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Oct. 3 1936 to
10 May 1941

THE
FARMER'S
BUSINESS
— RECORD



De Zoach Diary

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1937-1940

W.G. Deloach
Papers, 1911-1964
Diary IV, 1936-1941

BY
H.G.B.
Register
Sodan, Texas



H. G. RAMBY
Registered Druggist
Sudan, Texas

A Christmas gift from
From Lattie.

Dec. 23 - 1936

Elevation above sea level

3829.608

3250

579

ft

Walter Land Water.
that has been paid.

Paid Land Water (Record)
on page 11 of this book.

Notice.

Frederick November 3, 1936

Ledger, no 7 1936
to

May 10 1941

Pam McHughes
P.O. Box 1181 Littlefield, Tex.

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H. G. RABBIT
Registered Nurse
Indian, Texas

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Pondexter
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Clif Davis killed himself on
Wednesday August 23, 1939.
Also a Mr Smotherman that worked for
Clif Davis killed his self on Saturday August
26-1939.

A Mr Armer also died.

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Inventory Beginning

Saturday April 5 1941

Inventory Beginning

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5) We put up the fence around the new garden in fore noon. Did intend to take some bundles to mill to grind for corn. But the wind was too strong to keep them on the trailer. Am just about out of cow feed. We went to town in p.m. went down to Tom Kents place for some flour plants. I took some prairie some water melon seed also some Morton white. I sent \$4.49 in South gate Calif. on air mail letter telling him to look out for Dorothy. Sold cream 1.69 Eggs 1.19. Had fish for supper. 25¢ per lb.

6) We decided to go up to see Frank & Custie. They were gone to church. They came about 1 p.m. Had a pleasant visit. The wind blew all day. Not too much sand. Gave Dat in Haring Las Angeles Cal by mail. We got a lot of things to set out some straw berries, Rhubarb and winter onions. We put out the things I got down at Tom Kents. Also the plants and onions I brought from Sister Custie & Frankie. I went down town in p.m. paid my gas bill \$4.40. also saw Mr Morton white. paid him for the water melon seed \$4.75. A very nice day.

8) We went to town early. Lallie to want I had to grind some feed. 65¢. Had sent \$2.12. Sent \$1.00 to Paul meyer Littlefield Tex. collector for American Life Ins. Co. Bill made his Tuesday call. Bud & Ida & kids came up to visit. Lallie went to school with them.

9) I have worked about place all day. I did some plowing in fore noon. worked out at cow shed in p.m. A nice day.

10) Just fiddled around all day. Did not do any thing much. worth while. Had south wind.

11) Bud came in early. We decided not to take the car to Luback. We all went back to Bona. for Ida & kids on to Luback. Had cream 2.51 Eggs 3.24 Bought some clothes at Wools. Pants, shorts and bed spread. Windy.

Inventory Beginning

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April
 Inventory Beginning Saturday, 12 1940 Inventory Beginning April 1940 1940

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Sat 12 worked around lots in forenoon. We went to Sudan in afternoon. I took the other red hen to look for eggs. She did not get but 23 hen's was due 24. Eggs sold today 90¢. I had 5 gal gas charged at Chesterdown's 66' station.

Sun 13 Boy! did the wind blow last nite. It blew my brooder house off the foundation or part way off. Blew some bundles off stock. We went down to Bada place for the day. Saw several places where the hi-wind damaged buildings. We all went over south west of Reed-More. I wanted to see some cows a Mr Mitchell has for sale. I did not like them too good. and he was too high. A general rain fell, maybe 1/2 inch at all places where we went.

Mon 14 I went up town early. I went to see Mr Bryant about thrashing some Sudan bundles for me. He was busy and could not get to it today. So I saw Len Ole's negro. He said he would thrash it for me. I loaded it up and we thrashed out 125 # maybe that is good seed. I made two trip to town today.

Tues 15 I did not plant Sudan today. Bill made his Tuesday noon call. Bud and family also were here. The R.R. A. people unloaded the electric poles here this AM. Bud & I went to Mule-shoe to see about wiring my house. I also made application for \$40.00. R.R. A. fund for wiring purpose. Will see about it later. Amount \$2.85

Wed 16 I fixed up my trailer and went by town on way to Bada. We loaded my trailer full of his cleanup bundles also gave some for him. We planted Pearl late today.

Inventory Beginning Thursday 17 April 1941 Inventory Beginning 19

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Thurs 17 we decided we would go to mule sale and watch the sale. They sell quite a bunch of all kinds of cows, yearlings and calves. Some bulls, all sold well. Beef will be high if cattle continue to go up. Also hogs. We came back home by 5 p.m. A card in my mail box from Herman Lyles at bank. He said he wanted to see me at once. I could think of nothing he would want to see me about only, some thing pertaining to Harold or the Beaumont business. So I went down to see about it. all he wanted ^{me} for was to sign that cotton sale list of 1938 cotton equity I sold him year or so back. A hard sand storm bleed out of S.W. for an hour or two or three.

Fri 18

I did not do any thing this day. We kidded around in the garden for a while in the early A.M. The wind and sand started by 10 A.M. and blew all day. And now 10.10 P.M. is blowing out of N.W. and believe me the sand is coming too. The house will be full by morning if it keeps this up the balance of the night.

Sat 19

Boy things were sure worse in sand when we got up. Must have blown all night from N.W. I had to take the Baude cow back to porters. We went to town this p.m. Eggs down 17¢ Cream 30¢ lb. 17 doz. \$2.89 Cream \$2.10 I sent Sat \$1.00

to porters bills cream \$2.10 Eggs 289

I got letter from her after we came home. she said she had a job \$10.00 per week. paid Harold & Sallie for her neck for coming out there.

Sunday, April 20, 1941.

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Money on Hand and in Bank,	Sun 20 I get to thinking how things go and it get so messy I do not know just how to carry on. I did every thing for 1940. to get off to Calif. He wanted to better his chance. Then he would do something to hurt me that way. If I can better her chance in life he could not do a better thing than help her for helping her would be helping his mother & I. This goes for Dellie and all the rest of them I can't forget. Bud, I da and little ones came up this P.M. Has turned a little cold. The R.R. A. people came by and dug the holes and put the poles in order for hoisting. Mon 21 was cloudy all for noon. We went to the wash house this A.M. I bought a sack of wheat shorts. I am going to try to top the two hogs and quick. I put them on a floor pen. Real cold all day. Too cold to plant any thing. Tues 22 I watered the peach trees. I sure gave them a good soaking. will have to keep lots of water on them. They are carrying such a load of peaches. Bill made his Tuesday call. was rainy and cold all day. Wed 23 just milked & fed stock and stayed in house all day. I went over to Joyland store in late P.M. for some coal oil. Cold all day. Wind out of East & South East. Thurs. 24 I riged up the trailer loaded Rose Ann. Took her to Mule shoe. She weighed 945# sold for \$5.70 per hundred. \$53.87. \$110 yon fees & corn. \$52.77 my check. I took the \$10.00 to the Otwell Brothers this P.M. left chick \$5.00 with Robert Otwell. Sick horse, to tan for															
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Fri, 25. So shed a little rainey all fore noon. I did think I would plant some sudan pasture. But decided I would wait and see what the weather would do. I went down town just before noon. Took the droning Doo dog back to Whimam drug store. I did not have to use it. I went in to see Mrs Mullier about the chickens orders they will be ready on the 19th of May. At two weeks old.

Sat 26 Had tried to rain all day. Did not rain or had not up to 9 p.m. we took cream & Eggs to town. Eggs 17¢ per doz. 14 doz. \$2.38 cream 30¢ \$3.96. Ameta swallowed a cow feed. or cotton meal. Laying Mail \$3.85 paid Clyde Borron \$1.61.

Sun 27 Have set around all day and watched the rain fall. Not a hard rain but just a steady downfall. We were all or bath a little ex-cited about Almeta swallowing the 18 piece. How ever the doctor said she would be ok.

Sun 27 Mon 28 Sometime after we had gone to bed last nite Pat came in from California. She came back to Sudan on a Travel brand? Car. She said she could not hold the job. So she decided white she had the money she would come back home. Think quite a rain fell last nite I went down town this p.m. More rain last nite. Have set around so much. I went to town this p.m. is clear to nite maybe so the rain is over for a while I think but one can never tell.

Wednesday April 30 1941

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Wed 30 I shelled out some peanuts for seed. Almeta helped me. She wants to help me do every thing I do. We all went down town this p.m. I put the first \$2.00 to M. & W. at Lubbock. \$2.15 will be my April gas bill. Rained some time in the P.M.

Thursday, May 1, 1941

Thur 1 Has been raining all day. A hard S.E. Wind has blown all day. I hauled up some old Telegraph poles that were taken up on the P.R. right-of-way. They will make good fence post. Well we are not getting things planted very fast. Too cold and the ground is not warmed up yet.

Fri 2 Boy! did the lady rain fall last night? Was raining when I got up this AM. Things are shot up again. Sat out to get in bed with us. That gets old when she is at home.

Sat 3 Mud! Mud and slush. The lots are bad. We went down town in p.m. I sold \$3.37. Eggs \$2.38. I paid my gas bill \$2.15. Rained some today. Evelyn & Jim hair not arrived yet. Now 10.00 p.m.

Sun 4 We made ready and went to church at Mule store. The Church of Christ. Met a few people. I saw a few that I was acquainted with. Rained some on us as we came home. We went down town in p.m. Rained some more.

Mon 5 Over to Octorree, Ariz. We went to work in p.m. and came for some pea seed. Sold 100 # black eyed peas to Alex. 4¢ per lb.

Wadsworth Local Co
Office at Amherst, N.Y.

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Land Note #1 was paid 12-30-1938
Land Note #2 was received 1-5-1940
" " 3 " Paid 1-5-1940
" " 4 " Paid 1-1-1941
" " 5 P8. Part 1-1/42. balance Pd 8-28-42.
Pd. by check Sudan Bk. Land Note No 6 Pd. Received Pd. Note 1-15-1943
Buckwheat, " " " " " " two. Notes No 7 & 8. 1-3-1944. Received re. notes. 2-1-1944.
Millet, " " " " " " Note " 9. 1-17-1944 " " Note 2-1-1944
Clover, " " " " " " Note " 10, 12 & 1945. Received Note #10 Pd. 3-7-42
Timothy, Paid by check Sudan bank. Note No 11 (12-30-1947) Received Note #11 Pd. 2-5-48.
Flax, All notes paid. A clear settlement. The company sent me
Horses, my deed of trust signed in full. These note payments are
Cattle, recorded as pay in my diary. Note #12. P8. 12-27-48.
Mules, No 13 land Note Pd. 12-29-1949. Pd. Note #14, 15. 2-4-50.

Tuesday May 6 1941

Tues 6 I took the pea seed to Alex. He paid me \$2.00
I paid Crow Chex. Co. \$2.25. On acct to
Chick Otterlee Borrowed his mail bag.
I went over to Jay and Eric meeting
I took \$25.00 stock in the Co. Op. Lin.
Bill called for dinner.
Wed 7 I harvested the beets down in my
Sudan patch in fore noon. planted
Sudan grass this p.m. Mr Bryant
called for the Otterlee hog. But I was
not thro with him. I told him to
call tomorrow. Had letter from Custer &
Frank. Said they would not need the cat seed
Thurs 8 I finished the Sudan planting. Took Sallie &
Went over to Mrs Otterlee quilting. I planted
W. Melon some water melons. Went to town to get
Planted. Mather something for Ma this day. A dress &
handkerchief.
Fri 9 I finished the water melon planting.
Knifed some feed ground. Sold tonight
Sat 10 Cloudy when we got up. Raining by 9 AM.
Did not rain much. sold cream \$3.78 eggs \$2.25
none of kids have come up yet. Now 10 p.m.
a little rain. FINISHED.

Inventory Beginning Oct 3 1936 Inventory Beginning October 3 1936

	Gross Value		Incumbrances		Net Value		Gross Value		Incumbrances		Net Value		Increase since last Inventory		Decrease since last Inventory	
	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
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Implements,																

Saturday Oct. 3 1936

Bice & Dot cut feed heads for Mr Fife in for noon. I worked about place. We all went up town in p.m. Tom Young come over to see my mule calts.

Sunday Oct. 4 1936

Bud & Eda Wande came over. We had a bite of dinner all went to Lubbock to see Lattie. We did intend to go in the early morning but Bud & Eda did not want to go till p.m. So we could not do any thing but wait. I did not see Lattie so many. I did not want to bother her.

Monday 5 I worked about place. Went up to Sudan in p.m. to work. I could not find any cotton pullers.

Tuesday 6 A cold North Wind in A.M. Rained all p.m. Mr. came in from Lubbock. said Lattie was Ok.

