



Mary T. Hill Diary 1920

January 1, Thursday

Cheese parte de Tulut

In Feb. knit 14 prs.

tops for Socks.

March 22nd so far this month knitted

16 prs. Sock tops

6 more last week of March

22 prs.

April 13th. So far this

Month I have knitted

10 prs. Sock tops.

January 2, Friday

Sock Tops to April 21st

8 Prs.

April 27th. but 7 prs.

More Sock tops in the

Box. April 30th

6 more Prs.

10 Prs.

8 "

7 "

6 "

30 Prs. In April

May 7th 6 Prs. Sock tops

" 14 7 Prs. (totals 28 Prs)

" 22 7 " in May 8 more

January 3, Saturday

A. S. [Brooks--] Cough Drops (Rachel had)

January 4, Sunday

June 8 prs.

June to 17th. 12 Prs.

To end of June 9 Prs.

29 Prs.

Since able to knit

to July 1st 114 Prs.

January 5, Monday

Axel made the Concord wine Sept. 22nd 1920. Sept. 23rd. he mashed some Delaware grapes and put juice in jars. Axel pressed the juice of Delaware grapes Oct. 2nd 1920.

January 6, Tuesday

Blank

January 7, Wednesday

{Entry does not appear to be in Mary Hill's handwriting}

God is taking care of us

And the angels are flying by

And the Blessed Virgin Mary

Looks out of the sky –

Tudy

January 8 - 11, Thursday

{Blank}

January 12, Monday

{Entry does not appear to be in Mary Hill's handwriting}

Charlotte and George landed at 11 o'clock.

January 13, Tuesday

Mike Gavin came to day.

January 14, Wednesday

{Blank}

January 15, Thursday

Ruth arrived to day.

January 16, Friday

{Blank}

January 17, Saturday

Mary Boeckmanns 6th. birth-day. She has a happy birth day.

January 18, Sunday

Cloudy snowing lightly cold. Jim. came this morning from New - York. Left this evening returning to New - York. I told him the trip was too long for one days stay, he said to find me better and improving made it worth while. I have been in my room since November 7th very ill part of the time.

January 19, Monday

Sunny and cold this a.m. Expected George and Charlotte this early morning. They missed connecting train by being late. I did not sleep well last night. Strength comes slowly. Mike Gavin leaves this evening. We expect Charlotte and George to night.

January 20, Tuesday

About one foot of snow fell last night - not cold. Colder predicted. George and Charlotte returned last night. They were ten hours late in Chicago Sunday night from New York lost all the time between New York and Chicago. They look well. They are returning from Paris. They left here {inserted: the U.S.} November 5th.

January 21, Wednesday

Very cold day. 14 below at 8 a.m. Slowly gaining strength took few steps to day. Charlotte has a cold has to stay in bed. Mother Seraphine called to day to enquire for me. Charlotte saw her. Ruth left this evening for home.

January 22, Thursday

Dark not quite so cold. Increased the number of steps to day. Rachel is some more comfortable to day. Letter from Louis jr. to day. They have plenty snow too and very cold weather in {crossed out: Mexico} Exeter N.H.

January 23, Friday

Cloudy, not so cold. I am sitting up a little longer each day. And adding to the number of the steps I take in my room. We wrote to Mittie Porter to day. Mrs. Clark is working on Tudies Portrait to day. Rachel is some better to day has had a cold.

January 24, Saturday

Cloudy forenoon. Sunt [sic] came out at noon fine afternoon not cold. Twice this week Medicine Hat has been reported very cold. 40 below and later 42 below. I can not believe it. Wrote Louis jr. this forenoon. Charlotte is having Mrs. Clark make her portrait. Rachel is better of her cold. Sat up this a.m. and walked as yesterday - no further.

January 25, Sunday

A very cold day. 14 below. "Blizzardy" too. Miss "Van" finished reading Matthews Book on Ireland this evening.

January 26, Monday

A more moderate morning. 26 above zero at 8 a.m. Later warmer. Thawing. Maud leaves for the East this evening taking Maudie to Westover School at Middlebury, Conn. Auntie Phelps, and Mary were here the forenoon.

January 27, Tuesday

Six below at 8 a.m. Quite a cold day. Extend my walks each day in and around my own room - taking in the dressing room. I am gaining strength. I began to knit a little yesterday. "Tudies" portrait is being made to day by Mrs. Clark.

January 28, Wednesday

Five below zero this morning at 830. The later day grows warmer. I am improving day by day eat more and gain strength - walk a little farther each day.

January 29, Thursday

Much warmer. 18 above this a.m. at 9 oclock. Letter from Ruth. Very cold in New York. Thawing this p.m. I hear my chicken lay 60! eggs a day if true wonder for January. I am still persevering in walking and making strength. Rachel is better.

January 30, Friday

Twenty above this a.m. A fine sunny day. Feeling well to day - walk is not a pleasure yet - but perseverance [sic] will bring that I hope. I am reading Harriet Bishops book of long ago 1849 - ect. [sic] to 1856 in Minnesota.

January 31, Saturday

Not cold. The last day of January. This has been a wintry month - with longer days and stronger Sun we hope February may bring some moderate weather. Last evening "Tudie" stood by my bed as I ate supper and she remarked The "littler" you eat of jelly the "weller" you will get.

February 1, Sunday

26 above this a.m. Very cloudy damp and cloudy. I did not sleep very well yet I feel quite well just ate a good luncheon. Rachel is well again. There is so much influenza that she is fortunate.

February 2, Monday

30 above at 830 a.m. Cloudy until near noon. Rachel is much better. I move about about same as for few days. Wrote to Ruth to day.

February 3, Tuesday

14 above this a.m. at 830. Slept little last night. I am knitting a little on sock tops. Rachel looks quite well again. Influenza amount to an epidemic in many states it does here.

February 4, Wednesday

23 above this a.m. at 830. I find the cook and the kitchen maid have had light attacks of influenza both are well again. I slept finely last night so feel stronger to day. Gertrude leaves this evening. What shall we do without her? A letter from Maudie to day from Exeter.

February 5, Thursday

20 above snowed this a.m. A fine afternoon. A telegram from Gertrude from Chicago says she is just leaving for New York. I feel well to day.

February 6, Friday

30 above at 8 a.m. Foggy. so dark all but warm. Rachel all right again. I sat up an hour and a half this forenoon and walked about some. An Atlantic Coast storm in the East a very tremendous one doing great damage. Wrote to Walter to day.

February 7, Saturday

38 above zero this morning at 8 oclock. Another foggy cloudy day. Gertrude reached New York last evening ten! hours late. The fearful Coast storm and blizzard in New York cause of the delay.

February 8, Sunday

30 above at 8 a.m. No sun for 8 days. To day promises to clear some. Wrote to Dorothy to day. I walk without help now.

February 9, Monday

26 above this a.m. at 8 oclock. Sun shining brightly after an absence of 8 days. Letters to day from Mamie Georgina [sic] George Slade and Ruth. Walking more easily to day with a cane. "Ras" went East Saturday. Clara staying over here.

February 10, Tuesday

26 above this a.m. at 830. Bright Sun shine. I walk with the assistance of a cane over to the upstairs Sitting room. Sat up nearly 2 hours - had a letter from Maud -from New York. Wrote to Maudie to Westover School.

February 11, Wednesday

12 above this a.m. at 830. Just wrote to Anson sr. and to George Slade. Clara feels better to day. Day is pleasant. Charlotte has a slight cold. I just heard that Mr. John Carroll may lose an eye. He has not been well for some time.

February 12, Thursday

14 above this a.m. Lincolns birth-day. Just wrote to Gertrude. Bishop Carroll came to day. A pleasant call. Charlotte has a cold. Clara is better. Rachel about her self again.

February 13, Friday

22 above this a.m. A little Snow. Then Sunshine. This is Jims birth day his 50th! Just wrote to Ruth and to Alaska Mission. Feeling stronger. Weighed 126 lbs to day not bad.

February 14, Saturday

12 below zero at 830 this morning. A change since yesterday. Just received telegram from Walter Miami, Florida. He is on a yacht. They have had bad storms on the water too. Wrote to Georgana [sic] to day. Maud returned to day from New York.

{additional entry on Memoranda page at back of diary}

Feb. 14th.

Received a telegram from Walter to day from Miami Florida. His address Biscayne Yacht Club while there. Goes to west coast for tarpon fishing.

February 15, Sunday

About 20 below! this early morning. Maud returned from New York an hour and a half late yesterday. After grippe she looks quite well. "Ras" returned to day from Washington ect [sic]. They say Charlotte is dressed to day and that George is expected home tomorrow from Washington D.C.

February 16, Monday

Eight oclock a.m. 8 below - but day growing warmer. Just been writing to Mamie. I am getting on encouragingly. Wrote to Walter to Biscayne Yacht Club Miami Florida.

February 17, Tuesday

22 above zero this a.m. at 8³⁰. Just wrote to Mittie to 472 Prospect Square Pasadena Cal. Thawing to day. I feel really stronger and better. Wrote to Maudie.

February 18, Wednesday

6 above at 8 a.m. Just wrote to M. Dobelle to Regional Hotel Wimcreux, France and to Mary Beard. This is a beautiful Day. I think I am stronger. George Slade came home to day from Washington D.C.

February 19, Thursday

2 above zero this a.m. at 8 oclock. Just wrote to Gertrude. This is a pleasant day. A letter from Mittie Porter to day. Also one from Maudie.

February 20, Friday

A cloudy dark morning. Afternoon sunny. Wrote to Ruth to day. This is Mr. D.C. Shepards 92nd. Birth-day. A telegram from Walter to day from Jewfish Floriday [sic].

