Mrs. True 120 Ocean View Ave. East Santa Cruz, Cal 1897

## Sunday, January 3, 1897

This has been a nice day only cold I got the Children off to Sunday School they got their Photoes then I cleaned Grandpa up and changed his clothes helped Jennie some on the dinner then I wrote two lettes one Home and one to Cousin Sallie then Jennie and I went over to town and took the car up to Forsythis Had a fine time Pop took the children over to Sea Bright we are all off early to bed tonight all as well as usual

## Monday, January 4, 1897

This has been a nice day I was up early built the fire and got the Breakfast started Jennie and I washed till after noon then this eve I done some of the trimming Edna went over to Ovas with a note from Jennie the Woman's Home Companion Care Pop and Grand Pa went down town Jennie has gone out tonight over to Sea Bright Cora came up I feel very good but tired I did not knit much All well

## Tuesday, January 5, 1897

This too has been another fine day I made a loaf of Brown Bread. Pop went for Porter took Grand Pa over to Joses. He took the children down and got them some shoes. I went over to the Dr this after noon and to McCormicks they were not at Home so I spent the aft at Mrs Whites. Alverda over to Adeles Edna to Uevas. I finished my sock tonight Alverda read a letter from Mabel All Well

#### Wednesday, January 6, 1897

This has been another fine day. I went into Mrs Everts this

morning Miss Garmon came and gave Alverda & Luene their lesson Mr Marbut came up this aft Pop took us all down town Grand Pa came Back before we did. I did not do much today only a little mending We are to go and get our teeth fixed Friday afte Alverda read a letter from Fannie I feel tired tonight. All the rest are well.

## Thursday, January 7, 1897

It seemed a little hazy here today and quite cold I worked on the Doll clothes all day made Alverda a new Pair of Panties and tucked her Skirt and a new white dress Luenes a new Skirt and a white dress Ednas a white dress Vera & Lillie came over also Bertha Pop Grand Pa and Luene went out for mustard greens Jennie went down town I helped the girls with their music tonight one of our little chicks died all as well as usual.

## Friday, January 8, 1897

Another pleasant day I cleaned up our room & changed the Beds & cooked some Greens this afternoon Pop took us down town I had two teeth filled and Luene had three I got almost 7 7/5 yds of 40 inch blue serge for \$13.00 I helped the children with their music and went down and meet Agnes and walked Home with her Jennie gone out Elsie Vaner Lucille and Adah came over All as well as usual.

#### Saturday, January 9, 1897

Another fine day and I was up early and helped Jennie wash A & Luene took their music Lesson this aft Pop took Gramp and myself over to the Dr and out to Mrs Reeves to see Mrs Jonstons Piano then I came back and went in to see Mrs Bamford Came Home and Ironed some and then I went out to

meet Agnes She will go with me tomorrow Jennie has gone out a gain tonight All well

## Sunday, January 10, 1897

This has been a fine day I made a Carot Pudding and got the chicken on to cook then had Breakfast got the children of to S school wrote 2 letters one Home and one to Queen then Pop took Agnes and I out to look at the Piano I will not take it I don't think I wrote another letter to Emma S- went in to see Agnes came Home Had Lunch helped the children with their music Jennie took the children out for a walk All well.

## Monday, January 11, 1897

This was a lovely day I made a loaf of Brown Bread and went in to Mrs Manns Mrs Holmes was here to dinner this aft Pop and I went over to tell Mrs. Johnstons we would not take the piano then we went down to Mrs Meades and down town and Home I helped Jennie make a flowers piece for Mr. Marel the children started Back in School today I wrote a Postal to the B & a letter to the Emporium for jacket samples. All well.

## Tuesday, January 12, 1897

This was a gloomy day I got the sleeves to Luenes dress fit and almost made I went into m this morning Pop went down town this aft to a Bank meeting Jennie and her mother went to Mr Marches funeral Mrs Holmes came back here and Had a cup of Coffee I started to help the children on their Pieces tonight Edna went down to call on the Smith children All well

#### Wednesday, January 13, 1897

Another cold gloomy day with a shower of rain I went in to

Mrs. Manns to get some white silk thread then I washed out the Lace for the neck of Luenes dress & got it ready to do the Hard work on it then I washed Gramps fut Pop cleaned the Surni\* and got it ready to varnish Mrs. D came over and Brought some butter milk Miss Garmond came & Luene & Alverda took their lesson all well as usual

## Thursday, January 14, 1897

This was a cold morning I was up early could not sleep I finished Luenes dress got the cloak Samples from Hale Bro they were not very good Pop is varnishing the Lumir\* we did have a time about the old nickel who took it is the question Mrs Miller came over and spent the after noon Had a fine visit with her I started to knit a pair of slippers All well

## Friday, January 15, 1897

A white frost this morning and cold I cleaned up our room and changed Grandpa Bed and helped Jennie cleann up the Sitting room then I Helped Pop with the varnishing in the Sitting room this afte I went over to Mrs. Everts to the Aid Society I did not do much work. I got the Samples from the Emporium they are very nice. I gave Grand Pa his bath and changed his clothes All Well.

## Saturday, January 16, 1897

This was a disagree able day Jennie and I Washed but we did not get the clothes dried it misted so much Wilma came over and stayed to dinner then Pop Grand Pa & I took her down town we did not stay for it misted too Hard this eve Agnes came over and Jennie and I went down to see the Devils Auction Played Miss Garmon came and gave the children A & L their lesson All

## Sunday, January 17, 1897

This has been a fine day but a little cold. I got the children off to Sunday school then I made two Pies and a Carrot Pudding a big fat one this aft Pop took us for a drive around the cliff came Home got Lunch wrote a letter Home and to the Emporium went in to M a few minutes Edna gone with the Smith children out for a walk Jennie gone out a bright moon light evening All Well

## Monday, January 18, 1897

Another fine day Pop plowed some of the yard up Grand Pa went over to Hodges I ironed some before Breakfast then I fit A dress and worked on it all day I think it will look good I read a Postal from Mrs S R Mead of Stockton and a letter from Mrs T of San Francisco Edna is trying to learn to ride the Bicycle Alverda wrote to Fannie Pop went for Porter my side Pains Well

## Tuesday, January 19, 1897 \*

This has been a fine day I sewed all fore noon Pop finished the Plowing and got the ground in good shape this afte I dug up a Secil Brunar rose & some Parsley and took a slice of pudding out to the Dr and some out to Mrs Dunning also we did not Stay very long out there got a letter from Home I knitt some this eve. I feel tired and Sleepy and not very well the rest are Well

## Wednesday, January 20, 1897

It was cloudy this morning and looked like rain. but it cleared away after dinner and was nice & Bright and warm the moon Shines bright to night. I finished Alverdas dress and got

Grand Pa shirt colar ripped off got some more Samples from the Emporium do not like them. Jennie went Home this afte and out tonight music teacher gave A & L their lesson Well

## Thursday, January 21, 1897

This has ben a nice day I ripped up Luenes Blue and Grey dress and got it wash and pressed Pop took Grand Pa and my self down town this fore noon I got a pudding moul but it is too small so I must change it and get a larger one I got some cards to mount the pictures from Japan on this aft I went and called on Mrs Longstretta and Mrs McCormick had a nice visit All Well -

## Friday, January 22, 1897

This was a most splendid day till late this after noon then the wind came up the fog came in I cleaned up my room & Grand pa also and fixed the colar on his Shirt this afte I went down town and got Edna & Luene a jacket they did not suit me very well. I also called on Mrs Bliss and Mrs Towns I got two of the Slippers ready for the sole All Well

## Saturday, January 23, 1897

This has been a miserable day I was up and made the fire but C.RC called and I did not do much Jennie did the washing a Piano agent called Miss Dixon also Miss Garmon gave Luene & A their lesson Willkie came in a few minutes I transplanted my Pansys Pop Grand Pa & Alverda went down town A got herself a nice pair of Gloves for 50 cents I got one slipper on the sole Jennie went Home with her mother & stayed all night Well

## Sunday, January 24, 1897

It seemed cloudy this morning and threatened rain but this

after noon it was clear and the sun shone warm The children went to Sunday school and Pop took them for a walk this after noon Jennie also went out I remained at Home & wrote three letters one Home one to Aunt Sinnett and one to Mrs Thistlethwaite some of us have a cold rest well

## Monday, January 25, 1897

This has been a nice day although the north wind blew for a little while Pop and Grand Pa spaded up the front beds this morning I ironed some before breakfast and made a loaf of Brown bread then I went to work on Luenes dress and got it almost finished Pop took me over to get my Bottle filled and Alverda had a fever at 103 [degrees] so I took her over & got some medicine for her rest All Well

## Tuesday, January 26, 1897

It was cold this morning but it was a fine day for Winter after all. I finished Luenes dress & finished another Pair of Panties Alverda did not go to School Pop took her & I over to the doctor this afte got Some more medicine for her She has a head ache tonight Jennie gone out Had a letter from Home children got the measles wrote a letter to them all the rest are well as usual.

## Wednesday, January 27, 1897

This has been a changeable day a little rain some wind and a very little Sun shine Alverda is Better today but did not attend School Miss Garmon came but only Luene took her lesson Pop and Grand Pa went down town this morning I went in to Buckleys to get the cough Syrup and took it in for Mrs Mann I worked on the drawers again Pop layed some clam shell in front

#### of the store room door Well

## Thursday, January 28, 1897

This has been a damp day it was cloudy all day and this after noon it commenced to rain and is still at it at this writing. Mrs Reynolds called this fore noon and Fred Howe this after noon all wanting to sell pianos Alverda seemed to have a cold in her Head but her fever is not so High Pop went down town I got my other slipper top done sewed on drawers All Well

# Friday, January 29, 1897

Oh my but it did rain hard last night and the wind did blow too but it did not rain much today Alverda seems better but not well. I have at last gotten all of the childrens Panties done to Button Holes Wilkie came over and brought some Brown bread Mr Samuel called also Pop went down town I got our room cleaned up after a fashion but not clean gave Grand Pa a scrub and am now off Well

## Saturday, January 30, 1897

It looked like it might clear off this morning but soon it began to cloud up and come down so we did not get the clothes dry at all. Alverda seems better but her Tonsils are swollen some I went down town with Mrs Reynolds to see her Piano also in to see Bertha Miss Dixon called it is raining a steady down pour now Pop down town he has a sore throat all the rest well

## Sunday, January 31, 1897

This has been a rainy old day, the children did not go to Sunday school nor I did not write any letters I cleaned out Grand Pa's Ears and brushed his hair and made some Syrup candy for the children Mary Mann and the children left for Salinas I read some this afte and Helped Luene on her music Pop has a sore throat and cold Alverda is not well yet I went in to Manns It is still storming All the rest well

## Monday, February 1, 1897

Another disagree able day it rained Hard this morning and some all day but has stopped at this writing I was in to M- today and both Mrs Mann and Mrs Everts were in here this aft Alverda's fever came up this evening Pop seems no better and my throat is sore tonight I finished my drawers to trimming and button Holes tonight and you guess I am tired got 2 letters from Mary S and McKay All rest well

## Tuesday, February 2, 1897

This has been a fine day I got up and fed the Horse and chickens and cleaned out the chicken house sent Edna over for Dr Chamberlin for Alverda and Pop he was here twice today they are both better today got a letter from Home Ray is all right none of the rest Have taken it as yet I got lace enough made for one Pants leg Mrs Mann came in got the wheat meal All Well

#### Wednesday, February 3, 1897

This is Sister Elaza's thirty Sixth birth day It has been misty all day Miss Bertha B- and I went down to see Mrs Renyolds Piano But I will not take it Jennie and I got up last night murphy Horse made such a racket and I took cold I feel miserable tonight the Dr came to see Pop and Alverda A- had earache to night I got a letter from Sammie and wrote one Home all the rest well

## Thursday, February 4, 1897

This has been a disagreeable day just a steady drizzle all day and it has not seased at this writing I was taken ill this morning and when the Dr came he left me some dope too Alverda seems better tonight I was in bed most all the fore noon and till two this afte Edna & Luene went to school Dear old Grand Pa & Edna did up the chores I feel better tonight

## Friday, February 5, 1897

Another disagree able day it rained and blew very Hard early this morning so hard that Edna and Luene took their Lunch The Dr came over this morning and changed all our dope my side pains me worse to night we read a letter from Home all the children down but True Ray is sick again Mrs Mann came in I think we are all better and Hope we will get along

## Saturday, February 6, 1897

It did not rain today for a wonder but was cloudy just the same Jennie washed and got the clothes dry Wilkie came in this morning and Mrs M this after. I have felt miserable all day my ear and face aches Mrs Dr C. came over & gave me some medicine for my Liver Pop and Alverda are better Oh my but my Head paines

## Sunday, February 7, 1897

Oh my but it did rain a gain today but the sun came out too and it is clear tonight I Hope it will clear off I feel better tonight Pop and Alverda are both improving Mrs Mann and Mrs Everts came in this after noon Jennie went out to church this evening it is a bright clear night I am sleepy so we are all off for bed

## Monday, February 8, 1897

This has been a nice day all day but still it was cloudy Alverda and I done up the dishes then I wrote a letter Home and read one from my Sister also answered it Alverda went to school this after noon Luene went over to Mrs Town's the Piano Agent was Here again Pop went down town I do not feel so well tonight Mrs Mann came in

## Tuesday, February 9, 1897

This has been a nice bright warm day I did not do much this fore noon or feel very well this afte Pop took me over to the Dr and I got some more medicine then He and Grand Pa went for Porter this afte Wilkie Mrs White & Mrs Lenox came in also Bertha this fore noon I put the Lace on one pair of Alverda's panties read a letter from Home this afte Jennie gone out

## Wednesday, February 10, 1897

Another fine day I did not eat much break fast got the girls off to School then made enough lace for another Pair of Alverdas Panties Bertha came in this morning. Mrs Bickford this after noon Miss Garmon also came in too Pop took me over to the Dr He got some new medicine too I feel better tonight Alverda Has some fever The rest are all well

## Thursday, February 11, 1897

This has been a gloomy day very little sun shine. I put the trimming on another pair of Alverda's Panties and thus finished them. I cut out two waists for Edna and got one ready to stitch I went in to Manns this after noon Bertha came in a while Agnes came over and played for us on her Banjo I feel Better to night rest are all well Pap and Grandpa down town

## Friday, February 12, 1897

This has been a nice day but a cold north wind has blew I cleaned up out room and changed the three beds Miss Holiday called with a Book this afte I finished up one of Edna's waists and the tufting for Queene's slippers then I gave the children a bath and scrubbed Grand Pa up and got his clothes changed and now I am off for Bed Jennie not well

## Saturday, February 13, 1897

This has been a very nice day although it looked like rain. Jennie did the washing alone. I made 4 Pies got the dinner then I went down town . Agnes & I went up to see the Pianos did not like them Zlypha came over & Birda held\* and claimed Ednas pin and took it away from her. Mrs Marbut called Jennie gone out I went over and got my Bottle filled all well

## Sunday, February 14, 1897

This has been a passible fine day the Girls went to Sunday school I washed Grand Pa feet brushed his hair and got him cleaned up had our dinner Pop went over to the D and took the children for a walk I wrote three letters one Home and to Mary Spink one to Sammie Jennie went over Home Alverda & I went over to Wilkies twice to see the Piano all as well as usual

#### Monday, February 15, 1897

It was cloudy some of the day and the sun shone too Grand Pa spent the day over to Joses came Home about tuckered out Mrs Reed came up this after noon and we had a nice chat I finished cousin Queenes slippers and read a letter from her and one from Mrs T the children got some Valentines nice ones I run

in to Buckleys & Manns we are all as well as usual

Tuesday, February 16, 1897

This has been an other miserable day just a nasty drizzle all day and is still at it at this writing I finish Edna's other waist all but button & button Holes This after noon just as Alverda was returning from school Dash run against a Peach tree in the front yard and knocked the breath out of him and Oh my such crying as A & L did do he came too though I run out and took cold in the rain I feel badly rest well

