

FEBRUARY, TUESDAY 1. 1881.

M<sup>2</sup> above & Emma  
and I did some  
baking this forenoon  
and cut and sewed  
carpet rags. This at  
noon Ferdinand  
worked on the boys  
logs Erwin sewed  
carpet rags Herbert  
went to school  
Oscar went to the  
P.O. Snowed and  
blowed all day.

FEBRUARY, WEDNESDAY 2. 1881.

M<sup>2</sup> below & snowed  
most all day and  
blowed some Erwin  
and Ferdinand went  
to the woods and  
chopped some this  
forenoon Emma  
and I washed and  
did the work and  
cut and sewed  
carpet rags this at  
noon Herbert went  
to school

FEBRUARY, THURSDAY 3. 1881.

quite a good day  
I went to town  
and to mill  
Emma did the  
work and I did  
Carpet rags Ewin  
and Ferdinand  
chopped wood in  
the woods Herbert  
went to school

FEBRUARY, FRIDAY 4. 1881.

good day Emma  
and I did the  
wash and I did  
carpet rags I mended  
and I barked some  
herdman and  
Ewin worked in  
the woods Herbert  
went to school

FEBRUARY, SATURDAY 5. 1881.

wind flew quite  
hard Herbert and  
I went to see  
Ferdinand and  
Erwin. Chopped wood  
at the door Emma  
did the work and  
went home at  
night - night Loppie  
came here after  
her.

FEBRUARY, SUNDAY 6. 1881.

quite a good day  
Erwin Ferdinand  
and Oscar kept  
house Emma  
came back at  
night

FEBRUARY, MONDAY 7. 1881.

rained all night  
and most all  
day. Emma did  
the wash I went  
to D. Clarke's to  
see him about  
being bonds man  
cut out pieces for  
Mary's quilt

FEBRUARY, TUESDAY 8. 1881.

rained all night  
and this forenoon  
Nert and Herbert  
went to our house  
Erwin and Oscar  
came back with  
him. Erwin the  
two Messers Clark  
and I went to  
see Mr Barden had  
him make out  
my Bonds for  
Suzette for my  
children Frank  
and Miss Walker  
was here to night  
Mr Sims came and  
got Emma at noon



FEBRUARY, WEDNESDAY 9. 1881.

Cloudy and rained  
this Amon Emrin  
went to mill and  
got the grist and to  
Manchester this A  
noon to see the Jerilder  
boys about sawing wood  
Jerildern chopped wood  
in the woods this  
noon Herbert went to  
school I did the work  
and baked some cake  
Bread and pies and  
cookies George Clark  
and wife came to  
night

FEBRUARY, THURSDAY 10. 1881.

Snowed all night  
and thawed all day  
to day froze some  
last night Jerildern  
chopped wood at the  
door Emma came  
back this noon  
Herbert Ocas and I  
went to the Post Office  
George and Ada  
went to town Mrs  
Mast Walker came  
here a little while  
to night

FEBRUARY, FRIDAY 11. 1881.

15 above & quite a good  
day. Emma and I  
washed commenced  
blowing and drifting  
to night. Twin and  
Ferdinand drew one  
load of wood and  
chopped. Some Herbert  
went to school. Emma  
went to Manchester  
this noon to see  
the Friday boys  
about sawing wood.  
George and Ada  
came back to night.

FEBRUARY, SATURDAY 12. 1881.

114 above & snowed  
and blowed all day.  
Emma and I did  
the work I roned some  
and baked some  
exerciment and  
Herbert went to the  
Office this noon.

FEBRUARY, SUNDAY 13. 1881.

Mr above & we all  
staid at home  
George was sick  
last night and  
the boys had a  
race in the snow  
drifts

FEBRUARY, MONDAY 14. 1881.

Mr below & Emma  
washed. George Erwin  
Ferdinand broke road  
Mr Walker came here  
this morn. I helped  
do the work and  
attended some.  
Ferdinand chopped  
wood this noon

FEBRUARY, TUESDAY 15. 1881.

Mat & Frank Flaws  
came with the saw  
and Ferdinand were  
to help bring the logs  
frower over I went to  
Mr Cables and Mr  
Bones Charley Flaws  
Will Pollock helped  
Samuel George Flaws  
helped saw wood  
Mary Thins came here  
a visiting

FEBRUARY, WEDNESDAY 16. 1881.

