

1868

1 Jan

"Our family is eight less than a year ago - adults as well as children. Brother Joseph and Asa have died the death of the righteous and Phebe Ann has moved to the 2d Order."

6 Jan

George Price went on Western seed journey instead of C. Miller.

9 Jan

George Wright came to see his grand-daughter Fannie and bound her to DAB.

13 Jan

Taxes only \$997.87 this year, down \$270.

18 Jan

Jesse went somewhere to cut some pipe stems.

19 Jan

Sun.

"We had a read this morning, given in 1841. The fulfillment of considerable part of it we have already seen, the rest is not very pleasing to reflect upon."

20 Jan

Thirteen hired men here, all busy doing something. Tom & Bill both go to Albany every day drawing manure or coal.

26 Jan

"We sung in the morning meeting and then tried to labor some in the square march, a manner we exercise not some 25 or 30 years."

14 Feb

Dr. Wade sick and "it is not thought he will survive long. He has sent for C. Miller and this afternoon he went. Eldress Elizabeth, Janett and Matilda went with him.

20 Feb

Mary Valance came to see about coming herself.

22 Feb

Clarence Valance left or ran away this morning.

25 Feb

Nehemiah went to Troy to see Mary Valance - she appeared very bitter.

26 Feb

Funeral of Dr. Wade.

27 Feb.

Clinton Smith's wife died of diphtheria. "He feels very bad." (He apparently is a regular hired hand.)

29 Feb

Six of hired men went to the funeral and C Miller let them use two of CF spans of horses.

11 Mar

"The father of the Shepperman girls came to see them. He has been in prison ever since they have been here."

21 Mar

Elder Giles Avery has been putting up a partition in the north garret for keeping bedding and having a clothes room for the sister inmates of the Office.

28 Mar

Abbie moved from Office where she has lived for 18 years and Samantha will take her place.

3 Apr

"Lydia is making the blue spreads over for the brethren single beds."
"Sarah Dean is going to Mt. Lebanon to finish her days in her former home."