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Wednesday 1 raining today, joined Library 6 min  
 Thursday 2 plowing twitch old house padd  
 Friday 3 plowing. cows sale today  
 Saturday 4 plowing twitch old house  
 Sunday 5 11 o'clock Mass Leeston  
 Monday 6 skimming across road  
 Tuesday 7 skimming oats across road  
 Wednesday 8 skimming oats Dunst road  
 Thursday 9 skimming & harrowing  
 In town bought 100 lbs cowgrass &  
 V & 9<sup>th</sup> 2 horse covers cow grass. £1-1-0 = £5 17<sup>0</sup>  
 Friday 10 Leeston Sale, got 2 balis sacks  
 Holleys Bros. skimming across road  
 Got New Suit at Johnstons. Mat 8<sup>0</sup>  
 Saturday 11. Easter bonfire at Leeston  
 Sunday 12 Easter Sunday - £2 14<sup>0</sup>  
 Monday 13 Sports at Leeston, Bayview  
 finished skimming across road  
 Tuesday 14. Plowing road paddock  
 Wednesday 15 sowing grass seed & clover  
 top half of 50 ac across road  
 Thursday 16 finished sowing grass seed &  
 clover top half of 50 ac. 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> bush  
 grass & 4 lb. of cow grass to the ac  
 Moorheads Sale R. Allen bought  
 J. Moorheads farm £8. anaac 170 ac  
 Milairn Homestead £35. & swamps £39.  
 Friday 17 plowing road paddock  
 Saturday 18 finished plowing road padd  
 Dr. Lowry bought his farm £30 anaac  
 & Spence abbe Church £20.  
 Sunday 19 11 o'clock Mass Leeston  
 Monday 20. Plowing old house paddock  
 & grubbing twitch old house " "  
 raining heavy afternoon  
 Tuesday 21 plowing old house paddock

Wednesday 22 grubbing twitch old house padd  
 Thursday 23. grubbing, harrowing twitch. A.  
 McLaughland Sale Dyleston  
 Friday 24. Leeston Sale Sold 32 lambs  
 @ 13/8. fat. H. Hall came tonight  
 Saturday 25 Threshing Gorton Oats &  
 Pearl Wheat  
 Sunday 26 & 7 Mass Leeston  
 Monday 27 Threshing Hunters Wheat  
 Tuesday 28 finished threshing Spills in  
 grand pit. 13 stacks left  
 Wednesday 29 Dipped 145 ewes Leeston. Annie  
 Spence married today to Alex Adams  
 Cultivating road paddock, harrowing  
 twitch  
 Thursday 30 harrowing road paddock.  
 discing old house paddock.

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Friday 1 harrowing road padd.  
 Saturday 2 In bk. bk. sold 80 shs Gorton  
 @ 1/7 & 40 Duns 1/6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to Roy & Carter  
 Sunday 3 11 o'clock Mass Leeston raining  
 today  
 Monday 4 harrowing old house paddock  
 Tuesday 5 rolling & harrowing road padd  
 Drilling Dun Oats old house  
 paddock. 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> bush to the ac  
 Wednesday 6 finished drilling old house  
 Thursday 7 Drilling Dun Oats in  
 road paddock 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> bush to ac  
 Friday 8 finished drilling duns in  
 road padd. Leeston Sale