

(my Aunt Florence) married to Gussie ⁴⁵

The Year of 1935

Jan 1. Came home from a party down at Frank Swain's at half past one. Went to bed and couldn't sleep had to get up and take some thing for my sweat when to bed at four. Got up at half past seven got breakfast it was snowing hard. We were alone all day except Eben came up on his way up with the milk. He fed my hens got one egg. I talked with Ma she had a bad cold. Eva M. called me up. I cut out pieces for my quilt. It had been over. Gene found some things wrong with his car worked on that. We had supper and got the chores done. I sewed up some of my squares and went to sleep in my chair. Gussie was asleep on the couch. I went to bed ten o'clock. It had stopped snowing and the wind began to blow.

Jan 2. Had a good night's sleep up at seven got breakfast did up my work. Gussie went over to Smith's to get something for the car. I dressed up in overalls and Gussie high boots went out and fed my hens got one egg. The wind was blowing a gale. Couldn't get out any

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12 9 P.M.

where no snow plows went by. Talked with Lois and she told me Orlando Fogg had hung him self. We were alone all day except Alfred came in on his way with the milk. Made sixteen squares for my quilt. Gussie fixed his care and shovel some paths worked around the barn had supper at five and did up the chores came in and read a book + I sewed a while + played cards a while went to bed at nine.

Jan 3. Got up at seven had breakfast. He did the chores in the barn fed my horses and went shopping. Got home at 2.30 for dinner. Did the chores. Robert Smith + another fellow came over to grind their axes. Gussie took the horses and took the milk down and got the mail. Went up to Mrs Hersey's on snow shoe and she sent me back a can of cold chickens. We ate supper at half six did in the work. I made ten more squares on my quilt Gussie read his book went to bed at ten.
Talked with Ma, Lois and Katie.

The roads are not open yet.

34th August

34th
9.30

Jan 4
5 below
zero
at 6.00 AM

got up at 7.30 got breakfast and heard the snow plow down the road. Talked with Mrs Hersey. said that Lee Chase froze two toes & his ear worked all night.

The plow got up here about eleven AM. Swain came up from the store with papers, mail and got through for first time since the 31st. Mr Jackson + Robert was over. Clara was in twice. Call up Doris and they were fine. Ralph was frying pancakes. Call up Marion B and she told me she and Pete walked down to Ladies. Wed the road hadnt been broke out and they got in the snow up to their waist. The big plow went by at six P. M. Gussie got his chores done came in and we both read the out books till we went to sleep in our chairs.

zero
at
3.30 P.M.
at six P.M.
in was
5 below

Wrote a letter to Ila and went to bed at nine P. M.

4 below
at
10 P.M.

Jan 5th
5 below
at
6.30 AM

got up at 7.30 had breakfast ready when Gussie came in from the barn. Mrs Smith came over for a while. Ring + Shelina came up and I was starting dinner. Eben + Lawrence came in. Robert Jackson brought over the fox skin and gave me. Had dinner did up my

10 above
at 9.30 AM

My work is done

The store bill was 8.30 only got \$1.70

20 above
at
12:00 M

dishes. Made two mince pies + custard pies + a cake had beans for supper. Talked with Gladys D said she would be up to-morrow. Got ready and went up street Frank C. went with us went into Mick's had some beer Pete was there had a good time. He gave me a dollar went and got Mrs Smith things brought her home got home at 11:30 went to bed feeling good.

15 above
4 P M

10 above
11:30 P M

Jan 6

20 above
at
7:00 A M

Got up at 7:30 had breakfast Gussie got his chores done went down to Ladies took Ed + Marvin and got George. Talked with Gladys D said she would come up. Gussie went and got her + Frank C. Eben and Clara was over. We got dinner we all first had a good time. Went out to the barn after dinner and let out the cows and watched them jump around. came in had lunch. Gussie got the milking done till got ready and went up to Meredith to see Mae + Thos was glad to see us Mae got a nice lunch for us. George + Mr. Meberg was here to look at some cows. We got home from Meredith at 12:30 P M had a nice day took Gladys home. It looked like rain.

