

JANUARY 1

FRI. 1937 - Were invited to waltz party last night at O. Schenck's. Dina's go.
Went to A. N. Y. Ex. D. (E. B., E. S., A. J., E. B.)

Went to church in morning and to
Mildred + Ora in afternoon. Somebody here while
we were gone and messed things on back porch.

SAT. 1938 - Went to church this morning. In afternoon Harvey,
Ethere + I went to Mil. + Ora. Homer went riding with Uncle
Charlie in his new 1937 Chevrolet. Dad + Mom at home.
Tonight Mom, dad, Ethere, + I went to Ed. Karrenbrock at new mall
saw their Christmas lights.

SUN. 1939 - Went to S.S. and church. Afternoon we
all went to Uncle Charlie + Aunt Lillie's
Tonight I went along with Ethere, Ervin, Homer, Verma, +
Harvey to Warrenton show. Saw Bert + what with the Berdys
(Mickey, Rooney and

Mon. 1940 - Went to church. Rev. Helling preached again.
In afternoon Mom, dad, Ethere, + Homer went to church
meeting. I went to Mildreds. They got me after meeting.
Walter Polman's came tonight too.

Wed. 1941 - Taught school today. In evening
Miss Clarke + I went to Phigley's to sign
our contracts. ~~Went to~~

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SAT. 1937 - Didn't do much - did bat. cleaning I sure.
Sewed. Got a New Year's card from
Vera Pitman.

Sun. 1938. Went to S.S. + church. Afternoon Mom, dad, Mildred, uncle Al.
+ Aunt Clara went to yearly meeting at church. Arnold Guerman + Virge
W. died death. Father + I stayed at Herman's. Homer + Harvey went to
Ora's. Tomite father, Evelyn, Alvin + I went to Warrenton show.

Saw Warner Katter + Joan Blondell in "Vogues of 1938." All in colors.

Mon. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly quilt +. Washed
clothes after dinner.

Tues. 1940 - Packed clothes all morning. Dad, Homer, +
Ora took me to Wentzville. Bus Gate on account of snow.
Rode on Katherine's leg to Wentzville. Got on different
bus at Warrenton + took it to Kirksville. Had to
wait at K. for the following bus for our baggage. We 8
went we got to Mrs. Davis. She gave Katherine and I supper.

Thurs. 41 - Taught school. ~~Went~~ Miss Clarke +
I went with the Petherforks to Unionville to get
Miss Clarke's car. Knitted tonite. Got
knitting yarn from Red Cross at K. to knit a sweater.

JANUARY 3

SUN. 1937 - Cold. Went to Sunday School + church.
Mildred + Ora here for dinner + afternoon. Ice cream.
Went to show at site (Hyman, Homer, Verna H., Letha, Evia) saw
"College Holiday" (Curse, Ellen, Jack Benny, Martha Raye) pretty good.

Mon. 1938 - Homer + Harvey down at Mildred's. Washed clothes
this afternoon. Wrote class letter. Mildred went to store.
Stopped in here.

Tue. 1939 - Sewed on embroidery this morning.
Went to club meeting at Bollmann's this afternoon.
Exchanged apron patterns. Sewed coffee,
cookies + rolls.

Wed. 1940 - Went to school today. Studied
tonite. Had assembly this morning. Dean
Inmel, University of Southern California
Speech Teacher, read some poems.

Fri. 1941 - Taught school. This evening
immediately after school I left with Miss
Clarke for Columbia. She had to arrange for
dropping courses at the university. To get
through Prossfield, Keytesville, + Fayette. arrived
there at 9.

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JANUARY 5

Mon. 1937 - Homer, Esther, & I went to Twichaus butchering.

Plenty help. Found out that Uncle Charley, Parkson & Maynard were here Fri. on back porch and made mess.

Uncle Charley & Dad went to St. Charles. Homer & Harvey hunting tonight.

Tue. 1938 - Ironed clothes. Mailed class letter.

Irvin W. here shredding corn. Paul Berkemeier here want mom & I to help butcher tomorrow. Mrs. B. sick. Homer & Harvey went hunting. Got two opossums.

Wed. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly. Put comfort in frame began tufting it. Mildred here this afternoon. League meeting tonight but postponed till tomorrow night on account of

Thurs. 1940 - Went to classes. Went to ^{library} this afternoon and studied. Tonight played cards with Helen, Mrs. Davis, and Dave. Wrote letter to Esther tonight.

