenter from Dec 10 "129". They spent the afternoon and night here. Charley and Flo. Will Steward and his son Andrew called in the afternoon. Mrs Bell Carothers and Mitchel were here also. The young folks did some singing. Alice and Gill went to church at night - rest remained at home.

Wea. *wet* MONDAY 10 Ther.

McDermott's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Took breakfast at home with John Melvin and Susannah C. his wife. Gill and Grace went to work as usual. John and Susan to the office of Mr Stewart, went to Station and got address of Mrs. Gantz of Carnegie for them. Met Elroy Robertson. Saw John & Susan at the train at 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Will Stewart paid their fare to Roslin. Walked out to Melvin's from Roslin road. Telephone just finished John & Grace. On almost constant ice in the evening. Weather very disagreeable.

*Cool & Cloudy*  
Wea. TUES. DEC. 11, 1906 Ther.

McDermott's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Was aroused in the morning at 5 by message over telephone from Campbell. Spent the forenoon butchering two beavers which makes fourteen killed here this fall. In afternoon Fred sold a cow and calf and helped to take them away and we hauled in two loads of sweet corn for feed. After supper we had some conversation over the phone and the Campbells entertained us with the talking machine. Fred read a letter bottom received from Mrs. Spring in Louisiana.

Wea. *fair* WEDNESDAY 12 *Cold* Ther.

McDermott's Near Sharpsburg, Pa.  
Usual chores in the morning. Helped to load two beavers into the wagon and Fred distributed them to parties to whom he had sold them. Ross Boyle went to Sharpsburg for a load of feed and Mrs. Hankins went in buggy to Sharpsburg shopping. I spent some time putting a fastener on a door which did not prove satisfactory, and had considerable trouble getting stiers into their places after watering them.

Partly Cloudy  
Wea. THUR. DEC. 13, 1906 rain Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg. Pa.  
Usual chores attended to and we  
finished husking the corn in the  
orchard, hauled in the corn at one  
end and hauled in two loads of fodder  
Ford went away somewhere in the  
baggy in the evening and was not  
home until after night. The white  
chickens were let out during the day  
and I could not get them all in at night.  
The telephone did not seem to be so busy  
today as formerly. Getting a little used to  
it.

Wea. Cloudy FRIDAY 14 Damp Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Heard Mrs Hanlin answer a call  
of the telephone and arose a few  
minutes after five o'clock and  
found it raining. Ford went to town  
with the wagon took some hides and  
potatoes and brought home some lumber,  
sinner doors used in cars when shipping  
grain barrels. Robt. and I did chores,  
assorting apples, cleaning stables, put a  
latch on a gate etc. Mrs Hanlin went  
with Mrs Campbell to Sharpsburg.

Wea. Wet SAT. DEC. 15, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent most of the day at M. D. Hanlin's  
doing chores attending to stock, putting letch on  
door, throwing down hay etc. Left Hanlin  
about 3-30, walked to Aspinwall carrying  
two jars of apple butter and my dirty clothes  
in a basket. Found Jannette Daugherty here  
sewing and Galbraith gone to Cosocton on  
a visit. Folks all well as usual. Letter  
from John and Susan announced their  
safe arrival home. Letter from Mary Thorley  
announced the finding of red ink book for the  
settlement of David Thorley's estate Good!

Wea. Stormy SUNDAY 16 Snowing part. Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about half past seven and contrary to my  
usual custom decided not to attend church in  
forenoon, expecting to attend Sabbath School, changed  
clothing with that intention but dinner was so late.  
Spent most of day reading and studying Sabbath  
School lessons on the resurrection & Resurrection of  
Christ. Alice attended church at Mt. Washington &  
Sabbath School at M. E. Church. I attended church  
at Mt. Washington at night and heard Rev.  
Carbenter preach from Mark 8: 27. "I'll go  
home from Cosocton in latter part of the night.  
Jannette Daugherty with us over night."

Wea. ~~Smog~~ MON. DEC. 17, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose at home about six o'clock and swept snow before breakfast. Left home about nine o'clock and rode out from Reprim wall with Willes Boyle and Gene Prager in milk wagon. Fod away at stock yards. Robt Boyle and I washed stock cleaned stable etc. I threw down some hay and did the usual feeding and milking in the evening. Wind turned to the North East in the evening and getting colder at night. Heard of Albert Gator's marriage.