40 above
at
12:00 M

45 highest

Jan 7.
35 above
at
6.30 A.M.

47 above
at
11.00 A.M.

50 above
at
12 P.M.

Jan 8.
45 above
at
6.00 a.m.

Got up at 6.30 had breakfast did up my work. Lei came up to help Gussie shovel the snow off the pond to get it ready to cut ice. Call up Katie she said I could ride out to the city with them had dinner did up the work. Henry D came up and got me went up to ma's and Berly was there she cut + curled my hair went up st went and see the Doctor she my heart was all right it was gas went to Nick's had some beer she got a job working for his wife call up Mrs Whitman for her and told to call later went back to ma had supper George got Gussie to take them to Franklin went up to Jack's had some beer then went to Franklin got stuck on the hill going to her house Berly gave me a dress + coat got home at 12 o'clock.

George M. came at 6.15 A.M and woke us up with Pebergs truck and took the stag. Had breakfast did up my work Tee + Mrs Swain came up
~~my work done some work done~~

The
highest
was
65 above

with the evening things I washed out a few things got dinner did up my work. Went out to man for a while came in and cleaned up the back room washed my kitchen floor first time since my operation. heard from Rows all was fine. Had a call from Frank O. eat our supper clean up and went after Gladys D. went up to Laconia. George went to the movies we four went into Nick had some beer. Then went to the Terrace had a swell time. Got George all came home Gladys was sick. Bessie took her home at five A. M. rain hard
Bessie shot off his shot gun at 12.30 P. M.

Jan 9th

Got up at 7:30 had breakfast was raining hard Bessie got his chores done came in and lay on the couch all the forenoon didn't do much. Got a call from Mr Swain to go to Lebanon to see B. & Marfield pig that was for sale saw Mrs Stickeny Bert and Christie went over to Ed Sleepers got home at 6:00 P. M. still raining roads were muddy. Had supper and went to bed at nine.

Jan 10th Got up at 7.00 did up my work Bill S.
 30 above
 most
 all day wanted to get to Wolfers couldn't
 find any one to take them Gussie
 cleaned up the shop and garage. Had
 dinner and did up my work Mrs
 Smith came over wanted Gussie
 to take her to the city he wouldn't
 go. We had supper at 5:30 I made
 twelve square for my quilt they
 all went to bed at eight I sewed
 until 9.30. It had stopped raining
 getting a little colder.

Jan 10th Got up at 7.30 had breakfast sun
 was shining had quite a snow squall
 Gussie went up in the woods and
 haul out some logs. Bill was over
 and gave me some beans wanted
 me to ask Swain if he wanted to
 buy some. Had dinner and had
 just get my work done up when
 Mr. Vachon and his housekeeper came
 in and stayed until the boys came
 home. got one egg today. colder tonight
 had supper picked over my beans & did
 up my work Gussie & George read a

35 above
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 at
 12 noon
 25 below
 at 6:30
 P.M.

while and I made ten more squares for my quilt that make forty eight in all. The logs went to bed and left me went to bed a 9:30.

Jan 12
10 below
at 7:00 AM

Bill
was 38
at 6:19

Got up and had breakfast at 7:30 did up my work. Gussie went over after Bill to saw wood wasn't at home he + George sawed a while run out of gas. Gussie went down to store for some had dinner and Bill came over and they sawed all the after noon Mrs. Swain came up for a while got the chores done had supper. Mrs. Smith came over went up to the city did our shopping which went much Frank went up with us went into Nicks and some Ben came back to Frank went in and he made coffee. Annie was home had a nice time heard Elen said we had a wild party Tuesday night got home about eleven set here and talk a while went to bed at 11:30.

2 below
at 11:00 PM

Jan 13
10 below
per
at 7:00 AM

Got up at eight had breakfast was so cold couldn't stay in the kitchen got breakfast on the big stove about 10:30

George & Berly came over George went over to get some wood for Jueberg at Smiths had to haul it down & help saw it. Heard from Rous and she & Hersey had a fight over moving some of her things. Took George & Berly to Franklin picked up Alice Williams she said she had heard from Ila. went up and saw Sunnie folks they were not at home. went to the store and got some salsis. went up and see Donald D. in his little swing. came home made a stew just heard from Gladys D. said she was coming up to morrow if it stormed. Got the chores done went down to Franklin to get George & Berly. played two hands of cards with her brother & wife it was snowing & blowing hard so came home early a good day.

