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# POCKET DIARY

FOR THE YEAR

## 1863:

FOR THE PURPOSE OF

REGISTERING EVENTS OF PAST, PRESENT  
AND FUTURE OCCURRENCE.

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### ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1863.

- There will be four Eclipses this year, as follows:—
- I. A Partial Eclipse of the Sun, May 17th, invisible in the U. S. except in California, Oregon and Nebraska.
  - II. A Total Eclipse of the Moon, June 1st, visible only as a *partial* eclipse in the United States. The Moon will *rise* at New-York as shown in the calendar pages, and at that time will be about two-thirds eclipsed; which leaves in 45 minutes.
  - III. An Annular Eclipse of the Sun, Nov. 11th, invisible in the United States.
  - IV. A Partial Eclipse of the Moon, Nov. 25th, visible. Begins at New-York at 2 h. 19 m. in the morning; becomes largest at 4 h. 4 m; ends at 5 h. 40 m. Size 11.479 digits.

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1st Month .....**JANUARY**....begins Thurs.

- ☾ Full Moon, 4th day, 10 36 evening.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 12th day, 7 11 evening.
- ☾ New Moon, 19th day, 11 6 morning.
- ☾ First Quarter, 26th day, 11 58 morning.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ sets.
M	W				
1	T	Sun perigee	7 25	4 43	4 26
2	F	Moon highest	7 25	4 44	5 18
3	S	Moon apogee	7 25	4 45	6 7
4	D	2d Sun. after Christmas	7 25	4 46	rises.
5	M	Radetsky died 1858	7 25	4 47	5 37
6	T	Epiphany	7 25	4 48	6 35
7	W	Liberia colonized 1822	7 25	4 49	7 35
8	T	Forts in N. C. seiz'd 1861	7 24	4 50	8 34
9	F	Star of the West shot at	7 24	4 51	9 35
10	S	Bat. Prestonburgh 1862	7 24	4 52	10 36
11	D	Alabama seceded 1861	7 24	4 53	11 40
12	M	Seward's gr't speech '61	7 23	4 54	morn.
13	T	Pensa. navy yard t. 1861	7 23	4 55	39
14	W	Bruce died 1611 [1861	7 23	4 56	1 57
15	T	Secession meeting N. Y.	7 22	4 57	3 6
16	F	Jupiter 90 deg. from sun.	7 22	4 59	4 15
17	S	John Tyler died 1862	7 21	5 0	5 18
18	D	Moon perigee	7 21	5 1	6 13
19	M	Georgia seceded 1861	7 21	5 2	sets.
20	T	Battle Mill Spring 1862	7 20	5 3	6 44
21	W	[York 1861	7 19	5 4	7 57
22	T	Seizure of arms in New-	7 19	5 5	9 9
23	F	Earthquake N. Z'd 1855	7 18	5 7	10 13
24	S	(25) Louisiana sec. 1861	7 17	5 8	11 17
25	D	Mercury gr. elong. East	7 17	5 9	morn.
26	M	Mars 90 deg. from Sun	7 16	5 10	21
27	T	Chas. Hutton died 1823	7 15	5 11	1 21
28	W	S. C. dem'ds Sumter 1861	7 14	6 13	2 18
29	T	Prof. Bond died 1859	7 13	5 14	3 13
30	F	Kansas admitted 1861	7 12	5 15	4 3
31	S	Gt. Eastern laun'd 1858	7 12	5 16	4 49

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2d Month.....**FEBRUARY**....begins Sun.

- ☾ Full Moon, 3d day, 5 29 evening.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 11th day, 5 51 morning.
- ☾ New Moon, 17th day, 10 10 evening.
- ☾ First Quarter, 25th day, 7 38 morning.

D	M	W	NOTABLE DAYS.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ sets.
1	D		Texas seceded 1861	7 11	5 18	5 29
2	M		(1) Septuagesima Sund.	7 10	5 19	6 7
3	T		Geo. Crabbe died 1832	7 9	5 20	rises.
4	W		The "C. S. A." organiz'd	7 7	5 21	6 27
5	T		Cato killed 46 B.C. [1861	7 6	5 22	7 28
6	F		Fort Henry taken 1862	7 5	5 23	8 29
7	S		Henry Neele died 1828	7 4	5 25	9 32
8	D		Sexagesima Sunday	7 3	5 26	10 37
9	M		Bat. Roanoke 1 <sup>st</sup> 1862	7 2	5 27	11 43
10	T		Darnley killed 1567	7 1	5 28	morn.
11	W			7 0	5 30	52
12	T		Moon lowest	6 58	5 31	2 0
13	F		David Young died 1852	6 57	5 32	3 3
14	S		Blackstone died 1780	6 56	5 34	3 58
15	D		Quinquagesima Sunday	6 55	5 35	4 50
16	M		Ft. Donelson taken 1862	6 53	5 36	5 32
17	T		(18) Fedr'l army in Ark.	6 52	5 37	sets.
18	W		Ash Wednesday [1862	6 51	5 39	6 43
19	T		(18) Jeff Davis inaugur'd	6 49	5 40	7 52
20	F		Biela died 1856 [1861	6 48	5 41	8 59
21	S		Slaver Gordon hung '62	6 46	5 43	10 3
22	D		Quadragesima Sunday	6 45	5 44	11 6
23	M		Fayetteville, Ark. t. 1862	6 44	5 45	morn.
24	T		Nashville taken 1862	6 42	5 46	6
25	W		C. A. Goodrich d. 1860	6 41	5 48	1 4
26	T		Telegraphs seized 1862	6 39	5 49	1 55
27	F		Bat. Tarquin 1829 [1862	6 38	5 50	2 43
28	S		Columbus, Ky. evacu'd	6 37	5 51	3 27

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3d Month.....**MARCH**....begins Sun.

- ☾ Full Moon, 5th day, 9 50 morning.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 12th day, 2 0 evening
- ☾ New Moon, 19th day, 9 41 morning.
- ☾ First Quarter, 27th day, 4 1 morning.

D	M	W	NOTABLE DAYS.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ sets.
1	D		2d Sunday in Lent	6 35	5 53	4 5
2	M		Gen. Lander died 1862	6 34	5 53	4 38
3	T		(2) Gen. Banks c. Potom.	6 32	5 54	5 10
4	W		Lincoln inaug. '61 [1862	6 30	5 55	5 39
5	T		(4) C. lumbus occup'd '62	6 29	5 56	rises.
6	F		Lincoln's sp. mess. 1862	6 27	5 57	7 24
7	S		Smith O'Brien pard. '54	6 25	5 58	8 30
8	D		3d Sunday in Lent	6 24	5 59	9 38
9	M		(8) Mercury gr. elong. W	6 22	6 0	10 45
10	T		Benj. West died 1820	6 20	6 1	11 51
11	W		Romeo & Juliet mar. 1302	6 19	6 2	morn.
12	T		Moon lowest	6 17	6 3	5
13	F			6 16	6 4	1 53
14	S		Moon perigee	6 14	6 5	2 53
15	D		4th Sunday in Lent	6 12	6 7	3 27
16	M			6 11	6 8	4 05
17	T		St. Patrick's Day	6 9	6 9	4 39
18	W		Hurricane Albany 1854	6 7	6 10	5 11
19	T		(20) Ark. seceded 1861	6 6	6 11	sets.
20	F		Spring begins	6 4	6 12	7 44
21	S			6 2	6 13	8 49
22	D		5th Sunday in Lent	6 1	6 14	9 50
23	M		Saturn opp. the Sun	5 59	6 15	10 50
24	T		Elizabeth died 1603	5 58	6 16	11 46
25	W		Moon highest	5 56	6 17	morn.
26	T		John Winthrop d. 1649	5 54	6 18	35
27	F		Moon apogee	5 52	6 19	1 20
28	S		Russian war 1854	5 51	6 20	2 1
29	D		6th Sunday in Lent	5 49	6 21	2 36
30	M		[1852	5 47	6 22	3 9
31	T		Tremont Temple burnt	5 46	6 23	3 39

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4th Month.....APRIL.....begins Wed.

- ☺ Full Moon, 3d day, 11 13 evening.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 10th day, 8 27 evening.
- ☽ New Moon, 17th day, 10 9 evening.
- ☽ First Quarter, 25th day, 11 12 evening.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☺ rises	☺ sets	☺ sets.
M	W				
1	W	Tamerlane died 1405	5 44	6 24	4 06
2	T		5 42	6 26	4 32
3	F	Good Friday	5 41	6 27	rises.
4	S	Harrison died 1841	5 39	6 28	7 23
5	D	Easter Sunday	5 37	6 29	8 32
6	M		5 36	6 31	9 41
7	T		5 34	6 32	10 47
8	W	Moon perigee & lowest	5 33	6 33	11 48
9	T	J. Davis calls for troops	5 31	6 34	morn.
10	F	[1861]	5 30	6 35	41
11	S	Peace of Utrecht 1713	5 28	6 36	1 26
12	D	1st Sunday after Easter	5 26	6 37	2 6
13	M	Sumter surrendered '61	5 25	6 38	2 39
14	T	[troops 1861]	5 23	6 39	3 11
15	W	Lincoln calls for 75,000	5 22	6 40	3 41
16	T	Davis calls for 32,000	5 20	6 41	4 12
17	F	[more 1861]	5 19	6 42	sets.
18	S	6th Mass. leave for W. '61	5 17	6 43	7 37
19	D	Tr'ps shot at in Balt. '61	5 16	6 44	8 36
20	M	Gosport navy yd bt. '61	5 14	6 45	9 34
21	T	Moon highest	5 13	6 46	10 27
22	W	Gt. Fire in Phila. 1835	5 11	6 47	11 14
23	T	Shakspeare died 1616	5 10	6 48	11 57
24	F	Moon apogee	5 8	6 49	morn.
25	S	Virginia seceded 1861	5 7	6 50	34
26	D	3d Sunday after Easter	5 6	6 51	1 5
27	M	21,000 troops Wash. '61	5 4	6 52	1 37
28	T	Bat. Buffalora 1859	5 3	6 53	2 04
29	W	Rufus King died 1827	5 2	6 54	2 33
30	T	Moscow founded 1156	5 0	6 55	3 2

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5th Month.....MAY.....begins Friday.

- ☺ Full Moon, 3d day, 9 56 morning.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 10th day, 2 20 morning.
- ☽ New Moon, 17th day, 11 52 morning.
- ☽ First Quarter, 25th day, 3 51 evening.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☺ rises	☺ sets	☺ sets.
M	W				
1	F	Erupt. Mt. Vesuvius '55	4 59	6 56	3 32
2	S	Battle of Lutzen 1813	4 58	6 57	4 5
3	D	4th Sunday after Easter	4 56	6 58	rises.
4	M		4 55	6 59	8 33
5	T	Moon lowest	4 54	7 0	9 38
6	W	Moon perigee	4 53	7 1	10 36
7	T	Gen. Worth died 1849	4 52	7 2	11 24
8	F	Franklin's fate known	4 51	7 3	morn.
9	S	[1859]	4 49	7 4	7
10	D	Rogation Sunday	4 48	7 5	42
11	M		4 47	7 6	1 14
12	T		4 46	7 7	1 44
13	W	Baltimore occupied '61	4 45	7 8	2 14
14	T	Ascension Day	4 44	7 9	2 44
15	F	D. O'Connell died 1847	4 43	7 10	3 17
16	S	Gt. eruption Mt. Ætna	4 42	7 11	3 50
17	D	6th Sun. aft. East. [1830]	4 41	7 12	sets.
18	M	Moon highest	4 40	7 13	8 19
19	T	Mercury gr. elong. East	4 39	7 14	9 9
20	W	Battle Montebello 1859	4 39	7 15	9 52
21	T	Moon apogee	4 38	7 16	10 32
22	F	King of Naples died '59	4 37	7 17	11 7
23	S	Bat. Ramilles 1706	4 36	7 18	11 37
24	D	Pentecost Sunday	4 36	7 19	morn.
25	M	(24) Ellsworth killed '61	4 35	7 20	7
26	T	Battle Malmati 1859	4 34	7 20	33
27	W	Calvin died 1564	4 34	7 21	1 0
28	T	Noah Webster died '43	4 33	7 22	1 28
29	F	(30) Alex. Pope d. 1744	4 32	7 23	2 0
30	S	(31) Bat. Fairfax 1861	4 32	7 23	2 35
31	D	Trinity Sunday	4 31	7 24	3 15

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6th Month.....JUNE.....begins Mon.

- ☺ Full Moon, 1st day, 6 34 evening.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 8th day, 8 56 morning
- ☽ New Moon, 16th day, 2 40 morning.
- ☽ First Quarter, 24th day, 5 35 morning.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☺	☽	☾
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	M	Moon eclipsed	4 31	7 24	7 20
2	T	Battle Phillipa 1861	4 30	7 25	8 22
3	W	Douglas died 1861	4 30	7 26	9 17
4	T	Battle Magenta 1859	4 30	7 26	10 3
5	F	(6) Patr'k Henry d. 1799	4 29	7 27	10 42
6	S	Gen. Gaines died 1849	4 29	7 28	11 16
7	D	1st Sunday after Trinity	4 29	7 28	11 48
8	M		4 29	7 29	morn.
9	T	Bat. Melegnano 1859	4 28	7 30	18
10	W	Bat. Big Bethel 1861	4 28	7 30	47
11	T	Bat. Romney 1861	4 28	7 31	1 29
12	F		4 28	7 31	1 53
13	S	Bat. Ghent 1794	4 28	7 32	2 30
14	D	2d Sunday after Trinity	4 28	7 32	3 12
15	M	Polk died 1849 [1861	4 28	7 33	3 57
16	T	(17) Bat. Boonville, Mo.	4 28	7 33	sets.
17	W	Bat. Bunker Hill 1775	4 28	7 33	8 31
18	T	Bat. Waterloo 1815	4 28	7 33	9 8
19	F	Earthq'k, Mexico 1858	4 28	7 34	9 40
20	S	Saturn 90 deg. from Sun	4 28	7 34	10 8
21	D	3d Sunday after Trinity	4 28	7 34	10 36
22	M	(23) Akenside d. 1770	4 29	7 34	11 3
23	T		4 29	7 34	11 31
24	W	Bat. Solferino 1859	4 29	7 35	11 59
25	T		4 29	7 35	morn.
26	F	Cromwell protector 1657	4 30	7 35	30
27	S	Cholera in N. Y. 1832	4 30	7 35	1 8
28	D	4th Sunday after Trinity	4 31	7 35	1 52
29	M	Henry Clay died 1852	4 31	7 35	2 44
30	T	(28) Marsh'l Kane ar. '61	4 31	7 35	3 47

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7th Month.....JULY.....begins Wed.

- ☺ Full Moon, 1st day, 1 50 morning.
- ☾ Last Quarter, 7th day, 5 33 evening.
- ☽ New Moon, 15th day, 5 57 evening.
- ☽ First Quarter, 23d day, 4 36 evening.
- ☺ Full Moon 30th day, 8 38 morning.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☺	☽	☾
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	W	Moon perigee	4 32	7 35	rises.
2	T	Bat. Martinsburgh 1861	4 32	7 35	8 38
3	F	Moon apogee	4 33	7 34	9 15
4	S	Congress met 1861	4 34	7 34	9 48
5	D	5th Sunday after Trinity	4 34	7 34	10 20
6	M	(5) Bat. Brier's Fork '61	4 35	7 33	10 49
7	T	Riots, Philad. 1844	4 35	7 33	11 22
8	W	Gt. Fire, Montreal 1852	4 36	7 33	11 55
9	T	Gen. Taylor died 1849	4 37	7 32	morn.
10	F	(11) Jupit. 90 d. fr. Sun	4 37	7 32	30
11	S	Bat. Rich Mountain '61	4 38	7 31	1 10
12	D	6th Sunday after Trinity	4 39	7 31	1 56
13	M	Bat. Carrick's Ford '61	4 39	7 30	2 44
14	T		4 40	7 30	3 35
15	W	Moon apogee	4 41	7 29	sets.
16	T	The Hegira begun 622	4 42	7 29	7 42
17	F	John Carr died 1832	4 43	7 28	8 12
18	S	Hurricane in Illinois '54	4 43	7 27	8 41
19	D	7th Sunday after Trinity	4 44	7 26	9 7
20	M	Venus gr. elong. East	4 45	7 26	9 35
21	T	Bat. Bull Run 1861	4 46	7 25	10 1
22	W		4 47	7 24	10 31
23	T	Bagdad sacked 1401	4 48	7 23	11 5
24	F	[25,000 troops 1861	4 48	7 22	11 44
25	S	Gov. Morgan calls for	4 49	7 22	morn.
26	D	8th Sunday after Trinity	4 50	7 21	33
27	M		4 51	7 20	1 29
28	T		4 52	7 19	2 34
29	W	Moon perigee	4 53	7 18	3 46
30	T		4 54	7 18	rises.
31	F	Trinidad discov. 1498	4 55	7 17	7 46



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8th Month.....AUGUST.....begins Satur.

