

Sept 30 / 00

Sunday. Arranged accounts with the
indians who were cutting tyas; all finished..
Fearful hot day 99, strong N wind in forenoon.
Stormy night..

— Oct. 31 —

Had a tormento last night but little rain,
but a fine fresh day, & cloudy.. Ewaldavid
& castrated lambs at puesto Mustolar.. J. Sanchez
was here, also Ramon Vera on way over to Martins.

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Had on Palmar rodeo about 1200 head.
J. Sanchez parted his cattle & some of S Albuto's
about 300 head. We parted out 59 calves &
marked them; also 15 calves of Estancia Tam-
bezas afterwards.. It was a fine muggy
day; no sun, looks rainy.

Also parted out 6 pinuellos more &
discovered them one side —

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Had on rodeo Estancia about 1200 head,
& parted out 51 calves & marked them. J. Sanchez
also parted about 100 animals. Had cattle
on in Roturo for M. Fraire's gente who
parted out 35 animals, leaving 5 novillos
for sale. Sista Martina was here & gave ahead.
Another muggy day, & this evening a trem-
endous hailstorm. Camp north of house
covered with hail. Horses all cleared
out on account of storm..

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Found horses late this morning..

Renes had put on rodeo del Medio, but
let go again.. Had on rodeo del Salado
in afternoon, but no orjano calves.
Ewaldavid sent 12 tamboro cattle down from
his puesto and put them into potrero..
Splendid fresh day. Fixing up around
place.. fence in yard, & mending door.

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Had on rodeo del Medio & parted out 101 calves & marked them. - Also 5 novillos for simuleros making 28 sefar. -

Only man from here worked. -

Frost this morning & fine day. S. E. wind. - Finished fencing front yard. Nothing especial going on. - Report horses from Mistolar missing. -

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Had on rodeo del Mistolar & parted 119 calves and marked them at puesto also butchered a barrosa vaquilla, and caponed some bulls, & dis cornared 4 more novillos. - Sold 50 hides to Juan Aso at \$5.50 per 10 K $\frac{1}{2}$ K tara, total 322.85

1 horse hide 2.50 = 325.35 of which he paid 250. owing \$75.35. -

Rec'd a telegram from Constancio Larquia saying 15 rams from Sabalifornia would reach Calchaqui today.

Gave orders to Tomingo Sedesma & Julio to receive them. - Machungo & brother Paclas

& Tomingo Iribarne arrived with 50 toritos & 4 cohudos from Sabalifornia 18 days

march 17 rontos. - Two chaps (Emilio Palacios of San Martin

came to see whether cant nutriar in South camp we said there were none). -

Stunday

Had on rodeo de la tapera about 2000 and parted 90 calves & marked them

in ensenada. - Young bulls & stallions ⁵⁰ look all right at Simo Bai. -

Stallions are 1 paimo, 1 picaso, 1 oscuro, 1 alaman from Dos Lagunas. Paid off

Machungo. Florindo Villalba here for night. Wants to buy bulls. - Fine day

N E wind. - Camilo Bergara settled his account. -

Oct 8. / 00

Had on rodeo de la Loma and marked
20 calves. ^{A.} Drove down with Florindo Villalba.
Chasqui came from Calchaqui bringing money
for Florindo Villalba \$6.4 (50 short).

Impuros from La Verde stopping night (Pepato, Aguirre)
Abeto Hula from punta Laguna was here.
Sent Francisco to Calchaqui with cart & hides to
bring out stores. Butchered a novillo.
It was a hot day N.E. wind.

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Baldomero left with gente to recultar cattle
in monte with J. Sanchez & Hartmucks folks.
G. Martin here for night on way to Paraguayan.
Cart came back from Calchaqui with stores.
The rams also arrived at Mistlar.
It was a very hot day 95°.

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A drove Martin down as far as Elias'
puesto, from there he went on horseback to
Calchaqui (the latter) Seems some gauchos
Francisco Jimenez, Jose Rite tried to kick
up a disturbance at Elias puesto.
Have a suspicion they murdered & sacked
Abelicho at Portalis some days ago.

Terrible hot forenoon 100° & South wind
in afternoon. } D. Driban took cart of Urbano
Abalos & Calchaqui to entrego

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Began cutting alfa (old) in afternoon.
Also Caferata began planting maize.
South wind but very hot. Nothing
going on as gente are all in monte.