Wednesday 7 Bill & I went for some 1x4 + 1x Sweet Potatoes. Will put cotton pullers in barn. If I get any. Striped the barn in p.m.

Thursday Oct. 8 I worked on barn fixing it up. Will get it in shape. Lattie in opening fast.

Fri. 9 I was up town looking for hands. Frank W and sister Curtie called for me to go to Snyder. She had word that Mather had fallen and broke her hip. We arrived at 9 p.m. Mather was in bad shape. Pawdon & his folks came in at 11 p.m.

Saturday 10 Frank and Curtie agreed to this. Curtie would stay and as soon as Mather could be moved she would take her home with her. Mather was resting Ok. when we left. Noon

Sunday 11 We stayed home all day. No one come and we did not go any place.

Monday Oct 12 Mr. came by we went to Little field. We did not get any hand. I had promise of a bunch. When I got home a Mr Jim Hamm of Olustee Okla his son & daughter were here to pull cotton Mr Newton sent them out.

DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
			Tuesday Oct. 13. 1936					
Tues	13		We started pulling cotton in Billy's patch. He took bale to gin. 1885 # Bale wt. 555 #, 800 # seed ginning + wrapping \$5.95. Seed check after paying ginning wrapping \$4.92. Seed at \$28.00 per ton. I cut feed heads. Bale No 93.					
Wed	14		I ginned my first bale. 1650 # Bale wt. 495 # 710 # seed @ \$28.00 per ton \$9.94. G & W. \$5.37. Seed check \$4.57. Bale No 119. I cut some feed.					
Thurs	15		Took Bale #2 to gin. 1700 # gin wt. Bale wt 517 # G & W. \$5.50. I saved the seed 700 #, Gin No 158.					
Fri	16		The two (Frammel) women did not come to pick cotton today. (Mrs Ivy Nelson and her mother they live at Parson Frammel) so I ginned some cotton myself. 263 #. The first time I have harnessed up to a fish sack in a long time. Took my 3rd bale to gin. Field wt. 1670 #. Gin wt. 1775 # Bale wt 527. 760 # seed. G & W. \$5.68 # Gin No 157.					
Sat	17		I waited till H.G. came along. He took his mother with him to get Lottie. She has been in the tubback shaft table 2 weeks. The people did not finish bale. Dad came home from the Paul ranch. She did not like working on a cow ranch cooking. Well that is not like cooking at home.					
Sun	18		Bud & Ida came by going up to see Mother at Curties & Frank's. We went with them. Found Mother @ 1/2. She just has to lay still. She can't hardly stand that. H.G. called to wife. Saying Lottie is O.K.					
Mon	19		I took my 4th bale to odd gin A.M. Field wt. 1690 # Gin wt. 1650 #. Bale wt 494 #. Seed sold 700 # @ \$28.00 per ton. G. W. \$5.37. Rebate check \$4.43. I took 4 B/c samples to Littlefield this p.m. Could not get bid on cotton. Came back to Sudan. Sold to Dan Welch for 11.25 cts per lb. I have a pain in my heart toite.					
Tues	20		I took bale No 5 to gin A.M. 1675 gin wt. Bale wt. 510 #. Seed 720 G & W. \$5.45 Rebate check \$4.60. Worked in the feed some today. Gin No 116					

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
			Wednesday October 21 - 1936					
Wed	21		Took bale (gin No. 2451) Lin wt. 1630 Bale wt 505# Seed 660#. & W. \$5.32 Rebate check \$3.92 worked in field some. Sallie & I went to town to wash. I made reservation for 4 to Dallas on train. \$4.10 each Sallie & I went down to St. L. to see how Lattie is getting along. Cold and looks like rain. Bill was in a car wreck with the Mann bay. They run into Ed Lorr's tractor. They ruined the car. but as a fortunate thing none of the boys were hurt very bad. It could have been a bad accident					
Thurs	22		Was raining when we got up. Sleeted snowed and rained today. Have done that freeze to night. All together fell a good rain today. Mr Mann & Mr Lorr each told me of the car tractor wreck. Mr Mann had to stay in one part of the house. Leaky roof. Guess will not write any more till I get back from Dallas. We are due to leave tomorrow at 3:18 p.m.					
Fri	23		Every thing covered with ice by 10 A.M. Some snow and some sleet. We all went up to Sudan a little after noon. Mr Mann took us to train in his car. The train run late. Did not get going till 4 P.M. We could not see any thing after we left Suback. Dark came on us. Think was about 12 o'clock when we arrived Braunwood, Tex.					
Sat	24		The Santa Fe took us by way of Temple. In to St. L. worth about daylight. On to Dallas arriving about 9 A.M. All stayed out. No sleep no rest. We had breakfast and all went out to an. group. Mr John Blanchard was with us. We could not or did not enjoy the trip. Not any thing we saw in Dallas for all were tired out					

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price	Amount Recd.
Month	Day	Year			Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.
			Saturday Oct 24. 1936			
Sat	24		We came back to the Station and had supper. Then waited for train time. We left Dallas about 9 p.m. via Ft Worth. Had nice car to Ft Worth. But a bun one from Ft Worth to Temple. A good car on to Sudan.			
Sun	25		I woke up at day lite in Brownwood. I went to sleep out of Temple. The noisy crowd going down were awful still and quite coming home. When we got back to Sudan Mr Ham was at depot to meet us. The ice that had every thing covered, when we got back home nothing was killed. Will sleep two more at a time to nite.			
Monday	26		We all went up to Sudan. I payed Mr Ham \$15.00. Well have to clearing before we can pull any more cotton. Things are sure wet.			
Tues	27		We did not pull cotton till 7 p.m. was full wet then. I cut the ballees of cane and tied some of it up. Star cut all the cane patch with sick knife. Fine cane.			
Wed	28		I tied feed till near noon. They went to gulling cotton about 10:30 A.M. I took the 8th bale to gin. (Docks) 7 p.m. But did not gin it. They were having a hard time trying to gin wet cotton. I took my bale back to field and unloaded it to dry out. It is no good to gin wet cotton. We may have some open weather now. I weaned the "Jeze" mule calt to day.			
Thurs	29		I went over to Buds. Helped he and S.H. with the feed binding. We started to see how Lattie was getting along.			
Fri	30		Was raining when we got up. Bill & I went up to see Mather. She is doing fine for one in her shape. The cotton is too wet to pull.			
Sat	31		I tied and shocked bal. of cane. Ham, Bill and J. cut Mather's heads today. Ardis & Jim & Ray came in just now. They ate a bite and went to S.H. to see Lattie. She is O.K. Dat went to show with Ham.			

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Sunday November 1, 1936.						
Sun	1		Was cloudy all day. Aralis, Jim and I went up to place I bought up 2. W. of Sudan. They liked the place fine. Bud and his folks came over. Also Mr. Lattie Mrs. Matthews and Ernie. Lattie is still weak from her trip to hospital. Aralis & Jim started for home about 3:30 p.m. Bat lost the screw out of her glasses.						Fr
Mon	2		I went over to Bessie's gin No. 2 to get my trailer. Bud was to leave it at Otis' store. Bat did not S. W. wind blowing. I cut samples out of 3 bales of cotton. Took them to Sudan. But could not get 10.90 raised what I was offered at Dodd's gin. I sold to Dodd at \$10.90 per cwt. Took Lattie to work. Paid a bus bill. Heard Fred \$1.30 and some others. Heard while in town a blizzard would hit here about 9 p.m. If it does the late feed will be ruined. Took my 8th bale to gin to note.						Sat
Tues	3		Was up early. Sure enough the hard freeze came. was cold, freezing all day. I helped in the election till 12 o'clock to note. Bill took my 9th bale to gin.						Sun
Wed	4		We left the election building at 4:10 A.M. Near all night. I came home did not sleep much. Went to field pulled cotton till noon. Slept a while this P.M. Took 10th bale to gin. Ferris' fullers started in to pull cotton. Sold Bill's heifer and steer calf. Also my two heifers. Colors. Garvin bought them \$55.00.						Mon
Thurs	5		The fullers finished my cotton the first going over. This A.M. Bill had his pulled down at gin 10/6 #. The Walker people came down this P.M. They all pulled a bale for Bill. 11.00 on my eleventh bale. I went to Littlefield this A.M. Bud moved the binder over and his tractor cut some. Not so cold to note.						Wed

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	DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
	Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Friday November 6 1936.					
Fri	6			Bill was late getting over to start binder. They had a few minor stops. I took two bales to gin. I think that is right. I have been so busy that I have forgotten the numbers. I have been on the run. Shacked some of the feed. Some of the hands quit at noon (Parker.) The boy called tonight for the Parker money. \$16.00. What I owe them.					
Sat	7			Bill & I cut feed this A.M. Took another bale to gin. I went to town settled up with the people that pulled cotton for me. All settled for except Mr Ham. Payed him \$5.00. Sallie has gone to see Sattie Frye'sing tonight.					
Sun	8			Was cold and blustry to day. Bill & I went to S.S. at Friend ship. Mr Ham took me to S.S. I did not know Bill & I were down there. When we were ready to leave all Sallie's kids were gone. We could not leave her alone. So we left Iat with her. H.G. took Mrs Mathews Sattie Mather and Bro. to Okla.					
Mon	9			We cut feed in for noon. Had to quit the tractor fan broke. Got it fixed just before nite.					
Tues	10			We had several break downs. Did not cut much feed. H.G. came in from Okla about 9 P.M.					
Wed	11			We had good luck till about 2:30 P.M. We broke the binder head had to go to town. Broke the putman head just before noon. Sent it to shop for a welding job. The binder head had to be fixed with a new one. at \$9.95. I was crying on the streets about it. Met a friend Mr Jerry Barnes he gave me one. I gave black smith .75c to make the wheel changes. A friend in dept. Had to buy 4 bales of twine. We did not observe Armistice day much.					

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Thursday November 12, 1936.						
Thurs	12		We have had some trouble all day. The head Mr Barnes gave me worked O.K. We did not quite get done. A little call tonight. I am worn out binding feed. Settled up with Mr Ham. I owed him \$17.90 for cotton gulling. Will give he and his son \$2.10 to head maize tomorrow.						Thurs
Fri	13		We finished binding feed by 10 A.M. We shocked feed till noon. They all cut maize heads in p.m. H.G. & Lattie were here for dinner. I went up town in P.M. Paged land rate at Bank \$205.00 Bought pair of work shoes some long handle drawers and some shirts \$7.21 Paged Ham \$20.00						Fri
Sat	14		Ham F.S. & Bill cut heads out of my maize till noon. I worked about place wrecking some fence. and rebuilding some other fence. We all went up to Sudan in p.m.						Sat
Sun	15		Bill & I went up North of Mule shoe to see a Mr Peterman. He was not the one I wanted to see. We could not rent the land Norway. Bethel Ray went with us. We went on up to Frank & Quities to see how Mother was. She is Ok.						Sun
Mon	16		We started in to cut heads in Bills feed. He had some that headed out. Think he will make 5 tons. Mr Ham and kids left this for noon. Nice folks. Stated for them to leave.						Mon
Tues	17		We finished Bills feed. Cut some of mine. Pulled the corn. Not much good.						Tues
Wed	18		Worked in field all day. a hard wind part of day.						Wed

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DATE	Month	Day	Year	SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
						Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Thursday Nov. 9 1936					
Thurs	18			We cut maize a part of day. The heads are no good. I dug part holes around the stalk field. Wrecked some fence. Will fence the corn stalk field also.					
Fri	20			We worked on fence till noon. All went up town to wash except Bill he finished the fence. We like quite a bunch of bundles having them shackled up. Cant do that only early in the morning. Too dry.					
Sat	21			Bill & I went up town to see about selling the bundles & heads. Was offered \$8.00 on the ground for heads. No sale for bundles. (Chockerman said he would come out Sun. to see feed.)					
Sun	22			The folks went to church at Friends ship. I stayed home to see some men, that wanted to see feed and cotton. The feed man came out. The cotton man did not show up. H.G. But our folks called in p.m.					
Mon	23			Bill hauled two loads of feed heads to Mr Chockerman. Was about 1/2 of what he thought he had. I did not see. Was up town most of day.					
Tues	24			H.G. & Lattie came up. We went over to Amherst. I wanted to see Bill Roland. About renting some Co. land. He said it was all sold. Roland is manager of the Walcott Land Co. or the Mashel O' "O" outfit.					
Wed	25			Bill & I were up in town p.m. I hired some people to pull the balance of cotton. I left Bud thrash sudan.					
Thurs	26			We all went to Buds for Thanksgiving feed. I had a fine dinner. All eats that this winter ate were good. The people (light) pulled 1300 ±					

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	DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
	Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Wednesday, December 2 - 36					
Wed	2			We went to work in a.m. I rendered lard in the after noon. Cleared up for awhile					
Thur	3			Bad weather cold foggy and raining. Bill & I shocked up some feed in p.m. Sure would love to see a few days of pretty weather so I could get balance of cotton out. Will have to be moving soon. H.G. and Lattie were here for a while to day.					
Fri	4			Cloudy and rainy all day. Call too Had to stay by stove all day.					
Sat	5			I went up to town early I wanted to see about a lumber bill. The H. B. L. Co. figured on one \$300.00 too much for what I want to build. Anolis & Jimmie came in about 10.30 P.M. Also 1 day. They were cold when they got here.					
Sun	6			Anolis, Bill & I went down to low Littlefield to see a two room house a fellow has for sale at \$100.00 I did not want it. On back home the folks had gone to H.G. We all took dinner at his place.					
Mon	7			The folks started pulling cotton again this a.m. We went to town with Harold & Lattie. Had the money draw- ing. We did not get any of it.					
Tues	8			I went down helped Harold on his barn moving. Worked till nite. Bill ginned 3 bales of cotton for me. Call all day.					
Wed	9			Bill & I started in to finish shocking feed. H.G. came by. We all went to sale near Amherst. I bought a one row lister and wagon sheet all \$6.50. Call all day.					
Thurs.	10			Sold 5 bales cotton to Geo Rector for \$12.00 Bills bale also, 1/2 raised on Dodd gin lot's on this place. Finished cotton to day.					