- ☉ Last Quarter, 6th day, 5 9 morning.
- ☾ New Moon, 14th day, 9 7 morning.
- ☽ First Quarter, 21st day, 1 23 morning.
- ☀ Full Moon, 28th day, 3 59 evening.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☉	☽	☀
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	S	Yellow fever, N.O. 1854	4 56	7 16	8 08
2	D	9th Sunday after Trinity	4 57	7 14	8 50
3	M		4 58	7 13	9 22
4	T	Dr. Combe died 1858	4 59	7 12	9 55
5	W		5 0	7 11	10 31
6	T	Congress adjourned '61	5 1	7 10	11 10
7	F	Hampton burnt 1861	5 2	7 9	11 52
8	S	Moon highest	5 3	7 7	morn.
9	D	10th Sund. after Trinity	5 4	7 6	40
10	M	Bat. Wilson's Creek '61	5 5	7 5	1 32
11	T	Moon apogee	5 6	7 4	2 25
12	W	Arrest of Faulkner '61	5 7	7 2	3 20
13	T	Earthq'ke in Syria 1822	5 8	7 1	4 18
14	F		5 9	7 0	sets.
15	S	Abbott Lawrence d. 1855	5 10	6 58	7 12
16	D	Lincoln's 2d procl. 1861	5 11	6 57	7 40
17	M	Venus near Saturn	5 12	6 55	8 6
18	T		5 13	6 54	8 36
19	W		5 14	6 53	9 7
20	T		5 15	6 51	9 46
21	F	La Fayette taken 1792	5 16	6 50	10 28
22	S	Venus brightest	5 17	6 48	11 17
23	D	12th Sund. after Trinity	5 17	6 47	morn.
24	M	Seces. papers stop'd '61	5 18	6 45	18
25	T	(24) St. Bartholomew's	5 19	6 44	1 24
26	W	Dr. Adam Clark d. 1832	5 20	6 42	2 37
27	T	Moon perigee	5 21	6 41	3 52
28	F	Forts at Hatteras taken	5 22	6 39	rises.
29	S		5 23	6 37	6 47
30	D	19th Sund after Trinity.	5 24	6 36	7 19
31	M	(20) Fremont's proc. '61	5 25	6 34	7 58

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9th Month.....SEPTEMBER...begins Tues.

- ☉ Last Quarter, 4th day, 8 13 evening.
- ☾ New Moon, 12th day, 11 46 evening.
- ☽ First Quarter, 20th day, 8 37 morning.
- ☀ Full Moon, 27th day, 1 6 morning.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☉	☽	☀
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	T	Richard Steele d. 1729	5 26	6 33	8 30
2	W	Bat. Actium 31 B. C.	5 27	6 31	9 7
3	T	Quarantine burnt 1858	5 28	6 29	9 50
4	F	The Reindeer expl. 1852	5 29	6 28	10 36
5	S	1st Congress 1774	5 30	6 26	11 26
6	D	Rebels enter Ky. 1861	5 31	6 25	morn.
7	M		5 32	6 23	19
8	T	Moon apogee	5 33	6 21	1 14
9	W	Thurston lost 1858	5 34	6 20	2 11
10	T	Defeat of Floyd 1861	5 35	6 18	3 8
11	F	Lincoln vs. Fremont '61	5 36	6 16	4 6
12	S		5 37	6 15	sets.
13	D	15th Sund. after Trinity	5 38	6 13	6 10
14	M		5 39	6 11	6 40
15	T	Mercury gr. elong. E.	5 40	6 9	7 11
16	W	Md. Legis. arrested 1861	5 41	6 8	7 46
17	T	Venus in conj. Saturn	5 42	6 6	8 27
18	F	Quebec capitulated 1759	5 43	6 4	9 14
19	S	Moon lowest	5 44	6 3	10 11
20	D	16th Sund. after Trinity	5 45	6 1	11 15
21	M	(20) Strauss d. 1849	5 46	5 59	morn.
22	T		5 47	5 58	21
23	W	Autumn begins	5 48	5 56	1 34
24	T	Albany taken 1664	5 49	5 54	2 45
25	F	(24) Moon perigee [329]	5 50	5 53	3 57
26	S	Constantinople founded	5 51	5 51	rises.
27	D	17th Sund. after Trinity	5 52	5 50	5 49
28	M	(27) The Arctic lost 1854	5 53	5 48	6 24
29	T		5 54	5 46	7 2
30	W	Whitfield died 1770	5 55	5 44	7 44

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10th Month.....OCTOBER.....begins Thurs.

- ☾ Last Quarter, 4th day, 2 25 evening
- ☽ New Moon, 12th day, 1 46 evening.
- ☽ First Quarter, 19th day, 3 10 evening.
- ☾ Full Moon, 26th day, 0 59 evening.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☽	☽	☽
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	T	Yankee Blade lost 1854	5 56	5 43	8 29
2	F	Moon highest	5 57	5 41	9 19
3	S		5 58	5 39	10 10
4	D	18th Sund. after Trinity	6 0	5 38	11 6
5	M	Moon apogee	6 1	5 36	morn.
6	T	Jenny Lind born 1820	6 2	5 35	1
7	W	Fremont after Price '61	6 3	5 33	59
8	T	Bat. Santa Rosa Island	6 4	5 31	1 55
9	F	Riot, Phila. '49 [1861	6 5	5 30	2 54
10	S		6 7	5 28	3 53
11	D	19th Sund. after Trinity	6 8	5 27	4 54
12	M		6 9	5 25	sets.
13	T	Murat shot 1815 [1859	6 10	5 23	5 46
14	W	Ship Flora Temple lost	6 11	5 22	6 26
15	T	Bank Panic 1857	6 12	5 20	7 13
16	F	Bat. Harper's Ferry '61	6 13	5 19	8 7
17	S	Burgoyne surren. 1777	6 14	5 17	9 8
18	D	20th Sund. after Trinity	6 15	5 16	10 14
19	M		6 16	5 14	11 23
20	T	Blockade of Potom. '61	6 18	5 13	morn.
21	W	Bat. Ball's Bluff 1861	6 19	5 12	34
22	T	Bat. Red Bank 1777	6 20	5 10	1 44
23	F		6 21	5 9	2 52
24	S	Daniel Webster d. 1852	6 22	5 7	4 0
25	D	Zagonyi's charge 1861	6 23	5 6	5 7
26	M	Mercury gr. elong. W.	6 24	5 4	rises.
27	T		6 25	5 3	5 36
28	W	Locke died 1704	6 26	5 2	6 22
29	T	Moon highest	6 27	5 1	7 10
30	F	End of Crusades 1270	6 28	4 59	8 2
31	S	Scott retires 1861	6 29	4 58	8 55

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11th Month....NOVEMBER.....begins Sun.

- ☾ Last Quarter, 3d day, 10 38 morning.
- ☽ New Moon, 11th day, 3 3 morning.
- ☽ First Quarter, 17th day, 10 9 evening.
- ☾ Full Moon, 25th day, 4 5 morning.

D	D	NOTABLE DAYS.	☽	☽	☽
M	W		rises	sets	rises.
1	D	22d Sund. after Trinity	6 30	4 57	9 51
2	M	Fremont removed 1861	6 31	4 56	10 47
3	T	Bat. Torgan 1760	6 32	4 54	11 43
4	W	Guadaloupe disc. 1493	6 34	4 53	morn.
5	T	Venus brightest	6 35	4 52	41
6	F	(7) Bat. Belmont 1861	6 36	4 51	1 39
7	S	Bat. Port Royal 1861	6 37	4 50	2 38
8	D	Capt. of Mason & Slidell	6 38	4 49	3 40
9	M	Mars in conjunc. Merc.	6 40	4 48	4 45
10	T	Spurzheim died 1832	6 41	4 47	5 52
11	W	Earthquake, Lisbon 1858	6 42	4 46	sets.
12	T	Montreal captured 1775	6 43	4 45	5 58
13	F	Moon lowest	6 44	4 44	7 0
14	S	Moon perigee	6 46	4 43	8 4
15	D	24th Sund. after Trinity	6 47	4 42	9 15
16	M		6 48	4 42	10 25
17	T	Queen Mary died 1558	6 49	4 41	11 35
18	W	Napoleon d. int'ed 1840	6 50	4 40	morn.
19	T	Jay's treaty 1794	6 51	4 39	45
20	F	St. Paul wrecked	6 53	4 39	1 49
21	S	Gen. Markham d. 1855	6 54	4 38	2 56
22	D	25th Sund. after Trinity	6 55	4 38	4 1
23	M	Fight at Ft. Pickens '61	6 56	4 37	5 5
24	T	John Knox died 1572	6 57	4 36	6 7
25	W	Moon eclipsed (visible)	6 58	4 35	rises.
26	T	Moon highest	6 59	4 35	5 51
27	F		[1859 7 0	4 35	6 45
28	S	Washington Irving d.	7 2	4 35	7 40
29	D	Advent Sunday	7 3	4 34	8 37
30	M	Moon apogee	7 4	4 34	9 32



# LIST OF SUNDAYS

IN  
THE YEAR 1863.

JANUARY . . . . .	4	11	18	25	..
FEBRUARY . . . . .	1	8	15	22	..
MARCH . . . . .	1	8	15	22	29
APRIL . . . . .	5	12	19	26	..
MAY . . . . .	3	10	17	24	31
JUNE . . . . .	7	14	21	28	..
JULY . . . . .	5	12	19	26	..
AUGUST . . . . .	2	9	16	23	30
SEPTEMBER . . . . .	6	13	20	27	..
OCTOBER . . . . .	4	11	18	25	..
NOVEMBER . . . . .	1	8	15	22	29
DECEMBER . . . . .	6	13	20	27	..

## A T A B L E

Showing the number of days from any day in one month, to the same day in any other month, throughout the year.

MONTHS.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	JULY.	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.
January . . . . .	865	81	59	90	120	151	181	212	243	278	304	334
February . . . . .	884	365	28	59	89	120	150	181	212	242	278	308
March . . . . .	806	387	865	81	61	92	122	153	184	214	245	275
April . . . . .	275	806	894	865	80	61	91	122	153	183	214	244
May . . . . .	245	276	804	885	865	81	62	92	123	153	184	218
June . . . . .	214	245	278	804	884	865	81	61	91	122	153	188
July . . . . .	184	215	248	274	278	304	334	365	31	61	92	122
August . . . . .	153	184	212	243	248	273	303	334	31	61	92	122
September . . . . .	122	153	181	212	212	242	273	304	31	61	92	122
October . . . . .	92	128	151	182	212	248	278	304	31	61	92	122
November . . . . .	61	92	120	151	181	212	243	278	31	61	92	122
December . . . . .	31	61	90	121	151	182	212	243	278	304	334	365

Look for April at the left hand, and September at the top; in the angle is 183.

**POPULATION**  
OF THE  
**UNITED STATES for 1860,**  
With the Increase since 1850.

FREE STATES.	FREE.	SLAVE.	INCREASE
Maine .....	628,276	....	45,107
New Hampshire .....	326,072	....	8,096
Vermont .....	315,116	....	996
Massachusetts .....	1,231,065	....	237,551
Rhode Island .....	174,621	....	27,276
Connecticut .....	460,151	....	89,359
New York .....	3,887,542	....	790,148
New Jersey .....	672,031	....	182,240
Pennsylvania .....	2,906,370	....	594,584
Ohio .....	2,339,599	....	359,270
Michigan .....	749,112	....	351,458
Indiana .....	1,350,479	....	362,063
Illinois .....	1,711,753	....	860,283
Wisconsin .....	775, 873	....	470,482
Iowa .....	674,948	....	482,731
Minnesota .....	162,022	....	155,945
Kansas .....	107,110	....	107,110
California .....	380,015	....	287,418
Oregon .....	52,464	....	39,170
<b>BORDER SLAVE STS.</b>			
Delaware .....	110,420	1,798	20,686
Maryland .....	599,846	87,188	104,000
Virginia .....	1,105,196	490,887	174,422
North Carolina ..	661,586	331,081	123,628
Kentucky .....	930,223	225,490	173,308
Tennessee .....	834,063	275,784	107,130
Missouri .....	1,058,352	114,965	491,273
Arkansas .....	324,323	111,104	234,530
<b>GULF SLAVE STATES</b>			
South Carolina ..	301,271	402,541	35,305
Georgia .....	595,097	462,230	151,142
Florida .....	78,686	61,753	52,994
Alabama .....	529,164	435,132	192,673
Mississippi .....	854,699	436,696	184,869
Louisiana .....	376,913	332,520	191,671
Texas .....	420,651	180,388	368,447
Dist. of Columbia.	71,895	3,181	23,380
Territories .....	213,292	63	140,375
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>27,477,090</b>	<b>3,932,801</b>	<b>8,217,779</b>

**POPULATION**  
OF THE  
**PRINCIPAL CITIES AND TOWNS**  
For 1860.

City and Towns.	1850.	1860.	Increase.
Albany, N.Y. ....	50,763	75,000	24,237
Alexandria, Va. ....	8,734	11,116	2,382
Auburn, N.Y. ....	9,548	.....	.....
Augusta, Me. ....	8,225	15,000	6,775
Augusta, Ga. ....	11,753	18,000	6,247
Alton, Ill. ....	3,585	10,000	6,415
<b>BALTIMORE, Md. ....</b>	<b>169,054</b>	<b>214,037</b>	<b>44,983</b>
Bangor, Me. ....	14,432	20,000	5,568
Bath, Me. ....	8,020	15,000	6,980
<b>BOSTON, Mass. ....</b>	<b>136,881</b>	<b>177,902</b>	<b>41,021</b>
Bridgeport, Ct. ....	7,560	13,299	5,739
Brooklyn, N.Y. ....	137,618	273,425	146,807
Buffalo, N.Y. ....	42,261	84,000	41,739
Camden, N.J. ....	9,479	15,000	5,521
Charleston, S.C. ....	42,985	40,194	.....
Charlestown, Me. ....	17,216	25,120	7,904
Chicago, Ill. ....	29,963	109,420	79,457
Cleveland, O. ....	17,034	43,550	26,516
<b>CINCINNATI, O. ....</b>	<b>115,436</b>	<b>160,060</b>	<b>44,624</b>
Columbus, O. ....	17,882	18,688	756
Concord, N.H. ....	8,576	12,000	3,424
Covington, Ky. ....	9,408	18,000	8,592
Dubuque, Iowa .....	3,108	15,000	11,892
Dayton, O. ....	10,977	20,132	9,155
Davenport, Iowa .....	1,848	15,000	13,152
Detroit, Mich. ....	21,019	46,834	25,815
Elizabeth, N.J. ....	5,583	12,800	7,217
Elmira, N.Y. ....	8,166	10,000	1,834
Evansville, Ind. ....	3,235	15,000	11,765
Fall River, Mass. ....	11,524	15,000	3,476
Fort Wayne, Ind. ....	4,282	12,000	7,718
Frederick, Md. ....	6,028	9,000	2,972
Georgetown, D.C. ....	8,366	12,000	3,634
Harrisburg, Pa. ....	7,834	14,728	6,894
Hartford, Ct. ....	13,555	29,207	15,652
Indianapolis, Ind. ....	8,091	20,000	11,909
Jackson, Miss. ....	1,881	8,000	6,119
Jersey City, N.J. ....	6,856	29,256	22,400
Key West, Fla. ....	1,943	5,000	3,057
Keokuk, Iowa .....	2,478	15,000	12,522
Lowell, Mass. ....	33,383	38,669	5,286
Louisville, Ky. ....	43,194	75,196	32,002
Lynchburgh, Va. ....	8,071	10,000	1,929