10 below
zero
at 10:30
P.M.

Jan 14th
zero
at 7:30

Got up and got breakfast it was still snowing Mrs Swain came up with two men to go ice cutting some cold it clear off about ten had some job cleaning of the snow. Got dinner after a while it was so cold in the kitchen.

Waff past some to ...

couldnt do much. The men came up and eat there dinner here. Got my work done made two pies + a cake curled my hair. Bill worked all day Got supper set talking and Jennie called up wanted me to come over to lodge he said he would be after me got my dishes done heard from Eva M. + Gladys had a nice time at lodge stayed with Ma all night went to bed at 12.30.

Jan 15
zero
got
200

Ma called me at seven had my Breakfast and waited for Jennie he brought me home the house was cold George B. was bottling the milk. hurry and got dinner cleaned up the house. Had Mr Adams for dinner. They finish felling the ice house at four P.M. Got supper and did the work heard from Eva M + Gladys D. All of sit down and read after supper until 9.30 fell a asleep in my chair. It was 3 above zero when I went to bed

just
zero
at 4 P.M

Jan 16th

10 above
at 8:00 AM

Got up at seven got breakfast it was so cold couldnt work in the kitchen until most dinner time. Got my clothes ready to soak + washed the first time for most a year. had dinner + Gussie hitched

zero
got 700 AM breakfast on the big stove about 10.36

20 above
at
noon.

up the horses and yarded out two loads of wood. I got my washing all down. Went and fed my hens yet one egg. made biscuits for supper. Got my work done and started to go to Bristol but before we got to Warrusquam burned out both lights. So went up to the city and got a gasket and went to Tavan garage to have the lights fixed. Went from there up to Mae's & Elv's she warm up some smelts and made coffee. had a nice time the radiator caught coming home got home at 11.30. Jenie call me up today

2 below
zero
at 12 P.M.
midnight

Jan 17

5 above
at
8.30 P.M.

Got up at seven thirty warm up beans both George & Susie was cross all day Susie fixed the radiator & but the new gasket on his car. It was so cold couldn't stay in the kitchen. started to snow & blow all stay in the house. Robert Smith

10 above
at
3 P.M.

come over this morning had dinner and had a nap. Robert Vachon came over to use the phone. Susie got the car fixed we had supper (still cold)

5 above
at
9.30 P.M.

got my work done sewed on my quilt until nine then read until half past went to bed.

Jan 18th Got up at seven had breakfast bottled
 5 above milk for the store. Mr Swain came up
 at 7:30 AM the wind blew hard all day made
 7:30 AM a head pudding for dinner. had dinner
 got my work done and went up stairs
 did all three rooms. and washed down
 the back stairs had supper and did
 7:30 PM some ironing Gussie had a sick cow
 went over to Smiths to get some ginger Frank
 came back with him. we sat and read
 till most ten. went to bed had quite a time
 to get to sleep.

Jan 18 5 below
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 5 above
 at 8:00 P.M.
 Ding was
 back all
 day
 over books
 for her

Got up at 7:30 hot breakfast so cold
 in the kitchen couldn't ^{play} out there. Didn't
 get my beans ready until most noon.
 clear and washed my two floors. expect Eva M
 tonight. made two brown Breads. Mr Vacher
 came over to call up about his dogs. Mr
 Swain came up they yoked up the
 two yokes of steers and drove them
 around. had dinner and got my work
 all done. Gussie has gone to Franklin
 to pay on his car and his taking Beely
 + George. Eva + Homer came at eight we sat
 and talked had a nice time Gussie came at
 9:30 brought home a Pint of Town Lard had

5 above
at
11:30

two drinks before going to bed Eva slept with me George & Gussie slept together, went to bed at 11:30

Jan 20

10 above
at 9:00 AM

Got up at 7:30 got breakfast Eva got up at 8:30 we were eating & Homer came down about nine. Gussie & Homer went down to the store got the papers, Eva & I made a veal Pie & I made two cream Pies had a nice dinner eat to much couldn't do any thing after wards Eben came in had some fun with him we popped corn had a lunch Gussie got his chow down at mine we took them home said they had a good time we stopped in to see Frank C. had a nice time Annie was in bed I had one of my bad head aches went right to bed at 11:00

20 above
at
11:00 P.M.

