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1st day — 364 days follow

## PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

In most States when the holiday falls on Sunday the Monday following is observed.

Public holidays in some States are observed as such only by common consent, or when appointed by the Governor, and not by legislative enactment.

ALABAMA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, Mardi-Gras, April 13 and 26, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Fraternal Day, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
ALASKA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, March 30, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 18, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
ARIZONA—Jan. 1, Feb. 14 and 22, Arbor Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
ARKANSAS—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
CALIFORNIA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Sept. 9, Oct. 12, gen. election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
COLORADO—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Aug. 1, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
CONNECTICUT—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Fast Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
DELAWARE—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Good Friday, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 7 and 25.  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—Jan. 1, Inauguration Day, Feb. 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
FLORIDA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, Mardi-Gras, Good Friday, April 26, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Farmers' Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
GEORGIA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 12 (Ga. Day), Feb. 22, April 26, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, elec. day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
HAWAII—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30, June 11, July 4, Labor Day, Regatta Day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
IDAHO—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30, June 15, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
ILLINOIS—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
INDIANA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
IOWA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
KANSAS—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
KENTUCKY—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 12 and 22, May 10 and 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
LOUISIANA—Jan. 1 and 8, Feb. 22, Mardi-Gras in New Orleans, Good Friday, state election 3rd Tuesday in April, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
MAINE—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, April 19, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
MARYLAND—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, Mar. 25, Good Friday, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Sept. 12, Oct. 12, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
MASSACHUSETTS—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, April 19, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
MICHIGAN—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election days, Thanksgiving Day, Dec. 25.  
MINNESOTA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Good Friday, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
MISSISSIPPI—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, April 26, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.

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## New Year's Day

The New Year came in with us on our knees to the wheels of old Trinity rolling. It was a formal colorful service in a crowded church. Out again into the rain & dropped Patons & overcoats & drove home along the river, the rain turning to snow. Slept until 10:00 looked out to find the world wrapped in white. I've snow. We had breakfast in bed while Mrs. A. pretended that she was Achilles, in armor, with Hector's spear. She got into her snow suit & went to Campione to get a paper for Delos. Now she is playing in the snow. // This seems to be frozen rain on top of the snow, a thin icy layer. // Leg of lamb for New Year's dinner — & since the weather was so bad that people were cancelling engagements right & left, Delores put chains on our car & we went to Barnhart & Fairchild's. The best named gift an annual New Year party, I am famous for that. Alex under. The roads were so slippery that we gave up our projected evening

Sunday, Jan. 2, 1938

2nd day — 363 days follow

bat with stones, they came here  
for hope instead, and we  
stopped at 10 to drink white  
wine & listen to a radio concert -  
Toscanini conducting the Schubert  
& major symphony is the most  
melodious enchanting composition.  
It takes me to another world.

Sunday, January 2. Cor slept late  
since the weather prohibited  
going to Sunday school, in  
any case. Miriam, Sarah  
Jane & Isaac on sleds again.  
Cor called on Jordan this  
afternoon, & the Bostreits came  
down <sup>here</sup> for an impromptu supper.  
Then Helen's sled came in.  
Miriam starts back to school  
tomorrow & looks so well  
again, pink cheeks.

Monday, Jan. 3, 1938

3rd day — 362 days follow

New year changes began this  
morning when Helen - who  
has been with us so long &  
whom we all love so fondly -  
told us that the doctor found  
her heart in such bad shape  
that he thought she should stop  
work at once & rest until she  
is married. She wanted to give  
us notice but we don't think  
she should work in her condition  
so we are paying her up to the  
15th in place of a vacation & she  
will leave on Wednesday. We  
are so sorry for her, & take  
advantage of my few days  
& went to town today doing  
a few more shopping & have-  
led necessities & odds & ends.  
Took D - & dismantled  
the airplane one. The ground is  
still white but weather very  
mild. We got a photograph of  
Eugene & he flew today. I was  
so pleased to get it & tiddled  
with Miriam's reaction. She is so

Mary Peel - 40c.

Tuesday, Jan. 4, 1938

4th day - 361 days follow

inclined to hide his feelings -  
just like Polos. When the  
poker came, I was quite  
excited & said, "oh it's the  
picture, Eugene. You don't  
remember when Eugene - do  
you, Marian?" She said "I  
came to it!" I opened it &  
when we looked at it  
Marian, without saying a  
word, gave me a big hug  
& hid her face in my shoulder.

Tuesday, Jan. 4.

I worked on the story until  
midnight discovered all  
day - until Marian came home  
from school & I worked until  
her to Mary Peel's party. <sup>Gay winery day.</sup> He  
wore his velvet dress, & the  
new coat suit & with his pink  
check & shining braids looked dashing.  
I took a walk & had a drop of tea  
with Emma. Marian did not go home  
until 7.30. Polos & I had had  
dinner (Marian baked Polos a  
cake as a farewell gesture.)

Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1938

5th day - 360 days follow

She had had a lovely time. They  
had all told stories, she said,  
& she had told the story of Cinder  
Palos. Tacked over they say with  
Polos tonight. It is interesting the  
characters & the histories the plot.  
I wish he would write it!

Wednesday, January 5.

I was able to be beautified this  
morning (for the sake of morale)  
& Helen left at noon. Poor Helen!  
She has been so good to us all  
& we are sorry to see her go under  
such sad circumstances. Her  
frown & pitiful life looked  
as she moved away with her shabby  
bags. She has been very happy here  
but at best we could do so little  
for her. I spent the afternoon  
turning out drawers as most  
women do when the maid  
departs. Ray & Lina came over  
to get a book. I stayed for  
chess & talk.

Dancing school  
Mrs Birney's party  
Thursday, Jan. 6, 1938

6th day — 359 days follow

Epiphany

This morning surprised myself  
the story got going. Perhaps  
the empty house helped.  
"Silence is a creative  
element." I had seen in  
the sunny front window (after  
dinner had a dinner) &  
with tea 11.30. This  
afternoon Emma & I took  
the children to & from  
Dancing school & called  
at Mrs Birney's. Delaney  
had a sketchy dinner but  
did seem to mind. She  
went & is probably spring-  
like which helps when  
with the furnace. Darling  
daddy gone two years today.  
What a sad day two years  
ago with the snow falling.  
The artist's wife: "A German's  
die with it always his pp-  
sant reactions to the mad world  
spinning around him." My else!

Friday, Jan. 7, 1938

7th day — 358 days follow

Another good morning work  
but was interrupted. Called  
to Mrs Birney at school & she  
swallowed ~~her~~ to ~~Pat~~ ~~net~~  
& walked to see home  
from the street car through  
melting snow - like spring.  
I take Mrs B. a gardenia.  
They start today for the  
Cambrian exhibit. Ray &  
Emma over for dinner  
bringing us a spray of yellow  
flowering geranium from  
Alabama. Bridge.

Saturday, Jan. 8, 1938

8th day — 357 days follow

Battle of New Orleans

At 10:00 am, the angel, led  
Belos & me sleep until  
9. After breakfast I did the  
housework, Belos cleaned  
the ceiling (now it is  
shiny) and I did the  
mud & dirt under the por-  
tythid bush. After lunch  
we went and I saw Bill  
play, and 3 weeks; ended  
on 11:00 and had a new  
old garden, & came on  
line of sugar. I & Ray &  
a movie & we went to  
listen to the N. B. concert  
- a main - concert -  
Overture to Magic Flute - Mozart.  
Pastoral Symphony - Beethoven.  
(How deliciously the horn played)  
Dance on a Cake - Saint Saens -  
I hate it. It was, as Bushy -  
shifting mood of the sea.  
Belos got home in time to  
hear the concert.

Planetarium -

Sunday, Jan. 9, 1938

9th day — 356 days follow

At 10:00 am I went up before Belos  
& I walked with her through  
a grey smoggy morning to  
the bus which took us to  
Sunday School. Belos got up  
and up after her 11. I  
made a nice loaf &  
chocolate pie - fun to be  
cooking again, but I was  
tired by dinner time & enjoyed  
my glass of sherry. This  
afternoon I took you down  
to New York along the river  
to the Naval History Museum &  
saw the Roosevelt Memorial  
which with its scenes of  
African American life & the  
Planetarium. The theme here  
this month is The White Stars,  
begin with the three stars in  
his belt kneeling while he  
aims at Taurus the bull,  
while Castor & Pollux & the  
dog look on. I think I learned  
that constellation.

Bethel Ass.

Monday, Jan. 10, 1938

10th day - 355 days follow

My intrep - Belos in  
dags, the Sun - Merian  
as Elliot. She got home at  
3 in the snow which was  
just beginning. At a few  
about noon, Rachel  
Belos brought home 1. He  
for the Bethel Assn Association  
concert + as he was to  
find to go, I took Emma's  
Chamber music + a lovely  
program. Three violinists - Eric  
Minnix, Adelph Busch +  
com. Hall - Maurice  
Meredal, the cellist + two  
pianists. They played the  
Haydn Sonata in C, the  
Handel Sonata in C, + Bach  
Sonata in C with the  
Bach's Sonata in F + the  
Ravel Passacaille (in  
D minor, am.) et al. early  
music + an audience of  
musician + radio music  
lovers. Many people dandy  
but in evening clothes.

Mauer Club - Art Section

Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1938 Dr Woolley

11th day - 354 days follow

Ellie comes -  
Merian in bed with a wee  
muff. Spiced good quills  
with white + more + more  
snow sifting down. Spangup  
desk + 2 lo sets. Mrs. Murphy  
brought in baked apples for  
our lunch. After Belos got home  
three children from Colonial  
School came to interview us -  
Rachel, Lillian + Hope - all  
dainty. Belos + I quick  
lunch, me in the red  
hand coat, playing chess,  
reading + looking out at  
the snowy world. Merian  
sleeping quietly.

Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1938

12th day — 353 days follow

Ellie has cleaned today  
& tonight the house is  
shining. Miriam stays at  
home. Ellie stayed with  
her wife Emma ran me  
up to New Rochelle. Road up  
"Richard Road" — the  
day of Tchai Karsky,  
night

Miriam — for Hafford — 30 c.  
Don's Bathing & Dinner?  
Thursday, Jan. 13, 1938

13th day — 352 days follow

Dancing

This morning we find a world  
undescribably lovely. The lawns  
& roofs are buried deep in snow,  
the bushes, trees & branches are  
loaded with it. Had a fine evening  
such as we have had before  
but a heavy heavy one.  
Miriam says the bushes look  
like pine trees — they hold the  
snow so well. // She & I went  
up to New Rochelle to  
for Hafford then I dropped  
her at dancing school &  
came home to get  
dinner for Doris & Sue —  
a friend of her who is  
an army girl & whose  
parents lived to be  
stationed at Smedley &  
who passed to be a niece  
of Tom Fox — a married  
man. ~~at the time~~ a  
very pretty girl with a shining  
curl in top like ~~spurred~~ and  
a shining bob turned under. Very  
pretty, pissed — beautiful manner.

Friday, Jan. 14, 1938

14th day — 351 days follow

I didn't get out today -  
although I meant to!  
The snow was so  
beautiful & it isn't cold.  
Miriam was playing  
with Joan this afternoon.  
Gaf came out to dinner -  
I we had such a good  
one. She brought me  
Tulips - then we had  
old fashioned - very  
dinner. May (our young  
niece) came in to stay  
with Miriam who  
immediately set up in  
bed & began to read her  
the Odyssey. And we  
went to town to see "Susan  
and Gus." I had never  
seen Getrud Lawrence  
before & enjoyed her -  
also the girl I got to  
in the play.

Saturday, Jan. 15, 1938

15th day — 350 days follow

Delos's day at home. After  
enjoyed it to the full  
with a deliciously hot  
after the work was done,  
a walk to town. Miriam  
had already been out with  
her sled, coasting (she &  
Joan) on the terrace at  
dinner. In New York -  
quite quantities of snow  
this afternoon I searched -  
little issue & had in  
my "Beloved Friends" book.  
Tonight Roy & Emma came  
over. We played bridge until  
ten, then listened to the  
concert played under Towner's  
the Boston Thapic orchestra,  
and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sibelius sym-  
phony - which Emma calls  
"the most consoling music  
ever written." Then we  
toasted muffins.

~~Friday musical?~~ Lunch at  
Sunday, Jan. 16, 1938 Emma's.

16th day — 349 days follow

a quiet morning. had  
sketches - many wild outside.  
about noon, <sup>we</sup> walked out to  
Emma's for lunch. and  
my car who has seemed  
quite well again since  
last and added stamps  
& found ~~the~~ last a stamp  
of 102 - (103 is dead) ~~at~~  
night he came, put his  
to bed & recall trip stayed  
at 103 + until six when  
it stopped ~~at~~ 103 +. Delos  
has gone out a mark &  
I am writing notes, paying  
decks & trips.

Monday, Jan. 17, 1938

17th day — 348 days follow

My new paper is well today.  
But I am keeping him in  
bed. Finishing up the  
& there is no more  
confidence I would see.  
Delos + I quiet tonight.

Mexican's birthday -

Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1938

18th day - 347 days follow

Mexican well enough  
 to go to work  
 he will see faint  
 was very cold  
 she & I took the 2:57  
 and met Carlos at  
 the Maria Hall.  
 Snow white - all  
 hour of enchantment.  
 Then she took us to  
 the Auditorium for  
 supper, coffee, etc.  
 during her stay  
 along with her  
 the cold, he had  
 stickle and from  
 under his long gown  
 up his with some  
 blood + the fitted  
 gown up coat. A  
 long skirt  
 with baby.

Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1938

19th day - 346 days follow

Blow zero this morning.  
 Cream frozen in the ice  
 box and quips all bottles in  
 the icebox room had frozen  
 + burst. our little hands had  
 prepared for such weather.  
 Paul & I breakfasted  
 cozily with new grip. Roman  
 still sleeping in his slouch.  
 Finally the hotel, Carlos  
 left + Bobbie came. Sun-  
 shirt made and in the snow.  
 a wire four minutes  
 that night + I later on  
 arriving. Emma ran me  
 up to New Rochelle  
 to buy a mattress.  
 Mexican as has all  
 day, but well again.  
 Delossy + I spend a  
 quiet evening (but  
 he goes) close to the  
 radiator.

Thursday, Jan. 20, 1938

20th day — 345 days follow

The weather is made  
alright. Milk was  
poor this morning.  
House comfortable.  
Mr. & Mrs. D. school this  
morning + to dancing  
school this afternoon.  
But tonight while we  
played bridge with  
Ray & Emma she woke  
feeling sick as her  
stomach.

Ray's birthday — to drink a  
Friday, Jan. 21, 1938 <sup>stones.</sup>

21st day — 344 days follow

So I kept her out today.  
Mrs. C. called — they are so  
sorry to have her miss so  
much school, so as we  
Katie & mother here tonight.  
Edna brought them out in  
time of — 7 o'clock  
dinner. Mother stood the  
trip quite well. Katie has  
white hair but otherwise  
hasn't changed a bit.  
I had had a wild day  
trying to find a maid.  
John finally got me my  
colored maids who put  
on a pretty good dinner.  
Ray & Emma are to see  
mother tonight. She is  
sleeping in her room.  
Dixie in the little  
third floor room.

11 a.m. Kistka to Tchakovsky's  
Saturday, Jan. 22, 1938 <sup>Fourth</sup>  
22nd day - 343 days follow <sup>Sym.</sup>

~~at 11 a.m. Kistka to Tchakovsky's~~  
at 11 a.m. Kistka to Tchakovsky's  
wanted to show her  
walks. we found that  
it had been snowing heavily -  
the world beautiful.  
Dinos were as home &  
all of us visited until  
noon when snow came.  
Dinos played squash  
into the night we had  
none. The dining &  
K & S to turn on the  
7.46 to hear the T.S.C.  
mini broadcast. A  
few birds had many  
ered, formal, punctilious.  
Mr. Anderson, mechanical  
engineer in the. Max &  
Sue & Palube. I saw  
Kodak rolls. Cause for  
the first time - and  
the skates &

Sunday, Jan. 23, 1938

23rd day - 342 days follow

Mad confusion in the house  
with trays everywhere &  
Dinos as well as we, but  
fun to be together. When  
Dinos got in at noon we  
were done lunch & started  
out on a drive which made  
Katie almost hysterical with  
excitement. This morning  
the melting world, &  
the beautiful Madison Parkway  
& now along the river,  
showing her the G.S. was hope  
in all its beauty & the  
engine state. Car went way  
to the Battery, & up the  
wall street, etc. Dinos  
almost as excited as Katie &  
got out at Trinity Church.  
Went up Fifth ave. & then  
Central Park. Rented & went  
to Emma's for a very  
pleasant supper. Mother,  
worked, met us on  
Grand Central.

Monday, Jan. 24, 1938

24th day — 341 days follow

Katie and I soon  
early before we  
went into Dade &  
what a time they  
had — going up the  
Empire State Building  
& eating dinner at  
a German restaurant.  
In the end so well,  
I stayed at home  
until Dede was here,  
then went into town  
in the rain to meet  
K at Hamm's. ~~She~~  
I loaned us an  
umbrella & in rain  
& gave us some Broadway  
in its night time  
apparel & "You  
don't take it into  
you." The rain has  
washed away our  
snow.

Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1938

25th day — 340 days follow

I was racing this morning  
early had closed so that  
McCabe & Joan could  
walk to school, so it was  
quite clear when Helen  
later saw Katie & her  
train. As had all had  
cable & milk at a gas  
week past. Later mother  
& I walked outside walk  
was balmy (the temp. was  
55 above is a matter of  
feet.) The moist warm air  
was spring like. Delivery  
came in about 6.30 &  
we all had a fine  
evening. Katie's gift of  
"A Little Night Music"  
"Friends & Fiddlers" will  
make another musician  
of us, & I'm sure we're  
Katie's gift of a couple  
battered into delight.

Wednesday, Jan. 26, 1938

26th day — 339 days follow

News from Helen, that  
Fred is griping with  
the motor in the  
business at Forest Lake,  
Maine. Made a dipstick  
that, after we got to  
of school — then I  
got to work. OK today  
& cold. Put sunny with  
blue skies.

Thursday, Jan. 27, 1938

27th day — 338 days follow

or rather day off. I  
enjoyed it a  
with scotch pie.  
Shaver took me out  
to see my school.

Friday, Jan. 28, 1938

28th day — 337 days follow

To town last today,  
after making movie  
in Ed. D — I met  
de De Long at the  
Princeton Club. Ed had  
flowers for Bea + me —  
very good. We had  
cocktails then then  
dinner at the old Murray  
Hall, then saw  
Sage. He is skating at  
the garden. She is very  
pretty, like a big blade  
dove, + had she can  
skate backwards +  
run on the ice!

Saturday, Jan. 29, 1938

29th day — 336 days follow

another fall today, when  
we were starting me for  
a visit. I was holding  
her family too but she  
stumbled on last step  
of porch. For on my  
arrival + ~~came~~ sent her  
to the hospital for X-rays.  
a fracture was found.  
For Carr put her leg in  
cast + she came home  
by ambulance. Oh dear,  
dear! But there is nothing  
to do but to wait about  
it. She was a very good sport  
through it all. Well I let  
offered to ambulance men  
carry her up our inside  
+ out stairs + carrying  
her into bed. You would  
swear they were going to bump  
or drop her every moment  
but as Debor points out —  
they didn't.

Sunday, Jan. 30, 1938

30th day — 335 days follow

A day so warm & balmy  
we didn't need a hat  
and poor mother in  
bed. But she had a  
fairly good night, and  
so did I. This morning  
mother didn't show up  
& Aunt's was coming  
to dinner, I put in  
the road at last;  
~~at last~~ you came,  
& we had dinner about  
3. Mother's spirits  
seem actually to have  
improved since the accident.  
She & I & Pilot drank  
tea in her room & planned  
how she is to learn to knit.

PTA bridge...

Monday, Jan. 31, 1938

31st day — 334 days follow

A hard warm rain today.  
Mother & I had a  
laughable busy morning  
struggling with the problem  
of elimination & sleep.  
I finally by bringing in  
Eunice's help, in a rain  
which had become snow  
as commode at from the  
District Nurse's office.  
Miriam and I play with  
toan now. Mother, resting.  
all quiet.  
Miriam went into school  
yesterday morning. She is  
in the Glee Club.

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1938

32nd day — 333 days follow

I just note a Dune Ray about getting over from the school. ~~It~~ If it's published, I'll post it up here. If not, I must remember to write some account of it. Clear, cold, sunny weather this morning. Mother quit & I have nearly done some work — though had a stay.

Box today in the afternoon + Bats + stems tonight — Bats bringing us a salad fork & spoon + a bottle of champagne + rostrum a beautiful Swedish doll.

Wednesday, Feb. 2, 1938

33rd day — 332 days follow

A very bad day for a while mother & she & I both had no sleep as a result from 2 to last night. But for morning got here about 5 and gave her sedatives. DeLozzy went out & a rail tonight so I could sleep. Mother had a lead on the flaps today and she wants to be photographed with it, to ~~write~~ as a souvenir. Euphras was with his flock. I managed a shot with today & found it beautiful at night — breezy, sunny — no snow anywhere to be seen, of course.

Thursday, Feb. 3, 1938

34th day — 331 days follow

So seemed heavenly to sleep last night & this morning woke up as both were little unwell. Emma has been over a bad table which she is enjoying. A mild warm sunless morning — rain began about time ago.

Mother not in today. Mrs. A. taxied to & from her backless lesson. I wish I could look into the future to see whether they or ever give to do her any good. Mother had a bad after noon.