Wea. fair TUESDAY 18 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Attended to milking before breakfast as usual then closed some cracks in the shed where a cow was kept and helped Fod and Robt Boyle to dress two heaves making sixteen slaughtered here this fall and winter heid one dressed for L. Campbell. I spent most of the afternoon carrying milk cows. Fod was away looking after cattle and spent some time talking over the telephone after he came home at night.

Wea. fair WED. DEC. 19, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual chores at usual time in the morning. Fod spent the day delivering two hives which were dressed yesterday. And Robt Boyle brought from Sharpsburg seven head of young cattle designed for beef. Two times came out from Sharpsburg and put spouting on the house. They took dinner with us. The younger men very backward and had to be coaxed to get them into the house although he had no lunch with. Read President's message to Congress concerning Panama Canal. ~~Threatning snow at night.~~

Wea. fair THURSDAY 20 <sup>Every cloud</sup> Ther.

M. D. Hanlin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Usual morning chores. Snow on the ground and sufficient for punch out of doors work. I spent most of the day in the stable attending to cattle carrying water to the newly installed, putting down hay carrying straw to the pen house emptying feed into the bins etc. Fod was at home in forenoon but away in the afternoon. Robt Boyle doing some carpenterwork in the shop. Hauled some dung today.

Wea. *Cloudy* FRI. DEC. 21, 1906 *Snow* Ther.

W. & Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Spent most of the day about the  
barn attending to Cattle feeding cleaning  
stables Etc. Put up a permanent ladder  
as a means of ascent into the haymow  
from the feed room and in so doing mended  
my left thumb. Commenced mending  
a pair of shoes for Ford in the evening.  
Ford was absent from home nearly all  
day and Robt. Boyle went in after-  
noon for a load of coal. Threatened rain  
nearly all day but was snowing lively  
at half past nine at night.

Wea. *Snow* SATURDAY 22 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day at Haulins doing chores  
about the stable feeding stock Etc.  
and put a pair of soles and heels on  
a pair of coarse shoes for Ford and  
did not get through until near four  
o'clock. Walked to Reservoir and carried  
with me two jars of apple butter. Found  
Janette Daugherty still here when I  
came home and Helen and Alice still  
suffering with cold. Weather getting colder  
and prospect of a white Christmas.

Wea. *Cold Stormy* SUN. DEC. 23, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Attended Mt. Washington M. Church  
in the morning and heard Rev. Carpenter  
preach from Acts 3: 1-6 "a sermon  
on Christmas giving". In afternoon Gill  
and I went to Mercy Hospital and saw  
Mrs. Cassidy Scott who was there and had  
a tumor removed from her stomach and  
getting along well. Seemed well pleased to  
see us. Attended Church again at night  
and heard Carpenter from Isaiah 42 and  
first clause 4. Mr. M. Kelly invited me to go with  
him next Sabbath eve to North Av. to hear sermon to <sup>celebrate</sup> Veteran.

Wea. *Snow* MONDAY 24 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Spent the day mostly at home  
reading. Called at the Carothers home  
and saw the McConaghy family. The  
little babe was not feeling well and  
cried before I left. Got a bank bill  
changed to get some small bills  
for Christmas presents. At night  
in company with Gill and Grace  
attended Sabbath School Entertainment  
and treat at Mt. Church. An easy chair  
presented to Rev. J. C. Carpenter. Exercises  
very entertaining.

Wea. ~~Snow~~ <sup>Thin day for Christmas</sup> TUES. DEC. 25, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Not having purchased any Christmas presents. I gave each member of our family a one dollar bill and Conette Dauperty a handkerchief and collar. Charles and Flo spent most of the day with us and we had a splendid time. Presents received were very numerous. I got a diary from Geo & Flo. A five dollar bill from Elio and a year's subscription to the Literary Digest from Grace. Several young folks called in the evening and had a good time. Some pictures taken.

Wea. Cloudy WEDNESDAY 26 snow Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Took breakfast at home with Helen and the girls also Miss Connette Dauperty. Walked from home over to the D. Haulins. They had butchered two haves in forenoon and I distributed some of the beef afternoon being the 17" x 8" killed this winter. I spent the afternoon attending to the cattle and chickens and did the milking in the evening. Wrote for three days in my diary at night. Very cold.