Wednesday, February 17, 1897 Sick

Thursday, February 18, 1897 Sick

Friday, February 19, 1897 Sick

Saturday, February 20, 1897 Sick

Sunday, February 21, 1897 Sick

Monday, February 22, 1897 Sick

Tuesday, February 23, 1897 Sick C.R.C. called about noon and I was Oh so sick all after noon the Lady Dr was here twice today I feel a little easier tonight

## Wednesday, February 24, 1897

This has been a splendid day the lady Dr came over this morning for the last time I was out door twice today read a letter from Home. Mrs D came in and brought some Butter milk The music teacher came and A & Luene took their lesson Jennie went Home and stayed all night Mrs Mann came in and brought some pudding She has been very kind to me All rest are well

## Thursday, February 25, 1897

Another beautiful day I went out and walked in the yard this morning and Bertha came in and almost talked me to death Mrs M came in also Pop took me over to the Drs this after noon and for a little drive my Head aches and I don't feel very good. I had my supper and went to bed and slept quite good all night Pop Grand Pa and Luene down town rest well

## Friday, February 26, 1897

Another nice day I made all the beds and straightened up the music and the book case and the closet in the sitting room Pop took Grand Pa and I out to Dunnings we had a nice visit I wrote a letter Home that Pa would see monday. this evening I washed Grand Pa and got his clothes changed and his coat cleaned he washed his feet I feel and\* rest all well

#### Saturday, February 27, 1897

This was not so nice a day as yesterday the Sun did not shine so bright I did not feel very well today Pop took me over to see the Dr my side still troubles me we also went down to the Beach for a drive I came Home and made some Pickels and a custard and cooked a piece of stake Jennie done a big wash I feel better tonight the rest are all well

## Sunday, February 28, 1897

This has not been a very pleasant day windy and cold and tonight it almost rains I got the children off to Sunday S then I stuffed 18 eggs for A to take to School tomorrow got Grand Pa Lunch packed got our Lunch made 19 sandwiches helped Jennie with the dishes then Pop took us for a drive around the cliff the Smith children came down to play I got Grand Pa ready to start tomorrow All are well

## Monday, March 1, 1897

March came in with a roar we were up very early this morning dear Old Grand Pa left for Sutter this morning It rained almost all night and was showers all day and looks like we might get some more tonight I went in to Manns fixed the sleeves of my under Shirt and the band of my under drawers Alverda gave her Lunch to the teachers if it did rain All well

#### Tuesday, March 2, 1897

This has been a stormy day it has rained all day the children took their lunch I put a new binding on my black skirt corded it on also helped Pop to scrape the paint off of the Bath tub he went down town and got some new Enamel to put on it again I do not feel so well tonight think I have taken some more cold Hope not the rest are well

Wednesday, March 3, 1897

This has been a nice day only a few showers Jennie went down town this morning to get us some skirt binding. Pop put a coat of paint on the Bath tub the Piano Agent called and talked me almost blind I got the Binding on my silk skirt Mrs Wilkins came in also Bertha I paid Luenes music teacher for her lesson we had a Book agent call. Assessor called All well.

## Thursday, March 4, 1897

It did not rain but it looked like it might I read my new Ladies Home Companion also a letter from Home Pop got one from McKay and interest I fixed the Band of my under drawers also crochetted a little Gertrude came Home with Alverda. Mrs Holmes called and Had Lunch Pop went went down town I helped Luene on her music read cold today but I felt real good rest all well

## Friday, March 5, 1897

Such a stormy old day alittle of every thing today wind rain and Hail I cleaned up my room just the same this after noon I darned Luenes stockings then I helped them both with their music Bertha came in this aft I gave the children a wash in the old bailer did very well to night I finished the leg for one of Luenes pair of drawers All are well

## Saturday, March 6, 1897

This has been another dreadful day wind rain and Hail it does not seem as if it ever would stop a gain. Alverda and Luene took their music lesson we did not wash Put the trimming on one pairs of Luenes drawers and two pairs of my own I poped some corn for the children and sent Mrs Mann in some she also came in him now all are off for bed Well

## Sunday, March 7, 1897

I rained early this morning and was showers most all fore noon but to night it is clear and looks as though it might clear off Mrs McCormic and Vana called also Wilkie and Agnes and now we are ready to start for the city tomorrow morning. Pap took me lever to see the Dr I wrote 4 letters one Home one to Queene one to Lizzie Perey and one to Sister Jennie gone Home All well

#### Monday, March 8, 1897

We were up a little after 5 and I got ready and Pop took me down to Agneses and she did not think it best it was raining so hard so we came Home and I got dinner and put a band on my drawers they were too small went in to Manns got a letter from cousin Sallie and sent it to Father Pop and I put a new fastener on the Valese and I polished it up a little it looks good Pop went down town I feel better tonight rest all well

#### Tuesday, March 9, 1897

It was nice and clear this morning but a little Hazy this aft I fixed A- Bonnett together and darned Pops socks and got dressed and Pop took me over & Agnes and I left on the 2.5 train was 2 hours late at Pajaro and a lady was taken ill on the train such a time we got here all right at 9 had supper and got a room at 211 Mason Street So guess we will be alright now for this trip. Both well

## Wednesday, March 10, 1897

This has been a nice day although windy. We had our Breakfast at nine and started out on a Piano Tour and Oh my. But we have not decided on one yet Agnes bought a lovely

jacket blue and green then we went to see Doctor Anderson he gave Agnes 4 rules to follow then we went and Had some dinner came Home and rested awhile then went to see a Chickering Piano it is fine and a good Bargine We has some oranges for supper Well

## Thursday, March 11, 1897

Wrote brother Home, This has been a Bright day but lots of wind. We were up late had Break fast at the corner of Mason Turk Page & Falch Thene we went out to hunt Pianoes again no better Had our dinner & went out on Fell St. to see Mr Fitzgibbons Daught Mrs White no. 524 then we went out to Mrs Edwards did not see Mrs T- Then went to see Cody and this Evening we went to see Dr Winslow Anderson Well

## Friday, March 12, 1897

We were up at 7 this morning had our Break fast then we went on a hunt for Dugans drugstore store found it on Taylor & Sutter got the Perscriptions filled went to the maye\* got some candy seen Alice Edwards then went to the Roomes Packed went and Had our dinner came Back bid Mrs Branch good by took the Valinchia street car and took the Train and came Home found Pop there to meet us Edna not very well rest all well

## Saturday, March 13, 1897

Another fine day although the wind blew some I helped the children do up the dishes and got the dinner done the dishes then Pop took me over to see the Dr and down town Bertha came in also Mrs Mann Mr Marbut came over from town with us and Had Lunch with us I went over to Manns for a time this evening Jennie gone out all well but Edna She better

## Sunday, March 14, 1897

This has been an other nice day the wind blew some Alverda and Luene went to Sunday Edna was not able to go. I worked out in the Garden quite a good deel today then this after noon Pop took us for a drive on the cliff came Home and wrote a letter Home and made some Salid done up the dishes then I read a while so now am off for bed Jennie gone out all well but Edna

#### Monday, March 15, 1897

Another fine day I ironed a few Pieces then I got the children off to school then I went out and dug up some weeds and Planted some Sweet Pea seed I also wrote a letter to the Sherman Clay Co Mr Green called this morning I went in to Manns Mrs Renyolds called I called on Mis Town Mrs Mattison Steinmitz Mrs Bliss Smith and Mrs Wheeler. cleaned up my Black skirt and my Waist All well

#### Tuesday, March 16, 1897

I was not up very early had break fast then I got the children off to school then I went out in the garden to work dug up the space for my Tuber Roses and got them set out had dinner then I footed it over to the Doctors then as I went over I called on Mrs Scott got my bottle filled and came Home Mrs Buckley called I read a letter from Home all well I went in to Manns -

#### Wednesday, March 17, 1897

St. Patricks day and a fine day it has been too a wind this after noon though I worked in the garden all fore noon and till three O'clock this after noon I did a little sewing this afte Vance

came over The children took their music lesson Fred Howe came over also Mrs Renyolds I also got a letter from the Sherman Clay Co. Jennie went down town this afte All well but Pop

## Thursday, March 18, 1897

A showery day and cold and windy I mended two Pair of my drawers then Mr Niell called and we closed the Bargain for a Steinway Piano Fred Howe also called but I was in to Manns so did not see him Mrs McCormick also called I wrote a note to Curtag & Son also two orders for flowers one to Childs and one to Doyle both dollar orders Pop seems better rest all well still cloudy

## Friday, March 19, 1897

Another rainy day Pop went down town this morn and sent two letters away one dollar in each order one to Childs and one to Doyle. I also sent some plants to Mrs Heye. Mrs Reynolds called at the gate I did not go with her to see the Piano Had another Piano agent call also a letter from Mr B. J. Neill I finished another pair of Luenes panties it is still cloudy all about well -

## Saturday, March 20, 1897

It did not rain But it was cloudy and cold I helped Jennie with the washing a little Miss Garmon came and Luene took her lesson but the men came with the Piano before Alverda took hers Oh my but they did have a time getting it in the House Jennie gone out Mr Marbut spent the evening here and remains all night I done some mending and Hemmed some C R C clothes Pop is not very well tonight rest well

#### Sunday, March 21, 1897

This has been a cold windy day a heavy frost this morning got the children off to Sunday school then Mr Marbut and Pop and myself looked at the Piano I wrote three letters one Home to Sallie and one to Sherman Clay Co. C R C called at noon I did not go out the children did also Jennie I read my book through I set the Lunch and fixed the cake for supper All well

Supplementary note inserted in between pages:

Sent for Piano

Cash account

**Notes** 

Shipping piano

March 20 \$5.10

## Monday, March 22, 1897

We were up early I got the Breakfast and made Brown Bread Jennie done the ironing and went Home I got the dinner then I hemmed a few more of my clothes the Smith children came down and spent the after noon Pop went down town and got some cheese and oranges I feel tired to night so will Pile into bed early. This had been a fine day I washed out the sheets and got them ready to iron all well

Dr C came over for the Carrot Pie recipe

## Tuesday, March 23, 1897

This has been a fine day I washed the curtains in the dinning room Edna done the windows in the sitting room Alverda got the Breakfast Read a letter from Home also one from the Sherman Clay Co. Bertha came over a little while also

Mrs Everts we all went out to Mrs Dunning they are well I have commenced to let down the summer dresses I went over to Mrs Manns this eve all well

## Wednesday, March 24, 1897

This has been an other fine day I got most of the Breakfast then I ironed out the Hems in Luenes dresses then I put the ticking on the folding bed springs got two letters one from Home and one from Lib R. I washed the children's Hair and got 4 of Luenes aprons let down Mrs Smith called a few minutes this aft Miss G came and gave A & Luene their lesson I went in to Manns he not well Pop down town well

## Thursday, March 25, 1897

This has been a gloomy day looks like rain after Breakfast I cleaned up the Parlor and the Hall swept the sitting room made two Pies one Carrot and one custard after dinner I cleaned the Pantry up also the sink table stove and the Bath room made a cake for supper Mrs Chubbuck and Fannie came over to see the Piano I gave my pansys some tea tonight all well as usual

## Friday, March 26, 1897

This has been a nice day but the wind blew some I finished up the cleaning Edna got dinner Jennie & Elsie came Home for a little while Pop took us over to town this after noon and Wilkie was here when we came Home just then Mr & Mrs Wheeler called I did not see them I went and took Wilkie Home came Home set the Bread and washed out some dish towels took the children in to Manns all well

Saturday, March 27, 1897

I was up very early this morning set the Bread and made the Biscuit for Breakfast then I got the clothes washed out and with Edna's help we got them out by noon Alverda and Luene took their music L- I made a Potato cake cake and some doughnuts Had supper then Pop went down and had a Hack bring Grand Pa up I foulded the clothes with A help. Edna went down town now all are ready for Bed I am tired Well

## Sunday, March 28, 1897

This has been a disagreeable day cold wind and rain I got Breakfast the children did not go to Sunday school I wrote 2 letters one Home and one to my sister gave Grand Pa a scrubbing and got him cleaned up then I made a carrot pudding made dinner layed down and took a nap helped the children to Practice went in to Manns had supper Jennie came Home and now am off for bed Well

## Monday, March 29, 1897

This has been a windy cold day I made two Pies this morning got the children off to school washed the dishes then I washed out Grandpa clothes this afte I took the Horse and drove over to the Dr then Home and mended Alverda's Black silk dress went in to Buckleys Home Had supper then I commenced to knit Grand Pa a pair of socks Mr Willis brought over some music well

## Tuesday, March 30, 1897

Another windy day I made one pumpkin Pie this morning then I went out and worked in the garden almost all fore noon Transplanted some Chrysanthemums and gave the roses some tea Jennie and I went down town this after noon took Agnes some violets came Home went in to Manns a little while came Home trimmed up Luenes hat and done a little mending All well Mr Austin called

## Wednesday, March 31, 1897

This was a cold windy day it commenced to rain this after noon at 4 and is still at it I worked in the yard all fore noon and Pop plowed this afte I called on Mrs Smith did not find her at Home called on Mrs Everts and Mrs Bamford Alverda and Luene took their music lesson Paid A- Lessons knit on the sock a little Planted some more Sweet Pea seeds All well

## Thursday, April 1, 1897

This was a cloudy cold day all fore noon but it seems clear to night I wrote a note to Sherman Clay & Co this morning then I went down to see Miss Hughes trimmed Edna's Hat this after noon then I run in to see Mrs Wheeler but she was not at Home I also went in to Manns I knit some on the sock Pop and Grand Pa went down to town this after noon Luene down to Sanfords All well

Friday, April 2, 1897 Pap finished plowing -

This was a cloudy morning but soon it cleared off and was nice I cleaned up our room and changed 3 beds. this after noon I went over to Mrs Everts to the Aid society and from there I went Home with Mrs White and then down to Mrs Towne and Home mended Alverda's dress gave the children and Grand Pa a wash and am off for bed Well.