February 21, Saturday

Snowing to day. Quite warm. Two letters from Gertrude to day.

February 22, Sunday

Wrote to Mrs. Upham and to Georgana [sic] to day. Not at all cold 22 above this morning at 8 oclock. I had good rest last night and feel quite well to day.

February 23, Monday

A fine Sunny morning and beautiful day - feel well to day. Heard to day that Lizzie Bezins died Saturday and will be buried this afternoon. (She was known as Lizzie Classen).

February 24, Tuesday

22 above this a.m. Wrote to Gertrude to day. An unsettled day. I knit some on Sock tops. It is a diversion to work in odds and ends. We have just read a most interesting Book. A Pilgrim in Palestine by Finley.



February 25, Wednesday

Quite a pleasant moderate day. Sun Shine. Just wrote to Uncle Alex. Mrs. Raguet came in this morning. A letter from Louis jr. A wonderfully fine afternoon.

February 26, Thursday

Colder this morning. Zero in the early hours. A letter from Jim. to day. Charlottes birth day. She is still in her room. I am told Clara is better - and looks very well. Another beautiful day.

February 27, Friday

After a misty morning a beautiful day. Just wrote to Mittie Porter. We are reading Ann Rutledge.

February 28, Saturday

Early morning bright. Sun Shine day. Changable [sic]. Just wrote to Gertrude. I hear Charlotte is better. March will soon arrive. Still in my room but more active. Mrs. Raguet came in to day.

February 29, Sunday

A gloriously bright day. Thawing, so water runs everywhere. Writing to Georgana [sic] to day. Quite warm. Wrote to Louis too.

March 1, Monday

A fine day. Thawing. Just wrote to Jim. and to Maudie. A letter from Mittie Porter and one from Mrs. Taylor – to day. Mrs. Raguet in this morning.

March 2, Tuesday

A beautiful sunny day.

March 3, Wednesday

Snowing all day to day, so quite gloomy.

March 4, Thursday

A wonderfully bright day after yesterdays storm which lasted into the night blocking many of the R Rs. not cold however. Just wrote to Mrs. Taylor to Richmond and to Mary Taylor to Palm Beach Florida.

March 5, Friday

8 below in early morning. Cold this morning. 6 below this morning at 8 oclock, but a beautiful day.

March 6, Saturday

7 below this morning early. A letter from Mrs. Upham to day. Just wrote to Mittie Porter. Charlotte is much better. This is a fine Sunny Winter day.



March 7, Sunday

9 below this morning. This is a most beautiful day to look out on. I wrote to Louis and to Georgana [sic] to day. "Ras" came over to day he says Clara looks and feels much stronger.

March 8, Monday

A beautiful day. So sunny and warm. Thawing. Have written to Gertrude to Jekyl [sic] Island to Maudie to Westover School and to Auntie Phelps it is her 71st. birth day. Tinie Meagher came in to day.

March 9, Tuesday

24 above zero this early morning. Water running everywhere great thaw to day but what high piles of snow there is to be melted. Just wrote to Mrs. Freeman James. Mrs. Morgan and Fannie Prince called to day. Father Ryan came in too.

March 10, Wednesday

A beautiful day. Just wrote to Mrs. Upham. Have staid [sic] in Bed this forenoon. A letter from Ruth to day.

March 11, Thursday

Quite warm. Our first rain of the season. Raining steadily all day and the first thunder. Two reports this forenoon. Very dark. Writing to Ruth to day.

March 12, Friday

A sunny day. Colder but pleasant. Letters from Walter and Gertrude to day: his from Florida and hers from Jekyl [sic] Island. From Walter a photo of a live alligator He "roped" in. Mrs. C. P. Brown called to day. Louis Maud Jerome and Cortie went East to day.

March 13, Saturday

A beautiful day. Wrote to Gertrude to Jekyl [sic] Island to day. Mittie Porter came to day very much to my surprise as I did not know she had returned from California.

March 14, Sunday

Cloudy dark morning turned out a pretty bright day. Just wrote notes to Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Robbins.

March 15, Monday

Was very windy last night and is as windy to day. We received a fine box of oranges from Walter to day from Florida and a box of grape fruit and oranges from Mr. and Mrs. Schultz. Writing Walter to day.

March 16, Tuesday

Wind still howling. To day is dark and snowing at intervals. A letter from Gertrude from Jekyl [sic] Island.

March 17, Wednesday

Not much snow fall yesterday. To day is colder but bright. Just wrote to Gertrude. Dr. Hoff told me this morning I was doing very well.

March 18, Thursday

An unsettled day. Cloudy and bright by turns. A letter from Gertrude yesterday afternoon told me as she leaves Jekyl [sic] tomorrow for New - York. We expected her here about the 20th.

March 19, Friday

Began to snow late yesterday afternoon snowed a heavy wet snow and blew, a blizzard. To day the trees are wonderfully beautiful. This is a fine day. Snow melting. Wrote to Ruth to day.

March 20, Saturday

A wonderfully fine day melting snow and ice rapidly. There was and is much to melt. Sent a telegram to Louis to the Homestead Virginia Hot Springs.

March 21, Sunday

Such a beautiful day. So warm: Water running so fast. Sun shine heavenly.

March 22, Monday

Another wonderfully fine day. I did not have a restful night. A letter from Mamie to day. She wrote as if pretty well. A few hurried lines from Maudie from Virginia Hot Springs Va.

March 23, Tuesday

An unsettled day. Threatens rain. Just wrote to Mike. Have been looking over old letters.

March 24, Wednesday

A warm unsettled day. A real Summery Thunder Storm last evening followed by hail and heavy rain. Much electrical disturbance to wires and lights. Writing to Gertrude to day. Began to take ova firine to day.

March 25, Thursday

Cooler this forenoon slightly cloudy. A letter to day from Ruth and one from Mrs. Freeman James. I judge she is quite feeble. I have been reading over some old letters - depressing occupation.

March 26, Friday

A very fine day. For several days one has been able to see open water from my bedroom windows to day ice is running down. I am told River is open. High water on the flats so squatters have to move. Mittie Porter is staying a short time with Clara. I hear Charlotte and Clara better. Father Ryan came over this a.m. at 830.

March 27, Saturday

A bright windy forenoon. Have been looking over old letters, not all cheerful. Writing to Mamie to day.

March 28, Sunday

Palm Sunday. Unsettled, dark morning. Some rain, quite a period of Sun shine in the forenoon clouded again in early afternoon. Georgana [sic] leaves this evening for Westover School. Charlotte and Clara both decidedly improved in health. I wrote to Ruth to day. Grass very green trees budding: River very high. Weather warm.

March 29, Monday

A bright colder day. Sent order to Park and Telford. Wrote to Dards flower order. Wrote to Mrs. Freeman James to day. Last night not restful. Mittie Porter here for a few days. Had telegram from Mr. Geo. F. Baker last evening.

March 30, Tuesday

A fine morning and day. Louis, Maud Louis jr. Jerome and Cortie arrived home this early morning. Just wrote to Gertrude. Had a fine nights rest last night after not a very good day. Charlotte went out for the first time to day. She came here looking quite well.

March 31, Wednesday

Quite a warm sunny day for last of March. Yesterday Rachel and Mittie Porter brought me some cultivated Crocuses and Snowdrops from Echo Lake. Just wrote to Maudie. Mittie went home to day.

April 1, {written in: Holy} Thursday

Cloudy a little rain in the forenoon. Was 73 part of yesterday. Cooler to day. Grass is emerald green. Mary and Tудie played pranks on their parents early this morning.

April 2, {Written in: Good} Friday

Great change from 73 Tuesday to a snowstorm yesterday evening, all night and early this morning. A beautiful scene to look out on to day. This afternoon the Sun shines.

April 3, Saturday

Yesterdays snow nearly all gone this fine day. I have many Easter flowers from Friends to day. I have just been writing to thank donors. Last evenings weather report below zero 5 places west of here.

April 4, {Written in: Easter} Sunday

A bright cold day. Mary Phelps came down to day. Brought me a prayer Book and some violets from Auntie. The children are having a fine day. Maud gave me a bird House. (A Martin house.)

April 5, Monday

Bright and cold this morning. Heavy snow storms south and west of here. Missouri and Texas inclusive. Feel better to day than for a few days. A telegram to day from Walter from Jacksonville. He is back from California.

April 6, Tuesday

Snowed last night. To day is changable [sic] and cold. Wrote to Nellie to day and to Mamie. Annabel McQuillan came in this forenoon.

April 7, Wednesday

A very changable [sic] Day. Snow flurries occasionally all forenoon. Rachel and Katherine Abbott just back from Minneapolis. I have been moving about my room a little more yesterday and to day. Wrote to Uncle Alex to day.

April 8, Thursday

Warmer and a Sunny day. Just wrote to Lord Queensborough in response to a most kind letter. We expected Gertrude tomorrow. She telegraphs she cannot get accommodations before this coming week.

April 9, Friday

A bright beautiful day but chill of Winter lingers. Mrs. Cathcart and Mrs. Maxfield called yesterday. Mrs. Cathcart very remarkable in her 90th. year. Mrs. Raguet came too. She did not seem very well. Have just written to Mike Gavin and to Mittie Porter.

April 10, Saturday

A dark rainy day. Just wrote to James N.B. Hill and a note to Myra Grover.

April 11, Sunday

This is a fine day. Sunny and calm. They say there is still a chill in the air. I just wrote to Maria Taylor. This is Mauds birth day. Helen Driscoll and her son Theodore came in this afternoon. Wrote to Georgana [sic] to day.

April 12, Monday

A sunny day but not warm. A letter from Gertrude to day which casts some doubt on her arriving late this week. Wrote to Ruth to day. Annabel came in this forenoon. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Schulze came yesterday.