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Friday Dec. 11 - 1936						
Fri	11		I settled up with Mr Sigler I owed him \$45.40. Was up town for a while Bill & I cut hogria heads this P.M. Lattie came by at 7:10 P.M. going to town to ball game. Sallie sat with them. Sigler will check out in the morning.						Fri
Sat	12		I had Bill and I cut balance of pig heads in south field. We all went to town in P.M. Sigler left by 7 A.M.						Sat
Sun	13		Home all for noon Sallie & I Bill. I went to S.S. at Friendship. Thomas called for me to go to Olton with him. He was looking for a jack, he heard was for sale. F. Fife H. Fife and T.W. also went.						Sun
Mon	14		Bill & I went down to Harolds to help him on his lat fences & sheds. How town cold all day ice did not melt.						Mon
Tues	15		Bill took me to town He went out to Harolds to help on the sheds. I borrowed Jack Linderson's car went out to see Mrs Brading about her home if she rents me the land. She said she would want to keep the house. I also saw Mrs Jess Budd about buying a 12x28 house from her. She did not price it. The "house" is the sore spot now here at home.						Tues
Wed	16		Bill and I went back to help H.G. with his fencing. We finished it up.						Wed
Thurs	17		I had Bill to pull my car up town. Left it with Carlile Dannels. Will cut me at least \$36.00 Sallie & I went to Littlefield with H.G. & Lattie. A north wind brought snow about nite. How cold it is clear Nov 10.15 P.M. Cold.						Thurs

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
			Friday December 18, 1936.					
Fri	18		We wrecked the chicken lot and garden fences in for noon. Was my town in P.M. Calf tonite.					
Sat	19		Did not do any thing in for noon. All went to town in P.M. H.G., Lattie and all the children. Buf, Ida and Wanda are here tonite. Harold's birth day, 23. I payed Carlile Damico \$30.00 on the Car account. It will have to go back as he did not get it done O.K. She stoped on way home.					
Sun	20		At home all day. No company.					
Mon	21		We took car back to Damico. Think it will be O.K. when run a while. I went down to Littlefield a pop call. with Buf.					
Tues	22		Call as the mischief all for noon. I ralled up a string of fence. Went up town Mr Fyle in P.M. Bill went to cut feed for H.G. He drove my car not back yet. 10 P.M.					
Wed	23		We were up town to buy some Christmas and do some mailing packages. Made ready to go to Rader. Bill came in and went to town to go to Clovis A.M. with his girls folks. I am afraid he will be late. H.G. & Lattie came by and decided they would go to Jimmie and Anolis' for Christmas dinner. Before they decided to go they gave Lattie & the gifts they had for me. Lattie gave me a large ledger for my diary. which I sure appreciated as I am now writing on tablet paper. Harold gave his mother a large mirror and table cover. Mr Rudd called to see me about selling me the 12x28 house. I told her I would call on her in the morning and check it over.					

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DATE	SOLD TO	Quantity	Price	Amount Recd.
Month	Day	Year	Dolls.	Cts.
Sun	27	I took folks to church. I came back I was looking for some company. But they did not come. I gave Sallie and Pat \$5.00 for Bro. Spick. He is leaving this part of the faction. A good man. We went up to place in p.m. Decided on place to build. Frank & Gustie came by. Said mother was doing fine.		
Mon	28	Bill & I went up to the Rudd place lifted up the house. It is ready to load on the wagon.		
Tues	29	They had a sad time in Sudan this early A.M. A fire broke out in the movie house. Destroyed the show a drug store and several other businesses. Last but not least Mrs Chamber lost her life in the fire. She & her husband owned the show. I borrowed on wagon of Lynne Alder One from Cecil Jain. Two boys of the light people. Loaded the house and moved it to new building site. I had Lynne Alder tractor to pull it. H.G. & Bud helped me.		
Wed	30	Not so bad but cold all day. We did no work on house too cold. But we worked on storm cellar. 9 1/2 x 14 x 6. I bought 300 bricks of John Blanchard. Call tonight.		
Thurs	31	Was a nice day. We made very good progress on house. plenty cold. H.G. & Bud are helping me.		

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Friday January 1, 1937						
Fri	1		The New year came in with a sand storm. We could not work out to do any good. Worked on cellar some. Not so cold to-nite						Fri
Sat	2		We did intend to go out to work on the house. But to call. John Blanchard sold out cheap to me. He was to cut the commission on the sale of the land I bought 50-50 with me. But when he got the check he run in a third party. He did not tell me any thing about him having a partner. I demanded \$4000 of it and got that. I think it was a very little and cheap trick. Awful cold all day.						Sat
Sun	3		We went over and spent day at Bud and Ida. The ice did not melt all day. The car froze up coming home.						Sun
Mon	4		Still cold we did not get out to work on house till late. So cold. I made arrangements at Bank for \$4500. H.G. did not come to help today. But did. We made good time to day while we worked. Cold to-nite. Bill took Bud home. Will stay over there to-nite.						Mon
Tues	5		We worked on house most of day. Bill & Bert were late getting here.						Tues
Wed	6		We had a fine day. The women folks came up to fix lunch. Very good time. We finished the roof put down some of the new floor. A freezing spell hit just before nite. And now it is back 10 AM.						Wed
Thur	7		We stayed home. H.G. and Lattie came by going to town. I went up to get a sack out. All the gas leaked out of Bills car. The ground is covered with snow.						Thur

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DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Thursday Jan. 14. 1937.						
Thurs	14		Jorn left for Haverston this A.M. He said he felt bad. Caught all nite said he ruptured his side catching. Bill & I worked on house all day. We put up the ceiling on one room. The boys did not come to help me. Guess they have work of their own to do.						Wed
Fri	15		Bill & I worked on house all day. We took a trailer load of cane up to place. The well men started in early and to nite they said they were down 81 feet. Mr. Ferguson thinks he will be ready for the pump by to-morrow noon. J. M. Whites outfit. Ferguson doing the drilling.						Thurs
Sat	16		We went up to place worked on house till 3:30 P.M. Mr. Ferguson told me he would have to have the 4 1/2" casing. The well began to cave. Bill and I went to town bought 1 1/8" 4 1/2" at 40¢ per foot. Mr. F. put that down before he quit. A little cold this A.M. Well it has been freezing all day.						Fri
Sun	17		The well men were at work when Bill and I arrived at New home. But they had encountered an other trouble. The oilfield casing I bought had a coat of thick tar in side. Ferguson could not get his bailor thro casing. He tried to drill it out. But could not do any good. The wind came up so hard he quit at noon. A sandy Bill & I worked some on house and some on cellar.						Sat
Mon	18		We worked on well and house inside. They did not get the well done in time to move. Will run tubing tomorrow.						Sun
Tues	19		We run tubing. Had hard pump going by 11 A.M. They moved rig. worked on house all day. Will try to move well or thro.						Mon

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DATE				SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.	
	Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Wednesday Jan. 20 - 1937.					
Wed	20			We worked on house all day. Will try to move tomorrow. A cold cloudy sky tonite. Radio report snow tomorrow.					
Thurs	21			Too cold to move. Bill & I went up to place to drill a drain plug in well pipe. We so cold we could not do it. An awful blizzard is blowing. Back home by stove.					
Fri	22			St. B. & Buf came up and we moved to new place. Snow was cold. Did not move any stock or chickens. This house sure is cold. Not finished.					
Sat	23			I built cow lat. Bill moved cow in Ed Lorro trailer. I worked cleaning up around house. Bill & Ed went to town just at nite.					
Sun	24			The snow started blowing about 10 pm. A. Q. Mann & came home with Bill last nite. I wanted to finish the cellar but the snow storm raged all day. Buf, Ida & baby came up for a while this pm. Aralis & Jimmie and baby also came up from Raeco. was cold all day besides the snow.					
Mon	25			Bill & I left early for the old place. For another load of different kinds of things. We moved hen house & hen on trailer. Also the cow shed. I paid J. M. White \$50.00 on well account. Paid him \$10.00 St. B. and Lattie have split the blanket again. The amp boys are here tonite. Leonard & Wayne. I hate that that has happened. Lattie ^{promised} me back in 1935 if I would go to California and try to get Harold to stop his divorce suit and come back to her. She would not do any more of her 'ragging' which she admitted she did. She has not done that. I do not blame her if she does not want to live with him if he drinks. But she knew at that time he did drink and I told her they could not get along. But nothing would do her but for me to go to Calif.					

(over)

Account of Grain Sold

Kind of Grain _____

DATE			SOLD TO	Quantity	Price		Amount Recd.		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Con from page 31						
Mon	25		and try to get him to go back to her. So I want I have not helped him do any thing down on that place of hers that she did not criticize? Well any human would not like that. Now the bubble has popped open and Sallie & I have to stand in the "mouth" of the gun. The boys own mother scatt fire. S.G. cant do any thing but bring the boys here. However we will do the best we can. Aralis went home early. Jim stayed for a few days visit.						Inc
Tues	26		Bier & S.G. made load from old place in for noon. Sallie called in p.m. kept S.G. out in car all after noon trying to get him to come back to her. Things are O.K. when he has his children with some one else. This has been going on for 3 or 4 years. Live together for a while and then separate.						
Wed	27		Bier & I went back to old place for a load of feed. S.G. took my car and went to see about his part of the chickens down at Sallies. I think I sold the bundle crop on the alot place for \$10.00 on board or \$8.00 on ground, per ton. \$3.00 for bailing. Sallie came for S.G. to go down and divide the chickens.						
Thur	28		I worked on cellar all day. Aralis came in just at nite. He brought three oil stov for me to use, or trade for a gas range. Harold did not come in. Guess he is going to stay down then till he gets his business attended too, that is no way for them to do.						

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain

DATE	BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid	
			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
Month	Day	Year				
	Friday Jan. 29 / 1937					
Fri 29	Oralis & Jim and Bill left early, Bill is out on his own. Hated to see him go away. But I could not help him go to school. and he wanted to try the job Oralis spoke about. So all he can do is to try it out. Hope he pulls the grade. Bill is a kid that wants to do something on his own. And I will not be any stumbling block in his way. He told me to hire some one in his place to work the feed. All I told him when he left was to 'shoot square' and he knows what I meant. If he shoots square and straight with all people he comes in contact with he will be O.K. I hated for him to go away and no money in hand but I could not help it at this time.					
Sat 30	H.G. came in last night. He went back to Buds place to help him stack feed today. I was to meet him at old place to bring a load of feed home. But the wind was so hard I did not go. I went down town late picked S.H. up. On our home, I guess he has all of affairs fixed up at Lattie's place. I worked on cellar all day. I have it all finished except hanging the door. Not so cold to - note.					
Sun 31	We stayed by store till noon. As usual, I and boys went down to old place for a load of feed. Not so bad altho a little disagreeable.					
	Monday February 1. 1937.					
Mon 1	Another birthday 57 years old. An awful cold N.E. wind blew in some time after midnite. Lattie came by for Harold to go to Littlefield or Lubbock with her. They went to Lubbock to see a Dr at Lubbock sanatorium? I cant see why she keeps running after him. (over) She says he will not return to her. Two sets of kids in same house cant get along.					