— 12 —

Butchered an old cow from potrero.
Brought up Semueleros & put on bell on
madrina. It was a cool day cloudy
with strong south wind. Nothing partic-
ular going on.

Drizzly, temporalist sort of day, which spoiled A.B.'s projected visit to B. Ayres. Put black macho into cart for first time. Baldomero came back from Juampita (Tapera Juliana) where he had left peons with Julians and punta Sagmas, as they go on and part at N. Dayer's + Hartonick's. - Nothing going on. - A goes tomorrow to B.A. weather permitting to Rural show. -

Sunday. A came back from B.A. this morning on horse back from Calchaqui. Had rain here last Sunday + Monday + very heavy rain on night of 19^a + morning of 20^a. - Esteros full of water and camp looking splendid. - Elias had come from La California, + brought 2 wheeled horse cart, 6 mules + madrina for tropa work. - Baldomero had brought - 16 - animals from reculeta in monte, + N. Dayer's. + Yesterday left + part at Morrells with Miguel's gente. - Had cut old alfalfa + most all got wet. - Weather looks like more rain + lightning down south. - A. had sent Johnnie in B.A. + Mother + Bill in Rosario. - Nothing particular had been going on. -

Had another heavy rain this morning early which left camp in very soft state. - Francisco transplanting Bermuda grass. - Killed old ram from puesto. - Nothing going on. A recovered north fence which is in good condition. -

Had another heavy rain this morning and some more at noon. Getting too much of a

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good thing. Splendid weather for grass which could not be better. Butchered vaquilla in morning. Sumley Hughes passed in afternoon to Julian Sanchez.. Baldomero and quite up at Morelos yet reculuta.. - 24 -

Sent Machungo to see Anastasio Aguiar in Calchaqui as to what cattle he has for sale.. Drizzled some this morning, but strong south wind blew and looked like clearing up..

Aspedo recurred down to Somosoi and found lots of water in camp.

3 of the young bulls brought up from down south 17 days ago had died from triquetra & some more are sick slightly, but most of them are all right.. Next year must purge them with Duncan's cure (Epsom salt vitriol & ~~goutard~~ sugar of lead
iron vitriol s. b. lead
60 lbs - 4 oz - 2 1/2 oz -

No news of reculuteros.

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No rain today. south wind but cloudy looks like temporal.. Jamming novillos. Reculuteros not back yet.. Pedro Ortiz of "La Verde" here today. Nothing particular going on. Doing carpenter work (A.) Sent patata plants to Hartinecks. Sent Dorodillo potrillo to Abel Gutierrez Calchaqui (puz)..

La Verde. 4 K per day (meat) 4 yuta. 2K agua
2 1/2 K arroz per mes. - 4 K mainy -

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Fine day strong south wind. Nothing going on.. P. Martinez & Don Federico Dr Leon Melbas suegro here at breakfast and today.. Weather looks settled.
~~Hunted~~ ^{Piled} alfa out of chacra set on fire..

- 27 -

Splendid day. Very cool night, almost a frost. Butchered a cow.

Baldomero and quite came back from reculuta at Morellis & Huber. brought 43 animals. left 1 cow with ^{overa colorada} small calf at Morellis, and 2 at Puth Laguna. ^{overa colorada} Marked 4 calves in afternoon. Nothing special going on.

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Sunday. Nothing especial going on. Mail came from Calchaqui. - Splendid spring day. Cool nights.

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Went over to rodeo at J. Sanchez. parted 3 novillos - Felix parted 6 or 7 animals from potreros for Fraire. Baldomero helped capar toros at Sanchez - D. Godoy stops night on way to Calchaqui. - Fine day, at noon strong south wind sprung up. - Butchered capon from puesto. - Cart went to Calchaqui

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Went down to Elias puesto in trap & marked the 6 mules & madrina he brought up from down south for tropa cart. - Ramon Vera on way from Calchaqui to Martins stops the night & had breakfast here. - Began shearing sheep at Mustolar (J Sanchez and. -) Puerteros all came together. - Butchered cow.