April 13, Tuesday

Sunny but still cold air. I wonder if the ice in Lake Superior sends us the cold. Auntie is down to day for the first time in a long while. Dentistry has taken much of her time.

April 14, Wednesday

A bright warmer day. Letters to day from Mr. John F. Stevens Harbin. Also from Louis and Maudie. Just wrote to Maudie. Rachel is moving from the Freeman to the Ordway house to day.

April 15, Thursday

To day is quite unsettled and warmer. A telegram from Gertrude this morning disappoints us. She will not arrive tomorrow as we hoped she might. R.R. Strike discouraged her. I just wrote to Gertrude.

April 16, Friday

A bright beautiful day. I wrote to Mr. John F. Stevens this forenoon. He wrote from Harbin March 17th. Rachel is back from Library meeting.

April 17, Saturday

A wild unsettled day. We need rain very much. Seeding is delayed by cold nights. A letter from Norman to day. I just wrote to Louis jr.

April 18, Sunday

A pleasant day. Does not grow much warmer. I wrote to Georgana [sic] to day. I received some arbutus yesterday. One of the harbingers of Spring.

April 19, Monday

A cloudy unsettled day rained a little in the forenoon. Papers say the Strike of disorderly R.R. men is about Settled in the East - where they gave most trouble the Elevator men of high buildings are now on strike in New York City.

April 20, Tuesday

Partly cloudy to day rained some last night a little this morning. It is warmer. Wrote to Norman to day. Scarcity of sugar is again threatened. Price 22 cts. a lb.

April 21, Wednesday

Bright and Warmer. A letter from Gertrude to day. She expects to be here the 24th. A letter from Maudie. Maud left for Seattle this morning. I do feel better and stronger. Sleep so much better.

April 22, Thursday

A rainy day. Just wrote to Mamie to thank her for a Desk set at Christmas.

April 23, Friday

An unsettled day. 42 at 8¹⁵ a.m. A telegram from Gertrude saying Mike had been ill but is better and that she will start for here Monday 26th. This is the 3rd. disappointment to us.

April 24, Saturday

This early morning was bright and sunny - and now 1⁴⁵ p.m. it is clouding again. A letter to day from Adelaide Brown. Wrote to Maudie to day.

April 25, Sunday

This is a rainy Day. George was in this forenoon. So was "Ras". Charlotte and Clara are both able to go out but wait for warmer weather.

April 26, Monday

A rainy day, the second one: it is needed. Letters from Georgana and Louis Hill jr. I just wrote to Adelaide Brown Viall.

April 27, Tuesday

A more pleasant morning - but not really settled some snow this early morning - enough to see it settled on the tree branches which are still leafless. A letter from "Tine" from French Lick. Rev. Father Finlay called to day.

April 28, Wednesday

A lovely Sunny day. A letter from Maudie to day. Gertrude arrived this morning. She says I look surprisingly well. I had just written to Georgana [sic]. I hear Charlotte is out to day walking in the Sun Shine. Wrote to Georgana to day.

April 29, Thursday

Just wrote to Mike a note to a little boy. The Day is cloudy and unsettled. Nell Finch came in this forenoon. And I wrote to Rev. Mother Holy Cross.

April 30, Friday

A pleasant Day. Charlotte and George have been here this afternoon. Just wrote to Louis W. jr.

May 1, Saturday

I walked out side on upper Terrace next my room this forenoon and sat there in the Sun a while. It seemed good to get out. First outing since November 6th. 1919. Sunny forenoon, changable [sic] afternoon.

May 2, {Sunday written in, Saturday printed in error and crossed out}

Not as still an atmosphere to day as yesterday. So I could stay out on Terrace but a few minutes. Just wrote to Maudie. It is however a pleasant day. A letter to day from Mark Reeves.

May 3, Monday

There was a partial eclipse of the moon last evening. To day is bright but wind is cold. I am writing to Sarah Hadley 9 East 35th. Street. A letter to day from Ruth.

May 4, Tuesday

A cloudy morning and forenoon. The trees seem to be showing green in spite of all the discouragement. "Tudie" is better to day.

May 5, Wednesday

A perfectly lovely Day. I have been out on the upper terrace ate my luncheon out there. Charlotte and George have been here. She is better. Just wrote to Mark Reeves. Gertrude left us this evening stopping in Chicago and St. Louis on the way back.

May 6, Thursday

A very fine day. I was out on the Terrace an hour and a half. "Tudie" and I had our luncheon out there. 68 at two p.m. on North side. Why do the trees not come into leaf? A letter from Maudie to day. Maud returned from Seattle, Louis from Chicago. He leaves for the West this evening. I am writing to Ruth to day to Tuxedo.

May 7, Friday

A warmer day. Changable [sic] but pleasant. I have been out on the terrace to day. Mary B. is better. Rachel is laid up with throat trouble. A letter from Gertrude from Chicago. I see by paper Pauline Emmet is in town.

May 8, Saturday

A warm morning. The trees and Shrubs are coming out at last. We have to put on screens as the mosquitoes are busy. Mrs. T. Borup is very ill. That is why Pauline is here. Col. Bement died yesterday so Bertha Sturgis is in town. Helen James is in town (Howards) daughter. Gertrude talked over telephone to Rachel last night from Chicago.

May 9, Sunday

A warm unsettled day - very pleasant. This is Mothers Day. I received a telegram and a bouquet of Carnations from Walter - from New York. Just wrote to Maudie.

May 10, Monday

A very dark day raining - and warm a telegram from Gertrude from St. Louis. Charlotte was here to day looking well.

May 11, Tuesday

An unsettled day as to weather. Not wet as yesterday. A telegram from Gertrude from St. Louis. She leaves for New York to day. Wrote to Walter to day. Charlotte was here to day. Minnesota is a state 62 years ago to day being, admitted in 1858.

May 12, Wednesday

Not settled weather yet - but pleasant enough. Dr. Hoff said to day that I was doing as well as possible! Just wrote to Gertrude to New York.

May 13, Thursday

A perfect day. Helen James came to see me this forenoon. She is a fine looking girl. How proud Howard James would have been of her. Wrote to Maudie to day.

May 14, Friday

A perfect Day. Boeckmans moving to Echo Lake to day. How I shall miss them! Wrote to Louis j. to day. A letter from Georgana to day.

May 15, Saturday

Another perfect day. Mrs. Theodore Borup died at 1230 yesterday p.m. Clara got over to day looks not very well. Charlotte looks very well. Quite a frost this morning.

May 16, Sunday

An unsettled day may rain tonight. George and Charlotte were in this {crossed out: may come in} forenoon. Just wrote a note to Louis jr. and to Georgana [sic]. Maud and the boys were just here.

May 17, Monday

Another dark day unsettled. Very little rain out of two threatening days. Letters to day from uncle Alex. and from Gertrude. Rachel is in to day. She will go to Mrs. Borups funeral service. Father Fahey was just here.

May 18, Tuesday

To day Windy and unsettled: cloudy rather warm. Alice Robertson was here yesterday. Poor child. I had not seen her since the great loss of her daughter. Bertha Miller called too. Wrote to Uncle Alex to day.

May 19, Wednesday

This is a perfectly delightful day. We appreciate it after two dark days. Clara was over to day looking better than when I saw her before. This is Lou and Louis jr. birth day. One 48 and the other 18.

May 20, Thursday

A beautiful morning and forenoon. A fine rain and electric Storm last evening and night. George and Charlotte were here this forenoon. She looked very well. I feel quite a little stronger.

May 21, Friday

An ideally perfect day. Went out for my first ride this forenoon. For half an hour. I am 70! years in St. Paul to day! What the changes have been. I have loads of beautiful flowers to celebrate this day. It is Rachels birth day too.

May 22, Saturday

An unsettled Stormy day, very Windy early to day. Mrs. Raguet is staying over Sunday. Quite sultry heat to day.

May 23, Sunday

A perfect day. I went out for second ride stayed out 50 minutes. There was a terrible Tornado in Southern Minn. Yesterday worst at Castle Rock. Clara went out with me for the drive. Just wrote to Georgana.

May 24, Monday

A wonderfully fine day. Rachel was in to day on her way to Minneapolis. Went for a drive to day went to end of Summit. It is my 3rd. outing.

May 25, Tuesday

A sultry very hot day. Went for an hours drive to day. Mrs. Raguet went home this morning. Louis returned from the West yesterday afternoon. Temperature went up to 84 to day.

May 26, Wednesday

An unsettled day. Not hot or sultry like yesterday. I have been for a drive to day and Clara went with me: far as the River. Tine Meagher came in this morning. Mr. Timothy Foley died Monday. Fannie Prince and Grace Mrs. Chemidlin called yesterday.

May 27, Thursday

Wrote to James N. B. Hill yesterday. A perfect day. Went for my usual drive to day far as the River. George and Charlotte left for New - York last evening. A telegram came this a.m. from Chicago to say she had a Splendid night.

May 28, Friday

Just wrote to Gertrude. This is the most ideal day in every way. Furs are being seen to to day. And Blankets being washed. As no more are cleaned in Minneapolis one must embark on Washing them. Received a letter from Ruth to day. Mary B. has had adanoids [sic] out. Anson jr. has had measles.

May 29, Saturday

A fine day and rather cool. Jim. came to day on early Burlington train. He looks some better. Four years ago to day Papa left us battle with insane condition of things. This is a sad world now. Writing to Ruth to day. Letters from Louis jr. and from Maudie to day.