Cities and Towns.	1850.	1860.	Increase.
Muscatine, Iowa .....	2,540	8,000	5,460
Madison, Ind. ....	8,012	12,000	3,988
Manchester, N. H. ....	13,932	30,000	16,068
Madison, Wis. ....	1,871	12,000	10,129
Milwaukee, Wis. ....	20,061	45,323	25,262
Mobile, Ala. ....	20,515	30,000	9,485
Montgomery, Ala. ....	4,935	10,000	5,065
Nashville, Tenn. ....	10,165	23,715	13,550
New Albany, Ind. ....	9,895	18,000	8,105
Newark, N. J. ....	38,894	72,055	33,161
New Bedford, Mass. ...	16,443	22,309	5,866
New Brunswick, N. J. ...	10,019	16,000	5,981
Newburgh, N. Y. ....	11,415	15,000	3,585
Newburyport, Mass. ...	9,572	15,000	5,428
New Haven, Ct. ....	20,345	39,277	18,932
NEW ORLEANS, La. ....	116,375	170,766	54,391
Newport, R. I. ....	9,563	15,000	5,437
NEW YORK, N. Y. ....	515,547	814,277	298,840
Norfolk, Va. ....	14,326	16,000	1,674
Oswego, N. Y. ....	12,205	20,000	7,795
Ogdensburgh, N. Y. ...	6,500	8,000	1,500
Paterson, N. J. ....	11,334	20,000	8,666
PHILAD'LPHIA, Pa. ....	408,762	568,034	159,272
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	67,863	125,000	57,137
Portland, Me. ....	20,815	30,000	9,185
Pottsville, Pa. ....	7,515	9,454	1,939
Poughkeepsie, N. Y. ...	13,944	15,000	1,056
Providence, R. I. ....	41,513	50,669	9,156
Reading, Pa. ....	15,743	23,171	7,428
Richmond, Va. ....	27,570	45,000	17,430
Rochester, N. Y. ....	36,403	48,096	11,693
Roxbury, Mass. ....	18,364	25,137	6,773
Sacramento, Cal. ....	20,000	30,000	10,000
Salem, Mass. ....	20,264	25,000	4,736
Saint Louis, Mo. ....	77,860	162,179	84,319
San Francisco, Cal. ...	34,870	66,000	31,130
Savannah, Ga. ....	15,312	35,000	19,688
Springfield, Mass. ....	11,766	25,000	13,234
Schenectady, N. Y. ....	8,921	10,000	1,079
Steubenville, O. ....	7,224	9,000	1,776
Syracuse, N. Y. ....	22,271	30,000	7,729
Trenton, N. J. ....	6,461	17,206	10,745
Troy, N. Y. ....	28,785	39,653	10,868
Utica, N. Y. ....	17,565	25,000	7,435
Washington, D. C. ....	40,001	61,400	21,399
Wheeling, Va. ....	11,435	20,000	8,565
Wilmington, N. C. ....	7,264	10,000	2,736
Wilmington, Del. ....	13,979	25,000	11,021
Worcester, Mass. ....	17,049	24,963	7,914
Watertown, N. Y. ....	7,201	10,000	2,799
Zanesville, O. ....	7,929	9,212	1,283

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LEGAL INTEREST AND USURY LAWS.

STATES.	Legal Rates per cent.	Penalty for Usury.
Alabama.....	8	Forfeit interest and usury.
Arkansas....	8	* Forfeit usury.
Connecticut..	6	Forfeit whole debt.
Delaware....	6	Forfeit whole debt.
Florida.....	8	Forfeit interest and usury.
Georgia.....	8	Forfeit three times usury.
Illinois.....	8	{ † Forfeit three times usury and interest due.
Indiana.....	6	Forfeit double the usury.
Iowa.....	7	‡ Forfeit three times the usury
Kentucky....	6	Forfeit usury and costs.
Louisiana....	6	§ Contract exacting usury void
Maryland....	6	{ Contract exacting usury void
Maine.....	6	Forfeit entire debt.
Massachusetts	6	Forfeit three times the usury
Michigan....	7	Forfeit usury and † the debt.
Mississippi..	8	¶ Forfeit usury and costs.
Missouri....	6	** Forfeit usury and interest.
New York....	7	Forfeit entire debt.
N. Hampshire	6	Forfeit three times usury.
New Jersey..	6	Forfeit entire debt.
N <sup>th</sup> Carolina..	6	Forfeit double usury.
Ohio.....	6	Contracts void.
Pennsylvania.	6	Forfeit entire debt.
Rhode Island.	6	Forfeit usury and interest.
S <sup>th</sup> Carolina..	7	Forfeit usury, interest & costs.
Tennessee...	6	Contracts void.
Texas.....	10	Contracts void.
Vermont....	6	Recovery in action with costs.
Virginia.....	6	Forfeit double the usury.
Wisconsin...	7	††
Dist Columbia	6	Contracts void.

\* By special contract as high as 10 per cent.  
 † " " " 12 "  
 ‡ " " " 12 "  
 § Banks allowed..... 6 "  
 ¶ 8 per cent. allowed on tobacco contracts.  
 \*\* By contract as high as 10 per cent.  
 †† " " " 10 "  
 †† Any rate agreed upon by the parties.

DISTANCES FROM NEW-YORK  
 TO SOME OF THE MOST  
 Important Places in North America.

Names of Places.	Miles.	Hours.
N.YORK to Boston .....	286	10
.. Philadelphia .....	87	4½
.. Baltimore .....	184	10½
.. Washington .....	224	12½
.. Albany .....	144	6
.. Saratoga Springs.....	183	8
.. Whitehall .....	228	10
.. Burlington, Vt. ....	301	16
.. Montreal, Can. ....	403	23
.. Buffalo, via Albany.....	469	24
.. { Buffalo, via Elmira } .. { and Seneca Lake..... }	471	22
.. Dunkirk, v. N.Y. & Erie R.	474	18
.. Cleveland, Ohio, via Alb'y	663	39
.. { Cincinnati, via N. Y. } .. { and Erie R. R. and } .. { Sandusky City..... }	897	50
.. { Cincinnati, via N. Y. } .. { & Erie R.R. & Cleve'l'd }	877	46
.. NY to Buffalo .. via the N. Y. .. & Erie R. R. .. Detroit .....	759	40
.. Chicago .....	1,048	59
.. Milwaukee .....	1,100	62½
.. St. Paul, Minnesota Ter	1,623	132
.. St. Louis, via Chicago .	1,475	118
.. St. Louis, via St. Louis	2,676	252
.. New Orleans, via St. Louis	470	50
.. Pittsburgh, via Philadel.	492	46
.. Wheeling, via Baltimore	847	106
.. Cincinnati, via Pittsburg	1,644	240
.. St. Louis, via Pittsburg..	2,495	800
.. New Orleans, via Pittsb'g	781	63
.. Charleston, S. O. via W'n	907	70
.. Savannah, Georgia.....	1,299	103
.. Montgomery, Alabama ..	1,496	143
.. Mobile.....	1,662	168
.. New Orleans.....	1,507	192
.. Memphis, Tenn.....		

PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES.

NAMES.	When Born.	Inaugurated.	Continuance in Office.	Died.	Native of
George Washington.....	Feb. 22, 1732.....	April 8 1789.....	8 years.....	Dec. 14, 1799.....	Virginia.
John Adams.....	Oct. 19, 1735.....	March 4, 1797.....	4 ".....	July 4, 1826.....	Massachusetts.
Thomas Jefferson.....	April 2, 1743.....	" 4, 1801.....	8 ".....	July 4, 1826.....	Virginia.
James Madison.....	March 16, 1751.....	" 4, 1809.....	8 ".....	June 28, 1836.....	"
James Monroe.....	April 2, 1759.....	" 4, 1817.....	8 ".....	July 4, 1831.....	"
John Quincy Adams....	July 11, 1767.....	" 4 1825.....	4 ".....	Feb. 23, 1848.....	Massachusetts.
Andrew Jackson.....	March 15, 1767.....	" 4, 1829.....	8 ".....	June 8, 1845.....	S. Carolina.
Martin Van Buren.....	Dec. 5, 1782.....	" 4, 1837.....	4 ".....	April 4, 1841.....	New-York.
William H. Harrison...	Feb. 9, 1773.....	" 4, 1841.....	1 month.....	.....	Virginia.
John Tyler.....	March 20, 1790..	{ Succeeded to P residency }	3 yrs. 11 months.	.....	"
James K. Polk.....	Nov. 2 1795.....	{ Succeeded to P residency }	4 years.....	June 15 1849.....	N. Carolina.
Zachary Taylor.....	Nov. 24, 1790.....	" 4, 1849.....	1 year 4 months.	July 9, 1850.....	Virginia.
Millard Fillmore.....	May 7, 1800.....	{ Succeeded to Presidency }	2 yrs. 8 months..	.....	New-York.
Franklin Pierce.....	Nov. 23, 1804.....	March 4, 1853.....	4 years.....	.....	New Hamp.
James Buchanan.....	April 23, 1791.....	" 4, 1857.....	" ".....	.....	Pennsylvania.
Abraham Lincoln.....	Feb. 12, 1809.....	" 4, 1861.....	4 ".....	.....	Kentucky.



Friday, 1 1864

January, Thursday, 4. 1863.

1864 Friday, 2. 1

went down [?] the  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 25 cents bald  
wind all day long Sir  
very high wind indeed Sir  
reinforce went y up to  
[?] to the Stone fort  
,1, Va Regt rebel pisoner [prisoner]  
went through the Hook

50

Saturday 3. 2

Answerd [Answered] Sister E  
letter cold wind all day  
very cold indeed Sir  
got a letter from  
Cousin R Simons of  
Cesnitaville[?] Sod[Sold?] my  
pipe Case to C D Baine[?]  
fore [for] \$200 next pay day

January, Sunday, 4. 1863.  
3

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] no 2 down[?] to the  
magienes[?] plesent [pleasant] and calm  
got a letter from Cousin  
Robert Simon of Constabton  
ville[?]

Monday, 5.  
4

come of [off?] from guard  
Snowed Some drawed  
poles with the mule  
Still Snowes yet Sir  
indeed yet got a letter  
from Brother Thomas R

Tuesday, 6.  
5

Cold wind all day  
Sir indeed Sold one  
Candle to H kiderer

Sold, one Candle, [?] [?]  
January, Wednesday, 7. 6 1863.  
[?] 1863

Mustered in to the United  
Stats [States] [?] inlisted [enlisted] on the  
twenth [twenty] fifth of August in  
1862 went to the Harbor on  
the Sixteenth of September in  
1862 inlisted [enlisted] in under arch  
Rnselats[?] David Spencers  
on guard, n2, Cold wind

["1862" is written to the left of these lines.]

Thursday, 8. 7

washed in the fornoon [forenoon]  
Spent 10 Cents to the  
Sutlers fore [for] tobaco [tobacco] bald  
wind Snowed in the  
eving [evening] Sir yes indeed  
received a letter from[?]  
L W Ellinwood answered  
L W Letter Sir yes indeed

Friday, 9. 8

went down to the  
hooch [Sandy Hook]. Spent 65 Cents  
for Beer and whiskey  
& Segars [cigars] 2 dozen of  
Screws lamp Chimby [chimney] five  
pipes, Clay pipes 4 Box &  
mathes [matches] plesant [pleasant] all  
day in the wind blew

January,                      Saturday, ~~10~~. 9                      1863.

on guard down to  
Head Quarters [headquarters] Stoves[Stores?] 4 hours  
to a lick on the first relief  
Come up to [?] ~~g~~ at 9 A.m  
in the might cold aye![?]  
windy Spent—~~10~~ Cent 5 Cent  
fore a pie get a letter [?] R.H.R  
Corprel [Corporal] W Raelly com [come] back

Sunday, ~~11~~. 10

on his furlow [furlough]  
mehlas Chapen [Marcellus Chapin?] com [come]  
back on his furlow [furlough]  
this morning Rebel [?]  
[?] down in the  
vally [valley] in the night from  
firing down[?] between  
our men and the Rebels

Monday, ~~12~~. 11

went a hunting in  
the after noon [afternoon] fore [for] Rabets [Rabbits]  
Sent a paper to Inez Parsons  
Spent 5 Cents fore [for] a.  
paper

January,                      Tuesday, 13. 12                      1863.

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] no.1" Cold and  
windy

Wednesday, 14. 13

went down to the  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 20 Cents  
warm and pleasant [pleasant]

Thursday, 15. 14

went hinting [hunting] down  
on the Siele[?] if the minuts[?]  
got 10 Cents Sold 2 Candles

January,                      Friday, ~~16~~. 15                      1863.

On guard no 2 rained in  
the moring [morning] and plesant [pleasant] in  
the after noon [afternoon] Sir indeed

Saturday, ~~17~~. 16

went hunting in the  
after noon [afternoon] after  
Roberts killd [killed] [?]  
[?] rot [wrote] a letter to dad

Sunday, ~~18~~. 17

Sent a letter to John  
Rawlins 815 Brodway [Broadway?] ny  
cold and windy Sir  
indeed yes Sir Sent a possey posse?  
[?] to John Rawlins ny

January,                      Monday, 19. 18                      1863.

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] no 3 down to the  
Barn rained in the night  
Spent ~~ff~~ five Cents on the  
third relief [relief?]

Tuesday, 20. 19

Come off from guard rainy  
and wet. Sir indeed  
Cemence [Commence?] writing in my  
writing Book [Signed?]  
my clothing rolles [rolls] € \$ \$ 6,01  
Six Dollers [Dollars] and One Cent  
Paid to Tom Finch 3 Cents  
fore [for] the file which I broke  
Wednesday, 21. 20

Cold and windy a little Sir  
indeed cut wood fore [for] the tent

January, Thursday, 22. 1863.  
21

warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
got some wood  
in the after noon [afternoon]  
Sir indeed

Friday, 23.  
22

on guard no 2 on  
the first relief Sir  
got a letter from L Dea[?]  
got a letter from B. Thorn  
got a Book Chera[?]  
and Speker[?] guid [guide?] 10 €  
Cent

Censtersigne [Countersign?] Guillford  
Saturday, 24. 23

Come off from guard  
pleasant [pleasant] and warm Sir  
made a ring of Brass  
Shell plug Sir indeed  
no [?] Sir  
General . Whyly[?] Whipls[Whipple?] took  
Comand [Command] of this divison [division]  
Gen Sullivan wend [went?] down  
to he [the?] front[?] with[?] division



January,

Sunday, 25. 24

1863.

plesant [pleasant?] and warm  
no Snow inspecksion [inspection]  
with th [the] [?] Sir  
no Snow Sir indeed  
rite [write] a letter to [?] [?]  
to [?] [?][?] Co[?] ny

Monday 26. 25

went down to the  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 10 Cents  
for tobaco [tobacco] warm and  
plesant [pleasant] Sir henry  
Reth U H P Dean went  
home on furlow [furlough] A Rield [?]  
Kidder come back on his[?]  
furlow [furlough]

Tuesday, 27. 26

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] no. 2. down th to  
the Magziene[?] Stood 8 hours  
on the first relief warm  
and plesant [pleasant] Sir indeed

Countersign Texas

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January,                      Wednesday, ~~28~~ 27                      1863.

warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
washed in the foot  
noon [forenoon] Sir Quite pleasant [pleasant]

Thursday, ~~29~~ 28

received a letter from  
Alma A.[H.?] B worked on figures  
all day drawing legs Sir Quit [Quite?]  
warm

Friday, ~~30~~, 29

received [received] a letter from B.B Mill  
and H M Miller answerd [answered]  
A[H?] B Letter to day [today] on guard  
no 1 on the third relief warm  
and hot Sir 3 new recruits  
came to day [today] and Arch Risle[?]  
came to from Phelietelphia [Philadelphia]  
Countersign Vitsburg [Vicksburg?]

January,                      Saturday, 31. 30                      1863.

Saturday came off from  
guard rainy and cloudy[?]  
cold a little Sir indeed  
Cent A Brainaret [*flourish follows here*]]

February,                      Sunday, 1. 31

rainy and wet Cold  
mudy [muddy?] fogy [foggy] Cloudy and  
disigable [disagreeable?] Sir indeed

february                      Mønday, 2. 1 ([and?])

answerd [answered] Nellie letter  
wet Cold rainy fogy [foggy] and  
disigebiel [disagreeable?] Sir indeed  
traided [traded] my revelvor [revolver]  
for a watch with Jim  
Horten[?] and give One Doller [Dollar]  
to Boot Sir indeed

February, Tuesday, 3, 2 1863.

on guard on the third  
relief (No.1.) Sir [?]  
warm plesant [pleasant] day Sir  
indeed thunder Shower and  
lihten [lightening] Quite Sharp in the evning [evening]  
in the morning Snow Storm

Countersign Corinth

Wednesday, 4. 3

come off from guard Cold  
windy and disigebiel [disagreeable] Sir

Thursday, 5.

on fitngne [fatigue] down to Head  
Quarters [Headquarters] worked on the road  
warm and plesant [pleasant] Sir

February, Friday, 6. 5 1863.

