

JANUARY, 1904.—1st Week.

1 Friday (1-365) *Circumcision.*

New Year..

*Very hot 37° strong N. wind. Barom 757°
No holiday and nothing going on. Most of the
puerteros here today..*

2 Saturday (2-364)

*Very hot day 37½° strong N. wind and at night had a
dry storm 759.*

Butchered cow.

*Fixed up wool in lienzas, & brot up the wool from
Mistolar 4/4*

Dionisio Collins here from Micheland on way to Lucena..

Wenceslao took mail to Calchaqui..

JANUARY, 1904.—2nd Week.

3 Sunday (3-363) 2nd after Christmas.

Rained last night and this morning 25.3^m fm. Fine cool day, just the thing for the camp SE wind Barn 762°
Nothing going on. Gente went to sleep at Palmar puesto for recogido tomorrow..

4 Monday (4-362)

Fine day. Warm 28° NE wind Barn 760 1/2
Had on rodeo potrero Palmar. Counted the muelles up there 3 yrs up. 337. besides the toritos & 2 bullocks & 5 cows.. 2 aginos muelles⁵.

Mail came last night.

Salto & Villafañá carpintero in chacra.

Reculteros of Estancias Unidas passed on way out..

5 Tuesday (5-361)

Fine day SE wind Barn 763° Therm 30°

Had on rodeo in south potrero in morning: Took out nearly all of yearling calves from plantel.

In afternoon had on rodeo de la Soma about 800 head put 6 cows into plantel & also 4 coloud muelles for consuma. (in south potrero).

Cattle looking very well down there.

Killed 2 sheep at Estancia (from Mistolar).

J. Fillon passed on way out..

6 Wednesday (6-360) Epiphany.

Warm day 33° E & NE wind Barn 762°

Had on rodeo Tapera about 2000 head; cured calves, castrated calves, & parted about 20 cows for consuma.

Cattle very parida.

Enrique Díaz (Santiaguino) began working yesterday helping carpier in chacra.

Ernesto Faraira passed from Lelita Potillo..

JANUARY, 1904.—2nd Week.

7 Thursday (7-359)

Warm day 32° E wind. Barn 76 2 1/2. Bit stormy looking..
Dinner looking comet seen at 4.30 am. ESE above horizon.
Head on roads Mistolar about 2500, cured calves, castrated
calves, & parted some cows & novillos for consuma, & put into
Salado potrero 5 milk cows & calves, 1 novillo Frakes, 6 novillos,
55 cows for consuma & 3 ageno cows total. 71
Luis Chavalié buyer of reses for Cia Forestal here today
trying to buy..
Butchered a vaquilla..

8 Friday (8-358) Cambridge Lent Term begins.

Hot day NE wind 33°. In evening a rain came up
and rained 6.9 mpm & keeps on drizzling..
Fixed chiqueros for sheep, & cleaned well..
Sisti Martinez who has left Hartenecks here for night.
Domingo Sedema & Ballala left for Ocampo on leave..

9 Saturday (9-357) Fire Insurance expires.

Rained last night 4.1 mpm & was a cloudy muggy cool
day with east wind & rained again in evening 8 mpm
& still drizzling. Jente recored camp. Nothing going
on. Mail came from Calchaqui. (Camba's boy)..

JANUARY, 1904.—3rd Week.

10 Sunday (10-356) 1st after Epiphany.

Drizzled last night 1.9 mpm. Fine day, stormy afternoon & looks like a lot of rain towards Lomoloi. A. & Elias recurred bananas on other side of Salado. A. Huber here for night.

11 Monday (11-355) Hilary Law Sittings begin.

Fine day. S wind, cloudy & cool. Few drops came down at noon. Barom 757.

Huber left. He paid for a cohuedito.

Elias & pines (Pancho, Romulo, Surdo, Wenceslao, Mateo, Ramon, left for Palmar to fix up tajamar again. 3 men from Sanchez left ^{help also} again.

Nothing going.

Fine weather for camp. Rained hard yesterday at Lomoloi and Napua.