Saturday, April 3, 1897

This has been a nice day we washed and got done before noon Miss Garmon came and I paid for Luenes 8 Lessons Grand Pa & Pop went down town Edna went down to the corner and got me a Box of note paper I got a note from Sherman Clay & Co this after noon I feel miserable again tonight awful Grippy Jennie gone out this eve the rest are well as usual

## Sunday, April 4, 1897

This has been a nice day a little windy was all the children went to Sunday school I have been ill all day sore throat and Head ache I felt so ill did not write any letters. Pop and the two little ones and Grand Pa went for a drive Edna and Jennie went for a walk Jennie is out again tonight I feel miserable rest all well

## Monday, April 5, 1897

This was a nice day still the wind blew I feel miserable cooked some Beans and a loaf of Brown Bread my plants came from the Doyle Co of Ohio and Grand Pa True and my self set them out Pop took me over to see the Dr I have Grippe a gain so went to bed on the Lounge Had a letter from the Piano Tuner of Los Gatos Henry Schomberg will be here to morrow rest all well

## Tuesday, April 6, 1897

A foggy morning my throat is very sore I feel about the same Grand Pa struck out for Jose's this morning Read a letter from Home Grand Pa came Home early Mrs Mann came in also Bertha Pop went over to the Dr and got some more powders and a Throat Gargle Pop went down town and for Porter He seen Agnes All the rest well

## Wednesday, April 7, 1897

North wind blew Hard all day but turned to South wind tonight my throat is a little better to night I knit some today and Have a ravanish appetite Mrs Holmes called tonight Jennie went over Home she went down town this after noon and Bought me a Ferris waiste Mr Schomberg came and tuned the Piano The children did not take a music lesson Wilkie came in a little while all the rest well

## Thursday, April 8, 1897

This has been Oh such a warm day just like summer Mrs Mann came in this morning to talk flowers and plants I almost got A old black Hat trimmed when the Bell rang and Mrs M G Benson appeared on the scene we talked Steinway This after noon Pop Took Grand Pa Luene & myself to drive & to the Dr I paid them both \$3.00 in all we stopped to see Mrs Miller Jennie and Edna down town this evening wrote two letters one to J A Doyle Co & to Sherman Clay Co all well I am not very strong

## Friday, April 9, 1897

Another very warm day I cleaned my room and aired all the beds then I went in to Mrs Everts But she was not in came Home gave some Tea to the Plants and moved a great many of the Pink slips after I got my work done I went down to Mrs Smiths did not find her at Home came Home Mrs Steinmitz called I mended 4 pair of Hoes for Luene I to Manns a little while Gave Grand Pa a wash So am off for bed well

Saturday, April 10, 1897 doped Grand Pa's Toe-

Another fine day nice and warm Jennie done the washing

alone I got the dinner Oh My such a time as I did have with Edna I feel the effects of yet Mrs Renyolds called this morn A & L took their lesson Mrs Mann came in Jennie and a Mr Gilbert have gone out we called on Agnes a minute Pop and I cut out the Piano Cover Oh my but I do feel miserable Well

## Sunday, April 11, 1897

It was cloudy and Foggy this morning and it did not clear away much either still foggy to night the children went to Sunday school I wrote three letters one Home one to Mrs Thistlethwaite and one to Mrs Heye also read one from Mrs Heye Pop took the children for a drive in the woods Agnes came over and stayed all afternoon and had Lunch Jennie gone out all well

## Monday, April 12, 1897

Another fine day I made a loaf of Brown bread got the children off to School then I worked in the garden a while Pop got some mussels and Jennie and I got them ready for dinner I fixed A Black & Yellow dress and got L white one ripped up Pop and Grand Pa down town I sent the check to Sherman Clay and Co mended my under drawers made L pink dress larger in the waist All Well

## Tuesday, April 13, 1897

Another fine day I worked out in the garden a while early this morning then I came in and got the children off to School then I washed my Hair this after noon Pop took Grand Pa A L & myself out to Mr Dunnings to get a setting of eggs came Home and set the hen Jennies gone out tonight will not be Home I finished one of Grand Pa's socks now all are off for bed I don't

## feel very good rest well

## Wednesday, April 14, 1897

It was foggy for a time this morning then it cleared a way again and was nice and Bright but the fog came in a gain tonight A & L took their lesson. I did not do much only in the garden all fore noon I washed out the under Shirts though this after noon I worked on Ls white dress some Pop and Grand Pa went down town Jennie washed windows in the Parlor The old Hen did not Set All Well

## Thursday, April 15, 1897

Foggy again this morning after I got the children off to School Pop took Grand Pa and myself over to town did not get Home till almost dinner time I got myself a new Hat Pop took Edna Alverda & myself down town a gain this after noon & got Edna's Hat but A was not done I made a new Cushion for the Piano Stool also worked on L white dress I don't feel very well rest well

## Friday, April 16, 1897

This has been a Gloomy day I did not get our room cleaned till this after noon so damp I could not air the beds I finished Luene a white apron and sewed some on her white dress Wilkie came through the yard I recieved a letter and Bill of Sale from Sherman Clay & Co Alverda went down and got her new Hat Jennie and Edna went down town All Well

## Saturday, April 17, 1897

A & L did not take a lesson It was gloomy all fore noon and a stiff breeze all after noon I did not do much of the washing

helped Jennie a little C.R.C. called just after dinner I made the neck of Edna's Dimity Higher and the sleeves longer and hemmed one of the Piano dusters Pop and Grand Pa down town Jennie & Elsie gone out this evening I popped some corn for my self and am now off for Bed All Well

## Sunday, April 18, 1897

Another gloomy day almost a rain tonight The children went to Sunday school and I got Grand Pas feet washed & his toes fixed up again then this after noon Pop took Grand Pa A & L for a short drive Eddie took Edna & Jennie tonight Jennie & Edna went to churn Mrs Mann came in I wrote three letters one Home one to Aunt Sinnett & one to Cousin Bessie I feel Better All the rest well

## Monday, April 19, 1897

This has been a cloudy day but little rain has fell as yet I made a loaf of Brown Bread got the children off to school cleaned up the sink then I worked on Luenes white dress got dinner finished L dress and got the Embroidery on her Skirt to night Bertha came over and played some I gave her a sore talking to too The wind is coming up to night All Well

## Tuesday, April 20, 1897

This has been a fine day ripped up Luene's Hats before Breakfast and got them ready to wash after I got the children off to school and Grand Pa off to Jose's I washed up some of the summer clothes and Hats this after noon I got Luene's skirt ready for Button Holes. I went over to Mrs Archers to see her darning machine also to Mrs Manns for a little while Jennie gone out All Well

## Wednesday, April 21, 1897

This has been a Bright nice day. I ironed all fore noon got all the childrens white dressing done up such a job Luenes Hats & cap glad it is done A & L took their lesson I got one of Luenes Hats fixed and Her Cap Pop took me down town I got the Articles for the Baking Powder and made it mended my old drawers and Helped the children with their music All Well

## Thursday, April 22, 1897

Another fine day although the wind blew this after noon quite hard I wrote to Sherman Clay & Co for the Book finished Luenes white skirt and got her Hat put together again also made a new cushion for Grand Pa chair and made the cover for the Piano Pop put in some more Beans this morning I brought up some more truck to make Tea for the Pansys I am tired all as well as usual

Jennie out tonight

## Friday, April 23, 1897

Another day of north wind I put some tea on a good many of the Plants this morning then I cleaned up our room and aired all the Beds and got them made after dinner Mrs Dunning came in for a short time after she left I started Grand Pa's other sock and put feet in three pairs of Hoes for the children read a Letter from Violet Heye All as well as usual

## Saturday, April 24, 1897

This has been a lovely day I helped get the Breakfast and then Helped Jennie with the washing we did not get through till after noon I had a little rest then I took the children and Grand Pa out to the cemetery and cleaned the weeds of the lot and set out some Coral moss Came Home found Mr Marbut here he stayed to Lunch I went in to Manns Jennie gone out All Well

## Sunday, April 25, 1897

This was a warm nice day although it came in foggy tonight the children went to Sunday school and after dinner Pop took Grand Pa Edna & Alverda for a drive Luene remained at Home with me Jennie went out I wrote two letters one Home one to Miss Heye and a Postal to Mrs Meader. Mrs Mann came in and Had a piece of cake with us I read a little in Trillby tonight All Well

## Monday, April 26, 1897

This has been a cloudy day not much Sunshine I ironed a little washed Grand Pa's feet and got the most of the dinner this after noon Pop drove me out to see Mrs O. Bleenis then we came Home and I helped the children with their music after that I went down to Mrs Smiths to have her tell me how to make Bay Rum Still looks rainy tonight All Well

## Tuesday, April 27, 1897

Made some Bay Rum It looked like rain all fore noon and was misty this morning But it cleared off for a while and the wind blew tonight it looks rainy again. I planted out the Pepper plants the Chinaman brought and done a little work in the Garden got at my rugs again did not do much Kate Smith came down and played for us a while this evening I cooked some new mush for supper Pop and Grand Pa down town All Well

Wednesday, April 28, 1897

This has been a nice day I got the children off to school then Grand Pa and I went out to Dunnings for a setting of Eggs This After noon Pop took me over to town and to call on Mrs Benson She was not at Home Alverda and L took their lesson Mrs Chubbuck & Mrs McCormick and children called I went in to Manns and to Buckleys He is no better All the family are well

## Thursday, April 29, 1897

This has been a fine day I went out and watered some of the plants this morning then I got the Girls off to school and then Mrs Benson came and we talked music till almost noon this after noon I hemmed the sock for my ny and got it in the frame then I cleaned up the sitting room then I read some and knit a little wrote a note to Sherman Clay And Co so now I am off for bed all well

## Friday, April 30, 1897

Another fine day Alverda went for an Eround for Mrs Mann over to Lemons this morning I went in to Bamfords to see her rug cleaned up our Room and changed the beds worked on my rug a little this afte then Mrs Bliss called also Bertha then I set out the plants and planted the seeds from Childs and wrote for an other Rose gave Grand Pa his wash I don't feel very well rest well

#### Saturday, May 1, 1897

This was a windy day all fore noon and looked like rain too but it did not rain I Helped Jennie do the washing then we both worked on the rug till 6 then Jennie set the lunch and she and Bertha went down town Alverda & Luene took their lesson of Miss Garmon and Edna went down town and took her first

lesson of Mrs Benson Pop and Grandpa went down town I knit a little tonight all Well

## Sunday, May 2, 1897

Another fine day got the children off to Sunday School then I pulled some weeds out of the lawn then I washed Grandpa Had cleaned out His Ears Brushed His Hair cut a few flowers Had dinner and Pop took us out to the Cemetery and then for a drive I wrote a letter Home and an order to Childs for 3 Deutzias Mrs Mann came in and I read some of trillby All are well

## Monday, May 3, 1897

Not much sun shine today Jennie and I ironed some this morning then I went out and pulled out the Single pinks and brought up some more dressing for my pansys Mrs Mann came in also Wilkie and Mrs Everts twice over She Brought me in a pink cutting Bertha came in also She and Jennie went out tonight I knit a little this eve read a letter from Home All Well

## Tuesday, May 4, 1897

It was nice this fore noon and after I got the children off to school I worked in the garden gave some tea to some of the plants and tied up my pinks and took Mrs Everts over some of the cutting of them This afte Grand Pa went out with Rudie and Pop took Luene and myself down town Luene got a pair of new shoes Lucille came over to play Jennie over Home tonight Well

## Wednesday, May 5, 1897

Another windy day but still no rain I worked in the garden most all fore noon Grand pa Helped me some on the drive way then I Helped Grand pa Bore some Holes for Pop to make the Hammock we did have a time to get it covered too it was so Hard to sew through the Heavy Carpets I got dressed and called on the Judges Wife she is ill Mrs Smith called. I worked on the rug a little D called Pop not well

Thursday, May 6, 1897 Letter from Queen also Gusranter\*

Another cloudy windy day but still no rain I got the children off to school then I worked in the garden for a time then I took Mrs Mann over a black Rose root then I cut out a sunbonnet for Dr C and finished it this afte I went over to see Mrs Judy Smith she is better I went in this afte and took the spoons for Mrs Mann to send Ren & Clive Bertha came in Jennie gone out all well

Friday, May 7, 1897

This was a nice warm day but the wind blew just the same I cleaned up the two bed rooms and the beds worked in the garden a very little then I got dressed and went down to the school spent most of the after noon there called on Mrs White as I came Home also Ms Steinway did not find her at Home watered some of the plants and gave the children and Grandpa a bath Well

Saturday, May 8, 1897 Mrs Town called

This has been an other nice day I was up early and we got at the washing Early Edna got the breakfast and then Her father took her down to take her second lesson Luene took her last lesson and I payed the teacher Grand pa went down to Hodges. Pop took A-L- and myself over to the Dr and out to the cemetery Jennie gone out Mr Marbut Here this evening Edna out for a

#### school Picnic I went down to Ms Shorts Well

## Sunday, May 9, 1897

This has been a lovely day but were warm Mr Briggs came in just after we had breakfast and chatted a while The children went to Sunday school and I cleaned Grand pa's coat and washed his feet and got him fixed made a straw berry short cake sent Mr Buckley in a slice Agnes came over and we Had some muss I watered some of the plants Jennie gone out Well

## Monday, May 10, 1897

This has been a nice warm day I washed out a few pieces this morning then I got the dinner made an orange short cake Bertha came in I went in to Manns read two letters one from Mcphernie and one from R folks. Jennie and I worked on the rug this after noon Jennie also went down town this eve I feel sleepy tonight and tired All Well

# Tuesday, May 11, 1897 getting in the mood

Very cloudy and a little misty this morning but it did not rain I cut off some of the yellow dock and got two places fixed for sweet peas gave the pansys and pinks some tea this afte I ran in to Mann then Jennie and I worked on the rug Mrs Murphy came Home Jennie came over Pop and Grand Pa went down town Jennie gone home tonight All Well

## Wednesday, May 12, 1897

Another cloudy day but still no rain yet I worked in the garden some and transplanted some roses plants wrote a letter Home sent some flowers down to Mrs Whites mother Jennie and

I worked on the rug this after noon we did not do much I layed down and took a nap and read Trillby some played Whist at Manns with Mrs Everts All well

## Thursday, May 13, 1897

Another cloudy day but still no rain yet I went down town with Pop and Grand pa and paid Mrs Benson came back and took up some rose roots and took them out to Mrs Dunning I went out a lone came Home and mended some of Luenes stocking then I went down to Mrs Smith came Home and Bertha and Jennie came in for a time Jennie gone out Helped Grand pa change his clothes All Well

## Friday, May 14, 1897

Alverda has a cough It did rain for a few minutes this morning but it cleared away this afte and the sun shone I felt miserable all day did not do much but clean the beds and get Grand pa's Lunch ready for him to start back to Sutter in the morning gave him his wash tonight and got Him ready to be off Mrs Mann came in this evening for a little chatt All the rest well

## Saturday, May 15, 1897

We were up very early this morning to get Grand pa odd for Sutter I suffered most all night and Had a call from C.R.C. the first thing felt miserable all day Pop took the two little children down and brought Edna Home Mrs Stancliff called I finished Grand pa's socks and Helped get the dinner Edna went down town and bought her a pair if gloves Jennie gone out Alverda not very well got a cough All rest well Alverda over to the Doctor

### Sunday, May 16, 1897

It was cloudy all day and commenced to rain at five Had quite a shower Edna & L went to Sunday school A did not got her cold to severe Jennie gone out this afte Pop Edna and Luene went for a walk I finished Trilby I did not like it at all. then I wrote two letters one to Mrs R and one to cousin Queen then we had Lunch and now we are off for bed All the Rest Well

# Monday, May 17, 1897

It was cloudy for a while this morning and then it cleared away and was nice tonight I made a loaf of Brown bread and got the dinner cleaned up Grand pa clothes and this after noon I cut out a blue Calico dress for Alverda she did not go to school Mrs White called also Mrs Mann & Bertha read a letter from Home and recieved my new rose the Childs jewel looks nice All well

Tuesday, May 18, 1897 Mrs Towne called

This has been a nice day we were up early I worked on the dresses be fore breakfast then wrote an excuse for A- and got them off to school cut out another blue dress for Alverda and got them both most done I Have felt miserable today Mrs Dunning came in and spent the evening here Had a nice time played whist for a time did not go to bed till late P sawed the wood hill.

#### Wednesday, May 19, 1897

This was a nice day I sewed on a A dresses some before Breakfast then I got the girls off to school and Pop took me down town I came Home and fixed the Lace for my silk waist neck this after noon Jennie and I went over to Her Home and spent the after noon I also took Luene down town to take her music lesson I sewed on A's dress all I could Jennie gone out read a letter from Clive Mann Well

### Thursday, May 20, 1897

Cloudy almost all day day and not as warm after I got the children off to school I worked in the garden for a while then I came in and finished Alverdas dark blue dress. worked some on her light blue got it ready for the Button Holes read a letter from diar old Emma Strassby she has left Fred again got my little trees from Childs Pop went down for them this evening Alverda & Luene still cough rest well

# Friday, May 21, 1897

This Has been a nice day after I got the girls off to school I got out the Deuty's plants and then I polished most all of the furniture that is took off the mars and scratches it was eleven o clock before I finished then I cleaned my room this after noon I done a little mending and finished Alverdas other Blue dress Mrs Thistlethwaite and Mrs Forsythe came over pop took them over Home all well as usual

#### Saturday, May 22, 1897

This has been a cold cloudy disagreeable day I helped Jennie wash a little got the children off to take this music lesson Edna got the dinner I cut out a dark blue dress for Edna and got it all finished to the fancy Colar and buttons and button Holes I feel tired Bertha came in and she and Jennie went down town this evening Pop went down town this afte Alverda & Luene still cough rest well

Sunday, May 23, 1897

We had but little Sun Shine today Edna and Alverda went to Sunday school Luene coughed so she did not go Fannie brought me in a few pink cutting I wrote three letters one Home one to Emma S- and one to Olie this afte Pop took us out to the cemetery and then we went out to see Mrs D she is better Luene seemes Better tonight Jennie has not got back as yet All the rest are well

### Monday, May 24, 1897

This was a nice day after I got Edna & Alverda off to school Luene did not go this fore noon. then I washed up some of Luenes Aprons and her pink dress got dinner this after noon pop took me over to the Dr came Home done the mending and sent an order to Dinger C- & Co for 70 cents American beauty Rose and 4 purple pinks read a litter from Home set out some pink slips Edna brought Home Bertha came in and I went Home with her All well.