At 7 below George  
and Ade went home  
his furrow the wood  
cows went away this  
morn Erwin and  
Herbert went with  
them and brought  
the horses back  
Erwin had the logs  
fixed Lin Quid,  
wife and two  
children came, here  
a visiting Ferdinand  
went home to night  
his sister is sick



FEBRUARY, THURSDAY 17. 1881.

M & below & Herbert  
went to school I did  
some Baking and  
went to town this  
noon Emma  
helped me and  
sewed carpet rag  
this noon  
Emma Herbert  
and Oscar went  
to Mr. Walker's  
to night a little  
while

FEBRUARY, FRIDAY 18. 1881.

Ice day I cut carpet  
this noon and  
went to Ments and Mr  
Gardens this noon on  
and Evening Oscar  
went with me  
Emma did the  
carpet rag  
carpet rag Ferdinand  
came back to night  
Herbert to school  
Mr and Mrs Walker  
came up here this  
evening

FEBRUARY, SATURDAY 19. 1881.

Nice day Ferdinand  
cut wood at the  
doo Emma got  
the work Erwin  
cut wood Herpet  
went to the P  
office Oscar and  
I came home  
stopped at Kings  
Mr. Flewies and  
Mrs. Bakesles on  
the way.

FEBRUARY, SUNDAY 20. 1881.

My above Emma  
Herpet Oscar and I  
went to the church  
there was no meeting  
Herpet caught all  
trays horse it ran  
away Ferdinand  
came home to night  
Erwin went home  
with Louisa and  
Charly Jensell  
came back to night

FEBRUARY, MONDAY 21. 1881.

All 18 above Emma  
washed I helped her  
and helped do the  
work sewed and  
cut carpet rags this  
noon Ferdinand  
Chopped wood  
Erwin went to  
Fox Lake with a  
load of wheat got  
twenty seven cents  
a bush Herbert  
went to school

FEBRUARY, TUESDAY 22. 1881.

All above Ferdinand  
and Erwin cleaned  
up a grist and put  
up some corn and I  
went to mill this  
noon I made cake pie  
and bread this noon  
the boys cut wood  
this noon Herbert  
went to school  
Emma did the  
work and I mended  
some May and  
Lottie Jones  
came home from  
town with me

FEBRUARY, WEDNESDAY 23. 1881.

Mic above, Oscar  
and I went to  
Brandon Ferdinand  
and Erwin chopped  
wood Emma did  
the work Louisa  
Genesee came here  
at night - Herbert  
went to school

FEBRUARY, THURSDAY 24. 1881.

Snowed most all  
day Emma did  
the work Herbert  
went to school  
Ferdinand and  
Erwin chopped  
wood in the afternoon



FEBRUARY, FRIDAY 25. 1881.

of below of Oscar  
and I came home  
to day Emma  
did the work Herbert  
went to school  
Ferdinand and  
Erwin chopped  
wood a stranger  
stopped here to  
night

FEBRUARY, SATURDAY 26. 1881.

Cloudy and rained  
had a thunders  
hower and is raining  
to night I did some  
baking and cut  
carpet rags Emma  
did the work and  
sewed rags Ferdinand  
and Erwin chopped  
a little wood Herbert  
went after the mail

FEBRUARY, SUNDAY 27. 1881.

25 above & we all  
stayed at home  
it snowed and  
blowed very hard  
all day. I went out  
with the dog  
and the children  
and we had some  
fun. I went to  
school and  
was very tired  
from it.

FEBRUARY, MONDAY 28. 1881.

16 above & Emma  
and I washed dishes  
the work cut and  
I laid carpet rags  
Ferdinand chopped  
wood. I  
cleaned the corn  
cribs and cleaned  
up corn. Herbert  
helped him clean  
up the corn.

MARCH, TUESDAY 1. 1881.

110 below ☁ Cloudy  
the boys shoveled  
onto the road and  
went to Mr Walker  
at night Ferdinand  
chopped wood a  
little while I cut  
sags Emma  
holed sags and did  
the rest

MARCH, WEDNESDAY 2. 1881.