12 Tuesday (12-354)

Fine day S.W. wind cert 31° Barom 757.

Butchered old cow.

A. was up at Palmar where they are making tajamar.

Machengo took mail.

Sylvan sent mail.

13 Wednesday (13-353)

South wind 33° Barom 759.

A. was at Hartenecks and Pasoballe aquio. girl there got kid.

Took off paja roof of spare room. Full of bats between tiles.

Men still up at tajamar.

Sylvan Michelud was here at breakfast.

Saw funny meteor or cloudy W.S.W. this evening.

JANUARY, 1904.—3rd Week.

14 Thursday (14-352) Oxford Lent Term begins.

Warm day S & E wind. Therm 33 Barom 759.-

Nothing going on.

Jente still up in Palmar at tajamar but finished.-

J. Andres Ruiz Diaz here on way to Sanchez.-

15 Friday (15-351)

Warm day 33° SE wind Barom 759.-

A & 4 of the men on the place went over to Patrons Union and parted 27 animals on the two sides, & 4 animals from Piqueto. Left jente there and A came back.-

Elias & jente came back from Palmar where they had finished tajamar.

Machungo bro't mail. H. Fea had bro't 1470 head of cattle @ Escalade @ 18. al certi. Machungo takes them to Rafanqa. Sylvan here for night.-

16 Saturday (16-350)

Warm day, 34½° E wind.- Barom 758½-

Jente came back from Lucero bringing 30 animals, put 21 animals in Palmar potrús & 6 into Salado, 2 bulls to take to Mistolar.-

Butchered vaquilla.

Elias went with Sylvan to rodeo at Chamorro's.

Nothing new.-

JANUARY, 1904.—4th Week.

17 Sunday (17-349) 2nd after Epiphany.

Very hot 36°. Wind N. & E Bar 759..
Julian Sanchez here all day. This evening young Villalba
and pulpero from his place came and stop the night. -

18 Monday (18-348)

Very hot 37° wind N & E Bar 758½
Peepers left: said would come on Friday to take away
the fruits. -

Two carts went to fetch wood from Hartenecks.
Sent simulars to reculator at Micheluds, also sent
cow & calf of Silvio Micheluds.

D. Collins here..

Camps getting dry.

19 Tuesday (19-347)

Very hot Ter. 38°. Bar. 757½. Cloudless sky.
Wind NE to E at night.

325 lbs potatoes received

A B went early to Calchagen

Carting fire wood one load from Harteneck

Carts went to Michelud in evening

Recluta from Micheluds 2 by novillos 1
small one & ~~two~~^{one} vaquillas dry.

20 Wednesday (20-346)

Very hot Therm 39 Bar 755 Wind strong all
day till evening N & NE. No signs of
rain. People brought fire wood.

Mosquera & nephew came afternoon

Camps sun mowed.

JANUARY, 1904.—4th Week.

21 Thursday (21-345)

E.W. camp up last night, and rained this forenoon 17th m.p.m.
SE wind in afternoon and cool Barn 75 1/2. —
A came back from Calchaqui, having slept at Paso Calchaqui.
Morris & son left in afternoon. —
Butchered vaquilla. —
Began to buldear at estancia jaguel so as to improve
the rotten water and to swell the bebedas etc. —

22 Friday (22-344)

Cool day. South wind. Barn 76 2/2. —
Pulling water in estancia jaguel. —
Richards & 2 speens began work at boat house at lake. —
Valbuena began cutting alfalfa. — (old chacra)

23 Saturday (23-343)

Fine day SE and E wind 31° Barn 76 1/2. —
Road on rrodeo Salado del Medio about 5000 head. —
disembarked calves etc. Very good paricions. —
Gathered 2 loads of alfa into galpan, & chucked two loads
of grass away. —
Salado which is swimming is pretty good water now. —

JANUARY, 1904.—5th Week.

N & S & E wind 34° 24 Sunday (24-342) 3rd after Epiphany. Barn 760

A. recovered up to Palmar potrero..

Romulo takes mail..