Friday, Feb. 4, 1938

35th day — 330 days follow

Today slightly better, a bright after-noon, but in the afternoon I drove to town to see the "Amphytrion 32." Mother stayed with mother & Emma was on call. We drove into town along the river which was sunlit with light — what a marvellously beautiful city New York is by night. Broadway's night color is now red, better than white.

Saturday, Feb. 5, 1938

36th day — 329 days follow

Mother had a grand  
morning + Maria & I  
went out market, &  
drinking in sunshines.  
The rest of the day,  
mother's, not so good.  
Maria used to  
party at Harry's & Harry's  
beautiful home & came  
home radiance with a  
silver fish & a tiny  
fish bowl for yawon.  
Also & Ray played chess  
& tonight DeLesse, took a  
hike while mother & I  
rest in his room. I am  
reading "The Citadel."

Sunday, Feb. 6, 1938

37th day — 328 days follow

Hard to record the ups &  
downs of these sad days.  
Miles is an angel, trying  
so hard to help mother. She  
was awake from 2:30 on  
last night & is not well  
this morning, but composed &  
quiet. // P, m & I took a little  
walk after mother came.  
Commented on how dramatic  
New York was today.  
Mother, mild, overcast, damp,  
snowless. Listened to the sym-  
phony this afternoon. Heard  
some of the which we loved,  
especially the second movement.  
Also & Ray read to me  
more tonight & finished  
"The Citadel" — a good solid  
book.

Monday, Feb. 7, 1938

38th day — 327 days follow

A wet morning, with the sun  
breaking through clumps of  
cloud which are violet tinted,  
a pinkish grey. Very warm.  
Blossy and work early.  
Mother had a broken night  
but better than the night  
before. And this afternoon  
was splendid. I had a walk  
as my workday and  
another night with Belos.  
Arrive learning the  
Arkansas Traveler in  
the club.

I am reading Hamilton's  
translation of three Greek  
plays. This from The Trojan  
Warze (Euripides) <sup>read protest</sup> <sup>against war.</sup>  
"O god, did I call Oym. You did not help.  
But there is something that arises <sup>from</sup> God  
when trouble comes."

And this

"Could no one happy, however fortunate,  
until he dies ---"

And this

"The fear that comes, when reason <sup>goes</sup> away."

Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1938

39th day — 326 days follow

Another sunny warm  
beautiful day. all days  
and around here. Doing a  
little work this morning.  
Walked out after lunch, and  
got on well. Then Mrs.  
Barnes came to me, bringing  
mother by <sup>the</sup> <sup>hills</sup>.  
Mother so much like herself.  
All of us quiet tonight. Oh  
think, had — of all things —  
a headache + turning side  
+ all no supper —

Sauers here

Wednesday, Feb. 9, 1938

40th day — 325 days follow

Qued is staying here today,  
mother not quite so well.  
Sauers here for bridge to-  
night — it made me feel  
more like myself to have  
company in + be gay.

Thursday, Feb. 10, 1938

41st day — 324 days follow

A beautiful day —  
warm — soft. I walked up  
to room in front of the  
muse — didn't go farther,  
as mother was not, mother  
much much better, Pauline  
Galambus & her mother in  
night, this afternoon,  
somebody came up to  
me. Some little girl  
in the room today and  
Delany had a bad back.

Roy to dinner.

Friday, Feb. 11, 1938

42nd day — 323 days follow

A raw cold day, so I  
cut short my walk.  
Mother sits up every  
day now, but today  
could not have the  
windows open. Roy to  
dinner — mother cooked a  
pretty good one — and he  
& Melosky played chess  
through while I go early  
to bed.

Saturday, Feb. 12, 1938

43rd day — 322 days follow

*Lincoln's Birthday*

Melos & I up town make-up  
& to need Rachele help  
mother a bed jacked &  
calculating for morning.  
Melosky stayed up to hear  
the Toscanini broadcast, but  
I too sleepy. Mother improving.

Sunday, Feb. 13, 1938

44th day — 321 days follow

On an inspiration I got and Zephyria & Orlor and I for me. We called for Merian at Dundas School in the rain & discovered a sweet house for sale. After dinner, went through it although most dilapidated, it seemed to be made for us. Emma home her book done & was in this afternoon. We heard Tchaikovsky's fourth symphony. She likes first movement best; I liked the second with its sombre melodic matter. Had a good day.

Now — cock tails — 6 to 8.

Monday, Feb. 14, 1938

45th day — 320 days follow

St. Valentine's Day

and Merian in a great potter taking valentines at school, wrapping them here, mailing them, sending them & getting them by mail. Emma in the street mother knitting. I & I took in the 5.57. I almost phoned Merian from the station to be sure to look out the window at the sky for it was rose pink all over & very beautiful. Nannie's party for the author of "The Way to His Heart" (permanence) but we are sure author is Dorothea Brandt. Was a nice party for play "The Star Wagon", pleasant for its picture of 1902. Burger McCarty & Lillian give the leading player. We came home from the station found the sky beautiful again. Startlingly white abundant clouds & a full moon. Took Zephyria to Nannie.

Tuesday, Feb. 15, 1938

46th day — 319 days follow

Marian home with a cold.

Drummond — de Ritz —  
Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1938

47th day — 318 days follow

Not Delossy at the Ritz —  
an author's league for  
for Thomas Wolfe when it  
was fun to see. Sharp,  
father of, a smooth boy in  
gown. Brought stones home  
to dinner which mother  
washed up in fine style.

Thursday, Feb. 17, 1938

48th day — 317 days follow

Reading R.F.D. &  
have been (made  
out) made improving —  
more improving.  
R.F.D. reminds me so  
much of what's my  
years at Hampton  
Days, Lakeside &  
Swinburn.

Friday, Feb. 18, 1938

49th day — 316 days follow

Beautifully warm today.  
I worked all day  
morning on my garden &  
R.F.D. (I like it) and  
after noon came did  
my workday + took a  
walk — through the old  
park, so close to  
Merian's belly hood. It was  
pleasant, very warm. No  
sign of spring except the  
warm air + mild ground.  
But Helen Bathurst  
explained that he neighbor  
said that everything was  
up in the garden. Merian  
was back school  
today. There are yet  
hills tonight + rain  
like yesterday + is going  
to be a good place.

Saturday, Feb. 19, 1938

50th day — 315 days follow

Up until 1 talking with  
Stresser & awake again  
at 6.30 to give Maria  
a capsule & Stella her  
breakfast. Had Maria &  
breakfast downstairs, looking  
out at the soft grey rain  
& watching a chickadee  
on one of the feeding tables.  
He held a insect delicately  
in his claw.

Dinos & I took a long ride  
in the rain. (Maria was  
at Joan's for lunch & all  
day.) Babette's gardening  
we had a jolly party -  
cocktails in Stella's room.

Sunday, Feb. 20, 1938

51st day — 314 days follow

2 grand night's sleep &  
wake around 9:30  
get breakfast, wild bird  
up the pine - outside our  
window & the <sup>tree</sup> trunk of the  
oak bird on perch & the  
top of the tree over the  
and Stolter's house.

A little rain turned to snow.  
Dinos at noon & then  
Dinos took a walk while  
Mater, Maria & I finished  
Dinos in April & listened to  
the Philharmonic concert.

I felt a little coldish tonight  
& Dinos made me a hot toddy.  
Chickadees around.

Marian to Mr. Dafford - 3.30.

Monday, Feb. 21, 1938

52nd day - 313 days follow

Sunny today, after the  
rainy weekend. Sunny  
but cool. Put mother's  
valise - now ~~in~~  
right at my hand - into  
the window. Marian to  
school, although a bit  
sniffly, one to work on my  
review.

D - r - i in to shoes  
tight.

News from Europe is sideling.

Bobby's Birthday.

Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1938

53rd day - 312 days follow

Washington's Birthday

Marian to Bobby's  
party at 2.30 today.  
I washed up with her -  
looking for signs of  
spring - and looked in  
on the party. A few  
tissue paper presents,  
a excited child, in  
the dining room rd, white  
& blue decorations. Marian  
with her hair curled &  
in braids wearing her little  
blue velvet hat, looked  
dinner & sweet. But  
can't have ice cream  
for our supper.

Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1938

54th day — 311 days follow

By breakfast table conversation  
with Mervin:—

"The boys have a new  
game they played at  
Bobby's party. Even some  
of the girls play it. It's  
so silly they go around  
& say 'who do you  
love?'"

"well, what did you  
answer?" we asked,  
trying to hide our  
amusement for that  
"the first time  
say he read to head,  
in Mervin's group."

"I said, I like lots of  
people here. But I don't  
love anybody,"  
said Mervin.

~~mother~~ narcissi have  
blossom Thursday, Feb. 24, 1938

55th day — 310 days follow

Det. John D. See notes, bringing  
a plant. Helen Best  
bringing copies of the  
English with syllable.  
Quite a social afternoon  
working on review of B.F.D.  
Helen B. gave Mervin a  
dancing school + report  
to following conversation:—

~~she was driving to Ford  
roadster which she preferred  
to the big Packard +  
wanted to Mervin by  
way of making some  
salute "I'm enjoying you  
and I'm in such a  
small car as this," she  
says Mervin was quiet  
a moment as tho' trying to  
decide what was a proper  
answer + then he said,  
"oh you don't need a  
automobile for the car size  
than riding in small cars."~~

Friday, Feb. 25, 1938

56th day — 309 days follow

Bilosity took my views of RFD on  
to town this morning, & to  
Dr. Morrison + an found  
with a few fowls.  
Miriam the party at Ann  
Goss's + home with  
Lorraine brought - her  
fruit, Roy + Lorraine in of  
of life.

Saturday, Feb. 26, 1938

57th day — 308 days follow

Bilos not taking + burning.  
chickadees chickadee - see stamp  
around Miriam's bird-feeding-  
station, & about no marking  
with Miriam this morning -  
Bilosity stayed with mother.  
and this afternoon we went  
for a ride. Dr. Carr came to  
see mother & she walked  
with a cane a little.  
Tonight D - & D a grand  
party at home + Roy's -

Sunday, Feb. 27, 1938

58th day — 307 days follow

Snow & rain in the morning but it cleared by noon. D + I called for Maria at Sunday school & brought her home too. Mother came downstairs &

Time! This afternoon D & Maria have gone to a boat together — to see

Some things in happy Landings. Mother back upstairs now & I'm listening to the concert.

Dr Adde — 3.30

Monday, Feb. 28, 1938

59th day — 306 days follow

Saw Dr Adde at 3.30 today and he told me that I must go to the hospital for the day for a — something? can't recall. Had a real operation. I was somewhat overwhelmed at the thought of being in there. But Dr Adde & I talked it over tonight & decided that I would go in Thursday. I saw my sleep — a very nice one and called in Ray & Eva. What a good friend Emma is. What would I do without her?

Mans Club - Gale.

Tuesday, March 1, 1938

60th day - 305 days follow

I wrote a letter to Kate + Alice today + did a hundred other things which had to be done, cancelled out to market but was ready for Gale by 5. Mother came soon - was afraid looking so worried in her hospital gown. Gale brought her the most glorious flowers - purple sweet peas + yellow ones are had - daily.

Miriam is at school play - brought lunch for her. There are three of them + she already turned them back + but she cherishes the people, during the hospital + having lunch. She was playing with Cindy today.

Wednesday, March 2, 1938

61st day - 304 days follow

Ash Wednesday

I wrote a long letter to my Melosy today, just in case something should go wrong. Put it away for him in our strong box. He has made me so, so happy. He is so unexpressibly sweet. He + Miriam + I have such happy times. This morning we had had a good but for healthy, + Miriam wanted to drink a little of Lave-sant. + was so sweet. When Shaker was in today + brought me some beautiful pictures. And Emma came in last night + she + now and mother came soon after to dinner. She is being such a good soldier about my going away. My Emma is for a burst of hope.

Thursday, March 3, 1938

62nd day — 303 days follow

Sitting up in my hospital bed reading "A Little Hero Music." Have been shaved & examined & my history taken and I just talked to Delos & Merian in the phone, & that my love to Stella. Emma came over to get me off — such a star friend. I was tired from a long day of getting things ready to leave & she brought me my supper on a tray & brought me a chicken pie & milk for Delos & Merian & Merian. I feel happy. Even though I think there is a chance that the doctor may find something wrong. I have had a good life, a happy one, & I've nothing to be ashamed of. It's a good way to feel, to see your life whole, and like what you see. Merian's speech at camp on the platform is awfully.

Tristan? no, hospital as!  
Friday, March 4, 1938

63rd day — 302 days follow

on ~~the~~ ~~bed~~ ~~as~~ ~~un~~ ~~well~~ ~~!~~  
after an unconscious  
amount of butting, chewing  
something & taking exercise  
I was given a hot  
bath & went promptly  
to sleep & when I woke up —  
feeling no bad after  
great sleep & general  
efficiency — I had been  
~~not~~ ~~operated~~ ~~upon~~ &  
returned to my room. I was  
sharply moved to another  
room & remain there about  
nothing of the day. Delos &  
Merian called on me  
& Delos sent me some  
beautiful yellow &  
lavender glass & later  
Delos told me that he had  
visited Merian's school &  
remembered a painful headache  
& missing some chicken  
broth with my eyes closed.

Saturday, March 5, 1938

64th day — 301 days follow

The day's sleep feeling  
continued today. See  
the morning had  
planned to do in the  
hospital cause  
nothing ~~except~~ until  
tonight when I did  
manage to finish a  
little night music.  
I love the last essay.  
Ray + Emma that  
me sweetest ~~with~~  
friends — so sweet,  
my darling Blossy her  
milk & red to me for  
to tell flat. The big  
event of the day was the  
I ate again. One  
thing I remember about  
a hospital is how slowly  
time passes — when when  
we is not suffering at  
all & is all content. I  
think how how has  
passed & look to see that  
it is only the minutes.

~~party?~~

Sunday, March 6, 1938

65th day — 300 days follow

First Sunday in Lent

And that I am at home  
again. The day was not  
normal — I was not  
sleepy. And the rain  
& snow we have been  
having changed to  
sunshine. I got up,  
checked with the nurse  
& doctor & at a very  
short. Delos took  
me to a bath house  
to see snow white again  
again for him & me. At  
5:45 he came to  
take me home. Emma  
was her mother  
was in her bed.  
Mrs. looking around  
nurse who cause  
sometimes bump  
& Martha. All of us  
happy. I spent the  
evening planning  
— floor — home.  
The bathed has gone to the  
hospital

Monday, March 7, 1938

66th day - 299 days follow

Delos got Margaret for  
himself - Marian  
+ was off to the office  
early + mother came  
in at 7.30 + care  
for Stella + me.  
All the curtains  
came down ~~the~~ <sup>was</sup>  
sunshine + purrripin.  
The day seems very  
springy + sweet-  
spring + sweet +  
dappled + 4 inches  
calling + flavoring.  
Marian + me will again.  
Mother ship so well. came  
downstairs the afternoon late  
(Came in for thing) + spent  
a cozy evening down there with  
Delos + me. She is studying  
unity very hard + seems to have  
+ good.  
Marian called me this after-  
noon when she came in from  
school. She said the boys at  
school had been playing "that

Tuesday, March 8, 1938

67th day - 298 days follow

really love business." Baby  
operator (said she) is  
nearly talking about marriage.  
when I married, she did too,  
+ said wasn't it nice. She  
thinks the game exactly like  
a game of marbles.  
Had the Casser - Frank Sym-  
phony - the two beautiful things  
so familiar to me now.  
Tuesday, March 8,  
Feel so much better today but  
trying to keep my cough.  
Weather still sunny. Ground  
bare of snow + cover. when  
I got out, I may find the  
spring here. Mrs. Buckley in.  
Richard + Babson in to  
spend the afternoon with Stella,  
Marian + me - and the  
Sterns tonight. Marian all absorbed  
in her school play she says a pro-  
fessional is teaching them (they had  
stage rehearsal) Marian objects because  
the pro had Katharine, as spring  
came on in small steps Marian

think the  
should ~~be~~ ~~against~~ ~~—~~ ~~best~~?  
come  
running!

Wednesday, March 9, 1938

68th day — 297 days follow

what a storm before Mr. Au-  
pically got off this morning —  
in that. I am at fault in  
not organizing matters better  
& she is so faithful to — poor  
muddy — in being so slow.  
Belos gets her up at 6 but  
she can dawdle & dream for  
an hour over her breakfast.  
Dunkin is pouring in on  
visions & I imagine that I  
will find the atmosphere  
quite springlike — when I  
get out again. Cold, strong,  
but springlike.

An avalanche of cables  
this afternoon, we had them &  
quite a party. Pip Harkness,  
& Mrs. Cundy, Betty, Floyd,  
Wimping, and Mrs. Paula  
Graham, I think Emma &  
Helen. What a pleasant nice  
to find I have so many  
friends in this part of the  
World.

Thursday, March 10, 1938

69th day — 296 days follow

Details advised by Emily.

1. There is no evil.
2. There is no absence of life,  
substance or intelligence  
anywhere.
3. Pain, sickness, poverty, old  
age, <sup>or all</sup> cannot matter for they  
are not real.
4. There is nothing in all the  
universe for me to fear, for  
greater is He that is within  
me than he that is in the  
world.

Quoted in "Flourishing of New  
England" from father of Prescott,  
the historian: "If you wish to  
be happy, always have two  
years' work laid out before you:  
March not in today, & I  
up & dressed. Got along well, too.  
~~It was~~ It was cold again  
& windy. Emma dropped in  
with me & with her. She came &  
put coal on the fire. Blows out  
the main light.

Ballet even -

Friday, March 11, 1938

70th day - 295 days follow

2nd, 2300,  
1st, 1200,  
3rd, 1200.

Sunny again today. Miriam,  
at dinner the other night,  
remarked thoughtfully -  
"Do you know, the boys in  
our class are beginning to  
look like the big boys, and  
the girls in our class are  
beginning to look like the  
big girls." Very true! Believe  
me, I got all our break-  
fast today & I have  
abed until 1:30 lunch.  
He took Miriam in my place  
to the Ballet House tonight.

Saturday, March 12, 1938

71st day - 294 days follow

Our car came this ~~afternoon~~<sup>afternoon</sup>,  
took the cast of mother's  
leg. Had it the big news of  
the day. He fixed the leg  
in very satisfactory con-  
dition. All at 10 man's  
every day. <sup>mountain</sup>  
mother got the curtains up -  
closed & had a nice -

Sunday, March 13, 1938

72nd day — 293 days follow

*Second Sunday in Lent*

Went to Sunday school.  
Gale phoned & called to  
come out this afternoon,  
which she did, & the  
stoves stopped in &  
we all took a walk.  
Mother walking quite  
well with a cane.

Monday, March 14, 1938

73rd day — 292 days follow

and today mother got  
the upstairs curtains up.  
Cot as almost done —  
dressed, I am massaging  
mother's leg each day,  
and making incisions  
to Gale's exhibition.  
Emma & I are sewing  
at 75 between us.

Commercial: Income tax.  
Tuesday, March 15, 1938 Duncan.

74th day — 291 days follow

Mr. Duncan & he mother  
in D. today. Mrs  
Franklin was in too, so  
was busy.

Wednesday, March 16, 1938

75th day — 290 days follow

I went up to Mr. Morrison  
today. ~~Some~~ some me in —  
cold wild rain which  
started at the car. After  
I had seen him, she & I  
stopped a bit & had  
apples & went to the  
other side. I kept Miriam  
out of school this afternoon,  
because of the bad weather &  
her incipient cold. Her play  
comes tomorrow. Some special  
teacher & coaching if her  
Miriam has her own idea —  
about how the mother should  
talk, etc. She is so happy  
& excited about it & so  
cute. She wants mother to  
come & when mother said  
she would have to come down  
to visit bumpity bumps  
Miriam would be ashamed  
of her. Miriam said, "Oh I  
could pretend I didn't know  
you!"

Marian's play  
and Emma

Thursday, March 17, 1938

76th day — 289 days follow

St. Patrick's Day  
Feast of Esther

This was a good day - Marian's class gave a play in the auditorium. Cor had been so worried for fear she couldn't go, I kept her out of school this morning, but by noon she was almost well & she & I rode up with the Jordan - Bobby & Marian both well & happy, the play "The Camp of Spring" was a triumph - Marian's voice rang out like a bell & she made a sweet track. Bob called up from town to see how play went. Bob Jordan & Emma were in for a bit.

Friday, March 18, 1938

77th day — 288 days follow

my first expedition to town. I took the 4.11 in & called on Helen BARNES at the hospital. Took her a lovely bouquet of tulips, mimosa & hydrangeas. The florists shops are all gone in honor of the flower show. Helen looked so pretty in a blue taffeta negligee - thin, but it's becoming. Bob & Doni were there at 6.30. I talked to the Caldwell & met Delia, Ray & Emma. Cor had a nice dinner & a bottle of wine Chay Lucia. "Bon soir" say Lucia as her guests come in to the little green painted, low eiled bathroom. room. Delia & I saw "Steve's Ball House" Ruth Gordon playing Nora & she did a splendid job.

Saturday, March 19, 1938

78th day — 287 days follow

One first real spring day.  
Rales out raking + burning.  
Marian + Joan played in  
the hillside + started out  
that the hills were up (of  
course they have been for  
days.) I set out in the  
Sunshine. Mante was  
driven to the Dr. Boss + got  
a good line of her coat.  
The Herald Brown in DFE  
in tonight. European  
situation has quieted down  
a bit.

