

1867
February

Tuesday 5th

sent Kay £4.0.0 - wrote to Macpherson - I say, came in sent him out again with tracing & to start with the sections, they have been making straining pegs at the little Waitoi bush - did a list of Gardenias in the columns - Mrs Knight & her children came up all day -

Griffen's birthday

Wednesday 6th

The Susan Jane, Cape Cairns & well arrived from New York, 152 days out, this morning - & The Governor Sir Geo. Grey visited Timaru, went to his seat at the Court House & had the honor of shaking hands with his Excellency, afterwards went to the Luncheon at the Royal, which cost me 12/6, cakes for Griffen & Cor. 1/2 - Louisa at, Fuzeller all day fetched her home in the evening -

Thurs. 7th

Filled my water cask at Fitch's well. Paid Mrs J Knight 22/ for butter yesterday, & went off to the Camp Griffen went with me to town, called at Mr. Baddley's to arrange about Griffen going to school.

Friday 8th

Wet day, went out to work but did nothing to speak of but got a bottle

Saturday 9th

Laid out two 50-acre secs. of Kenuways adjoining the Waitoi bush. Gray has done Horrocks 120 acres - Rode into Timaru got ket going in -

Sunday 10th

Went to Church with Lucy & Mary, Lucy returned from Mrs Kings pulley wells out of the grass in the afternoon. Church to

Monday 11th

Paid Robt. Rhodes interest £25.0.0
Paid Collman on acc of his bill to the end of January
made tracing of the Gully bush & went in Fitch's boat up the Crake with Jeff & Mary in the afternoon
paid for Cor 1/2 - plaster of - for chimney sweeping

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Tuesday 12th

Took Griffen to Mr. Baddley's to school, paid for the first quarter - Cleaned the pig sty (pig sick) heard of Griffen's death, dug potatoes, paid Mrs Martin for milk
Martin's wages for January -
Went out to the camp in the afternoon met Smith at the Wash Dyke provisions
Duraud 10/- for Griffen's funeral expenses.
Mrs Rhodes married to day, to Perry -

Wednesday 13th

Laid out four sections near the Whipping post. 65 ac. 20 ac. 50 ac. & 50 ac.

Thursday 14th

Laid out a 60-acre sec. for Kenuways & chanced a good deal of the road frontage of the secs. laid out by Gray, by way of proof found them a bit out.

Friday 15th

Laid out Fred. LeCris's sec. on this side the river 88 ac. afterwards rode into Timaru, called at the Leavels & paid them for meat from Oct. 1st 1866 to Jan. 25th 1867

Saturday 16th

Paid for look re. Quarter's Bay door
Called for Rev. 10/-
Paid L. Smith (Dutchman)
paid L. Smith for spade 7/- Rope 7/-
Saddle bags 17/- Kettle 8/- Knives & forks 10/-
Bucket 5/- Soles 8/- Saddle 80/-
In the house all day at my accounts

Sunday 17th

Went to Church with Lucy & Mary, called at Dr. Butler's for salt petre ball for Mary's throat - Church

Monday 18th

at the office a short time got letter from Lavinie about Newlins plot of Timaru neighbour's wood. Went to the Royal with Horrocks, Cor 1/2 - Duraud for Griffen's funeral expenses 10/-
Green for fish 6/- Green for
paid for Griffen 7/-
Paid J. Gray

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