Nothing going on

25 Monday (25-341) Conversion of S. Paul.

Hot day 35° variable winds, Barn 759.. Total 24 open 2 novillos ²⁴⁰

J. Benavidez took 12 open & 2 novillos ^{Al} from potrero, 1 ox from Estancia & 4 oxen from Mistular & parts tomorrow from Puesto Paso Calchaqui 7, open total 24 open to work at San Manuel. Lent them to him to do him a service as an old peon.. Open left in potrero 15 Estancia 20 all tame. Cut rest of old alfalfa & began new. Fixing up jaguel Estancia.. Quitting bolichero from Villalbas came to take hides etc.. Cutting lepadana for boat house.. Camp getting dry - Butchered novillo.. Sylvan sent mail

26 Tuesday (26-340)

Cloudy morning, rain came up at 1.30 & rained 25^m/m with strong wind. drizzly evening. Fire for camp.

Embargued the frutos to Jesus Quitierrez. He paid for all except \$ 583.00. Sent the frutos to Paso Salado where his carts (3) were waiting. he sent 2 bags flour 2 bot beer, 2 bot whisky, 1 bag yuta. manj..

D. Godoy came in rain & stops the night with 3 men.

Tried to montonar alfa but had no time.

Junco was here; lent him \$100.00 for a couple of months.

27 Wednesday (27-339)

Fine fresh day South wind. Barn 765.

Finished helping fruitery across the Salado with the frutos. Turned over the alfa.

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JANUARY, 1904.—5th Week.

28 Thursday (28-338)

Fine day E wind Barn 763.-
Claudio Perdome passed today with 500 mares on way to
Aluampa & Rivadavia. He passed the day here.
Getting in alfa.-
Escobar & commission here on way to J. Sanchez.-
Sent 2 spades, boring lengths, & rolls to ..

29 Friday (29-337)

Fine day NE wind Barn 760.
Finished cutting the newest piece of alfa & stacked it.
(round stack) Machine got out of order.-
A recovered down in south potrero.-
Leandro Moriro with 120 novillos here on way to Palmar
potrero..

30 Saturday (30-336)

Fine warm day, 33° E wind Barn 762 1/2
Moriro took his 122 novillos up to Palmar potrero to fatten
& sell.-
Ration day.-
Villafañas boy brought mail..-
Elias went to Calchaqui; also Salto.-
Mercochipe here for night.- Burns was here for breakfast.-

JAN. & FEB., 1904.—6th Week.

31 Sunday (31-335) Septuagesima.

Warm day E wind Barn 76 3/4

Nothing going on. A & Richards were over at Sylvan's all day.

FEBRUARY—1 Monday (32-334)

Hot day 34° E wind Barn 76 1/2.

Packed out 17 marked calves from potrero Salado and put them into potrero Palmar.

40 novillos of Moneros got out of potrero Palmar and were stopped here.

Esobar took mail to Calchaqui.

2 Tuesday (33-333) Purification B. V. Mary.

Stormy day N wind, hot 35 1/2°, rained a little in evening 2 mph with variable winds. Wind N E tonight 75° Barn
Lark escaped novillos back to Palmar potrero.

Elicio took mail & as a certified letter did not turn up, sent Domingo Ledesma to Calchaqui to see whether it had been miscarried.

Cleared out jaquel Estancia in afternoon (deposito).

3 Wednesday (34-332)

Fine day 30° slight rain at siesta 6 1/2 mph E wind..
Cleared out jaquel again.

L. Ledesma brought mail. — Still it seems one registered letter is missing.



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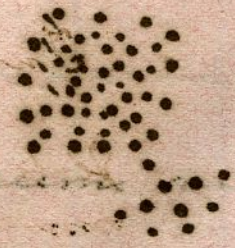
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FEBRUARY, 1904.—6th Week.