Sunday, March 20, 1938

79th day — 286 days follow

Third Sunday in Lent

For the first time this year,  
wakened by a <sup>single</sup> clatter of  
birds. Robins mostly. I was  
sleeping on the third floor with  
Rales. And when I came  
down into Marian's room,  
found he was wrapped in a blanket  
on the big bed looking out at  
our hillside where two  
robins were flying wildly about.  
One <sup>was</sup> on a branch, so got a  
night. We were all lazy all  
morning. Sky became overcast.  
But brightened again + this  
afternoon Stella + ~~all~~ took  
a long ride out into  
Connecticut. Marian + I  
got out of the car in  
some woods, with a thermos  
+ soda crackers, for a picnic.  
Little green plants under  
neath the house started.

Gale's exhibition starts.

Monday, March 21, 1938

80th day — 285 days follow

Temperature 74 today. It was like summer. I worked out in the morning & have my hair washed & curled. Cause I have to find the shaver so affected by the spring that they were taking off to Cincinnati — entirely unexpectedly. Mother, Merian & I lunched in the park. Emma invited & since I was at the opening of Gale's exhibition, we enjoyed the ride & brought me a hat & Kerdy & were with my suit. ~~They~~ we saw Gale's picture for the first time & were much impressed with them. I especially liked the portraits. She was wearing an orchid & looked lovely. Ray & Bobo joined us & we all were home together.

Tuesday, March 22, 1938

81st day — 284 days follow

this morning, in addition to the up & down dabble of the robin, a new bird was cooing softly & rhythmically on a simple note. How I love these mornings! a happy breakfast with a robin on the branch outside & squirrel moving pole-jumping on the feeding station. Merian & I raked the leaves off our garden beds yesterday. I should have done it long ago and the daffs are fairly sleeping up in grass spaces. I joined Merian & Anne for after school in Emma's garden. They came with their meat & Kerdy about their waists. Anne had a pumpkin rope. The course purple, yellow & white are out in great splashes. We saw some snow drops too. Back to our house when Mrs. Goss called for me. Mother & I sitting out doors or on all day.

m Leonard and

Wednesday, March 23, 1938

82nd day — 283 days follow

Another warm lovely  
morning. Emma says she  
can never remember  
spring from year to year.  
Mick came in and  
was happy & had my  
laurel & lily. M. V. and  
Blanche were gone to  
Blanche's garden, but  
M. V. and Mick to play out  
on the hill.

Thursday, March 24, 1938

83rd day — 282 days follow

Every day that week m. v. & I  
+ a hawk sat out in the  
sunshine in the morning —  
with M. V. and Blanche —  
there. M. V. and Blanche  
comes home wearing a green  
twig. The hawk is getting  
greener. Robin at every-  
where. At breakfast today  
we spoke of blue birds.  
M. V. and Blanche said they  
remembered the first  
bluebird. He had seen it  
in Bermuda. Went off  
the lawn today — as  
marched out. Emma + Ray  
back from Boston tonight.

i u p p i t e r

Friday, March 25, 1938

84th day — 281 days follow

Sunshine again — although  
it's slightly colder as  
usually in + 0 —  
we did see squirrels  
raid the bird feeding  
station, on other + )  
see no snow, the morning.  
This afternoon I went to  
down to see Nelsony at  
Chay Linn + later we  
saw "our Tom" which  
did not really track me  
though they did get —  
wonderful sport with a  
bare rope.

Saturday, March 26, 1938

85th day — 280 days follow

Rainy today. We took  
mother and dog the first  
time to a walk. Saw  
Robt Taylor in "A yard  
as Oxford." Nelsony was  
another one tonight.

Sunday, March 27, 1938

86th day — 279 days follow

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Color had something of  
lots of crows everywhere.  
Ruffed in bed  
Hickories where we went  
to call the afternoon —  
mother wore her new pink  
one & seemed so fine — just  
like herself. Arrived at  
Sunday School.  
Punk shows in the big bed in  
shades' maples there.  
Big white everywhere.

Monday, March 28, 1938

87th day — 278 days follow

Inquiry to decide whether  
mother shall & shall  
not to go. Hear Mary  
Pickford tomorrow. She did  
get her hair washed, and  
dressed, & washed home.  
I marked & sent flowers  
to George & Mary (an old  
maid — Mary) who lost  
their baby. Delosy so  
tired — he went to bed  
right from dinner.

Maun Club

Tuesday, March 29, 1938

88th day — 277 days follow

Cor decided finally that  
mother should not risk  
Group B virus. So I  
went alone & stuck  
myself. Picked up by the  
nurse, her personality  
is very winning — kind  
& sweet. And across  
the room she is very young  
& pretty. But close  
up looks too much  
massaged. I even suspect  
she has had her face  
lifted. Shopped & came  
home with Delosy.  
Shoes home from  
Cincinnati & Dr. Van  
Jran reunited, 10/13 B.  
Home from the hospital.

Wednesday, March 30, 1938

89th day — 276 days follow

Raining hard. Cold, too.  
And the storm last  
night threw down &  
will be leaving Peabody  
for Connecticut shortly.  
I was right when I said  
in journaling my journal  
that the two of us were  
2 clumps! Emma was blue,  
& sick, & so was I, so  
let me be called cheerful.  
She stayed here for lunch  
with mother & me, gave  
Marian D. a few from  
school & all of us new  
Rockwell. on 3/25, it is so  
well, just back again.  
But Delosy has a cold & is  
a little blue. What will  
mine, it's old house coat  
& a warm house at  
achieved a cheerful - cheerful -  
winning.

Marian's dancing class 7.45

Thursday, March 31, 1938

90th day — 275 days follow

Raining so that we  
had dancing. Marian  
danced off to school in  
a nice dress. The boys  
had a fight at school  
yesterday, while Miss C.  
was out of the room.  
One held the door while  
two were fought & the  
little girl squealed.  
Shoes for synthetic yellow  
to their magnolia tree  
has big pink buds.  
Marian baked an apple  
pie for dinner.

Chuck with Marian

Friday, April 1, 1938

91st day — 274 days follow

I met Marian in Eureka  
after the school  
(Lantern & Squid) &  
we went to a supper  
given at the church.  
She gave Chuck, Helen,  
mother & I and a note  
tonight.

Marian make-up lesson 10.45.

Saturday, April 2, 1938

92nd day — 273 days follow

Marian had a make-up  
lesson at dancing  
school. Oscar & I were  
As up, Roney & cold.  
Ray & Emma in to  
play in the night.  
We saw plans for  
the new house & Emma  
erected the garden.

Sunday, April 3, 1938

93rd day — 272 days follow

*Passion Sunday*

Delosny brought my break-  
fast to bed. See you  
and I miss Marian from  
Sunday school. weather  
has cleared. There are  
rainy leaves from the  
everywhere are golden,  
squirrels & acorns out,  
marmosets almost naked.  
Delosny feeling better with  
shivers, so we very quiet  
& taking naps. we are  
going to raise expenses by  
drawing Pellam.

PTA - School Visiting Day.

Monday, April 4, 1938

94th day - 271 days follow

~~Back to work.~~ Back to work.  
Mother & I, with Mrs  
Jordan, went to Colonial  
School Visiting Day &  
PTA tea. Had a lovely  
time. Mother, in the spirit  
stress we gave her for  
Christmas, looked so pretty.  
She was taken for the  
mother of a second grade.  
De la's wife came today  
& almost glared me but  
I smiled & she & I feel  
youthful & happy -  
as though the cloud which  
has hung over her was  
now lifted.

We heard the room for the  
way the boys in 2nd grade  
~~pick~~ pick on little David  
milk. He talks again  
God - they say!

mauve club - Betty

Tuesday, April 5, 1938

95th day - 270 days follow

Sunny. Happy.  
Betty & I played & I went  
to the mauve club &  
heard a program of  
French music.  
Modern music "an  
arrangement of disco nances"  
stimulating, not relaxing.  
But very beautiful, at  
times.

Belle, the pianist, Cesar  
Franck, Ravel, Debussy &  
Ravel followed.  
Debussy's "Clair de lune" was  
played by a young pianist,  
then a minute of Ravel,  
then full Ravel, violinist,  
played Cesar Franck's Sonata,  
it was superb, I thought.  
Then 2 violins, a double bass  
& a viola played the Ravel  
concerto in F major.  
4 desks in laughing & the  
rain of p'adies.

Wednesday, April 6, 1938

96th day — 269 days follow

working, or trying to,  
every morning. Mails,  
not quite so well.  
Today it is snowing.  
Snow on the golden  
forsythia's, snow on  
the almost blossomed  
magnolia tree, snow  
on our huddled daffodils,  
snow and more snow.  
Emma & I to New  
Rockville + home for  
tea. By that time the  
prices were weighted  
down. The landscape  
wintry. She stayed a  
dinner at Ray in Baley  
but he got home in  
time to come over for  
chess.

Thursday, April 7, 1938

97th day — 268 days follow

great folds of snow on  
our hill & on my tops.  
And more snow falling  
& got me to leave my  
hair down, to go out  
of school with my  
thing.

Mrs Willie's Tea — Manor Club.

Friday, April 8, 1938

98th day — 267 days follow

Mr. an dressed today.  
It is raining &  
raining. Most of the  
D D Mrs Willie's than  
as Manor Club &  
had reading from  
Evan & Vincent  
Milly. "Renascence"  
other poem which  
made us cry, mostly  
a little under weather  
too, in a quiet evening,  
wired the Hawks who  
at opening the  
theater and first table  
today.

Saturday, April 9, 1938

99th day — 266 days follow

Raining had the morning  
when D — & I took  
Mrs Willie D her make-up  
lesson at dancing  
school & did our make-up  
out ~~weather~~ weather  
cleared during afternoon.  
Called at Stone's —  
arranged there — had time  
only as Delor had work.

children's service at 9 a.m.

Sunday, April 10, 1938

100th day - 265 days follow

The circus.

Palm Sunday

Marian + I took the bus to church for Marian's Palm Sunday service. I took communion for the first time in twenty years - that is children had me back into sanctuary on a service done at home. at 12.15 with Shaver, Joan, Carlos, on other. Marian + I started for home + the circus. It was grand, as always - the children are like, I must get along though it all without cause of medicine. we all slipped into bed right after dinner.

Donneugard's at 5 -

Monday, April 11, 1938

101st day - 264 days follow

working on a book review (Burton's novel) to town at 2:11 + had lunch to they bought - new white silk blouse which I wore to ~~Donneugard's~~ Donneugard's the cocktail party. Cecelia still raw.

manor club - or 14?

Tuesday, April 12, 1938

102nd day - 263 days follow

Staggering & took  
reviewing. Weather still  
cold but ~~morning~~  
picked - ~~double~~  
Asytha (golden) &  
napoleia (pink) look  
so colorful & bright in  
the chilly air & soon.  
Daffodils & hyacinths  
are blooming too.

~~Shober.~~

Wednesday, April 13, 1938

103rd day - 262 days follow

And today is lovely, but -  
alas! - having finished  
my review have gone  
to bed with a cold.  
Am making & adding my  
flowering of New England.  
Ernest came over &  
& mine, as Ray is in Boston.

Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] [unclear]  
Thursday, April 14, 1938

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104th day - 261 days follow

Lincoln's Assassination  
Maundy Thursday

Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] + I went up  
to the church + put  
white flowers in the  
altar. Then I dropped her  
at Saucier school.  
Mrs. [unclear] + I went to  
Linnas with [unclear] +  
cousins for a drink party.

Friday, April 15, 1938

105th day - 260 days follow

Good Friday

Day very warm today.  
Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] went up south  
with me to do the  
marketing - then we went  
to New Rochelle looking  
for an Easter hat for her,  
but couldn't find it.  
Myrtle + I went out in the  
yard + worked up + down,  
children playing with  
insect sweats.  
Pat + I to town tonight, +  
saw the garment workers  
Union "Pins + needles."  
Great + delightful. The  
songs "Give me a ray of  
social significance" + Sunday  
in the Park were very good  
+ the skit about "Good  
Little Angels."  
Vampires - 81.

Saturday, April 16, 1938

106th day — 259 days follow

Passover

Looks than yesterday, and  
the world during. Fragrant  
golden waxy whorl - great  
clumps of gold! magnolia  
tree in full beautiful  
pink bloom. Bird tree in  
bloom - plum & Japanese  
cherry & another - I think  
it is almond. Garden yellow  
with saffordils - hyacinths  
blowing to the west  
Mexican & saucier school -  
Wright to a new blue  
sauce hat. and this  
afternoon while Helen  
played tennis, she & I kept  
over an & Susan & Sarah  
color eggs. mother got a  
kitchen full hyacinths  
plant for Easter, and one of  
has made a nest for the  
bunny in her duck cage!

Dad is for dinner.

Sunday, April 17, 1938

107th day — 258 days follow

Easter Sunday

Today fair & lovely when  
Mexican woke us at 6. all  
tramped down stairs to see  
what the bunny had brought.  
And Mexican had chocolate  
eggs & bunny surprises on the  
table for all of us. Helen & I  
went with Mexican to the  
special service for children as  
he church at 9. Very sweet.  
Mexican so sweet in his group  
many coats, many shoes & coats  
with flowers in the front &  
white gloves. "Golden harp  
as sounding" --- she sang it  
all the way to Long Island.  
Little flower coming out at 4  
noon, first ones in bloom, the  
world beautiful along the  
walkway. Stopped at  
noon & had an old time picnic  
with the Mr. Catboys & family  
for April. Elmo gave me  
some real Sioux moccasins.

Monday, April 18, 1938

108th day — 257 days follow

Joanie played her ace  
say — stayed for lunch.  
I wanted to keep her  
for lunch but our  
latter was pretty empty.  
I called out to Joan,  
"Do you like oatmeal?"  
"No!" (emphatically)  
"Oh, dear, said I, "I had  
wanted to keep you for  
lunch but to be an  
honest baroness." A whis-  
pered conversation between  
Miriam & Joanie, then  
"well, I don't like it, but  
can eat it." You never  
saw such a play on  
as they left, full of jelly  
beans & plums & such.  
Helen S. drove mother & me  
to New Rodalle to dentist.  
I stayed at the shop & came  
home in a torrent of rain.  
Emma at willis, trans-  
planting the dogwood which  
Er & Roy took up yesterday.

Tuesday, April 19, 1938

109th day — 256 days follow

Rain gave a cold golden  
again. Mother, Helen S. &  
to Mt. Vernon & found me  
a brown sheep print  
ensemble. Had coffee  
there. Miriam & Fran  
out to a church supper &  
entertainment. Some of  
a woman's robes & mittens  
were left in bed. Did she feel  
proud!  
Miriam & I go out on the  
park these mornings to see  
Belosky's & like the  
magnolia tree shedding  
its blossoms, the forsythia  
in bloom, the daffodils  
blow & budding. A hill  
of the valley shooting up,  
the dew on the grass &  
the air so fresh & so  
lovely. I finished & loved my  
flowering of New England. It  
would be fine to collect  
the New England antiques.

Emma's - Emma's

Wednesday, April 20, 1938

110th day - 255 days follow

Mrs. J. M. ...  
87.3°

Emma's was so nice this week, ... I went up to the ... church - took ... who ... in a green & white ... Guiphaen ... white ... & white glass.  
To Emma's ... dinner ... night - ... to ... all ... & it was fun. There were a big ... - Helen ... Ripley, & ... so many ... stars.

Joan came last night for dinner & all night.

Mable Robinson at 4 -

Thursday, April 21, 1938

111th day - 254 days follow

... had for breakfast & lunch, + ... there for dinner!  
... & I ... to ... Mable Robinson's party for Emma. Had all about the Professional Children's School.

Friday, April 22, 1938

112th day — 253 days follow

This afternoon up to help Emma pack books, found her & Margaret busy on the bench working in the garden. I joined them there & looked over at the budding trees — more than budding — the newly leaved ones & the blooming fruit trees & shrubs. Afterward we packed books & Frank from Collinsville, Mo., also & out to the movie night.

Marian picked a handful of spring beauties & violets on our hill. She loves the hill & stays up there all the time that she isn't playing with Joan.

Saturday, April 23, 1938

113th day — 252 days follow

~~Rest~~ in the trees at about 100 ft. small rapidly growing clusters. Some of them look grey-green against the sky. Fruit trees are in their glory, apple, pear, mulberry, on Emma's garden, primrose, maroon & gold & yellow, grape hyacinth, narcissi (starlike) jonquils & daffodils, light blue forget-me-nots. I reproached myself as I saw that the fairies had come to go to a picture show — a real place! on such a day. But it was a special treat, as Joan's guest.

Blue phlox in bloom.

~~Don't know~~ Stone's

Sunday, April 24, 1938 here,

114th day - 251 days follow

Low Sunday  
First Sunday after Easter

A crazy mix-up about  
daylight savings time.  
car over river to Sunday  
School, low low tide,  
straightened out at last.  
I worked in garden. Peter  
played tennis & Maria  
made pie crusts &  
Emma's garden. Carl had  
fair & delicious.

Emma & Ray came to supper  
ann too. So was their  
last night in Pelham's  
cell of a job a little  
less. Mother had made me  
a delicious birthday cake &  
Ray brought me a bottle of  
champagne, so we had  
quite a time, celebrated  
by Maria coming down  
stark naked except for  
the ribbon on her waist to  
ask if she should wear a  
skirt!

Monday, April 25, 1938

115th day - 250 days follow

9.30 a.m. Belos just left. He  
stones have a beautiful  
day for morning. Sunny &  
cool. A white tie sleeping his  
tippy little song outside  
now. And I was born 46 years  
ago tonight (arrived midnight...  
shabby after.)

Stones moved today. Emma  
was feeling badly & so was  
I. He came here for lunch  
& I drove with him to the  
valley when the water had  
gone & she started to walk  
with a loaded car. Both of  
us wanted to cry & visit  
look at each other.  
I had my birthday presents  
tonight - such lovely ones.  
Silk nightgown from Belos  
& Maria, silk stockings  
from Katie & Helen, a sex  
toned ju. cocktail cup from  
mother, an ash tray from  
Mrs Shady, & a stamps box  
from Joanie. A happy party.

Woman Pays

Tuesday, April 26, 1938

116th day — 249 days follow

To town with Emma (I should have gone) to woman pays club. Catherine Lawrence & John Glavin, guests of honor.

Mrs Murphy for lunch

Wednesday, April 27, 1938

117th day — 248 days follow

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Grant's Birthday

Mrs Murphy & Helen Stabe in for lunch with us.

Danceeep School - 3 visit  
Thursday, April 28, 1938

118th day - 247 days follow

Working on a book review.  
Visited Mrs. S. S. Danceeep  
school. on hillside is  
blue with violets.  
Ema saw by a woman  
in a parked & jammed car.  
They are laughing at  
children as we are here, for  
them. I think she thinks  
now that their group was  
crazy but they will like  
it when their house is built  
& they are settled.

Minnie D. Diner  
Gale  
Howard  
Friday, April 29, 1938

119th day - 246 days follow

Our party was lovely. I  
was working on my  
review (radio) and  
over Wisconsin but found  
time to buy lilacs & to  
put in pansies. Ema  
who was in Pe. Haven  
stopped in. Then she & Ray  
came to cocktails  
with our party which  
included Gale & Howard  
Raycraft, Minnie &  
Fred Clayton, and  
Steve started a dinner  
which made it jolly.  
Mabel made us thulark pies.

Tennis to 3... Floyd?

Saturday, April 30, 1938

120th day - 245 days follow

saw a man & woman & Sarah  
 are running a Spring  
 Store today (Mr. and Mrs.)  
 They see Violet & spring  
 hanties, green pine trees  
 & new leaves & grasses.  
 Carlos & I took her up to  
 New Rockwell for shoes.  
 This afternoon ~~she~~  
 played tennis. Steve  
 around all day & passed  
 her for a formal going  
 somewhere. It was shabby  
 all day. But oh how  
 beautiful! Yellow is in  
 the spring. Every lawn  
 has flowering shrubs or  
 trees. Some brought us  
 great sprays of yellow  
 wrenwren wood. The wrenwren  
 mulberry is lovely too, and  
 all the banks are gay  
 with rock pink.

Rosie & S. St. Luke's

Sunday, May 1, 1938

121st day - 244 days follow

Pl.

or  
with her.

For the first time this season, I  
 heard the thrasher. I was up with  
 Carlos in his little third floor room  
 with casement window. That noise  
 plaintive for his kind call  
 gave me added feeling of  
~~remembrance~~ ~~of it~~ ~~it~~  
 good, because it is the first  
 time I have had that feeling  
 about anything in the east.  
 (The next day Carlos gave it to  
 me when I heard them in  
 Massachusetts) car drove to  
 Steve for a barbecue. It was  
 a cool day but sunny &  
 the families white lake  
 families sat along the hill  
 where the new house will  
 be built. During we saw  
 the pathway in bloom with  
 a many kind of flowering  
 shrubs. And Steve's woods  
 were in all stages from tight  
 buds to thin leaf to full leaf.  
 will depend gleaming white  
 Violets, white group violets &

For Hafford 11 a.m.

Monday, May 2, 1938

122nd day - 243 days follow

trillium in bloom along  
their brook.

May 2. My sweet bushes  
again this morning. They  
make me think of

Marian's baby love,  
cristaria, the purple  
cristaria of victoria.  
we must have cristaria  
in our next house.

To do south of + home. Marian  
brought Bobby to pick  
in date on our hillside &  
south of + had on  
Bobby's + our Irwin  
to tea.