Wea. ~~Gloomy~~ <sup>Snow & rain</sup> THUR. DEC. 27, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg.  
After milking & breakfast was over Ford left with a load of beef to distribute and in afternoon went to Blacksmith shop with horses and was away all day. I spent the time among the stock mostly putting in feed and hay etc. Put some hoops on a half bucket measure. Spent the evening reading the Gentle Times of 25 inst. Weather was very unpleasant.

Wea. ~~Drizzle~~ <sup>Fog</sup> FRIDAY 28 Ther.

M. D. Haulins near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Arose a few minutes after six and milked four cows before breakfast. Spent the day busily engaged doing chores about the stable and put some glass and ribboard into a window in the henhouse. Ford was away nearly all day selling beef. Robt Boyle went to Sharpsburg for a load of feed and I found it necessary for me to attend to watering the cattle and doing other chores. Snow soft and somewhat slippery.

fair moist  
Wea. SAT. DEC. 29, 1906 Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg  
Spent most of the day on the farm  
of M. D. Haulin attending to Cattle  
and Chickens Etc. Haulin was away  
all day in the buggy and Robt Boyle  
was away in forenoon after a load  
of coal. I left Haulin at 3-45 and  
walked to Aspinwall. Stopped on Du-  
quesne Heights and got shaved and hair  
cut. Learned when I got home that the  
house in which we have had been told, Jannette  
Daugherty still live. Weather pleasant.

Wea. Cloudy SUNDAY 30 damp. Ther.

123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg Pa.  
Arose about seven O'clock. Alice, Ella  
and I attend at Mt. Washington Church  
and heard Rev. Carpenter preach from  
90 Psalm 12 verse. Spent afternoon at  
home. In the evening went with Robt  
McKelvey to Allegheny to visit Wm. E.  
Church to attend to gathering of the  
S. A. R. and hear a report of their doings  
during the last year. Taps for each death  
Reading of a poem by Miss Scott and  
sermon preached by Rev. Dr. Hodgett.  
Beside some selected music by choir. Miss

variable mostly cloudy  
Wea. MON. DEC. 31, 1906 Ther.

M. D. Haulin's Near Sharpsburg Pa.  
Took breakfast at home with my  
wife, two daughters and Jannette Daugh-  
erty. Did some chores about the house put  
a button on for gate fastening and cut  
some huddling wood. Rode out from  
Aspinwall with Willis Boyle. Spent  
afternoon doing chores and some por-  
tugals. Carried some water, mowed  
some straw throw down some fodder  
and did the evening chores. Had  
thought - some of attending a festival  
at the Boyle School House at night  
but when I was ready to go he  
did not know I had any intention  
of going and neither said anything  
about it and I thought perhaps it  
would be better at home and took  
occasion to post my diary before  
commencing to read. Weather very warm  
in the evening - too much so for comfort.  
Enjoying as much pleasure here as could  
be expected being separated from my family.  
Felt as though I should like to be moved home  
but my health seems so much better on the  
farm. Mrs Haulin playing on the piano,  
and quite entertaining.

NOTES FOR 1907

Memoranda

Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>

ADDRESSES

A beautiful *Lactus* flower on  
M. D. Hanlin's table as ornament,  
Natural bloom.

Week of January, protracted meeting  
not well attended under Rev. Carpen-  
ter's administration at Mt. Washington  
M. P. Church. Closed Friday evening  
(Jan. 12 with one accession Miss Annie  
Campbell) to the church.

Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> M. D. Hanlin hitched his young  
sorel mare in harness first time.  
Worked admirably well.

" 19<sup>th</sup> Fall from wagon into the  
run and was considerably hurt  
but soon had clothing changed.

" 21<sup>st</sup> Weather like spring mercury  
registering 74 $\frac{1}{2}$  above zero.  
Continuing at Jan. 25. Still fine  
on Jan. 27.

" 28<sup>th</sup> Alice and Grace were visiting at Mrs  
Tuckers in Washington Pa.

" 30<sup>th</sup> 31<sup>st</sup> M. D. Hanlin hauled stack of  
straw from farmyard into barn.

" 20 Geo. A. Hanlin died in  
Colorado, Denver, 3800  
Palmer Avenue

Feb. 6

ADDRESSES

Mercury was 8 below zero.

" 7<sup>th</sup> " " " At "

" 8<sup>th</sup> " " " 2 below "

" 11<sup>th</sup> Still quite winter.