Jan 21

30 above
at 12 noon

32 above
at
7:00 P.M.

Got up at eight got breakfast didn't feel very good didn't do much all day rained all day the snow plow went by Elin Bennett came in & telephone. Got dinner and I put on Gussie boots went out to the barn came in and read the paper Bill Smith come over did up my work and got supper was going down to Frank's but the travel is to bad

30 above
at
9:00 AM

Lee came in after his milk said Bing was better read a book until 9:30 went to bed still raining.

Jan 29
35 above
at 7:30 AM

Got up and got breakfast did up my work didn't do much all day. Got dinner and did up my work. Call up the hospital M. Udved had her nose operated on said she was getting along all right. Had supper and did the work up went down to Ladies Hilma had a bad cold + also the baby. Got home at eleven went to bed.

5 above
at
11 P.M.

Jan 28
15 above
at 7:30 AM

Got breakfast and sit here talking telephone rang Gladys D call up and said she was coming up wanted me to come + meet her got my work done and was getting ready + she walked in. Bill Smith came over + brought us thirty lbs of beans. We had dinner got the work done. George + Mrs. Jeberg came over we got ready and started down to Broadshaw and George gave us a ride to Parsons road. Had + apple down there it started to snow at four thirty and was snowing hard when we came home. Frank C came up with Lee had supper and all went out to the city. The car acted bad went into Necks dead some bars. Came out how it was snowing went down to the Central had something

16 above
at 12 noon

5 above
at 8:00 AM

5 below
at
11:00 P.M.

to eat came out at ten thirty had hard work to back out to the road so much snow we took Gladys home and Frank came home with us had some time coming up through the drifts but made it, still snowing. Came in got fires going and played cards until one A.M. went to bed.

Jan 24
2 below
at 8:30 A.M.

Got up at eight had breakfast and still snowing wind blowing drifting in something awful worst storm this winter. had to stay in the room most all day Bill Smith came over on snowshoes. Didnt do much all day Frank couldnt get home. There wasnt any trains north until 5 P.M. Worst storm in Boston than here. Had a call from Beafyll and she told me that Doris baby was dead (Pena) and that Shelma was going to the hospital to have her tonsils out. Frank went out to the barn with the boys for a while. We had supper and it was cold I didnt go out to do my dishes so played cards until twelve and then Nurse read until one A.M. Then went to bed.

2 below
at
noon

2 below
zero
at 1 P.M.

Jan 25
10 below
at 7 AM

Got up at seven Bill came over to go to work on the ice. Waited for the snow plow was to come up by here in the night. But didn't work. Mr Swain called up and said they were on their way. The hot water tank was frozen and one of the faucet busted. had breakfast and Gussie waited to see the plow come up by got every thing ready to go. We had dinner and still they hadn't got here at 9:30 P.M. they came. Gussie got the horses ready and started Frank went home with him I got my work done and started supper call the hospital said they were getting along good. Mr Swain brought Gussie home had supper heard from Gladys D. sat and read until 9:30 went to bed

5 below
at noon

2 below
at 5 P.M.

zero P.M.
9:30

Jan 26

zero
at
8:00 AM

above
at noon
Bill
6:00
8:00

Got up and got breakfast put up Gussie dinner he work down to Menisquam on the ice did up my work had dinner and Mrs Smith came over and stayed a while. I took a bath and changed my clothes Gussie came home for supper Frank C was with him had supper got ready went up street Bonnie went with us they all had a hair cut I did my trading and waited at Baldie for them. Came home went and got Gladys D got some beer and came home and played cards until two A.M.