Grand Club

Tuesday, May 3, 1938

123rd day - 242 days follow

Marian brought Miss  
Carter to lunch  
today. It was a great  
occasion. I had to take  
beautifully set with  
the lace cloth, water  
was in full vigor,  
everything was perfect  
but when the sparrow  
Rice was served Marian  
said anxiously to Miss C,  
"it isn't exactly quite  
as home." Miss C assured  
her that she liked it brown  
& all went beautifully.  
Walking on the highbush  
today I observed that  
the maple trees were in  
full luxuriant leaf,  
colors begonia bright &  
superb at the with  
shades this afternoon.

Josau - lunch - call in a.m.

Wednesday, May 4, 1938

124th day - 241 days follow

Started

REMOTE MANSION.

So today I managed to  
be back to a level.  
and this afternoon after  
today's month I had a  
lunch, then Jordan & her  
mother & took us to Bolton  
Prison Gardens (notes elsewhere)  
which fitted in with book.

Tomlinson - Bahizon Plaza -

5 to 7.

Thursday, May 5, 1938

125th day - 240 days follow

So today to a place at  
Tommy's. Princess Lewis  
was there & Princess  
Kropathin with whom  
I already fought in major  
Schuler who was ~~staying~~  
is starting a flight around  
the world; and of course Dan.  
Doris & I had a moderately  
good time & I wore my  
new brown skirt.

Dinner w Norton - Chevy Chase - 6.30 p.m.

Friday, May 6, 1938

126th day - 239 days follow

Go town on 2.58; ~~not~~  
Lunch and my train &  
we had coffee, stopped  
until time to have dinner  
with Palos & Norton at  
Chevy Chase, etc and I did a  
side walk. Palos & I thought  
saw "an Assumed Time.

Sidley Diggins was splendid &  
the little boy PETER Holden.

~~Saturday?~~ RT Hafford 11.45.

Saturday, May 7, 1938

127th day - 238 days follow

A busy Saturday morning  
marketing for myself in  
the afternoon at Ena &  
visited dentist also & boys  
played tennis. Tonight I  
had dinner & went to  
see "an old Chicagoonian  
gets up early each Saturday  
& Sunday - before we do, gets  
into clothes & out upon his  
beard hair. I have ~~not~~ pains  
& lilies of the valley from my  
own plantain. Bird's nest  
is coming into bloom.

Stone  
Sunday, May 8, 1938

128th day — 237 days follow

Mother's Day with many wires  
& presents for mother. (We gave  
her her flowers last night.) and  
dinner after candle light supper, as  
Sunday School. (We did not go to  
Stone's barbecue) weather cool  
& fitfully, overcast and wind  
still radiant with pink & white  
dogwood, lilacs, anemones, lilies  
weath just budding etc. Last this pm.  
Lena Carter # 3, Beehoven.

Concerto Grosso, D minor - Vivaldi.

Aria from Tosca (Martiniello)

"The Stars are brightly shining"  
Stella rising & clear & 2 girls being  
quint Martiniello is getting an  
ovation on the radio.

encore. (Pagliacchi) then

Symphony # 3 in C Minor for piano,  
organ & orchestra.

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Mrs Murphy - wife.

Monday, May 9, 1938

129th day — 236 days follow

Myriam & I visited "Pilgrim's  
Progress" — what a vision  
of glory in those last pages!  
I want to remember the repeated  
phrase "then I saw in my  
dream" & the final ~~page~~ <sup>sentence</sup>,  
"So I awoke," and behold it  
was a dream."

Tuesday, May 10, 1938

130th day — 235 days follow

white iris on Shobe's hillside! How beautiful white gardens are! But weather is cold today — & raining by matches. I worked at the library all morning. Mother, Morrison & I read Graham's this afternoon. Belos & I quite joined today as we received word that Morrison had done the work for a year & a half in one year. He & his circle group (four others) will go into Third grad next year.

Wednesday, May 11, 1938

131st day — 234 days follow

Snoballs in great clumps hanging from the bushes. Birds were in full bloom & the white iris make this a white moment of spring. I suppose there are white lilacs to about now, but none in our view. Morrison played at Ann's today. I worked up to bed for her & ~~the~~ Mr. Gray & I madly compared each other (an group in the "rapid advances" group too) and I wish it a quite bright. weather cold.

Thursday, May 12, 1938

132nd day — 233 days follow

Rain this morning. Delossy  
went off in his raincoat  
& engine in Steve's car,  
but it has cleared now (by 10)  
Can't work because of headache,  
stomach squeezing a bit which  
must mean that something  
or plantain are in bladder.  
Cold.

Emma's birthday.

Friday, May 13, 1938

133rd day — 232 days follow

Shopping as usual.  
Eaten in Steve's kitchen.  
Bought Mexican a pale  
blue — or gray party  
dress for mauder's party next  
Tuesday & also accessories.  
Delossy in town to see —  
prize fight. (took bank  
shower.) Mrs. S. bought me  
a big bouquet of white lilies  
Cold.

Order - dentist - 11:30  
Saturday, May 14, 1938

134th day - 231 days follow

Went to see Babes & Doctor of me this morning. This afternoon the school & Aunt Biddle. The boys played tennis but were rained out. Cocktails here & Gals, in evening. He & Leela Chaley cleanup for Europe.

"Help yourself to happiness which you find by using the words. To wit: -

"Learn to stop talking about your problems. Instead, print, read, provide, in thousands of ever available substitutes for action & mind is never used for effort."

"If you see & do nothing, nothing will result. You cannot correct nothing."

Church School 9 a.m.

Sunday, May 15, 1938

135th day - 230 days follow

Yellow breasted warbler & a catbird in our ever green today. Raining & cold. Had a hunt in the meadow & Leela went. Salony has a cold tonight. We & mother & Maria all upstairs & I am listening to the symphony. <sup>concert</sup> at 8:00. I hope we will go.

"Agony died it done by fathers who are for certainty" - J. Eliot.

"Gossip is murder of the spirit."

"One of the most important regular habits to make ... is the tendency to show a reserved will in which we limit our lives. This can be, once established, shriveled & finally ... expand your confine a little every day."

Monday, May 16, 1938

136th day — 229 days follow

"Learn to give up external values whenever they come into collision with internal purposes."

To new Rochelle for eye examination, more shopping for 80th, and party outfit. Mother is repeating sleep & an -  
winter socks. Hope we don't make up too much of the.

Bobby came home & went to bed with a cold & then Rowie & my Mom had a party & the Bridget dropped in. Brought out mother's cookies, dipped Rowie some coffee, & came down in his best robe & we had fun.

~~Monday~~ Tuesday, May 17, 1938

137th day — 228 days follow

Miriam came home from school, took a shower & dressed for her party with mother & I in high state of excitement. I took her up in car & when we got out, she got so disoriented little girl said "Oh Miriam look at the picture anyone as the party!" She was radiant, but I was worried whether it was very good for her to have us all unite in trying to make her party nice. I bought her a bird hand to take to maureen & the new pale blue or gaudy white ribbon to make. Mother put on little French blouse & emerald to her socks. She had a beautiful time.

Boswell ---

Wednesday, May 18, 1938

138th day — 227 days follow

Mr Boswell, Jr  
Pudlak & Smith  
see in

Shober ---

Thursday, May 19, 1938

139th day — 226 days follow

To Shober & bridge  
for the unit on a  
Dunphy & matter.

Met. Marie Belmont White Pl.  
shower camp.

Friday, May 20, 1938

140th day — 225 days follow

To Tom Parice's house today,  
Helen S. & Fran, Marian,  
mother & J. Water also  
were.

To White Plains tonight to  
hear Philadelphia Orchestra.  
Brahms first, & the 3rd  
air & other nice things.  
Marian heard 2 or  
3 very young meling  
orchestra. Dick &  
the maggie were along,  
also along Bony, Roy,  
Parkway. Dora playing  
in DQ with Pual & Tom  
& Sam.

Doros — 6:30 m. — 8:30 p.  
Junk.

Saturday, May 21, 1938

141st day — 224 days follow

Doros had a cardiograph  
made this morning & his  
heart is all right. This  
afternoon he & Roy &  
the group played tennis  
& Emma was here. They  
stayed for dinner with  
us & we had fruit,  
moss, made a cherry pie.  
~~Cold in garden~~ Cygnetia  
cycas had pink bloom,  
bival usata & broad leaf —  
white, perennials, helix,  
iris white & purple plant. a  
very nice world but cold.

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church school 9 a.m.

Sunday, May 22, 1938

142nd day — 223 days follow

Car woke to the sound of rain  
 & we were afraid we could not  
 go to Henric's, but it  
 cleared finally, & we so  
 cold & damp when we  
 started out that mother & I  
 even took overcoats but not  
 on their hill we did not even  
 need coats. Had a stalk walked  
 over char coal. Down by the brook  
 he wild looking skunk cabbage,  
 high fern, rock, & moss. On hill,  
 cream hill or used granite,  
 delicate lavender & flax in  
 bloom, white <sup>or yellow</sup> <sup>pink</sup> chert clay  
 soil, or white <sup>or yellow</sup> <sup>pink</sup> ~~stone~~ tinting  
 heavily — do not seem to be  
 sap up & make music as  
 they do ~~at~~ night & morning.

~~Very marshy & wet down by  
 brook. miles in way to be  
 another.~~

Do — & I to supper at the  
 Henric around tonight.

New Rockell — Gales

Monday, May 23, 1938

143rd day — 222 days follow

trouble with glasses. Mr. T.  
 made a mistake & is my eye  
 again.

Long Island.

Tuesday, May 24, 1938

144th day — 221 days follow

The day on Long Island  
with Helen Grace Norton  
to see small house &  
the idea of moving to  
the corner of St. James near  
homes to be bought on the  
road - purchase plan.  
We visited Cheaper  
garden & lunched at  
an old mich in Roslyn.

Insurance due <sup>visited</sup> school  
Wednesday, May 25, 1938

145th day — 220 days follow

visited Marian's School -  
music - art, Miss C &  
talked about her  
radio interests & she is  
to visit a day a day  
for the day.

Marian - party at the Zoo.

Thursday, May 26, 1938

146th day - 219 days follow

*Ascension Day*

Dot Jordan + I Cook  
Bobby + Marian + Kath-  
ernie drove to the Zoo  
in the rain. It was  
spring opening of the  
animals were giving a  
party (according to Bill  
Bridges who sent Marian  
the tickets). Day was  
terribly exhausting.

Friday, May 27, 1938

147th day - 218 days follow

Getting ready for three  
holiday days.

Congresses. ~~1933~~

Saturday, May 28, 1938

148th day — 217 days follow

mail taxes -

A card from Emma saying up  
that the pass book has  
prison in it & can't come in  
to our party. So sorry. Day  
warm & early. Marked  
this morning. Palos played  
tennis this afternoon. ~~Marked~~  
Cappione & their mother &  
Ray were with us for  
supper & my mother made  
straw cake. A lovely party.  
~~Marked~~

Shuch school - 9 a m

Sunday, May 29, 1938

149th day — 216 days follow

The flower of us are ready  
to help or Band — or  
the newer Tribes and hope —  
to the more development  
near past city & look  
again at houses. The  
little development  
shining in the sunlight,  
flowers & flower up shrubs,  
young trees & very nice yards  
& many houses are looked at  
large large & small, & picked  
on Norton's terrace. Looked at  
one house large & small &  
came back to Nolan for  
coffee. Then home to a good  
dinner. The smaller house or  
more attractive or additional,  
but we need 4 bedrooms to  
live efficiently with mother  
part of the household & we  
want her & want to be prepared  
to have her as much as she  
will stay. So we lean toward  
a model called the Transient  
house, but if we ~~like~~ by that

no school

Monday, May 30, 1938

150th day — 215 days follow

Memorial Day

will have to build as none  
 are available. There is one  
 very desirable lot — sand in  
 exposure; dimensions 70 x  
 100 by 76 + with birch  
 tree + a maple in it. If  
 we could get that would  
 be ~~tempting~~ <sup>to</sup> take the  
 plunge. <sup>we haven't yet seen the</sup>  
~~land~~ <sup>lot at least about + other</sup>  
~~places~~ <sup>places</sup>. Then N.  
 planned that the lot (we  
 wanted her approval of)  
 cost as Mr. Erhorn had  
 represented + we as much  
 inclined to buy + build. But  
 we looked today in Conn. &  
 see if we could better our  
 selves. (Calat) Picked  
 on a hillside above the new  
 Mount highway. Diced up  
 the highway from hill top  
 crowned with highest lined  
 with wild (I think) cyclam in  
 bloom.

Taxes over,

no school.

Tuesday, May 31, 1938

151st day — 214 days follow

Dancing at 11 a.m.

Delos told me to see Mr  
 Erhorn, if he telephoned,  
 that you could have the  
 lot ~~if~~ we would  
 take it so a bid!  
 This happened about 5.30  
 after a happy afternoon.  
 Mother, Tom, Tommie, +  
 little Marian, Betty, +  
 Betty, Tommie + Playland.  
 Picked a ~~lot~~ <sup>lot</sup> ~~the~~  
 apartment party. Marian  
 had a piano time +  
 mother + I went with her  
 upon the fence which had  
 a view of Long Island Sound  
 + Long Island shore. Mr  
 Erhorn planned just before  
 dinner. I had cocktail +  
 greeted Delos with the  
~~news~~ news. But Delos  
 still has a few questions  
 we as group to look tomorrow  
 morning in New Jersey, seeing  
 if we can ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~go~~ <sup>go</sup> ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~visit~~ <sup>visit</sup>  
 at his deposit, if need be.

Wednesday, June 1, 1938

152nd day — 213 days follow

The balconies sun a lot & are  
to have a house upon it by ---  
are hopes --- September 15<sup>th</sup>.  
This is written after the date  
for Wednesday night, June 1,  
Belos + I were so tired we  
were groggy, but happy &  
with a feeling of triumph  
right. We took a half day  
off & we spent the morning  
looking thru N.Y. The lower  
rooms are too unattractive for us,  
& the upper ones with views of  
the mountains too expensive. We  
lunched at the old Baer  
mansion (has a the room) &  
returned to New York City satis-  
fied to buy in Long Island.  
I was so tired I went to Blanche  
who let me under \$150 & rest &  
made us a cup of tea. On  
Long Island at \$30, said the  
let's look it, then I saw  
the 4-bed room house & have  
PC them at 11.30. Tired but  
triumphant. God bless our home!

Thursday, June 2, 1938

153rd day — 212 days follow

I was utterly demoralized.  
today — but feel good  
about our new home. Back  
Belos + I have a "master of  
my soul, captain of my fate"  
sort of feeling we have  
slipped on sleep, & taken  
command of our own destinies  
by moving to a more modern  
community where we can  
soon own a home, (soon, in  
30 years) save money, send  
Miriam through school &  
(an excellent school system  
too) into children's program  
in our level when she can  
be made unhappy by us &  
feel inferior by her companions  
having more than she has. Also,  
God willing, we can save  
for god campus & a college  
education for her! So! What  
shook in all morning to talk  
have & this afternoon mother  
& I went with Jackson to Colonial  
School where Miriam's class

Friday, June 3, 1938

154th day - 211 days follow

Gave a "health play"  
Marian took the part of  
Mick! Also she + Bobby  
+ Katherine played a  
trio on the paper kite.  
It was all lovely, Bobby was  
a king! Delos, mother +  
I packed home all evening.  
evening, beautiful today.  
Friday, June 3. Rained all  
night. Slept on the third floor  
with Delos + woke up to its  
patter. Rain clatters banging  
on the roof.

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Thursday  
Saturday, June 4, 1938

155th day - 210 days follow

Such a day! Left Marian  
at home with slabs  
(mother to take over) and  
made an early start, 7.30  
or so. Spent the day  
frantically scrubbing the  
outside of our house +  
inspecting kitchen, etc.  
in man-holed + long  
shaved. mother + I had  
coffee + sandwiches in  
the car. Delos is ditched.  
It was raining to add to  
the confusion. Ray was  
here when we got home +  
Eun came later. They  
had to be told about our  
house. All but mother go  
+ spend the evening  
talking house. As we  
go to Miss Concha's +  
lay about close together  
somewhat. It seems like an  
ocean but we will not have  
dinner in the garden again  
not - very much hope. play

9 a.m. Church School + Breakfast.

Sunday, June 5, 1938

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156th day — 209 days follow

Pentecost—Whitsunday

Took Maria to early church  
to come home to find no  
rosaries. So god sings all  
of us and this afternoon to  
see Gary Cooper in movie  
Solo. Cheap + poor.

The roses are in bloom now.

Plants of red + pink ones are  
not Ackerman's sunny ones.  
Now the individual blooms  
stand out, strikingly colorful  
& distinct, our beautiful  
talisman rose is in bloom.

June 4 cont.

Wisque bridge in an living  
road on a Saturday  
night.

Monday, June 6, 1938

157th day — 208 days follow

A busy morning at my  
work. Home no mail,  
so a busy afternoon at  
house work. Belos in early  
in fine spirits, all of us  
thinking + talking about  
our task.

Maria took Stella to the  
dancing class.

At all a delicious rose,  
cappily pink.

Tuesday, June 7, 1938

158th day — 207 days follow

Summer is here today. Certainly  
quite warm outside! a hot  
bath in my upstairs room.  
I was surprised to find you  
had placed a door, and  
mother has taken some to be  
a small infection in his  
ear & the boy is coming  
to it, so I am waiting  
for him.

I turned out to be working so I  
left at 2:57. Had supper  
with Dad & met Bill  
at Garden City to pay  
down money on our house!  
a most exhausting day.

Dad & we go good to me! had  
such a grand supper &  
was finished.

Wednesday, June 8, 1938

159th day — 206 days follow

~~Wednesday~~  
Thursday, June 9, 1938

160th day — 205 days follow

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Aclama<sup>3.15</sup>  
Friday, June 10, 1938

161st day — 204 days follow

Steak party - 90.  
Paul's with Saturday, June 11, 1938  
Pudletons & ~~Smith~~  
162nd day - 203 days follow

Cocktail party - smile o' Leticia  
Johnson 4 to 6 -  
221 ~~ASCA~~ ASCA Sunday, June 12, 1938  
Frost 11:00 a.m. 163rd day - 202 days follow

Trinity Sunday

Smell of honeysuckle in  
the rain.

Posworth - sure

Monday, June 13, 1938

164th day - 201 days follow

Am writing a story a day until  
I write no good thing so  
that I want to stop

develop it. This morning I did  
"a road trip" in California.  
mother & Mexican & I to the  
at Posworth's today. Their  
garden is enchanting. A  
summer house, a rose garden  
from which she cut us  
these lovely roses, a weeping  
mulberry tree, forget me nots,  
a white rabbit & other  
attractions. Mexican feel in  
love with it & talk of  
Expanding to me "the charm" it  
had for her. It's "not formal" ...  
she said.

Tuesday, June 14, 1938

165th day - 200 days follow

Flag Day

Dad & I had dinner with  
Dad's Aunt Jessie.  
So good to see her back.  
She told us that she was  
going to visit Mexican her  
plans — that Mexican —  
which she accompanied  
Lili Lehman, Calor, Ardica,  
Carolina, etc. I hope  
man an eternal get it for  
many years but am  
thruled to think of her  
serving it some day. She'll  
have to be a good Mexican  
to live up to it.

There never was such a cold  
spring.

Income tax - due:

Wednesday, June 15, 1938

John Perry for dinner  
166th day - 199 days follow

A persistent & continuous  
bird whistle and j doors  
these days. A little  
monotone. I think it comes  
from an inside but must  
find out.

Wrote a story today which is  
so good that Jim Goup  
develops it. "A man in the  
Room."

Down getting ready for  
company - the Perrys -  
who came about 4.  
Both of them are nice,  
young. Got had a good  
time. But I am under  
strain about our house-  
financial.

Thursday, June 16, 1938

167th day - 198 days follow

Start write on my story.  
Getting ready for Mrs. C's  
school picnic tomorrow. How  
she is looking forward  
to it!

Friday, June 17, 1938

168th day — 197 days follow

And they had a nice day for J. She was so happy when she started off with her little box — sandwiches, cheese, cookies & also marshmallows cakes. She had a lovely time. She & Kaitarino & Cindy ate together & she said that the cheese, marshmallows made a "tempting" hit.

Sat. June 18 — 8 a.m.  
for Hesperus — Delos,  
Saturday, June 18, 1938

169th day — 196 days follow

Out to Long Island, where Morgan had her first view of the lot, & she & I got part on it for the first time. It looks very big & grand. Three men, we all enjoyed the ride but came home so tired. On a path from the narrow straits of Okinawa the white sheets. Stones are so shiny & it was so grand to see them, to be drinking rum collinses before dinner & playing bridge afterwards. They brought us lettuce & radishes from their garden.

writes to notes to — party tomorrow but can't go.

Delos is an angel!

Income Tax extra see

Sunday, June 19, 1938

170th day — 195 days follow

Delos & Mathie, 2031, ave + 500  
see "Robin Hood" which is  
very good — done in Technicolor.

Monday, June 20, 1938

171st day — 194 days follow

Colthrop in "A man in Her  
Room." weather warm & muggy.  
Honeysuckle at the side of  
our porch in bloom. Shorter  
eal, trip & trial, night &  
morning. ~~toat over~~ Here  
destructives or dropping  
the blossoms all over the  
sidewalks.

at last warm sun so I can  
lie out on a blanket in  
my bath up dirt.

Tuesday, June 21, 1938

172nd day — 193 days follow

Marian called over to  
he came. Lillian brought  
in a lot of things, Cindy,  
Marian & I walked up to  
the train to meet Marian,  
who looked just the same,  
pretty lips, a thin figure,  
a naive personality. We  
had a pleasant time  
taking old deep.