114 above ☁ Cloudy  
all day snowed and  
blowed very hard at  
night Ferdinand  
chopped wood I cut  
sags Emma  
holed and did  
the rest

MARCH, THURSDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> 1881.

At 16 above Emma  
did the work mopped  
the floor and swept  
carpet rags I patched  
some Ferdinand  
and Erwin killed  
a pig this afternoon  
snowed and blowed  
very hard all day

MARCH, FRIDAY 4<sup>th</sup> 1881.

At 29 above I snowed  
and blowed all  
night and all day  
Ferdinand tried  
to go home but  
came back the  
snow was so deep  
Erwin did chores  
Herbert went to Mr  
Walkers I mended  
my dress and cut  
some pieces for a  
quilt Emma  
did the work  
and tid carpet  
rags



MARCH, SATURDAY 5. HO 1881.

M 19 above of Cloud  
and the wind blow  
found Ferdinand  
went home to day  
Emmy did the  
work I baked pie  
and cake Emory  
did chores Herbert  
helped him to  
night he was not  
very well this mor

MARCH, SUNDAY 6. HO 1881.

M 28 above of me  
all staid at  
home nice day

MARCH,

MONDAY 7.

NO 1881.

M<sup>s</sup> above & Nic, day  
 Erwin, Sam & Herbert  
 shoveled out the road  
 I sewed carpet rags  
 this morn and went  
 to town this a.m.  
 Emma sewed carpet  
 rags did the work  
 and pieced some

MARCH,

TUESDAY 8//

NO 1881.

M<sup>s</sup> above & Clay  
 Emma washed  
 Mary came here  
 and the crew  
 Emma went to  
 Mr Walker's to night  
 I helped do the work  
 and cut out my  
 dress Erwin shoveled  
 road and did  
 chores Herbert went  
 to school Mary  
 Hirs staid at  
 Mr Walker's.  
 Emma came  
 home

MARCH, WEDNESDAY 9. 1881.

M 17 above & nice  
day I sewed on my  
dresses Emma  
pinned some Herbert  
went to school  
Mary Ann and  
Lucia Tenklee  
came here to  
night Mary Ann  
all night

MARCH, THURSDAY 10. 1881.

M 21 above & Mary  
Ann went home  
this morn I sewed  
on my dresses and  
went to Manchester  
to see Ferdinand  
Emma Ironed  
Herbert went to  
school and to the  
P Office at night  
Oscar went with  
Herbert to the P O

MARCH, FRIDAY 11. 1881.

M 19 above & cloud  
and quite cold I  
sewed on my dress  
and went to town  
Herbert went to  
school the last day  
of school Oscar  
and Herbert went  
with me to town  
Edmund came  
and got his trunk  
Emma mended  
some and pieced  
some

MARCH, SATURDAY 12. 1881.

M 19 above Emma  
did the wash I did  
some baking and  
mended some Herbert  
split some wood and  
went to Mr. Walker's  
and the P. O. snowed  
and blowed all  
day



MARCH, SUNDAY 13. 1881.

M 23 above & me  
all staid at home  
but Emma she  
went to Mr Walker  
Lewis Frank  
Walker and Jim  
Bartles came here  
to wards night  
& only all done

MARCH, MONDAY 14. 1881.

M 21 above & Emma  
washed & I sewed  
Erwin cut wood  
Herbert and Oscar  
went to the woods  
Frank, Walker and  
Jim Bartles came  
to wards night  
Herbert went home  
with Jim to stow  
all night & Harry  
Gins was here in  
the morning

MARCH, TUESDAY 15. 1881.

11 24 above & nice  
day Emma Ironed  
padded some and  
went to Mrs Pollocks  
Erwin chopped wood  
Herbert came home the  
noon. Oscar went  
after the mail.  
Erwin Herbert and  
Oscar gave to Mrs  
Cables to a Chinese  
Posty to night.

MARCH, WEDNESDAY 16. 1881.

Cloudy and rainy  
11 23 above & sweet  
on Louisa's dress Mr  
and Mrs Milks came  
here a visiting.  
Emma did the  
work and sewed  
some.

MARCH, THURSDAY 17. 1881.

M 26 above, quite  
a good day I  
sawed Emma did  
the work and peiced  
some skins split  
some wood Mr  
Edwards came  
sold out legs to  
him Herbert and  
Oscar went to  
the P O this af-  
noon

MARCH, FRIDAY 18. 1881.