- 10 below
at
4 A.M. then we sat and told stories until four A.M.
went to bed.
- Jan 27
5 below
at 8:30 A.M. Got two
eggs
2 above
at
noon
zero
at four
P.M.
9 below
at
11 P.M.
Jan 28
5 below
at
7:30 A.M.
15 above
at
noon
- Got up at 8:00 got breakfast Frank & Gladys D.
help me do up my work we got ready
and took them home stopped at the store
Mae & Elmo came along we went up to
the hospital went & saw ma all well
went & saw Fennie folks there were gone Thelma
was taken from the hospital to there house that
morning. went up and saw Mildred she didn't
know how long she would have to stay. Came
home & Mae & Elmo was here wind was blowing
and it was drifting in. They went home & four
P.M. we got our chores done & went up there
to supper had a nice time it was two below
when we came home. Got home and started
fires stayed up all night Gussie slept on the
couch nice & warm. changed oil in the car mileage
(33300)
- Got breakfast put up Gussie dinner and he
went to work on the ice got my work done
Lee came up with the truck and had to
shovel to the wood pile left his dinner at the
store so I gave him his dinner than I went
to cooking made two pie cake & batch of cookies

10 above
at 10 P.M.

got supper Gussie came home all tired out he his supper and went to sleep on the couch took cold pills. went to bed at 10 P.M.

Jan 29
10 below
at 9:00

got up at 6:30 Got breakfast put up Gussie dinner he worked on the ice was awful cold didnt do much all day Got my work done in afternoon than got my supper ready Gussie got home at six all tired out went to bed early. (Got one egg)

highest
at noon
15 about

Jan 30
5 below
at 7:00 A.M.

Got up at 6:30 put up Gussie dinner was awful cold every thing froze up Gussie gave me money to send telephone bill had just a bench for dinner didnt do much work Went to footloam cellar & found that the sewer pipe had froze & every thing was coming out into the cellar Got my supper and Gussie got home at six fix the water pipe (shut it off) went to bed early.

highest
at noon
15 about

5 below
at 8:00 P.M.

Jan 31
12 below
at 7:10 A.M.

Got up at 7:00 put up G dinner car started hard some cold but warmer than day before pick over some beans to stew. Put my washing to soak did up my work

came home and played cards until two A.M.

25 above
at noon

and wash out my clothes. Mrs Smith call up and wanted Gusnie to take Robert out to the doctors had a bad side made biscuits for supper Gusnie got home at six had his supper + took the Smiths out to the doctors heard from Doris + Gladys D. Gusnie got back at nine brought home half dozen bottles of Beer we sat and drank one each went to bed at ten. Got one egg today

5 below
at 9:30 P.M.

Feb 1
10 below
at 7:30 A.M.

Got up and got breakfast put up Gusnie dinner. did my work had dinner and just got the work done when Gusnie came home finish one the ice at noon got home at 2.30 P.M. Bill brought the horses home we had supper and got the work done up and went down to Belmont and saw Nellie + Uncle Wellie she gave me my table cloth. Got home at 1 P.M. went to bed it was much warmer

35 above
at 2 P.M.

5 above P.M.
at 8:50

Feb 2
5 above

Didn't get up as early had breakfast at 7.30 did my work up didn't feel very good got a picked up dinner just got my table cleaned off and

35 above
at 4:00 AM
store
Bill
6.61
got 39
1008
Pay him
for work
done 10
\$ 11.00
at 11:30 AM

Gladys came in got her some dinner. We did up the work and she made me a slip out of sugar bags did a good job we had supper got work done and all went up street call and got Frank C. did my shopping and than the four of us went into the Crystal and had a lunch George went to the movies came home early

Feb 2
highest
40 above

Got up and had breakfast did up my work and got ready and went over to Bristol to see Bernice & Charlie they were just eating dinner made us sit and have some gave me a roast of pork Got back home at 4:30 P.M Bernice said we had sixtween snow storm as far got supper did up the work made Jessu & George take a bath went to bed at 9:30 a nice mild day

Feb 4
10 above
at 8:30 AM
15 above
at noon

Got up early had breakfast did up my work and made Ma a birthday cake checker board one Bill came over and said his folks had all gone went Sunday. Came back today and

5 above
at
7:30 P.M

got the cow & pig. Had dinner did up my work and frosted the cake took quite a while. looked nice had supper and left my dishes and went up to see Ma. Stopped at the store Mrs Swain had me write a card to Mabel Cate she is at the hospital. Hersey & Jamie were at Ma also Beryl & George Pa was a bed didn't feel good. Came home early and went to bed.