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain *Con. from page 33*

DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Monday Feb. 1. 1937.						
Mon	1		I went down town in p.m. Saw the fellow that was going to buy my feed stuff. He told me he could not use it. But after the freeze was over the excuse he had. Well he did say the burlers did not carry enough grain. That made me sore to think he string me along that way. Well it is just more worry. Am sending Southwestern Life Ins. Co. of Dallas, Tex. check for \$7.90. That takes care of my policy till Nov. 1. 1937						Set
Tues	2		Some snow on the ground when we got up. Cold too. We papered and covered the living room. Harold & I went down to old place for a load of feed. Came back by town. Payed Higgin - father, Bartlett Lbr. Co. \$150.00 on acct. Bal. due them \$100.15						
Wed	3		We made another load to day. After helping Bud finish his stacking.						
			We went down to his place early. Garvin came by bought the calf for \$7.50						
Thurs	4		I worked on horse lat fence in forenoon H.B. & Dot went to old place for a load of feed. Lallie stayed off in Sudan to do the washing. H.B. and I went for load in P.m.						
Fri	5		Harold & I went down to old place to stack feed down there. But the wind came up so hard that we did not make but 2 loads on stock. Loaded up mays heads sold to Elevator for \$23.50 per ton, check \$45.94 Went back for load of corn, brought it home. Will more bal. tomorrow. A hard sand storm blew all day here at home.						Sun

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain _____

Amount Paid		DATE		BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid	
Doll.	Cts.	Month	Day			Year	Doll.	Cts.	Doll.
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Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain.

DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Monday Feb. 8 1937						
Mon	8		I tried to start the car, can't rat. The wind began to blow again about 10 A.M. Only difference in yesterday's sand storm was the wind was out of the N.W. and came over in P.M. helped me start the car I went down town a few moments P.M. Cold to night. H.G. has rat showed up yet. Lurris he and Lattie made medicine Saturday night and have gone back together.						Then
Tues	9		I went down town early. Hired Lyn Olds to haul two loads of bundles up here from old place. He made one load today I saw Mr. Garvin sold him my mule carts for \$150.00. I hated to sell them, but I had no place to keep them. I went on down to place with Olds. Left my car in town. I brought the mules and summit mare up here with a wagon load feed (bundles). Harries has not hauled any bundles out of field yet or had not what I left. Saw Harold he told me he would be out home tonight. He came up and we went in to town for my car. He said he & Lattie had gone back together. Well if they can get along that is the thing to do. But they have tried it so much, that one can't help but be doubtful about it.						From
Wed	10		I worked about place in fore noon. Logan Lynch brought a load of bundles up for me this P.M. Dr. Ford came to my place this morning before day. He said he had started on a call. Lost his way and his car went haywire. I borrowed Bill Briscoe's car took him to his patient. Went to wash P.M. He came for the bags, and his things. I hope they make good.						Sat Lor Sun Mon

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain _____

Amount Paid s. Cts.	DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid	
	Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Thursday Feb. 11 1957					
	Thurs	11		Was awful cold in for noon. I did intend to get some fence up. But was so cold I did not work out in it. I fixed some doors and underpinned east side house. Bud & Iida and Wanda called. After dinner Bud & I put up the cow shed. Looks a little rainier to nite. It is a little lonesome with out Leonard & Wayne. They were here near two weeks and I had gotten use to them. They did not make so much racket.					
	Fri	12		I worked about place in for noon. I went down to old place in p.m. Saw Mr Harkins. The man that is hauling my feed. He said they would get it all out by Sat noon. There will be about 10 truck loads if Harkins report is true.					
	Sat	13		I dug some post holes and stretched some fence when I intend to have a sudan pasture. We all went to town this p.m. Got cork from sister Curtie stating they would come down to spend day tomorrow. I know Mather will be tickled to get out and ride around a little. Not so cold.					
	Sun	14		The sun came out today. Frank and Curtie arrived about 10.30 A.M. Mather sure did enjoy the cutting I saw. She can walk now with a little help. Junior did not have any one to play with. He did get lonesome & I saw. Looks rainier to nite. Not cold.					
	Mon	15		I went down town early. I thought Mr Harkins would be in town by 9 A.M. But he did not. I ate dinner and started for Littlefield to see what was holding him. I met him 2 miles east of Sudan. I came back. He had the loads weighed and money. 49150# to me. 9815 for Bill at \$3.50 per ton. \$103.18. 1/2 out for rent. Bill part \$717. I paid Logan Lynch \$3.65 for feed haul. Lyn also \$3.00 for feed haul. Rainy looking to nite.					

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain

DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid		Month
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Tuesday Feb. 16 1937						
Tues	16		I heard of a wind mill for sale at Littlefield So Sallie, Dat and I went down to see about it. The fellow one of the Renfro Bros was the man. He would not sell the mill and tower with out selling the whole works. I did not need the tubing sucker rod or cylinder. So we did not trade. Rained some to day. Mr. White came out and run my counter lines. If I follow them I sure will have some crooked rods. But that is the only way to help the water.						Sat
			Rain						
Wed	17		I worked about place. Fixed up the fence around the little pasture or stamp lot. I intend to plant it in sudan grass for grazing. Let stock out in it. They sure did enjoy the outing. They have been up in the late even since I had them up here.						Mon
Thurs	18		Dat & I went to wash and get some gas. I saw John Blanchard while in town. He wanted me to come over to his place to see the mare I let him have to work. He said he was going to kill her if I did not want her. Well I sure do not want her in the shape she is in now. She was not crippled up that way, when he taken her away from my place last fall. I will just ask him to replace her. Late of send blow to day. I payed Waltrip \$1.50 I sued him. We all went down to John Withers place to see a windmill he had. I bought it for \$10.00. payed him \$5.00 on it would have payed all. But he could not change a \$20.00 bill. We went on down to Harold's ate dinner and went down on the Yellow house ranch to see some land he is talking of breaking out for the crop. Sat Bud Traylor and bought the wind mill home. Sallie gave us some grape and berry vines. Fine day.						Tues
Fri	19								Wed



Greetings from Padre Island

Dear Mom & Dad,
a few lines, we arrived
Thursday night, we sitting here
looking out over the water.
It's pretty calm, but Son is
shinning, think we will
try to fish some this eve.
We only stay here one night a
King home, it was too calm
there, so we come on down
here. Best day's fine.
see you soon Bob & Ma,



POST CARD



Mrs Mrs W. A. Lock
Sudan, Tex

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Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain _____

Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid	
	Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
				Saturday Feb. 20	1937				
	Sat	20		was cold all day. I could not work on the wind mill. Did attempt to put it up. We did not go to town that is very unusual. We nearly always go to Sudan on Sat p.m. Snowed some and sleeted and rained a little. Not enough to do any good much.					
	Sun	21		We all went down to Bud's & I was cold all day. The sun was shining most of day.					
	Mon	22		was cold up to (ten) 10 a.m. Bud came up before noon. H.G. and Bud helped me put up the wind mill. It is a very low mill. I can reach the blades in the wheel. We have had no wind to day. I had to hand pump water for the stock to nite. Think it will be ok. when the wind gets up. Worked on the dirt tank some this late p.m.					
	Tues	23		I worked on the dirt tank till noon. We wanted some lumber and paint. Lallie & I went down to Sudan for it. I could not get the lumber. We came back home on our mules for the lumber. Both home by sun set. Not went to Farwell & back to Lubbock.					
	Wed	24		We Lallie & I went down town. I called up Aralis at Ralls. He, Jimmie and Bill came up. They arrived about noon. Bill and Aralis went down to H.G.'s & Bud's. They came up in p.m. after supper. Bill, Aralis, Jim and Bud and Harold went up to Sister Curties & Frank's place. They were back by 9 p.m. Then H.G., Bud, Bill, Aralis, and I went to Lubbock on to Ralls and back to Lubbock. Saw right Chief at Galien station. On home. As we did not get any news we all went to bed about 3:30 A.M. of Thurs. 24.					

Account of Grain Bought

Kind of Grain

DATE			BOUGHT OF	Quantity	Price		Amount Paid		Year
Month	Day	Year			Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.	
			Thursday Feb. 24 1937						
Thurs 25			As soon as H.G. & Lattie came up we started out for Clovis, N.M. Bill Aralis and me. We had a lead at meek-shoe. On our way to Clovis, did not hear any thing thin. So we headed for Roswell, N.M. We arrived in Roswell at 4 P.M. Found Mr. Sigler. He had no news. We then headed for Ft. Sumner N.M. arrived at Frank Burko at 7 P.M. No news then. On home. The folks had good news when we got home. A phone call from Mrs. Janner at Subbach stated Det was at her place.						Mon
Fri 26			H.G. Lattie Lallie & I went to Subbach. found Det at Subbach poultry & egg Co plant. She did not want to come back. But did. When Aralis & Jim started home she wanted to go home with them. We thought it would be O.K. After she left I decided that I did not blame her for what she did. She never had a 50-50 break at home. So I am going to Ralls tomorrow and have her get some clothes she need and let her go to Stanton, Tex. That's when she wants to go.						Tues
Sat 27			I started to Sudan on foot. Caught the bus. Was in Ralls by 1 P.M. Jim & Bill brought Det & I to Subbach. Jim & Det did her shopping and we were at home by 9 P.M. Det seems pleased the way things have changed. And I feel better too.						Wed
Sun 28			We all went down to Herald in P.M. Had some car trouble.						

Yearly Record of Grain Raised

Kind of Grain Monday March 1, 1937.

Year	Acres Planted	TIME PLANTED		TIME HARVESTED		Average per Acre	Total Quantity Raised	Value at Time Harvested	REMARKS
		Month	Day	Month	Day				
Mon 1									We made ready and made the east bound bus at 11.40 A.M. Dat left on it. She looked good in her new clothes. I packed a nice ham and sent it to Bro Tom at Staunton. My hopes and prayers are that she makes good in any endeavor she undertakes and I believe she will be O.K. I made a deal with Jack Lenderson (The Gulf Agent) to stake me to 222 gallons of gas for Bill Brisco to do 40 a of listing for me ^{at 50¢ per a.} He started in this afternoon. The ground sure plows good. I have worked on my water trough this P.M. Lallie painted the ceiling in dining room. We are now just like we started out. All the children gone. We will get home some I guess. Dat call her home. I would of loved to let her have more money than I gave her but I did not have it.
Tues 2									I worked on the water trough all for noon. We went down town to wash after noon. I finished the tank. Brisco has reared all the land listed up west and south west of house. The sand want blow now. For a while at least. Guess Dorothy is in Staunton by now. Hope she made the trip O.K.
Wed 3									I worked all day on the water trough and dirt tank. Moved quite a lot of the dirt that came out of the storm cellar. I made "medicine" with Bill Brisco to do all my listing. He did not finish today. A cloud came up this P.M. late from N.E. and rained some. Not much. Thought we would get cork from Dorothy. But did not. A little cold tonight. We sure do get lonesome. No one here but Lallie & I. Just like we started out. But not the sick we had when we started out. Now that is just too bad.

Yearly Record of Grain Raised

Kind of Grain *Thursday Mch. 4 1937*

Year	Acres Planted	TIME PLANTED		TIME HARVESTED		Average per Acre	Total Quantity Raised	Value at Time Harvested	REMARKS	Year
		Month	Day	Month	Day					
Thurs	4									Sun
Ploowing.									The wind sure did blow all night from looks of things around house. And was cold all day. I worked a while on the dirt tank. Harold & Lattie came by going to Lubbock. They wanted me to go along so we had a bite to eat and went with them. Bill Brisco finished the listing today. That is off my mind. I have a little plowing to do. Will walk and do it. I told Harold I would pay \$10.00 on helping him fix his car. I think he said it cost him \$20.00 to have it fixed. He was driving for me when he froze the motor. On way to Lubbock to get Rat. They did not get any further than Anton. Had to turn around and come back home. This happened on the night of Feb. 24, '37. Harold & Lattie started for Lubbock after we came in from the Western trip. to Ft Sumner and Roswell trip.	Mon
Fri	5								Was raining when we got up this morning. Has rained at different times all day. Is now raining like the mischief 9.20 P.M. We could not do any work. If I had of had some nails I could have built the pasture in the bed room. We looked for a letter from Dorothy but did not get it. Guess she dont want to write to us.	Tues
Rain.										Wed
Sat	6								I took a walk over the field this fore noon. The ground is well soaked. I think we had as much as 1 1/2 or 2 in. rain fall. Had letter from Bro. Tom at Houston stating Dorothy's safe arrived in Houston. Lattie & I went down town this P.M. Had card from Rat. She said she made Houston Ok. Hope she gets a job and will be satisfied. A fine season now. I think all of south plains has a good rain. I saw John Blanchard about the mare I loaned him. He wanted me to come over to his place tomorrow to see her. I wise not go as I have nothing to say as to what he dose with her. She is ruined. I demand a replacement.	Thurs