Sat. 1941 - In Columbia. With Miss Clark to University at first. She brought me to Vernie Backhaus's place. Stayed with her until noon. Came home for dinner. Went back after dinner. Stayed for supper. Vernie & I went to the show. This thing called love.

Tues. 1937 - Homer, Harvey, and Warren Rehmeier got a coon last night. It's teeth. Went to Twichaus again today (Esther & I), Johnny took us home.

Wed. 1938 - Mom, dad, & I went to Berkemeiers. Butchered Shags. Mulla & Wilbert B. helped too. Irvin & Kermit at home, shredding corn. Tonight Ella River planned on serenading Edward Heumann. Didn't work out right, he beat it out. Saw his wife but not the baby. Homer, Harvey, Vera, Mildred, Esther & I went down together.

Thurs. 1939 - Finished tufting comfort this morning. Began sewing wine print dress I got for Christmas. Tonight went to league meeting. Served cheese & crackers & coffee.

Fri. 1940 - Went to classes this morning. Went to library this afternoon and studied. Tonight Katherine & I went with Jacquetta to mail her letters uptown. Played cards with Katherine, Dave & Mrs. Davis.

Sun. 1941 - In Columbia. Vernie & I went to Ev. Student Chapel. Talked to Kenny & Henry & Edna. Sat with Henry in church. Miss Clark & I started back at 4:30. Got to Lemons at 8:30. Came through Kirksville.

JANUARY 6

WED. 1937 - Washed clothes after dinner. Sewed. After supper Homer went to F.O. to get radio battery. Tater him + Harvey went hunting but didn't get anything. Got new suspension gloves from C.M.O. (Pennies from Heaven - Our hit parade)

THURS. 1937 - Mom + I went to Parkmeiers. Halls B. there too. Made sausage. Erwin + Kermit helped shuck corn at home. Got 2.50 from Parkmeiers.

Fri. 1937 - Sewed on wine dress. Harvey went to basketball game at Middaville tonite. Lost.

Sat. 1937 - Cleaned room and washed clothes this morning. Afternoon Katherine + I went up town. Snowed tonite. Put jig-saw puzzle together and wrote letter to Mildred.

Mon. 1940 - Taught school. Knitted. Wrote to Doris tonight. Ray called from Kirksville tonite.

JANUARY 7

THURS. 1937 - Ugly weather; Rainy. Ice on trees. Got a red fox in trap. Dad took mom to Berlin Aid. Sewed on scarf. Ethel Williams sent us her quilt patches.

Fri. 1938 - Pressed my dress + H. pants. Herman Back-haus here with serial pictures of farms. Uncle Charlie here - butchered calf. Tonite Mildred and Ora here, got things for their butchering.

Sat. 1939 - Churned butter. Took music lessons at Marie Brink this afternoon. Set hair.

Sun. 1938 - Heavy snow, didn't go to church. Ida May, Jo, + I made soup for dinner. Studied this afternoon. Tonite Mary, Bert, Kenneth Cooley and I played cards.

Tues. 1940 - Taught school. Tonite Howard Bogner, ^{the} H.S. teacher + I went to Unionville + holler - debated + went to the show. Saw + knitted Rockland (Pat O'Brien + Hale Page). Letter from Mildred. Wrote to Mildred +ileen.

JANUARY 8

Fri. 1937 - Rain. Ice on trees. Cut and sewed pink flannel pajamas. Two weeks ago since Ruth Berkemier (4 yrs.) died on Christmas night (Dec. 25, 1936).

Sat. 1937 - Dad went to Wright City. Scrubbed kitchen. Set hair. Took down Christmas tree. One here to get things for butchering. Lonita, Homer + Harvey went to Edwards Heuman's arena again. Same bunch there.

Sun. 1937 - Went to S.S. + Church. Afternoon Charles, E. Frederick, Alma B., + Eleanor came over to go to F.O. to undercorate tree but when we got there they were done.

Mon. 1938 - Went to classes. Studied at library this afternoon. Went to basketball game tonite with Katherine, Rebecca, and Mary. Kirksville (21) vs Springfield (16).

Wed. 1938 - Taught school today. Two letters from Ray. Knitted. Two ladies, Mrs. Quigley + Mrs. Edwards at school this evening. Got acquainted party Fri. nite. Wrote to Ray.