Feb 5
5 below
at 7:30 AM

15 above
at noon

got up and had breakfast did up my work. Put my washing to soak got dinner got my clothes out on the line. Did up my work got supper looks like snow and it is awful cold. Wind is blowing a gale had supper and did up my work sat down and read Susie layed on the couch for a while the wind blew so he went out and got in my clothes. went to bed at 9:30 P.M.

Zero P.M
at 9:30

Feb 6
12 below
at 8:00 AM

got up at 6:30 got breakfast ~~to~~
~~can~~ put bread to rise. did up my

highest
in 5 about
at noon

work got dinner ready and Lee came at noon time Gussie haul some work for us that Mr Vaccari gave us Lee help him yard work. I made two apple pies + two loaves of bread + two dog rolls did up my work got supper we got ready and went down to Ladies went and got Marion + Ed got home at twelve. not so cold.

Feb 7

now
at noon

35 about
at noon

Got breakfast and Gussie took the care down. Ernest to over haul I have been a wonderful day nice + warm didn't do much only my dishes + sweep up got dinner and did my work cut out a slip from sugar bag Mr Swain came up Gussie got some pigs ready to take away to Barlow had supper did the work the boys came in both layed down and went to sleep made my slip went to bed at 9.30 still warm

Feb 8

28 about
at 8:00 AM

Had breakfast early Gussie waited around for Lee to come up and get the pig I put my beans to soak The dog races started to day got dinner and

Cost
\$8.00 for
fixing the
car

got my work done I cried most all day discouraged. Lee came about three he and Susie got the hay rack out and then went up with the pig Susie brought his car home we had supper and got ready and went up to Mae's it snowed hard Susie took up some beer had a lunch came out to get home the car wouldn't start the spring in the starter was broke I had put in a new one I bumped my head on the bar in the garage it turned black. Got home at one AM still snowing.

Feb 9

store
bill
\$6.13
was 3.87
go
Susan
paid
him \$5.00
for getting
work

Got up early got my work done Gladys called up and said she couldn't go to the races so let George go I stayed at home had dinner and layed down all the afternoon Eben came over wanted some money we had supper got ready and went up to the city call in and saw Frank & Bernice their father was sick with a cold Frank went up with us met Laura on the sth and she went to the stores with me then she went into the Crystal and had some beer

20th done
at
mid night

walked a ways home with her
came back to Frankie he let Gussie
take his fur coat got home at twelve
still warm George stayed to Ed all night

Feb 10th

Got up at eight and had breakfast
got the work done up got ready and
went and got Gladys D went up to the
city to the races Frank C went with
us. Went up to Jennies put on a skisuit
and went down on the street there was
an awful crowd Went into the Crystal
had some coffee went out and hunted
up George & he & Gussie went home
at 2:30 P.M. Gladys D & I went up to
the hospital to see her niece was awful
sick came back saw some of the dogs
come in went to her Aunts & down to her
sisters laws than went up to Jennie &
waited for Gussie. Gussie took look right
people for a slight ride came after me
at 9:00 P.M. visited a while and came
home had a nice time nice & warm
all day got pretty tired.

Got
\$1.00
for the
sleigh
got
\$5.00

Feb 11

Got up early and got the work done
and started the dinner changed my

highest
35° above

10° above
at 8:00 PM

Feb 12
5° below
at 8:00 AM

clothes and started to walk to the city
got a ride went up to the hospital for
a job came back down to Maroon and
Hilda came wouldn't say much started
up str with them met my sister G. don't
look so good went up to the crystal had
a lunch started for home got a ride
to Swain store Gussie came down of to
me gave Mr Swain the ten dollars
and he gave him five of it. Came home
and paid for part of the money
he owed him had supper "Mrs Hersey"
call up and said Joe Kropp's place
was burning did up my work Gussie
has a little cold took some pills and
went to bed it is down to 5° above
getting colder has been a nice warm
day. Went to bed at ten thirty