Yearly Record of Grain Raised

Kind of Grain Friday Mich 12 1937

Year	Acres Planted	TIME PLANTED		TIME HARVESTED		Average per Acre	Total Quantity Raised	Value at Time Harvested	REMARKS	Year
		Month	Day	Month	Day					
Fri	12								The Mr. Giller? stayed a fellow on highway got him to push his car for a starting. Sallie & I went down town in for noon. Back home had a bite to eat. Worked about place in p.m. Helped Bill B on his cellar. I went over to get my glove and the roof of his cellar was about to cave in.	Mich
Sat	13								Was cloudy and cold when we got up. Stayed in home all day. We had a letter from Dat. She stated she had a job with a family at \$4.00 per week. I am sure glad and have prayed that she would be taken care of. I feel that she will be. Arlio Jimmie and Bill came in about 6:30 p.m. We were not looking for them at this time. Has rained some today. Now 11:40 p.m. is snowing.	
Sun	14								The snow did not amount to much. Altho it is awful cold. The oil man did not deliver the oil and I had to go over to Bill B. for some coal oil. Arlio & I went to town for some coal. He and Bill went down to Buds just before noon. They came back ate and started for Ralls. Bill took his car back to Ralls with him. Hope he gets a good price for it. He is talking of selling it and buying a 1/2 interest in the filling station. H.G. & Bud and folks called this p.m. Jimmie is staying for the week.	Thurs
Mon	15								I signed up and started on the highway (plowed) parts breaking it out. I plowed & bent (plowed) was cold all day. I felt bad.	Fri
Tues	16								I finished the park plowing by 11:30 A.M. Frank, Curtie and Mather came down in the (plowed) afternoon. Mather sure is gaining some strength. She can get up by holding to a chair but can't walk yet. They left at about 4 p.m. H.G. & Lattie came by and wanted us to go home and stay over night with them. I did not much like all of us going away for the night but we did.	Sat

Yearly Grain Account

Kind of Grain Wednesday March 17, 1937

Year	Quantity Produced	Value Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	Value of Seed and Fertilizer Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
Wed 17	I helped Harold take a bunch of wheels off a trailer. Then we went over to Buds for my two wheel trailer. We ate dinner at Harold came on to town and to the cotton or farm meeting. The County Agent explained the 1937 setup. I was elected on the local committee. But I got up just before adjournment and told the house I thanked them for electing me but that I could not serve. For two reasons one was I had no one at home to do my work. and another is I was on the local com. last year with Mr Kent and Mr Preston we tried to put over a fair deal for all. But the plan was turned down. So we all resigned. and I feel like I could not serve. Aralis came up for Jimmie to nite. They left here about 9 to p.m.											
Thurs 18	I was sick to day. Just felt bad. H.G. Lattie and Bud came by going to the sale at Dimmitt. So Lattie & I went too. Harold, Bud and I bought a feed mill. Harold bid it in at \$49.00. I think it is a good buy. We came home by Willie Simmons. Lattie came by marriage. He did not get a place that suited him. We had letter from Dat. She wants some money. She is about ready to come home. I was hopeful she would work and be satisfied. But if she wants to come home. I will send her the money. But I cant stand her smoking in my presence I do not like that.											
Fri 19	A bad sand storm all day. H.G. Bud & I went up Sand 8.1 to Dimmitt to get the feed mill we bought yesterday. at times we could not see 10 ft. ahead of the car. Lattie went to Little field with Lattie and Ida.											
Sat 20	Lattie & I put up some of the ceiling in bed room. I went down to town. Sent Dat \$3.50 to come home on. Had to buy a frame for my radiator. Cost 80c. Aralis & Jim called for a few chats. They had been to Little field. Nice day.											

Yearly Grain Account

Kind of Grain Sunday Mch 21 1937

Year	Quantity Produced	Value Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	Value of Seed and Fertilizer Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
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Sun 21 We stayed home all day. No one came and we could not go any place. A very nice day.

Mon 22 I went over to see if Bill Brisco would come over and help me start my car. He did. But about the time we got started, Tom Keat came out for me to go to Amherst to see County Agent Turner. We went over after picking up Ben Pierce at Suden.

Turner said he could not do any thing about it. How ever I did not want to accept the committee ship. But they Bent & Pierce said they would not let if I would not. Some one has to be committeemen. So I told them I would accept the post if it could be arranged. At County Agents office I heard while in town Sheriff Loyd had died of gun shot wounds inflicted by a Negro at Littlefield Saturday nite. So bad. Lattie & I built yard fence in p.m. Some sand today.

Tue 23 The wind started blowing by 10 A.M. by noon it was bad. and by 4 P.M. it too bad. and now 9:35 P.M. it is still raging.

Lattie came by for us to go to Littlefield to the funeral of our Sheriff Loyd.

The largest crowd, the most flowers I ever saw at any grave. and about as bad a sand storm as one wants to see. They could hardly keep the flowers on the grave.

Dat came in from Stanston today this p.m. she came in while we were at Littlefield. She came home on train.

I sure have messed this page up no blatter either

Wed 24 I think the wind and sand blew all nite and near all day. It calmed down about 4 P.M. But now 9:15 P.M. is blowing out of N.E. Boy! the sand has moved about. Bill Brisco came over this for noon and I went to town with him after we played 3 games of dominos.

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Yearly Grain Account

Kind of Grain Sunday March 28 1937

Year	Quantity Produced	Value Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	Value of Seed and Fertilizer Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
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Sun 28 Bud & Ida and Wanda Sue came in this for noon. Mrs. Lattie and boys came just as we finished dinner. They stayed till near nite. Mr. Halland an old friend that used to live at Sudan came in just at nite. He now lives in Calif. Has been cold all day.

Mon 29 Mr. Halland was expecting his son call for him early. But he did not come by noon. We ate dinner and I started out to start my car, so I could take him to town. But I could not get it started. So he left foot. Wanted to see him walk to town. But I could not help it. The ground was covered with snow when we got up this morning and has not all melted to-day. Blanchard sent a boy out here with a mare. He wanted to replace the one I let him have. I told the boy he could take her back and I would come to town and see Blanchard about it. The boy told me he did not know anything about the mare. But later Blanchard and Mrs. Parrish came out and she told me the mare was O.K. That she had owned her (the mare) for 3 years and that the boy was her boy. So the kid lied to me or she and Blanchard did me. I told them I would come down there (to her home) and try her out. They insisted I take the mare to-day. But since the kid told me the tale he did and then his mother told a different tale I would not do it. I guess the mare will be better than nothing. Blanchard does not expect to make it right and since I loaned him the mare I have to come back. It is left up to his honor and he has proven he has no. I hate to be fooled in a man.

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Wednesday April 14 1937

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd	
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.
Wed	14		H.G., Lattie came up to take Dat to Lubbock. I went along. Dorthey found a place with a Mrs McBride. She wanted to work for her. Hope she gets on fine.							
Thur	15		H.G. Came up and helped me with the corn shelling. I took samples to town. Was offered \$2.50 per hundred. Was worms all day.							
Fri	16		I went down and helped Harold run a concrete floor for his Chicken house. It did not take long after we got started. Come home and took Mather to see the Dr. Fort. He said her hip was broken. And it had been broken too long for him or any other Dr. to do it any good. Unless it was rebroken. And that is out of the question. Bud & Ida, Wanda were up to see. Has been hat all day. Mather seems to be satisfied now, since she saw the Dr. Have not heard from Dat.							
Sat	17		Worked about place in for noon. We all went down town in P.M. Took some corn for meal.							
Sun	18		We stayed home all day. We looked for the boys for dinner but none of them did not come.							
Mon	19		I loaded up the corn took it to town sold to McMonagale feed store. sold it for 3¢ per lb. and 2½¢ per #. Bought 100# Sudan seed from Mr Tom Kent \$3.00. Bud and Mr Crain came by just as it started raining. Bud payed me \$7.60 1/2 of the rebate check on gasoline. My rebate was \$8.88. Will have to see Gulf man.							
Tues	20		I have worked here at home all day. H.G. Lattie and Bulah were here for lunch. They brought us some milk and cream. Has tried to rain all day. Have not heard from Dat yet.							

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Wednesday April 21, 1937.

		DATE			SOLD TO		No. Head	Age	Price per Head	Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd	
		Month	Day	Year					Dolls.	Cts.	Dolls.	Cts.
Wes	21				I worked on the sudan pasture land. I have it in fine shape to plant. I also hooked up to lister and did some sand furrowing. That is I run in all lister furrows and plowed the drift sand out.							
Thurs	22				I plowed all for noon. A west wind started blowing about 1 p.m. and quite a sand storm till 5 or 6 o'clock. I did not work any this p.m. We have not heard from Dorothy yet. I cant see why she want writers and let us know where she is and how she is getting along.							
Fri	23				The wind started blowing out of N.W. about 8 A.M. and by 10 o'clock one could not see 100 yards away. and keep that up untill 4 p.m. S.V.G. and Lattie were up here this p.m. I went down town with them. Mr. Porter brought me home. I could not start my car. The sand was in the carburetor. Was sanded down. Mather seems to be Ok. Only she gets 'blues'. Of course she just sits in one place all the time and she gets tired.							
Sat	24				I did intend to go down to Haralds and help him on his house. But I could not start my old car. It is sanded down. I walked over to Mr. Porters for some sweet milk. It is to much trouble to go so far for so little milk. We stayed home all day. I will have to trade cars. Am tired of "I cant start the car." No letter from Dot yet.							
Sun	25				But, I and Wanda Lee came up for the day. We all went down to Littlefield in p.m. I bought a big cedar like plant to put out in my circle drive way. cost \$1.50. Mather sure was tired when we got back home.							
Mon	26				Some sand blew to-day. We do nothing but set around all time. Too much wind and sand. I do not want to plant any thing. Too cold. Have not started car yet.							

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Tuesday April 27 1937

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd Dolls. Cts.	
Month	Day	Year							Mont
Tues	27		I worked some about the place in forenoon The wind and sand sun did pour it on from S.E. all afternoon. The pet cow Calved this p.m. 4 o'clock. A heifer calf. A wonder old Jack did not kill it. I was surprised that he did not. He was in the lot with Pet. Had he. Oh! Well.						Sat
Wed	28		I went over to Bill Briscoe's to get him to come over and give my car a push. He came after noon. We had letter from Est. She is still at the same place in Suback Mrs McBride. 2007-10.23 St. I went up town or (down to town) now. We had some wind and sand to-day. Would like to see Wind Cure.						Sun
Thurs	29		I worked about place in forenoon. H.G. and Lettie came up at noon and we all went to Littlefield with them. I tried to trade my car on another one. Was told plenty. He said he would not give over \$25.00 for it. Hall Motor Co. I cant do that. I would be giving my wreck for another wreck and go in debt \$50.00. So I sent the battery to have it charged. H.G. said he would come up here tomorrow and see if he could find out just what the trouble is. I would get me a new one if I could put this old one in as first payment.						Mon
Fri	30		I worked at watering the trees and garden till Harold and Clevinger came up. We pet the 'Chew' back together But she would not start. Had to push it off. I went on to town Ordered some oil of Gulf Refining Co. Got the washing and had to be pushed 3 times in town. That is a pain.						Tues

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Wednesday May 5 1937.

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Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Sunday May 9 1937

DATE	SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd	
				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.
Mon 9	Bill and I went down town for the mail but I could not get it. Bill went for Miss White. We took her with us up to Custer. The folks all seemed to enjoy the day. Except mother she wanted to pull the mather day at her home. But she could not. A cloud came up and we came home in light. Bill had to take Miss White home. The cloud came up but did not rain much. I thought Ed & Pearl would come home with us. But they did not. Bill & Jimmie have just left for Falls. They will get home about 11 p.m. If all goes well.							
Mon 10	Rain I worked about home all for noon. I watered all the trees. We went down town for a while when we got home Ed was here. Pearl did not come. Ed & I set up and talked till 2:10 A.M. Now (Tues. 11 th) Raining now.							
Tues 11	The rain of last eve sure did come down. We did not go to bed until 2:10 A.M. today. We were up not so early. Had breakfast and Ed left for Custer. He and Pearl were back here by noon. We had lunch and they started for home at Del Rio Tex. We put a few tomato plants out this P.M. This Rade is telling about Mrs. Rawlett coming in to Ft. Worth. He is calling on his son that lives at Benbrook near Ft. Worth. They are giving him a big hand.							
Wed 12	9 planted sudan pasture near all day. Did not get done.							
Thurs 13	Finished the sudan planted some corn and maize on south side.							
Fri 14	Finished planting corn. Then I planted cotton. Balance of day on the North side of place. The cotton ought to come up quick as the ground is in fine shape. Mr McBride called for Dat to work.							
Sat 15	Planted Cotton till noon. We went to Sudan in P.M. and come for Pet Cow. I thought he would let me milk her till my other cow was fresh.							