Sent home Six dollars to  
Robert by Lint James [?]  
went down to the hook [Sandy Hook]  
Spent 25 Cents fore [for] a cristel [crystal]  
in my watch warm and  
plesant [pleasant] Sir indeed received  
5 Cents of John Ledger  
Signed my Pay rolles [payrolls] fore 26.00  
Saturday, 7. 6

on guard on the third relief  
no 2, Sir indeed Cloudy  
and Smokey [Smoky], Quite Cold indeed  
Sir get Paid to day [today] 26.00 rainy [rainy?]  
and Cold

Countersigne [Countersign]Wellington  
Sunday, 8.

Well as usiel [usual] to day [today] Foggy [Foggy]  
rainy muddy [muddy] wet and  
disigrebiel [disagreeable] Sir indeed Sun  
Shine [Sunshine] in the after noon [afternoon]  
fixed my watch to day [today]

February, Monday, 9. 8 1863.

Cold wind Snowed a  
little in the morning Sun  
Shine [Sunshine] at 10 Am and well  
as usiel [usual] Sir to day [today] paid  
G Williams \$1.55 Cent paid  
F M Finch, 5 Cents all Silvar [Silver?]  
Sir got marching Orders to  
go to Battle at Seder [Cedar] moumton [mountain?]  
Tuesday, 10. 9

went down to work on the road  
to Fort Sullivan went down it  
[?] Hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 60[?] Cents fore [for]  
tobaco [tobacco] 12 Cents fore [for] paper 20 Cent  
fore [for] envelops [envelopes] 35 Cents fore [for] Beer  
45 Cents for Beer 5 Cents for a  
Sigar [Cigar?] 3 Cents fore [for] [?]

Wednesday, 11. 10

on guard no 2 third relief windy  
and disigrebiel [disagreeable] Sir indeed recived [received]  
a letter from T W Roberts

Counter Signe [Countersign], Alkas[?]

February, Thursday, 12. 11 1863.

went down [?] [?] hook [Sandy Hook]  
Cold wind but Sun Shine [Sunshine]  
Sir Spent, 55 Cents

Friday, 13. 12

went down to th [the] Hook [Sandy Hook]  
Spent 50 Cente [Cent] fore [for] a Pocket  
25 Cent for postage Stampe [stamp]  
5[?] Cente fore [for] five Cents for  
\*pills[?] Sir 10 Cents for Sigars [Cigars]

Counter Signe [Countersign] Basten

Saturday, 14. 13

went down to the  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 55 Cents  
ranked on [?] plesant [pleasant]  
and warm



February, Sunday, 15. 14 1863.

windy all day Dust flew  
Sun Shine [Sunshine] and a big  
fire on Boliver Hights [Heights] well  
and plesant [pleasant] I am well  
as usiel [usual] Sir indeed not  
eny [any] litter to night [tonight] nor  
in three weeks Sir  
Counter Sign [Countersign] Somthing [Something?]

Monday, 16. 15

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] no. 1, on the third  
relief Sir Spen [Spent] 35 Cents  
cold and windy Snowed[?]  
a little in th [the] evning [evening]  
Sir

Tuesday, 17 16

Cold and windy Sir  
all day. Snow Storm  
in the fournoon [forenoon] Quit [Quite]  
hard Sir wrot [wrote] a letter  
to L Dean[?] G [?] Thomas  
W Chase and [?]  
Shutter[?] went in the  
[?] bear two new  
[?] born

February,                      Wednesday, 18 17                      1863.

Cold and windy and  
disagreeable [disagreeable] Sir all day very  
Cold

Thursday, 19. 18

Spent on guard  
no 2. Spent 55 Cents  
bought 2 dozen [dozen] of eggs  
Cold and windy Sir

Counter Sign [Countersign] F Gorden  
Friday, 20. 19

went down to Head  
& Quarters hook [Sandy Hook]  
Spent 75 Cent, 20 Cent [Cent]  
10 Cents 10 Cents 25 Cents

February,                      Saturday, ~~21~~. 20 1863.

plesant [pleasant] warm and  
comfitable [comfortable] Sir indeed

Sunday, ~~22~~. 21

plesant [pleasant] and warm

Monday, ~~23~~. 22

on guard down to  
head Quarters [headquarters] Sir  
Spent 10 Cents Spent  
10 Cents warm and  
plesant [pleasant]

new Henden  
Counter Sign

February, Tuesday, 24. 23 1863.

washed in the moring [morning]  
Sir M U Finch went  
home Sir

Wednesday, 25. 24

went down to th [the]  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 20 Cents  
plesant [pleasant] and warm  
answered Lucy Letter  
and L Dean letter to  
day [today]

Thursday, 26. 25

went down to Sandy  
hook [Sandy hook?] Spent, 65[?] Cents  
Cloudy in the evning [evening]  
One of the Maryland Regt  
Boys tumbled of [off?] from  
the Bridge and cracked  
his [?] Skull broke his  
back bone [backbone] Sir

February,                      Friday, 27. 26                      1863.

on guard no. 1 on  
the third relief Cold  
wind all day Sir dark  
night Sir and the  
wind blew Quite hard S  
Sir indeed man[?]

Counter Sign [Countersign] 7[?] Rivel[?] Sir

Saturday, 28. 27

went down to the hook [Sandy Hook]  
Spent ,85 Cebts ,25 Cents  
,20 Cents 35 Cents got  
my watch fix and didnt [didn't]  
do eny [any] good Sir paid  
out , 80[?] Cents

March,                      Sunday, 1. 28

well as usiel [usual] today  
Cloudy all day not n[?]  
much going on to day [today] and  
may the grace of god meet  
you and may we all  
have the Lord to be our  
Comfiter [Comforter] in time to  
come hear after [hereafter] So good  
day my Friend

March, Monday, 2. 29 1863.

Mustered in fore [for] two  
months pay Cloudy  
all day Sir

Tuesday, 3. 1

on guard no. 2 on  
the Second relief to day [today]  
Snowey [Snowy] Cloudy wet  
Cold and Stormy to day [today]  
Sir Spent, 5, Cents

Counter Sign [Countersign] Singn[?] Alma

Wednesday, 4. 2

went down to the  
hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 15 plesant [pleasant]  
warm and comfitable [comfortable]  
Sir a

and he that is  
happy Still Countersign  
Sign [countersign Sir was Jane

March, Thursday, 5. 8 1863.

plesant [pleasant] warm all day  
Sir Snowed is [in?] the  
after noon [afternoon] chewesed [chose?] up  
Sides and went at it

Friday, 6. 4

went down and washed  
in the foornoon [forenoon] plesant [pleasant]  
and warm Sir put up  
a Sign fore [for] a boot Shop

Saturday, 7 5

Drilled in the foor  
noon [forenoon] Sir on the Signe[?]  
guns Sir at 30 Pound  
Paratt [Parrott] guns Rifels [Rifles]  
Cloudy Sir and rained  
a little Sir my Frnend [Friend]

March, Sunday, 8. 6 1863.

on guard in the  
Second relief no. 1,  
windy Cloudy all day  
Rebel raind [rained?] down to  
the Point of Rocks Sir Six  
thousand [?] Crosted [Crossed] the  
Countersign River Sir  
Dark Malakoff  
night sir Monday, 9.

pleasant [pleasant] all day Sir inded [indeed]  
Sir [?] [?] up to  
the Stone Fort to day [today] Sir  
received at letter from  
Brothe [Brother?] R H Roberts  
Boonville Sir indeed

Dark night Sir  
Tuesday, 10. 8

pleasant Sir drilled  
in the foor noon [forenoon]  
and after noon [afternoon]

Dark night



March,                      Wednesday, 11. 9                      1863.

plesant [pleasant] Sir in  
the after noon [afternoon]  
drilled all day  
Sir

Dark night  
Thursday, 12[*period missing in diary*]                      10

drilled in the  
foornoon [forenoon] Sir out  
after noon [afternoon] Sir  
plesant Sir

Friday, 13.                      11

on guard on the Second  
relief, no. 2, went rainy  
unplesent [unpleasant] and  
disigreebile [disagreeable] Sir

Counteresgn [Countersign] Como

March,                      Saturday, 14. 12                      1863.

pleasant [pleasant] warm to day [today]  
Sir indeed my  
Friend Spent 95  
Cents to day [today] Sir

Sunday, 15. 13

warm pleasant [pleasant] and  
Comfitible [Comfortable] Sir well  
as [?] to day [today] Sir  
only a hard Cold[?]  
in Battel [Battle] at winchester  
Sir indeed the Reb  
pitched in Sir and  
we had to fight Sir

Monday, 16. 14

Cold and windy  
Sir indeed Battle  
Sir is over

March. Tuesday, 17. 15 1863.

plesant [pleasant] and Comfitible [Comfortable]  
Sir indeed Sir  
write a letter to dad  
no answer

Wednesday, 18.  
16

on guard Sir to  
day [today], on the Second  
relief no. [?] ,. 1, Cold  
and windy Sir Cold

Marengo[?]  
CounterSign [countersign]  
Thursday, 19. 17

plesat [pleasant] warm and  
Cofitable [Comfortable] wash in  
the after noon [afternoon] traded  
watches in the after  
noon [afternoon] Sir paid \$4.00 dollars  
to Boot wind Blowes [Blows]  
St Patrick day  
all day" Sir

March,                      Friday. 20. 18                      1863.

plesant [pleasant] all day Sir  
went down to work  
on the B Pinton [Pontoon?] Bridge  
finished it in the after  
noon [afternoon] So as the Army  
of the Cumberland  
Could Cross the River  
Counter Sign [Countersign] Viania[?]  
Saturday, 21. 19

plesant [pleasant] all day Sir  
drilled in the  
foornoon [forenoon] fight in  
the after noon [afternoon]  
at Shendoah [Shenandoah]  
Valley Sir chased  
the Reb back [*a squiggle line extends from "back" to "20"*]

Sunday, 22.    20

plesant [pleasant] warm and  
Comitable [Comfortable] to day [today] My  
Friend Sir inSpection in  
the morning By the Capten [Captain]  
Rember [Remember me in you [?]  
[?] [?] Prare [Prayer] my Friend

March,

March, Thursday, 26. 24 1863.

Drilled in the foor  
noon [forenoon] Sir indeed  
Drilled in the after  
noon [afternoon] my Firend [Friend]

Friday, 27. 25

Drilled in the  
foor noon [forenoon] and  
after noon [afternoon] my  
Firend [Friend]

Saturday, 28. 26

on guard no 1 on  
the Second relief  
wet and ~~Cold~~  
Cold my Firend [Friend]

March, Sunday, 29. 27 1863.

Come of [off] From  
guard no. 1 on  
th [the] Second relief

28  
Monday, 30.

Sick all day drill  
in th [the] foornoon [forenoon]

Tuesday, 31. 29

Sick all day went  
down and See th[the]  
Docter [Doctor] in th [the] after  
noon [afternoon on [?]  
in th [the] fornoon [forenoon]

April, Wednesday, 4. 30 1863.

and on guard  
no 2 on th [the]  
thir [third?] relif [relief] Snoey [Snowy]  
all day Snow  
1 foot deep my  
recived [received] a letter from  
Lucy and one from  
Thomas aswerd [answered?] Thomas  
Thursday, <sup>x</sup>2. 31 letter

plesant [pleasant] all day  
Signed the  
Pay rolls [payroll] Sir for  
\$26 Dollars

Friday, 2. 1

got Paid to day [today] \$26  
Dollers [Dollars] Paid out to  
Charles Jones[?] \$15.00  
Dollers [Dollars] to Paper Boy  
.10 Cents to L W B  
.10 Cents fore [for] a lamp  
Chimy [Chimney] raing in the  
after noon [afternoon] Sir



April,                      Saturday, 4. 2                      1863.

Wet rainy Day Sir went  
down to the Hook [Sandy Hook] Spent  
\$1.60 By Cash By Cash lent  
To C. M. Thomas \$10.0 [\$10.00?]  
Dollars till

April, Tuesday, 7. 5 1863.

come off from guard

Wednesday, 8. 6.

went down down [*redundancy in diary*]  
to the hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 75[?]  
Spent 70 " Spent 15 Cent

Thursday, 9. 7

on fitngne [fatigue] to cut wood  
fore the hospitall [hospital] warm  
get a letter from  
Father to Day [today]

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answrd [answered] Thomas letter

April, Friday, 10. 8 day 1863.

Sir ["day" *written diagonally starting before "1863"*]

answrd [answered?] Lucy letter fierd [fired]

to day [today] the 2 30 P Battery

and Morter [Mortar] Batery [Battery] and

the "100" Pounder to my

Friend plesant [pleasant] and

warm Sir indeed Spent

10 Cents by Cash recived [received]

\$1.00, Doller [Dollar] of Frank[?] Davis

Saturday, 14 9

on guard no 2 on the

Second relief rainy all

day wet wind blew

hard in the night Cold

indeed Sir Spent 15

Cents for a pie

Countersign Mccenbill[?]

Sunday, 12. 10

plesant [pleasant] all day but

rainy in the evening

the fifth Regt

from Baltimore [Baltimore] Cane[Came]

hear [here] in the miring [morning] 8

Co. Cam [Came?] to Hepers [Harpers]

Fery [Ferry] Genl Gray ham [Graham?] in

Chief

April, Monday, 13. 11 1863.

went down to  
the Hook [Sandy Hook] M<sup>d</sup>  
Spent 10 Cents Spent  
40 Cents Spent, 20  
Cents Spent .5[?] Cents

Counter Sign [Countersign  
Chick in homny [Chickahominy?]

Tuesday, 14. 12

went down to th [the]  
hook [Sandy Hook] head Quartrs [headquarters]  
to grind axes ,[?], to  
Co "M" See th [the] Old  
5, Regt Cempanyis [Companies?] Spen [Spent?]  
.10 Cents Sold my Watch

Wednesday, 15. 13

Gigtisburg [Gettysburg?]

on guard down  
Head Quarters [Headquarters]. 5 Regt  
moved ther [their] Camp  
to Camp Brown  
a Private out of 8 Co[?]  
M died at 3 oclok [oclock?]  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
[?] guard [?]  
Corps in the night

April,

Thursday, 16. 14

1863.

warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
Sir wind blew a little  
to day [today] Spent .50 Cents  
for whiskey down  
to Head Quarters [Headquarters]

Friday, 17. 15

pleasant [pleasant] and warm  
on Regmeltal [Regimental] drill  
down to Head Quarters [Headquarters]  
received a letter from  
Cousin John Simons  
and his portragrah [photograph]

Saturday, 18. 16

rainy and Cold wind  
Some newr [newer?] recrits [recruits?]  
came in to day [today]

April,

Sunday, 19. 17

1863.

on guard on the  
" Secind [Second] relief wet  
" and Cold wind So  
one of the Old Regt[?]  
"I" one Batalion [Battalion] went  
away to day [today] rainy and  
Cold

Monday, 20. 18

plesant [pleasant] all day  
Sir indeed [?]  
day Sir three from  
,100[?] Pounder and two  
from th [the] mortar [mortar] Battery

Tuesday, 21. 19

plesant [pleasant] all day  
rubed [rubbed] on my  
gun gun[*redundancy in diary*], got it  
cleened [cleaned] Sir indeed  
answered Cousin John

Simons letter to  
day [today]

April,                      Wednesday, 22. 20                      1863.

on guard [?] at  
the 30 Pouand [Pound?]Battery

Thursday, 23. 21  
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Friday, 24. 22  
*[This entry is blank in the diary.]*



April,                      Saturday, 25. 23                      1863.

received a Box from  
Nellie Sent By L Bans  
Sir

                                 Sunday, 26. 24  
[*This entry is blank in the diary.*]

                                 Monday, 27. 25  
[*This entry is blank in the diary.*]

April, Tuesday, 28. 26 1863.

~~on guard down to~~  
~~head-Quarters [headquarters] [?]~~

Sir indeed  
went up to the dis-  
mounted [dismounted] Camp Spen [Spent]  
"75 Cents By Cash

Wednesday, 29. 27

C T F Thomas went  
up to the mortar [mortar] Batter [Battery]  
received [received] a letter  
from H" H" L" B Reel" L" E" P  
N" Miller

Thursday, 30. 28

on guard down to  
Head Quarters [Headquarters] Sir

May, Friday, 1. 29 1863.