Got up and had breakfast early it
was some cold set my clothes
to soak washed all my white
one and hung them out but
the colored ones to soak didn't
do much in the afternoon was
some tired Lee came up in the
afternoon and helped Gussie

10 about
at 8:30 PM

yard work had supper did up my work and read a while went to bed at nine. Chen came in and brought some things from the store was over to Mrs. Drake

Feb 13
5 about
at 7:00

Get breakfast early and done my work up got in my clothes folded then up had dinner and went to evening got them all done washed out the colored ones put them out not so cold nice all day had supper did up my work read until I fell asleep. Susan & George went to bed at eight I went at nine thirty

highest
2 about
~~at 7:00~~

Feb 14

Got up at six thirty had breakfast it was nice in the morning looked for mae down Got dinner ^{at 12} started to rain at noon and it is freezing as it comes got my work done and finished my evening for this week had supper made a ginger bread and it didn't taste good got the dishes done sat down and mended and then read a while went to bed at nine.

Warm
all
day

Feb 15
25 about
at 9:00 AM

Had breakfast at seven got my work done and started to darn stockings

mat
50 above
at noon

30 above
at 11:30 P.M.

Set 16

Warm
all
day
50 above
slush
at noon

the trees were all cover with ice and
the sun was shining nice Got
dinner work done up and finished
darning stockings had supper and
Mrs Swain called up and wanted
milk did up my work got ready
and went down to the store awful
slushy going got some beer and
went up to Maes had a nice time
came home with out chains went
to bed at 11:30 P.M.

Got up early and got breakfast out
of the way every thing bother me
got my beans in the oven got dinner
they brought home the new steers Mr
Swain & Lee had dinner and Lee came
up and they yoke them up and went
down in the woods. I started to make
Maes birthday cake Eben & Frank C
came got it in the tins and Frank &
Eva both came fire wasn't hot enough
had to wait for the fire got then baked
got supper Frank C was here for supper
help me do the dishes got ready went
down to the store than started for Franklin
George walked from the store to the city

store
bill

\$6.92

got 30¢

for 100 on

the wood

warm

to night

to go to the picture we called and got Gladys D. went and pay on the car Gussie bought a (pt of \$) for Maes birthday came back to Laconia went into the Crystal had some beer + lunch waited for George came home had a nice time, had a flat tire on the way home Gladys stay a while Gussie felt kind of sick but all right took her home at two AM, came back went to bed

Feb 17

Got up at nine got breakfast, snowing hard out froze the lake did up my work + and went up to Maes Frank C event home this morning. We had dinner up to Maes she was there she got some nice presents, started for home at five P.M. call at Jennies got Buddie came home and had supper did up the work and went to bed early.

Feb 18

15 about

30 about

at noon

Got up at 7:00 had breakfast did up my work nice day sun shining nice Mr Scvain came up and they hitch up the four steers and went down in the woods to break a road had the white bull with one of the steers acted like the devil had dinner didn't do much

20 about
at
11.00

all day after supper took George over to Sawyer's to get the rest of his clothes I went to Ed + Marion's + from there down to Ma's came home at 10.38 Mrs Smith was with us. Went to bed at 11.00

Feb 19

warm
all day

Got up and it was snowing and snowed all day - until about four - in the afternoon. didn't do much all day got the meals and read the rest of the time George got sewing at me and I called him down didn't speak the rest of the day had supper got the work done up and sewed on my quilt the rest went to bed I went at 10.30

Feb 20

10 about
at
9.00 PM

20 about
at
12.00

nice day but the wind is blowing had breakfast and Bessie gone into the woods had a spat with George and she was going pack his clothes and go home. Bessie tried to find out what the matter was but wouldn't tell him had dinner did out my washing but didn't hang them out for the wind blew too hard

had supper done up the work and started to go up to Lennies with Buddie met Ed & Marion down at Crams corner I came back with them had to climb in the window we had a nice time they went home at ten all went to bed it was snowing a little & blowing.