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Sunday May 16 1937

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd		May Month	
Month	Day	Year						Dolls.	Cts.		
Sun	16		We had to start the car with a mule. The ground cable was cut in two places. I went down town got a new one. She picked off fine. Came back home. Sallie & I went down to Bud's. We were late so they were not looking for us. We went on down to H.B. & Lattie. They were having dinner as we arrived but we did not eat. We all went down to the oil well 6 mi. south of Belah. Back to Harold's took Bud & Ida home. Stopped flat on way. We were caught in a dust storm at Circle Rock. Thought would come rain. But not so now. 8.50 p.m. The candle bugs are about to put us out of house.								Wed
Mon	17		The runt more junk mare mule that as good as the one lost year. I had to go to town for a horse. Dr. A. Dr. Smith of Paris City, Okla. He came out and took the after birth. She would have died if I had not called the Dr. We watered all the garden and trees this p.m. Bill Briscoe wife and little boy called for a brief time chat. They have just left now 9.45 p.m. He said he would come tomorrow with his tractor and plant cotton for me. I saw Mr Bryant about getting a horse from work till the mare get OK. Wind all day.								Fri
Tue	18		I went to town got some money. Paid the Vet. Dr. \$6.50. Paid Mr Porter \$10.00 on 12 1/2 bu. cotton seed at \$1.25 per bu. He Porter gave me some Kaffir, Nigra and Mays seed. Bill came over to plant cotton. But he was like me afraid it would dry out. I planted bal. p.m. with the one we. I went over to Mr Bryant's for the horse. He is OK.								Sat

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Sunday May 13. 1937.

May DATE 1937			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd Dolls. Cts.	Month	
Month	Day	Year								
Sun	13		I Dr. the mule calf all day made two trips to town for medicine. It did no good. She died about 6 pm. That is hard luck. Last the other big mare. Saw this mule calf. But I can't complain. I guess it is all for the best. That don't look right. But I am not the one to question that. Harold, Lattie Leonard, Wayne and Ruby came up for the day. Bud & Ida did intend to come to spend the day. But they had work that John Crain. Ida's bro. was bad and was not expected to live. They came by here this late p.m. wanting H.B. to go by and milk the cows. They were on way to Littlefield. They left Wanda Lee with us. She is O.K. They (Ruby stayed to keep Wanda company) are all gone to bed. Has turn raining for an hr. now 10:16 p.m.							Tues
Mon	14		I think rain fell near all nite. was raining when I woke up. We started to Littlefield about 8 A.M. and a hard rain started falling just as we left. Rained at different times all day and is now raining 10:36 p.m. Bud and Ida went to Suback Sanatorium to see Clara Bell Crain. She has to have a blood transfusion. Bud donated the blood. He said it did not weaken him much. One "1 pint of his blood was used. John Crain is very low. The Drs think by tomorrow he will be better. All the family were there to day except George and he had to be at Suback with Clara Bell his wife. Mr and Mrs Crain seem to hold up well. We are all alone tonight. Wanda Lee only cried once last nite.							Wed

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Tuesday May 25 1957

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd		
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.	
June	25		Some time last nite a flood fell. I found this morning that my contour was broke and flooded my sudan pasture and some of my cotton. The water would have not broke over, if the place west of me had been contured. My contour was could not take care of the water off the other place and my place too. I dug up some Johnson grass spots on bank of borrow pit. this A.M. We went to work this P.M. Bought a few water mellow seed. Dug up some Bermuda grass at town set it out here at home. Harold came by at 6 p.m. said John Crain passed away at 4 p.m. Too bad the young man in his early man hood. He fought a great battle. But could not win. He was taken to Littlefield May 11th. Was bad from start. A nice, moral young man. We can not question why he was taken away. I told Mr Porters man to come and get the dead mule for his hogs But I guess he did not want it. He did not come. Died 11 p.m.								
Wed	26		I went down town. Called Bill at Ralls. He said they would try to come tonight. I told him to call by that place and pick her up. The kids Det. Jim, Aralis and Bill drove in about 5 A.M. We all got ready went down to Mr Crains. Aralis went up to mule show to see his uncle. The Crain family sure did take John's death hard. Some of the women folks passed out for a while. Sure was a sad time. The kids left for Lubbock & Ralls about 6 p.m. Sister Curtie had a call to come to Lubbock Sanatorium. They are to operate on her daughter Velma from Ohasa Tex. They drove up here a few min. ago. Mother came with them. She is going to stay with us for a while.								

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Thursday May 27. 1937.

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd Dolls. Cts.	Month	
Month	Day	Year								
Thurs	17		I started in to plow some of the dirt off my cotton. The big rain washed in on the cotton. Frank Wagoner and Clevil Brawley came by, said Velma stood operation fine. Bert & family called this p.m. Cloud in S.W. no rain yet 10 p.m.							More
Fri	18		I finished up plowing the dirt that washed in on my cotton. That is all that I could. Some of the cotton had come up in the dirt so far that I would kill the cotton with the plow. I replanted the sudan grass about 1/3 of the patch was ruined. The big rain destroyed it. Corn up. Lighting all around now. Think maybe we will get by with out another big rain tonite. Hope so any way. Mother seems restless. I know she gets tired setting around. No one comes only on business. People don't visit only in town in their cars.							Thurs Ra
Sat	19		Another big rain fell some time in the nite and fixed the field just like it was. after the rain on the 24th. I had just replanted my sudan yesterday, but now it is in the same kind of shape it was. The field damage is not all. my cellar covered in. I got most of the dirt off before it fell in. I went over got Bill Briscoe and a Mr Miller to help me. I am at a loss just how to fix it with out making a new one. I am sure I will have to plant all my cotton over, that is not up to a stand. seed are scarce and high. from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per bu. We all went up town in p.m. I think Mother wants to go back to Curtis tomorrow.							Wed Ra
Sun	20		We set around read the papers had dinner. Then we got ready, all went up to sister Curtis. Look Mother up there. Back home. Donthey came in from Luback. She rode bus out to house.							Thurs

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Friday June 4 1937

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Rec'd	
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.
Fri	4		when I got up this morning, water every place. It rained all nite I think. I woke up two or three times and it was raining. I went over near Circle back with my porter this for noon. We stuck in a lake. Had to be pulled out. I went to town this p.m. All one can hear is 'planting corn' well that is the order of the day. All the rain we have had sure has ruined crop stands. A North west wind is blowing now 10 p.m. some dust and sand is picking up.							
Sat	5		I planted cotton till about 4 P.M. Planted all the seed I had. Will have to get some more seed somewhere. Getting late anyway. But one has to keep trying. Now 10.50 P.M. a cloud coming up from west. And if we have a big rain that will be to bad for the cotton I planted to-day. We went to town just before sun set. Just now came back home. Now this is one time I hope we get by with out the big rain. Real cool all day. Nothing looks good. Cant grow. Too early.							
Sun	6		We set around in for noon. Had dinner. Made ready and went out to locate some cotton seed. I went by to see Mr Chester. But he was not at home. Had gone to Plainview. On down to a Mr Beans. I told him I would take 12 bu. at \$1.10. per bu. We drove on down to Buds. On back by old place. On home.							
Mon	7		I was up early. Went over to Mr Beans for the cotton seed. By town had to wait 2 hrs. till bank opened. I borrowed \$25.00 Left \$12.65 for Bean. Got 11 1/2 bu. seed. On home started planting. Along about 3.30 P.M. a cloud came up and did it hail and rain? I have seen lots of hail storms. but never such as fell today. If we had of had wind with it every thing would have been ruined. The cow has 5 places on her back. The car top and lamps are all dented. (A solid steel top) broke one window out of house. Every thing to plant again. 14.9. called after storm.							

Kind of Stock Saturday June 12 1937

Kind of Stock

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Month	
Month	Day	Year								
Sat	12		I planted cotton and harrowed land to break the crust and keep it from blowing. Sure am tired. A hard S.W. wind has been blowing all day. Now 9.30 P.M. I worked till near sunset quit bathed and cleaned up a suffer and we all started to town. We went by Brisco's to see if they wanted to go to town. The two little fellows went with us. While we were talking to Brisco's I saw a car and trailer go by with a crew. It was Oralis, Jim, Ray and Bill. We came back home unloaded the crew. All went to town. Did not stay in town long. Think maybe we will get by with out a rain. Hope so any way.							Mon
Sun	13		We made ready. Started for Buds But met them on road. They had started up here. But we were the closer to this place. He and his folks H.G. Lattie and Wayne all came to our house. They were all finely rounded up and they fixed up the dinner and we all went out in the (market) pasture under the shade of the old hack berry tree or there were 5 in all. and the sand was thoroughly mixed with henfer dust. Was awful hot. The cotton has done more to day than at any time. After Jim, Oralis and Bill and Ray left we all came out home and made some more ice cream. we could not freeze but 1/2 gal. at a time out in the pasture. We went away and left the big tub for the 2 gal. size. We finished it here at home. Wayne stayed with us.							Thurs

Account of Live Stock Sold

Kind of Stock Friday June 18 1937.

DATE			SOLD TO	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Month
Month	Day	Year							
Fri	18		I went over to Bill Briscoe for some cotton seed. He had about 10#. I had about the same. They planted all the ends of the rows that run up to the house. I harrowed feed and corn. Also the peanuts, pop corn and beans. The wind has been blowing all day. I will have to replant some of my early feed with a hoe. I do not want skips in it. Not enough land I want to fence my sudan field and turn the stock in. I am just about out of feed.						
Sat	19		I worked here at home in for noon. Will wreck the fence around my little stamp lot. Will have to use the fence in fencing my sudan grass. The car would not start. Sallie sent Pat over to Briscoe, for him to come over and push the car off. He did not come. Mrs B's sister came and pushed the car. I took it to Datsys when I got to town. He tested the battery and all found it O.K. only dead. He put it on charger and let me have a rent B. We made ice cream to night could not eat much. Too call put up the screen doors.						
Sun	20		This is the first Fathers day for me to remember. Jimmie gave me a fathers day box. Glens handkerchiefs and Rice well to do set which I appreciate. It shows her love for her old dad. I have went through enough this year to make one old. We stayed home in A.M. Went to ball game in afternoon. Game's one Littlefield vs. Sudan. 4-6 for Sudan. One betted on Mule shoe and tip tops of Lubbock. A double header for 35¢. The first game I have attended and will be the last I guess for I am broke. We called on the Bills in late P.M.						

Account of Live Stock Bought

Kind of Stock Saturday June 26. 1937.

DATE			BOUGHT OF	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Paid	
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.

Sat 26 I signed up the one (1) row cultivator and got started plowing at 10 A.M. Plowed till about 5 P.M. Shaved and cleaned up and we all went down town. Have been home since 10:30 P.M. A cloud in N.W. but think it is too far away to rain here to night.

Sun 27 We fixed up and went down to Friendship to meeting. A young fellow preached. We went home with Mr & Mrs Sherrill. Real fine people for like the balance of us. Did not go to Alexanders. The first time I have been to Friendship to church in I guess a year. Any way the people are not the same they were in 1928 and on up to 1932. Lots raining.

Monday 28 Some time in the last night a cloud came up and we had a fine rain. Did not wash my place much only in the all washes. We Lallie & I cut weeds out of feed in for noon. I went down to Littlefield in P.M. Took the folks to Sudan to wash and I went from there. Did not intend to be gone long but the 'Chevy men' Mr. Kewitt was gone to Octor. I stayed till 5 P.M. and I came on home with out seeing him. I left word there that I would come back later. I have lots of work to do, and I got on running to Littlefield. They want me to endorse in church and check out turn it over to them. I had some of it myself.

Tues 29 I refilled some feed in for noon. Put dot to harrowing sudan grass in P.M. I cut weeds. The ground is in fine shape. Mrs. & Lallie ate supper here to night.

Wed 30 I harrowed all day. Went down town at noon for some tobacco and I. I have been here all day. After supper we drove down town just for the outing. My feet hurt. I have walked all day. Mr. Newton sent me the money. I loaned him last summer.

\$11.00

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Kind of Stock Thursday July 1, 1957.