4 Thursday (35-331)

Fine day S W wind Therm 30 Bar. 758.
Finished clearing out well (jaguel)
Butchered orillo. -

5 Friday (36-330)

Cloudy in morning. Afternoon fine Therm 32
Bar. 760 Wind. S E gentle
A. B. went to Calchaqui
Campos sin novedad.
Eomas gave an account of Fillon with a
bropilla looking for animals from the Casique

6 Saturday (37-329)

Fine day Wind S E. E. Therm. 33½ Bar. 760
Novels c/p S end of lake.
Jente made fence in lake longer so as to prevent catch
from going out.
A came duck from Calchaqui last night.

FEBRUARY, 1904.—7th Week.

7 Sunday (38-328) Sexagesima.

Hot day 35° winds n.s.e. Bar 760.
Butchered vaquilla. Had more rain from estero Alambardo
to Pucas than any other place last week.

8 Monday (39-327) Half Quarter Day.

Warm day. Bar 761 Therm. 36 wind
E. S.E. S. Calm at night
A.B. started for San Cristobal afternoon
Elias away. at Paso fixing jaguel.

9 Tuesday (40 326)

Warm cloudy day. Therm 35- Bar. 759 (falling)
People away. fixing well in Paso. planting potatoes
Senobid sent word about foot & mouth disease
Mail came from Est Hartenecks. lime & hide from
En Cantar. as well. wind calm & night cloudy & warm.

10 Wednesday (41-325)

Hot day. wind NE. E. E.S. E. N Therm 34
Bar 759. falling
Elias & people making well Paso
Went to Hartenecks & passed onto Paso
Overa negra cow. Potros Salado dead effects of
pantano & thinness

FEBRUARY, 1904.—7th Week.

11 Thursday (42-324)

Warm day. Therm. 32 Bar. 757. bajardo
T tormenta from W with ~~12:49 am~~^{rain} 1 hour
Tendency to rain. with violent wind
from W S W with thunder & rain.
People from Julian Sanchez.
Strong storm from W & SW from W 12. 39.
Rain at night Bar. falling ^{rain}
33 $\frac{1}{2}$ during night - ^{rain}

12 Friday (43-323)

Fine day. Wind S. SW Therm. 32.
Bar. 758.
Moreira brought novillos from Palmar
Gale of wind all day.

13 Saturday (44-322)

Fine day. Strong SW wind Therm 32
Bar. 758. falling Parared. Rodes
Saludo Moreira parted 1 novillos
Calm at night.
Strong wind all day.

FEBRUARY, 1904.—8th Week.

14 Sunday (45-321) Quinquagesima.

Moreira parted 8 novillos
SW wind Bar 754 & falling Therm 32

15 Monday (46-320)

Fine day in the morning. Went to Loma
to look at the sick animals.
Some had all four feet bad with the
flesh quite bare & red. few with their
mouths bad. Moreira finished parting
after 12. very warm 35°. Thunder & wind
all the afternoon without rain. Very
heavy weather at night & much lightning
Bar 753. & falling. 1 novillo & cows for consumo
to Xenobio

16 Tuesday (47-319) Shrove Tuesday.

Rain 18 mil at night
Morning cloudy. Fine day but sultry
after 12. Therm. 30. Bar. 754 1/2. falling
Capatay came back from Loma
Cerrado 1 novillo pampa hide cut up.
22 animals wanting to Moreira

17 Wednesday (48-318) Ash Wednesday.

Fine day. Wind SE Bar 757 1/2 Therm 30
Filled pantano in corral.
Rogue ~~Alafano~~ arrived looking for animals
Ramon died suddenly. while cutting wood
in Verde camp.

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FEBRUARY, 1904.—8th Week.

18 Thursday (49-317)

Cloudy damp day. Thunder & little rain afternoon
Felling up corral still
1 novella died. c.p.s. Calchuqui coast.
Salto weeding Recorrida of camp
Rain fall in afternoon from 4. to 5 1/2 p.m.
9 mil. Great calm. Bar 758 1/2 Therm 30.
Rain at night 2 1/2 mil

19 Friday (50-316)

Damp threatening day with distant
thunder. drizzle. wind SE & E
Rain at night & no wind 3 mil.