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Saturday, 2. 30

Mustered in fore [for]  
two months Pay Sir  
By Capt Wilder

Sunday, 3. 1

Spent ¢10 Cents  
answered Nellie letter  
to Day [today]

May, Monday, 4. 2 1863.

Plesant [Pleasant] all day till  
night then it rained

Sir answered H·H· B

letter Sir fixed th [the]

Bunk over to day [today] Sir

Bought a stove of L

George North \$8·00 Doll [Dollars]

.75 C Cent[] a pease [a peace] 4 of us Sir

Sir indeed [*the las "ed" of "indeed" is written over the "Tues" of "Tuesday"*] Tuesday, 5. 3

On Guard to Day [today]

Sir indeed on the

third relief "no" 1· · 1864 [*"1864" has a box drawn around it.*]

windy all Day Sir

Cold to Day Sir

Wednesday, 6. 4

went down to

Sandy Hook Spent

\$1.75 Cent Cent C[?]. [*redundancy in diary*]

Seaville[?] \$1.30 Cents, tul [until?]

next pay day Sir indeed

warm and plesant [pleasant]

May, Thursday, 7. 5 1863.

warm and pleeae [pleasant?]

Sir Indeed

Friday, 8. 6

Battalion Drill in  
the after noon [afternoon]  
very hot indeed Madan [Madame?]

Saturday, 9. 7

went down to Bathe  
\ in James R  
River, Va" 1864

May, " Sunday, 10. 8 1863.

plesant [pleasant] all Day  
Sir indeed very  
Hot all Day received  
a letter from M. F. Reed  
of Boonville Oneida Co.  
New York

Monday, 11. 9

on guard over Prisoners  
Stnd [Stand?] 4 hours wam [warm]  
and plesant [pleasant] Sir  
indeed

Tuesday, 12. 10

Warm and plesant [pleasant]  
and [?] warm all  
Day went Down on  
review in the after  
noon [afternoon] at "2 4" PM  
rained in the Evening  
Sir

May, Wednesday, 13. 11 1863.

plesant [pleasant] all Day Sir  
not much goine [going] on  
in Camp Sir Spend  
15 Cents Sir

Thursday, 14. 12.

Went Went [*redundancy in diary*] down  
to Sandy Hook Spent  
By Cash 92 Cents  
lett [letter?] C.M. Thomas  
,50 Cents till nex [next?]  
pay day Sir

Friday, 15. 13

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May, Saturday, 16. 14 1863.

Sunday, 17. 15

on guard on  
the Second relief  
no. 1.

Winchester  
Counter Sign [Countersign]  
Monday, 18.

16

pleasant [pleasant] all Day



May, Tuesday, 19. 17 1863.

on Battalion Drill

Wednesday, 20. 18

pleasant [pleasant] all Day

Spent 5 Cents

fore [for] milk had

~~a fight fit from~~

~~3 Oclock in the moning~~ [morning]

~~till 6 Pm~~ received

a letter from Linon

Ellenwood

Thursday, 21. 19

pleasant [pleasant] all Day went

down to Sandy Hook

Spent, 50 Cents

May, Friday, 22. 20 1863.

went Down to take  
the Super [Supper] to the men  
on the Pontoon Bridge  
went with 4 feet of  
a Small Pox Bed  
Been exposed to the Small  
Pox

Saturday, 23. 21

on guard at the thirty  
Round Battery plesant [pleasant]  
all Day

Sir Indeed

Liberty

Man of humanty [humanity?] of

Counter Sign [Countersign] Mald[?]

Sunday, 24. 22

Plesant [Pleasant] all Day Sir  
answerd [answered], Lucy letter  
to Day [today] Sir thunder  
Shower in the evning [evening]  
Sir indeed

May, Monday, 25. 23 1863.

got Paid to Day [today] 26,00  
Dollars got paid in  
the night at 0 9 Occlock [O'clock]  
in the evning [evening?] Sir

Tuesday, 26. 24

paid to L. Caveor[?]  
forten [fourteen] Dollars fore [for] a  
revolver received of "C"  
M" Thomas \$5.50  
received of C" Seals Scovil  
\$1.40 recived [received] J" R Gillbey  
\$15.30 paid to L" W  
Barns, 50 Cents

Wednesday, 27. 25

went a hunting  
with L" B" Motton[?] Spent  
.35 Cents fore [for] a Gun  
plesant [pleasant] all Day Sir  
kill nothing at all

May, Thursday, 28. 26 1863.

went Down on guard  
to Harpfers Fery [Harpers Ferry] and on  
picket Spent 75 Cents  
at Harppers [Harpers] Ferry  
went all Day and  
all night

Friday, 29. 27

Came off from guard  
Spent \$1.80 and  
Cents Bought one pound  
of Tobbaco [Tobacco] went down  
an [and?] goe [go?] Battalion Drill  
in the after noon [afternoon]

Saturday, 30. 28

Washed in the  
foornoon [forenoon] Sir plesant [pleasant]  
all Day

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May, Sunday, 31. 29 1863.

On Patrole [Parol] in the  
foorenoon [forenoon] went down  
to Wevington [Weverton?] and  
Knoxville found three  
of our men of Said  
Co" K" brought them  
upto [up to] Camp Spent  
25 Cents Sir

June, Monday, 1. 30

On Guard on  
~~the~~ third relief  
no" 1" to the main  
entrance

June, Wednesday, 3. 1 1863.

went Down to  
Sandy Hook Spent  
by cash \$2.25 n[?  
plesant [pleasant] all Day

Thursday, 4. 2

rainy and dull  
all Day By Cash  
recived [received] .25 Cents  
writ [wrote] a letter to  
Sister lib[?] to  
Kansas too[?]

Friday, 5. 3

on fitngne [fatigue] down to  
the Dutch Battery  
thring [throwing?] up Rifle pits  
and breast works  
spent 0.5 Cents

June, Saturday, 6. 1863.  
4

on guard Spent  
15 Cents warm and  
pleasant [pleasant] all Day  
on the third relief  
no 1.

Counter Sign [Countersign] New York  
Sunday, 7. 5  
warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
leave[?] of [off?] [?] guard  
Spent 10 Cent.

Monday, 8. 6

on guard no  
down to the naval  
Battery [Battery] no 1 on the  
third relief

June, Tuesday, 9. 7 1863.

went a hunting  
in th [the] foor noon [forenoon]  
and aid in the  
after noon [afternoon] Triggered th [the]  
guns aft [after?] a [at?] a  
target on th [the] Rly[?]  
Rieley [Riley?] Sir.

Wednesday, 10. 8

[?] guard no 1  
on the third relif [relief]  
down to Harrper [Harpers]  
F'ery [Ferry] Spent yB [By?] Cash  
25 Cents Sir

Thursday, 11. 9

Spent By C, 18 Cent  
Sir  
recieth [received?] 40.Cents  
received By C 12 Cent



June, \ Friday, 12. 10 1863.

awrote [?] a letter  
to Sister Gave to  
Rome Oneida loo[?]  
and one to Farther [Father]  
Sir Sent a letter  
to R Keith to  
ny [?] City

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Saturday, 13. 11

on guard down to  
to [*redundancy in diary*] Harrpers [Harpers] Ferry no.1.  
on the thid [third] relif [relief]  
pleasant [pleasant] all Day  
Spent By Cash .25 C

\ Sunday, 14. 12

t . on a raid up the  
Shandoah [Shenandoah] River  
Sir marched 30 miels [miles]  
in the night left  
Camp at 10 Oclock  
in the night 278  
men went out of th [the]  
Battalion Cold waded  
[?] th [the] river

June, Monday, 15. 13 1863.

Spent By Cash  
.43 Cent come  
Back from the  
raid Sir  
on guard to the  
30P[?] Battery

Counter Sign [Countersign] Cermts[?]  
Tuesday, 16. 14

Spent By Cash .36  
Cents fore [for] Butter  
plesant [pleasant] all Day  
Received [Received] By [?] ~~50~~ [*double strikethrough*]  
.50 Cents \$ ["\$" has a "#" written over it.]  
Co M wend [went?] over to  
th [the] " Fery [Ferry] [*a squiggle diagonal line*]

Wednesday, 17. 15

received By Cash .15  
Cents plesant [pleasant] all Day.  
Co. L Went oere [over]  
to th [the] Ferry the [?]  
on guard from you  
l till th [the] fire at Day  
43 times 21 on th [the]  
Second relief

June, Thursday, 18. 16 1863.

Went down to Harpers  
Ferry on the fist [first]  
relief no 2 . plesant [pleasant]  
all Day Sir

a letter R H Roberts  
received Friday, 19. 17 17

Come off From  
guard  
Spent 15 Cents  
fore [for] things I  
needed to Eat

Sir Port Hindson [?]  
Counter Sign [Countersign]

Saturday, 20. 18

went hunting  
all Day up the  
South mountains  
not much gaim [game?]  
t ["t" is at an angle]

Spent By Cash  
10 Cents Sir fore [for]  
Shot

3\* [*printed on bottom of page*]

June, Sunday, 21. 19 1863.

Sent home fifteen  
Dollars to Robert by  
express answered  
R H R letter Sent  
an [Order?] to get  
[ my State Bounty  
to Albany

Monday, 22. 18 20

On guard  
got excused  
fore [for] neat Close  
Sir plesant [pleasant] all Day  
went up in  
plesant [pleasant] valley to  
get some berris [berries?]

Tuesday, 23. 21

Staid in Camp  
all Day Spent  
.05 Cents fore [for] a  
Segare [Cigar?]

June, Wednesday, 24. 22 1863.

Spent .05 Cents fore [for]  
a Segare [cigar?] to John  
Becker hot eveng [evening]  
to roste [roast] a pig  
all Day

Sir lett [letter]  
answered Thomas

Thursday, 25. 23 1863.

on guard heare [here?] to  
the 30<sup>th</sup> P<sup>th</sup> B Rifel [Rifle] Bat [Battery]  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
all day Sir

Friday, 26. 24

went up the Valley  
Spot [*an oval drawn over first three letter of "Spot"*] got some Cheris [Cherries]  
Sir plesat [pleasant] all Day

June, Saturday, 27. 25 1863.

Staid [Stayed] in Camp  
all Day Sir took  
John R Gillbey  
place on guard for[?]  
two hourss [hours] Sir  
[?] and Quite warm  
Sir rested [roasted?] Some Beef  
on the rocks Bye [By] the Sun

Sunday, 28. 26

On guard down to the  
Gen Max Weber Head  
Quarters to Harpper's [Harpers]  
Ferry Spent 50 Cents  
fore [for] my likenesses  
to H Ferry paid By  
Cash to L W Bones[?]  
10 Cents

Monday, 29. 27

Came of [off?] From  
guard down to  
Ferry Sir Spent  
,25 Cents Sir  
[?] [?] Genl army[?]  
to Nell Miller  
47 times on guard  
to the present day 23 on  
the Second relief

June, Tuesday, 30. 28 1863.

on fituge [fatigue] all day  
indeed  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
all day Quite  
warm Sir

July, Wednesday, 1. 29

On guard heare [here] at  
the 30 P.B. B  
on the Second relief  
no. 3. with the  
prisoners  
30 of June got  
mustered in fore [for]  
two months pay 32

Thursday, 2. 30

Came of [off] from  
guard and went  
down to the  
Shandoal [Shenandoah] River on  
picket all day and  
night 48 to [?]  
time Spent 5 - 25 Cents  
Sir

July, Friday, 3. 1 1863.

Came of [off] from  
picket Sir pleasant [pleasant]  
all Day Spent ,20  
Cents Sick all Day  
Sir indeed [?]

Saturday, 4. 2

on fitngue[fatigue] in the  
foor noon [forenoon] Sir pleasant [pleasant]  
Sir but in the after  
noon [afternoon] Showers a little  
Spent 20 Cents Sir  
Sick a little

Sunday, 5. 3

come off from a raid down  
to Knoxville drove the Reb Back  
Battle a Leesburg in sight  
of the Battery 30,000 Rebels  
21 of Union men Martinsburg [*The end of this word continues on the page next to it.*]  
Vacuated





July, Thursday, 9. 7 1863.

Fight kept up yet  
gained no ground [?]  
ground yet [?] ligh [light?]  
Hunter Came in  
to reinfore [reinforce] us at 7  
Oclock in the evning [evening]  
Sir Spent 20 Cents

Friday, 10. 8

Harpers Ferry Vacuated  
bye [by] the genals [generals] Reb our  
troops crosed [crossed] the River  
to retake the Ferry waid  
ed [waded] the River all Quiet  
up plesant [pleasant] Valley  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
all Day Sick with  
the Colick [colic] [*The end of the unreadable word is written over "Saturday"*] Saturday, 11. 9

Cool and windy  
all Day Sir all  
Quiet in or about the  
Ferry the Reb down  
to or about the Point  
of Rocks Mail tran [train]  
Stoped [Stopped] By the byrnes  
Rebers [Rebels] Sick all Day  
Sir

July, Sunday, 12. 10 1863.

pleasent [pleasant] all Day Sir  
geting [getting] Some better  
of my Sickness  
no mail yet runig [running]  
Sir the Fight kept  
up at point of Rock [Point of Rocks]

Monday, 13. 11

got marcking [marching] Orders  
to go to Washington  
Sir te [the] Fort Ethe allen [Ethan Allen]  
no mail yet

Tuesday, 14. 12

the Batalion [Battalion] went up  
to Fafax [Fairfax?] to drive  
mosbery Guerilles [Mobsby's Guerrillas]  
back from Fort C F Smith  
heare [here] at 30 P B B yet  
the Ohio Boys come  
to relive [relieve] us fron [from] guard  
at 30 B B.  
no mail yet

July, Wednesday, 15. 13 1863.

Sent home forty Dollars  
to Robert Sent it to Heldens  
to turin [Turin, NY?] bye [by] Capt Brown  
got my United States Bounty [*a bounty was like a bonus*]  
twenty five Dollars received  
fifty two Dollars Pay day  
under marching order  
yet no mail plesat [pleasant]

S S Thursday, 16. 14 [*'thursday' partially written over printed day*]

Lagerthon[?] or menberandon[?]

on guard at 30  
P B M<sup>d</sup> Hight [Height] on  
the Second relief  
no 2 plesant [pleasant] all  
Day Sir

Friday, 17.

15

Came of [off] from  
guard 1—~~Bat~~ first  
Battalion come in  
all ent[?] up 80  
men out of boys[?]  
lost

ansr [answer] Nell &[?] Lucy letter

July,                  Saturday, 18, 16                  1863.

Warm and plesanet [pleasant]  
all Day Sir well as  
usil [usual] the Mail came  
in to - Day [today] get two lette [letter]  
one from Nell and on [one]  
from Lucy and a paper  
from Boonville too day [today?]  
Clint came down hear [here]  
Sunday, 19, 17

all Over to Day [today]  
in Camp Siena[?]  
skirmish this morning  
Joneys [Johnny *nickname for Rebels*] quite thick I did  
not get hit God bless  
me a poor orfan [orphan] boy

Monday, 20. 18

on guard to Day [today]  
on the thir [third] relief  
no.3 Quite warm

July, Tuesday, 21. 19 1863.

Went down to  
Sandy Hook - Spent  
Spent [*redundancy in diary*] 115 fore [for]  
tobc [tobacco?] [?] One Shoe[?]  
of evry [every?] [?]

One Band of [?]

Wednesday, 22. 20 [*The "2" is written over a "1".*]

Received a paper  
of Boon [Boonville] 4 Recd<sup>et</sup>

À —"

and one lette [letter] from  
Rober [Robert?] Thomas plesant [pleasant]  
all Day Sir[?]

Quiet Warr [War]

Thursday, 23. 21

Staid [Stayed] in [?] all  
Day Sir  
L Col[?] Murry[?] killed  
at Smaker gap  
the first Bat Cut  
up very Bad

July, Friday, 24. 22 1863.

on guard down to  
[?] Battery on the  
Second relief no 1.  
warm and Smokey  
all Day Sir  
Spent 10 Cents

Saturday, 25. 23

Come of [off] from guard  
to day [today]  
Smokey all  
Day Sir

Sunday, 26. 24

received [received] this Book of Robert  
and a letter that come with  
it 1864 and letter in  
the morning pleasant [pleasant]  
all Day Sir  
wrote a letter to  
D B spencer to Lewis  
lee n York [New York?]

July, Monday, 27. 25 1863.  
[This entry is blank in the diary.]

Tuesday, 28 26

Chaney Banning Shoot  
in the mist [wrote] on picket to  
the river  
on 1864 on guard  
at 70 P B no 3[?]  
on the Second relief [relief]

Wednesday, 29. 27

on guard out on the first  
relief Cloudy and warm  
in the day time [daytime] high wind  
and rain in the evening [evening]  
received [received] one of father [father?]