#### Tuesday, May 25, 1897

This was a nice day although it was windy this after noon I aired the bedding in the front room and went over to M- and got a rose cutting done a little watering and tea wetting then this after noon I worked on Edna's Colar got the lace on it Mrs Smith and the girls came down Alverda and I picked our currents and then we went over to Mrs Archers and will get some over there tomorrow. Jennie & Bertha gone well

#### Wednesday, May 26, 1897

This has been a nice day I was up early and went over to Mrs Archers and picked currents to make jell Jennie and I picked them over and I made 14 glasses of jell This afte I

returned the Dr. catalogues and went down town and to call on Rose she was at Ben Lomond came Home and set out some Pepper plants Mrs Archer gave me. I also did a little watering Mrs Dunning came over did not see her Jennie gone out all well but coughs

# Thursday, May 27, 1897

Another nice day although the wind blew this after noon. I cleaned up the jellie shelf and put up my current jell. I did a little work in the garden and then I done up my work and got ready and went down to the School this afte came Home and finished Edna's blue dress and cut out one for Luene Pop went down and got a cough syrup and a plaster for Luene she coughed very hard at times Jennie gone out rest well

# Friday, May 28, 1897

It was cloudy all morning after I got the children off to school planted out the Rose cuttings Fannie gave Alverda then I fixed the sleeves in Alverdas Buff-white waist and in her white waist also Luene Blue plaid waist Then I cleaned up our room and got ready and went down to the School Exercises it was after four before I got Home I sewed on Luenes Blue dress Jennie gone out the children still cough rest well

### Saturday, May 29, 1897

This has been a nice day after I got the children off to take their music lesson I helped Jennie with the washing after which Pop took us over to town and out to the cemetery we watered the lot and Put Six Boquetts over the grave Mr Marbut was here when we came Home Had Lunch with us Bertha and Ella Gibbs came in and they & Jennie went down town Pop bought E & A

### new shoes Luene Still coughs Well

### Sunday, May 30, 1897

This was a nice warm day but the wind blew this after noon we were up a little after five and Had break fast and started for Olive Springs arrived out there at Half past nine Mrs Smith and family & Mrs Graves arrived about ten we Had a fine Lunch and then went for ferns got a nice lot of them came Home about 3:30 Had Lunch I set out the ferns and Jennie went out well

### Monday, May 31, 1897

Another fine day but the wind blew again this after noon I fixed Ednas Colar again this morning on her blue dress went in to Mrs Everts came Home made a black berry and a Cherry pie this afte Pop took the children down to march in the Procession Bertha came in I wrote a letter Home and sent a paper also one to Jainite and Auntie Sinnett Luene still coughs rest well as usual Jennie at home

#### Tuesday, June 1, 1897

June came in like a lambe we did not sleep much Luene coughed so much and so Hard we took up the front bed room carpet cleaned the furniture and put it down again read a letter from Home Vance and Lucille came over Pop went down town for tacks and Honey I made Luene a Cough Syrup. I feel tired and will retire early all the rest are well.

# Wednesday, June 2, 1897

This has been a fine day Luene did not sleep good last night and I took cold being up with her I feel miserable today took up the Hall carpet and put it down again took the children down to take their music lesson Luene and I went out to see Mrs Marbut Mr and Mrs Dunning called this evening & made my black waist larger but did not get it quite finished my throat is very sore the rest are usually well

### Thursday, June 3, 1897

It was foggy for a while this morning then it cleared a way and was warm this afte we took up the sitting room Carpet & got it down again I cleaned all the doors and polished all the picture frames and all the furniture so we feel quite cleaned Rose came over and spent the after noon Bertha came over she and Jennie gone out read a letter from Cody L Better rest Well

# Friday, June 4, 1897

Another fine day nice and warm too I cleaned up our rooms this morning and picked a few cherries and pulled up a few weeds and helped to weed the Lattice Pop finished up his wood I went over and paid Mrs Archer 23. cents for the currents then I went in to see Mrs Buckley & Florence done at little mending took off the old Hen with 9 little chicks Luene seemes Better rest well

#### Saturday, June 5, 1897

Another fine day very warm though after I got the children off to take their music lesson Jennie and I finished the washing read a letter from Lib Bertha came in this eve I went in to Buckleys and to Manns put in some Sweet Pea seeds and some pink seeds. Pop took me over to get the Bottle filled and all of us down town Put a new Plaster on L- All well

Sunday, June 6, 1897

This Has been a nice warm day I was the first one up this morning and done a little watering and picked some peas for dinner and got Alverda & Edna off to Sunday School L- did not feel like going this after noon we went out on the Big tree road got some black berries Jennie gone out this eve Wilkie and Agnes came over I wrote a letter Home and Helped Luene with her music All Well

### Monday, June 7, 1897

A very pleasant day I made two Blackberry pies and one cherry pie made 2 glasses of wild black berry jell and got 5 boxes of Strawberries on to make jell of also some cherries on to cook Mrs Winans called this morning Mr Will Marbut and his mother this after noon also Mrs Everts Mrs Mann I went in to Mrs Everts with Mrs Mann Jennie gone out Luene about the same rest well

#### Tuesday, June 8, 1897

Not very warm today nor much sunshine. I worked in the garden some and then I helped the children on their music Put up three quarts of Spiced Cherries mother Mann came in also two girls from town came over to play with the children I finished Luenes Blue dress looks very nice Pop went down town to get Tan shoes Jennie also went town Well-

#### Wednesday, June 9, 1897

This has been a cold disagreeable not much sun Shine Pop took us down town this morning the children took their Lesson Alverda walked Home I cut out my black and white plaid waist do not feel well C.R.C called just after noon. also Mr Austin to see the Piano you bet I wrote Mr Hinds a Letter Bertha came in

this evening oh my but I feel so bad and her jabber the rest are well.

Thursday, June 10, 1897

This has been a nice sat not warm at all. I ripped up my old black and white plaid waist and cut Edna a Shirt waist out of it washed the Linings and will make them up for myself again Mrs Holmes came over and brought the Green jacket died I got the old Sutter Co paper Jennie and Edna went down town this eve I sewed the lace on one of Alverda drawer loop Luene improving rest Well

Friday, June 11, 1897 Purple pink came

This has been a perfect day I cleaned up our room this fore noon did not get dressed very early done a little work on the Green jacket then Mrs Rennie came in after she went Mrs Smith came in and then a girl Canvasser Our pinks came and I took Mrs Manns over to her then I set mine out Also the American Beauty Rose also Empress of China Rose Luene about the same rest well.

# Saturday, June 12, 1897

I was up very early this morning pulled weeds be fore Breakfast Helped with the dishes got the children of to take their music lesson then I fixed over A- old Blue dress Helped Jennie with the washing this after noon we all went out and got over a gallon of wild Black berries read a Letter from cousin Sallie Mrs Mann came in Also Bertha the children found a young squirrel and Brought it Home went over to the Dr Well

### Sunday, June 13, 1897

After the Girls went to Sunday School I put the Berries on to cook made 6 glasses of jell and two jars of jam the Squirrel still lives I wrote two letters one Home and one to Bet. This after noon Pop took us a round the cliff Oh my how the wind did blow we were glad to get Home after we had Lunch I finished my Three Girls of Vasser by Champy all usuly Well-

Monday, June 14, 1897 Miss Hughes Called

It has been windy today and cloudy this after noon we had quite a sprinkle of rain this after noon I worked in the garden and cleaned up the store room made two apple pies and got the dinner Pop took Averda Luene and myself out to D- Edna went down and changed my Library book mountains of Cal- this time I went down to Mrs Smiths this evening they are well still windy and cold All usually Well-

### Tuesday, June 15, 1897

Another windy cloudy disagreeable day. I done a little watering before Breakfast and picked some Sweet Peas to send over to Mrs Vanderford Finished the Green jacket done some of the mending and fixed my old Elastics up again Edna went to Sea Bright with the Smiths and down town with mother Mann I was in to Mrs M- Pop and the two little ones went for Beer Well

#### Wednesday, June 16, 1897

This was a much nicer day than Yesterday not so much wind I cleaned up the pantry this morning and got the children off for their music lesson Jennie went over Home this after noon Miss Hughes came in again got the Lunch and went into Manns

read a letter from Emma L- Pop recieved one from the Ranch Bertha came in this evening all as well as usual

# Thursday, June 17, 1897

Still those old winds keep up come up every after noon I went in to Buckleys this morning to see if I could be of any help to her got my shirt waist ready to fix the Buckley children were here this morning Alverda went with Fannie and her mother out to Sycamour Flat Jennie has gone out this Evening I am reading mountains of Cal all well as usual

### Friday, June 18, 1897

Very little sun shine all day cloudy and foggy all day. I cleaned up our room and finished my shirt waist to Button Holes and Buttons Bertha came in this morning also Miss Hughes I let her take mothers photo to enlarge it if the can. Mrs M and I went in to Buckleys to say good by also in to Everts to get some fruit jars and I got some pink slips also all as well as usual

# Saturday, June 19, 1897

This has been a disagreeable day rained early this morning and was showering all after noon I got the Girls off to take their music Lesson helped Jennie to wash a little after dinner I finished my shirt waist made 18 Button holes in it Pop went down town this afte cold and some wind tonight Jennie has gone out this evening for the night Well

Sunday, June 20, 1897 Earth Quake at 1.20

This was a cloudy day not much wind the children did not go to Sunday School it looked to rainy neither did we go for a drive Pop took A & L for a little walk Edgar Marbut came over and after he left his mother and Bro came then Mrs Mann came in Jennie went out I wrote three letters one Home one to Dinger Conard Co & one to cousin Sallie all usually well

### Monday, June 21, 1897

This has been a nice day not much wind or sunshine I helped Jennie with the ironing a little and cooked a pot of Beans Put the lace on Jennies ruffles for her white dress Mrs D- was here for a little while this after noon Mrs M came in Several times I washed and done up Alverdas yellow waist Edna went down and went in swimming with the Smiths all usually well

### Tuesday, June 22, 1897

Not much sunshine this fore noon and plenty of wind this after noon I done some mending this morning and put a new braid on Edna's old school Hat read a postal from Mrs Buckley also a letter from Lib. This after noon Pop took us down to Capitola Oh my How the wind blew Jennie and Alverda stayed and came Home on the Train some one stole our whip I picked the Gooseberries and got them ready to cook tomorrow Well

#### Wednesday, June 23, 1897

This was a nice fore noon but the wind blew as usual this afte. Pop and my self took the children down to take their music Lesson and I did a few erronds. Mrs D- brought over some Butter Milk Mrs Mann gave me some slips of pink and Geraniums also some Bulbs Rose came over with the Baby I worked some one Jennies white dress dident do much all well

Thursday, June 24, 1897

Another nice forenoon but windy as usual this afternoon I worked in the garden this morning trans planted my little Margueretta pinks This after noon I took our two Youngest children and Fannie M over to Sea Bright Miss Addie Fitzsimmons called with a Book of De Witt Talmage I did not take it. I washed all the children's hair and mine and pops. My Head aches so I will go to Bed Well

### Friday, June 25, 1897

Another windy old day cleaned up our room and picked a bunch of pinks for A to take up in the morning packed the Hamper and mended up pops old duster got their Lunch ready and read in my book all I could Jennie is gone out for a little while I gave A & L- a bath and got them to bed early so now I am off too all well

### Saturday, June 26, 1897

It looked like rain early morning but the wind came up and blew it away we were up early this morning to get Pop and A off to Sutter L and myself drove them over then I came back and had my Breakfast got ready and took Luene over to take her music lesson I went down to do a few errons also I did not do much but run around this day did not Help Jennie much Well

### Sunday, June 27, 1897

This has been a lovely day got the children off to Sunday school then I harnessed up and Jennie and I met them and we went to the Beach for a little while came home had dinner then we all went out to Forsyths and to call on Mrs Marbut Oh my old lady Trueax this eve just as we were about decided to go to church Agnes & Wilkie came over So now we are off for bed

Monday, June 28, 1897

This has been another nice day I was up early and sent a note and the sentinel to Pop cleaned up the yard and took the weeds out of the front Beds. just as we got about through Mrs Marbut and son came and remained to dinner and till half past 4 then I hitched up and went for Mrs Thistlethwaites and to the Library Edna got a book this time Fannie came over and brought me some Pink cuttings all well

Tuesday, June 29, 1897 Bought 20 Black berries

Still another nice day I did not get up so early this morn Mrs T and I lunched together she did not sleep very much I went in to call on Mrs Witmore this aft- read a letter from Alverda she is having a nice time. I watered the young plants and raked the leaves Mrs T and my self took a little walk in the yard Got a letter from Mr King with check will ans it. All as well as usual

Wednesday, June 30, 1897

A little wind today I got the children off to take their lesson then I made the Black berry jell had 3 glasses and one quart in a jar also 6 glasses of plum jell and 3 quarts to put up this after noon I took E, L & Mrs T out to Mrs D- got a setting of Eggs and set the old mother Hen Jennie and I washed off the side of the porch wall. Mrs T and myself went down to Perrys and got two cents of pens All Well

Thursday, July 1, 1897

This has been a nice warm day I helped L with her M- and

let the water run on the Cucumbers this after noon Mrs Betts called canvassing for a book read a letter from Pop also one from Home done the mending this afte and let the water run on the Sweet peas and pinks also went over to Mrs Everts & got some pink cuttings Mr Marbut called this morning All Well

### Friday, July 2, 1897

Another nice warm day I planted my sweet peas and pickled Black berries enough and made two pies done a good deal of watering and cut two of the lawns This afte we all went over to town and to take Mrs T home. Mrs M came in this evening and Rose and Jennie went out I put covers on my jell and put it on the shelf. made my black and white color smaller I am tired All Well.

# Saturday, July 3, 1897

This has been a nice day rather hot though I raked up the yard and burnt up the trash then I had breakfast and got the Girls off to take their lesson then I helped Jennie with the washing and watered the Beans then I hitched up the horse and went over to Sea Bright and meet Pop Grand pa and Alverda after they came I washed A clothes and scrubbed G-P and am off for bed well

#### Sunday, July 4, 1897

The Glorious fourth of July again after I got the children off to sunday school I made a Black berry pie and dressed two chickens made the beds and cleaned out Grand Pa ears and made the frosting for two cakes Pop took us for a drive down town and to the Beach Mrs Mann came in twice I wrote two postals one Home and one to my sister C.R.C. tonight All Well

### Monday, July 5, 1897

This has been a nice day I ironed a few pieces this morning and got the chicken fried then we all got ready and went over to town the Procession did not amount to much came home and had dinner then we went back again but did no see much came home again had Lunch and this evening all but my self went down to the river to see the fire works I felt too ill All Well

# Tuesday, July 6, 1897

It was not very warm today a little north wind tonight I ironed a few pieces then picked some peaches and washed up some more old dirty clothes Alverdas Flannel skirt and the lace and waist to her Black silk Skirt this afte I helped L- with her music then I done a little mending Pop and Grand pa went down town Mrs M- sister came at last at 4 this afte all are off to Bed early All Well

### Wednesday, July 7, 1897

This has been a nice day got the children off to take their music lesson then I got the vegetables on for dinner then Frank Ennor brought my Purple King and I sit it out also the pink slips Fannie brought over sent Mrs Holmes some plums by Pop he and Grand pa down town I worked on the mending this afte Zylpha came over Mr Samuels died the Fifth Pop read letter from Stabler Well

#### Thursday, July 8, 1897

Another nice day quite warm this after noon Pop took G- P-A Luene & myself down town this morning Luene had her tooth pulled this afte I took A. L. G-P and myself out to Dunnings came Home by Twin Lakes I fixed the peaches for Lunch then I

went over to Manns for a little while then Miss Hughes came and I came Home Jennie gone out for the night got a Dog Well

### Friday, July 9, 1897

Another nice day, this is Edna's 13 birth day I bought 30 cents of ice cream for dinner cleaned up our room and changed and made all three of the beds got A- black and yellow dress together again Mrs Bamford came over and spent a few hours Pop and Grand pa went for Beer I feel very tired but I gave G.P. his scrubbing so am now off for bed Well

# Saturday, July 10, 1897

Just a lovely day Jennie and I washed all fore noon I put some string Beans on to cook then A & L went down to take their music Lesson Edna did not go her finger was too sore Pop took G.P. E- and myself down town I payed Mrs Benson 27 & now we are square I also called on Mrs Fitzgibbons and Mrs Merrell came Home Helped the children with their music. All Well. Jennie going to Capitola

### Sunday, July 11, 1897

Foggy this morning and again tonight The children went to Sunday school and church and after dinner Pop took them for a drive I did not go. Jennie went out also I only wrote one letter and that one to Mrs Buckley my side pained me all day and is still at it tonight I read in the Book Edna got from the Library Welones of Japan I think it very interesting now all are off for bed Well

#### Monday, July 12, 1897

This was a nice day also Alverda and I done a little

cleaning up out under the Apple tree I also got the dinner and done a little mending but did not iron any this afte Pop took me and G-P over to the Dr I for some Medicine for my side I also called on Amanda Lyth and Mrs Brown came Home and had Lunch and went over to Mame's and played Whist - All Well

### Tuesday, July 13, 1897

This has been an other nice day I helped Alverda pick some Black berries and then when we came in to hiar Break fast I was taken sick and Vomited up my mush and was sick all day I did not get much done mended Pop's under clothes and done a little work on my Ponger Skirt did not get them fixed over though I feel miserable yet tonight but guess I will be all well tomorrow All the rest well.