May 30, Sunday

A sultry day, hot. Went to Como for a drive. Clara went with me. Stayed down stairs for luncheon with Jim. Louis and Clara. Mrs. Forepaugh Mrs. Wm. P. Warner, "Tine" Meagher, Rachel the children and Clara all on the North terrace. Telegram yesterday from Gertrude from Washington D.C.

May 31, Monday

Last day of May. Decoration Day is observed to day. It is a warm sultry day. I went to the River to day for a drive. Found Jims little old violin and gave it to him to day with his Baby white hair, his short baby dress some kindergarten mats he made when 5 or 6 years old. Louis went West this evening.

June 1, Tuesday

Just wrote to Louis jr. This early morning We had an electric storm and heavy rain. Quite warm. Emma Lind the cook left to sail for Sweden last week. Ellen Nelson leaves to day to sail for Norway. So many Scandinavians are going back to visit. High wages enables them to travel. Travel is high!

June 2, Wednesday

A clear cool day rather windy. Dr. Hoff feels I am making fine progress. Rachel and the children took luncheon with me to day. Mary arkoe [sic] {Markoe?} and Emma Bingham were here yesterday.

June 3, Thursday

An uncertain day. Cloudy and sunny by turns. Sent Jim his little violin to day and the little old dress. Went for a drive. Clara went with me. A letter from Charlotte to day. Wrote a note to Maudie to day.

June 4, Friday

A changable [sic] day. Did not get out for a drive rain was falling, and it was cold. Sat in a chair and looked over linen closet. It needed attention. Mary B. and Tудie took luncheon with me to day.

June 5, Saturday

A fine day after yesterdays unusually beautiful rainbow and local storms. Went out Snelling and University Aves. for a drive to day. Flowers from Maudie to day. A letter from Mittie Porter from Ashland, Alabama.

June 6, Sunday

A cloudy day, morning was cold: little rain however. Wrote to Charlotte to day. Clara over for luncheon to day. We went for a drive.

June 7, Monday

A perfect June Day. A rare day indeed. Louis arrived home last night. Just wrote to Mr. Eelectus Litchfield 477 Fifth Ave. New York. Wrote a note to Mr. E. H. Bailey. Dr. Hoff sort of dismissed me to day by telling me he would now only look in occasionally.

June 8, Tuesday

A lonely feeling stays with me to day and I am alone too. This is the anniversary of our engagement on June 8th. 1864. How much has happened since then! This is a very hot day. Just wrote to Mittie Porter to Ashland Alabama.

June 9, Wednesday

This is a much more comfortable day than yesterdays 90 above. A fearful Tornado at and near Fergus Falls yesterday. Wrote notes to day to Hadleys Altmans and one to Jim.

June 10, Thursday

A very humid sultry day. Not bad driving. Maudie came home this morning - from school. A letter from George from New York. An electric Storm during the afternoon and later on too.

June 11, Friday

Quite a hot day. Spoke to Mrs. Morrison to day from the grass she on the out of door upper Porch. Clara went to see her. Wrote to Georgana [sic] to day.

June 12, Saturday

A very Hot Day. I have just been over to the Cathedral to confession. Rachel is in from Echo Lake. A letter from Ruth to day. Just wrote to Mrs. C. P. Brown.

June 13, Sunday

A very hot day in the 90s. Went to 8 oclock Mass this morning and later on went for a drive to Minnehaha. It is beautiful now. Just wrote to Ruth. Mr. MacPherson came in with Louis who brought me an old Latin Missal.

June 14, Monday

Flag Day. At Fort Snelling to day they are mixing up the Centenary of the Fort and Flag Day observance [sic]. Just wrote to George. A letter from Mike to day. Rachel was in to day from Echo Lake. Ben Morison died at Redlands, Cal. to day. His wife is very ill.

June 15, Tuesday

Heavy rain all last night very dark and threatening to day cooler but sultry. Clara and 'Ras' leave for East this evening. Just wrote to Mike Gavin. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James called this afternoon had been West were returning home.

June 16, Wednesday

Still unsettled. Rained nearly all last night. Is cooler. We have enough rain now we think. Just wrote to Gertrude received day letter from Georgana to day.

June 17, Thursday

A gloriously beautiful Day - much cooler. Wrote to Mrs. Freeman James to day. Rachel in from Echo Lake. Sigrid Freeman and Ann were here to say good bye. They go this evening to join Dorothy at Bradley Ave. Phillips Beach Beach Bluff Mass. Rachel stayed for dinner this evening. Egil going home later.

June 18, Friday

A beautiful Day warmer. Just received a letter from Clara they were 24 hours getting to Chicago from here on account of heavy rains. I just wrote to her. Mrs. Raguet is here for a few days.

June 19, Saturday

Unsettled weather warmer. Rachel in to day. Just wrote to Georgana [sic].

June 20, Sunday

An unsettled day. Went to 9 oclock Mass later drove out to Minnehaha. Just as we reached home it was raining. Maud, Maudie and Cortie left this evening for Exeter to see Louis graduate there. Jerome stays home on account of examinations.

June 21, Monday

Another unsettled day. We took Mrs. Raguet home this forenoon. Annabel McQuillan was here to luncheon to day. To day we drove as far as the University to day. Rachel is in town to day. Letters from Clara and from Georgana.

June 22, Tuesday

Took some strawberries to Mrs. Meany and found to day is her birth day. Her 76th. She says. It is another unsettled day. We drove out far as the Seminary. I slept so well last night that I feel quite well to day. Auntie and Mary P. were here this evening. Went to Mrs. Meanys and to Miss 'Vans' mothers with some strawberries to day.

June 23, Wednesday

Letters this forenoon from George, Charlotte and Clara. Just wrote to Clara to Stanwood Place Manchester by the Sea Mass. Rachel and Jerome were here for luncheon. Nearly 3000 hospital sisters here in a convention. Weather cool but unsettled.

June 24, Thursday

A fine day. Walter was here to day on his way to Montana. Just wrote to Ruth. Rachel in to day.

June 25, Friday

A rainy day rather warm. Went down to A. Schocks to day to get fruit for marmalade. Ours was so good it has all been used. Wrote to Charlotte to day. This is the day Norman and Louis jr. graduate at Exeter, N.H.

June 26, Saturday

Rained this morning. Windy and hot this afternoon. Rachel was in at luncheon time. A letter from Clara to day. Just wrote to Gertrude. Sending Music Room Door draperies 8 Prs. to Mannheimers (Mr. Gardener).

June 27, Sunday

A very hot day. I went to 10 oclock Mass - later to Minnehaha Falls - for a drive we drove around the Soldiers Home. Wrote to Clara to day. We had a bad electric storm last night played havoc with wires ect. [sic].

June 28, Monday

An unsettled day. It stormed all night. Electrical storm and very heavy rain. A letter from Charlotte to day. We went out to City Hospital. This is old man MacDonalds birth day. Saw Mr. Macpherson there. For a drive to Fort Snelling back via River Road. Got home just before rain.

June 29, Tuesday

Slept so well last night that I feel very well to day after three hot stormy trying days. A nice cheerful letter from Clara Manchester, Mass. We drove around Como to day. I am glad to see water in it and more running into it. Wrote to Mrs. Dahlgren to day.

June 30, Wednesday

Another unsettled day. Quite warm. I went over to the Home for the Friendless - to see Mrs. Schell. I found her suffering but better in some ways. Mr. Toomey and Rachel here for lunch. Minnie Dryden came to day.

July 1, Thursday

This is my 74th. birth-day. Rachel, Egil and the children came in from Echo Lake for luncheon. Tудie made currant jelly for me. Gertrude and the Louis Hills arrived home this morning. A letter from Uncle Alex to-day.

July 2, Friday

Another hot day. Wrote to Mamie and to Clara to day. Rachel in town again to day. The Louis Hills at North Oaks.

July 3, Saturday

A hot day. George, Charlotte Norman and Georgana arrived to day. They took luncheon here. Wrote to Park and Tilfords to day and to Mrs. Schulze.

July 4, Sunday

A hot day. In bed all day to day. Digestive troubles heat ect. [sic] the trouble. A quiet 4th. of July.

July 5, Monday

A little cooler. Slept well last night night [sic] and feel very much better to day. A letter from Clara this morning. She is happy at Manchester - by the Sea.

July 6, Tuesday

A dark rainy day. Rachel in from Echo Lake to day. Just wrote to Clara. I am in bed for a few days. A digestive trouble ect. [sic]. I am better.

July 7, Wednesday

Not much to write. I am in my room for a while to rest.

July 8, Thursday

Miss "Van" made currant jelly to day had success. Storms some nearly every day.

July 9, Friday

A warm unsettled day. Mrs. Raguet and "Tine" Meagher came in to day. Some rain and an electric accompaniment [sic] this p.m.

July 10, Saturday

Still unsettled weather. Minnie Dryden leaves us to day. Have just written to Ann Carter to Claras to thank her for a Book she sent me for a birth day gift. Wrote to Dorothy jr. to day.

July 11, Sunday

A delightful Day. "Ras" came this morning to be here until tomorrow evening. I feel much better to day. But very disappointed that Gertrude has to leave this evening. I just wrote to Mike Gavin.

July 12, Monday

Again unsettled weather - quite hot and sultry. Just wrote to Uncle Alex. A letter to day from Clara and one from Ann Freeman. Gertrude left last evening. Mr. Howard Elliott called this evening. "Ras" went back East this evening.

July 13, Tuesday

A very stormy unsettled day - and quite hot. Louis brought me in two busts one of Jerome and one of Cortie. The first is very good. Corties good too. Just wrote to Clara. Stan Morrison called to day, he is here for a few days.

July 14, Wednesday

A pleasant day. Not hot. Rachel was in at luncheon time. Charlotte here too looking well. Louis looked in a little while.