JANUARY 9

SAT. 1937 - Sewed on pajamas. Uncle Charlie was here and brought a box of sandy from Darleen. Snowed a little tonight.

Sun. 1938 - Went to S.S. and church. Stayed home this afternoon. Ed. Backhaus here a few min. Lonita, Esther, Erwin, Elvin, + I went to Defiance medicine show. Homer, Harvey, Charles + Edgar went too.

Mon. 1939 - Sewed on butterflies. Lonita + I took Esther + I to choir practice. Homer + Harvey went hunting, got a coon.

Tues. 1938 - Went to classes. Afternoon at 4 Katherine and I went to the Rural Leadership Club and joined. Served cookies and cocoa. Wrote letter to Marie Briak. Studied tonite. Two girls stayed here at Mrs. Davis. Tonite because of ~~school~~ ^{the place they stay} ~~fish~~ at

Thurs. 1938 - Taught school today. Washed clothes tonite. Letter from Esther. Knitted. Wrote to Esther.

JANUARY 10

SUN. 1937 ~~Got~~ up late. Went to S.S. & church. In the afternoon Walter Palmer + family were here and also Eleanor + Grace. Went skating ~~off~~ on frozen snow. That night Pete + Ervin came and we played cards.

Mon. 1938 - Mom, dad, Homer, Esther, + I went to Mildred + Ora, butchering. No. + Mrs. Queneman helped too. Harry went to school again. Tonite Mildred, Esther, + I went to O. Schemmers. Picked out a play for our club to give. Ora, Homer, + Harry went hunting. ~~Not some~~ ^{opportunity.}

Tue. 1939 - Washed clothes after dinner. Sewed on butterflies.

Wed. 1940 - Went to classes. Signed up with Independent ~~III~~ in Basketball Tournament. Studied tonite. Assembly this morning. Dr. Hewitt spoke.

Th. 1940 - Taught school. Tonite had get-acquainted party. Musical program. Served sandwiches, coffee, + cocoa. After party I went with Butterfords to Kirksville. Arrived there at 12 (midnite). No one knew I was coming.

JANUARY 11

MON. 1939 - Sewed on pajamas and started Grace's dress. Dad went to Wentzville and had truck trouble. Andrew Koller took feed home from Wm. Lipowski. Got a letter from Ruth.

Tue. 1938 - Dad, Mom, Esther, + I help Mildred + Ora butcher again. Made sausage. Mr. + Mrs. Queneman there too. This afternoon Mrs. Queneman, Esther, + I went to club meeting at Linker. Mrs. Clinton there a short while. Demonstration on preparing school lunches.

Wed. 1939 - Ironed clothes all day. Tonite Harry went to card party a C. Schaefer for Ruth Simpson. Won 1st prize (deck of cards).

Thurs. 1940 - Went to classes. Didn't have School Org. + mtg. this afternoon. Had hair set. Went uptown this evening + had picture taken. Current Affairs test this morning. Studied tonite.

Sat. 1940 - Riley, Katherine, + I went uptown. Ate dinner at Joes. Bought a sloppy Joe + salade. At 3 o'clock I went to the dentist (Ethel Thomas) Katherine went with me. Had to come back. Filled 3 teeth. Went to see Lois before going to dentist. Ray took me out to dinner at Swaner's tonite. Later went to K. C. O. S. dance (Freshman + solo). Negro orchestra (not South)

JANUARY 12

TUES. 1937 - Sewed on Grace's dress. Dad went to New Melle to fix truck. Sent for picture of Barnyard Follies.

Wed. 1938 - Went to church this morning. Rev. A. Kalkbrenner gave a trial sermon. Voted 37-40 for him. Didn't decide yet whether or not he'd take it. Pretty good but doesn't talk too loud. Show us some pecans to plant. This afternoon I began sewing on my sack rug and sewed on my butterfly quilt. ^{Harvey didn't come home tonight. Stayed with Ed. Bisher.} Went to basketball game.

Thurs. 1939 - Sewed on embroidery. Finished wine print dress. Invite Mom, dad, Esther, + I went to Herman Bueneman. Langenbacher had a meeting there about soil planning.

Fri. 1940 - Went to classes. Studied this afternoon. Wrote to Esther + Lucile Meyer tonight. Set Katherine's hair.

