

They returned on Friday 6th I offered the cattle to them at £7¹⁰ which they refused - supposed they had given the cattle up

Mon 12th Messrs Buchanan & Davidson came up to take away the cattle which I refused to deliver as I had no means of knowing whether the bills to be given were negotiable or not

16th Fleming went to Christchurch with the bullock chug - deliver a bullock to Mr. Flowers at the "Rakiaia"

18th Delivered stony cattle to Washburne and the 9th cattle to Mr. Hooper for Mr. Stace - began to plough with the horses

19th Mr. Eraser came up to look at the cattle

April 1st Sold the cattle to Mr. C. Newton for £7⁵ - per head

2nd Brought up Mr. Scott and Hastings from school -

3rd Deal came back

6th Very wet all day the first heavy rain since August last

7th Fleming arrived with the dray with 2 tons of coals and a cask sugar

9th Delivered 72 head cattle to Mr. Newton "Jimmie" label

11th Ploughing with the bullocks

13th Ploughing - Bob went away - went -