July 15, Thursday

A pleasant day. Not entirely bright. Rachel here to day on her way to a meeting in Minneapolis (Baby Homes). Just wrote to Ann Freeman. A telegram this morning from Gertrude. They started from New York last evening for Murray Bay, Canada. Wrote to James Murray this to day.

July 16, Friday

A delightful Summer day. A letter from Ruth. Also one from Clara. Just wrote to Ruth. Did not sleep well last night but I am much better again. Some salmon came to day. 8 for eleven people.

July 17, Saturday

A pleasant forenoon clouds some early in the afternoon. A letter from Anson to-day. Just wrote him to thank him for sending the salmon. Just wrote to Clara. Mrs. Beals here this forenoon and Miss Veeley.

July 18, Sunday

This is a fine cool day. Slept very well last night. Maud and the children came in after their Church service.

July 19, Monday

A fine Summer day cool in the early hours of the morning - getting warmer. Letters to day from Mittie Porter - Clara, Dorothy jr. and Gertrude from Montreal. Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Toomey here to day. Wrote to Gertrude to day.

July 20, Tuesday

Rather unsettled day. Rachel is in to day from Echo Lake. Just wrote to Clara. Nell Finch was over this forenoon - very well. Auntie, Mary and Helen H. were here last evening. Wrote a note to Mrs. J. H. Sanders.

July 21, Wednesday

A pleasant Summer day hot but a good breeze. Just wrote to Mittie Porter. Had a good sleep last night so feel fine to day. A letter from Norman to day.

July 22, Thursday

A hot day! Maud and Rachel have been here to day. Wrote to Dorothy jr. to day.

July 23, Friday

Last night very hot. 91 at 7 p.m. This morning still hot. 82 in my room at 730. Relief seems in sight. Just wrote to Gertrude. Robert Minor came in to see me to day. Told me about his children.

July 24, Saturday

Cooler this morning after several extremely hot days and nights. I feel fine this morning - and am duly thankful. A letter from Clara to day. I have just written to her. Rachel was in this forenoon. Nell Finch was in too. So were George and Charlotte. Georgana won the prize at Dellwood Golf Tournament yesterday.

July 25, Sunday

A comfortably cool day after a restfully cool night. Charlotte came in this forenoon after Mass. Just wrote to Mr. Gaspard Farrer. Wrote to Theodore B. Starr to day for paper and to Arnold Constable and Company yesterday for under wear.

July 26, Monday

A moderately warm day. Cloudy in part. A note from Mark Reeves to day just answered it. Also a note from Miss Lulah Cavileer of Pembina telling of the sudden death of old Mr. Deacon.

July 27, Tuesday

A glorious day pleasant temperature. Received a letter from Adam Marvel to day. Just wrote to Clara. Louis and family all left last evening for Glacier Pk. Leanore Seymour going with them. She accompanies them to California where they go later. Wrote to Walter to day.

July 28, Wednesday

Warmer to day. Charlotte moves to Dellwood to day. Rachel in for luncheon.

July 29, Thursday

Last night was hot following 90 yesterday one of the hot days of the Season. Looked over the old Paris linen to day disposed of some of it. Just wrote to Miss Lulah Cavileer. Had a good nights rest.

July 30, Friday

A hot day. Last night was hot. A letter from Clara to-day. She still enjoys Manchester by the Sea. I hear "Ras" is in town to day. Mrs. J. H. Sanders and Mrs. C. P. Brown were here yesterday. "Ras" came in this evening.

July 31, Saturday

A much cooler day. George Slade, Norman and Arthur Barrow were in this morning. Mr. E. T. Nichols and Mr. Budd called this morning. Charlotte and Rachel are in from the country. Had an unusual letter from Mark Reeves to day which I returned to him for an explanation.

August 1, Sunday

This is a perfect summer day. "Ras" must have gone last evening back to Manchester by the Sea. Just wrote to Mike to Murray Bay. To day is Alice Robertsons birth day. She spent part of the afternoon here.

August 2, Monday

Fine day. Charlotte in to day to meet Whitney Warren the Altar Architect. Just wrote to Clara. George Charlotte and Mr. Whitney Warren called to day. Also Annabel McQuillan yesterday was Annabels Birth day. "Tine" Meagher came too.

August 3, Tuesday

A fine day. Just wrote to Gertrude. Rachel in to day.

August 4, Wednesday

A little rain fall last night. We need more badly. Ruth arrived this morning - early. Just wrote to Ann Freeman and Minnie Dryden. Some warmer to day. Father Finley called to day. Mrs. Upham and Grace Bigelow called to day. Walter sailed for Europe to day on Olympic.

August 5, Thursday

Went out for a drive to day far as the Bridge on Summit Ave. Mr. D.C. Shepard is very low. The day is rather hot. Charlotte and Rachel in to day. Just wrote to Clara. Read a letter to day to Clara from Katherine Abbott from France.

August 6, Friday

Went again to day for a drive - being nothing the worse yesterday for doing so. The day is pleasant. Not too hot. A letter from Walter to day says he will not be gone long. Wrote to Mrs. F. James to day. Helen M. Morrison died yesterday at Redlands, Cal.

August 7, Saturday

A comfortable Day as to Weather. Did not sleep well last night, so, did not go for a ride to day. Just wrote to - Gertrude.

August 8, Sunday

An unsettled sort of day. I hope it means rain near, everything is suffering from drouth [sic] fields, gardens and grass. Crops endangered around here. Mr. D.C. Shepard died yesterday at 6⁴⁵ p.m. in 93rd. year. Just wrote to Maud to California.

August 9, Monday

A fine Summery day rather hot. Mr. Victor Robertson called yesterday afternoon. We talked about Old Bell that used to hang in early St. Paul on West 7th St. and about Ramsey Street. First bell I think. Wrote to Walter to day to be forwarded to Europe. Rachel in to day.

August 10, Tuesday

A hot day. Was very sultry night. Mr. D.C. Shepard buried to day. Just wrote to Mamie. Ruth spent the night at Rachels, drove to North Oaks on way back. She says this is the most comfortable place she found (In Town.)

August 11, Wednesday

Yesterday the hottest of the Season. 90 at 1 p.m. The night was hot yet, I slept well. To day is cooler. Charlotte staid [sic] here all night. She and Ruth talked into early morning. Ruth leaves this evening going home. I just wrote to Clara. Miss "Van" picked a bunch of snow balls to day. Second blossoming!

August 12, Thursday

Last night was cool and to-day is delightfully cool. Miss Trott came in to day. Ruth left last evening. A telegram from her to day tells me she got to Chicago very comfortably. Wrote to James Murray to day.

August 13, Friday

Mamies birth day. She was born in 1868. A delightful day. I went for a drive far as the Bridge on the Avenue this forenoon. Letters from Clara and from Gertrude to day. Just wrote to Gertrude. "Tine" Meagher and Rachel were in this forenoon. Had a cable this p.m. from Walter from Paris so he has arrived there. Walter sailed the 4th. on Olympic.

August 14, Saturday

Warmer again. With Dr. Hoff's permission I went to the Cathedral this afternoon. The Archbishop (Dowling) called while I was there. Nell Finch my only other visitor to-day.

August 15, Sunday

A hot day but fine too fine as we do need rain so much. Just wrote to Clara and to Maudie. Miss "Van" is home all day to day with her sister and family. Went over to 8 oclock Mass this morning.

August 16, Monday

Hot dry weather continues. Prayers should go up for rain.

August 17, Tuesday

Hot again to-day. So dry! Went for a short drive out half an hour to day. Rachel in to day. Wrote to Jerome to day.

August 18, Wednesday

Another hot dry day. Letters from Clara and Mittie to day. Just wrote to Clara.

August 19, Thursday

This is the 53rd. anniversary of our marriage. A long span in life one way but it passed all too quickly. Rachel, Charlotte, George and Georgana [sic] all came in. Mrs. Upham came to luncheon, Nellie Finch came over. Dr. Moynahan called he did not look well.

August 20, Friday

This is an unsettled day as to weather. We had a little rain last night, too little. If we get more it will be a great blessing. Temperature not so hot. A letter from Uncle Alex to day. A can of honey from Gertrude from Canada.

August 21, Saturday

At last a cool beautiful day, but we get no rain. George was in this forenoon. I went for half an hours drive this morning. A letter from Mike early to day. I just wrote to him.

August 22, Sunday

A cool day. I found my warm wraps to go on the Terrace to day. Just wrote to Walter and to Mittie Porter did not go to Mass as I planned as I did not sleep well last night.

August 23, Monday

To day is very pleasant. Not as cold as yesterday and Saturday. A letter and post cards from Clara. A letter from Dr. Fisher from Devils Lake, N. H.

August 24, Tuesday

An unusually fine day. Warmer. No sign of rain however. Have just written to Clara. To Mamie and to Dr. Carl Fisher to Devils Lake (N. Dakota). Dr. Schaefer and Helen Driscoll called this afternoon.

August 25, Wednesday

Another fine day. I went far as the River to day for a ride. Just wrote to Gertrude and to Duttons to order two Books.

August 26, Thursday

Quite hot to day. I just wrote to Gertrude and to Clara. Rachel in to day. Poor G. "Tudie" and Mary were made ill by indulging in cooked blueberries. They are all right again. Mrs. Raguet came to day to spend Sunday here.

August 27, Friday

A fine Summer day. Quite hot. Went for an Auto ride this morning. Just wrote to Uncle Alex to Ruth and to Ann Carter.

August 28, Saturday

This is a rather hot day. This is Mrs. Raguet's 76th. birth-day. Her sisters Mrs. DeMers and Miss Lolie Morrison Mrs. Uri Lamphrey and Mrs. Harrison are taking luncheon with her here. I shall see them all later. Just wrote to Maudie - to California.