July, Thursday, 30. 28 1863.

went Blackberin [picking blackberries] at three  
O'clock high wind in the day  
time [daytime] Cloudy in the evening [evening]  
bought four [four] Segars [Cigars] ten Cents  
Cups and Plates knives [knives] forks  
Spoons Comed[?] X received [received] a  
letter from Bebart and Reel

Friday, 31. 29

•  
on guard third relief Spent  
fifteen Cents rained <sup>a little</sup> in the  
fore noon [forenoon] and pleasant [pleasant] in the  
after noon [afternoon] Spent five Cents  
Brigade [Brigade] officer of the day  
Came at fort Decalb[?] at twelve  
O'clock [?] the Bit cell  
troops windy all day [*written diagonally toward edge of page*]  
August, Saturday, 1.

Came off of [?] guard in  
the morning the river pickets Come  
off answered [answered] L W [C?] letter  
went down  
to pick Some [?]

August, Sunday, 2. 31 1863.

inspection at eight O'clock  
Quite warm no wind  
answered farther [father?] letter XeL1  
Inspection ~~on~~ by G F.  
Merium [G.F. Merriam?] pleasant [pleasant] all Day

Monday, 3. 2 1

warm and pleasant [pleasant] and not  
much wind took a Stent [Stint?]  
to Shovel [Shovel] dust[?] in the Nick  
got through at ten O'clock V64  
on guard [?] [?]  
pleasant [pleasant] all day

Tuesday, 4. 3 2

Spent fifteen Cents to the  
Sutlers [Sutlers] warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
Spent fifteen fore [for] [*word unreadable*]  
washing [washing] a Par [Pair of Pants and  
Shirt [?] [?]~~f[?]~~  
E Burdick died  
Paye [Pay] x 64 pleasant [pleasant] all Day  
rote [wrote] a letter to Reel

August, Wednesday, 5. 3 1863.

Spent fife [five] cents for bucke [bucket?]

fife [five] Cents fore [for] Segers [Cigars]

	4	500	<u>1100</u>	[A curved line is to the right and left of "500".]
X64	<u>4</u>		4	[The curved line from above extends beside the "4".]
4	)	100	25	[A curved line is to the left and the right of "100".]
		<u>8</u>		
		20		
		<u>20</u>		
		[?]0		

Ong

Thursday, 6.

4

Knap Sacks [Knapsacks] haver Sacks [haversacks]

Cantees [Canteens?] Comed[?] by the Capt

warm and plesant [pleasant]

recivd [received] a letter from Lucy

answerd [answered] Lucy letter

answerd [answered] R H Robert Letter

Friday, 7.

x6 4

on guard

August,                      Saturday, 8. 6                      1863.

Spent fifteen Cents for  
Segar [Cigar] went Blackberin [Blackberrying?]  
picked three[?] Pintes [Pints?] in  
ten minuts [minutes]                      ["X" *shaped ink blob*]  
knapsacks Haver Sacks [haversacks]  
returned Canteens

Sunday, 9, 7

on guard third Relief  
Spent ten Cents

Monday, ~~10~~. 8

Monday 18    August  
five[?] Cents fore [for] Segar [Cigar]  
went down to the[?] City  
[?] up to S S[?]  
Bought a Broom 25 Cents Bought  
twelve Sheets of Sand paper  
twenty Cents Straw hat  
twenty Cents eat diner [dinner] ~~y1/2~~ [*double strikethrough*]  
up to F Singler[?] 25 Cents fore [for] [?]  
five 5 Segar [Cigar] five 5 Cents fore [for] drink[?]

August, Tuesday, ~~11~~ 9 1863.

Sold my hat fore [for] fifty  
Cents Paid tweny [twenty] Cents  
fore [for] it maid [made] thirty Cents  
and Spent five[?] Cents  
~~fore milk~~ drewed a  
pare of pants and two  
Shirts

Wednesday, ~~12~~. 10

deateled [detailed?] on guard Chosen  
fore [for] Major Ordliery[?] to day [today]  
Spent five Cents fore [for] Segars [Cigars]  
recived [received] another gold pen in  
return fore [for] the other one  
Spent five cents fore [for] tobaco [tobacco]  
Spent ten cents fore [for] milk

Thursday, ~~13~~. 11

Spent five Cents fore [for] Cuckes [Cukes]  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] rained in the  
foure noon [forenoon] Cloudy in the  
after noon [afternoon] write a letter to  
Maga[?] in Union town

August, Friday, 14. 12 1863.

Bought a Bottle of  
Sweet Oil [olive oil] fore [for] fifty  
Cents drilled in the  
fore noon [forenoon] in the heavey [heavy?]  
[?] Ordley Sun Struck  
in the four noon [forenoon] drilled  
in the after noon [afternoon] S[?]  
my gun in the after noon [afternoon]  
Saturday, 18. 13

on guard on the third  
relife [relief] the granel[?] rounels[?] Come  
around Spent two Cent to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] Spent

" Sunday, 18. 14

Spent five Cents made the  
best Shoot [Shot?] Spent five Cent  
fore [for] milk

August,                      Monday, 17. 15      1863.

got a pass to go down to  
Ft Albna [Fort Albany?] Spent 25 Cents fore [for]  
Ail [Ale] Spent 20 Cents fore [for] Beer  
five Cents fore [for] a Clay pipe five  
Cents fore [for] a Sheet of emry [emery?]  
paper recived [received] a letter from Robert  
of Boonville - warm and plesant [pleasant]  
*[a stylized "v" is at the beginning of the line]* got a haver Sack [haversack] of Apels [Apples]  
Tuesday, 18. 16

Spent five Cents fore [for] tobæo [tobæco]  
tobaco [tobacco] worked on fitnge [fatigue] in  
the fort Spent five Cent  
fore [for] Crackers to the Sutlor [Sutler?]

Wednesday, 19. 17

worked on fitugne [fatigue] in  
the fort on Carpenter  
work

August, Thursday, ~~20~~. 18 1863.

received [received] a letter from Ellen  
Parsons of Leyden  
rote [wrote] a letter to Cousin R Simon  
to Costableville [Constableville, NY] Sent it in W L L  
ewis [Lewis] letter. Spent fifteen  
Cents to the Sutlors [Sutlers] for  
Segars [Cigars]

Friday, ~~21~~. 19

Spent five cents fore [for] [?]  
milk John V Givens  
Sun Struck in the  
four noon [forenoon] drillen  
Brigade inspecton [inspection] at  
five oclock washed dishes for  
l H Rockwell he has paid ten Cents  
answerd [answered] Robert letter  
towards it and due five Cents

Saturday, ~~22~~. 20

Spent five Cents to the  
Sutlors [Sutlers] fore [for] tobaco [tobacco] worked  
on fitngne [fatigue] white washed  
in the Bumplroof[?]  
warm and plesant [pleasant] went  
to Fort Albany Spent  
five Cents for washing a  
Shirt got a haver sack [haversack] of  
peaches down to F Albany [Fort Albany]



August, \                      Sunday, 23. 21                      1863.

warm and pleasant [pleasant] inspeo [inspection?]  
on guns knapsacks got our  
first [ration?] of whiskey  
half a gill [a gill is a quarter of a pint] to a man  
David H Green marked my  
knapsacks haver Sacks [haversacks]  
Canteens fifteen Cents

Monday, 24. 22

Spent five Cents fore [for]  
washing a Shirt Due to  
Luis Hanker [Lewis Hanker?] five Cent  
drilled in the fore noon [forenoon]  
on heavy guns and light  
guns Drilled with the [?]  
received [received] a letter from John  
lit [*written diagonally before "Simon"*] Simon got whiskey [?]

Tuesday, ~~25.~~ 23

on guard on the Second [?]  
af relief got an order of the  
Liut [Lieut] Holany two dollars to Spend  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] till € next Pay  
day

August,                      Wednesday, 26.                      1863.

come off from guard Spent  
fifteen Cents to the Sutlers  
Sold fifteen Cents werth [worth] of  
Sweet Oil [olive oil] to Steven gilbert

Thursday, 27.

answered John Simen [Simon?]letter

Friday, 28.

on guard in the Secon [Second?]  
relief Plesant [Pleasant] and  
warm [?] [?]  
Spent ten Cents  
*[This entry was very light and traced over with pen.]*

August,                      Saturday, 29.                      1863.

recived [received] a letter from  
Simon E W fixed my  
Bunk in the [?] [?]  
com [come] off from guard  
on the Secon [Second] relief  
relief

*[This entry was light and traced over with pen.]*

Sunday, 30.

insepktion [inspection] went down  
to Beatthe [Bathe?] warm and  
plesant [pleasant] answered L<sup>o</sup>Ellen  
wood [Ellenwood] letter

*[Words of most of this entry traced over twice - almost as if first writing was too light.]*

Monday, 31.

Spent ten Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] for Crackers  
Spent five Cents to the Sut [Sutler]  
warm and plesant [pleasant] the  
Boys relived [relieved] at Fort Albany  
muster day the whole  
Battalion fore [for] two month  
Pay [*a cursive lower case "l" is after the word "Pay".*] Comenced [Commenced] to read the  
["4\*" *is printed here.*] testment [testament] thugh [through] with E Will[?]

September, Tuesday, 1. 1863.

Spent ten Cents fore [for] a tobaco [tobacco]  
Boy worked on fitugru [fatigue] warm  
and Plesant [Pleasant] drewed Some emry [emery]  
paper Spent five Cents for  
Cuckes [Cukes]

Wednesday, 2.

Spent five cents fore [for]  
~~caed~~ cuckes [cukes] warm and  
plesant [pleasant]  
Spent five  
Cents for Cuckes [Cukes]

Thursday, 3.

Spent ten Cents fore [for]  
a pie to the Sutlers  
Spent ten Cents fore [for]  
Beer to the Sutlers  
Spent five cents for  
Onion adied [added] up what  
I Spent Since I got the  
Beer[?] 4.86 Answer Sp [Spent]  
Six cents

September,                      Friday, 4.                      1863.

warm and Plesant [Pleasant]  
leo, L, went down to  
fore [four] mile run

Saturday, 5.

Spent fifteen Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] fore [for] tabac [tobacco]  
warm and plesant [pleasant]

Sunday, 6.

warm and plesant [pleasant]  
went out in the Cunty [County? Country?]  
went up bye [by ] Browens to  
get firm [firm?] appls [apples] heavey [heavy]  
Shower in the evning [evening]  
dress parade in the after  
noon [afternoon] at five Oclock

September,                      Monday, 7.                      1863.

on guard on the first  
relief warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
Spent ~~5~~ five Cents  
fore [for] apples to the Sutlors [Sutlers]

Tuesday, 8.

Come of [off] from guard  
received [received] a letter from  
L Dean \* warm  
and pleasant [pleasant] answerd [answered]  
loren Dean letter Spent  
five Cents

Wednesday, 9.

received [received] a letter from  
R H Roberts went up  
to miner hill and ~~and~~  
around in the Cuntty [County? Country?]  
to get Some potatoes  
dress Parde [Parade]

September,

Thursday, 10.

1863.

Spent five Cents for  
cheese to the Sutlers

Friday, 11.

on guard ~~out the first~~  
re on Superinmia[?]  
warm and plesant [pleasant]

Saturday, 12.

Spent five Cents fore [for]  
dried Beef to the Sutler  
went up in the Cunty [County? Country?]  
to get Some fruit and  
appols [apples]

September,

Sunday, 13.

1863.

rained in the moring [morning]  
plesant [pleasant] in the after  
noon [afternoon] dress Porde [Parade]

Monday, 14.

~~mustadr in f~~  
Signed the Pay  
rooles [Payrolls]  
went up in the  
Cunty [County? Country?] to get som [some]  
Appls [Apples]

Tuesday, 15.

general inspeckion [inspection] and  
gen drill went  
down to F ~~Bentt~~ [*double strikethrough*]  
Benitt [Fort Bennett?] to [two?] Censt[?]  
Suds [laundry?] . fore [for] the gabins[?]



September,

Wednesday, 16.

1863.

on guard on the  
first relief warm  
and Pleasant [Pleasant] rained  
in the after noon [afternoon]

Thursday, 17.

Come of [off]from guard  
Sent a paper to ~~G~~ Cark[?]  
drewed a one Cross Cannon

Friday, 18.

Spent five Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers]  
went up in the  
Cuntry [Country] to get Some  
appols [apples]

September,                      Saturday, 19.                      1863.

went up in the  
Cuntry [Country]

Sunday, 20 [*period not printed in the diary*]

on guard on  
the      third relief  
Cold wind and  
Sun Shine [Sunshine] Cloudy  
in the after noon  
~~last~~ day last day of  
the contract of United States.

Monday, 21.

Come of [off] from guard  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
answer R H Roberts [*ink blotch at this end of the page*]  
letter Sent an  
order to get my State  
Bounty Spent five Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] filled  
my bed tick with  
Straw

September, Tuesday, 22. 1863.

Spent five Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] fore [for]  
Cuckes [Cukes] recived [received] a  
letter from L[?] Ellen  
Minuit[?]

Wednesday, 23.

Spent five cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] Spent  
all the Cider two  
Dollars  
H J Canaid[?]  
went home on a  
furlow [furlough] thirty day  
Spent five Cents

Thursday, 24.

warm and Plesant [Pleasant]  
Spent five Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers]  
Spent twenty five  
Cents fore [for] a Rolls  
of Swen [Sweet?] Jam drops[?] one  
Pie ~~10~~ ten Cents

September, Friday, 25. 1863.

[Entry is very light and difficult to read.]

Spent five Cents

[?] [?] [?] [?]

[?] on the

[?] Side of the

[?] Spent five

Cents to the Sutlors [Sutlers]

went on Picket

Saturday, 26.

Cold wind and

Sun Shine [Sunshine] ~~Put~~

put the Stove in

the B[?]

Sunday, 27.

Batalion [Battalion] inspeckion [inspection]

warm and plesant [pleasant]

wrote a letter Nelly

Parsons

September,                      Monday, 28.                      1863.

Spent five Cents to  
the Sutlors in Cash  
Spent two Postage  
Stamps to a Pedler [Peddler] woman  
warm and Plesant [Pleasant]

Tuesday, 29.

Spent ten Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers]  
rote [wrote] a letter to dad  
warm and Plesant [Pleasant]  
got Paid\$4.14 Cents

Wednesday, 30.

review  
Brigade interview  
over Bye [by] Fort Decalb [Fort DeKalb]  
warm and Plesant [Pleasant]  
recived [received] a letter from  
A E Cork[?]

October, Thursday, 1. 1863.

Spent five Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] recived [received] a  
letter from dad and  
one from R.H. Roberts  
answered R H Roberts

Friday, 2.

Spent five cents to a  
Pedler [Peddler] woman on  
guard on the third  
relief raney [rainy] on no  
4 Post

Saturday, 3.

Come of [off] from guard washed  
in the four noon [forenoon] warm  
and Plesant [Pleasant] Signed the  
Clothing Rool [Roll?] two Dollars  
and forty Six Cents on the  
Secon [Second?] year Spent ten cents  
Spent ten Cents

October, Sunday, 4. 1863.

answerd [answered] for the letter  
and tomy Bakers

Monday, 5.

Spent 15 Cents fore [for]  
Butter went up in  
the Cuntry [Country]

Tuesday, 6.

Spent 15 Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] fore [for] [?]  
[?] Spent fifteen  
Cents went on  
picket up to Boll  
brigs[?] road

October,                      Wednesday, 7.                      1863.

Spent Six Cents  
Spent five Cents

Thursday, 8.

Spent five Cents  
rainey [rainy] and Cold

Spent five Cents  
Spent Seven Collars and  
nine Cents from the 26 of  
July till the Present [Present] day  
7.09. Spent

Friday, 9.

warm and Pleasant [Pleasant]



October, Saturday, 10. 1863.

Spent five Cents  
warm and pleasant [pleasant]

Sunday, 11.

Come off from picket  
to Perls house  
dress parad [parade]

Monday, 12.

dress Parade warm and  
pleasant [pleasant] in the day time [daytime] and  
cold nights

October, Tuesday, 13. 1863.

[?] of the room

Wednesday, 14.

Spent five cents on  
guard on th [the] third  
relief no 6 down to  
the Born Brigade granet [?]  
Rounets[?] come around  
Capt Brown [?]  
rest

Thursday, 15.