### Wednesay, July 14, 1897

Another Lovely day but Oh my how my side did trouble me But I went down town with the children just the same and took some fruit down to Wilkie and some flowers also Mrs White called this evening and I walked down Home with her Jennie over home tonight Alverda to the Beach with Fannie Edna down town Luene down to Blisses I took a dose of Dunbar Tonic from Mrs Mann. She was in today. All Well

### Thursday, July 15, 1897

Foggy this morning and again to night. I picked some Beans for dinner and got them on to cook also picked some cucumbers for dinner sent Alverda over to Mrs Archers with some apples and a few peaches finished Edna's shirt waist to Button holes also finished the yellow stitching on my Pongu shirt Mrs Mann sister and children came in Mrs Murphy gone to

# Santa Clara All Well Taking D-- Home

### Friday, July 16, 1897

Foggy again this morning did not clear away till almost noon I put out a few of my pink slips and bobbed around did not accomplish much cleaned up our room and the three Beds Luene vomited on their bed last night three times but seemes alright today helped the children pick some Black beans for the Chinaman also some for Mrs M made a quart of jell for ourselves too I feel better today rest well-

### Saturday, July 17, 1897

Foggy again to day and not very warm Jennie and I washed till after dinner Pop took the little children down to take their M L- and G.P. went over to Joses this after noon I took the children and GP down to the Beach seen D- and Mrs J- Mrs Mann came in this evening also Mrs Holmes called Jennie gone out Riading Jinriksha carp in japan by Mrs Seidmon Well

### Sunday, July 18, 1897

The sun did not Shine much to day quite Misty this morning but the children went to Sunday School just the same. I wrote a note to the Sunset seed Co- also a letter to Emma Pop took the children and G.P. out for a drive I did not go too much of a crowd Jennie gone out again this evening Mr Morbut was here to Lunch I am very sleepy tonight did not sleep much last night All Well

#### Monday, July 19, 1897 \*

Not much sunshine again today the children and myself picked 18 Boxes of Black berries and they sold them to the

Chinaman then I washed up some of the white clothes and got the dinner returned Mrs M Cataloghe then I cut out Edna a red Colier sailor suit and a part of a suit for Luene Pop took all but Jennie & Edna [myself] down to the drill read a letter from Miss Hughes Alverda postal from Wilkie All Well

# Tuesday, July 20, 1897

Not much Sun shine again today but it was warm Grand Pa was not very well today done my mending and got the dinner then Pop went and got a setting of Eggs and took the Children and G.P. to see the Soldiers drill Ritter brought the Baby over I went into Manns a little while Rose and Jennie gone out I worked on Ednas red dress I am very sleepy tonight all the rest are well

# Wednesday, July 21, 1897

Grand Pa's 76 Birth day Cloudy and a heavy fogg early this morning Pop Alverda and myself picked 12 boxes of Black berries for Wilkie and then we took them down to her this afte I went in to Mrs Smiths and Mrs Kate Haggerty called also Mrs Merrell and this eve Mrs FitzG- and Clara came down Jennie & Rose went out this afte got Ednas dress almost finished All Well.

### Thursday, July 22, 1897

This has been an other foggy day did not clear away all day was quite misty Early I finished Ednas Red dress and got Luenes ready for Button holes. Pearl B was over this afte Pop took his Book down to the Bank recieved Mrs Struckmann photo Jennie and Rose gone out this evening Edna down town to mamies seftts\* this afte Pop took us down to see the Soldiers drill this

### evening all well

### Friday, July 23, 1897

Foggy early this morning but it soon cleared away and then the wind came up but it is nice tonight Pop went for beer I cleaned up our room and changed the beds did not sew much on Luenes dress Mr & Mrs D- came in brought us some Apricots and Mrs D remained and went to the drill with us he came over for her this eve recieved 2 letters one from Sophie and Cousin Sallie All Well

# Saturday, July 24, 1897

Foggy again this morning and to night Jennie and I washed all fore noon Edna got the dinner with Jennie & my help after dinner Pop took G-P Edna and myself down town I payed Mrs Benson and then we drove to the Beach and Home this evening Pop took us all down to see the Soldiers drill for the last time Jennie gone out this evening again I am so Sleepy Mrs Mann over All Well

### Sunday, July 25, 1897

It was misty this morning but I picked up the apples and send some over to Mrs Bamford and raked up the yard wrote a letter to Mrs Struckmann got the children off to Sunday School Pop went over to town to meet the Excursion train some Folk of Manns came on it this afte Pop took up to the Beach it was cold town there we soon came Home Murphy came Home All Well

#### Monday, July 26, 1897

This has been a nice day plenty of wind though after I got the children off to School and the Apricots on to cook Pop and I went down town and to Wilkies I got my box of fruit and sent it to lunch I made the Apricot jell and done some of the mending did not get it finished though the children finished theirs though Pop went down and bought the School Books Oh I am so Sleepy All well as usual

### Tuesday, July 27, 1897

I was up very early this morning and worked in the Garden till Breakfast was ready then I got the children off to school and finished mending the old blue dresses of the children also finished L- new red dress Made a Peach pie Grand pa over to Hodges Mrs Witmore came over to call it was foggy again to day and some wind Jennie gone out this evening. Pop bought the children some more books All well-

### Wednesday, July 28, 1897

This has been a nice day not much fog or wind after I got the children off to school and my mending done I cut out Jennie Blue & Yellow Shirt waist and finished it this evening this morning Pop went over and got the music rack 1223- and this afte he took L- down to take her music Lesson and I went over to the Dr while he & G.P. went out to Mores for eggs to set we set the old hen Jennie out tonight. All Well-

### Thursday, July 29, 1897

Foggy again early this morning after I got the Girls off to School I washed out the half of one of the Crib blankets and cleaned the pickel jar and packed down some more pickles raked up the yard and made the beds and read in my book all I could fixed the colar on GP shirt and made two safty belts Rose came over and Brought Dorethy Pop and G.P. down town this atfe All

### Friday, July 30, 1897

This has been a nice day a little fogg early this morning I cleaned up our room and changed all the beds and done a little mending work in the garden picked up some apples and peaches and Pop and I took them up to Mrs Forsythe came Home and read a postal from Agnes also finished reading Jinrikisha days in Japan and Hemmed one end of the table linen Scrubbed G.P. and will go to bed Well-

### Saturday, July 31, 1897

Foggy again this morning but it cleared away and was nice CRC called early this morning and I felt miserable so much pain I did not help Jennie with the wash got dinner was all Alice Gray came over today she is well I spent the evening at M- we played whist we each won one game I am reading A Woman's Trip to Alaska I hemmed 3 ends of table linen Edna went down and took her lesson this aft Well

### Sunday, August 1, 1897

Still we have the fogs night and morning I wrote a long letter to cousin Sallie this morning and got the Girls off to Sunday school then I dug out G-P ears and cleaned his Hair and gave him a cleaning I did not go for a drive the rest did Jennie went out but is home now Agnes came over for a time did not stay very long I feel better tonight got the Lunch read in the Book All Well

#### Monday, August 2, 1897

Foggy again to day both night and morning almost a rain

tonight as Jennie and I return in Mrs Marshes Carriage from the Theater where we seen the First Born played also lost for a day Edna got a letter and some music from Cousin Sallie I made Some jell and some preserves out of some of our own Crab Apples Rose came in today. I got the dinner also I feel tired but All Are Well

### Tuesday, August 3, 1897

Not much Sun shine this fore noon but nice and cool. I made 9 more glasses of Crab Apple jell got these over to Manns I did not do much but work out in the garden and watered some of the flowers and plants Jennie went Home for the night tonight Luene and I went down to Mrs Smiths this evening. I cut out some dish towels for the children to hem. All Well

### Wednesday, August 4, 1897

Still the foggy mornings continue and this after noon the wind blew but it was warm. I put a way some of the Crab Apple jell and Transplanted some of my new Pink slips G.P. worked in the garden some and Hurt his back Pop took Luene and I down town A went down a lone Mrs D- came down just as we left and went down to Whites with us my head aches rest All Well-

#### Thursday, August 5, 1897

I spent all the fore noon dieing 2 pairs of Hoes for Luene and Edna's Black sateen Skirt then Mrs Bliss called and Miss Hughes and it was noon when Miss Hughes left after dinner I stayed down a while and Mrs Charley Brengh\* called then in a little while Ralphs D wife and mother called I also recieved a Photo of the Spink Family I died and trimmed my old Hat and mended Luenes stockings Vance & Lucille came over All Well

### Friday, August 6, 1897

It was Foggy a gain this morning and I did not get my bedding out to air very early I finially got the room clean and the beds changed Pop and G-P- went for Beer & Porter I finished hemming the two strips of table linen for the children's end of the table Mrs Mann is about the same I helped Luene with her music some Hattie Fitch came in to play All Well

### Saturday, August 7, 1897

Foggy again this morning I got up and pickled some string beans and got them on to cook then I washed out the Soiled tub of cloths had my break fast and then worked till dinner after that I took the children over to Mrs Towns and from there we all went to the Sea Bright beach and stayed a while came Home and had lunch then I went in to Manns and played Whist in played two games and Mr M & I got one game was all Edna not very well rest all well-

#### Sunday, August 8, 1897

Jennie came home early this morning I was up soon after She came home. My eyes trouble me the last few days The children went to Sunday school. I wrote to Mary Spink and to the woman's home companion to renew Jennies & my subscription I took Grand pa and the children to the Beach it was windy and cold down there my head aches and my eyes feel badly All the rest are well-

#### Monday, August 9, 1897

This is Ben Ricketts 21 Birthday it was very warm here this after noon but our same old fog this morning I pealed and put up

Six quarts of yellow Peaches and got the dinner made a loaf of Brown Bread this afte Pop and I went over to the Dr I also called on Mrs Merrel Litchfield and Mrs Smith Jennie & Edna gone down to see Pearl Landers play I done my mending and helped the children with their Pieces Well

### Tuesday, August 10, 1897

The sun shone Bright all day and was quite warm I was up early and watered till Break fast was ready then I got the children off to school cut out the wadding from the Sun bonnets took off the old hen & 9 little ones picked a Basket of peaches this after noon got Edna's Bonnet ready for strings and A almost finished Jennie & L down town Jennie gone out this evening Well

### Wednesday, August 11, 1897

Another nice warm day sun shone Bright all day. I staked up the Chrysanthemuns before Break fast then after I got the children off to school I washed out a piece of cloth and cut out a white sun bonnet and made it and finished A to Strings fixed a Box of Lavender and sent it to Mrs Slack. Pop took me down to see Mrs Landers and Pearl took Mrs Holmes Home came Home for A but she had gone down then such a time all well but G.P. I have a Slight Cold

#### Thursday, August 12, 1897

Still another nice day rather warm for here I finished up all the Bonnets this morning and this morning Jennie and I put up five quarts cans of peaches I helped Alverda pick some Lavender for Miss Steinmitz and this after noon Pop took us out to Dunnings She gave me some new bulbs. After I came Home I helped Jennie sew on a Shirt waist for her mother. Mr & Mrs Mann spent the evening here we played cards All Well-

### Friday, August 13, 1897

Oh such a foggy disagreeable day very little sun shine. I managed to get the Beds and and the room cleaned just the same though this after noon I put the Button Holes in the shirt waist and finished it up and Mrs Holmes came over and got it she eat lunch with us then Jennie gone out this evening also I washed G.P. feet and gave him his bath and put him to Bed all Well-

### Saturday, August 14, 1897

This has been a miserable misty raw and foggy day but still Jennie and I washed and got most all of the clothes dry Mr Marbut came over this morning and stayed a While. I took the children down to the Beach this afte but it was so cold we came away and went out to the Cemetery the lot looks better than I expected it would Rose came over and she & Jennie Will go out All Well

### Sunday, August 15, 1897

I did not get up very early put on the peaches to cook and then I picked some tonight we went over to Lady Rhodes and picked some Apricots came Home and divided with mother M and got mine pealed and the Sugar put on them got the children off to Sunday s- this afte we all went to the Beach but Grand pa we did not get Home till late had Lunch so now are off for bed All Well my Head aches

#### Monday, August 16, 1897

This has been a nice day after I got the children off to

School I washed out the white dresses and got them dampened ready to iron tomorrow morning I also put up 4 pints of Apricot Sauce Pop went down town and got some new jars this afte Jennie cut her wrist Pop took us all down to see the Soldiers drill did not see much and did not get home till late All Well.