August 29, Sunday

A fall of rain some time in the early morning - not heavy I fancy - later turned quite cool. I went to ten o'clock Mass and felt quite well while in the church and not fatigued afterwards.

August 30, Monday

An unsettled day but nothing brings rain - it is very much needed. Just wrote to Louis jr. Mrs. Raguet went home this morning. Rachel was in for luncheon.

August 31, Tuesday

An unsettled day. George and Charlotte have been here to day. Wrote to Gertrude to day. This Evening's paper reports an Earthquake in South Dakota yesterday at Hot Springs S.D. and that there was one in July there.

September 1, Wednesday

A delightful day. Received a letter from Ruth to day. Just wrote to Mr. Gaspard Farrer. Miss "Van" left to day for two weeks vacation. I went to the River this forenoon for a motor ride. Mrs. William B. Dean died last night.

September 2, Thursday

This morning felt like autumn. 54 at 830. Just wrote to Cortie - and to Ruth. Rachel and Charlotte were here to day. Received a letter from Miss Annabel McQuillan.

September 3, Friday

A pleasant day some warmer than yesterday. Finished reading the Confessions of St. Augustine this forenoon - a letter from Mamie to day. Went for a motor ride this forenoon.

September 4, Saturday

A dark, wet, cold day very little rain. Rachel was in this forenoon. A letter from Clara to day. I wrote to Clara to-day. Letters this afternoon from Mike, James N. B. and Clara. Charlotte and Georgana [sic] in this afternoon. Rachel was in this morning.

September 5, Sunday

A gloomy forenoon. Rained earlier. Sun shine by 2 p.m. Wrote to Clara to day.

September 6, Monday

A fine day. This is Uncle Alex's [sic] birth-day and the anniversary of Mamie's marriage. I wrote Mamie and Mike Gavin just now. Mr. Cox Presidential candidate at State Fair and here to day. Labor day he speaks at State Fair - and speaks at Minneapolis too.

September 7, Tuesday

A fine day. Warmer. State Fair offers much excitement no doubt much of interest too. Wrote to Mittie Porter to day.

September 8, Wednesday

Another fine day. I went for a short ride to day. Rachel Egil and the children were in to day for luncheon on their way to the Fair to see their Herd judged. Georgana [sic] was with them. Just wrote to James N. B. Emma Brooks called to-day - here on her way back to Canada from the Coast.

September 9, Thursday

A fine morning. Quite a hot day. Rachel in to day. She is taking Emma Brooks to the Fair. An interesting letter from Walter from Paris. He is much interested in his trips – he is going to Switzerland, England and Scotland.

September 10, Friday

A fine day rather warm. Emma Brooks has gone out to Rachels to luncheon. Goes from there to North Oaks. I have just written to Ruth and to "Ras". She is back at Tuxedo.

September 11, Saturday

A warm day. Went for a ride to day far as St. Thomas College. Rachel was in for a few moments. A letter from Clara to day. Dr. Ramsey called this evening to see Emma Brooks. Sent Mamie the portraits this forenoon.

September 12, Sunday

A much cooler morning beautiful. I have seldom seen such Blue skies. I went to Mass this morning to the Cathedral. Maud, Maudie and Jerome came home last night. They all look well.

September 13, Monday

A warmer day. Rachel in to day. Wrote to Convent Station to day.

September 14, Tuesday

A very hot morning and forenoon. Louis Louis jr. and Cortie arrived home this morning from California. Wrote a note to day to Mr. George F. Kounz. Went for a ride this morning. Was 90 to day.

September 15, Wednesday

A hot morning got windy and cooler before noon. Last night very hot. 86 at 10 p.m.

September 16, Thursday

A perfect day if any day can be perfect when everything is so dry. I went for an auto ride to day. Rachel and Mary Boeckmann were in a while to day. This is Papa's birth day his 82nd.

September 17, Friday

Still very warm weather. Clara and "Ras" home this morning. She looks well for her. Wrote Gertrude to day. Mrs. Beals here to-day. A letter from Mike Gavin. There was a perfectly horrible explosion in New York on Wall Street yesterday. It is not known whether by design or accident.

September 18, Saturday

Another dry, clear hot day. Received a letter and postal from Walter to-day from Geneva Switzerland. I have just written to Walter. Went out this forenoon for a ride.

September 19, Sunday

This morning much cooler. I went to ten oclock Mass. While there a most welcome shower of quite heavy rain fall. Louis, Mr. McMillan and some of the old G.N. Veterans called, they the Veterans had been out to Papas grave. Wrote to Mike Gavin to day.

September 20, Monday

A beautiful morning and day. Clara and Rachel were here for luncheon. Mr. McMillan and four of the old G.N. Veterans - were here yesterday. They had been out to visit Papas grave I think. Just wrote to Mrs. Manvel.

September 21, Tuesday

A hot windy Day. Had a good restful night. We are reading the "Sun Maid" by Miss Grant - a Taushnitz Book - interesting too. Just wrote to Mrs. Freeman James.

September 22, Wednesday

Warm but unsettled weather. Went out this forenoon. Grace Bigelow called to-day. Rachel was in this forenoon. We finished reading the Sun Maid it was interesting and exciting enough. One Tauschnitz Edition by Miss Grant.

September 23, Thursday

A dark cooler morning and rain. Rachel came in at luncheon time. Katherine Abbott returned from Europe this morning, Rachel has gone over to see her. A postal card from Walter to-day from Aix Les Baines. Just wrote to Walter.

September 24, Friday

A fine warm day. I hear Mittie Porter is home. Went out this forenoon. Clara went with me. I saw the outside of the new R.R. Station it looks its worst on account of surroundings too bad.

September 25, Saturday

A day of high hot wind. I have not had a letter from Ruth or Gertrude for some time. Sent Mother Xaviers portrait to day. Louis and Louis jr. left for a hunt {crossed out: to day} last night.

September 26, Sunday

After yesterdays high wind and 91 degrees heat: To day is serenely beautiful with moderate temperature. I went to Mass this morning - and for a short drive. Just wrote to James N. B. Hill inquiring for his mothers health. Mr. Jacob H. Schiff died yesterday. "Ras" went East this evening. George took Slippy McGee to Mrs. Morisons to day.

September 27, Monday

A really beautiful Day. Yesterday afternoon was indescribably beautiful. Rachel in to day. Clara went back with her. Charlotte in later.

September 28, Tuesday

A windy day yet when I went for a ride it was not windy further out on Summit Ave. I went as far as the River. A cold day frost is predicted. Wrote to Georgiana to day.

September 29, Wednesday

About the same kind of day as yesterday. Cloudy and sunny by turns. As my room is to be painted I moved to day into "Rachel room". Rachel in to day. A letter from Maudie to day.

September 30, Thursday

A very fine day. Went for a ride. Mittie Porter is here for luncheon. Having my room ect. [sic] cleaned painted rugs cleaned and other necessary renovations done.

October 1, Friday

To day seems warmer. Sun Shines little wind. Rachel in to day. We are reading Cardinal Merciers Book. It is his correspondences with the German Officials in Brussels during the Occupation. Wrote to Maudie to day.

October 2, Saturday

A beautiful morning and warmer. No frost in September. Went for a ride, met Miss Trott took her for a drive and left her down town. Charlotte spent last night here. She looks very well. Axel pressed the juice from the Delaware grapes to day.

October 3, Sunday

A beautiful day. Warmer. Have been to Mass and for a ride. Maud home this morning. Just wrote to Gertrude.

October 4, Monday

Another fine day. Warmer. Sat out on terrace a little while. I hear Campbell came into town and doctor took X ray, for some reason he fainted. He has what has been treated for pleurisy. A letter from Ruth - and a postal from Walter from London.

October 5, Tuesday

Such a fine beautiful day - warm too. I had a ride out to the River and over to Mr. Cahoons to inquire for him, he is ill. Just wrote to Ruth. She is not well. Emma Lind came back to-day.

October 6, Wednesday

A beautiful day warm too. Letters from Mike and Georgiana. Just wrote to Mrs. L. Drexel Dahlgren. Mike was in his Office the day of the New York explosion. He was thrown from his chair.

October 7, Thursday

A glorious day and warm. I fear it is an unseasonably earlier Indian Summer - and that early may cold may follow. I went for a ride to-day learned Mrs. Morrison is quite low. Wrote to Mike Gavin to day. Caruso sang here last night to a crowd of nearly 8 thousand. The whole auditorium opened.

October 8, Friday

A wonderfully fine day. So warm. Went for a ride as far as the River. Rachel was in this morning. So were Clara and Mittie Porter. Wrote to Georgiana to day.

October 9, Saturday

Like a Summer day. Was out this forenoon. Mrs. Morrison is not at all well, in fact quite poorly. A letter from Anson sr. yesterday and a kodak from Anson jr. and Mary: both look so grown.

October 10, Sunday

A very warm day. Rained some last night accompanied by electricity. Louis and the boys in to day. Clara was in after 11 oclock Mass. Wrote to Gertrude to day.

October 11, Monday

Another glorious day a little cooler. Louis was in to day. I went for a ride this forenoon. Wrote to Anson Beard to day.

October 12, Tuesday

Rather an unsettled day, not cold. I went for a ride to day and wrote to James N. B. Hill. Also wrote to Convent Station to Rev. Mother Cecilia.

October 13, Wednesday

A beautiful morning. Stormy from noon to nearly two p.m. then fair again. Rachel in to day. Went to enquire for Mrs. Schell. She is better in some ways.

October 14, Thursday

An unsettled day dark and foggy. Mr. Ordean called this forenoon. Rachel in again to-day. Went out but did not find the day pleasant.