" 8 Nathan Hill of Mt. Washington  
M. P. Church died after surgical  
operation performed about the middle  
of Nov. 1905 by which three large stones  
were taken out of his kidney, and  
he was buried from the church  
on the evening of Feb. 11 Galbraith  
S. being one of the pall bearers.

" 15 M. D. Hanlin's black & white feign died.

" 20 Visited at Ann Thorley's and  
spent the night at Will Melvino's "Old Home".

" 21<sup>st</sup> Spent night at Ann Thorley's

" 22<sup>nd</sup> " " " " " "

" 22 Visited Follenbeck and Newbridge at  
Steubenville Ohio.

" 23<sup>rd</sup> Spent night at John Melvino, Hanlin Stn.

" 24<sup>th</sup> Sam Thorley gave home with me.

" 24<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Amy Tucker with us.

" 27 M. D. Hanlin sold Bay mare Maud  
for \$190<sup>00</sup>

March 11<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> Deapest snow of  
the season.

" 20 Left Pittsburg to visit Vicksbury

March 20

MEMORANDA

- In Cincinnati over night  
" 21" In Chattanooga over night  
" 23 Arrived in Pickersburg about  
daylight & secured boarding at  
the residence of T. M. Brierly at  
\$1.50 per day.  
March 24" Pennsylvania soldiers  
Monument dedicated in  
Pickersburg Miss.  
Mar. 27" I returned home from  
Pickersburg, my trip having cost  
but \$11.70

Apr. 1st Communion at Mt. Washington  
M.P. Church. 4 recipients

" 2" I returned to work at  
M. D. Hanlin's after I was at Pickersburg.

" 6 M. D. Hanlin commenced plowing

" 12-13 Mrs Slater visiting at Hanlin's

" 24 Ground frozen so thick as to hinder

" 25 M. D. Hanlin sowed oats.

" 27 " " Planted some potatoes

May 10th " Planted some sweet corn

" 18 " Charley" Mrs. Mego's Cane  
bird died after being in the  
family 18 years.

MEMORANDA

May 9<sup>th</sup> Weather very cold and  
snow fell at different times  
during the day.

" 10 Still cold ground frozen.

" 16 Boyle Bros' horse died of  
Paralysis. Sick since Monday.

" 18 Sordal man and Colt from  
Filtration Plant put on farm  
of M. D. Hanlin to pasture.

" 19 M. D. Hanlin planted field of yellow corn.

" 22 Mrs. Robt. Bodes surprise Birthday party

" 24 " 2 horses rec'd from Filtration Plant

" 24 Commenced spraying Orchard.

" 31 " Planted Sweet Corn plants on set.

June 2. 3 Gill visited in Coshocton Ohio.

" 7 M. D. Hanlin received feed  
cane horses from Filtration Plant  
and commenced feeding a "quitter"

" 25 Wrote a letter to M. D. Hanlin  
concerning George A's interest on bond.

" 29 Took a bath in the pump at Hanlin's

July 8 Alice first sang in choir at

Mt. Washington M. P. Church.

" 9 M. D. Hanlin commenced harvesting

" 10 " " finished cutting wheat

" 11 " " Commenced cutting grass



## MEMORANDA

- July 2<sup>nd</sup> Gray mare died that Ford  
Haulin was doctoring for quillor.
- " 14 Robt. Boyles colt died.
- " 16<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> " Pleasant rain.
- " 18 C. Campbell turned some cattle  
into Mr. D. Haulin's pasture.
- 24 " 25 Hauled in Haulin's wheat 160 bays.
- " 27<sup>th</sup> " Heavy rain & hail storm.
- " 30 Bought fine suit of clothes at  
Jacksons in Pittsburg for 25<sup>00</sup>.
- Aug. 1<sup>st</sup>. Ford Haulin 37<sup>th</sup> " Birth day.
- " 2<sup>nd</sup> " M. D. Haulin finished cutting  
oats. Some harvest except hauling  
in oats and binning some fence corners.
- " 13<sup>th</sup> " Commenced hauling oats in bad  
condition after a week's rain. Some  
people not done cutting oats & hay.
- 15<sup>th</sup> " M. D. Haulin finished hauling oats.
- 17<sup>th</sup> " Threshing done at Camp Campbell's  
& Brayers and Boyle Bros.
- 18<sup>th</sup> " Best my pocket book containing a  
one dollar bill, two tax receipts, a  
receipt for ten dollars guarantee  
money from Philadelphia Gas Co, some  
Postage stamps and some other papers  
of minor importance.