Meadsarmy [Meade's army] fallen back  
to Center Ville [Centreville]  
rote a letter to Brother  
Thomas received a letter  
from Sister Elizebeth  
Roberts and liknes [likeness] and  
Some gum in the letter  
Batalion [Battalion] turned out in  
the nights and two Ce[?]  
went out on Picket and  
kept the cartraege [cartridge] Box one [?] might [*written in vertically in the right margin at bottom  
of page*]

October,                      Friday, 16.                      1863.

rainey [rainy] and foggy [foggy]

on picket rainey [rainy] and  
dark no.

Saturday, 17.

warm and pleasant [pleasant]

Sunday, 18.

Spent five cents to  
a pedler [peddler] woman warm  
and pleasant

October,                      Monday, 19.                      1863.

worked on fituene [fatigue]  
warm and plesant [pleasant] rained  
in the morning and clear  
in the after noon [afternoon] two  
priseners [prisoners] from the 97[? *first "7" written over with a "9"*] Regt  
come hear [here]

went on guard no  
10 on the parepet [parapet]  
Tuesday, 20.

warm and plesant [pleasant] come  
off from guard

Wednesday, 21.

recived [received] a letter from  
R H Robert and a  
receipt fore [for] a box of  
85 pounds[?] warm and  
plesant [pleasant] Gen inspeck [General inspection]  
hear [here]

October, Thursday, 22. 1863.

rote [wrote] a letter to E Rober [Robert]  
warm and plesant [pleasant]  
General inspeckison [inspection]  
in the morning. [*The last two lines of this entry were written and then the letters were traced over.*]

Friday, 23 [*Period following the number is omitted in printing.*]

[*This entire entry was written and then the letters were traced over.*]

Come off from  
guard no 8 thirrelief [third relief]

Batt [Battalion] drill over  
to fort Decalb [DeKalb]

Saturday, 24.

Sent a tract home  
to Alma Spent  
five Cents

[*This entire entry was written and then the letters were traced over.*]

October,                      Sunday, 25.                      1863.

warm and Pleasant [Pleasant]  
windy inspeckion [inspection] and  
dress Porade [Parade]

Monday, 26.

recived [received] a box from Rober [Robert]  
went down to fort Albay [Albany]  
and to the negro Regt  
and Conaves[?] Camp received [*? written in margin by binding*]  
a pare [pair] of Boots tobaco [tobacco] drey[?]  
Bezers Onion<sup>we</sup> Cake

Tuesday, 27.

Batalion [Battalion] drill to F. Decalb [Fort DeKalb]  
Cold and Cloudy Sent  
two Books to miller Re[?]  
Let John H Jones have  
a cup of Butter and John  
Evens a Cup full till they  
get Some

October,                      Wednesday, 28.                      1863.

on guard on the first  
relief no. 8. to the ma  
major house warm and pleasant [pleasant]

Thursday, 29.

Come off from guard  
received a letter from T  
Roberts and one from  
G E Roberts of Constabo  
ville [Constableville, NY] got a order from the  
Sutlor [Sutler]\$2 00<sup>00</sup> [2<sup>00</sup>]

Friday, 30.

Spent ten Cents to the  
Sutlors [Sutlers] answered R H Rober [Roberts] letter ["letter" *is written vertically in the right margin at the edge of the page*]  
received a letter from L  
Dean 97.N Y

October.                      Saturday, 31.                      1863.

Mustered in fore [for] two months  
Pay rainy and bold Spent 15  
Cents

November,                      Sunday, 1.

answered Lizzie C Roberts  
letter the Raza went home  
on a furlow [furlough] 18[?] of them  
answered Brother Thomas  
letter warmd [warm?] and Pleasant [Pleasant]

Monday, 2.

on guard on the  
Secon [Second] . relief no.6.  
Spent ten Cents  
Batalion [Battalion] dtrill [drill] to Fort  
Decalb [DeKalb]



November, Tuesday, 3. 1863.

warm and Pleasant [Pleasant]

Wednesday, 4[*period missing from printed diary*]

Spent five Cents  
to a pedler [peddler] woman  
warm and pleasant [pleasant] Spent  
20 Cents fore [for] tobaco [tobacco] fore [for]  
neat malt y [moldy?] five Cents for  
Segars [Cigars] and a hair Come [Comb?] 10  
.20.5.16.

Thursday, 5.

[*This entry is blank in the diary.*]

November,                      Friday, 6.                      1863.

Spent ten Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] warm and  
plesant [pleasant]

Saturday, 7.

on guard on the thirid [third] [*letter "d" finished on next page.*]  
relief no. 6. to the Barn  
answerd [answered] L Dan letter  
Spent five Cents

Sunday, 8,

answerd [answered][limon?] Elle  
wood [Ellenwood?] letter [*This entire entry was written and then the letters were traced over.*]

November, Monday, 9. 1863.

went down to Washingt Washington[?]  
and to Fort Grebibil[Greble?] and  
fort Carroll Carroll] and in[?]  
Marland [Maryland] and to Diristrict [District]  
of Coumbia [Columbia] Spent 15[?]  
Cents to Washington  
recived [received] a letter from  
Nellie Posenes[?]

Tuesday, 10.

Spent ten Cents  
Cold and [?]

\\ \["\" over "a" in "and"] ["\" under "n" in "and"]...: .

Wednesday, 11.

\\ \\ [Fourth "\" over "S" in "Spent"] Spent ten Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] [Two slanted broken large "\" over "n" of "ten" and "Ce" of "Cents".  
A large ")" is over "n" of "Cents".]

November, Thursday, 12. 1863.

Spent 25 Cents to the  
Sutlors [Sutlers] on guard no  
8 to the major house  
first relief

Friday, 13.

Spent ten cent to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] answerd [answered] Molly[Milly?]  
Ener[?] Parsons

Saturday, 14.

Spent fifteen Cents to  
the Sutlors warm and  
plesant [pleasant]

November,            Sunday, 15.            1863.

rainy in the morning  
no inspeckison [inspection]  
answer Lucy letter and  
Susan Parrosun[?] Leyden

Monday, 16.

Spent five Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers]

Tuesday, 17.

leave off from guard  
no 6. to the Barn  
Spent five Cents

November,                      Wednesday, 18.                      1863.

received [received] a letter from  
Anna C Spencer and a  
pipe from David Spencer  
filled Genl inspeckion [inspection]  
of Fort C F Smith

Thursday, 19.

received [received] a letter from  
dad and one from Sister  
Ekizeberte [Elizabete?] and dad[?]  
likness [likeness] Spent five Cents  
to the Sutlors [Sutlers] answed [answered]  
Anne Spencer letter

Friday, 20.

rainy in the foor noon [forenoon]  
worked on fitngene [fatigue?] all  
day frunt [front?] of the Fort

November,                      Saturday, 21.                      1863.

rainy in the forenoon [forenoon]  
and after noon [afternoon] Spent  
thirty cents to the Sutler [Sutler]  
Spent all the Order [?] 200

Sunday, 22.

answered Farther [Father] letter  
excused two day fore [for]  
Clean [Clean?] encampments [encampments?] and  
Sun warm and pleasant [pleasant]  
to day [today] little mud  
Battalion inspection [inspection]  
to Fort C F Smith [Fort C F Smith] excused  
two days

Monday, 23.

Signed the Pay Roles  
Roles [payrolls] to Fort C F  
Smith

November, Tuesday, 24. 1863.

rainy and muddy [muddy]

Wednesday, 25.

got Paid on to [?]

Pay, 26. Paid the  
Sutlors [Sutlers] 20 ["20" is written over something unreadable], \$2.30 Spent  
ten cents

Thursday, 26.

worked on fitting [fatigue]

Spent ~~five~~ five Cents

got marching Orders

to go to harpes ferry [Harpers Ferry]

Sent home fifty Dollar

to Robert to Boonvill [Boonville]

got the of Liut [Lieut] Steadma [Steadman? Stedman?]

\$40 Dollars send to Delly[?]



November,                      Friday, 27.                      1863.

cold and windy  
Spent 35 Cents to  
the Sutlors [Sutlers] the first  
mass Regt came and  
relief use [relieve us?] C M  
Sr. Sent a letter to  
Robert to Boonvill [Boonville]

   Saturday, 28.

marched down to Washingto [Washington]  
from Fort C F Smith  
took the cars fore [for] Harper [Harpers]  
Fery [Ferry] and Sandy Hooks [Sandy Hook]  
went up on Elk mount  
ains [mountains] went up to the 100  
Pounder Spent 100 [?]  
Stood guard

   Sunday, 29.

went up in Elk  
mountains Spent 50 Cent [Cents]  
arived [arrived] at Sandy Hook

November,                    Monday, 30.                    1863.

relived [relieved] 1 Mass Regt at  
Elk muntain [mountain] cold  
and windy

December,                    Tuesday, 1. [*This spacing is printed in the diary.*]

rote [wrote] a letter Sister  
Lib Robert Spent 40  
Cents Paid E Willams [Williams?]

Wednesday, 2.

Spent 20 Cents cold  
and windy

December, Thursday, 3. 1863.

Spent 15 Cents recived [received]  
a letter from Robert  
H Robert

Friday, 4.

went down to Harpe [Harpers]  
fery [ferry] and Sandy hook  
Spent ~~1/2 Shire[?]~~ a  
1.50 Doller [Dollar] and fifty cents  
less bought one Dolle [Dollar]  
werth [worth] of postage Stamps

Saturday, 5.

Spent 90[?] Cents fore [for]  
a Bolket [Bucket?] on guard  
no 1 first relief  
answerd [answered] Robert H  
Roberts letter

December,                      Sunday, 6.                      1863.

come off from guard  
Spent five Cents went  
up to the Battle field [Battlefield]  
got a rebbel [rebel] Buton [Button]  
cold and windy

Monday, 7.

*[This entry appears to have been written in pencil and then the same words were written over in ink.]*

on guard no 3  
first relief lent  
Stevn Higby [Stephen Higby] three  
Dollers [Dollars] till next  
pay day [payday] 50 cents  
instrest [interest] on it

Tuesday, 8.

Come off from guard  
Bought a revolver of F  
m Finch fore [for] \$14.50 to  
pay next Pay day [Payday]

December,                      Wednesday, 9.                      1863.

on guard to Head Quarter [Headquarters]  
on the first relief no  
2 to the mageans[?] Spent  
five

Thursday, 10.

come off from guar [guard]  
Bought        6 Pounds of  
Butter of E. Willams [Williams?] and  
a Quarter, 30 Cents a pond [pound]  
one to \$1.95

Friday, 11.

Cold and windy worke [work]  
on fitgne [fatigue] Quite cold indeed  
Sir drawed som [some?] pies to the  
Cakroom [cakeroom?]

[?] dad  
Stam [Stamp?] 25 John

December, Saturday, 12. Cousin 1863.  
received Some Stamps from [from?]

drawed Some pies from  
the Caekroom [Cakeroom] on guard  
on the first relief no 2

received a letter from  
Alma Cousin[?] John Sir  
[?] Cork[?] and Brother  
Thomas Roberts Cold and wi  
rained in the night

windy answerd [answered] Alma letter a

Rail Road Said[?] [*the "id" of 'Said' is written over "Sunday".*] Sunday, 13. Smash up to

Hapes [Harpers] Fery [Ferry]  
Answered Cousin John  
Simon letter warm  
and plesant [pleasant] let F. Finch  
have ten Stamps there[three?] Cent  
Stamps come of from  
guard buidng [building?] a pontoon  
bridge acrost [across] the potomac [dam?]  
abov [above] the fery [ferry] Harprs [Harpers] Fery [Ferry]  
Monday,14.

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] lent Jacob R [*the rest of the name is an ink blob that continues across the binding to the page on the right of the diary.*]  
2 Dollers [Dollars] till next pay day  
Spent 20 Cents

December,                      Tuesday 15.                      1863.

Come off from guard  
paid to F. Finch 2  
Dollars on due fore [for] the  
revolver \$12.00 Sent back  
them papers to get my State  
bounty Capten [Captain] Edward E  
Brown approved then C Liut [Lieut]  
S F. Adoms [Adams?] approved them to  
Wednesday, 16.

Spent 15 fifteen Cents  
worked on fituge [fatigue] drewed  
logs

Thursday 17.

on guard no 1 first  
relief rained hard and  
cold wind all day and  
night recived [received] a box[?] letter  
c R Rober [Roberts?] L Paroon [Parson?] Siste [Sister]  
Lib

G Geillmonf[?] myers went

December, Friday, 18. 1863.

on furlow [furlough]

Com [Come] off from guard

went down to

Sand hook [Sandy Hook] Spent 65

Cents £["f" is crossed off with a stylized circle.] bough [bought?] half a pound

of tobaco [tobacco] and a botle [bottle] of

sweet oil [olive oil] cold wind

answrd [answered] R H Roberts

L E Pasans letter

Saturday, 19.

Spent 5 Cents to the

Sutlors [Sutlers] Sent a lette [letter]

to Ridge wood [Ridgewood] Case S[?]

smoking[?] to ney york [New York]

Sent 1, Dollar and , 50 C

to Lim to get it Cold

wind all day long Sir

indeed

Sunday, 20.

on guard no1Secon [Second]

relief Cold and windy

right Smart



December,                    Monday 21,                    1863.

come of [off] from guard wash  
in the moring [morning] let G H  
Rikell have 2 Dollars till  
next pay day [payday] Sent a  
letter to Reel L went  
with out [without] Bread twenty  
fore [twenty-four] hour nothin [nothing] to eat only  
meat and beffy[?] fore [for] the  
meals                    Tuesday, 22.

on guard down to head  
Quarters [headquarters] extry [*variant of extra*] guard  
raind [rained] in the night and  
Snowed a little right  
Smart Sir Spent 20 Cents

Wednesday, 23.

Sent a letter to Reel  
Cold and windy Clear  
and plesant [pleasant] Sir drive  
the Rebels back from  
Blue mountain while  
gurilles [guerillas] 800 Hundred of  
them making ther [their] raides [raids]  
in wester [western] Va Sir

December, Thursday, 24. 1863.

Cold and windy  
Sargent [Sergeant] M B Gelshaw[?]  
and Quarter master [Quartermaster]  
G[?] B Metton[?] went  
home on a furlow [furlough]  
ten days John Stube  
Christmas Eve Spent  
15 Cents [*crossed out word cannot be read*] 5  
Friday, 25.

on guard no 3 on the  
third relief Cold wind  
Sun Shine chawed One  
pie and Six Cuckes [Cukes] fore [for]  
Breakfast Some of our  
boys come in off from  
the Secont [Second?] recived [received] a letter  
from Ridgewood in no [northern?]  
new york Smoking Case

Saturday, 26.

went down to the Hook [Sandy Hook]  
on a pass Spent 50 Cents  
bought enveloops [envelopes] 20 Cents  
Lent back 25 Cents to  
Ridge wood and [?] to new  
york

December,                      Sunday, 27.                      1863.

on guard down to  
head Quarters [headquarters] Spent 10 Cen [Cents]  
rainy and cold on the  
third relief no. 3 down  
to the Barn

Monday, 28.

rainy and cold right  
Smart Sir fixed my  
~~E-D~~ bunk in the  
foor noon [forenoon]  
Sir

Tuesday, 29.

went down to the  
Hook [Sandy Hook] and pass not dated  
bought a canteen full  
of Oil , 30 , Cents Spent  
.15 Cents Spent 45 Cent  
in all warm and plesant [pleasant]  
Sir rebel raid up in  
Shanetobh [Shenandoah] vally [valley]

[*The diary has a printed "6" over part of "Shanetobh".*]

December,                      Wednesday, 30.                      1863.

Spent five Cents Cold  
and windy indeed a  
letter from L Dean 97

Thursday, 31.

on guard no 2 Spent  
10 . Cents Cold and  
rainy all day Sir  
answered L Dean letter

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Sent home Six dollars on the  
Six of february [february] ~~fe.~~ 6. /63 [*numbers and periods in blue ink*] Feb  
fifteen dollars on the twenty  
first of June ~~fe~~ 21 /63 June [*numbers and month in blue ink*]  
forty Dollars [Dollars] on the fifteenth [fifteenth]  
of July  
got my. United State bounty  
on the fifteenth [fifteenth] of July \$25

received this Book of  
R H Roberts of Boonville  
and a letter with it  
~~drawed a pair of pants~~  
~~and to [two] Shirts on the~~  
~~twenth [twentieth] of August. 1863~~  
recived [received] a nother [another] pen fore [for]  
the other one from y new  
york Bought a Botle [Bottle]  
of sweet oil [olive oil] fore [for] fifty  
Cents Sold half of it  
fore thirty Cents to M. S.  
Ordley Sun Struck in  
the foore noon [forenoon]  
L H Rocknell [?] five Cents fore [for]  
washing dishes L H Relue[?] five Cent  
for scowring [scouring] the tube [tub?]  
eight Cent due fore [for] the Broom[?]