- 31 -

A. occurred up to Waldinos at Barra in trap. lots of mosquitos & camp in splendid condition. Baldomero & Machingo went over to Martins to part tomorrow. - Cart came from Calchaqui bringing maize and a few stores. - Drizzly morning & warm day, looks rainy. - Splendid weather for camp and cattle. Corrolan passed on way to Calchaqui lent him \$100. - A deliver cattle afterwards.

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Capratas wife had kid last night. -
A. was on road to Martins when a sharp
rain came up & he returned. - Gathering
up aya. - C. Beuli & A. Huber here this
afternoon & stop night. - Warm afternoon. -

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A. went yesterday afternoon to Somolai
to capar the cobudos today & count the
horses & mares down there ^{via inventario book.}

Capared today 46 cobudos & left 6 for
stallions. - Mares & horses in fine condition.

Baldomero yesterday had parted 2 cows &
calves of Robson & a novillito of ours & 2
vacas secas & 2 novillos of Robsons which
passed into potrero. - Today Baldomero

& Machingo went over to camp other side
of Salado to help J. Morcero & Sanleustobal
gente juntar wild cattle but only found
2 of Robsons (1 of Seseuers.) Brought 7 potrero
& Capar. - Weather variable. - Ramon

Vera and ~~Adriana~~ Adria Aguiar stopped
last night with 81 novillos the former
with 30 from F. Villalba & Aguiar with
51 of J. Martin @ \$40. - left receipt here. -

Cornelio Norrigo here for night: had paid
\$29. for pastoreo 58 animals for 6 months
in south potrero. -

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Sunday. Fine warm day.

Butchered cow. -

A. was over at Hartenecks in trap.
Nothing going on.

Camp looks splendid, flourishing &
all esteros full of water. -

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Had on rodeo del Potrero & Julian Sanchez parted out 10 tortos of Frakes in exchange of 10 novillos which he had entregared Sept 17 for tropa Sabalifornia.

Very hot day strokes stormy.

Brot some lena.

Marked 3 calves from potrero.

Elias came tonight for rodeo tomorrow.

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Had on rodeo Palmar ³⁰⁰⁰ & parted out over 150 tortos. Marked 8 calves, discernared 17 tortos de 1 & 2 years & capared some of nest when storm came up & stopped work. Not much rain & tonight S E wind blowing Very hot day strong N wind.

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Had on rodeo Istancia about 1700 and discernared 20 bulls for padres, marked 9 calves, and parted out about 80 tortos & 9 calves which afterwards we marked and capared about 40 of the worst bulls, & pastoreared them. J. Martin here for breakfast. Brot quia for Hartenck's, and gave orders for \$2040 to be deposited to our credit as he thinks it is safer. Fine pleasant day. Butchered cow. N. Martinez brought 2 fine bulls from Sono Pai & put into potrero (north) as they were giving trouble.

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Had on rodeo ^{del medio} Salado, & parted about 60 tortos. Don Frederico came in morning & stop night. Discernared 9 tortos. Took the auro to Mustolar. Strong N wind. Drove up to Palmar in afternoon. Maib came from Calchaqui.

Nov

Oct - 9 - 1900

Had on rodeo del Mistolar about 4500 head, & discerned about 25 toritos very good ones, began parting out orchano calves (of which we marked 9 afterwards) 8 yesterday.) A storm was coming up so we stopped rodeo, and looked pastores in, about 185 toritos. Had a sharp fall of rain. A & Sr. Frederico were at Hartenuek's Estancia (the latter stopped there.) It was very hot before storm but afterwards a beautiful day. - Camp is grand. -

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All hands went over to Hartenuek's to help part the novillos 230 & the tros 84 which afterwards capared. - Had toritos on pastores in meantime. - Countenmarked, Colorado bull for Hartenuek @ \$50. - Also partied 11 animals & - Splendid day.

Miguel Varga of Los Muller here for night. -

Sueltas. - 11 -

Had on rodeo Mistolar (small 1800) and partied out about 70 toritos. - discerned 3 and marked 9 calves and capared about 12 of the worst. - Fine warm day, cool nights. - Every thing looks well now. -

- 13 -

A came back from Somolai this morning. Marked 16 calves, discerned 22 bulls from Rodeo Tapera & Somolai, & capared the worst bulls & put the best into South pastores 378. Very hot forenoon yesterday & stormy afternoon. Rained some last night & this forenoon. Found Dionisio Godoy here with tropita of 96 cows & 2 ^{R. @ 18} novillos & 2 in pastores - gets him giro for \$1000. & rest paid before on etc. -

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L. Godoy left in morning.