October 15, Friday

We had rain last night and early this morning. The forenoon unsettled the afternoon fine. Went out for a ride found air pleasant. Just wrote to Georgiana. Charlotte staying here evenings and nights. Busy at her house rest of the time emptying it.

October 16, Saturday

Instead of predicted cold ect. [sic] we have a beautiful pleasant and rather warm day. Rachel in at lunch time. Mrs. Upham and Grace Bigelow came in.

October 17, Sunday

A perfectly wonderful day. As glorious as any day could be anywhere. Have been to Mass and for a ride enquired for Mr. Cahoon. He is better to day. Wrote to Maudie to day.

October 18, Monday

Rachel in to day. Charlotte in for the night. It has been a pleasant day. Annabel McQuillan and Mrs. Buckley (Mary Kennedy) called to day.

October 19, Tuesday

This morning early there was a good rain later Sun Shone and I went as far as the River this afternoon dark and rainy. Not cold. Wrote to Mrs. F. James Alice Meagher ect. [sic]. A cable message from Walter to day. It was sent the 15th. poor service.

October 20, Wednesday

There was a storm and rain in the night. Quite an electric storm this morning after 8 oclock rain too. Mr. Farrer arrived on early Burlington train, looking unusually well. I received a letter to day from Walter from Bergen, Norway dated Oct. 4th. He was going to Sweden and Denmark.

October 21, Thursday

An unsettled day. Quite warm, sultry. Mr. Farrer has gone for golf and to dine with Rachel and Egil. Just wrote to Jim. Went for a ride this morning.

October 22, Friday

This morning was pleasant and I went for an Auto ride. Took Mr. G. Farrer over to the Indian Mounds Park. The afternoon is dark and rainy. Received a postal card from Sweden to day. I went around the house on the outside to day in a chair - having the dirty vines taken down.

October 23, Saturday

A beautiful day some cooler. Went for a drive. Wrote to Ruth to-day. Started a fire in the furnace to day for the first time this year. Probabilities predict cold spell on the way.

October 24, Sunday

A beautiful day charming and cloudless. I went to Mass. Archbishop Dowling preached in interest of Archbishop Ireland Fund for educational Institutions. Mr. Farrer and Charlotte and out at Rachels for luncheon. They leave for New York this evening. I wrote to Maudie to day.

October 25, Monday

A wonderfully fine morning. Warmer than yesterday. I went for a drive over the High - Bridge and out on the Jefferson Highway six miles. A fine smooth road. Mr. Farrer and Charlotte left last evening for New York. "Ras" went too same destination. Clara is here.

October 26, Tuesday

An unsettled day raw atmosphere. Did not go out to day did not rest well last night. Maud was in to-day. Wrote to Gertrude to day. Wrote a few lines to Charlotte yesterday. Clara feels better to day. Archbishop Dowling called to-day.

October 27, Wednesday

An unsettled day and colder. Did not get out to-day. Dr. advises rest. Mary, Tудie and Mary B in this forenoon. Have had all chandeliers cleaned and that brightens some things. A telegram from Charlotte this morning.

October 28, Thursday

28 this morning. Quite a frost last night - ice still on roof of Porte-cochere after eleven a.m. to day. It is a fine sunny day. (Miss "Van" has 41 sock tops of last lot). Wrote to Jim to-day. Had a Post card to day from Walter from Copenhagen. Grace U. Bigelow here to day.

October 29, Friday

A glorious day. So much warmer than yesterday. Got out for a ride to day - far as the House of the Friendless to inquire for Mrs. Schell. She some more comfortable. Poor old lady.

October 30, Saturday-

This is Mrs. Uphams birth-day. She, Grace Bigelow - Helen Driscoll Nell. Finch & Clara took luncheon with her. Birth-day cake, candles ice cream ect. [sic]. Just wrote to Charlotte. A letter from Mr. Farrer to-day. This is ideally fine warm, and calm.

October 31, Sunday

A dark, damp cold morning. Went to 8 oclock Mass. The Cathedral seemed colder than outside. Wrote to Walter to day. He is still in Europe. Rained this afternoon. Mr. T. A. Schulze called to day.

November 1, Monday

A dark rainy day. Not cold however. A letter from Charlotte to day. I just wrote to her. Maud was in this morning.

November 2, Tuesday

Presidential Election day. We feared it might be be [sic] stormy weather, but, it is fine - and not cold. Went for a ride this forenoon. Streets seemed quiet - even down town. Wrote to Maudie to day.

November 3, Wednesday

A mild rather cloudy day in forenoon. Sun coming out at 130 p.m. Maud was in in the forenoon. I knew last night by 1030 that Harding was elected President of the U.S. Went for a drive this forenoon.

November 4, Thursday

This morning has been delightfully sunny - the afternoon is clouding. Had a fine outing this forenoon. Just wrote to Gertrude. Clara had luncheon with me to day. Louis and Louis jr. are away hunting big game. I hear they each have a moose each.

November 5, Friday

A glorious morning and remarkably fine day. Not at all cold. It seems Louise C. Hill will be married the 16th. of this month. Was out this forenoon. This months Geographic is devoted to China. We feel read up on the on the [sic] subject. Wrote to Arnold Constables to day. Rev. Mother Seraphine and Sister St. Rose called to day it was a pleasant visit. We talked of old times. Myra Grover an interested listener.

November 6, Saturday

A dimly dark day. Not cold however - just dark and damp. I went out for a drive and enjoyed it. Nothing takes the place of fresh air. Just wrote to Charlotte. A letter from Norman to day.

November 7, Sunday

This morning was cloudy not damp or cold. Sun came out before 1 p.m. Afternoon is delightful. I went to 10 oclock Mass and later for a little drive. Clara came over to luncheon.

November 8, Monday

Another cloudy dark morning. At 1 p.m. snowing - flakes melted as soon as they feel. Not at all cold. Letters from Mrs. Trott, Georgiana and Maudie. Just wrote to Georgiana. Went for a ride this morning.

November 9, Tuesday

Cloudy and colder. Went out this forenoon. Left magazines with James Morrison. Went far as Miss Veeleys and into Bullards to select something for Louis Hills wedding gift. Just wrote to Maudie. Louis and Louis jr. came home yesterday with moose antlers.

November 10, Wednesday

This is {inserted above: was} a beautiful cold morning. 15 above zero at 830. A delightful sunny day had fine outing. Telegram from Charlotte and letters from George, Jim and Ruth this forenoon. Just wrote to Charlotte.

November 11, Thursday

Armistice Day. It is being observed here with decorations Parade ect. [sic]. 12 above zero this morning at 8 oclock. Sunny pleasant day. I had my ride this forenoon. Just wrote to Ruth and a note to Miss Cavileer.

November 12, Friday

Rather raw cold. To day 20 above at 2 p.m. Wrote to Norman to day. Have been out for a ride as far as the River.

November 13, Saturday

A beautiful morning. 12 above at 730. Warmer day - later. Gertrude arrived this morning looking well. Just wrote to Charlotte. Have been out this forenoon.

November 14, Sunday

24 above at 730 a.m. A sunny pleasant morning. George Slade came this morning. We went to ten oclock Mass. Rachel was there, she went from there to Mrs. Morison's who is very ill. We went for a drive as far as the River.

November 15, Monday

A beautiful day not cold. Went out for an airing. Jessie Renney here for luncheon to day. Just wrote to Mamie - and a note to Louis and Congers also a note to Helen Speers.

November 16, Tuesday

A perfect day. Sunny, neither cold nor windy. Had a delightful outing. Just wrote to Maudie.

November 17, Wednesday

Another fine day. Warmer. Had a pleasant drive. Father Ryan here for luncheon. Received a postal from Walter to day from Cannes. He will soon return.

November 18, Thursday

A wonderfully fine day and quite warm. 22 above at 730 a.m. Such sun shine. Had a pleasant drive. Just wrote to Mrs. Upham - to Tuxedo.

November 19, Friday

A foggy warm day. No Sun shine. Went out for a short while - however. Just wrote to Mrs. Freeman James. Rachel was here to luncheon with Gertrude foggy all day.

November 20, Saturday

27 above at 745 this a.m. A cloudy day but not foggy as yesterday. Received a letter from Charlotte to day. Just wrote her. Went for a ride this forenoon. Clara not about these days indisposed but not seriously.

November 21, Sunday

A very dark rainy morning. Not cold. 37 above in morning and all forenoon. Jim. came this morning. For him he looks pretty well. I am staying in bed to day. Awakened very early this morning 330 lack appetite and have for a few days. Walter arrived back in New York from Europe to day.

November 22, Monday

A fine day, clear, warm and sunny. Doctor Hoff advises me to stay in bed a few days. Just wrote to Walter he returned from Europe yesterday. Sent a telegram to Mrs. Upham. She sails on Patria for Italy tomorrow from Brooklyn N.Y.

November 23, Tuesday

Another dark misty day - quite moderate temperature. Clara is about some in the house again after several days in her room. This is my 3rd day in my room. I am quite comfortable. Jim left us last evening after three days stay. Mittie Porter here to day.

November 24, Wednesday

Unchanged temperature very mild. A Sunny day. I am allowed to get out of bed and out of my room if I desire after over three days quiet. A letter from Geo. Slade. Clara out now each day. She is better.

November 25, Thursday

Still cloudy, foggy and not cold. This is Thanksgiving Day. No snow or sign of Winter except dead foliage. I had my luncheon alone to day - and I am Thankful for many things. Louis and Louis jr. are at Rochester for some slight treatment. Clara is indisposed. Rachel at Dr. Boeckmanns for luncheon. Others all in the East.

