

05/01/11 Monday

Fair warm nice day and the ground is about settled. Herb Thomas left for Montana will work on the 101 Ranch. Dance Grange Hall Sammy and I went. Forty couple fine time. Got another muskrat tonight in my medow trap. Five in all. City of Bangor burned last night loss about 6 million dollars.

05/02/11 Tuesday

Fair and warm. Stopped awhile with Sammy after the dance then came down to the Beech. Dandy did one of his fancy steps and fell down busted both of the shafts, damn him. God am I sleepy. Died Mathew Drinkwater age

05/03/11 Wednesday

Clear and cold. Strong W wind blowing. Came up to Sammy's tonight and we went over to Prof. Brown's to a rehirsal of the new play. The Iron Hand. $6+42=48$, 2 muskrats in my traps tonight, in all

05/04/11 Thursday

Fair and awfull cold. Ground froze solid last night and ice formed in many places over one half inch thick. Got a nice letter from Sammy this afternoon just hope she gets restid up. Father went to the Fish Hatchery in Camden and got 20,000 trout for the Main Stream and 5,000 for L'seller Pond.

05/05/11 Friday

Fair and warm nice day. Came up got Sammy and tonight we went to a big time at the Hill Schoolhouse. Sociable they called it. Kind of a bingr-ill Time for the benifit of the Graveyard.

05/06/11 Saturday

Another find warm day. Sammy came over with me and we went up to Cilleys to a grand ball. Prof. Brown and Bert Adams played but we did have a bully time about thirty couple. \$.75.

05/07/11 Sunday

Buttiful day fair and warm. Startid early fished McCobb Studson and the Main Streams got 6 trout. Emry and Mrs. French up home today. Sammy and I went to a rehirsal at the Grange Hall.

05/08/11 Monday

Very warm but a nice old day. Sammy came down to Jennie McCobb's with me this morning. She is doing some papering thear, doing it for charity for they will never pay her a cent.

05/09/11 Tuesday

Buttiful day fair and warm. Came up home this afternoon went to my trap got a fine big mink. Fished Calderwood Stream got two nice trout. $2+54=56$ Sammy and I went to a band concirt and sociable at the Town House tonight.

05/10/11 Wednesday

Another fine day. Abbie went to Belfast today for Mrs. Busly doing some shopping for her. \$20

05/11/11 Thursday

Fair and warm. Came up home got Sammy she carried me up to David Mahoney's then I went up to the old Jones mill and fished down home. Got three good 'uns. Sammy and I went down to Davies McCobb to a big rehirsal, it didn't amount to a pinch of shit. "Shelah" $3+56=59$

05/12/11 Friday

Very warm yes dumd hot. Came up fished at Slab City, no trout but plenty of black flies. Joe Bushy and all the little Bushys went away to Biddaford. Goulding came to the Beech today. Very sevear thundershower this evening.

05/13/11 Saturday

Another very warm day. Came up to Sammy's went down to the medow took up my traps. Sammy came over with me and we went up to Cilleys to a dance just had one fine time. Have been at Mrs. French's but two nights this week.

05/14/11 Sunday

Buttiful day. Got an early start and went fishing got hell. Walked ten miles to get 8 trout. Big rehirsal at the Grange Hall. The Grange is having the metal ceiling and walls painted and tinted. The artist "Carlson of Rockport, Maine".

05/15/11 Monday

Cool nice day. Carried Sammy home this morning then came down to the Beech. Sent my furs this morning to "Kakas" fur dealer Boston. One mink, seven muskrat one weasel. Came up home this afternoon and plantid a bushal of potatoes. Father been hawling edgings from the mill.

05/16/11 Tuesday

Another fine day. Came up home to do some work but the folks sent me up after Deedy and that finished my working germ. Deedy and I went fishing and we got four. Father sold his veal calf to John Wyler \$13.50. $4+67=71$

05/17/11 Wednesday

Still fair hot and dry no rains for more than two months. Came up home again tonight. Did some grafting tonight allso. Gushee gave me a bunch of strawberry plants that came for Mrs. L.D. Richards and were refused. Deedy and I went to the Grange Hall to a rehirsal tonight.

05/18/11 Thursday

Another fine warm old day. Came up and see Sammy this evening. We just had a foine bit of an evening. This afternoon I have been taking away the stone wall outside of the road.

05/19/11 Friday

Buttiful day fair and very warm. Came up to Sammy's and made a big long visit. We intendid going up the Hills School to one of the big sociable times but it was so late and Davis so we had a big chew chew. [\$220 written over whole entry]

05/20/11 Saturday

Very warm some overcast. Came up to Sammy's, she went over with me and tonight we went to Cilley's to one of thear balls. Fine time nice big crowd Prof Brown, dined the Dramatic Company. Good grub good time.

05/21/11 Sunday

Fair and very very warm. Went fishing way down river got nine fine trout. Sammy and I went down to the Grange Hall to another rehirsal and they did pretty fair this time. Came home from the dance and went right fishing. $9+71=80$

05/22/11 Monday

Buttiful day if one likes a hot one. 130 in the sun 98 in the shade, terriable hot day. Came up home again tonight, brought up load of grain. We have had one buttiful old thundershower this afternoon. 2 bags oats $\$1.25=\2.50 ½ bag mx feed \$.78.

05/23/11 Tuesday

Colder thank the hivens than it was yesterday. We have had two or three showers. I guess the drought has surely broke. Came up home by way of Sammy's and had a fine long talk. Bag corn \$1.35 bag meal \$1.35

05/24/11 Wednesday

Overcast and pretty dum cold. Came up home this afternoon. This afternoon I have been doing the hard kind of labor am taking the stone wall away from the driveway up through the shop. 10

05/25/11 Thursday

Fogg rain showers bum old day. Came up home went fishing got only five fished from the old mill down. Went over to Sammy's tonight but she was away, down to Dave McCobb's to another dum dum rehirsal.

05/26/11 Friday

Fair and cold, wore my fur coat today and was not any too warm. Came up home this afternoon and have been working on my clearing up job. Came up by Sammy's and see her for a little while.

05/27/11 Saturday

Fair and some warmer. Came up home by stoping at the pond and did some target shooting with Sammy's rifle. Went over and see her this evening. Father went out to Hartson Farrows and got his buggy wheels.

05/28/11 Sunday

Buttiful day very warm. Went over to Sammy's, got her, went up to the old Sanford place, got a big bundle of white and purple lilacs and decorated the graves of our

departed. Russ setting front shoes on Tim \$.25.

05/29/11 Monday

Very foine kind of a day. Came up home again tonight, went over and see Sammy. She am feeling some foine. She sent to NY today for a new raincoat.

05/30/11 Tuesday

Just a buttiful day. Sammy Deedy and I went to the Ctr to the decorations. Had our lunch on Willy Mahoney's lawn, ball game this afternoon Appleton trimed the home team to the tune of 14-1.

05/31/11 Wednesday

Buttiful day. And tonight McCobb? McKinneys? dramatic company played the Iron Hand in Freeman's Hall. Commenced to rain and I carried Sammy, Deedy, Horace Miller, Annie Richards and Mrs. Clark up to Mrs. French's and by gar but didn't it rain.