Sun. 1940 - Slept late. Katherine + I went to Joe's Cafet mat Aileen there for dinner. This afternoon Ray + I went walking. He supper with Aileen + Katherine. Invite Ray + I went uptown. Came home at 10 + then I went with Butterfords to Lemons.

JANUARY 13

WED. 1937 - Rain. Melted snow. Radio broke. Finished pajamas. Harvey came home late from school and letter and I milked 10 cows by ourselves.

Thurs. 1938 - Uncle Charlie got sick last nite. His dinner mom + dad went up there. They had taken him to Peasness hospital this morning. Washed clothes. Sewed on rug. Invite Herman + Mildred here. Homer, Harvey, Ora, Charles, + Andrew went hunting. Homer + Harvey stayed down at 8:30 when they got back from hunting. Got 7 opossums. Uncle Al. said uncle Charlie coming back Sunday.

Fri. 1939 - Sewed on embroidery. Mildred + Ora here this afternoon. Uncle Charlie here this dinner. Washed some clothes. Invite Harvey went to basketball game at Wright City. Lost.

Sat. 1940 - Ironed clothes. Went uptown after dinner. Set new shoes + shirt. Set Mrs. Davis hair. ~~Studied~~ Studied.

Mon. 1940 - All dressed for school + then notified there would be no school. Furnace pipe leaked. Knitted. wrote to Aileen, Mildred, + Ruth. This evening Miss Clarke, Rogers, + I went to Unionville. Mixed here.

JANUARY 14

THUR. 19³⁸ - ^{got class letter by mail.} Still raining; awful muddy. Got a grey fox in trap. Sewed on friendship quilt names tonite & sewed out a patch for Elvina K. Harvey stayed at Meezers on account of weather.

Fri. 19³⁸ - Mildred went home at 6 this morning, stayed last night. Sent boys home, they got up late, didn't hear alarm. Ironed clothes. Sewed on rug. Made overnight cookies.

Canned beef. Wrote S. S. lesson. Dorothy Engelage has scarlet fever. One girl broke out with something in ^{high school} yesterday.

Sat. 19³⁹ - Mom + Homer at Mildred. Dad to Wentzville. After dinner dad + Harvey went to Mildred too. Scrubbed kitchen, churned butter, darned stockings + fixed on clothes. Took bath.

Sun. 19⁴⁰ - ^{Pushed car on street + helped get it started.} Didn't go to S. S. and church. Snowed last night - very deep. Took pictures. Studied. After dinner Katherine + I borrowed snowsuits and went walking. Studied tonite. Wrote letter to Mildred.

Tue. 19⁴¹ - Taught school today. Wrote some of the others went to Unionville. I stayed home with toothache. Letter from Ray. Wrote to Ray + to Esther.

JANUARY 15

Fri. 19³⁸ - John Bergischer was here + brought white calf. Took bath. Went to Mary Britton's play at Richmond school. (Homer, Warren, Harvey, Esther, + I) "Mother Mine". It was good only characters needed prompting.

Sat. 19³⁸ - Ironed clothes. Set hair. Washed car. Mom + dad went to store this morning. Toonite Homer, Esther, + I went to dance at New Mills. Not many there, few from F. O. Alvin Erwin + Elmer were there too.

Sun. 19³⁹ - Went to S. S. + church. Afternoon went to Theo. Beckers.

Mon. 19⁴⁰ - Went to classes. Studied this afternoon and tonite.

Tue. 19⁴¹ - Taught school.

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JANUARY 17

SAT. 1937 - Got hair, wrote S.S. lesson. Scrubbed. At night went to New Melle dance. Nobody there so whole gang went to Y. (Esther, Ervin, Pete, & I). Al. Wenders got new 1937 Chevise. Mrs. Meyer brought Kodak back in afternoon.

Sun. 1938 - Went to S.S. & church. Darlan & Maynard went home with us. Uncle Ervin & Aunt Clara went to St. Louis to see Uncle Charlie. Stopped in this afternoon, said he coming home Tues. or Thurs. Mom & dad went to Alvin Laumier's Tonite. Mother, Harvey, Ervin, Esther, Alvin, & I went to Ora & Mildred. Played cards.

Mon. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly quilt.

Tues. 1940 - Went to classes. Studied this afternoon and tonite. Went to basketball game tonite. Kirksville played Warrensburg and lost 30-28. Wrote letter to Corinne Paul, got a letter from

Thurs. 1941 - Taught school. ^{for this morning} also, from mom.