November 26, Friday

A cloudy snowy day not cold. Just wrote to Dr. George Frederick Kounz to thank him for books and medals on Joan of Arc. Letters to day from Uncle Alex Charlotte Georgiana and Mr. G. Farrer. Also a postal card from Walter of unknown Heroes of London Eng. Wrote to Maudie to day.

November 27, Saturday

Still dark dismal weather, not cold. 37 above at 2 p.m. Rachel was in this forenoon. Just wrote to Charlotte and to Gertie Horrigan. Last night not restful.

November 28, Sunday

Still cloudy and mild. Fridays snow all gone. Have been writing to George and Georgiana. Rachel was in this forenoon. Egil and she leave for a short visit to New York this evening. Louis and Louis jr. back from Rochester, Minn.

November 29, Monday

A very cheerless Day. Very moderate however. 40 - above this forenoon. Just wrote notes to Houghton Mifflin Co. and to Sara Hadley. Egil and Rachel got off last evening for New York. Jessie Renney came to day to say goodbye goes back to Fergus Falls tomorrow.

November 30, Tuesday

And still dark weather. Sun almost shone for a brief spell this forenoon - but now at 2:15 p.m. the darkness of night surrounds us - quite warm however. A note from Rachel from Chicago on their way to New York.

December 1, Wednesday

It seems long since we have seen sunshine. It is still cloudy and so mild. 37 above this forenoon. Just received a telegram from Egil telling me of pleasant trip and arrival in New York. I wrote to Rachel to day. Letters from Mike and Gertrude to day.

December 2, Thursday

As dark and as foggy as days have been for so long and not any colder. Just wrote to Gertrude.

December 3, Friday

Another foggy dark dismal day- gets monotonous after two weeks. We still believe the Sun is behind the clouds. Wrote a note to Anne Hathaway French and a letter to Mike Gavin to-day.

December 4, Saturday

Still cloudy and mild. I went out this morning first time in two weeks. This is Claras birth day. She and 'Ras' left for New York last evening. To day is Mrs. Morrisons 87th. birth day and she is more comfortable. I am feeling pretty well.

December 5, Sunday

This morning cloudy as usual most of the last five weeks. I was able to go to ten oclock Mass and later a short drive. At 1230 the clouds cleared and sun came out this afternoon is fine. Just wrote to Rachel.

December 6, Monday

29 above at 745 a.m. Cloudy morning. Sunny afternoon. Was out for a drive. Wrote to Gertrude. Wrote to Helen Speer. Sent handkerchiefs to Sister to mark. Asked to have them returned the 20th.

December 7, Tuesday

20 above at 730 a.m. The Sun rose beautifully this morning and the day is a marvel for the Season warm, no wind. Just wrote Clara. Sent a telegram to Rachel this morning to assure her of childrens well being. Have been out to day.

December 8, Wednesday

Another pleasant day. Went to 10 oclock this morning. Mother Seraphine is 62 years in the convent to-day. Mrs. Morison (H. G. O.) died this morning - 87 years old. Wrote to Gertrude to day.

December 9, Thursday

Dark and dismal this a.m. 30 at 745. Later sleet, not at all cold. Mrs. Morison buried from the Cathedral at ten oclock this forenoon. Buried in Minneapolis. Wrote to Clara just now to Hotel St. Regis - New York. Weather discouraged me, I did not go out to day. Sam Hill called here to day late in the afternoon on way to Chicago and New York.

December 10, Friday

A mild day not so cloudy - and quite warm. Went for a drive. Mittie here to spend the night. A few lines from Charlotte says Clara is quite well in New York. Wrote Maudie to-day.

December 11, Saturday

A dark cheerless morning not cold. 34 at 7⁴⁰. Sun came out gorgeously about 11 a.m. early afternoon perfect. When I was out we went over to Home of the Friendless (cheerless name). Wrote Helen Speer to day.

December 12, Sunday

Not cold. 37 above this a.m. About 9 oclock cloudy. Charlotte arrived with Egil and Rachel this early morning - from New York. Went to Mass and for a drive this forenoon. Mr. John F. Stevens passed through St. Paul yesterday on way to New York and Washington returning from long stay in Siberia and Russia.

December 13, Monday

A dark dismal day. Not cold. 40 all forenoon. Wrote to Clara and a note to Dr. Boeckmann. Did not go out to day. Weather not inviting. Sent a telegram to Gertrude.

December 14, Tuesday

Still unsettled. Not cold - but a trifle colder quite windy went for a short drive. Had a letter from Norman this evening.

December 15, Wednesday

A beautiful Sunny day quite windy and some colder. Wrote to Gertrude to day. A case of small pox at North Oaks.

December 16, Thursday

Still cloudy and unsettled. We have no snow many attempts fail us. Wrote Clara to day and to Park and Tilfords. Went out this forenoon.

December 17, Friday

A beautiful day from Sun rise this a.m. It has been long since we have had such glorious dawning of day. Sent off Christmas packages to girls in the East to day and to Mittie. Wrote to Mamie to day. Mrs. Wm. Lee died at St. Josephs Hospital.

December 18, Saturday

Colder last night. Was only 4 above this early morning. A beautiful day, sunny and no wind. Wrote Gertrude Horrigan to day. Went out this forenoon.

December 19, Sunday

Colder - 4 - above zero this early morning. Just wrote to Walter and to Mr. Farrer. Went to Mass this morning. Norman arrived this morning train 1 1/2 hour late.

December 20, Monday

Not cold. A delightful forenoon went for a drive picked up Dr. Moynahan - on his way in to the Archbishops. A letter from Ruth. Just wrote to Ruth. Louis and Maudie home this morning from New - York.

December 21, Tuesday

We had the first good fall of snow of the Season. Neither cold nor windy. Dr. Andrews came up to the house this morning and filled a tooth for me. Have been out to day. A letter from Clara to day. Just answered it.

December 22, Wednesday

Quite a fall of snow yesterday possibly 6 inches. Went out to day. Not at all cold, cold wave is predicted. Finishing up little parcels for Christmas.

December 23, Thursday

A beautiful Day. Gave away my Home made Socks to day. 210 Prs. of our collection. Letters from Mike and Gertrude to day. We went to St. Josephs Hosptial, City Hosptial - Little Sisters of the Poor - St. Vincents Society.

December 24, Friday

First wintry cold day this Season. 10 below zero outside my room at 7³⁰ this morning. George and Georgana [sic] arrived two hours late this morning. Telegrams coming to day one from Mike and Gertrude. Louis, Maudie Norman Georgiana, Jerome, Cortie Mary and Tudie took luncheon with me to day. Mary and Tudie sent me a beautiful trimmed Tree. They all got their presents to day from me.

December 25, Saturday

Christmas Day. Last night very cold. Warmer to day. 10 above at noon. Cables came last night from Walter and Mr. Gaspard Farrer. Christmas cards are coming in in large numbers. There was mid night Mass at the Cathedral this a.m. Telegram from Jim. to day. I got specticle [sic] case from Clara. Wrapper from Ruth, dainty dressing Sack [sic?] from Mittie Porter - beautiful white woolen shawl from Rachel Mary and Tudie so many flowers - a letter to day from Clara. I am in bed with neuralgia to day but slept well last night.

December 26, Sunday

A beautiful day. I am in my room nearly all day neuralgia is nearly gone. George left for New - York last evening. Mr. Chas. Bunn and Helen Bunn took dinner here with Charlotte Rachel and Egil - this evening. Norman back from rabbit hunt at Elk River.

December 27, Monday

10 below this a.m. 10 elow zero this morning. A beautiful sunny day. Charlotte seems to have taken a cold. I am better to day. Wrote Mary and Tudie to day also Dorothy jr. and Ann Gill Freeman.

December 28, Tuesday

10 below this a.m. A very cold morning. Busy to day arranging to acknowledge Christmas cards - for New Years. Mittie Porter down this afternoon. Nell Finch was in too so was Katherine Abbott. Charlottes cold better. Wrote Mamie Ruth Clara and Mike Gavin to day.

December 29, Wednesday

Temperature has moderated. Trying to acknowledge some of my Christmas greetings to day. I am much better shall sit up for a while. Wrote to Gertrude to day.

December 30, Thursday

Much warmer to day in the thirties above. Charlotte does not feel very well. Wrote Walter to day. Sent him and Mr. Farrer New Years Cables. Wrote to Katie Ranny. Sent many New Years greetings.

December 31, Friday

This is the last day of 1920. It is wonderfully fine day water running in all the Streets. I went out for a ride this afternoon it was not at all cold. No wind. I saw poor Mr. Wm. B. Dean. He is much broken up over the death of his daughter Lilia DeForest. I have New Years greetings from Jim. and Mr. Nichols.

{on pages for: MEMORANDA}

Socks

During War Time

sent after making

3000 Prs.

Gave away before

Christmas 1919

458 Prs. (in St. Paul)

To Hospitals and Institutions

also several individuals.

Feb. 14th.

Received a telegram from Walter to day from Miami Florida. His address Biscayne Yacht Club while there goes to West Coast for tarpon fishing.

Walter J. Hill

Room 502

527 Fifth Ave.

New York

Mrs. Samuel Hill

270 Park Avenue

New York, N. Y.

Ruth Beard (A. M.)

47 E. 68th. Street



New York
James N. Hill
555 Park Ave
New York

Theodore B. Starr
Fifth Ave. and 47th. St.
New York
Mrs. Will Thorne
640 Park Ave.
New York

The first train left
St. Paul (Wm. Crooks the
Engine) and train of
Cars for St. Anthony Falls
June 22nd 1862

{On page for January - Cash}
Mrs. Freeman James
54 W. 8th. Ave.
Spokane, Wash.

Mary T. Hill Papers
Minnesota Historical Society