### Tuesday, August 17, 1897

A warm day the sun shone all day I helped Jennie iron a few pieces and got the Peaches on to cook and the almonds ready to to chop then Pop grand Pa and myself went down town did not stay long I got some Green dress goods for Alverda a dress and some Blue for Luene and two pair of gloves for the children put up 4 pints of Peaches Wilkie came over also Agnes this eve Jennie gone out oh I am so tired done the mending All Well-

### Wednesday, August 18, 1897

It was very foggy early this in fact till almost noon I took off the other old Hen with Eleven little ones Pop took G.P. Mrs Gerald and my self to see the Soldiers drill this morning we sat in the Lurry on E Cliff road. this afte Pop G.P. & myself went out to D- and down town with Luene Jennie went out and just returned Home I fixed up my Pongu waist and done a little mending canned 2 quarts Tomatoes All Well

#### Thursday, August 19, 1897

Foggy again this morning but as soon as I was up I went over to Manns and got some prunes to make sweet pickle made 5 quarts Mrs D came in this afte and remained here and went to the drill with us Mr Thistlethwaite came Home this evening after we had Lunch and Mrs D- had gone Home she didn't Stay to

Lunch though Mrs Gerald and myself went down to the drill at the Armory fine Jennie gone out Well

# Friday, August 20, 1897

Foggy again this morning and I picked and canned 2 quarts of tomatoes then Wilkie came over and canned 4 quarts and one pint of white peaches after dinner She and I chatted for some time then Pop took us and Wilkie over to her home my hand is no better where the wasp sting me Mrs Mann came in a few minutes this evening Pop read a letter from Auntie Pop All Well-

# Saturday, August 21, 1897

Foggy again this morning I could not sleep after 4 o'clock my hand pained so I got up about five and set the biscuit then when the water was hot I started the washing but we did not get through till noon just the same. This afte we all went to the Beach came home and ironed some Edna went down to Pratchines this evening so I helped her get ready Jennie will go out too tonight All Well

#### Sunday, August 22, 1897

Foggy again this morning I picked some Tomatoes for dinner and fed the chicken some Lettice then after Breakfast I got the children off to Sunday school then I cleaned G.P. ears out and brushed his Hair then I put the chicken on to cook after that I made the beds this afte I took Mrs Gerald and the children down to the Beach Jennie has gone out too I am Sleepy So will hie to bed Well

Monday, August 23, 1897

Foggy this morning I picked some string beans and got them on to cook then I ironed my wrapper and got the children off to school then I ironed again till the Spink Family came then we had dinner and went for a drive came Home and pop took them down to the depot

A & Luene went down with them I took my grey waist down for miss H to fix up again Jennie gone Home for the night All usually Well

Tuesday, August 24, 1897 -Hay-

It was very foggy early this morning looked almost as if it might rain I put some water on some of the Plants and brought over some Tea from M and doped the plants then I canned some peaches I went down and had my grey sleeves fix this aft and over to Mrs Holmes for Some Bartlet Pears. Mrs Stimmet called Pop got his one load of hay note from Mary she will be here tomorrow All well as usual

Wednesday, August 25, 1897

Another foggy day almost a rain this morning I put up one quart of preservatives\* and some of the yellow cling peaches then pop took me and grand pa down town I got a new Brush & Comb & a new tea steeper This after noon Cousin Mary & Husband & children came and you can guess I was tired and then I slept on the Lounge and did not sleep very well Mary and all are well so are our Family

Thursday, August 26, 1897 Dr Bailey Burried

It was warm this morning so pop took the folks for a drive

over to twin lake and this afte I took Frank and his family down to the depot he returned Home then we drove on the Beach and out on the Soquel road I went over and picked some Black berries at Rhodes I got G.Ps things all packed and his Lunch and coffee ready and he will wait till Saturday Mrs M- came in also Miss Hughes well

# Friday, August 27, 1897

This has been a nice day I made some sweet Pickels of some bartlett Pears guess they will be nice read a letter from Home to day at last the Piano tuner called well I have G.P. packed again ready to start in the morning C.R.C called early this morning Pop took Mary the children and GP out for a drive this afte Mrs M came in I feel miserable glad when I get a rest all the rest are well

### Saturday, August 28, 1897 GP left for Sutter

This has been a nice day but the wind blew quite hard this afte we got the washing out before noon Mary Jennie and I worked at it we were up early dear old G.P. left for Sutter Mrs M came over and told us she thought Mary's children had Chicken Pox they remained in all day pop took the children over to take their lesson I cleaned up our room so hope to sleepe well tonight all are well

# Sunday, August 29, 1897

A Beautiful fore noon but Oh how the wind did blow this after noon just a gale I made the chicken pie for dinner and helped Jennie some with the dishes this afte Mary and our two Girls Edna and Luene went to the Beach I took care of the

children Jennie went out this Evening we just talked till a little past Eight and all went to Bed Alverda got .10 cents of milk of Mrs Bamford all well

### Monday, August 30, 1897

This has been a fine day rather warm though I canned two quarts of tomatos and 2 1/2 quarts of pear sweet pickels, and then I helped Mary do some washing, this after noon pop and Mary went out for Beer I went over to get some milk of Mrs Bamford to morrow morning while I was over Mrs Slack called had a nice visit with her made apple snow for Supper Jennie gone out well

# Tuesday, August 31, 1897

This has been a nice day rather warm though I canned some more yellow peaches 4 quarts also one quart of jam helped iron a few pieces this afte Pop took us over to town I bought Albert a box of paint came home and beat the apples for Snow then after supper Mrs Dunning came over and spent the evening we played cards but she and I never won one game had the children over to the Dr did not have chicken Pox well

#### Wednesday, September 1, 1897

Another nice day. I made 4 glasses of quince jell I felt real miserable all fore noon but better this after noon Pop took us all down town with Luene and from there to the Beach Oh my what a quantity of fish they did catch in the seine we came home and had Lunch then Mary and I went over to Mrs Manns did not remain very long guess we will be to bed early All Well-

Thursday, September 2, 1897

This was a fine day. I put up 4 quarts of Quince jelled in their juice they are fine. I also put away 4 glasses of Quince jell. This after noon pop started to go to Capitola with Mary her children and myself, but when we had got as far as D- he came out and said she was very sick I went in and remained all night Oh how she did suffer neither he nor I got a wink of sleep and she did not sleep our folks well

# Friday, September, 3, 1897

The Dr came out to D- sat 20 m after 12 and did not leave till Six Mr D- is easier Oh how the poor child did suffer Mr D-brought out a Mrs Searls to stay there Pop came out and I came in with him to see the Dr and get some medicine she seemes easier then we came Home and had dinner and went out then again the Dr came and will come again at six this evening I was so tired I came home to rest, rest all well -

### Saturday, September 4, 1897

It was foggy again this morning but we washed just the same I did not help much for I got all the dinner and canned three cannes of tomatoes then after dinner I helped Mary get the children ready and pop took them over to the train so they went Home I took Manns Horse and went out to D- she is better at last thank goodness Jennie gone out tonight I feel better all the rest are well Fan land

# Sunday, September 5, 1897

Another fine day but a buisy one just the same I was not up very early but I got the broth cooked just the same and the children off to school Sunday school I mean then I got ready and went out to Dunnings and did not get home till late Mrs White

called also Mrs Love called Jennie gone out this evening I do not feel so tired tonight Mrs D- I can't see improves very fast all well

### Monday, September 6, 1897

Another nice day till this after noon then the wind blew from the north Mr Dunning came over this morning and wanted me to go for a nurse I just scoured the town and then took Mrs Berge I think she will be very nice Mrs D- seems to like her I was out there all after noon did not get Home till late Mr D-brought me Home Jennie put up 2 quarts of tomatoes All well

### Tuesday, September 7, 1897

This was a nice fore noon but the north wind blew again this after noon I went over and gathered some Silver prunes and canned 2 quarts I also canned 7 quarts of Quince jelled in their juice this after noon Pop and I went out to D- I can't see Mrs D improves much we went down town before we came Home and got 2 Japanese Stoves 20 cents for all read a letter from Home G.P. Sick all well

# Wednesday, September 8, 1897

Another nice day after I got through watering a while and had my Breakfast and got the children off to school I got ready and went out to D- I found her a little better stayed out there till almost noon came home and had dinner then Pop took me down town and to Miss Hughes to have her fix my black dress read a letter from Mrs Pope and from Mary and one from Home Pa is not well Jennie gone out all well

Thursday, September 9, 1897

#### Alverda not well

Another nice morning I got up and picked tomatoes enough to can 8 cans and made a Spanish stew for dinner Also got the front bed room cleaned up and put in Shape this after noon pop took us all out for a drive and I went out to Dunnings she improves very slowly I can't say I see any improvement I started to cut out my green wrapper Jennie gone Home well

# Friday, September 10, 1897

I cleaned up the cupboards in the Bath room before Breakfast then I cleaned up our room and the blinds and wiped the paint made an Apple Japonais Pudding this after noon Pop and I went out to Dunnings She had a bad night I called at Mrs White for a few minutes. came Home and worked on my wrapper got it fit that is the lining I have a Stomach ache All well but colds

#### Saturday, September 11, 1897

Not much Sun shine today but it was cold and windy just the same Pop started a fire in the fire place tonight I helped Jennie with the wash and this after noon I worked on my wrapper all I could did not accomplish much did not go out to Mrs Dunnings was too tired Pop seen him she had a good night Mrs Holmes came over Jennie gone out Lucy Bliss came to the door with Georges children well

#### Sunday, September 12, 1897

A nice fore noon but cold and windy tonight I picked Some Tomatoes enough to can 3 cans after I got the Girls off to Sunday School I made a seedless grape pie and a peach custard. after we had dinner I drove out to Mr D- helped to get her out on

the Lounge in the sitting rooms then we Aired her bed and got it made and and got her back into her room she seemes better Mrs White called Jennie gone out well

### Monday, September 13, 1897

A nice day not much wind what was was from the East I helped Jennie iron and made a custard for Mrs Dunning I also made some of Ralphs Folks Cough Syrup I went out to Mrs D and found her better able to walk a little came Home and called to Mrs Burje's also sent a note down to Sanfords I fixed my Pongu waist and done a little other sewing I am So Sleepy well.

### Tuesday, September 14, 1897

Not a very bright day till late although it was not very cold. Pop and I went down town early this morning and I got the under drawers for Mrs Dunning she still improves seen Wilkie and she wants me to go to the camp with her tomorrow guess I will as I am all packed to start in the morning Wilma Schlag called here this afte also Mrs Smith & Mrs Robinson all well but colds-

# Wednesday, September 15, 1897

This was a nice bright morning and we were up very early for I was to start for the Hihns Sulpher Springs I waited till after 4 then Wilkie came over and soon the Express Wagon came over with 4 horses and we started crossed the creek 25 times and arrived here about half past 12 had a nice trip and had a good Lunch Plenty of fun with Cody we played cards whist Each won one game Well-

Thursday, September 16, 1897

### A Beautiful Day

Did not Sleep very good last night as it was my first night in camp. Agnes and myself were the first ones up and we went for the milk helped to get Breakfast and clear away the dishes and called on Mrs Reanier a friend of Agnes here had dinner a nice dinner too there at 3 Wilkie and I had our bath got our Lunch and a little before 6 Started for the Hill to see the Sun set a grand sight. had a nice dusty walk and returned to camp tired and dirty wrote a postal Home had a Bon fire but no Ghost Stories I feel fine All rest also well Several recitations

### Friday, September 17, 1897

Another nice day but Oh my I felt miserable C-R-C called early this morning. Wilkie and I were up first She got the Break fast. I did not do much Agnes and I went over to Reanier's camp while they were out and Sit in the Sunshine Mrs Keif also came over Mr Clem Ward to dinner and he and Agnes played whist a gain Mrs K and myself they won this eve A- played on her Banjo for a while then we all went over to Reanier and Spent the evening came Home played Hearts another commotion in the bed business this time Cody causes it I won her over

### Saturday, September 18, 1897

A nice warm day. Wilkie and I were the first up got the Break fast after that Mrs K Agnes and myself took a walk up to the Mt where the water comes from picked some Wood Wardier & a few five fingers came Home Had dinner played Cards for a time Mr Reanier played one game with Mrs K- A- & myself A & I got left A- went this after noon to gather Everlastings with Mrs Reanier Mrs Davis of Soquel called we set around the camp

fire for a time. all was serene in the Sleeping question tonight I feel Better today Mrs Cape called all well

Sunday, September 19, 1897 A warm day- I reached Home at 12.

Wilkie and I got up first and got the Breakfast then I packed my Hamper and off I started a little after nine with Mr Reanier we went down to the gate to see the Deer Harry Wanger killed Mr Reanier and I reached Capitola a little after 11 where I bid him adue and took the train to Sea Bright left my baggage at Mrs Henrys Pop and the children went for it I washed and put on clean clothes and went out to Mrs D- She had a bad night again Mrs White and Mrs Gerald called Well

## Monday, September 20, 1897

Foggy this morning and Smokey this after noon and Hot from the fires in the Mt. after I got the children off to School I put the clothes to soak then I picked some tomatoes and Jennie put them on to cook I canned 3 cans I had quite a washing and feel tired tonight read a letter from Home Grand Pa will be here tomorrow night Mrs Mann came in also Mrs Gerald helped the children with their music was about all this afte all well but colds-

# Tuesday, September 21, 1897

A shower greeted me just as I went into the bath room this morn after I got the children off to School I got ready and picked some flowers and a few tomatoes and went out to Mrs Dunning She was up on the Lounge came Home had dinner. worked on my wrapper for a time fixed G.P. room Mrs Smith called Oh my what a night G.P. missed the train and did not get here at all I

had a terrible night All rest well.

Wednesday, September 22, 1897

This was a nice warm day almost too Hot Pop went down to meet G.P. but he did not come. I worked on my wrapper a little at noon just as the children came Home here come grand Pa I feel miserable some throat and head ache went and picked the Luinas and took them over to Mrs Holmes also went to Miss Hughes and got my black dress. took the children down to take their music lesson wrote two letters one Home and one to R folks Jennie and Edna down town this eve All the rest well

Thursday, September 23, 1897 but colds-

Another warm day Yes hot after I got dressed I picked the tomatoes and Jennie canned 3 cans I washed out grand pas clothes and got dressed took the horse & went out to Mrs Dunning she is still on the improve I also went down town this after noon and bought her one wrapper pattern and must get her another one Jennie and Luene down this evening but the Store was closed Edna at work on her watch Well. X

Friday, September 24, 1897 Pop and G.P. picked apples

Very foggy this morning and it did not clear away very early I picked some Beans and cleaned up our room this after noon I went out and made some calls Called on Mrs Slack she was out also Mrs Steinmitz Mrs Mattison at home also Mrs FitzGibbons Mrs Merrell and Mrs Bliss and Mrs Johnston out I also called on Mrs Mann my black dress sleeves dont fit very good gave G.P. his bath also the children All usually well-

### Saturday, September 25, 1897

This has been a nice day cooler than before I helped Jennie wash out the white clothes ready to boil then I got dressed and went down town to Shop for Mrs Dunning got her another wrapper pattern and pattern to make it by Agnes came Home and all the crowd Mrs Smith down the street called I was over to the Dr she thinks I look thin Jennie gone out this even All usually well-

### Sunday, September 26, 1897

Nice this morning but the wind blew this after noon I picked some string beans and got them on to cook then I got the children off to Sunday School made a Carrot Pie and some tapioca Apple pudding and a new sponge cake Alverda went to ride with Fannie Luene went Home with Jennie the rest remains at Home wrote 3 letters one to Mary L. one to Queene one to Mrs Pope and usually well but colds

# Monday, September 27, 1897

This was a nice day warm this afte I picked enough tomato to can 3 cans made more washing fluid got the dinner and made the Beds this after noon I went out to Mrs D again she still improves. the nurse left today Mrs Maddock came over to D- I did not get Home till late read a letter from Mary Spink helped Luene with her music and piece Jennie gone out rest well but colds

#### Tuesday, September 28, 1897

Another nice day although it still seemes hazy I sent some plums and walnuts down to the Smith children worked on my wrapper a little bit tried to die the black lace but could not Jennie bought me some new tonight I was out to D all after noon worked on her wrapper Sleeves a little will take Mrs Love out tomorrow. Cody and Wilkie called did not remain long Mrs Everts came Home Wilkie will be home Thursday All usually well-

### Wednesday, September 29, 1897

Another nice day I was awakened at a little after 1/2 2"o'clock by the powder mill explosion and did not go to bed any more set up and read. took Mrs Love out to D she will remain for a while came Home got dinner worked on my wrapper all I could Mrs Merrell called I went in to Mrs Everts this evening helped the children with their music so now will be off for bed I did not read much All usually well-

## Thursday, September 30, 1897

Commenced to rain before about noon and we had quite a Shower and it still looks like we might get some more I helped Jennie iron some this morning and done the dishes and the mending worked on my wrapper all I could got the ruffles on recieved a photo ofo Luillie Gaige's Baby it is very good I am so sleepy I can not write Jennie went down town and out to walk with some one who came for her We are all as well as usual

#### Friday, October 1, 1897

Another cloudy day day a little rain this morning but I cleaned up and aired the rooms and got the beds made Jennie and I had our fun talking just the same I cleaned out the flies then I worked on my wrapper a little did not do much went in to Wilkies this evening she is very tired read a letter form Luene

### Mrs M- came in and brought a plant well

### Saturday, October 2, 1897

This was a nice day Jennie and I finished the washing about twelve Pop took the children down to take their music L. and Grand Pa over to Joses. After dinner I took Alverda and drove out to D- took her quinces out to her she was not so well I helped Jennie iron a few pieces and done the dishes Jennie gone out this eve I put some Apple & quince over to cook over to Wilkies well

## Sunday, October 3, 1897

This has been a nice day after I was up awhile I picked some beans and tomatoes canned 2 cans got the apple & Quince made Grand Pa was sick all day Mr Hodges Fainted on the street yesterday I did not go out Jennie & Edna went out & Pop & the little ones they got stung with Yellow jacketts at Wilkies Mrs Bufi\* called also Mrs Gerald I wrote three letters one Home one to Willies wife and one to Mary. read some All usually Well.