Tonite Bogner, Miss Clarke, & I started to Unionville but came back because of fog.

SUN. 1937 - Went to S.S. & church. Took books along for Jocie who is sick in bed. Mildred & Ora for dinner & afternoon. At 3:30 (evening) Ervin & Kermit W. & Warren B. came in new car & gave us ride. At night we played cards.

Mon. 1938 - Sewed on each rug. Washed clothes. Sent letter to Aunt Hills and two Kodak films. Harvey stayed at home - had cold. Charles Bada here, grinding feed. Alvin jorling here (road boss). Got play books by mail.

Tues. 1939 - Washed clothes this morning. Began snowing this dinner. Sewed on butterfly quilt.

Wed. 1940 - Went to classes. Had assembly this morning. Mr. C. W. Duncan, a Philadelphia journalist, spoke. Good. Studied at library this afternoon. Studied tonite.

Fri. 1941 - Taught school. Letter from Ray.

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JANUARY 19

Mon. 1937 - Sun shined all day. Washed clothes; didn't
wash since week before last. Nearly fell over when
Harvey came home from school with letter from Coine Lehmann.
She sent us quilt block to sew out for her friendship quilt.

Tues. 1938 - Harvey stayed at home again. Sewed on rug.
Put wood in basement.

Wed. 1939 - Began cutting + piecing log cabin quilt
blocks.

Thurs. 1940 - Went to classes. Studied at library this
afternoon. Went to three one-act plays tonite;
Mrs. Davis, Katherine, Helen and I. Studied tonite.

Sat. 1941 - Miss Clarke, Elah May Wallace, + I went
to Kirleesville this morning. Spent several
hours at Mrs. Davis. Saw Ray. Came home to
Lemona at about 7 o'clock. Ironed clothes
tonite.

Tues. 1937 - Sent Jane letter to Mary Bratton. Homer + Dad
went to St. Louis and came back late. Had to do feeding (Cotton
+ 2). Sewed on Coine Lehmann quilt patch. Mable stepped
on Fidi's back and crippled him.

Wed. 1938 - Harvey went to school. Put quilt in frame.
Began quilting this afternoon. (Red, white, + blue star quilt)

Thurs. 1939 - Pieced together log cabin quilt blocks.

Fri. 1940 - Went to classes. Afternoon Mrs. Davis,
Helen, Katherine, and I went to show. "Rulers of the
Sea" (Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.) and "High School" (Jane
Withers). Pretty good. Studied tonite. ^{letter from} _{either.}

Sun. 1941 - Boglaci, Miss Clarke, + I went to Meth.
S.S. this morning. Only about 8 there. Conducted
sun own S. S. Messed around all day. Took pictures
of Bessie Ruth

JANUARY 20

VED. 1937 - Rained last night. Fido died this morning, Homer took him to the creek. He was 13 1/2 yrs. old. Sewed on my friendship quilt this morning and on Kracie's dress this afternoon.

Thurs. 1938 - Mom went with Uncle Edwin & Aunt Clara to St. Louis. Uncle Charlie came back. Got one bunch of pictures by mail. Quilted all day. Wrote SS. lesson tonight.

Fri. 1939 - Finished piecing log cabin quilt blocks today. Tonite us kids went with Meyers to basketball game at Howell. Augusta lost all 3 games.

Sat. 1940 - Cleaned our room. Got letter from Mildred. Washed my clothes. Studied this afternoon and tonight.

Mon. 1941 - Taught school. Letters from Mildred & Ray. Wrote to Mildred tonight.

JANUARY 21

THURS. 1937 - Began snowing this morning & kept it up most of the day. Sewed on Kracie's dress; patched my old pajamas & put them away; and sewed snaps in my new ones. Uncle Edwin & I walked out here this afternoon.

Fri. 1938 - Quilted all day. Homer worked on road. Mildred came after dinner - helped quilt. Tonite Kermit, Homer, Edwin & I, Estler, Alvin, & I went to St. Charles - Rural youth meeting. Only 4 other boys from Black Walnut (Robert M.) there. Some boys from Columbia there. Not bad - didn't get far with meeting.

Sat. 1939 - Went to Marie Brink this morning for music lessons. Afternoon dad, mom, Homer, & Harvey, went to Orat Mill. Cleaned kitchen, set hair, baked cake.