Sent the animals 96 cows + 2 novillos DR
to potrero Sud.

Very hot day.

Nothing going on -

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A. came back from south end of camp
in morning.

Yesterday counted sheep at Puerto Madero
857. of which we slaughtered 126 hembras
& capand 111 machos = 237 slaughtered.

Afterwards parted out the capons & some of
the worst carners 110 and sent 1/2 = 55 -
to Godoy by old Pedro Benites and the
other half brought to the estancia & today
dipped them with creolin. also sent
a fine Lincoln ram to Godoy. - Alfredo
afterwards went and slept at Muellas
where he met J. Collins, Wilson, Best,
Rogge Mugs, W Yeates, Sauchy who were
moving cattle from Muellas to Suero.

Had on rodeo in south potrero this mor-
ning about 850 head, looking well.

This evening went from punta Laguna, and
J Sauchy here for night. Very hot day, 97.
w wind.

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Another very hot day. Strong north wind
and stormy evening 98°. - Looks like
rain. Had on rodeo del Palmar in
morning about 3000 head & Sauchy & Huber
parted about 200 head, Sauchy did not
finish. In afternoon harrared rodeo
Estancia 1500 head and they parted
about 10 head. Also parted some reses for
potrero, capared some bulls, & disimbechana.
Gente stop here for night. Don Frederico
came this evening with mail. -

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Had rain last night and today was a temporalish sort of day with sharp drizzles. - Riculuberos left.

Nothing going on.

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Splendid day for camp. - Cool & nice S.E. wind. -

Don Federico left in afternoon. - -

Two carts brought leña. -

Fixing up dark room. -

— 20 —

Splendid day for camp. Warm and heavy dew. Francisco began cutting alfa. -

Butchered cow. -

Carts went to bring more leña. -

Baldomero and family went on a paseo to Calchaqui. -

J. Martin was here. -

Caferrata planting maize. -

— 21 —

Fine warm day. -

Francisco finished cutting half of new alfa & all of old. had began yesterday -

Carts came back with leña. -

A. was up at Palmar to get indians to come and juntar alfa. This afternoon raked and montonared alfa. -

Mig. Fraire here for night from Cacique. -

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Juntarung and hauling alfa :- 3 indians, D. Loderma, Fabino, Paulino, D. Sanchez, Romulo, & Francisco Junin. Hauled 6 cart loads to stock for old alfalfar. - Mig. Fraire left in afternoon for J. Capro's Cacique. - It was a very warm day 90°. Baldomero family came back from Calchaqui; broke down job of caña. -

— Nov. 23 —

Another hot day; looks stormy and tonight is thundering. Hauled alfa with two carts.

4 more loads from old chaera & 6 from new.

Filled galpon & finished stack.

Butchered cow.

Impila of (27)³⁸ Julian Sanchez for R. Vera passed.

— 24 —

Had sharp torments last night, and heavy rain. Hot muggy sweaty day.

Recovered camp & calpiando.

Pancho^{reugo} left for Lomo with carts & novillos to haul lina & paja there.

A was over at Hartnecks.

Sent peon over to J. Sanchez telling him rodeo is on Palmar Monday.

— 25 —

Sunday. Warm day. E wind. Camp flourishing & full of water.

J. Sanchez cart took mail to Calchaqui.

Nothing going on.

— 26 —

Had on rodeo del Palmar about 3000 head and disembarked, capared a few bulls, & cañicared an old cow. In afternoon had on

rodeo del Patroo & disembarked. Calros look a bit apestado. Perhaps on acc of quantity of grass. Julian Sanchez here for night.

Baldomero went to ask rodeo at Michelud yeguada of Dayros at Vara. Fine hot day.

Sent Francisco with mowing machine over to Hartnecks to cut their alfa.

— 27 —

Fixed up corrals which were tumbling down with the peones. Very hot day 91°. Francisco came back from Hartnecks where he had cut the alfa yesterday. Baldomero came back; gets rodeo from Michelud on Thursday, but Dayros as usual can't give rodeo of his yeguada.