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John Owens due five Cents fore [for]  
milk made the best Shoot  
on the '16 of August out on  
Order of the Liut [Lieut] Adams to trade  
to the Sutlers two Dollars to  
Pay next Pay" day" August"25"1863  
high wind and cold rain Augt 26  
"25 "1863" recived [received] a letter from  
Loren Can[?]" 97" Regt N Y  
drewed one Cross  
Cannon " Sep, 17"1863"  
drewed one Pare [Pair] of pants  
and two Shirts August  
twynth [twentieth] "1863" drewed  
two Pare [Pair] of drawer and  
one Cap Sept 21" 1863  
Signed my Clothing  
Rools [Rolls] \$2.46 on the Secon [Second]  
year in September  
received a box from  
Robert Oct. 26./63  
"Oct"31/63"  
" mustered in fore [for] two  
" months Pay  
Lint [Lent?] C B Stedman  
" Paid me \$40 Dollors [Dollars] and

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" fore [four] Dollers [Dollars] instrest [interest] on"  
" it november"28, 1863  
" drew a red tick fore  
" John H Jones and D  
" Deceber [December]"7"1863" bought  
" a revolver of Frank m  
" Finch fore [for] \$14 Dollers [Dollars]  
" and 50 Cents to Pay  
" next pay day let Steven  
" Higby have \$3 Dollers [Dollars]  
" till next pay day three  
" Dollers [Dollars] and get 50 Cents  
" instrest [interest] for it Sent  
" home \$50 Doller [Dollar] to R H  
" Roberts to Boonville bye [by]  
" Capten [Captain] Brown Mar 27"  
" 1863. Draued [Drawed] one pare [pair]  
" of Shoes December"28"  
" 1863" Drawed a Crosss [Cross]  
" Canon and a letter K and  
" 5" Dec"28"1863"

"  
"  
"  
"  
"  
"

January  
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1864

Signed my Clothing

Roll Six Dollars and One

Cent\$6.01. Janury [January] .19./64

up to Janury [January] "1,<sup>he</sup> 'y' [The "y" is under the "he".] 1864"



## MEMORANDA

Stationed [Stationed] on Md Height  
~~the~~ Gen we war [were] ~~unde~~  
under Brigd [Brigadier] Gen Averill  
Maj, Gen Hunter  
Brigader [Brigadier] Gen Max Webber  
Maj Gen Suolivan [Sullivan?]  
Maj Gen Stvenson [Stevenson?]  
Brigd [Brigadier] Gen Kelley  
Maj Gen Sherdon [Sheridan]  
in Command of the  
8 Corps 6 Corps , 19<sup>th</sup> Corps  
the 8 Corps in Gen Hunter  
A Corps we are in the 8[?]  
A Corps on the 18[?] day of  
Sept 186. the Battle  
of Bunker Hill Cone [Come?]  
at 8 P M in the mornig [morning]  
and kept up till 7 P  
m in the evng [evening?] Sir  
drov [drove] the Reb back  
back to Winchester  
took twelve Hundred  
of the Rebels at Bunke [Bunker]  
Hill Sir

## MEMORANDA

Liut [Lieut] Gen<sup>r</sup> U<sup>s</sup> S<sup>r</sup>  
Grant made a viset [visit]  
up hear [here] in Maryland  
Heights on th [the] 16 Day  
of Sept 1864 and

Staff Sir we are in  
the first Brigade third  
Division 8 A Corps  
under Gen Hunter  
until the 12 Day of  
July 1864 he was  
relived [relieved] by Maj Gen  
Sherdon [Sheridan?] our Co ~~no~~  
numbered 228 men at  
th Present time Sir Co K  
B Batalion [Battalion] 8[?] Regt N Y  
State Vol H Art  
Sandy Hook md

"

MEMORANDA

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[The following pages that go from January through December are labeled "Cash Account". On each page there is a double line below "Cash Account". There is a double vertical line to the right of "Date" and to the right of the blank space as well as between "Rec'd." and "paid." ]

1864

Cash Account--January.

Date.	W W Roberts	Rec'd.	Paid.
<del>2</del>	<del>C. D. Banning D S</del>	<del>2</del>	<del>00</del>
1	C	0.5	0.25
7	C		00.10
		0.6	
		0.5	00.65
		[There is a vertical line through "0.5", "0.6" & "0.5".]	
8	C	"	"
5	H Kidder	0.56	"
6	John Ledger	0.5	"
7	P Oster	0.5	"
<del>6</del> 9	Pie	"	0.5
8	Stram	"	0.5
10	John Ledger	0.5	
11	news paper Candle		0.5
13	Spent Cash		.20
15 <del>22</del> [?]	Sold one Candle	.5	"
14	Sold two [?]	.10	"
16	Paid Cash L C[?]	"	.5
18	Paid Cash	"	.5
19	Paid Cash To Finch	"	.5
25	Spen [Spent?] Cash Tobac [Tobacco?]	.10	
		\$ .36	\$ 1.62

1864  
Cash Account--February.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
5	John Ledger	.05	
	M		
5	Watch Cristel [Crystal]		.25
2	Tobaco [Tobacco]	36.00	.25
1	Cash Book		.10
6	<del>By Cash</del>		<del>3.00</del>
6	<del>By Cash</del>	<del>3.50</del>	.20
		3.50	.15
4	<del>By Cash</del>	<del>2.00</del>	.10
7	<del>By Cash</del>	<del>1.90</del>	.15
		"	12.00
7	Paid Cash		.20
6	By Cash	3.50	.20
6	By Cash	1.90	.25
8	By C J Rubel	2.40	0.5
			.15
	To E Willams [Williams?]		1.55
8	To F M Finch		.5
9	To Tobaco [Tobacco]		.80
9	To Beer		.2.80
9	To paper		.12
9	To [?]		.20
9	To L[?]		.10
10	[?] C D Parm[?]	2.00	
9	To Ayers		1.75
11	To Pipe		.50
12	To Apels [Apples]		.5
13	To Hook		.95
	To Hook		.95
16	T [?]	.20	.35
22	To	.08	19.5[?]
		\$36.10	\$22.37

[Many of these entries are difficult to read.]

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in the lower left corner of this page.]

1864  
Cash Account--March

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
<u>1</u>	By Cash		\$ .5
1	By Cash		1.00
2	By Cash		.15
12	By Cash		.30
12	By Cash		.45
14	By Cash		.15
17	By Cash		1.00
18	Beer		.05
20	By [Buy] a[?] Pie		15
22	Pay Cash		.49 [?]

1864  
Cash Account--April.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
1	C Jones[?]	"	15.00
19 1	By Cash	"	.10
	By Cash	"	.10
			.50
13:1	Pay Master	26	1.5
19" 2	By Cash		.25
		"	'10
19" 2	Recived [Received] By C[?]	8.00	'15
	To Cash Paid		<u>1.60</u>
2	<del>By Cash lent</del>	<del>10.00</del>	
2	By C Tolor[?]	"	.25
			05
2	L[?] C Paid	"	3.00
21	<del>By C lent</del>	"	<del>10.00</del>
3" 12	By Cash Spent	"	.75
3	By Cash Spent	"	.70
3	By C [Cash?] Spent	"	.19
		"	.25
5	By Cash Spent	"	.19[?]
7[?]	By C [Cash?] Spent		10
8	By C [Cash?] Spent	.10	
8	By C [Cash?] Recivd [Received]	1.00	.75
			"
8	By C [Cash?] Spent		.50
8	By C [Cash?] Spent		.20
9	By C [Cash?] Spent		.15
12	By C [Cash?] Spent		<u>10</u>
		35.10	25.73

1864  
Cash Account--May.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
		\$	\$
1 <sup>o</sup>	By Cash [Pie Pedel [Pedler?] <i>is written vertically.</i> ]		.10
4 <sup>o</sup>	By Cash Paid		1.70
6 .	By Cash Recivd [Received]	.15	
11.	By Cash Spent		.15
12.	By Cash Spent		.92
12.	By C M F lent		.50



1864  
Cash Account--June.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
1	By C Spent	" "	.05
			.08
<sup>21</sup> 1	By C " " "	" "	2.25
	By C Spent		.65
2	Recd [Received] By " Cash	.25	8.00[?]
17	"	.05	.50
<sup>26</sup> 23	By Ca [Cash] Spent	.01	.05
22			10
<sup>15</sup> 20[?]	By C S"	15	15
18	By " "		.10
5	By C" S" " "	.40	10
	" "		15
11 <sup>17</sup>	By C S"	<del>.12</del>	.25
12	By " "		.25
<sup>14</sup> 11	By " " "	.50	.50
	By [?]		.13
15	Rec By Cash	12	
			14
			.16
			.08
14	By. Spent,	.34	.20
<u>27</u>			.25
26.87[?]			<u>.10</u>
		1.82	5.95

1864  
Cash Account--July.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
_____	Spent By C [Cash]		
1	S B " "	"	.20
2	By [Buy] Sundres [Sundries]	"	.20
2	B. [Buy] Sundres	"	.05
6	By [Buy] "Sundres [Sundries]	"	.25
11	" " "	"	.21
20	" " "	"	.10
17	One P tobacco [tobacco]		.90
17	one sheet of pap [paper?]		.15
17	two Seegars [Cigars]		.10
25	Sundres [Sundries] " "		.45
			.50
July	Recid [Received] By Cash		
		\$000	\$3.11
			2.61

1864 [vertical "\" through date]  
Cash Account--August.

Date.	[?]	Rec'd.	Paid.
<u>21</u>	[?] [?] 1/3 Sugar[?] 1864	*	-[?] <del>.10</del> [?]
<hr/> <u>August</u>		\$	\$10 .10

1864  
Cash Account--September.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
21	one Pound of -Cheese		20
	one ink		6
23	Buttler [Butter]		
24	Creker [Cracker]		5
24	ButlerS gum		25
	drips[drops?]		
24	one Pie		10
25	five Crekers [Crackers?]		5
	butter		10
29			

1864  
Cash Account--October.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
_____	May 26		
	lent to		\$
	H Kidder		
	till next		
	Pay Day		10.00
	" " "		
	By[?] Day		1.000
	H. C. Libby		
"			

' ' '  
\  
'

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1864  
Cash Account--November.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
26	By C.B. Steadman	40.00	
26	By T.W. Roberts	1.75.	
26	To W. W. Marins[?]		2.35
	"		
26	By C B Steadman	4.00	

\$45.78

~~\$41.75~~

\$2.35

1864  
Cash Account--December.

Date.		Rec'd.	Paid.
	To <del>Y. M. Finch</del>		
8			14.50
8	To <del>E Willans[?]</del>		1.95
4	<del>[?] T M Finch</del>		<del>1.00</del>
	" By [Buy] Stamps	1.00	1.00
	John [?]		"
12	By By [Buy] Stamps	.75	
13	To [?] Finch		.30
15	To T Finch		2.00
15	due To T. Finch		12.00
16	To <del>Jacob Rubel</del>	On[?]	
			2.00
21	To <del>G H Rockwell</del>	Dr	2.00
12	To M H Higby <span style="float: right;">Dr</span>	3.00	
	To <del>E Willans</del>		1.65
21	S Higby Dr		2.00
16	J Rubel Dr		2.00
12	L H Rockwell Dr		2.00
21	S Higby Dr		3.00
30	[sideways 8] To E Willan[Willans?]		1.49

\$13.49

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Cash Account Summary

1864

			Rec'd.	Paid.
			\$	\$
January,	-	-	.36	1.60
February,	-	-	36.10	22.37
March,	-	-	26.00	3.75
April,	-	-	35.10	25.73
May,	-	-	48.40	21.67
June,	-	-	1.82	5.95
July,	-	-	00.00	3.11
August,	-	-	94.30	22.19
September,	-	-		
October,	-	-		
November,	-	-		
December,	-	-		
			\$	\$



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January - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
*2	C. B. <del>Bring</del> [?] <del>Dr</del>	<del>2.00</del>

Receivable.

February - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
10	<del>John F. Davis</del>	\$ <del>1.25</del>
13	C M Thomas	2.50
28[?]	C M Thomas	<del>5.50</del>
	Frank Davis	.25

Receivable.

[?] 7	of CMT	8.00
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March - Bills Payable.

Date.

Name.

Amount.

Receivable.

April - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
21	<del>Charles B Stedmans</del>	<del>\$ .1 cts</del>
2	By C lent. C.M. beer	<del>40.00</del> \$10.00
12	Orval H Dr and 8 incher and Quarter of an inch	40.00

Nov 27

Receivable.

1863

[?] 1 B[?]  
Smith

May - Bills Payable.

Date.

Name.

Amount.

Receivable.

June - Bills Payable.

Date.

Name.

Amount.

Receivable.

July - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
25	<u>Thomas Roberts</u> <u>one gold, Pen</u>	1.75
23	Thomas Roberts	.25
26	Thomas Roberts	25

Receivable.

[A slanted large "O" with a "/" through it is above the first letter of "August".]

August - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
14	<del>M Sampson</del> <del>fore [for] Sweet Oil</del> William W Roberts	<del>30</del>
	Albert W Kidder	Due 10.00
	Corpral [Corporal] O Habey[?]	Due 40.00
	H C Tifeny[?]	Due 10.00

Receivable.



September - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
	32	
	<u>62</u>	15
	94	6
	<u>16</u>	30
	84	
		<u>45</u>
	110	110,
	<u>.80</u>	<u>8.00</u>
	160	190
	<u>80</u>	
	Receivable.	30
	240 ["0" over "Receivable.],	210

·16· Months more  
to Surve [Serve]  
October - Bills Payable. for [?]

Date.	Name.	Amount.
May 7th	John [?]	\$17.50
	C. Se[?]	<del>1.30</del>
	lent	
	To C M	
	Thomas lent	.50
	Due[?] to	
	G [?]	<del>14.00</del>

Lyell Thomas  
Receivable.  
Thornton

[?]

Brooklyn  
P. O

Long Island [?]

November the 1864  
November - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
	Shoe-maker	95
		.5
	C Bibbons	.25
	E P Jones due	<u>-.25</u>

Arthur B Joh<sup>n</sup>son Esq  
Government [Government] Claim  
Agent Utica New

59	90	York
40		
Receivable.	<u>15</u>	
-18.43	105	
	<u>6<sup>7</sup></u>	
-18.44	141	
12.64[?]	<u>4</u>	
111	221	
	<u>35</u>	
	<u>146</u>	
ad[?]	<u>90 [?]</u>	
	226	

[?] Mr W M Roberts  
Jan. 23 1864 year  
[?] [?] [?] [?] Sir

*[The entry which begins at "Receivable." is very light and difficult to read.]*

December - Bills Payable.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
15	<del>To Det F. Finch</del>	<del>12.00</del>
12	S[?]-Fligby[?] Dr	3.00
16	<del>In Rorbel Dr</del>	<del>2.00</del>
12	L H Rockwel [Rockwell] Dr	2.00[?]
31	<del>C. D. Boning Pise[?]</del>	<del>2.00</del>

14.00 550  
 .50  
 .35 1.40  
 .75 15.30  
 1.80

Receivable.

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15

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Dr[?]

G[?] Higby

3.00

\$9.00

[Much of the writing on this page is very light and the small numbers are written between the larger entries. It is difficult to read.]

			Sum of Clothes[?] 3.38
S 9	58.67	<sup>80</sup>	
<u>15</u>		25	
2,3	<u>4.95</u>	1.09 <sup>ú</sup>	1.60
		<u>21</u> <sup>ú</sup>	4.98
	63.62	1.30	[doodle]
		<u>40</u>	
	<u>42</u>	1.70	
	21.38	<u>10</u>	
		1.80	21
			<u>9</u>
			25.38
		400	
		<del>63</del>	
		88	23[?]

\$40.00

P C Root le[?] 50[?]

To quinn[?] Paper

["09" written vertically on left page edge.]

Postage43 Stamps[?]

John M

[The remaining entries on this page are very light and difficult to read.]

1/2 3 [?] [?]

[?] 3 [?]

John M

1/2 [?] three [?]

3 hooks and eyes

2 Buts of 7/8 and[?]

Screws John [?]

Albert 2 [?] [?]

*[These pages are very difficult to read. It appears to be mainly numbers.]*