D & I walked to the  
train with them tonight.  
Had a good time tonight.  
The 1938 smile along.  
Mr Alexander's lawn.  
It was warm today.

Joan's party

Wednesday, June 22, 1938

173rd day — 192 days follow

Rain continued all day &  
we & the Shobes in a  
constant state of agitation  
for fear it would rain on  
Joan's & birth day party.  
Balloons stowed, a line  
of a door, tables set up.  
But our cause did & the  
party was a success. Prince  
he said in the monkey business  
to a little more matter in party  
for a child. Rose in Room on  
Shobes hill side & see, lot  
of garden flowers. Delighted  
tonight from the happy day  
in town. Lee listened to  
the fight — hair curled  
and something in the  
first round.  
I finished "a man in the  
Room" today.  
Marian took her book &  
shut stories to school.

Latham at Nan's - 5.15

Thursday, June 23, 1938

174th day - 191 days follow

Typed "a man in His Room"  
which Bob read before breakfast,  
+ liked, but he thought it was  
all a minor magazine.  
So muggy + damp, I almost  
had to make up the bed, they  
seemed so damp. So soon  
to have to visit Latham  
of Macmillan (Bob's) +  
with Nan.

July 3.30.

Puddlestone

Friday, June 24, 1938

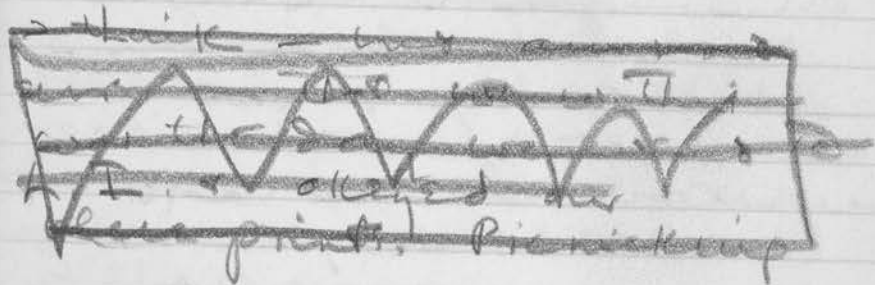
175th day - 190 days follow

Puddlestone on for  
his life tonight.

Stems  
Saturday, June 25, 1938

176th day — 189 days follow

Stems here to supper —  
Spanish rice & blueberry  
pie. A very messy time.



Sunday, June 26, 1938

177th day — 188 days follow

It was excessively warm  
when Bob & I started  
over to New Jersey for lunch  
& tennis with the Peps in  
Blue Ridge. Generally warm  
for most people, I mean; I  
like it warm. Their house old  
& pleasant with a leaf  
of spina in front, two top-  
wood trees, one pink & one  
white — not in bloom now,  
(a cow) & a beautiful  
lawn in lawn & garden  
behind. We had Tom  
Collins in this porch &  
after tennis a cold lunch  
which was delicious but  
would have been better  
warm as by then the  
rain was pelting down.  
Moths & I on Ki an wind  
see "Kidnapped."  
Mrs P's suggested get our hopes: -  
holly, male female, plant clove;  
anemone, yucca, mock orange,  
pink & white dogwood, flowering crab, leaved

Monday, June 27, 1938

178th day — 187 days follow

Delos had taken today off  
to take us out to some  
place he had paved a road  
since we had day long. But we  
~~went~~ took a picnic any  
way & went to Garden  
City & had a picnic for  
extending his satisfaction  
conferences about our  
house. Picniced with Norton.  
New, I believe, was there  
with a cold & my family &  
Suzanne. Paper says it  
will go down to 55 tonight.

Our little kids, in bloom they  
came from Emma's garden &  
I am going to take them to  
Garden City.

Tuesday, June 28, 1938

179th day — 186 days follow

and it certainly did. and  
all of us tired from yester-  
day. But in the after-  
noon mother & I went over  
to shaker for notes &  
tea.  
Now when the rain would  
stop we hope could be  
seen hanging along with  
side of the strips & over  
Dunphy said that  
worden had told her  
that always means the  
rain was not only over  
& was enough it would start  
up again. The view from  
Mother's balcony was  
lovely even through the  
rain & their heels were in  
caked with roses. They  
had their furage remaining.  
Marian & John played at  
our house.

Aunt Jessie -- early --

Wednesday, June 29, 1938

180th day - 185 days follow

1. Laid  
manuscript

Stella & I to the bus  
found Aunt Jessie ill -  
very ill. Suddesly by  
that, we went on to  
our hotel & saw  
The Two Bonquets -  
delightful musical  
piece with tape sets  
and G. Godey's 'Ladies'  
Book.

Thursday, June 30, 1938

181st day - 184 days follow

Mother & me, mother  
made us a shortcake.

Friday, July 1, 1938

182nd day — 183 days follow

Shober (the woman & Joan) of the New England on a hole day but. We feel quite isolated with their house closed.

on August 10.30.

Saturday, July 2, 1938

183rd day — 182 days follow

To Long Island (Nantuxet) today to struggle with bathroom. Discovered that more balloons than most the legs. The exhausted about 4. Emma & Bob Lee, Emma fixed me a new calling, also advised me about bathroom as did mother & sister when he came in (the por sea crashed today). Steven couldn't stay & we went up to N.R. a picture.

Stones

Sunday, July 3, 1938

184th day - 181 days follow

A beautiful day. Restful too & I was so tired. Rained partly. Revere Miriam was good as an accepted. As I went up to Stones ~~at~~ about 11 & had a lovely ride up the new park way. Left mother & Miriam at the cottage & went over to the house in search for hosts. Surprised by finding ~~the~~ Burns & Nathaniel, & all had a mix julep together. Then lunch at the cottage sitting on the lawn in the sun while the kids "hid" & a talk in which Tillie, Loretta joined us. White & yellow daisies are tall now. Red clover Mt. Rocks in thick clumps on Stones grow the em in three high & 4 places, tomato, horseradish - all doing

Monday, July 4, 1938

185th day - 180 days follow

Independence Day

Another lovely day today. Mother gave us a good lunch at noon. And this afternoon we went out to the Jordan, to see the new home. Beautiful - seen a wedding party car. They kept us at supper. As we politely refused the invitation, Miriam cried: "Oh do stay, mummy, you know daddy put our fireworks in the car thinking they might ask us." Some people named Dauphin joined us & we all had ~~an~~ early supper on the porch & afterwards to the children's delight - pin wheels, Roman candles, fountain sparkles, etc. I have seldom seen Miriam so happy.

~~Monday~~  
Tuesday, July 5, 1938

186th day — 179 days follow

So cold this morning that I lighted the oven for breakfast + I put on my suit for the trip to L.I. but while I was getting the vehicle, make up, I was so warm that I hurried home, in Bob Jordan's car, & changed to my thin brown. The trip to L.I. less tedious than usual. Helen Norton met me at the train (Manhasset) + we dispatched the bath rooms with no difficulty + staid on the papers. We landed late, festively, at a roadside place. Stables home tonight + Morrison assisting at still more fireworks. She + I days ago set out all + Delos + Stella — tried by all the festivity — to bed with the birds. Fire flies competing with fireworks.

Wednesday, July 6, 1938

187th day — 178 days follow

For other news check the Stables + Morrison Daily + Home. The two in one Porcupine Club. Melony home + will get sandwiches with us. As to dinner for a few minutes. Dinner very pleasant with its flavor border in full bloom. A beautiful vivid sunset. Pick gold.

Puddledown, a day or two ago, sent over Cindy's suit for Morrison + use this summer. Morrison, Fran + I had keeping house in it nicely. Have planned white + yellow daisies for lands keeping about to soon, not roots, but stakes which will be with us tomorrow. Warm today.

check O mail Bros

Thursday, July 7, 1938

188th day — 177 days follow

But cool again this  
morning. Helen's birthday.  
Aunt Mather had a  
special pm her and  
had breakfast.

Friday, July 8, 1938

189th day — 176 days follow

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

Saturday, July 9, 1938

190th day — 175 days follow

Went to beach today  
to pick up some paper &  
delightful but exhausting.  
at least a few things to  
bring back had a  
sandy picnic - mostly  
dried + dress + various  
items. I was  
exhausted by the breakers.  
~~But~~ what I could not  
watch them for hours. Home  
to find Steiner here, but  
they could not stay to  
enjoy.

Sunday, July 10, 1938

191st day — 174 days follow

Monday, July 11, 1938

192nd day — 173 days follow

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

14 Mr. Murphy — Henrik Brown

Tuesday, July 12, 1938

193rd day — 172 days follow

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Paul's birthday

Wednesday, July 13, 1938

194th day — 171 days follow

Thursday, July 14, 1938

195th day — 170 days follow

Friday, July 15, 1938

196th day — 169 days follow

walked to the train with  
Delos. Overcast. Air had the  
sweaty & sticky, not  
at all much reddish purple &  
yellow purplish - pink -  
yellow border has been in  
bloom for some days,  
brightening all the neigh-  
borhood. A little shower &  
then the sun came out.

No matter today, Chales  
phoned. I went to town  
to see Miss Jessie. We had  
dinner with her & went  
to see — Delos — "I  
wouldn't see any of them."  
Miss Jessie was delightful.

Saturday, July 16, 1938

197th day — 168 days follow

No matter. Not worked  
this morning. This afternoon  
I played tennis — or  
rather I watched tennis  
with drops in his eyes —  
as for Suggan married  
him today. A little picnic  
to Barbara Sawyer's party &  
then visited with Emma.  
Stena has got a picnic  
suggestion. We had  
may time.

Sunday, July 17, 1938

198th day — 167 days follow

No matter how slow  
to drink but milk  
cooked - served good & we  
had a pleasant informal  
kind of time. Betty  
said it was reason to be  
out of the city. The lake  
did not really - low - dropped  
from the pitquand Betty  
but when we lived at  
Hampton Bay - but such a  
ragged summer, or daisy in  
bloom. As a whole warm &  
stuffy.

Monday, July 18, 1938

199th day — 166 days follow

Day given as to mother  
who has finally, & never  
passed out of the picture,  
& to Barbara to whom I  
made tea cups & glasses  
Betsey's glasses. Also  
came home happy for he  
did fine things with  
the stay of Cornigan's  
flight. Coran supposed to  
having a head wait -  
trump. in the do - and  
it's Trump's rule, than  
hat. mother & I are  
rather enjoying getting on  
the meals.

Tuesday, July 19, 1938

200th day — 165 days follow

Copied "A Rendezvous  
and Game" I liked I  
Dad. Day overcast, warm,  
muggy.

Introduced a new maid,  
tall, slender, black, with  
teeth poked in the middle  
to a light smile. Believe  
I'm going to like her. She's  
coming tomorrow.

Wednesday, July 20, 1938

201st day — 164 days follow

onalls having a bad down  
spell, and the new maid  
though as sweet as a peach  
her name is Super (Pam)  
can't cook at all. She had  
a bad day, poor child, for  
mother & I were over at  
Shobes & a little party  
for Blair's mother; she  
had Cheryl, Miriam & Joan  
& was trying to water, &  
it was trying to rain. Belot  
came home tired & blue.  
It was a blue day.

Thursday, July 21, 1938

202nd day — 163 days follow

Mother still not well.  
Cora struggling with the  
problem of laundry in  
the rain. She served  
lunch tonight. The 4  
guys & them into a  
good mood & believe  
light footed & joyful  
speech.

Friday, July 22, 1938

203rd day — 162 days follow

To town in the rain — mother,  
O'Neil, & I — and mother  
feeling miserable. Lunched  
at Wauwaukey, looked at  
model houses, and went to  
out to Radio City music  
store where O'Neil & I left  
mother & went on to the  
Native History Museum, saw  
a performance at the Plaus-  
tium, & fed pigeons, having  
happy time. Mother & I  
went to see "Kidnapped"  
tonight.  
New want: "Bendywood" re-  
minder.

Saturday, July 23, 1938

204th day — 161 days follow

A furious down pour today, as  
a climax to our week of rain.  
Poor Corn is almost in despair  
about getting any laundry  
dry except to iron, we did get  
our nightgowns dried & up  
to & will clean slip  
covers on the furniture, looks  
very well ~~and~~ ready  
for our party tomorrow. Rain  
came down in sheets, in  
torrents, streets running  
over, mother not so well  
today; mother has to go  
see her physician, he had to  
go to New Jersey tonight,  
a party at home Peter's  
& had to see him drive  
off in such a hurry  
Lulu & Hugh comes to our  
kitchen door to be fed.

Sunday, July 24, 1938

205th day — 160 days follow

and this morning as we  
woke to a continued  
down pour, about 6:30  
deeply as it discovered  
that the rain was over,  
day still gray & damp  
the mother ~~was~~, then  
came early, & we all  
united in getting ready  
for our party. Jordan,  
Barnes & Graham for  
dinner & a very pleasant  
time, mother baked some  
good things to eat.

Monday, July 25, 1938

206th day — 159 days follow

Back back to work +  
Belos not quite so  
tired tonight.  
mother not well.

Tuesday, July 26.

mother still not well.  
~~mother~~ and Belosy  
home tired. all of us  
up to the library tonight.

Wed. July 27.

~~Tuesday, July 26, 1938~~

207th day — 158 days follow

Summer again.

I woke up to a curious  
noise — some small bird  
or animal was dead on a  
roof — saw it — a bluejay  
pecked beside it + hopped  
dead also.

Merian is ~~in~~ <sup>in</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~house~~ <sup>house</sup>  
because Joan ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup>  
wants to save pennies  
for a trip to Bermuda  
but is going to see for  
a bicycle instead. "all  
right for you!" said  
Merian in tears. "If  
you ~~are~~ <sup>are</sup> ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup>  
interested in two wheels  
+ wheels ~~are~~ <sup>are</sup> ~~in~~ <sup>in</sup> —  
beautiful place like  
Bermuda."  
Mr. Shave Sr. is taking  
Joan + Merian to the  
park.

Wednesday, July 27, 1938

208th day — 157 days follow

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwriting on the left page, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side.]*

Thursday, July 28, 1938

209th day — 156 days follow

This summer is a sad one, but we have had so many happy ones we shall not complain. And today was very happy for all of us but mother (though) my cough and happiness was out there to the pits for her. We went to the pits and Sunday had day of L and we got to the pits of you have said so looked nice but sure I do well placed in the lot. Note of room for lawn garden. Mrs. M. brought here some of the dirt to keep from the maple tree. We picked up the hat and a mirror here tonight put mother to bed and where - my own wife, help her. Apples in Norton's apple tree.

for mission - 11.30

Friday, July 29, 1938

210th day - 155 days follow

Today on the morning  
 The evening D  
 from Tchaikovsky's  
 "Flight Symphony" and  
 the Scherzo by Beethoven. And  
 we did enjoy it. It has  
 many other things we were  
 not aware of.

Saturday, July 30, 1938

211th day - 154 days follow

Delaney worked. Roy & Emma  
 + Roy's writing station  
 in for a moment.

Sunday, July 31, 1938

212th day — 153 days follow

A had quiet Sunday.  
Alos talkup  
in the morning  
helps her. He is law  
enough & so good  
her

Monday, Aug. 1, 1938

213th day — 152 days follow

Alos took the day off.  
So glad to have him as  
it was hot. He saw  
medication & to N.R. in  
the morning. He played  
tennis in the afternoon  
as he was fastening  
to get in bed. He is  
2 all night in the bed.  
Alos a good doctor (a  
good son in law) to mother.

Tuesday, Aug. 2, 1938

214th day — 151 days follow

made beds tonight, all  
so glad, got nice state-  
ment from Dannie,  
skipped our own from  
Mud Bottoms & letters  
from Dornier. Hot.  
The children threw on ice  
cream.

Wednesday, Aug. 3, 1938

215th day — 150 days follow

Thermometer read 92, Skelton.  
Anyway it was hot. Dropped  
Easter Bunny for now  
this morning & went to  
hair dresser this afternoon,  
while mother entertained  
Mrs. Murphy with ice cream.  
Most looking into a pig  
saw puzzle which we  
bought for mother & are  
manipulating our silos.  
mother better.

Van Dyke's - 6.30

Thursday, Aug. 4, 1938

216th day - 149 days follow

Extremely hot again today,  
But it cooled off mar-  
velously last night. I  
was sleeping all the  
flood, but needed a sheet  
before morning. Morgan  
made an early trip to Reed  
Portchelle + bought me  
some finney for Van Dyke's  
party tonight.

It was a beautiful party. They  
have several acres of land and  
a barn and an old Colonial  
house full of early things, we  
had the calligraphy in the  
garden until 9 o'clock. Then  
a cold drink, as it was  
very hot. Barbara, Darby's  
some people named Butler  
(by Liberty). The garden full  
of peas -

mail ~~mail~~ money

Friday, Aug. 5, 1938

217th day - 148 days follow

~~Camp~~

Pete played ~~Delos~~  
but our hair is up &  
rooged over.

After dinner.

Saturday, Aug. 6, 1938

218th day - 147 days follow

Pouring rain & break  
our best  
biadup had for life -  
to wife about 1/2  
Golf & waded  
remember what  
have read about the

improvement in painting  
Opera House, 1/2 to 5  
air & drooping vicinity  
Baller girls in painting  
not, green, & blue  
more luminous landscape.  
darkest color he used in  
one - miss light & than see  
work in Ireland.

Maestri People. Scandal his  
Picnic in the grass & olympian.  
Reminded him of Zola.

Landra Toulouse did women.  
Gauguin. The small scene.

Pisano's & Sisley's work hasn't been  
seen yet. Cezanne seems  
easier than most

Surat had a theory of painting  
a primitive // Ruy Enne da joias cool  
suppl. after back & rest. Mmmmm

read & write

Eugene's birthday  
Sunday, Aug. 7, 1938

219th day - 146 days follow

Mat  
money  
due.

our soon to top school  
said we have which  
was up & raised over  
arrived in Paris in  
looking for the Pelos  
drinked & drank flour  
& waded into all the  
rooms. American danced  
over everything & make  
prouder & read the book  
Blessing and of unity.  
called on mothers to get  
home to drink & eat.

The all arranged  
about us in the morning

Monday, Aug. 8, 1938

220th day — 145 days follow

Mother, I planned  
to see ~~to~~  
find time to go  
stay in August.  
all of us working for  
new package.  
Daily communication  
from mother. ~~13th~~  
and original sign  
to be sign, discussion  
of the lowest class for  
light in which we  
are placing on various  
anthropological sign —  
Depression, the spot  
shown had on our hill.

to write

Spec.  
Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1938

221st day — 144 days follow

Specimen of new Rockalt,  
worked ~~the~~ <sup>time</sup> planned  
the story. got to work.  
Belos to wind get  
not alone bright &  
bought ~~the~~ article  
Laska have bugs &  
Frank with of had  
a talk.

Wednesday, Aug. 10, 1938

222nd day — 143 days follow

Work this morning -  
got a rough draft  
of a short story. Tacked  
it to the wall. Started  
Rain tonight. Dried  
the car.

Thursday, Aug. 11, 1938

223rd day — 142 days follow

Bob Jackson & Bobby,  
Mr. Vaughan, and  
I went to Playland  
today. Last night's  
rain didn't do  
much until the morning  
made the world  
too cool & heavy to  
enjoy away from the  
beach. Car started up  
so high tide & it  
was lovely. Had  
coffee & hamburger in  
beach cafe.

Stadium

Friday, Aug. 12, 1938

224th day - 141 days follow

Cool this morning. Trying to write ~~in~~ up in the third floor room a fresh ~~and~~ breeze came in at the open window - fresh enough so that I nearly ought to close it.

mother better. She got a move in to Stadium tonight. Had Beethoven's 5th & a grand moon rose while we listened. Mother & I stood in chairs. Mother is planning to be a professional beauty - ~~and~~ so she says.

She is assiduously taking cold baths, brushing her teeth & curling her hair a hundred strokes, also rising up & down on the mile to improve her figure.

~~Stadium~~

Saturday, Aug. 13, 1938

225th day - 140 days follow

Belos awakeing today. Frank sent a picture in for his of the night. What mosquitoes were.

... now the ...  
a very messy one - found ...  
discovered yesterday from my book that It's a tulip ...

Very hot. 93. So hot I am deepening the stairs on the deck ~~the~~ tonight. Belos in coriander room, while mother has prickly head.

Sunday, Aug. 14, 1938

226th day — 139 days follow

Mother feeling badly again. Otherwise this was a happy day. Joe and Steve to Garden City. Our house had stairs & ceiling & plaster board & other work. Joe was out in east side. Day has to be the biggest bad. Delosy cancelled his bill gauge plan with Perry but got in some tennis. Had Klaus's "Practical Transfiguration" & Brothers' 17 tonight.

~~mother is a~~  
a progressive,  
~~and she says,~~  
She is assiduously taking cold baths, washing her feet & giving her hair a hundred strokes, also rising up & down on the mile to improve her figure.

Monday, Aug. 15, 1938

227th day — 138 days follow

Working on my series of Cliff's Book of poems by the laundryman plan for our house, in connection with that a good job! while Steve asked in early new York was intrigued with references to tulips there. Have been asking everywhere to have one planted in the garden. Steve succeeded. At the same time have been by up to identify a one on our lawn / hillside which had yellow blossoms in spring & was a new herb. A boy near the - found a tulip and it was discovered yesterday from my book that That's a tulip! me.

Very hot. 93. So hot I am deepening our stairs in the back ~~the~~ tonight. Delosy in corridor room, while mother has prickly head.

Tuesday, Aug. 16, 1938

228th day — 137 days follow

Very very hot. Breakfast  
on porch as usual.  
Bellet ~~go~~ to work in his  
thin shirt & trousers  
up town to shop while  
day was still bearable.  
Windows & doors closed  
& children not playing  
out.

