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BIOGRAPHY

Perry Hackley Burton was born on May 13, 1863 in Huntsburg, Ohio. He was married to Janet Mary Elizabeth LeRoy in Bismarck, North Dakota in 1894. He moved to Salem, Oregon where he worked as a carpenter. He died on April 16, 1931 in Los Angeles, California.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This pocket diary documents the period Mr. Burton possibly was working on the Pete Smith farm near Larimore, N.D. and Arvilla, N.D. The diary for the entire year is quite complete, detailing his daily activities. For part of the year, there is a listing of his expenditures as well.

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