Sun. 1940 - Went to S. S. and church (Methodist) with Mrs. Davis & Mary. Wrote letter to Mildred. Washed and set hair. Studied.

Tues. 1941 - Taught school. Letter from Willa Ruth. Wrote to Ray tonight. Began reading "Her Father's Daughter" by Gene Stratton Porter.

JANUARY 22

Fri. 1937 - Harvey missed school bus. Got a card from Nora Wildschutj, she invited Esther + I to a pinocle card party Sun. nite. Homer sick in bed all day. Snowed most of day. Harvey measured it - 7 inches.

Sat. 1938 - Quilted, washed + set hair, scrubbed kitchen. Baked a cake. Rolled up quilt - put it aside until next week. Were invited to shower for Mrs. + Mrs. Edw. Heusman but didn't go. Went present down to Mildred. Homer + Harvey went to show tonight.

Sun. 1939 - Went to S.S. + church. Afternoon Mom, Dad, Esther, + I went to Arthur Schlemmer, Char. + Follie Bunker there too. Tonight went along with Harvey, Esther, + Ervin to Westville show. "Always Goodbye" (Barbara Stanwyck) Herbert Marshall.

Mon. 1940 - Went to classes. Ironed clothes this afternoon. Studied tonight. Glet in Organization and Management this afternoon. Wrote to Doris Holt.

Wed. 1941 - Taught school today. Letter from Esther. Wrote to Esther tonight. Knitted.

JANUARY 23

SAT. 1937 - Cloudy, sewed. Wrote S.S. lesson. Homer got out of bed after dinner. Set hair.

Sun. 1938 - Went to S.S. + church. Rained all day. Stayed home all day. Rev. Kellebrenner wrote - not coming to F.O. Tonight Alvin + Ervin came - played cards.

Mon. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly quilt. Washed clothes. Snowing. No choir practice tonight.

Tues. 1940 - Went to classes. Went uptown for dinner with Aileen. Got a letter from Lucile Meyer. Had two classes this afternoon. Went to school show at Kennedy "Swanee River"
19 (Don Ameche, Andrea Gade) food. Studied tonight.

JANUARY 24 ^{letter from Grace.}

→ Eva L. got first prize + Verne J. got booby at playing pinocle.
SUN. 1937 - Went to S.S. + church. Mildred ate dinner here + later

One come. Last night Ethel, Evie, Alvin, + I went to Vera's party + Henry P.,
Luille B., Verne + Clarence J., Eva L., + Sister B. there, pretty good time.
Right before we went home Verne broke down with chair. ^{carried sandwiches,} cake, + coffee.

Mon. 1938 - Put up quilt again - quilted all day. Raining
yet and windy. Got rest of pictures today - not so
hot.

Tues. 1939 - Started another log cabin quilt. Sewed
25 blocks. Ironed a little.

Wed. 1940 - Went to classes. Didn't go to assembly. Went
to library this afternoon. Had a tea this after-
noon but didn't go. Studied tonite.
Got a letter from Carinne Paul.

JANUARY 25

MON. 1937 - Received thermometer from Verne, but not the picture.

Sewed on scarf. Vic. Heuman + Ed. Heismann here this
afternoon. Vic. Heuman paid of mortgage on Brocker's House.
Went to mail box and met carrier for money order.

Tues. 1938 - Quilted all day - just about done. Snowed a
little last nite - cold + windy today. Dad went
to Heuman + A.O. supposed to practice play tonite but
postponed it - too cold.

Wed. 1939 - Went along with Homer to Mildred to stay a
few days. Shredding corn there. Eddie Meyer + Virgil Dorman
helping. Washed + stretched curtains for east room down-
stairs. Put up shades + curtain rods in that room.
Churned butter. Stayed at Mildred tonite.

Thurs. 1940 - Went to classes. Test in English P.C.
Went uptown with Aileen for dinner. Studied
this afternoon and tonite.

TUES. 1937 - Erin Rawie worked here today. Sewed on
friendship quilt. Read in paper that Mr. + Mrs. Emil
Schiamier have a baby girl born yesterday.

Wednes. 1938 - Finished quilt this morning. Cleaned
~~out~~ sewing machine drawers and other
shelves.