20 Saturday (51-315)

Fine day. More or less cloudy
Bar 760. Therm 30. wind S.E. E. N.E
Elias went to Calchuqui with crates/wind
Camp in novella

FEBRUARY, 1904.—9th Week.

21 Sunday (52-314) 1st in Lent.

Dull day. Bar 760 Therm 30
Very cool a night little wind SE
Elias went to Calchaqui to see doctor

22 Monday (53-313)

Fine cool day Therm 25 Bar 763
wind S.E. E.

Dead calm at night
Potatoes started sprouting
well in bad state with ants
Camps in novedad.

23 Tuesday (54-312)

Fine cool day. Therm 25 Bar 761
wind E. N.E. More breeze at night
Recovering camp in novedad. Burning camp
Nicolas Benitez & Vargas & Juan Andrey.
passed. Benitez asked about mules for
tanning. Elias returned, with mail
Cleaned well very dirty with rotten
mud at bottom. Very good water since

24 Wednesday (55-311) S. Matthias, Ap. Ember Day.

Fine day Therm 30 Bar 757. falling
wind N.E.

worked at boat-house. & filling coral
mended timbers

Butchered cow.

Burned camp to N. recovered in novedad

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FEBRUARY, 1904.—9th Week.

25 Thursday (56-310)

Cloudy in morning wind from N & NW
Rain in afternoon at 3 pm till 4 30
15 mil Therm 28 warm & muggy. Bar 755
steady. Night still thundering & threatening
working at boat house. Pancho started in
morning to camp near horses, not returned at night
camped without anything new. Balbuena mending
timbers. Received telegram about sending traps
on Saturday to Calchaqui

26 Friday (57-309) Ember Day.

Rain at night - 4 mil. Wind N, NW, NE
Therm 28. Bar. 755 1/2. Still threatening rain
Great bank of clouds with tightening to NE.
Julian Sanchez came for cilindros tima & box.
n~~one~~ knows which they are, not he himself.
Pancho turned up at night. i.e. night before.
Close & warm threatening rain.

27 Saturday (58-308) Ember Day.

Rained in afternoon & pm Weather threatening
Richards went to Calchaqui to meet A.B. and traps.

FEB. & MARCH, 1904.—10th Week.

28 Sunday (59-307) 2nd in Lent.

Rained last 2 1/2 hrs & today, 27

29 Monday (60-306)

Fine day S. E. N.E. wind cool & splendid for camp which is looking fine. Roads muddy. A. came back from down south. Also Jordan from B.A. & Richards. A had signed boleto compra Venti Los Palmares at San Cristobal on the 11th. so is owner of Los Palmares at last. Went to S. Fe on the 11th & same night to Rosario. On the 13th to Los Rosales and to B.A. on the 22nd. On the 25th night to Rosario. 26th night to S. Fe. on the 27th night to Calchaqui & stopped over Sunday on account of rain. Jordan begins again after an absence of about 11 months. Gave orders prohibiting chasing ostrich. Affairs among cattle but very benign.

MARCH—1 Tuesday (61-305) S. David's Day.

Cool and cloudy. with light variable wind and light showers {1 1/2 in.} Barometer 761
Took the boat up to the new boat house at Laguna Palmar; and began fencing it in. Sent much cart to Puerto Palmar. Julian Sanchez here for breakfast and went to look at callos in Patro Salado in afternoon

Pleasant day 2 Wednesday (62-304)

Light winds S.E. E. N.E.

Thermometer 27 Barometer 760.

Sharp shower last night 5 3/4 to 1 1/2 in

Elias and quite recovered camp. Butchered novillos and brought up the callos from Patro Salado. Shut them in at Estancia to cañar tomorrow. Mr. Benitez and myself recovered camp to Loma Prieta returning by Calchaqui side. Saw quite a lot novillos and young cows with at least very few old cows. Camp looks finer. More water at south than nearer Estancia. {Sun set behind cloud}

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12th Nov 1842

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My dear Mother

I am well

Yours affectionately

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