Westchester Beach Club

Wednesday, Aug. 17, 1938

229th day — 136 days follow

Silvermine Festival.

Thursday, Aug. 18, 1938

230th day — 135 days follow

Delos got home at 7 +  
we hurried into the car &  
drove to Milton. Picked  
up Roy + Emma + all  
went to musical  
festival at Silvermine.  
Open air concert. Beautiful  
evening clothes (the  
new high hair wigs)  
Combined with Bohemian  
Gypsyish costumes. Music  
was beautiful. Heard  
~~Beethoven's~~ Beethoven's  
Fourth Symphony but both  
Delos & I found atmosphere  
so social ~~and~~ <sup>formal</sup> ~~and~~  
absorption with the music.  
Went to concert &  
5th Ave. for egg sandwiches  
& old fashioned a  
lively midnight ride home.

Friday, Aug. 19, 1938

231st day — 134 days follow

Sternes to dinner

Saturday, Aug. 20, 1938

232nd day — 133 days follow

Ray + Emma soon to help  
us celebrate mother's  
birth day. I had to go to  
Jamaica with dolls  
this morning to pick out  
lightning fixtures, but  
got home in time to plan  
dinner. We gave mother  
her gifts with the  
coupons + avoided  
birthday cake associations.  
Had, on the whole, quite  
a happy time.

Marian + Joan these days  
play that they are  
professional beauticians.  
How they are rigged up.

Marian is occasionally  
taking cold baths these  
days + scrubbing her  
feet to get beautiful.

Mother's Birthday —

Sunday, Aug. 21, 1938

233rd day — 132 days follow

Mother not able to go  
to G. C. so Mollie +  
Marian + I stayed at  
home. Found the whole  
looking wonderful.  
Stucco on fireplace + up.  
Dove frame set. Let  
meo + our neighbors, the  
Hurtles, young + nice.  
She is very sincere + sweet.  
Come over this house  
talked planting. Dropped in  
on H. Norton too. Although  
we had celebrated mother's  
birth day yesterday, we  
felt that today was —  
let Gale too + went out  
to a movie tonight — Coy's  
"Tommy".  
Liked to Brethorn's  
with coming from Silvermine  
by radio.

Merian - Dr Hafford - ~~10.00~~

Monday, Aug. 22, 1938 9.15 10.00

234th day - 131 days follow

Merian & I went to  
Rockledge to have his  
teeth cleaned by Dr.  
Hafford's assistance &  
sent for Jalski. I  
shopped for soap &  
had coffee (and ice  
cream) at the loft.

Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1938

235th day - 130 days follow

Delos on his late  
stomach & see  
us enjoying it, but  
not ice. There are  
dark days. I had to  
go to town, shopping for  
electric ice boxes & such.  
Met Delos for a drink at  
the small Rockledge  
place. ~~at the~~  
restaurant & drink at  
the restaurant saw a good  
picture "Four Daughters" &  
oh the little girl did  
me good!

Wednesday, Aug. 24, 1938

236th day — 129 days follow

The two - in - her at Helen's  
today, mother & I had  
deducted, had Mrs  
Dunphy, came through  
some in a distance &  
a pinch hit for Helen,  
we had coffee & called  
over to mother, Hank  
Broun for dinner, &  
to see him home.

Thursday, Aug. 25, 1938

237th day — 128 days follow

Car was in motion  
slightly better  
she & I + mother to see  
Shirley Temple, the child  
star, whom Marian had  
never seen before, mother  
too tired, however.

Friday, Aug. 26, 1938

238th day — 127 days follow

Mother ill. Belos stayed in  
to have dinner with  
Aunt Jessie (w/ J)  
Decided had to go.  
Took Mexican, loan to  
Mt. Vernon looking at  
refrigerator & pin. it up  
lamps. Reading Riggs  
"Indigenous Living"  
which Helen notes  
thought might help  
mother, so it very helpful  
to me.

Saturday, Aug. 27, 1938

239th day — 126 days follow

Mother very bad & can  
not, so that I shut her  
home & can pay coming  
for dinner (Hacker's)  
But mother really  
made us a blueberry  
pie, & she & I got  
good dinner. Paper  
Paper arrived about  
it with an ampule  
Gorgon's candy photos  
for us — zinnias,  
phlox, petunias, -'  
can't name half of  
them.

Sunday, Aug. 28, 1938

240th day — 125 days follow

Mother still sick. DeLos  
rose in AM & I had to make  
an early trip to Garden  
City so left her in car  
ear & started up about  
9:30. A cool sunny day.  
The house is progressing  
in whitewashed style. Found  
it plastered ready for  
papering, upstairs floors in  
hand & cornice set.  
hooked up electrically beaut-  
iful. Talked with our  
neighbors, Hartsells, who had  
just put in two rose  
shrub bushes. Called on  
Nolan who sent home a  
armful of mixed crumey  
summer garden flowers.  
Home for dinner at 4 -  
DeLos played tennis while  
mother & I talked. When  
D - got home we wrote  
mother about the things we  
had seen at the house which  
would consider a sickle moon.

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Monday, Aug. 29, 1938

241st day — 124 days follow

Our early routine began again -  
6:30 sunrise in one of those  
fancies of child hood had  
got up before my at the  
table on the porch, I gave  
out to view the world. He  
saw some streaks of pink in  
the sky & told us proudly  
that he had been up to  
see the sunrise. A happy  
breakfast in the outdoor  
air - baby thrives & these  
joy about.

Helen Shober & I to New  
Rockelle to buy cotton  
for mother's bedroom Apron.  
Cora & mother both sick.

Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1938

242nd day — 123 days follow

Car still away but  
will be back tomorrow

Wednesday, Aug. 31, 1938

243rd day — 122 days follow

Made in bed this morning  
and to leave for Portland  
early before car came in —  
had to let him in charge of  
my "professional beauty" &  
called from Pine station —  
Car was there, Alan Norton  
met me at horses & we  
stopped for Venetian blinds,  
Said the cage, & was  
blinded by the beauty of  
a steam road yard  
on lawn, painted woodwork,  
stone terrace — man  
putting in on steel rail in  
a blow pipe. Met Nelson —  
home so tired that I went  
straight to bed — not meaning  
about the house.

~~Sat. morning - returned -~~  
I call --- n. y. c.

Thursday, Sept. 1, 1938

244th day - 121 days follow

Cesoke with a headache.  
man in N.Y. Ram back  
for Enid's. Blanche &  
Tommy (Tommy back  
from school in England)  
coming out Saturday.

Friday, Sept. 2, 1938

245th day - 120 days follow

Spent the day with  
shubs, letters from ma's  
enclosed are plantain  
schedule (it was all  
wrong) into the tree &  
shubs we are to get  
nailed in Latin. I had  
a book on shubs sent  
down from N.Y. Public  
Library.

mother & I are to Paula  
Galambis for coffee  
& chocolate cake.

Saturday, Sept. 3, 1938

246th day — 119 days follow

Early this morning about 8  
D, Maria & Joan of  
Creston City, then cooked  
early. They are spinning  
to paper. Blue linoleum  
on kitchen floor & wash  
bunder. Traces laid.

Coa tried to straighten  
out matter of our  
shutter, attended to  
other things & came home  
for lunch — Franis being  
sick in the car, poor  
laund. Golden rod in bloom  
along the roadside & birds  
flocking.

Tommy, Olivia & Blanche  
out to dinner tonight.

Coa drove them home, down  
the Wagon Road  
Pawman which was  
quite a bit of driving.

Sunday, Sept. 4, 1938

247th day — 118 days follow

Delony brought my breakfast  
to bed as I had a headache.  
Coa came in to get us a  
new drink & all of us  
very unwell, existing  
to Chas. or Carley  
& Olivia & Hail and  
tonight.

Monday, Sept. 5, 1938

248th day — 117 days follow

Labor Day

A beautiful day, but cool.  
and a reprieve over part  
of the time. Roman playing  
Linda Young. Peter playing  
tennis with Eddie Doherty.  
Mother working in the  
kitchen for her room. Carol  
got up soon dinner &  
departed. Carl as chairman  
about the new base.

Katie's birthday

Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1938

249th day — 116 days follow

Cold! Two blankets in  
the night. Got new group  
for breakfast, six bread  
raisins and more in the room  
& Lavinia been not  
yet, but it looks early.  
Marian ordered for  
breakfast, hump up papers  
& ad 2 columns  
arithmetic before she came  
down this morning, or an  
amplifier but,

Wednesday, Sept. 7, 1938

250th day — 115 days follow

Thursday, Sept. 8, 1938

251st day — 114 days follow

Anniversary at Willam

Friday, Sept. 9, 1938

252nd day — 113 days follow

Admission Day (in California)

Emma phoned early to make sure that we were coming to see them tonight, we drove, and by six - leaving mother with car + mother - were skimming along the parkway, the stone heap, across over their house - which looks exactly like there - and had a steak dinner cooked over an open fire, preceded by old fashioned, followed by chocolate pie + coffee + accompanied by corn + tomatoes from the stone garden. While we were eating around our fire, a full moon came up, so was a lovely evening.

Picnic S.C.

Saturday, Sept. 10, 1938

253rd day — 112 days follow

Yesterday the Stones shared in their house + today we shared them a house, which they had, leaving mother to guide them to Queen City, D - M - S - started off early, then a perfect morning, they arrived soon after we did having two broad wheels for our back boundary. The house looked so fresh, clean, pure and empty. So will have. We found so pretty as now in its fresh immaculate spotlessness. We had cocktails at table + were given a huddle, a few on alaphone pole, then picnicked on our own for all. Palham, then, dinner bridge - with the Stones for the last time at 69 High Street.

~~on Sept 11~~  
Sunday, Sept. 11, 1938

254th day — 111 days follow

Milos has a bad  
shoulder from stump  
planting. A quiet  
day. The Pundit  
plans to take people  
proposed things. He  
has decided to go back  
to Milwaukee.

School begins in Pelham

Monday, Sept. 12, 1938

255th day — 110 days follow

Maria turned up her  
nose as all the children  
started back to school - was  
a little homesick, I  
think. I began to organize  
for packing a card for  
mother. We went into  
shelves for tea.

Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1938

256th day — 109 days follow

Pecked mother's trips &  
saw her with such  
a sad heart. She had  
improved since making  
the decision to go,  
but just before leaving  
seemed all people &  
expressed. When she  
told us of the Pullman  
train & Dolos met us in  
N.Y. after the train  
pulled out, we went  
to Aunt Helen's for  
a while.

Jimmy's happiness is  
tanic mother's mood &  
escaped from train &  
train in Chicago.

Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1938

257th day — 108 days follow

My heart was heavy  
about mother & so —  
although I should  
have stayed at home  
& packed in Dolos  
took me into him  
& Maria, to the hotel  
house. Capricious up  
we the ~~box~~ — he  
delivered. Blue blued  
in. All were all in  
Eastway.  
Tonight, Maria is stay-  
ing all night at Joan's.  
D — & to dine at  
Barbieri's.

Thursday, Sept. 15, 1938

258th day — 107 days follow

Delos & I left alone at 7:30.  
A beautiful morning, a  
red & yellow & orange  
along the parkway & we  
went to L. H. House. We  
did have — then to  
Mantana & took little  
back to Garden City &  
got the keys for our  
beautiful home. An  
amiable maid, to  
our little kitchen in  
morning go lunch  
to my & stay in kitchen  
cabinets, don't have table  
trays to pantries &  
for Sylvia & have play  
in parking, a  
sunset. The day had  
green & orange & red.  
all now on  
63 W. 4th Road  
Garden City

L. H.  
Cora cannot come to help  
throughout.

Friday, Sept. 16, 1938

259th day — 106 days follow

Day before moving day.  
The last of my kitchen  
repacked — packed  
in suitably — should  
be winter work. Delos  
organizing & packing  
books, dishes, clothes.  
Miriam running about like  
mad part of the time, she  
just playing with boys,  
Derek & Vivian, Mary  
(Miriam's old nurse) & George  
came to see us. Betty played  
called by telephone, other  
called. Delos & I stopped  
at 10 to bath & dress & go  
to school & dinner. Graham  
called at 5:30. Time to  
pack until 11:30, or last  
night in warehouse, when  
we have lived for 7 years  
and ~~and~~ three months  
or so. It was a beautiful  
day & a rose blowing  
our lawn. Last from notes  
from Chicago.



Monday, Sept. 19, 1938

262nd day — 103 days follow

Annie has washing.  
Raining, so we had a  
dry clothes in bas-  
ment. She is helping  
me study, too.

John Miriam's school,  
called for her again  
at 12.30. She has  
a new teacher, Miss  
Dunne; a little fat  
boy named Everett  
says he likes me better  
to call on all the time  
with her; she likes  
school but "did not  
know it would be so  
easy."

Conie's Birthday....

Tuesday, Sept. 20, 1938

263rd day — 102 days follow

Miriam has a cold,  
so I'm helping her  
at home & in bed.  
Sutcliffe prepared in  
the rain. John sent  
over a fresh green  
apple pie. All good  
things.

Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1938

264th day — 101 days follow

This was a strange day.  
Miriam was out by  
school — ~~she~~ ~~stayed~~ in  
bed with her cold, and  
on rain developed into  
a hurricane. Delos had  
to go for Annie & by  
the time he returned it  
looked as if he could  
never talk to her home.  
Rain & wind rapid,  
on inside near shrubs  
back up & a few, several  
part families blowing  
(Delos returned it)  
It is getting in on  
our windows & doors  
(Delos finally tied the  
doors) & phone reports  
from Bob & Helen  
Bob & Grace ran & went  
worked out. The reports —  
the storm all reported  
with radio reports on the  
European with Post  
Czechoslovakia was

Thursday, Sept. 22, 1938

~~265th day — 100 days follow~~

By up all day & my pond  
Repar got the Phil. St.  
Zurpic by up with it  
at 5 — took Anne  
home & bought back  
paper. Storm slightly less,  
but this evening electricity  
all went out. at had to  
light candles. I haven't  
had any the sky was  
all day, unless grey,  
and in late afternoon  
dark storm almost midnight  
when the lights went out  
in our house we went out  
of door & saw dark house  
up & down our little street.  
Before we went to bed, the  
stars were out.  
Thursday Sept. 22. Good this  
morning a pink sky. Miriam  
up. Phil all straightening  
up bushes. Miriam went to  
school & in the afternoon she  
out to Louise & Bob's & shop.  
Antony & Lulu called this

Friday, Sept. 23, 1938

266th day - 99 days follow

evening, Leslie bought me a little piece of Swedish glass - I will for the nice house.

Friday, Sept. 23.

This beautiful evening, with the evening sky in an pale yellow pink with Delos, 000, and I, sitting in my present living room heard the great radio from London, Paris, Götterberg, which probably meant war. Hitler would not co-operate with Chamberlain in spite of the enormous concessions England, France & especially Slovakia were willing to grant. And the great nations are mobilizing - a million on the march. Col had said, so said at the

Saturday, Sept. 24, 1938

267th day - 98 days follow

prospects so much surprising & then ahead. And I am solemn because I feel that the world will never be the same again. But Delos thinks the world may be even better if the democracies fight for what we all know is right & would hide back into darkness if this were allowed further pass.

Saturday, Sept. 24.

Danny McCarty, a doctor with McKim & D - got to the dance at Pierre's in honor of W.F.'s birthday. Delos said the beautiful work & we looked on a picture - pulled in a jolly round of trip a apple, walrus, rhinoceros, toucans, etc.

Sunday, Sept. 25, 1938

268th day — 97 days follow

Delos & I + Mary +  
Marian forgot to  
and I + Delos joined  
us for coffee, later,  
later, a very  
beautiful day.  
we have sun in part  
in the morning — in  
back in the afternoon.  
But ship working  
with McCarty's so  
fast that we walk  
one when Delos  
Drove in I surprise  
w. glad I see them  
just the same.

Monday, Sept. 26, 1938

269th day — 96 days follow

*Jewish New Year*

Anna came. Is pretty  
unfaint he has. Her  
quite goldeny frizzy  
hair, even in action  
at one while Delos &  
I want to have to buy  
a sock (the sock on  
which I hope I write  
the tales which will  
pay her salary.) This  
afternoon we listened  
to Billie — as much as  
we could bear to. The  
young articles came in  
I have Mary with us  
before dinner. Delos is  
out to look at the star  
before going to bed. I love  
the island — so much  
sky. Our neighbors all day  
lay working in their  
lawn. Some talk of  
top soil + dirt + that.

Tuesday, Sept. 27, 1938

270th day — 95 days follow

Our new maid is a Jew.  
Delosky's cigarettes have  
not beside his plate.  
The table immaculate.  
Both are busy planning  
his dad's birthday party  
off school in the  
sunshine sleep on pen  
skyway street  
a very good day of sailing,  
of lying up skulls bent  
in the storm, of sailing in  
the sun on the terrace —  
with Amelia here to do the  
work. She told me later  
in the day that she had  
been sick; I can see that  
she is very low — like he  
so much I don't mind  
(from my point of view)  
sorry for her.

Wednesday, Sept. 28, 1938

271st day — 94 days follow

Delosky's vacation is  
occurring near its end.  
max has taken back  
fast in bed, to hope he  
will stop his furious rushing  
around. Cox sat on the  
terrace in the sun  
today. The carpenter  
was putting on  
some in change —  
Delosky trying to get  
some mysterious papers.  
Talked with Emma  
the place — it seemed  
good. Ave to Nat's tonight  
to sit by their fire.  
In the streets saw  
little new settlement  
at night.  
Mrs. Clarke gave me a  
gift of the crown. Thom  
said she has given  
all her neighbors. She  
says.

Thursday, Sept. 29, 1938

272nd day — 93 days follow

Michaelmas Day

It seems certain tonight  
that war is averted.

~~But~~ if only the  
war had been given so  
much power that  
he will be a nuisance  
in the future — what  
a triumph. It is —  
load lifted from hearts  
everywhere.

D — I summed up.

silver on the street,  
~~of the~~ he  
painted & I settled;

Anna had her  
half day of  
on a man. His major  
bedic her for the a  
sures little girl,  
lay looked blue eyes,  
chubby & shiny.

Deos had a bit  
surrender. Feel flowers in  
the garden but highly showing  
touch of yellow.

Friday, Sept. 30, 1938

273rd day — 92 days follow

Rain again saw  
little Mrs warming  
in the cold wind,  
one giving Delos his  
breakfast in bed,  
saying I make his  
vacation complete.

biographical notes.

Saturday, Oct. 1, 1938

274th day — 91 days follow

Must get them seal up the  
avenues of life.  
Pay every debt, as though  
God wrote the bill."  
Eisenstein.

logbook notes

Sunday, Oct. 2, 1938

275th day — 90 days follow

Last day of vacation -

Monday, Oct. 3, 1938

276th day — 89 days follow

begin story —

Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1938

277th day — 88 days follow

Starting a new story today. By  
God's grace, it must & will  
be finished this month.

Pick + Charles, etc.

Wednesday, Oct. 5, 1938

278th day — 87 days follow

Pick + Charles which drove  
in this afternoon — took  
off, and + me on a drive  
down the island. Pick  
pale as she was no  
make-up, + has a  
little anxious look in  
her eyes, but they can  
sparkle with fun too  
just as in the old days.  
Cecilia Delos got home  
we had a gala time —  
straw + ice cream +  
lots of fun + talk.  
Put them to bed in  
the maid's room which  
was fortunately empty.

Very quiet.

Thursday, Oct. 6, 1938

279th day — 86 days follow

Clarke's lawn + our feet  
of birds. Brownish, spotted,  
birds. Stalups, I think.  
They are flapping in  
Clarke's bird bath.  
Beginning to rain softly.  
Pick + Charles at game,  
Delos gone, Dorian in  
school. I have been doing  
house work + must now  
go. Call for Dorian.  
— . —

~~Rainbow Run~~

Friday, Oct. 7, 1938

280th day — 85 days follow

Violet an  
bluish -  
red -  
purple

game.

rusty eye -

white eye -

Saturday, Oct. 8, 1938

281st day — 84 days follow

Barnes?

Sunday, Oct. 9, 1938

282nd day — 83 days follow

So thankful, so thankful,  
so thankful that God is  
so good, He kept a little  
today, relieving me his story,  
but I began with us  
wants to stay. I love his  
company. Before had a  
bad vision & we expected to  
be very quiet but then  
a camera flashed. Man was  
not there for the camera  
& they wanted us for work-  
tails. So we were out —  
Roshyn. Country side Agency  
to have another work.  
Saw ~~some~~ ~~maple~~ & a  
pair gold maple. Almost  
two ~~count~~ a special  
house furnished with special  
furniture.  
Dad & Edna had for Sunday  
night lunch.

Monday, Oct. 10, 1938

283rd day — 82 days follow

Tabernacle

gestured & claudia —  
both ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~kind~~.  
I started work on a story.

PTA - 3.30

Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1938

284th day - 81 days follow

Reading two books about  
Greece is a treasure -  
Thank God for his  
sales & suggested 250  
for cocktails & drinks  
We were out at home  
he is being troubled with  
since then morning early  
a luminous light had  
was in western sky.

Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1938

285th day - 80 days follow

Columbus Day

A happy breakfast. D & I  
saw in the garden after-  
wards, looking at the  
shrub, observing rails  
a little but for now  
they are hiding behind.  
The sun here is like a  
prairie sun. There are  
beginning of the gardens  
are full of late summer  
flowers. In the early morning  
the grass is covered with  
a dew which looks like  
frost.

