

- 18 July (cont.) Desire Harwood^y died at 2d Order. "Her spirit took its flight from this vain world of glory at 5 a.m."
- 20 July Mon. A woman named Elisa Tracy from Troy with a 14-year old girl Jessie she wants us to take. Stayed until Wednesday when they were taken to Newtons Corners to get a stage to Albany.
- 24 July Jessie Tracy and her brother, Charles, 10 years old, brought from Albany.
- 27 July "Edward Collins has lost a small child and he stays at home today to bury it."
- 30 July Thurs. "We have a great many loads of folks come here today, to see and be seen."
- 4 Aug Five little girls came to see Evvy Shufelt.
- 6 Aug Thurs. "Proclamation from the President to have this day kept as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer. We had a meeting at 8 a.m., then went about our usual employment."
- 10 Aug Have been shelling and canning peas since July 17 but on Aug. 7th noted "there has been quite a loss in the canning business by peas spoiling."
We now conclude to stop putting up peas and begin on string beans.
- 12 Aug Two women came, each with a boy they wished to leave, but it was concluded not to take them.
- 13 Aug A stageload of people from the Home Lawn^(nkte a near huttonville) visited and traded some; a great many more people came which made it a very busy day for us.
- 17 Aug Very much haying at River Farm - 116 loads.
- 24 Aug Mon. The house full of company. About a dozen ladies walked here from the Home Lawn to trade some and many others came through the course of the day.
- 28 Aug Oscar Merchant[✓] died some time during the night in a fit. 21 years old. His mother lives in Albany and C. Miller went to tell her of his death.
- 29 Aug John Decker brought Oscar's[✓] mother, aunt and cousin from Albany to attend his funeral, and then took them home again.
- 31 Aug Eliza Tracy came to see her children.
- 3 Sept DAB goes to Saratoga Springs with Adelaide Ingham, Sarah Ann Wood, Caty Ferguson and Samantha Bowie.
Thurlow Weed and his daughter Harriet come with an English doctor they call Sir Henry Holland.
- 4 Sept Charlotte Yale died at SF. (not in cemetery)
DAB and party returned late in evening.