M 24 above, very nice  
day Thawed very fast  
all got up as high as  
40 above Emma  
did the work and  
sawed I sawed and  
Baked some bread  
Gavin ~~thawed~~ some  
fence posts Emma  
Herbert and Oscar  
went to Mr Walkers  
to night

MARCH, SATURDAY 19. HC 1881.

A 2.2 above & wind  
blew very hard and  
it snowed quite  
hard this noon  
it is drifting very  
bad. Emma and  
I dressed some  
chickens. She did  
the wash. I baked  
pie and sweet  
The boys did chores  
Hester and Oscar  
went to the O  
Empire Chopped a  
little this noon

MARCH, SUNDAY 20. HC 1881.

Snowed and froze  
all day. We all  
staid at home  
The boys did chores  
Hester and Oscar  
went to the O  
Empire Chopped a  
little this noon

MARCH, MONDAY 21. 1881.

Cloudy and stormy  
a little bit. Cleared up  
in afternoon Emma  
washed I sewed  
Erwin and Herbert  
shoveled out the road  
and a place to load  
the hogs went took  
Walker and got some  
logs Mr. Bales and  
got a rack to take  
the hogs off Mr.  
Ozell Frank came  
here a little while.

MARCH, TUESDAY 22. 1881.

All above very nice  
day helped the boys  
load the hogs and  
they started for  
Randolph but could  
not get through came  
back Erwin sent this  
afternoon as far as the  
county line later  
after the mail I  
sewed Emma  
helped Oscar at  
chores this morn  
and finished peeing  
that quilt.



MARCH, WEDNESDAY 23. 1881.

Nice day Erwin  
and Herbert went  
to the station with  
the bags Emma  
ground and I sawed  
I sawed and cut  
cut pieces for  
Emma

MARCH, THURSDAY 24. 1881.

Nice day Oscar and  
I went to mill and  
to L Austins and  
got some sorghum  
Emma died the  
week and went  
home at night her  
brother came after  
her chest and two  
men were here to  
dinner and supper  
and stayed all  
night Erwin went  
to Mr Walker's at  
night with chest  
and one of the  
men.

MARCH, FRIDAY 25. 1881.

Nice day Kurt  
and the men  
went away this  
morning Herbert  
Oscar and I  
went to Bonds  
and to town.  
Emma kept house  
had 9 pigs to slay  
a girl came here  
to hire out Emma  
came back to night

MARCH, SATURDAY 26. 1881.

Nice day did some  
taking and made  
Erwin's Locket Erwin  
shoveled some snow  
off of the posts  
Emma did the  
work. Consequed  
came this morn

MARCH, SUNDAY 27. 1881.

quite a good day.  
we all sleep at  
home but Emma  
goes out to meeting  
Bourner. Ed went  
away at noon  
Linn Carter came  
here. Start all night

MARCH, MONDAY 28. 1881.

Cloudy. Emma  
washed & scrubbed  
Flurbert's contractors  
Mr. Walker. This was  
done. Emma  
washed & scrubbed  
Emma's night dress  
& handkerchiefs  
This was done. Emma  
to back for night

MARCH, TUESDAY 29. 1881.

Nice day Erwin took  
me to Mr Bonds this  
morn Herbert and Oscar  
came and we went  
to Mr Chapels this  
morn Emma  
sewed and knit  
Erwin did chores  
Frank Walker  
came here a little  
while

MARCH, WEDNESDAY 30. 1881.

Nice day Erwin  
went to Robert Robinsons  
and got some oats  
paper etc for bush  
I sewed Emma did  
the work and knit  
Erwin Herbert and  
Oscar went to  
Manchester this  
morn drove fly  
to break his

MARCH, THURSDAY 31. 1881.

Cloudy and  
snowed and blown  
this afternoon & good  
snow at 12 the

William  
Reath, Mary and  
children and Will  
Clark came here

APRIL, FRIDAY 1. 1881.

Howed all night  
all of above & cleared  
up and since this  
morning till and  
Bertie & Abbe came  
here this afternoon  
visiting William  
Reath and Erwin  
went to Markesan  
this afternoon