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DATE			BOUGHT OF	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Paid		
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.	
Thurs	1		I harrowed all day. Bay was it hot? Some say 108° in shade. But we did not have to stay in the shade. was awful hot walking behind a drag harrow. I could not ride it the ground was too soft. The thing would leave itself. And besides old Jack could not do his part if I rode. Am awful tired anyway, and my side hurts me. when I moved the toes so took up here on the 25th of June. I broke some ribs trying to keep the trailer from turning over. I heard or felt it at that time. And they (the ribs) have hurt me all time since. But I never thought what was the trouble till this late p.m. I had 3 broken in 1927 on right side. This is on left side. I cant draw a long breath. Will have to see the dr. I guess and have him bind me up in tape.								
Fri	2		I finished plowing in some patches and finished the harrowing. Rained a nice little rain some time last night.								
Rain)			But came up for a while to day. He and his Bro-in-law, Otis Trutman. We have most of the horing done that is very bad. Done that is what I call bad.								
Sat	3		Sallie & I took weeds out of cotton in S.W. corner of place till noon. Had lunch sharp and made ready to go to town. Left Evans at 1 o'clock p.m. and went to Littlefield. I took little meat with the Hewitt motor co. my Rail insurance check was for \$78.32. Less cash \$15.32. \$63.00 which I received receipt for, to apply on my note to the Hewitt motor co for \$325.00. which leaves a balance of \$262.00 yet due them.								

Account of Live Stock Bought

Kind of Stock.

Kind of Stock Wednesday July 14, 1937.

DATE			BOUGHT OF	No. Head	Age	Price per Head Dolls. Cts.	Price per Pound	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Month
Month	Day	Year							
Wed	14		I finished the cotton plowing. Went to feed at home N.W. and W. wind all day and some times it was hot. Dat worked till noon for Peterman. He let all go that did not have a way to go to the Amherst cotton. She got job from Bill Brisco. Sallie and Dat N. work today was awful hot at times. The High way people wanted me to plow the gosh again. But I looked at it, and the ground is too hard. Cant plow it.						Mon
Thurs	15		Sallie and I went to work. I saw Mr Butts. told him I could not plow the Road. We came back home. Work. plowed balance of day. Had south west wind all day. H. B. and Lattie came by for a pay call in p.m. Sallie & I went back to town just before nite.						Tues
Fri	16		I helped finish the cotton horing at noon. Bud & Jacko came up for a while in p.m. I hord and thined out some maize will thin all the late maize. Another hot, windy day. Altho crops are doing fine, yet. If we could get rain now before crops are stuned. That would be fine.						Fri
Sat	17		Worked in crop all for noon. All went to town in p.m. Big came up from Ralls and on aut home. He report Aralis & Jim would go to Calif. with Cowards. They would start Sun A.M.						Sat
Sun	18		About 2 A.M. this morn. The Cawards came by. They were on there way to Calif. Aralis & Jim going with them. They left her at 10 to 3 A.M. We all went down to H.B. & Lattie's. After dinner we went down to see Harold's cotton. He needs a good rain on his cotton. Went to Friend ship to an afternoon singing. The Stamps started to sing nice time. seemed like old times.						Sun

Account of Live Stock Bought

Kind of Stock Monday July 19 1937

Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	DATE			BOUGHT OF	No. Head	Age	Price per Head		Price per Pound	Amount Paid	
	Month	Day	Year				Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.
led seed led to Today way ground Mr Seed all ce n noon. in maize are in t to ce P with 4 m. is way them e went we he sing	Mon	19		We all hord and harrowed to day. Sun was hot near all day. Bill did the harrowing. He finished by noon.							
	Tues	20		About the same kind of work as yesterday. Only about 5 or 6 o'clock a cloud formed in the N. E. and we had a nice little rain. and then about 9.30 another one in all it seems as tho a good rain fell. Had 10 P.m.							
	Wed	21		The ground is wet to the old moisture. I went to Briscoe's for my plow. Took it to town had point refocused and sharpened. Will plow the high way park. Mr Butts wants it plowed as soon as I can. Plowed about half of the park this P.m. Briscoe to Porters male. No good.							
	Thurs	22		Bill finished the park plowing this A.m. We went to town to wash this P.m. Had some talk about money. Mrs Crosses one's mind to try to save a dollar. But after they are all gone then the itemizing is in order. Wants to know what was done with it.							
	Fri	23		I hord all day. Not with much heart. I cant do any thing with any heart with such surroundings. I even cant write any more. my nerves are all shot. Just to be the paying teller and nothing more is bad. Not an affectionate gesture since I went to Washington D. C. in April 1936. Bill finished the feed plowing.							
	Sat	24		We all went to Lubbock. Took the Radio back to Sears + Roebuck. I just could not meet the payments of \$5.00 per month. Sun was a hot day. We bought a lot of eats and went to the State park. Ate in the shade of the elms. Back home by 7 P.m. Mr Newton will paint house.							
	Sun	25		We stayed home all day. None of the boys came up. Rained around near. But not here. The crop is doing fine so far.							

Account of Live Stock Bought

Kind of Stock Monday July 26 - 1937

DATE			BOUGHT OF	No.	Age	Price	Price	Amount	Year
Month	Day	Year		Head		per Head Dolls. Cts.	per Pound	Paid Dolls. Cts.	
mon	26		We started in to paint the house. I don't think we will make a good job of it. Too many Brises, and none know what to tell the other fellow. How ever we worked all day at it. awful hot and dry.						Tues
Tues	27		We had in feed stuff all day. hot & dry.						
wed	28		We all painted some more today.						
Thurs	29		Some hock some painted. In for noon Mr Newton & I hock H.S. Lattie, Bulah, Etta May & Baby and Wayne came up for a visit. The men folks went down town in P.M. The women folks went over to Mrs Luttrell. Bill Briscoe came over wanted me to attend his cows, pigs and chicks while he and folks went away for the week end. Hot & dry would love to see a good rain.						Wed
Fri	30		We hock some in for noon. Billy & I went to Sudan to a double header ball game. Littlefield and Lubbock ^{Ambert} played first game. 9 to 1 in favor of Ambert. Second game Littlefield vs. Lubbock Lip Tap's. We left much earlier before the game was over. In fact the game was called on account of rain in the 6th ending. We did not get any of the rain.						Thurs
Sat	31		Cut a bunch of weeds out of cotton. We all went to town in the after noon. No rain yet. Hot all day.						Fri
Sunday August 1 1937.									
Sun	1		We all went down to Buds for the day. Was a hot day. Billy did not go.						Sat
Mon	2		Briscoes came in this p.m. we had letter from Jimmie. They came in from Calif Friday 30th. Bill & Pat went to Rales this p.m. They took Jimm's cook to her. Hot so hot to day. No rain yet. Older feel will need rain soon. We went over to Viniabla place this A.M.						Brise Cow Sun Mon Tues

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Wednesday August 11 1937

Year	Day	COLTS			CALVES			PIGS			LAMBS			MULES			Grand Total	
		No.	Value Dolls. Cts.		No.	Value Dolls. Cts.		No.	Value Dolls. Cts.		No.	Value Dolls. Cts.		No.	Value Dolls. Cts.		Value Increase Dolls. Cts.	
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Wed 11
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Mr. Wagner died
this date.

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Kind of Stock Thursday Aug 16 / 1937

Year	No. of Head Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Feed Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	No. Head Died or Lost	Value Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
1937												
Sun	17											
Mr Newton and I finished the hosing this a.m. about 11:30 A.M. Robert Shurt and wife Velma, Cairties daughter came by and reported that J.T. was not expected to live till night. I made ready and started for Lubbock. I had my car brought back home from Sudan. Robert & Velma came by Sudan and I went on with them to Lubbock. We could not go in the room so was so hot off. I set up all night and												
Wed	18											
about 5:15 A.M. J.T. passed away. I came home with two of Frank's brothers that lived at mule-shoe. in afternoon we went down to Buds and A.C. to tell them about J.T. death. They were both gone from home. I said Harold in Sudan. He and Bud came up. In the meantime Arolis & Jimmie & Ray came up from Pales. So after supper Bud, Harold, Arolis, David I went up to Frank's. We stayed over night about 12:30 A.M.												
Thur	19											
We went over to George Crains house to sleep a little. Clara Bell told me if we wanted to sleep some to come on over to there place she sure was nice and congenial about it. and she was up and had a nice breakfast before we were up. So much difference in young married people. Selling Jim and Mr Newton came up to Frank about 10 A.M. Pruitt, Maggie, Ruby and Mather came in from Mantau. Ohla about the same time Mather stood the trip fine. A cloud came up in the West and delayed the journal for about one hour. we went to the Christian church at Loggidy. The preacher made a nice talk. and just as the crowd was leaving the grove. Bowden came in from Monibau. Fr. Sister Lave, her husband Tom Martin and J. Pearl Benson came in. They did not get there in time. We came on home lots of water on way. But no rain to speak of. Mr Newton went home with Bud. Also Arolis & Jim.												

J.T. Wagner died this date.

Yearly Live Stock Account

Kind of Stock Friday August 30 / 1937.

Year	No. of Head Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Feed Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	No. Head Died or Lost	Value Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
Fri 30												
I went down town for some ice and while I was gone the folks Bro. Pruitt from Okla and Bro Bowden and Sister Torr out also Velman and her two little ones and a young man by name of Witt and mother came by Bowden and his folks all started for home Pruitt and Maggie took Ruby to Littlefield and she stayed. They came back some time last nite a fine rain fell. That will get the fat some new.												
Sat 21												
The folks all left for Okla soon after breakfast. Two young women brought Ruby up from Littlefield cloudy and looks rainy now 10:50 A.M. We all went to town in the afternoon. an awful hard rain fell in south and south east of town.												
Sun 22												
We did not go any place. Bud and Mr Newton came up for the day. Mr Newton spent the last 4 days down at Buds. We all went to Church to nite. The Church of Christ. A very good preacher.												
Mon 23												
I had some in fore noon and in P.M. all went to church to nite.												
Tues 24												
The same as yesterday. All went to Church to nite. Mr Newton cant leave from Okla.												
Wed 25												
Had some in fore noon. We all decided we would not go to church to nite. But later we did.												
Thurs 26												
I had some in the fore noon. Took Sallie out to work in P.M. We did not go to church to nite.												
Fri 27												
We all went down to Harold. Stayed till late afternoon. Run out of gas at Dan Lumpkins place. I got a gallon from Mr. Thompson. Harold and Lattie seem to be mad all the time. They cant get along. One can see an under current that is getting harder to cross. I told her (Lattie) long ago they could never get along to-gather. They are both to blame. cant give & take and they make the goat out of the kids.												

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Kind of Stock *Friday August 27. 1937.*

Loss	Year	No. of Head Sold	Amount Received	No. of Head on Hand	Value	Cost of Feed	Cost of Labor	No. of Head Bought	Amount Paid	No. Head Died or Lost	Value	Profit	Loss
Dolls. Cts.			Dolls. Cts.		Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.		Dolls. Cts.		Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.

Fri 27 I am sorry that I ever went to California in 1935 with her, to get H.G. to go back to her. But Lattie promised me what all she would do and not do if I would go. But I haven't the day that I haven't. Lattie has not complied with her agreement with me at all. However Harold is to blame too. But that is the point I tried to impress on her mind that he would do this drinking. But he has not been drunk since a few days after Christmas that I saw off. It is not so much them and their troubles that hurt us but Harold's two boys. They are on the spot at all times one way or another. I have made up my mind that Debbie their mother ought to have them. Laying the least she would see that they had a square deal.

Sat 28 Fixed a flat hauled up a load of water melons for chickens. Went over to Bill Briscons for some eating corn. Stuck in the sink. Had to scratch soap out from under the wheels before I could get out. Hot to day, cotton doing ok. but too.

Sun 29 We all made ready and went down to The Friendship Church. The Christian people put on the feed bag and the dinner was fine and the bag seemed like old times. We used to gatherings and spread dinner all had a big time. But this is the first time that the people have gotten together at a function of that kind since July 15 1933. Back home and down to Sudan Church.

Mon 30 I worked some in the field. We all went to town to hear the Tom Farrell & Joe Louis fight. Louis whipped according to my rec. But the Welshman stayed the 15 rounds. Bill came in from Colorado. He and Leo Mann. They hitched hiked from Cal. The others almost arrived ahead of them. They had not heard of Mr Bentons accident.

Yearly Live Stock Account

Kind of Stock

Tuesday August 31, 1937.

Year	No. of Head Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Feed Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor Dolls. Cts.	No. of Head Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	No. Head Died or Lost	Value Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
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Tues 31 I hord in the corn and maize. Nat that it will do the crop any good, but I do not want the goat heads and white weeds to go to seed. Sent the Slim law back to Mr porters make.

Wednesday September 1, 1937.

Wed 1 I worked in the field some. We was to go to wash but did not. Bice went to Benton for his bedding he had on his Cal. trip. Dot stayed of at Walhero. Bud and Ida & W. Lee called this p.m. Also H.G. & Lattie were here for lunch.

Thurs 2 I hord in for noon. M & Mrs Walker called to bring Nat home. He bag friend from Shallow water called for her for an outing he will take her back to Mr Walkers. Plenty hat but all crops seem to be doing good. Cotton is going down on the market. Also feel. I have a good crop but if the price of all crops are low I will not make much out of it.