### Monday, October 4, 1897

This has been a nice warm day almost too warm this eve. so close I helped Jennie iron some and made the stew done the mending and almost finished my wrapper went over to Wilkies this morning and to call on the Judges wife this after noon found her out knit on the sock this evening Oh my but I am so sleepy Jennie gone out this evening A lovely evening All usually Well

Tuesday, October 5, 1897 Well-

Alverda and I was up early this morning to get the Walnut

gathered for it looked like rain and did sprinkle some we got them gathered and put up to dry. then I went out to Mrs Dunnings she is still on the mend I went down to Miss Hughes to fix my black dress got it done read a letter from Alice Gray this evening Wilkie Cody Mrs Kief & Agnes came over had a jolly time telling jokes and teasing each other recieved Bert Musters Photo

#### Wednesday, October, 6, 1897

Still the air feels like rain but none comes Grand Pa went over to Hodges today he is better Mrs Slack came in to say good bye I wrote to Alice Gray this evening worked in the garden and cleaned out the sewer Box finished my wrapper to the ribbons and got my black dress waist put together Pop brought a new Atomisn\* Jennie gone out I feel tired and sleepy got my new Calico dress cut out and ready to Sew on All usually Well

#### Thursday, October 7, 1897

Another fine day After I got the Children off to school I went in to Manns to have her sister cut me a cuff Pattern like she has came Home and cut mine out and got the Skirt finished and wore it this After noon got the waist Almost finished I feel tired to night you can guess. I must get ready and fit my Shirt waiste Cody and her Sister left to day All usually Well

#### Friday, October 8, 1897

Still another nice day I cleaned up the room and all the beds went in to Wilkies a little while this morning finished my new shirt waist to the hand work then I went down to the school to visit the rooms I went in to Luenes took first Pop drove me down then to Alverdas and last to Ednas came Home and finished my new waiste and put it on. gave them all baths and will take mine well but Cold

## Saturday, October 9, 1897

It looked cloudy early this morning but it cleared away and was nice I was up early helped Jennie with the washing Muriel Gray came about 10 to spend a week with the children this after noon I took them all out to D- & took her for a drive she is better I finished Pop sock so that is done Jennie gone out her and I done some of the ironing now I am sleepy all usually well-

### Sunday, October 10, 1897

A cloudy day very little sun shine if any The children went to Sunday school I washed Grand Pa's feet and brushed his hair and cleaned out his ears then we had dinner and Pop took the children and Grand Pa for a drive I read Real Japan and wrote two letters one to Ben and one to Bert Musters this evening Mrs Gerald, Agnes, Jennie, Muriel My self and the children went down to the Point no moon Well

### Monday, October 11, 1897

It has threatened rain all day but none fall I ironed some this fore noon bought some Mussels and cooked them and got the dinner done the mending went in to Manns and she came in here. Edna made some candy this evening I got the plaid for Luenes dress cleaned and pressed cut out the lining of her sleeves Jennie gone out tonight all usually well-

#### Tuesday, October 12, 1897

Cloudy again to day misty this afternoon I worked on Luenes dress did not do much till I got the Pattern Have it all cut out now went out to Dunning this afte but it looked so stormy she would not go to town I went in alone Alverda and Muriel and down town and to Hodges brought Vernida Home with them Mrs Stenmeitz & Carnie\* called also Mrs Everts. Edna over town to change her Library book well

Wednesday, Ocober 13, 1897 Letter from Home

This has been a gloomy very little Sun shine it must of rained quite hard last night but nothing but a mist left today the two little Children went down and took their music lesson Willma and May Schlag came over and spent the after noon pop and Grand Pad took the children over to the Sea Bright beach I worked all the time I had on Luenes dress All usually well

Thursday, October 14, 1897 Buckleys Home I run in there

The north wind blew most all day not so very hard this fore noon Pop took all the Children down town got our children all a new pair of shoes and Alverda & Luene a pair of rubbers Miss Stenmeitz came in this morning to get her Skirt fixed up I finally finished Luenes dress C.R.C called last night and early this morning was here when I got up. Muriel & Vernida still here All usually well

Friday, October 15, 1897

This has been a lovely day I cleaned up our room and made the beds washed Alverdas and Luenes hair got ready to go and take the children for a drive then Mr Marbut called also Mrs Bowman then after they left we went out to Vista Del Mar Stopped at Twin Lakes and the Lurp caught Vernida Mrs Longstreth called I washed and pressed the goods for Es black skirt well

Saturday, October 16, 1897 My 41 Birthday

This has been a nice day I did the work in the house while Jennie and Edna done the washing got the dinner and ironed up some of Muriels things got the children's things packed and then Mrs Dunn came over the stage got here for them about two and they got off all right and happy Edna went for a drive with Eva Love I spent the eve in to Manns am tired Jennie gone out All usually well

### Sunday, October 17, 1897

This has been a splendid day Pop was over to see the Dr twice before he found him in got some medicine for his Stomach we did not go out this afte Jennie & Edna went with Mr Hold to drive Mrs Gerrald came in She Agnes Edna and my self went down to Church to hear Prof Loyd speak did not like him very well wrote a letter Home Jennie gone out again tonight well

### Monday, October 18, 1897

Another nice day was up early and went over to Mann's and got some Tea and put it on the Plants Pop took out some of the old rose bushes. I went down to meet Agnes tonight Jennie gone out Edna down to Miss Hughes and down town Started the linings and got them pressed and the plaid pressed for her new suit Wilkie came in also Mrs Berge well

Tuesday, October 19, 1897

Still another nice day after I got the Break fast started the

Biscuit set and so on Jennie came Home from Roys and finished the rest I fit E Black Skirt and went over to Wilkies for a few minutes took A over some Porter Mrs Dunning came in and she & I went down town I also took her out Home fixed the neck of one of Pops under shirts Had a letter from Alverda All usually well

### Wednesday, October 20, 1897

Fog came in this morning and it was cold but it cleared away but was cloudy all day I wrote to A & L this morning read a letter from Home finished Ednas black skirt and done a little on her waist finished Pops under clothes he finished Hauling out manure Mrs M came in I was over to Wilkies a little while at noon to take over the well Porter Pop over to Dr

### Thursday, October 21, 1897

Cloudy and soon it commenced to rain I wrote a letter Home before breakfast then after Breakfast Wilkie came over to get Edna to go down town with her and said Agnes was in bed I went over and stayed with her till after eleven came Home and worked on E- dress did not get her waist to fit don't feel very good tonight Played cards still looks rainy well-

#### Friday, October 22, 1897

No rain fell all day but it was cold and looked threatening Muriel Buckley came in this morning and said her mother wanted me to come in there so I did She thinks Baby has Measels I also went in to see Agnes She did not go down to work to day Mrs Gerald & Edna went for a walk I cleaned up our rooms and finished Ednas plaid waist at last read a letter from Alverda Mrs Holmes came in all usually well

### Saturday, October 23, 1897

Oh my but it did rain hard this fore noon and then it cleared away and we got most of our clothes dries and a few ironed. The children came Home on the train this afte Pop meet them and so they got home all right. Wilkie and Agnes came over this evening a little while I got Alverda's Black Skirt ready for the hand and knitt a little Jennie gone out All well.

#### Sunday, October 24, 1897

This has been a nice day I made 2 Pumpkin pies before break fast then I got the children off to Sunday school wrote a letter to Alice Gray had dinner went over to Sea Bright and mett Mrs Miller and Annie went with them to see Mr Pattersons Collection and frame then we all went to Sea Bright for a little time then came Home had Lunch and am now ready for Bed Jennie has company tonight all usually well

#### Monday, October 25, 1897

This has been a nice day I ironed some before break fast then I got the children off to school then Pop took me down town I was very tired when I got Home Bertha came in this fore noon & evening this after noon Pop took me over to see the Doctor she would not give me any medicine I got Alverda's waist lining fit at last read a letter from Sallie this after noon Oh my I am sleepy well.

#### Tuesday, October 26, 1897

Another nice day I was up very early and worked Hard on Alverdas dress but seemes I did not do much. Mrs Everts called a moment at noon to have Alverda do an errond for her Mrs Cha Johnson the book Agent called also read a letter from home Bill and Mabel are sick. My side has pained me most terrible all day and is still at it Jennie gone out this evening all usually Well-

### Wednesday, October 27, 1897

Another nice day I made washing fluid this morning wrote a letter Home and one to Alice also read one from A- went in to Mrs Buckley and to Wilkies this eve Pop took us over to town this afte this eve Agnes came over also Mrs Thistlethwaite and Mr T - had a fine lot of music I did not get Alverdas dress finished I feel Better tonight All usually well

### Thursday, October 28, 1897

This was a nice day. Oh how hard I did work on Alverda's Black and Plaid dress so she could have it to wear this after noon and then after all the Lecture was a Failur. You can guess my side just thumped & ached but just the same Mrs Mann her sister Agnes and myself went down to hear Mrs Van Pelt Le drin she was no good Mrs Everts came in Jennie had company. Just left as I came home All usually well-

#### Friday, October 29, 1897

Another nice day after I got the children off to School Pop took G.P. Mrs Mann & myself down town I did not feel very well to start out with and Oh my how my side did ache all the rest of the day and is still at it Mrs Homes came over and remained to Lunch Mrs M also came over Pop is trimming the trees I did not do much to L grey dress just fit the lining all usually Well-

Saturday, October 30, 1897

This was not a very bright day and cold besides. I did not doe any thing with the washing Jennie done it alone I helped her some with the ironing this evening I ripped up Luenes Green cap to fix over got her grey dress fit Mrs Berg called Bertha came in this evening Jennie and Mr Holer took her home Agnes came in for a little while but did not remain long I feel better rest Well

### Sunday, October 31, 1897

Cloudy this morning but it cleared away and was nice this after the children went to Sunday school and I was up early and went over to Wilkies and got the key of the House came Home and put the Quinces on to cook then cleaned Grand Pa up Mrs D came in at noon for a little chat Mrs Gerald came in this evening I went over and got my Bottle filled wrote to Cousin Sallie Jennie & I will stay over to Wilkies till they come Home well

## Monday, November 1, 1897

Very foggy and cold early this morning I was over to Wilkies twice this fore noon once to see and compare the Chrysanthemums and once to see about taking Peppers they were fine too Pop and Grand Pa went down town Muriel Buckley came over to play I did not get much done on Luenes dress Jennie gone out this eve down town Bertha in twice today all usually well

#### Tuesday, November 2, 1897

This has been a cold disagreeable day cloudy to night I gave the Plants some more tea and made a whipped cream cake for Lunch I was in to Wilkies twice once to take my Leggings for Agnes to try Pop and Grand Pa went down town I did not sew much on Luene's dress Read a letter from Home Mabel is

better but Bill's cold still hangs to him all usually well

Wednesday, November 3, 1897

This has been a fine day nice and bright all day I wrote a letter Home this morning went in to Manns for a little while cleaned a dress for each one of the Girls got them ready for school and then I worked on Luenes dress all I could but did not get it finished Pop got 1 1/2 doz more buttons for it Jennie has company tonight oh my but I am sleepy must get to bed All usually well

Thursday, November 4, 1897 Mr Richt here this morning

It commenced to mist here a little after noon and kept it up till almost night it does not rain at this writing. Mrs Dunning came over and she and I went up on Mission hill to Mrs Gregorys meet Mr D down town and he took her Home I worked all the time I had on Luenes dress but did not get it quite finished Grand Pa read a letter from Ola All usually well

Friday, November 5, 1897

This has been a most perfect day I made Biscuit for Breakfast then got the children off to School then Mrs Kendall Called of an erron to Alice but she was not yet here She came before ten and spent the day we took her over Home this evening I did not get much done to Luenes dress gave the children their bath also Grand Pa one and now I must hie to bed All usually well

Saturday, November 6, 1897

It looked nice and bright when we first got up but it

commenced to rain and we had such a shower the clothes did not get dry I dressed the old Rooster for dinner tomorrow I finially succeeded in finishing Luenes dress. popped some pop corn to night Jennie has company this evening Mrs Gerrald came in this after noon all about as well as usual

### Sunday, November 7, 1897

Oh my but this was a frosty morning and cold too quite a frost. I made some pear sweet pickel and got the old rooster on to cook I trimmed Grand Pas whiskers and washed his feet and got him ready to start home in the morning fixed his lunch this after noon Jennie went down to the Base ball game and out again tonight Wilkie and Agnes came over this eve All usually well

## Monday, November 8, 1897

A very nice day although it was cold Grand Pa got started on the Six 45 train we were up very Grand Pa was up 10 min to 2- but went back to bed I got Ednas waist fitted over again now it is almost finished Mr Richt commenced to paint our House white I tried to die some goods for a school dress but could not make a go of it I was over to Wilkies Jennie gone out well

## Tuesday, November 9, 1897 Pop wrote Home

Another lovely day I tried again to dye the grey goods but failed again even with the Tannery dye I went into Wilkies to see her sister Jennie soon called Mrs Dunning was here to have me go down town with her I went and did not get home much before dinner over to Wilkies again and made Pop a Silk Protecter like her pattern sewed on Edna's black dress did not

accomplish much Jennie and Edna down town this evening Jennie got company well-

## Wednesday, November 10, 1897

A fine day nice and bright all day after I got the children off to school I took Edna's black and red dress down to Miss Hughes she thought I could fix it but I could not so I took it down again this afte and we finially succeeded in getting it planned I was over to town and to Mrs Bensons Mrs Holmes here to Lunch I also read a very sad letter from home just used me up all rest well

### Thursday, November 11, 1897

Cloudy today and looks like rain I went in to Wilkies and wrote a letter Home also fit Ednas waiste lining washed out all the flanery and two blankets of flannel I went over to Dr Chamberlins he is dead died this morning at one o clock will be buried at 2- tomorrow I also went out to Dr and had some butter milk came Home and went over to Buckleys & Everts this evening all well as usual

#### Friday, November 12, 1897

This was a cold windy day the sun did not shine much till this after noon I done up the flannel skirts and two blankets but did not accomplish much Pop and I went over to Dr Chamberlins to Mr C- funeral it was a large funeral Mr & Mrs Colins went out and came back with us we took Mrs Collins home I cleaned our room all as well as usual.

#### Saturday, November 13, 1897

Not much sun shine today Oh my but I did put in such a

miserable day felt too mean for any use CRC called Early this morn I did not do any washing the Painter still here. Bertha came in this after noon Jennie Has company to night Pop read a letter from McKay. I started to Crochet Booties got one done and the other one almost finished all usually well -

### Sunday, November 14, 1897

Such a night as I did put in did not sleep very much and have felt miserable all day the children went to sunday school and the two little ones went for a walk with Pop Jennie went to the Base ball game and is Home tonight. I did not even write a letter I felt so bad Read some in Edna's new Library book. How Dick & Mollie saw London well.