Worked hard all day on  
review of Eliza Madox Roberts  
"Check of my Truelove's Hair."  
Wrote a very good one.

D & I were at the Carneys  
tonight. Dined - wonderful  
talk for a change. Coffee &  
the bread with cheese.

Thursday, Oct. 13, 1938

286th day — 79 days follow

Saw Orlos this morning  
(from our door) and again  
long island. Grass is seen  
was blown up + grass covered  
with a silver dew.

finished ~~revised~~ entering my  
revised of the Mauraake  
Roost.

Sat on the terrace with  
Merian and lunch. The  
new house in valley  
is going through air  
dried phase. Yesterday  
wells being re-dug - today  
the roof is going on.

Merian + I invited  
Nobles for coffee. Merian  
+ Hope are pushing a  
common interest in their  
drawing.

Orlos has very tired early  
to bed.

White Orlos or chrysanthemum  
also lavender in our vase

~~Friday, Oct. 14, 1938~~

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287th day — 78 days follow

Merian + I visited in  
the village + registered her  
at the Cambridge House  
for Sunday School.

Saturday, Oct. 15, 1938

288th day — 77 days follow

Skates & Sturtevant  
surprised us this  
afternoon — a golden  
afternoon. We gave them  
Rice & had a lovely time.  
Then D & I hastened  
off to New York to the  
Hotel. Maurice, they  
danced the new ballad  
set to Beethoven's Seventh  
Symphony. We didn't  
especially like it.

20  
Team to Helsinki.

Sunday, Oct. 16, 1938

289th day — 76 days follow

originally ~~at~~ to Sunday  
School. DeLoos & I were  
while she was there &  
enjoyed the yellow ~~leaves~~  
Golden City's archer  
gold — golden hours.  
To a tea party at Leticia's  
this afternoon, all good.  
~~had~~ an interesting day  
there.

- Storm -

Monday, Oct. 17, 1938

290th day - 75 days follow

Calam today. Temp. in  
the 30s. Had a splendid  
morning at my desk &  
drafted Thruout Cascup.  
To be prepared shopping  
for the visit. They  
came for dinner & a  
night inquiring for  
did bulbs to a table of  
Santal. A couple of  
had yesterday pudding  
& some very good  
played in the  
early time!

PTA 3.30

Tuesday, Oct. 18, 1938

291st day - 74 days follow

This was a joyous morning.  
After Helen & Ray left, Emma  
& I planted the daffodils  
all around the front of our  
house. I all around the  
terrace. Gotrid brought us  
tea in the mist, which  
went into rocks, closed  
jars in our sunny part  
Sunday. Then back to the  
daffodils joined by Helen Norton.  
I don't know what  
Emma. Folioe Robinson  
stopped all afternoon.  
Bought a Ra Keap for  
Stenley & on the part  
for gemstone. There will  
along to be met by  
Gotrid, Helen & Jack.  
A very sunny day.

Wednesday, Oct. 19, 1938

292nd day — 73 days follow

But we were so cold this  
morning —  
That didn't last, however.  
After Misses came home  
from school & we had  
lunched on the terrace,  
we put in daffodil bulbs —  
until almost 5 when  
the sun was low in the  
sky. Planted them around  
all our shrubs & around the  
kitchen entrance.  
Drove to bed before Jessy —  
so all of us quiet.  
We opened up packages  
from Grandma, put up our  
new lights & gave  
Gertrude her blue cloth &  
the pot.

Thursday, Oct. 20, 1938

293rd day — 72 days follow

A beautiful morning — I was  
in bed with a headache  
when Betty started to  
and stayed there until  
2 or 3 when Gertrude was  
gone. A lost day.

2:30 - visit Punni -

Friday, Oct. 21, 1938 Blanche at

294th day - 71 days follow

4 -

A very busy day for me, writing in the morning. To the bridge & go my hair raised at 12.15. To school to confer with Miss Punni at 2:30 and a visit Blanche at mine at 4. She advised on little thing sent me & our house.

all the small plants ones have lost their leaves but our big maple retains its leaves still.

Toscanini

Saturday, Oct. 22, 1938

295th day - 70 days follow

Gertrude gave a tea party today. Her mother printed little invitations & she & Roger Miriam & I initiated the new blue cloth & report in the kitchen. It was very merry. After words she taught the children English games. Peter was mowing the lawn & putting down flagstones most of the day. I was reading a book for review. In the evening we put on opera clock. I went out to the New York to Radio City & saw at what I had Toscanini broadcast. He did the Fifth Symphony - a Beethoven. D - & I had a heavenly trip.

Ten at Norton's -

Sunday, Oct. 23, 1938

296th day - 69 days follow

Breakfast luxuriously  
in bed. Peter worked and  
dances most of the morning -  
Miriam went to Sunday  
School - I read the book  
must review after lunch  
we took a walk around  
the development. ~~Some~~  
~~with~~ Miriam invited  
with us to tea at the  
Norton's. Miss Overton there.  
We had a pleasant time.  
Beethoven's Fifth played  
again today, by Phil Harmonie,  
this time.

P T A - 8.15.

Monday, Oct. 24, 1938

297th day - 68 days follow

Grand?

Raining this morning.  
Rained some before  
the rain to see Miriam  
will start to in her new  
raincoat. For me - 2  
papers, at least, in "Thrasher  
Evening" & a book review.  
This afternoon Miriam &  
I played chess & I think  
amused each other.

P 7 7 3.30  
Tuesday, Oct. 25, 1938

298th day — 67 days follow

Worked very hard. Too  
tired tonight. Finished  
my queries. The beautiful  
new desk came. D-1's  
to play with  
Nathan.

Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1938

299th day — 66 days follow

First day at the new  
desk.  
Age came to lunch & I  
spent the afternoon with  
D-1's. I went in to  
a party at Mr. D-1's.  
Notes elsewhere.  
Also I visited D-1's  
trick — he was speaking  
at the table.  
I went to the train —  
part way — with D-1's  
the morning. How  
fast in the garden. Garden  
flowers still bright & the  
most of the leaves have  
fallen. Yucca is bluish  
down in all the pretty  
little houses. A ~~house~~  
has built by boys in the  
lot back of one of the houses.

Thursday, Oct. 27, 1938

300th day - 65 days follow

awaked only as sitting  
my head back & as  
with morning get under  
in the morning, so  
needed for my stay.  
As soon I look so lovely -  
on beautiful clean blue  
& white kitchen, I have  
been enjoying it, as  
Quoniam it is. She is  
~~just~~ such good help, just  
the one for us. Her sister  
has great hair, I have  
beaded into two long  
behind the ears.

Friday, Oct. 28, 1938

301st day - 64 days follow

Tabernacle

awaked until one. Then I  
bed with a headache.  
My sister said in my bed  
I had a night's end of  
look about cats. They are  
daring. She is coloring them  
now. It is raining today.  
Quoniam took Helen to the  
man's room, and school's  
back.  
Peter & Helen Antler in for  
visit.  
Raining still but we are  
planning on the trip to  
SPEI next.

no oak, if they are finished.

Saturday, Oct. 29, 1938

302nd day — 63 days follow

Starnes.

It has been raining & blowing all night but sun is out now, rain even goes we are persisting in plans for our weekend —

Marian & Thomas & I w. D. Starnes, car are taking a tea knife for their house & bought in which to bring home much

stated about 10. The trees are lovely. I am expected to be there as still high gold tree, scaled maples. We

followed the Northern State Parkway & soon left Marian & he had at Pelham. Followed the Hutchinson Blvd Parkway & the Merritt Highway to the Starnes. The first glimpse of their house, white with white shutters, a row of long windows opening on to their hill. A happy day. Babs & Ann both home. D + I sleeping at Lewis & Mary's.

Starnes.

Sunday, Oct. 30, 1938

303rd day — 62 days follow

Lewis & Mary are perfect hosts. They just ran & bathed in their old van. We had a marvelous bed, hot water, a D. Sawyer's Detective story & black coffee brought to bed at late hour. Coffee at Starnes, then all of us laid to rest, in the sun. I visited govt. course. Emma & I explored in the woods & found a flat stone which the grand-dchildren can take for a more clear drive, me sitting facing the arrayed in rows, which was good, with the view practically marching in a gray ground back ground for bright green pines & firs & golds & silver. Babs & Pelham & I picked up the baby who had had a lovely time & been good as gold. Put Babs in her subway & have to see over white hall.

If story not finished, finish it!

Monday, Oct. 31, 1938

304th day — 61 days follow

Hallowe'en

Witup — story not finished.  
Busy in the afternoon  
getting Meri au ready for  
the Hallowe'en party.  
Gertrude made the costume  
out of orange & black  
papers & left for last  
year party.

Then I miscelane Meri au  
& I had to work at the  
school while Gertrude  
called for school.

I wore new grey hawshie  
looked. Hair tied back in  
two bunches under a  
little orange cap  
orange tinted pink.  
eyes blazing. Getting  
back to orange napkin  
an orange Ham. etc  
took some Hallowe'en  
goodies over to Jackie  
too.

~~Pay card for Christmas~~

~~account~~ Tuesday, Nov. 1, 1938

305th day — 60 days follow

All Saints' Day

To town to cafe, into  
fire department on my  
story.  
Had in n.s. <sup>in</sup> Dore's  
coffee.

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 1938

306th day — 59 days follow

Finished my story today.  
"The Great Escape" & think  
it is good.  
Lunched with Maria on  
the terrace & admired my  
3 ~~new~~ lilac bushes.  
G. and Joe us to town  
for the shopping. Steward  
Casper is still ~~living on~~  
overhanging with a cargo  
of gold!  
Delos writing tonight.

Thursday, Nov. 3, 1938

307th day — 58 days follow

Delos set the alarm for 5.30.  
Got up & read my story. It's  
crazy about it, & how happy  
that makes us both! A jacket  
knit with lots of ruffles  
marmalade. And now he  
has started to work though  
a crisp morning sun high  
through a light haze. Hot feet  
in the ground.

Typing story. Marilyn  
here to play with  
Maria — a new child.

Unkilled bird - see ~~main text~~

Friday, Nov. 4, 1938 ~~Hamlet,~~

308th day - 57 days follow

To dawn with a shudder  
last. Shopped. Bought us a  
golden wheat breakfast  
set. Dinner at Aunt  
Bev's. She looked lovely  
in a rose hooded lace  
coat. Home early.

Marian had type, Jackie  
to marry to her.  
cleaned a sandpile  
had a blissful time.

Now one night -

Saturday, Nov. 5, 1938

309th day - 56 days follow

and very busy today  
getting ready for our  
party. Weather is still  
warm, mild. Lot of ~~leaves~~  
still have color. (on top  
maple bare at the top,  
gold green lower down.)  
Now came and this  
afternoon + we had  
a quilt have coated  
Dinky + we sleep

Marian in bed with  
cold.

party for Sylvia

Sunday, Nov. 6, 1938

310th day — 55 days follow

Max likes my stay -  
max's hair likes it - says  
she really works hard  
3.30 a.m. when she  
finished it.

Patty a good success  
with some punch  
roast & salad eggs  
coffee & juice & fruit  
sandwiches, & a fire in  
the grate.

at 10 o'clock  
day after this, LT, Kay &  
Emma are staying here  
in the house just behind  
and a few minutes  
later - washed sky.

Marian stuck in with gold  
but came over to party  
in her usual dress. Showed  
max list of her drawings.  
talked that with Sylvia &  
M.M. & Connor & others.

Monday, Nov. 7, 1938

311th day — 54 days follow

Ray & Emma breakfasted  
on trays in their room,  
with me keeping  
them on point.  
Then a beautiful morning  
Trump. As today I  
stayed in max's cell  
day to as Marian's cell  
took the bed turn. Sat at  
in the sun when  
could. Drove a while  
to - & saw at coffee.  
a chat about party.

Marian drawing her paper & cats  
& dogs - have almost soaked  
under with them. Marilyn  
gives a wide stretch & go  
with them. Marian said  
enough by (over head)  
"in de first place my pictures  
don't need stones. In the second  
place, if they did, I'd write  
them myself."

Horse shed.

Ray grounds.

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1938

312th day — 53 days follow

Election Day

Rain off & on all day.  
Like grip, managed to  
go in a pleasant walk  
& view the new houses  
grip up everywhere, where  
fresh as daisies. But  
I & I voted in a down pour.  
arr to notice tonight to  
play bridge & listen to  
election returns. Dewey  
seems to be defeated.

Wednesday, Nov. 9, 1938

313th day — 52 days follow

A pale moon in a light  
blue sky when I awakened  
Marian this morning. She  
is better — came down  
to breakfast, talking with  
much interest about  
"grip up" which she  
looked at for the first  
time yesterday.

Marian & I grip & sleep all  
day, a glorious time.  
also had a little walk —  
she was that much in-  
powered.

griped at ~~the~~ Delo  
came home to see —  
that the Frank Graham  
an grip Marian a cat.

The rain

Thursday, Nov. 10, 1938

314th day - 51 days follow

Heavy frost (as predicted) last night. Silver glaze on the garden. Delos has baked some so neatly around the dogwood tree. Frost on roof - latent. Mrs. in the field.

Mrs. in says she is going to name her kitten - if male, Kismet; if female, M. P. and that is interesting. She says a white girl in her class is named M. P. & "I cannot like a cat". Nannie, who was Mrs. in's nurse for two years, & ~~always~~ called for her to be, ~~called~~ a kitten - M. P. but she did not go to Nannie; she today for her first time came from the living room. It was a great day. Delos played from 10:30 to 11:30. He told me not to come in, & he took the train out here at noon. Dottie came over. We wanted to make coffee.

Miss Owen?

Friday, Nov. 11, 1938

7.38

315th day - 50 days follow

Armistice Day

and about 5, in the sunset, the sun came up. The sunset given me the Delos, we married on, Daddy's arm chair, on a little table, the window table boxes & books, papers, and published some letters - Mrs. in wrote because we said we were going to destroy our love letters, written during the war. Mrs. in's excitement - & how homelike the house looks tonight.

Fri. Nov. 11.

Saturday all day. Tonight I dined at Jacqueline's with the children - little old house with a fine medicine by the fire & a good dinner. Some pleasant people named Conant - Armistice Day today. 28

Autumn  
Dinner

Saturday, Nov. 12, 1938

316th day — 49 days follow

meant more to provide  
food to us, I said. The  
unpleasant in mine-  
east to keep, brought back  
the war.

Sat. Nov. 12.

a fair breezy day. Shakes  
+ Grahamer @ lunch.  
Sun @ see the three  
children report of affairs.  
The association being  
committed against the  
Jews in Germany, etc =  
enig, a year ago

~~Pruders - cloudy - Sunday?~~

Lunder Sunday, Nov. 13, 1938

12.30

317th day — 48 days follow

To Sunday lunch with  
Ralph + Fanny Graves  
whom we knew year  
ago at Hampton  
Bays.

status <sup>on</sup> ~~new~~ ~~story~~ --- ovarian bedie

Monday, Nov. 14, 1938

318th day — 47 days follow

Trice & start one.

ovarian bedie her this  
afternoon & play with  
ovarian — a grave  
chubby 11. Hll girl.

O T & listened tonight  
to a radio symposium  
of protest against  
the treatment accorded  
Jews in Germany.

Trice at Norton, Cathedral.

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1938

319th day — 46 days follow

Donic came for Helen  
& me at the house.  
Borah — straws —  
it was beautiful.

Babson

on 6.11 at

Wednesday, Nov. 16, 1938

County Life  
Press.

320th day — 45 days follow

Babson & Alice for  
dinner. Notes elsewhere.

Elis. Leslie

Thursday, Nov. 17, 1938

321st day — 44 days follow

Frip on high today.  
2nd for new story

9 5 1.  
~~with Helen~~ + the children  
celebratory children  
library

2 30 @ 4 30  
with Elis. Leslie @ 6-7  
4 30 @ 6

Delossy had tea  
& family dinner

Rained this morning.

Only a few yellow  
leaves on our maple.  
But flowers - marigolds  
& carnations - still  
along on Clark's  
house!

Friday, Nov. 18, 1938

322nd day — 43 days follow

Very misty this morning.  
Helen called for Maria  
to take her to school by  
car. They were east of 9.

Had in for coffee, Helen  
too, talked about college  
& her m. t. c.

Native for h. g. in the  
rain.

to Stone's, with  
daddy

Saturday, Nov. 19, 1938

323rd day — 42 days follow

Delos & Maria & I drove to  
Milton to see the Stone's.  
Pond lake surrounded by mixed  
oaks. Water clear. Reflections  
under partly overcast sky.  
Bar over fence against  
the sky — like black ferns.  
Misty rain when we left near  
Rocklee as one (after calling  
at Barnett's) Pine & bare trees,  
leafy brown underbrush, birches,  
red huts, green golf course.  
Rocks, like our hillside, wet  
among lower leaves. Grass of  
thin white birches on  
hillside above a lake. Green  
on actual parkway still  
very green. Some of horseback  
rides in the rain.

a hearty welcome from Stone.  
Put Maria down before  
dinner. Delos sleeping in  
Ann's room — I in Babar's.

Flower

Sunday, Nov. 20, 1938

324th day — 41 days follow

and what a view I awoke  
to! I was awakened in bed,  
Eunna sitting with me.  
Awe at when we woke.  
Now — 11.30 — sky lightly  
blue, low strands of white  
cloud, islands of cloud,  
concentric of cloud, & scars  
of cloud above the tree tops  
& valley below. An airship  
or ship. Came in leaving  
other outside, to sit down &  
look at sky.

Some Margaret goes to  
subway, on our way home, &  
stopped by the grabber for  
Marian's cat, a few little  
grey striped kitten named (now)  
Midge. Took some milk from  
her mother before she left.  
Marian & I took them carrying  
her all the way home.

Monday, Nov. 21, 1938

325th day — 40 days follow

Wanda & the usual  
Monday confusion.  
Story about it came.  
Discovered.

Midge will go to mother  
but Marian's grand  
almost kill her with  
kindness.

*Because  
"Bobby"  
Tacy*  
Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1938

326th day — 39 days follow

Be pausing as the note above  
says, "Bobby - Tacy"  
left as what comes of  
it!  
Belos, tonight, tonight have  
a scratched post for  
the kitchen, a log set  
on end with — play  
mouse purring from a  
wire. She ~~also~~ was  
funny with it, climbing  
to the top & reaching for  
the mouse with a  
cat's incredible grace.  
She also had meat  
troughs.  
Helen & Pete in, & we  
are talked because  
of our impending 21st  
Anniversary & about  
romances.

Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1938

327th day — 38 days follow

Lost today will —  
headache.

Mc Carney — Church in  
Thursday, Nov. 24, 1938 2 p.m.

328th day — 37 days follow

Thanksgiving Day

Good it's still with  
me the moment but it's  
a happy Thanksgiving  
anyway. I tried to  
topple for Maria a  
half of Maria's face  
to me. I'm not  
wally. I'm putting  
up curtains.

An overcast sky + very cold weather  
when we drove to Mc Carney.  
I tried to have dinner with  
his family in Belau. We  
had a good dinner + happy  
time. About 5 it began  
to snow + sleet. When we  
left to go home, as we  
could hardly clear the wind-  
shield of the ice, sleet + hardly  
over the car. World white +  
family. But got home  
safely.

~~Thursday~~ Friday, Nov. 25, 1938

329th day — 36 days follow

Snowed all night, woke  
to find world covered  
with blanket of white.  
or Canada + elsewhere  
other countries land.  
I also went with  
~~to~~ get the car  
from the store for  
a long while — got a  
H + a neighbor got  
finally in same lot  
+ car. I came at  
Maria's chamber +  
go outside.

all day long sun sparkling a  
white snow. Neighbors, both men  
+ women, started working  
work. roadwork + borrowed  
dark gloves. Snow plough.  
Road + the birds.  
Sweet burnt wafer, a  
thin old man when  
D — + a bed.

Shobal

Saturday, Nov. 26, 1938

330th day — 35 days follow

Breakfast early + D —  
no shoe cleanup. Drove to  
Pelham to call on Ray & r  
have dinner with Shobal.  
Snow even deeper than it was  
here. Great drifts.

Perry

Sunday, Nov. 27, 1938

331st day — 34 days follow

First Sunday in Advent

Drove down the island to  
Poughkeepsie for the  
christening of the ~~ship~~  
Laurie Perry. Snow was  
sparkling on the deep  
drifts when we left, ~~but~~  
(i.e. mirages were making a  
snow mass) but we ran  
with snow as we proceeded.  
Made the trip safely, however.  
Drove — as Jimmy Godfather —  
acquainted him only with  
old usual fare. Bott of  
champagne as the  
luncheon.

Forgot to say that it snowed  
still more in the night  
while I was still having  
coffee in bed, Drove was  
all shoe cleanup.

PTA - evening. Shop.

Monday, Nov. 28, 1938

332nd day - 33 days follow

Took Marian to town. It was the first time she had seen the big New York Street Christmas display. I took her to school at 11:00. Got home at 11:15. Lunched at Wanaumet, then to my department where she saw snow white + the 7 Dwarves + Santa Claus. He asked her what she wanted for Christmas but she was terribly confused + murmured - "New doll's set. There was something I wanted but I can't remember what it is." - afterwards we bought her a ski suit (the children had called her a rissy in leggings) and we went to the train, via Macy's windows which show a child's dream of the future. Mrs. DeLoe + she told him all about it coming home on the train.

Royalty due from Macy's

Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1938

333rd day - 32 days follow

14.66 cont.  
12.50 K.  
H.L.  
825 - 200.