Fri 3 I worked some about the place in for noon. Set around the house in p.m. Came up a cloud late in the after noon and rained on awful nice rain. 1 1/2 in. I guess. Anyway all we need for a while.

Sat 4 I rized up and finished planting the turn - up on the highway. In the little park north of the house. We all went to town in p.m.

Sun 5 Some time during the nite a big rain fell. We all went down to Friendship to church. Had dinner on the ground. Some good singing and good preaching. Fell a hard rain down there but did not rain here at home.

Mon 6 Near 2 in. rain fell last nite. Things are soon wet. H.G. came up and we went to a ball game at Clovis N.M. Lattie, Dot, Bud, H.G. and I. Mr Newton went home with them to nite. Looks rainier in west now 10 p.m.

Kind Tuesday Sept 7 1937

DATE			SOLD TO OR BOUGHT OF	Quantity Sold	Price	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Price	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.
Month	Day	Year							
Tues	7		I think rain free near all site. Was raining this morning when I got up. We did nothing to day. Only cut a few weeds.						
Wed	8		A Mr Buck a fruit tree salesman called this for noon. I ordered 6 plums. Lattie ordered 6 rose. We went to Littlefield this p.m. I bought two tires and tubes. From the B. E. Needles tire Co. each tire \$10.10 each, tubes \$2.00 each. Did not rain today. Mr. Newton came home to day. S.H. & Lattie brought him home. They also went to Littlefield I stayed at Amherst to have some papers fixed up at county agts office.						
Thurs	9		I fixed a road to watermelon patch. Jack trailer hauled up a load of melons. Took the papers that we got at county agts office to Sudan this p.m. Had Tom Bent to sign them so I could get them back to co. agents. Tom Bent is one of the local convicts. One of folks called for a while this p.m.						
Fri	10		Worked in the cotton cutting weeds in forenoon. I have most of the white weeds and goat heads cut out except in the north corn patch. Will not try to cut them out, too many.						
Sat	11		I cut weed out of cotton in A.M. Rained some in the forenoon. We all went to town in the afternoon. Mr Newton has not heard from Fannie yet. She is in Mauston. He did not want to go home till she came home.						
Sun	12		The kids were all here except Bud and his folks. Orolis & Jim came up at noon. S.H. & Lattie Leonard & Wayne came early. Orolis & Jim started home about 8 p.m. Bill painted his car. He went to Ralls with Orolis & J. I went over to Mr Posters in the A.M.						

Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Monday Sept 13 1937.

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Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Thursday Sept 23. 1937.

DATE			SOLD TO OR BOUGHT OF	Quantity Sold	Price	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Price	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	
Month	Day	Year								Month
Thurs	23		Some time in the nite a hard rain fell. And is raining now 10:10 A.M. So much rain at this time of the year will damage the feed heads and will not do cotton any good. I had a letter from Red Springle of China Springs Tex. He wants to come out and work for me this fall and winter. He worked for me in fall of 1931 and '32. But I can't use him. I have no place for him to sleep. Will have to get help that can board themselves.							Tues
Fri	24		We went down to Harolds. He had to deliver a load of combined maize to Amherst Elevator. I stopped at Sudan as we came back. I bought 300# wheate of Mc Monigal. \$2.10 per hundred.							Wed
Sat	25		We worked about the place in forenoon. Took trailer down town for my wheate and salt. Came back home attended stock, milked, separated milk and put off up to sister Curties they were about to give us out. when we drove up.							Thurs
Sun	26		Frank went to church. We did not go. Hershell and Cleasie, little boy and Buck called. We came home found Bill & Leonard at home. Harold, Lattie came by for Leonard. Bud and Ida and Wanda Lee came by for supper.							Fri
Mon	27		Bill went down to see about the job at the Sudan News. He cant do anything with that job. If he would pay him enough for his expenses that would be ok. But he cant walk so far 5 mi. and if he uses my car & will have to buy gas on credit, for I have no money at this time. So he will help me in the crop. I started to planting wheat. The insurance man called. Payerd him check for \$250							Fri

Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Tuesday Sept. 28 1937

DATE	SOLD TO OR BOUGHT OF	Quantity Sold	Price	Amount Received		Quantity Bought	Price	Amount Paid	
				Dolls.	Cts.			Dolls.	Cts.
Month	Day	Year							
Sept	28		Bill finished the wheat planting. I worked on the wagon bed, setting ready for the feed heading. Looks too much like rain to cut heads and put them on the ground. The cotton price is all shot to pieces.						
Wed	29		We shelled peas and earned several qts. Bill went to see Mr Porter about helping him fill his silo. He will not start till tomorrow p.m. We went over to Briscoe. They were gone to the fair at Lubbock.						
Thurs	30		I worked about the place at different times today. I get so tired just sitting around. Read the papers in a little while and then get up and work at something. Bill went over to work for Mr Porter this afternoon.						
Friday October 1 1937.									
Fri	1		About the same as yesterday. I cut some maize. Sallie & I shelled out some dry peas and beans.						
Sat	2		I cut maize in for noon. We (Sallie & I) went to Sudan this afternoon. Came home and Bill wanted to go to town for a hair cut. So all of us went to town again. When we came back home Pat had come in on the bus. She seems to be well satisfied with her place to work.						
Sun	3		But and folks came up and spent the day with us. Bill went to town. He gets lonesome I guess. He want drive his car. Says the girls want ride in cars like his. Sure is fine weather for this time of the year.						
Mon	4		I worked on the wagon wheels and tongue in for noon. Pat went to work and Lattie came up here for dinner. I cut maize back today all afternoon. Sun is fine. Bill worked for Porter.						
Tues	5		I cut heads in for noon. Sallie & I went to work this p.m. Bill worked for Mr Porter to day. I finished cutting the south maize heads.						

Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Wednesday Oct. 20 1937.

DATE			SOLD TO OR BOUGHT OF	Quantity Sold	Price	Amount Received	Quantity Bought	Price	Amount Paid	Year
Month	Day	Year				Dolls.			Cts.	
Wed	20		I had to take Sallie & Pat to work at town, was noon when we returned. I saw Bill Brisco about getting his hands to pull some cotton for me. He said they would 'catch up' with his cotton by Thursday nite. and then they could help me. He also said I could use his trailers. But so cold to nite. I finished my Maize heading to day. Well the pickers did not come over. I guess they did not get over Brisco's cotton. Cotton sure is opening fast now. I cut Koffer corn heads all day.							Mon
Thurs	21		I finished cutting Koffer corn. That is all I have to cut now, that is dry enough. So many snakes heads and all of them green. The Negroes did not come to snap cotton. Bill is still at work for Mr Porter. I saw since he said they could come Monday.							Tues
Fri	22		I gathered corn in fore noon. We all went down to Littlefield. I had to see the Hewitt Chis. Co. Mr Hewitt. He told me to take it easy and pay him some along. I sure would love to get out some cotton and pay up some of these bills. It is this way every fall. I have the worrying all to my self. We went down to Sudan to nite. But could not find a parking place only out on the truck lots. We did not stay long. Came on home now 10.25 p.m.							Wed
Sun	24		But, Ike and Wanda Lee came up for the day. We went down town in p.m. I thought I might get a few pickers. But no. I talked to Brisco he said the Nigs would have to pick at home. That is another disappointment. Bill hauled cotton for Porter to day.							

Yearly Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Thursday Oct. 28 1957.

Year	Quantity Produced	Value Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor, Etc. Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.	Year
Thurs 28	I loaded up the bale of cotton. Felt out 1754#. Ginn wt. 1750#. I caught seed 800#. Bale wt. 490#. Ginning. \$4.37 B. + F. \$1.50											Mon
Bale #1	10% to move to government house. The old woman and boys left at noon. After Lallie & I cleaned out the dug out and fixed up for them. They had \$4.46 coming after they paid me for sacks and other things I bought for them. She got to me for something over a \$1.00 bill. But I hope she does well with it. I guess I am too good to people that is down and out. Now she can't leave this place if I had not give her gas or a job. Oh! well. such is life.											
Fri 29	I loaded up a trailer load of 1/2affer heads. Sold them to Ross Cochran for \$8.00 per ton. 2770#. Check \$11.08. paid B.B. Brothers \$1.73 and 25¢ bills. paid Snake Wright \$2.00. I borrowed from. Hired two fellows to pull cotton. Brought them out and they went to work. They are batching in the seller. I believe they will be OK. I put the bale of cotton in the government loan. I did not get the class on it. Said they would give that to me tomorrow. Dat was sick this P.M.											Tues
Sat. 30	The boys pulled cotton till near noon. I did a little work about the place in forenoon. Lallie Dat and I went to Sudan in p.m. I had return on the bale of cotton I put in the Gov't. Loan. \$40.08. Cost \$1.00 for the grading and making out the papers. We bought a few dry goods. Came back home and all went to town. Lallie and Dat went to the Hosley Saddle shop. I did not care to go. The boys do not know their names. They went to town too.											Wed
Sun 31	Took bath and read the papers in forenoon. We went down town in p.m. I told Tom Kent I would take 10 lbs of his cotton seed at \$1.00 per lb.											Thurs Wed cut all Bie did clo

Yearly Account of Hay, Straw, Etc.

Kind Friday Nov 5 1937.

Year	Quantity Produced	Value Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Sold	Amount Received Dolls. Cts.	Quantity on Hand	Value Dolls. Cts.	Cost of Labor, Etc. Dolls. Cts.	Quantity Bought	Amount Paid Dolls. Cts.	Profit Dolls. Cts.	Loss Dolls. Cts.
Fri. 5											
I helped the Negro get started to cutting bundles he finished by noon. Bill, Dat and Red pulled out another bale of cotton #6. We had to go to town for some hardware as old Jack is sick. I shocked a few bundles today. Sallie went to town to wash. I gave two of my Govt Loan bales of cotton at Walter Erison's office. They came under the 9¢ loan. One I found at Classen's office it will come under the 8½¢ loan. The two 9¢ bales total \$89.21. The 8½¢ bale total \$45.05. Dat said she was going to get married.											
Sat 6											
Bill took the 6th bale to gin to wife Dat and Mr Coop went with him they all went to show. Could not bring the trailer back. They could not gin off the cotton till late.											
Sat 6											
They all pulled about 500# this a.m. we all went to town this p.m. Paged them up. Sallie, Bill, Dat and Mr Coop went to Littlefield. I did not go. H.G. came to car just before we left town said he and Lettie had parted again and for us to come back to town to visit and he and boy servant and Wayne would come home with us. As he would not live with Lettie any more. We did and they are here now. Dat and Mr Coop said they would get married next Thursday. It is a jump up thing but we think wise for Q.R.											
Sun 7											
The same A.M. Sun. in p.m. Mr. Bill S. & W. and I went down town. Ruf came for his trailer looks rainy. One of my pickers is in jail. Don't know what time he will get out.											
Mon 8											
H.G. and I went to Suback. I visited Tex Gorry who lost his arm in his gin. Back home loaded up bale cotton on wagon pulled it to gin with car. Ardis & Jim came for Bill to work at Ralls.											

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Tuesday Nov 9 1927.

DATE	SOLD TO OR BOUGHT OF	Quantity Sold	Price	Amount Received		Quantity Bought	Price	Amount Paid	
				Dolls.	Cts.			Dolls.	Cts.
Nov 9	I went back to Littlefield with Harold. He and Atty. Biles went to Alton and Plainview. I came on back to Sudan, looked on wagon brought it out. I saw a defect. Coaf + Dat and Leonard pulled some cotton to day. I went down town about dark to meet Harold. He did not come in. So I started for my car to come home. Herman Lyles called me and said he wanted to talk with me. Lattie and Bulah had just gotten out of his car. He and I went into the bank. Lyles said 'where is Harold?' I told him he had gone to Plainview. After I told him what S.H. had gone to Plainview for he was Ok. But he was 'salty' Lattie had blowed him up. Told him S.H. had 'skipped' out. I came on home with out him (S.H.) We are still having plenty to worry me about.								
Wed 10	Sallie, Dat and I also L.D. and W.H. S.H. boys all started for Littlefield to get Dats wedding outfit fit. We did not get out of Littlefield till after 1 p.m. Came on to Sudan. Saw Harold. He and Lattie tried to agree on a few points but could not. I went down to see Bud. He and I will help Harold fix up some papers. Lattie was real sore when Sam Hutson served the injunction papers on her. Prohibiting Lattie from interfering with S.H. in gathering and selling and paying off the bills and notes they have contracted this year. My opinion is she aimed to beat him to it, but did not.								
Thurs 11	I took Harold down to his trap. He did not go in the house. he called Lattie to back door. Told her he wanted his and the boys clothes. She brought them out to car. Talked to me a while. (Con on page 96)								