## MEMORANDA

- Sept. 6 Grand Regimental Re-  
union of Round Head Regt.  
at West Middleton.
- " 8<sup>th</sup> " Druggist Kramers boy  
fell from tree in lot just  
below our house and very  
dangerously hurt. Fears enter-  
tained that he might not live.
- " 8<sup>th</sup> " Mrs. Nannie Anderson visited  
us over night.
- " 7<sup>th</sup> " Black horse put on pasture.
- " 10<sup>th</sup> " Bay horse died.
- " 10<sup>th</sup> " Gavel mare and colt taken away.
- " 11<sup>th</sup> " Geo. Campbell's Birth Day. 21<sup>st</sup>  
and threw from his horse in the  
morning and somewhat injured.
- " 15<sup>th</sup> " Ford Haulin trucked 213 bays oats  
and 84 bays wheat.
- " 17<sup>th</sup> " measured 5 ft. 9 3/4 in high and  
weighed 14 1/2 lbs.
- 17<sup>th</sup> " M. D. Haulin sick and under  
the Doctor's care.
- 18<sup>th</sup> " Grace Haulin came to visit at  
Ford Haulin's.
- " 21<sup>st</sup> " Officer & 12 men from workhouse cutting  
corn for M. D. Haulin.
- " 21<sup>st</sup> " Grace Haulin left in evening.

## MEMORANDA

- Sept 26, 27, 28 Mrs. Magg sick a bed.  
 " 28 Corn Road on Boyle's place.  
 " 31 Rally day of Mt. Washington Church.  
 Oct 2 Black horse taken away to sick place.  
 " 4 " Last day of Burgittstown fair, <sup>Boyle's</sup> very much.  
 " 7 Miss Anna Campbell absent  
 herself from Mt. Washington Church School.  
 5 Burgittstown fair continued on account of bad  
 weather during whole time of fair.  
 David Stephen <sup>of Elip</sup> was killed on R.R.  
 near Burgittstown tower <sup>crossing</sup> of 4' in  
 10 feet from season of road right.  
 11 Found white with snow on the morning.  
 " 11 " Mr. D. Haulin finished cutting of corn.  
 " 19 Daughter born to Mary (Caroline) McClelland.  
 " 11 " Bill quit work at Westinghouse Electric.  
 15 " " Commenced work with Mr. D. Haulin & family.  
 " 15 " 16 Ford Haulin sowed his wheat.  
 " 22 to 27 " Helen visited at M. D. Haulin's.  
 " 25 The anniversary of Sizzie Haulin's  
 birth and Robt Boyle's marriage.  
 " 25 " John W. Haulin died.  
 " 25 " Old Mrs. Dickinson died.  
 " 27 Mary E. V. wife of John Cripp died.  
 " 30 " A. W. Slater died at Cambridge Springs.  
 " 31 " Judge Thayer Melvin stricken with paralysis  
 in Wellburg Court.

- Nov. 2 Eliza Morrison and  
 Aida Jamison married at  
 six o'clock A.M. at breakfast  
 and started immediately to Chatta-  
 nooga where he was to work as  
 machinist.  
 Oct 27 " John W. Haulin died.  
 Nov. 6 " John Haulin died.  
 " 9 " Miss Ann Eliza Haulin died.  
 " 9 " Judge Thayer Melvin died.  
 " 19 to 28 inclusive, visited friends  
 in Washington County Pa.  
 Dec. 8 to 10 " John and Emanuel C.  
 Melvin visited us at 123 Plymouth St.  
 the first since we left the farm.  
 " 10 Telephone line completed between  
 M. D. Haulin & Crawford Campbell's.  
 " 15 Fannette Langhart sewing for us  
 closing weeks of 1906.  
 " 29 Learned of the sale of house in which  
 we live 123 Plymouth St. Pittsburg.

Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> Attended a  
service of the G. A. R.  
at North Avenue M. E.  
Church Allegheny and  
heard Rev. Dr. Blodgett  
preach from Acts 13<sup>th</sup> 36<sup>th</sup> 37<sup>th</sup>.