Marian playing in the snow after school. School, by the way, was visiting at 10:45, a little boy named George, the teacher - Miss Dume - stood out against in front of the class about the existence of Santa. I gave Marian the famous "unconditional" to take to school. She played in the snow so hard that Mrs. Quinn took her in + clamped her shoes + stockings.

Rivoli  
The.

To town to meet W. B.  
Stems at 1 -

Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1938

334th day - 31 days follow

To town for Christmas  
shopping at Abraham's  
Stamps - lunch  
with W. B. Stems at  
Stems - with Mr. B.  
see The fabulous novel,  
a delightful play detailing  
the history of the  
home with Delos's  
and that Mr. B.  
had written with & music  
of a song  
The Catnip Tree.

Thursday, Dec. 1, 1938

335th day - 30 days follow

Get into me today after  
taking me to hair  
dresser & back. Ready  
getting ready for Delos's  
party, however as I have  
with a cold.

Delos birthday - party

Friday, Dec. 2, 1938

336th day - 29 days follow

McCartney  
Naylor  
Lillie  
graves  
Oosterlinck  
Stone  
Lucille?

A very busy happy  
day. I helped get made  
stuff the turkey, and I  
made the hot berry cake  
with my own hands.  
Ray & Eileen came for  
dinner + for dessert &  
coffee. The McCarneys,  
the Naylor's & the Lucille's  
came. Good talk by the  
fire light + Ray made a  
row to Delos. Such a  
old husband!

Delos

Brown's

Saturday, Dec. 3, 1938

337th day - 28 days follow

Rain

It was such a happy  
day yesterday but I  
lost Saturday the third part  
of my life with  
headache + nausea -  
Delos was called to  
doctor - we all had  
some trouble in bed  
with "bad breathing".  
Remedy to god & his  
all.

Church at 4 — <sup>999</sup> Sunday, Dec. 4, 1938

338th day — 27 days follow

Second Sunday in Advent

I was up in a hurry  
today but wasn't able  
to take Marian to church  
at 10. The doctor  
the doctor stopped in  
to see us.

Pats trying to get Paddy  
& Midge to make friends.

Monday, Dec. 5, 1938

339th day — 26 days follow

Last night in bed I read  
Oros's mother's record  
of her herbs — fragrant  
tip. What a name it  
would make! I am  
working today — Marian  
still at home. H. North  
came in for coffee  
& found the put up  
the living room drapes  
are an almost settled.  
Raining.

Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1938

340th day — 25 days follow

The rain has melted the  
last vestige of snow.  
Laws again again.  
I look and as I can  
hardly wait until summer.  
walked this morning — to  
Loren's shop for a  
notion for coffee this after-  
noon. We are having  
fun with our mity. Bald  
thru a play with h.f.  
She leaps into the air  
when he fluster his  
handful thing or h.f.

Wednesday, Dec. 7, 1938

341st day — 24 days follow

over at breakfast  
sang another song  
she has composed  
about mity.

a good morning Betty - Tacy  
my neighbors in the  
to — some play  
with the notion  
tonight. A big man coming  
home to an in part  
or so way.

Thursday, Dec. 8, 1938

342nd day — 23 days follow

6.30. Color all round the  
sky. A moon surrounded  
by mist in the west.  
beams covered with frost. I  
look out of my window  
as our cozy tucked in  
dogwood tree & late on home.  
Dinos off on early shift.

We are making Christmas  
plum pudding from a recipe  
which has been in Grandma's  
family since 1779. I am  
buying fruits & spices etc.  
melons, which she calls  
for a dr. Came home from  
notar tonight to find  
he cutting up meat.  
Myian & I shelled the  
almonds.

Friday, Dec. 9, 1938

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343rd day — 22 days follow

Woman Pays Club Dinner.

Saturday, Dec. 10, 1938

344th day — 21 days follow

Flays  
here.

While I was in town yesterday  
of uncle's 2 sisters & son, and  
continued operations in the  
plane business.

The Flays has today,  
brought us a Christmas  
angel for the mantelpiece.  
Owl & Hartons this  
evening for his wife.

Sunday, Dec. 11, 1938

345th day — 20 days follow

Third Sunday in Advent

Went to Sunday  
School.

As I order for coffee  
with milk & sugar.

9 AM in afternoon  
D + out tonight to Co-op.

Monday, Dec. 12, 1938

346th day - 19 days follow

Delos & I + the Nokes  
with the ladies to a  
talk on the Co-operative  
movement - at the  
Co-op.

Eastern Prop. run meeting.

Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1938

347th day - 18 days follow

same  
Pays.

Busy with Christmas.  
Delos suffering with  
sinus ~~after~~ still.  
~~at~~ no snow - cold  
fog - sometimes  
overcast & raining but  
never very cold.

~~Answers to Dims?~~ Mail <sup>Income</sup> Tax

Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1938

348th day — 17 days follow

Working on Betty Tacy.  
Helen & Doris in for  
Shirley. Doris to bed  
again with his bad  
sinus.

Thursday, Dec. 15, 1938

349th day — 16 days follow

Answer chapter of  
Betty Tacy.  
Doris in, bringing his  
sinus, & a bureau &  
over for 2000. A  
copy afternoon talking  
about 2000. Two  
times I must get it —  
they were the 2000th  
copy in 2000.  
The first time she went  
with her father & he left  
a tip. Doris thought he  
had forgotten the quarter  
& carried it home & gave  
it to him.  
Also Katie in high school  
to Doris with great  
excitement that she had  
gone to the monkey cage &  
had coon tails, what  
kind? ~~what~~ Doris in an  
awful whisper, "I don't  
know," said Katie, "but  
they had eyes in them."  
For early stories.

Graves to dinner?

Friday, Dec. 16, 1938

350th day - 15 days follow

Lunch with my darling  
 Emma in town then  
 an afternoon  
 shopping. Mrs. Delos and  
 children for high  
 the train to see the  
 Maurice Evans exhibit  
 Handel (6.30 to 11.30)  
 It is a superb act  
 but we liked the Gilpin  
 Handel better - we  
 more moved by it. I  
 like the last version better  
 too.

Nanna called to say that  
 she lost Betty Tag. exhibit -  
 second copy.

Took Emma to pudding.

Shobes?

206  
 entered  
 checked

Saturday, Dec. 17, 1938

351st day - 14 days follow

Delos sent me out  
 for the shopping list  
 money & we bought  
 our watches & got  
 them up.  
 Shobes family & we  
 in today. Joan &  
 Marian Kichanup  
 packages.

Mary's Service - Cathedral - 9.30.  
Sunday, Dec. 18, 1938 *Miriam*  
352nd day - 13 days follow 40'6"

Fourth Sunday in Advent

at 9.30 @ the Cathedral  
for Miriam's present.  
She will receive  
~~present~~ a host of  
children & much  
company, her service  
was sweet.

This afternoon @ -  
over me we @ her  
the memorial. Such a  
beautiful service it  
made me cry. Dad's  
radiant face as she  
walked up the aisle!  
Grip here @ - Miriam  
& I admired the lighted  
and box Christmas  
tree - the lighted candles  
& candles. We have  
had an electric rotary  
Christmas sign which  
gave me + joy.

Monday, Dec. 19, 1938  
353rd day - 12 days follow

mailed Miriam's  
box when 9 - took  
Dad to the train.  
so was raining - not  
Christmas weather.  
walked on way for  
Mitt. Ticks + as by pump  
a second copy of Betty  
Tacy, Dad's train  
delayed tonight.  
Miriam says, that as  
school they are doing  
nothing but work on  
Christmas presents. Card  
flooding in.

Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1938

354th day — 11 days follow

Finished by page first five chapters of Betty Tacy. + got a box of 10 names along with all Michigan boxes + a bag of Christmas letters. Grandma + me + me, also bought an Christmas tree. Came home + find a box of greens for the mantle from Emma's woods. They look so sweet. Rather in tonight for hope by freight. Mitzi got out of door and run up trees + has a fine time.

Schools close, to open Jan. 3

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1938

355th day — 10 days follow

Last day of school — for this term. Merian started off with the present for Miss Bernice. During the morning, as ~~the~~ about grey morning, snow flakes + two appeared, then more + more. The ~~as soon~~ snowed in pale green from thick scattered snow. Light falling from a pine. Have been unpacking ~~the~~ Christmas things — our Santa who hangs in the tool way, etc.

Thursday, Dec. 22, 1938

356th day — 9 days follow

Gertrude's holiday but  
she worked until 2.30.  
ever so very busy.  
Miriam + I went to  
Winnipeg to do her  
Christmas shopping  
(mostly for dogs + cats.)

Friday, Dec. 23, 1938

357th day — 8 days follow

Did not go to town after all,  
as Miss Leslie sailed for  
Pauanau today. I was  
very very extremely busy with  
getting ready for Christmas.  
Day is cast + looks like  
snow but forecast is rain  
+ warmer. Delos home  
for his 3 day holiday, so  
grateful for it. All of us  
preparing for Christmas.  
Have 3 kids that we have  
wreaths up + holy +  
mistletoe, Henry Gabriel  
a pine + laurel in the  
family piece + a little  
Santa hanging from  
door way + the trees up  
+ down Kiyato + beautiful  
road as magically  
beautiful + there are  
lighted wreaths + candles,  
a Santa Claus guarding  
one front door + every  
Merry Christmas in lights -  
wreaths + + etc.

Christmas Eve  
with the whole family  
Saturday, Dec. 24, 1938

358th day - 7 days follow

Cloud  
S.E.  
110°

Merian is in bed, with one  
of her bad mattress spells;  
we fear it is the cat. But  
from her room she stayed all  
day in our Christmas prepara-  
tions. I was helping Grand  
in the morning. Later D & I  
went shopping for candy  
cane, etc. and at 4, when  
we had a fire blazing in the  
grate & the house was the  
picture of Christmas, Allan  
& Barbara came. We had a  
beautiful time. After dinner  
Merian came down stairs to  
be wrapped in the white  
shawl. Allan read from  
Dickens' Christmas Carol.  
Barbara read from Norton's  
(the book brought it was) copy of  
Twas the night before Christmas.  
Belos read from the Gospel  
according to St. Luke. And at  
Merian's suggestion each one  
drew a Christmas card. Then  
the stockings were hung.

Invitation for Christmas dinner.  
next Claude Sunday, Dec. 25, 1938  
on 12.28

359th day - 6 days follow

Cloud  
H.C.

Christmas - The Nativity

Merian was very ill all  
night & from 3 o'clock  
on beginning to go down  
stairs - all of us. But I  
restrained her until 6.  
Then Belos went & ahead  
to light the fire & all of  
us trooped down to see  
her to the ceiling, blazing  
with lights & fire roaring  
in the grate below the  
row of stockings, all of us  
including Grand & Mitty,  
had lovely things.  
It was one of the loveliest  
Christmas I ever had in  
my life. The new house -  
Belos & Merian so dear -  
Allan & Barbara perfect  
guests - so young & gay. But  
Claude couldn't come for  
dinner but Harmon came -  
& she always contributes so  
much. We had a procession  
of guests all morning - calling

Monday, Dec. 26, 1938

360th day - 5 days follow

got out of bathroom until  
noon. could go to court  
and for sniffs of T. game  
bought the pudding in  
bunnie. Bloss added  
Pete & Geo. He had at  
game all day. Merian  
- in heaven with gal he  
thru, especially the  
doll clothes for boys  
Helen. Not in in night  
when Bloss took on  
guests to the train. Mous  
and he the girl car out  
Uncle Jim gave her &  
daddy used gift  
wedding anniversary  
also from Auntie's  
Katie + Helen  
candelabra which will  
be on our mantle piece.

Mon. Dec. 26.

Bloss had a holiday. we  
RESTED, ate scrape enjoyed  
our one & presents & had  
coffee with the Nortons.

Insurance sub ...

Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1938

361st day - 4 days follow

Back to work with  
day after six of Betty -  
Tay. Blossy & back to  
work too, wanders  
her. Donny & Paul  
came to supper. Geo. and  
Merian, Hope & I met  
them at train & tried to  
make Paul guess what  
our dinner was - Geo.  
reached to eat it; wine  
in it; Trifle. we had a  
pleasant drive lit by  
firelight & Christmas  
tree light. The ~~neighborhood~~  
neighborhood is lighted  
by our own Christmas  
tree - so expensive.  
P & I saw the night  
had one with a star at  
the top & we think  
we'll decorate our  
Canada breakfast like  
that next year.

~~Star?~~  
Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1938

362nd day - 3 days follow

cold, Mexican & I into  
the dolls for a walk,  
on handkerchief game -  
concern this day.  
Top Chief - paraded -  
a certain game where  
you throw quills.  
Mexican in the spread  
the afternoon with Mrs  
Clarke & a 15-year old  
girl, which pleased her.

when we take the dolls  
for a walk, Mexican  
said on about how  
they thought of Christmas  
that our land was the  
whole world, but now  
they think that the Mex  
only government is the whole  
world.

Thursday, Dec. 29, 1938

363rd day - 2 days follow

World war & cold, also  
excellent morning  
Precious Silver, get the  
went out to Mexican, I  
had lunch & took the  
dolls for a walk,  
then a nap & got dinner  
for Daddy.

I was happy to see  
mamma's new Christmas  
tree light.

Clarke

Argentina.

Friday, Dec. 30, 1938

364th day - 1 day follows

It snowed in the night -  
altho it has stopped now.  
7.30 a.m. Slept a pale  
opal to match the world  
which is truly, patchy,  
covered with snow.

I finished Precious Silver  
came in to see Clarke's  
a neighborhood sea & a  
to town. Delos + I had  
dinner with Blanche's  
went on to see Argentina  
~~with~~ + her company  
dance. He beautiful  
classic face, like Kate's  
rounded body, costume,  
surreal costumes. He  
and they artists good on, I  
especially enjoyed the  
guitar.

To Stanzas -

Saturday, Dec. 31, 1938

365th day - The last Day

New Year's Eve

Tired ending 1938. It's been  
a bad year. But it  
brought us our new  
house which we are loved.  
As for work, I did two  
months or so of research  
a novel which I think I  
shall never write -  
I good that stanza - and  
1/3 at least of a juvenile  
book. Has so bad got away  
in which I took care of  
mother & was sick myself.  
- but oh I do so hope &  
wonder that next year will  
be better.

Delos & Maria are perfect.  
We ended in our careers  
this afternoon. Now ~~at~~  
to be in gala clothes  
to ~~the~~ to meet Ray &  
Diana in Grand Central  
for dinner. (We missed them &  
got alone but gayly at the  
Murray Hill) with Stanzas & the  
SPart mee friend

Memoranda

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes with some scribbles]*

Memoranda

Capsules for blood -

43289 -

Per ~~min~~

2-25-38.

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slip nose drops - 4 drops  
in each nostril q. t. h.

~~wigman~~

Memoranda

Poem, Composed by Maria, Jan. 30. (She  
also composed music to sing it by.)

I

Oh, the catnip tree  
oh, the catnip tree,  
It's where good little kittens shall go  
To stay all night - to play all night  
As they lay in their cradles so

II

and the toys that are there are catnip toys  
Such as mice + balls + strings,  
and the whole of the land that's around <sup>them</sup>  
with merrily laughter nips

III

and sugar + cream around them  
and lots of goodies rare  
and drink of the cream of the catnip  
stream

And fill for catnip fair

IV

So go to sleep small kittens  
to know you'll soon be there  
and climb up the catnip tree  
and sleep all things fair

V

And the scratching posts are scented  
with a fragrant catnip smell

And there's lots of kittens playing  
down in a Supary deal.

Memoranda

Received

Paid







# July Cash Account

# August Cash Account

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## September Cash Account

	Received		Paid
Minn. rent	65	00	
Madsen			31 60
Tent & awning			4 27
Al. Electric.			12 50
Madsen 9.50 @ com.			

## October Cash Account

	Received		Paid
June	2	00	
Stock?			
taxes			54 30



## Recapitulation

## Memoranda

	Received	Paid
January		
February		
March		
April		
May		
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July		
August		
September		
October		
November		
December		

	Received	Paid
Aunt Jessie recommends		
The Sacred Heart Cement Noroton, Conn.		
Recommended by Vaughan Poreyemse Farm, Smith Brooksville, Maine.		
Recommended by Kitch.		
<del>Casavone</del>		
Highland House + Cottages Evelyn M. Stewart - Mgr North Truro, Mass.		

# Memoranda

Received Paid

Delos Ins. Policy # 5851107A  
 May 25. address  
 Metropolitan Life Ins. Co.  
 5th Floor  
 271 North Ave.  
 New Rochelle, N.Y.

Merian asthma mouth  
 capsules.

# 36941 - 2/22/36  
 for Wightman.

maud - blood capsules -  
 # 43289 - 2/25/38.  
 1 capsule - 3 times a day  
 after meals - for mmmmm.

MISSOURI—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election days, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 MONTANA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NEBRASKA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Arbor Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NEVADA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12 and 31, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NEW HAMPSHIRE—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, Fast Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. elec., Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NEW JERSEY—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Good Friday, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. elec., Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
 NEW MEXICO—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Arbor Day, Labor Day, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NEW YORK—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. elec., Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Sat. p. m.  
 NORTH CAROLINA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, April 12, May 10, May 20, July 4, Labor Day, election day, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 NORTH DAKOTA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 OHIO—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 OKLAHOMA—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 OREGON—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Primary Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 PENNSYLVANIA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Mar. 4, Pa. Day, Good Friday, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
 PORTO RICO—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, Mar. 22, Good Friday, Apr. 16, May 30, July 4, 17, 25 and 27, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 RHODE ISLAND—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, Arbor Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
 SOUTH CAROLINA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, Dec. 28.  
 SOUTH DAKOTA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Arbor Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 TENNESSEE—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 12 and 22, Good Friday, May 30, June 3, July 4 and 13, Labor Day, Nov. 11, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 TEXAS—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, Mar. 2, April 21, May 30, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 UTAH—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, July 24, Labor Day, Oct. 12, election day, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 VERMONT—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30, July 4, Aug. 16, Labor Day, Oct. 12, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 VIRGINIA—Jan. 1 and 19, Feb. 22, May 30, June 3, July 4, Labor Day, gen. election, Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
 WASHINGTON—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Saturday p. m.  
 WEST VIRGINIA—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, May 30, June 20, July 4, Labor Day, Oct. 12, gen. elec., Nov. 11, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25, every Sat. p. m.  
 WISCONSIN—Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.  
 WYOMING—Jan. 1, Feb. 12 and 22, Arbor Day, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, general election, Thanksgiving, Dec. 25.

# RATES OF POSTAGE

Official at time of printing. As changes are likely consult Post Office.

## UNITED STATES AND POSSESSIONS

First class—Letters, written and sealed matter . . . . . per oz. 3c

Letters for local delivery with letter carrier or R. F. D. service, per oz. 2c

Air mail—For delivery in any part of the Continental United States or Canada, 6c per ounce or fraction. Air mail may be registered, insured or sent C.O.D.

Second class—Newspapers, magazines and other periodicals, entered as second class matter, when mailed by the public, 1c for each 2 ozs. or fraction thereof, or the fourth class rate, whichever is lower.

Third class—(limit 8 ounces) Circulars and other miscellaneous printed matter, also merchandise, 1½c for each 2 ounces. Books (including catalogs) of 24 pages or more, seeds, cuttings, bulbs, roots and plants, 1c for each 2 ounces.

Fourth class—(Parcels Post) Everything over eight ounces except first class and second class mail. Zone rates beginning with local delivery at 7c for 1st lb. plus 1c for each additional 2 lbs. Inquire P. O. for further information.

Special handling—Fourth class matter only. Parcels of fourth class matter indorsed "Special Handling" will be given the most expeditious handling, transportation and delivery practicable (but not special delivery) upon payment, in addition to the regular postage, of the following charge: Up to 2 lbs., 10c; over 2 to 10 lbs., 15c; over 10 lbs., 20c.

Registered mail (postage extra) 15c to \$1.00 including indemnity of \$5 to \$1,000. Declaration of value must be made to P. O.—not on article. 3c fee charged for return receipt.

Special delivery—First class to 2 lbs., 10c; over 2 lbs. to 10 lbs., 20c; over 10 lbs., 25c.

Other classes—to 2 lbs. 15c; over 2 to 10 lbs. 25c; over 10 lbs. 35c.

Postal cards—Government, souvenir and private if within Department size . . . . . 1c  
Other plain printed cards, no writing but address . . . . . 1½c

**MONEY ORDERS.**—Domestic. For sums not exceeding \$2.50, six cents; over \$2.50 to \$5, eight cents; over \$5 to \$10, eleven cents; over \$10 to \$20, thirteen cents; over \$20 to \$40, fifteen cents; over \$40 to \$60, eighteen cents; over \$60 to \$80, twenty cents; over \$80 to \$100, twenty-two cents. No order issued for over \$100.

## POSTAGE TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Letters for Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fernando Po and Spanish Guinea including Annobon Islands, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras (Republic), Labrador, Mexico, Morocco (Spanish Zone), Newfoundland, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Salvador, El, Spain (including Balearic Islands, Canary Islands, Ceuta, Melilla, Tangier Alhucemas, Chaferinas or Zafarini Islands and Penon de Velez de la Gomera, Andorra and Rio de Oro, Villa Cisneros, Cabo Juby, La Aguera and Cabo Blanco), Uruguay and Venezuela, per oz. 3c

Post Cards—To all countries named above:  
Single cards . . . . . 2c Double cards . . . . . 4c  
To all other countries:  
Single cards . . . . . 3c Double cards . . . . . 6c

All other foreign destinations, not listed above: Letters 5c first ounce, 3c each additional ounce.

# CALENDAR for 1939

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