

Sept. 13th Deal and I left Christchurch at
2 o'clock, very dark when we got to "Giggys"

14th Reached home

15th Killed a cow C.B. bound arrow
building a house for the mrs. John left
Sat. 20th Have been building Mrs. house
and shop yard all the week.

Sunday 21st Harry Stroud came to be
ready for branding.

Monday - Began to brand Mr. Coyer
and Brunsden came

Tuesday 23rd & Wednesday - branding

Thursday H. Stroud's mare found
drowned in the creek

Friday 26th cut & tatted the lambs

Ewes not done lambing yet a great
many ewes short - J. Smith left
with Mr. Willis' cattle

Saturday 27th Mustered the cattle No 517
heavy N. Westus all the week.

Monday 29th Branded some calves

Tuesday 30th Went to Mr. Ferdeys
after some Rams not across
Newton left -

Wednesday Oct 1st Blew a gale of wind

Thursday - Went for scrub

Friday 3rd Mr. Washbourne came
Setcliffe cattle - Went to Mr. Ferdeys
over to night to cross the Rams