Feb 21

had

turn
Crams
down

Had an early breakfast and Gussie went down and cut down and old dead vine to work up for wood and took the stiers down to haul it up Mr Swain came and wanted him to visit the pig Had dinner and I hung out my washing got ready and Gussie got the pig killed & took it over to Roscoe Woodman and dressed it I rode as far as the school house walked to the bridge and got a ride from there went up to Marions went to the mills for a job went and had a lunch at the Crystal called Gussie up and went and stayed at Ed's until he came after me Frank C. came with him went to the Crystal and something to eat & some for stay there until about eleven came out went

nice
 and
 warm
 all day
 to the bowling alley went to the cafe
 on Union Ave had lunch came out went
 into the Palace Cafe had coffee ask
 about a job came home at twelve
 thirty went to bed

Feb 22

Gladys
 D
 niece
 died at
 2 P.M.

Got up late had breakfast and
 still George doesn't speak did up
 my work George asked Gus if he
 could walk down home he came
 in to get ready Gussie & Buddie
 went down to the store came home
 had dinner got my work done
 had a sick sheep try to lamb having
 hard time kept running out and watching
 her came in started to wash the
 living room floor Mrs Hart came to
 stay with me had supper got the
 work done up and took Buddie
 home stay a while with them came
 home nice all day went to bed at
 ten thirty.

Feb 23

is above
 at
 4:00 P.M.

got up at 7:00 snowing Mrs Hart &
 I did up the work had dinner and
 we sewed most all the afternoon
 I worked on my quilt had supper every

(killed my white Rooster)
 Store
 Bill
 \$7.19
 \$2.81
 Paid
 4.38 on
 yarding
 wood

thing all done at 6.30 Got ready went
 down to the store still snowing hard
 done our trading went over and spend
 the evening with Ansie + Frank had lunch
 came home at ten thirty had a hard
 time getting along, stars were shining coming home

Feb 24
 30 above
 at
 5.00 AM
 still
 warm

The sun was shining fine had breakfast
 Mr Swain called up for Lussie to go and
 tell her to go down and plow out the roads
 got the work done up and put the chicken
 on to cook got ready went up to the city look
 some skim milk up to Laura they were
 gone went down and saw Ma Lussie
 went and bought a tire paid \$6.00 for it
 came home at 1.30 had dinner did up the
 work Mrs Hart went over to Reakes, Called
 up Mrs Ellen Smith about a job.

Feb 25

(faint handwritten notes)

Jordan (married name
married Herry Jordan
had daughter Jane)

Janie - Mansfield (Lennie's sister)

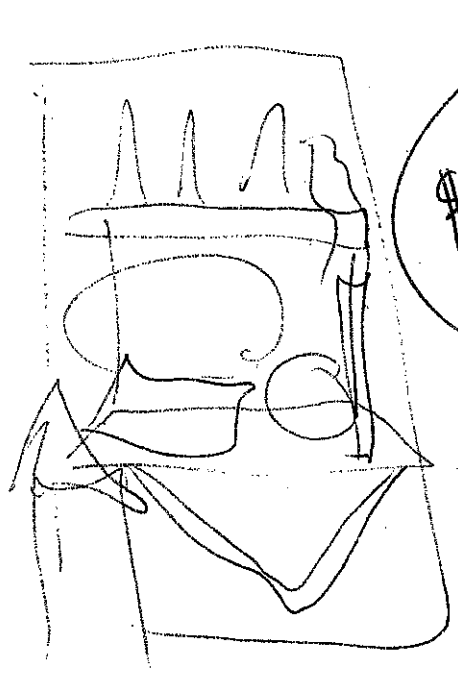
lived in
Haverell, Mt

Lennie & Laura Mansfield
Buddie Mansfield - Lennie's
son

& Gladys - Lennie's sister

Frank Swain - Swain Farm - Sanbornton

Illa - is Illa Mansfield (Potnam) - Lennie & Laura's
daughter
married Lester Potnam
2nd marriage
1st. marriage to Dr. from Ohio (Stacey)



\$ 30.00

Tammy 40.00
Tawya 10.00
Sherry 30.00
Julie 10.00