# Monday, November 15, 1897

Cold this morning but Pleasant this after noon I cleaned up Luenes School dress this morning and some of the silver then I had my breakfast and Browned 4 boxes of our coffee and put on some muscat grapes on to cook for jell this after noon I spent at Mrs Dr Chamberlins had a nice chat with her Oh how I feel for her she is so alone I knit a little this evening and helped the children on their music and pieces all well-

#### Tuesday, November 16, 1897

Cold this morning the Painters are still here I made 3 glasses of muscat grape jell this morning Agnes came over at noon and wanted me to go down town to see A Trip to China town Played I went it was very good lots of fun. I had a severe stomach ache this after noon Read a letter from Cousin Sallie and one from Home I did not do much sewing all well

### Wednesday, November 17, 1897

Another nice day Oh my such a time as we had getting the Paint off those old door Screenes it took all fore noon Jennie & Luene both helped some this after noon Jennie and I had a tussle with the old Sitting room lamp Mrs Litchfield came in this afte I did not get much sewing done Jennie gone Home Painters still here All usually well -

Thursday, November 18, 1897 Luenes eighth Birthday

This has been a nice day I put in on Edna's dress and got the waist fit and the Skirt done to the Belt helped Jennie clean the lamp burners some and made the frosting for Luene's Birthday cake Pop recieved his Tax receipt from Sutter Co today Mr Hold came and spent the Evening in the sitting room it is late so I must hie to bed all well

#### Friday, November 19, 1897

Very foggy last night and it did not clear off much all day and it came in heavy again tonight the 3 painters are still at work I did not get Edna's dress finished today either worked on it all I could and straightened up my room a little could not do much with it it does need a good cleaning got a postal the box from Home has come Well

Saturday, November 20, 1897 a Box from Home

A heavy mist was falling when we got up this morning and it soon turned into a rain and it lasted till noon but we washed just the same but they did not get dry I did not do much to Edna's dress I knot some on Pops sock though the Painters did

not come it was too damp the paint run some some too but I guess it won't matter Jennie got Co well

### Sunday, November 21, 1897

Another cloudy day no rain as yet though I pealed some pears and got them on to cook for pear butter then I sliced some Citron and seeded the raisins and got them ready for the Pudding tomorrow then I cleaned the Pie palates & the Skillet & Hot cake cooker wrote 3 letters one Home and one to Ola and one to Mrs Pope Agnes & Wilkie came in this evening Jennie gone out all well

### Monday, November 22, 1897

This has been a nice after noon till late this evening then it clouded up a gain and looks like rain to night Mr Richt came up this morning I made my pear butter and my Carrot pudding read a letter from Home Grand Pa will be here Wednesday night I went over to the Dr this afte and took Mrs Martha Wilson down town Pop read a letter from Mr Eafson I did not sew much All usually well

#### Tuesday, November 23, 1897

It was rainy this morning when the children started for school but it cleared off and it quite nice now read a letter from Mary Spink I made the pleating for Edans dress and got it all most all on but it does hurt my side to sew Jennie down town twice to day and now she is out a gain Luene does not seem real well Mr Dunning came over and brought a nice jar of cream All usually well

Wednesday, November 24, 1897

Oh how it did rain this morn about eight O Clock the painters had to stop the Palm Theater burned down at 2 O Clock this morning I had a buisy day dressed the turkey and stuffed it made 4 mince Pies got the pumpkin ready for pie & cakes cleaned a lot of tins made Grand Pa bed he came down to night wrote a letter Home gave Grand Pa a cleaning Agnes came in Oh my but I am tired Luene better rest all well

### Thursday, November 25, 1897

This has been a fine day quite cold though I made 2 pumpkin pies then whipped the cream for the cake. after break fast I washed the dishes and put the Turkey in to cook then I cleaned out Grand Pa's ears then I made the Biscuit & we had dinner Mrs Gerald came in also Bertha Pop G.P. & the children went for a walk I helped Jennie a little on her dress started a little shirt All well

#### Friday, November 26, 1897

Another nice day but cold The painters finished today I worked on Edna's dress but did not get it quite finished read a letter from Ola she is no better. I went out to Dunnings and spent the aft got not Half of my shirt finished the children went down to practice their duett Pop read a letter from Broughton All Well Jennie gone out

#### Saturday, November 27, 1897

Another fine day Jennie and I washed Pop Painted the Bath room floor I finished Edna's dress the two little ones went down to see uncle tome Cabin played Edna went to the Church Ted\* with Vance I fixed my old Pongu waist to take up Home Wilkie came over this afte and I had a Talk with Mr Mann and Agnes

this evening I was over to Wilkie all well Jennie out

## Sunday, November 28, 1897

You guess this has been a fine day But I have not felt well at all and do not at this writing Oh my what I have not done we are all ready to start for Sutter in the morning I went in to Mann's to say good by and over to Wilkies for a short call Agnes and Wilkie were in this evening. I also went over to see the Dr and to get my bottle filled All the rest well -

#### Monday, November 29, 1897

We were up early this morning Jennie got the Break fast I could not eat much we started at 6:45 had good luck till we reached Rose Ville and there we had to wait for half hour for the Overland Train so we were late at Mary Ville no street car then so a cab brought us over here for \$1.00. We are at the Winsor Hotel for the night I feel much better than I expected to G.P. is in bell and I must got there

#### Tuesday, November 30, 1897

I did not get up till seven this morning had Breakfast then we went down stairs and I meet Mr Durean and went into the store after the children came in for school we took the bugay and I drove out Home. meet Mr Stabler and GP got out and went back to town with him he brought him G Pa Home for dinner I got one shirt almost finished Bill out to the other place All Well-

#### Monday, December 1, 1897

Oh my how the north wind did blow just a gale all day I did not sleep much. Pa and I got ready and I drove Daisy up to Rickolts found Ola a little better got our business attended to up here all right and I guess will return in the morning. we played a game of Whist Roy and I wone the game my side hurts me tonight all well as usual

Tuesday, December 2, 1897 north wind

Was up early this morning had breakfast and about 10'O clock we started for Home. reached here about 12- after Grand Pa & I had dinner we went down to Yuba City and had a talk with Mr Sanborn. he advised me to Telegraph to Pop which I did Oh my such a day I hope I may never be Called on to go through again I am almost down sick

### Friday, December 3, 1897

A very pleasant day I was up very early to day had Break fast after which Mattie and myself ironed almost all fore noon got dinner after then G-Pa and myself went down town to talk matter over with Mr Sanborn Bill came down also. G.Pa and myself went over to Marys Ville called on Mrs Hieyl G-Pa gave us the certicifacates of deposit of \$1,000 for each one All well letters from Home

## Saturday, December 4, 1897

A most beautiful day after I got our beds made and rooms all straightened up I churned and helped Mattie get the dinner after them her Mabel True & myself went over to Marys Ville I bought silk Jennie enough plaid for her a waiste and Luene a plaid dress came Home had Supper Pop did not come Bill went in to meet him I fixed my sleeves tonight they slit All well

Sunday, December 5, 1897

This was a nice day but cold we did not get up very early after Breakfast Mattie Mabel & myself went out to Sutter City put out two Roses on our hat called at McPherris they were not at Home called at Beckies came Home had dinner and I took G-Pa over to Popes and I went to Mrs John Cns tolts\* for a call came Home and stayed by the fire it looks like rain tonight Oh My God if Pop only will come Well

Monday, December 6, 1897

C-R-C called on Edna for the first time

Oh how the wind did blow this morning and it was cloudy and rained a little about 10' Ricketts came and GPa and I went down to Sanborns to see Pop he came out home with us after dinner Pop and I went in town I got a book for Edna & one for Alverda a piece of plaid for a waist for myself Mabel is still very sick don't know yet if I will go Home tomorrow or not Pop is here to night All rest well

#### Tuesday, December 7, 1897

Cloudy early this morning but it cleared off and we started out to our ranch we had not gone far before it commenced to rain it stopped just before we got there found them at Home and very pleasant had dinner and drove all the way Home in the rain did not get very wet I do not feel very good to night am all packed for Home tomorrow it still rained & blows Well

#### Wednesday, December 8, 1897

It was nice this morning and after we got up and had Breakfast Bill hitched up and took us in to the train we got there just in time to see the train pull out so we went to the U.S. Hotel had dinner took the noon train and arrived in S.J. about Six went to Mrs Branch and got two rooms had Supper at Page and Falch Bakery Pop went out to see Mrs Fox I feel Better than I expect to finished the Shirt sleeves Well

### Thursday, December 9, 1897

Cloudy this morning but it did not rain after we were up, we went down to the Page & Falchs Restaurant and had our Breakfast then Pop went down town for a while I stated at Home Mrs Branche's with G-Pa after Pop came Home G.Pa Pop & I went out on the Vai Linchia street car for a ride came Home and Had dinner and took the 2-15 narrow Gage train and came Home found all well and we arrived

# Friday, December 10, 1897

Not much sun Shine to day although it did not rain I cleaned up my shoes and black dress fixed G.Pa toes and washed his feet CRC called just about noon Wilkie came over twice to day also Mrs Holmes called Pop and I went out to Dunnings did not stay long. I am still knitting I feel miserable tonight the breakers are roaring and making a loud noise All rest well.

#### Saturday, December 11, 1897

Misty all most all day but Jennie washed just the same but did not get the clothes out I mended Luenes blue and plaid dress and my waiste and gloves did not knit much helped the children with their music they all took their lesson today Edna did not take her lesson yesterday Jennie gone out this evening Pop is not very well tonight neither do I feel very good rest all well

Sunday, December 12, 1897

This has been a fine day nice bright and warm I got the children off to Sunday school then I fixed G-Pa toe and cleaned out his Ears and brushed his hair then I wrote 3 letters one Home one to Lib one to Cousin Queen one to Florence Gaige one to cousin Sallie Mrs Mann came in also Mr Marbut and he remained to Lunch Jennie went out my head aches all well-

#### Monday, December 13, 1897

Another nice day. I ironed a little this morning before breakfast got the children off to school then I washed the dishes and went over to Wilkies to take her fruit and jars Home this afte Pop and I went down to Miss Hughes and down town came Home late Mrs Smith called also an old peddler Jennie gone Home to stay all night Luene vomited and is not very well rest all well

## Tuesday, December 14, 1897

Cloudy early this morning with a little rain north wind this evening. I cleaned up a suit of G Pa clothes and Pops coat fixed up Luene 4 pairs of Hoes. Started to knit Codys wash rag done some of the mending Jennie gone out Alverda recieved a letter from Muriel Grey my side is very painful and has been almost all day I am taking Harlam Oil rest all well

# Wednesday, December 15, 1897

This was a nice day but cold this morning mended 4 pairs of Hoes for Luene and some Socks for G-Pa & Pop this after noon I went with Pop to take Luene for her music paid Mrs Benson till after Vacation 5100 Bought some Turkish toweling for wash clothes also Edna some pants 13 5C per pair Some 4 yards blue & pink Ribbon called on Florence and Mrs Everts

also spent the evening at Wilkies all usually well

## Thursday, December 16, 1897

Cold this morning But just the same Pop took G-Pa and myself down town and to give Eliza and Jose their Certificates for one Thousand dollars found them both at home. We also went to see Mr Snyder about the under clothes and my cape. I also went down to Miss Hughes this after noon to get sleeves in my black dress got them almost finished. I knit a little tonight feel better all the rest are well

### Friday, December 17, 1897

Another cold morning after we got the children off to School I went to work on my black dress sleeves I finially got them finished and ready to wear this after noon after I got the beds aired I got ready and had dinner got the children dressed and off for the last days exercises I went down also, and called at Mrs White and stayed till Alverda came Home cleaned up our room and GPa all are usually Well

### Saturday, December 18, 1897

This has been a most Glorious day but a heavy frost and cold as it has been for several mornings. I helped Jennie wash till almost ten then we had breakfast and continued to wash till one She and I finished the two plaid Tam O'shants for A- & L- I knit a little tonight Jennie gone out Fannie came over and brought the children each a fancy box of candy all well-

## Sunday, December 19, 1897

Oh my but it was cold this morning it was almost 8 before I was up had Breakfast got the children off to Sunday school then

I went over to Wilkies twice but did not find her at Home went after dinner and Agnes went over to see the Dr did not find out much Mrs Witmore & her Baby and the Two Buckley children came in this after noon Mrs Gerald came in also I do feel very good Head ache rest well

## Monday, December 20, 1897

Another cold day with plenty of ice Oh my but it was cold I ironed a few pieces then I went down to Mrs Hughes to get my Grey dress fit did not get Home till Past 2 had Lunch down there read a letter from Ola went out to Mrs Dunnings this afte Mrs Jenney came with Jennies Book but she did not want it so G.Pa took it it is a very nice book I think Pop plowed Jennie & [name] went down town well

### Tuesday, December 21, 1897

Oh my but it was cold this morning plenty of ice too I finished two of Cody's wash clothes Wilkie came over I recieved a Photo of Willies little daughter Pop took G-Pa Edna Luene and myself down town I got the things for Mrs Dunning and sent them out by him I took my grey skirt down to Miss Hughes for her to fix. I went in to Wilkies a few minutes this evening G.Pa got his new under clothes all usually well

# Wednesday, December 22, 1897

Still another cold day I finished 3 more wash clothes this morning recieved a letter from Alice Gray and answered it this after noon I also went over to Manns she was not in I also went down to Mr Perry's with Edna bought a Comb recieved a box from Cousin Queen 3 dolls Hats once for Each of the children and a white silk Hand'Chief and I a Handkerchief and case very

### nice All usually well-

## Thursday, December 23, 1897

Cold again this morning I seeded some raisins and Blanched some almonds ready to salt tomorrow dressed a Turkey this after noon I went down to miss Hughes her mother is worse Pop and I went down town after I came Home and and was making our bed and Sprained my thimble finger so bad I had to go over to the Dr and have it bandaged Jennie took the children down to the Congress School Tree all well-

### Friday, December 24, 1897

Cloudy today and warmer I made 4 mince pies and such a trial as they were too with my finger done up. Wilkie came over also Mrs Mann I sent Dr Chamberlin a mince Pie and some Walnuts also Mrs Holmes some mince meat and Walnuts got the Turkey stuffed and cake made and frosted I gave G.Pa his wash and the little children a bath Jennie gone out bought 2 Skirt supporter 25C All usually well-

### Saturday, December 25, 1897

We had a very pleasant Christmas day I recieved a great many presents nice ones too Mrs Gerald came in and brought me three presents from the P-6- one from Emma one from her mother and a throw from Cousin Sallie Wilkie and Agnes were here to dinner Mrs Mann came in also I went in to see Wilkie and Agnes presents Jennie gone out tonight I read to the children this evening Well-

#### Sunday, December 26, 1897

This has been a nice day warmer though after the children

went to sunday school I wrote 3 letters one to Mary Spink Florence Gaige Mrs Struckman Emma Cousin Queen then after dinner I took Agnes and Miss House over to see Dr C- had my finger splinted again Came Home went in to Manns a while came Home had Supper wrote to Ola Sallie and Cody read some tonight do not feel real well rest all well and in bed -

Monday, December 27, 1897

helped Edna make clothes and cut some for Mrs D-

This has been a nice day the sun Shone bright all day. Jennie did the washing alone Alverda washed out the Shirts I finished one of the little D- shirts could not do much with my finger I was over to Wilkies twice to day Grand Pa went over to Joes and had dinner Mrs Holmes came over I read a letter from Cody and let Wilkie and Agnes read it I feel tired to night although I done nothing All well

Tuesday, December 28, 1897

This has been a most beautiful day so warm and nice. I browned some of our coffee and then Pop took me down town. and to see Miss Hughes this after noon He took Grand Pa the two little ones & myself out to Mr Dunnings also to the Dr to have my finger dressed it pains me tonight Mrs Steinmitz called Florence sent a note over by Baby Wilkie came in I can't do much all Well

Wednesday, December 29, 1897

Pop planted onions

Still and other fine day Oh such nice weather as we do have I cut the pattern off and sent it to Mattie of Luenes little suit then I got Ednas suit about planned out and Luene one this after noon

Wilkie and I went in to see Mr Richt do some high relief work also to call on Mrs Litchfield and Mrs Banford Mrs Benson called this morning too Jennie gone out all Well

#### Thursday, December 30, 1897

Another nice day I got at the diapers and got them hemmed and on the Lawn to Bleach Pop took all the children over to town to the dentist the go Tuesday to have their teeth filled I went over to Mrs Thistethwaites and stayed to tea had a nice visit with them he came to the foot of the hill with me I started the Blue & White booties Jennie gone out all as well as usual

### Friday, December 31, 1897

Oh a most beautiful day again today I cleaned up our room and made the Beds dressed two chickens Put the Pumpkin on to cook went over to the Dr and down town came Home made cake then this evening I went over to Wilkies Mrs Mann came over and brought the Pink plants I gave them all a bath so am now ready for mine Jennie gone out all well-

#### Memoranda

97 School Term

Edna in Sixth year with Miss Becker as Teacher Alverda in the fourth year Miss Steinmeitz as teacher Luene in Second year with Miss Sullivan as Teacher