Thurs. 1939 - Homer, Eddie M., + Virgil Dorman here at
Mildred's today. Finished shredding corn. Cleaned
Mildred's bedroom. ^{Washed and} stretched curtains. Washed
windows. Cleaned walls + ^{changed curtain} ~~woodwork.~~ ^{note.}

Fri. 1940 - Went to classes this morning. Went ^{Katherine +}
uptown to bring Kodak film, came back and
we went to library and studied. Came
home at 6. Studied tonite. ^{letter from} Mildred and
^{Esther.}

WEDNES. 1937 - Erin Rawie worked here. Sewed on friend-
ship quilt. Washed clothes Uncle Charley and Maynard
(~~Fri.~~ didn't have school) were here in afternoon.

Thurs. 1937 - Washed clothes after dinner. Homer worked
on road. Tonite we practiced our play at
Wessler's. Took Ora + Mildred along. Ella River
not there. Warren P. came later.

Fri. 1939 - Washed windows, woodwork, scrubbed floor,
put up shades + curtain rope in east room upstairs at Mildred.
Cleaned west room a little. Put up curtains in Mildred's
bedroom. Tonite Homer, Harvey, Esther, + Eleanor came by.
Went along to community meeting at school. Only young folks
there. Served doughnuts and cocoa.

Sat. 1940 - Washed clothes. Ate dinner up-
town with dileen. ^{Katherine + I} Went uptown to-
wards evening. Talked to Mr. Schott, Co.
Supt. Studied tonite. Wrote to Esther.

JANUARY 28

THURS. 1937 - Edwin Davis worked here again. Sewed on scarf. Ironed clothes. Got visitor, Chicago Mail Order Catalogue, and stamps by mail.

Fri. 1938 - Worked on burlap rug. Homer worked on road. Dad helped the haul oats. Wrote Homer, Harvey, Esther, & I went to community club meeting at school. about 4:5 there. Mrs. Clinton + Mr. Fisher there. Victor Reinwald did this morning.

Sat. 1939 - Set hair. Dad, Homer, Harvey, + Mom went down to Mildred's after dinner. Scrubbed kitchen. Churned butter. Baked cookies.

Sun. 1940 - Went to S.S. with Mary and Katherine. Aileen's folks visited here today. Took Katherine + I for a ride in country north of here. Ila May's aunt + uncle here too. Studied tonight. Mildred + Vera H.

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JANUARY 29

Fri. 1937 - Dad and Mom went to St. Louis today. Took Uncle Edwin's horse down + 5 of our calves. 15 cows to milk now. Worked all afternoon getting seat covers in Homer's car. Wrote report to club meeting at school house. Played cards. Sewed cake. Pretty good time.

Sat. 1938 - Homer worked on road. Dad went to Wentzville. Set hair. Scrubbed dining room. Watered flowers. Wrote S. S. lesson.

Sun. 1939 - Went to S.S. + church. Stayed home this afternoon. Raining. Invited to party at Bader's tonight. Didn't go - rained too hard.

Mon. 1940 - Went to classes. Studied. Got a letter from Lucille Meyer. Ironed clothes this afternoon.

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JANUARY 30

SAT. 1937 - Yesterday we got a new radio, they couldn't fix the other one. Had it about 2 months & broke. Got hair. Washed kitchen window & put up curtains. Wrote SS. lesson. Listened to radio that night until after 9:30.

Sun. 1938 - Went to S.S. & church. Not many there. Ervin Wessler here this afternoon. Made ice cream. Emily Ervin & Alvin came. Sat around, didn't do much.

Mon. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly quilt blocks. Ground covered with snow this morning.

Tue. 1940 - Went to classes. Went uptown with Aileen for dinner. Studied at library this afternoon. Went to basketball game tonight. Played osteopathy and won.

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JANUARY 31

SUN. 1937 - Went to S.S. & church. Stayed at home in afternoon. Boys went down to Warren & come home. ~~Off~~ as wife boys went to Uncle Ervin & Charline to play cards and me (Lillian, Ervin, Pete, + 2) went to Holt's & played cards all night. Ervin, Myman, Sue, Ruby, Minnie, & Linnie went to Mitchell's and came home later.

Mon. 1938 - Washed clothes. Men went down to Grace. Started to mark quilting design on bluebird quilt.

Tues. 1939 - Sewed on butterfly quilt blocks. Washed clothes after dinner.

Wed. 1940 - Went to classes. Went to assembly - showed moving pictures of airliners. Studied at library this afternoon. Studied tonight. Wrote to Corinne Paul.

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