Nov. 28 - 1900

Fearful hot day 97° with strong N wind.
Cut abrojo around corral in forenoon.
Baldomero & gente left in afternoon for
Micheludo to part out. Florinda Villalba
& 3 others came to buy bulls. Sold him
5 from Santeras @ 35. - but to take in
& change animals here in camp at
current prices, countermarked them.
Deliver him more tomorrow from rodeo
Estancia. I went over to Hartnecks to
sleep there, as he was called there by
Melba to see about limit of his camp
with ours in regards to fencing. -

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I went with Melba and Don Paicho yesterday
and recorroed his ranconado south of
his fence. from west end of his potrero
fence go along the river to first ranconado
front of some algarroba trees then draw
a line east or S of E to bank of river
opposite fallen tree with eurederos, then across
river to south bend at monte Mistolar.
from there up to ^{line of Don Nicolas fence.} opposite fence of
Had on here rodeo Estancia about 1,000
head and delivered & countermarked 17
bulls to Villalba @ \$35. which he paid.
J. Sanchez here for breakfast.
Go in trap to Calchaqui in afternoon. -

Dec-1900.-

went Tom Moore, J. Ricketts, Livingstone
& wife.. Troop comes to Los Palmares
to completar.. In afternoon yesterday
came to Calchaqui Hartmucks estancia
Calchaqui river 'bola apie' & had
storm last night with plenty of
rain. The storm on the 5th did a
lot of damage at Mishlar to puente
& monte, & also at Estancia blew
down ramada, & roque of houses.
Camp full of water. Had cut
rest of alfa which a part got wet.
Had given rodeo to J Sauchez and
Fritz of punta Laguna.. Nothing espec-
ial had been going on. & on a whole
things look well. On the 30th when had
gone to Calchaqui had lent trap to G.
Martin (who was on way back from
Paraguay) to come out in; so a came
out on a horse of Hartmucks..
Weather now close and heavy.-

- 16 -

Sunday.. A was over at J Sauchez tratou-
ed for his novillos good 3 yrs & over @
\$25.- part tomorrow.. Got in rest of alfa..
Variable sort of day & hot muggy.. Camp
in splendid condition & tambors fat.-

- 17 -

Had rain nearly all forenoon. Butchered
cow - Muggy weather. Nothing going on.
N. Dayes gate came tonight to visit: J. Moriso..

Went over to Julian Sauchez & parted 60
novillos of his & marks except J. Merzans
also an ox @ \$40, 2 cows @ \$18.-, 1 novillo @ 25
from Corolar for \$100. lent him some time
ago.. Also from Petros parted 2 novillos D and
2 novillos B. Had rain from 11 to 1 P.M. -
afterwards had rodeo on Palmar & parted 41

novillos B rodeo about 5000 head. Weather looks like clearing up. Domingo today came tonight on way to Caeique. -

- 19 -

Had on rodeo Estancia about 50 head & afterwards del Medio about 800 head & parted 1 novillo B for Tropa. In afternoon had on rodeo Mistlar about 3000 head and parted 30 novillos for Tropa & 3 vaquillas for consuma - Fine day, foggy morning. I today left - J. Sauchy was here for breakfast -

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Yesterday had on rodeo de la Tapera yesterday about 200 head and parted 12 novillos & also 3 vaq. p consuma, afterwards had on rodeo de la Torna & parted 5 novillos. L. Morero left having parted 23 animals of N. Dayer's. Licked tropa in puerto Lomo last night - 1 vaq. & 3 novillos escaped. Elias arrived last night with tropa from Reconquista. Counted them this morning 600 head. Had on rodeo in potrero and finished tropa parting 64 cows R. and 2 novillos R. Afterwards juntared tropa. Left behind 11 novillos of Reconquista novillos (they were 601) leaving 590 & sent 60 novillos bot from J. Sauchy, - 1 novillo 2 cows 1 vaq. from Corodan - 61 cows & novillos today. 91 novillos B - and 6 vaq. p consuma making 816 total. Good tropa & Machungo & 9 peones take it. - Sent Paulino to Calchaqui to take out quia. - Baldomero & gente got to Vara & rodeo of N. Dayer cows & yeguada. - Elias comes and takes charge as Alfredo goes south tomorrow for Xmas holidays. -