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July -

- Mon 19 At office all day plotting  
seeds & roads -  
Lucy & Mary went to school to W. King  
Paid H. J. de Cien for Jack Smith - 2 10 0
- Tu. 20 Same as yesterday  
plotting seedbeds & seeds.  
men finishing trenching &c.  
spent the evening at Fussells  
saw Mr. Slack in the office -
- Wed. 21 At office all day making tracing  
& working quantities of sections  
at Sutherland on the Carr road.  
Rec<sup>d</sup>. amt from Wilson @ 3/10  
per week up to last Monday for  
my share - £8-1-0  
Paid him for gardening - 9 4 0  
Boiling potatoes for fly in  
the evening - Def. Lucy, & Mary  
at Mr. Ferris party, went for  
them in the evening -
- Thurs. 22 At home all morning and  
went out to camp at Dennis  
Hoare's in the afternoon - 6
- Friday 23 Surveyed Scalan's sec. 20 ac.  
and also 20 ac. for D. Hoare.  
and rode home -
- Saturday 24 At office writing reports -  
at home in the afternoon
- Sunday 25 Making up in dining room  
shook matting &c planting  
small ferns at hay stack  
swept boiler chimney  
writing reports & letter to Davie

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- Monday 26 Fixing clothes line & went to  
Office wrote fair copy of letter  
to Davie & rode to camp  
at Sutherland near Carr -  
Paid Paddy for making  
my clothes £3.10/- cor 6 3 10 6
- Tu 27 Surveyed J.P.R.'s J.U. & V on  
the Carr road -
- Wed. 28 Surveyed J.P.R. x2 and  
Metherells sec. 40 ac -
- Thurs. 29 Surveyed Sutherland sec  
22 ac. Pains sec. 50 ac -  
& Hassalls sec 20 ac -  
Overmyer entered on Whare -
- Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Surveyed Road up Sutherland  
gully and also rd into it  
from big levels sec. 3 miles
- Sat. 31 Rode with Mr. Hassall to  
the top of the Limestone ridge  
to see the site of three  
purchased sees. & thence  
across Dick's flat & down  
the spurs to Timaru -
- August  
Sunday 1 wrote to Aunt Mary fixing things  
behind the elms, planting elder  
trees and pepper mint &c -  
digging &c -