

- 9 Apr Went to French's Mill & brought home our pressed cloth. Three men brought loads of elecampane.
- 11 Fred went to Albany; this is the last day for the Legislature this season.
- 12 CC stayed home & helped the sisters - washed the wall in brethren's front room & whitewashed sisters' 2 rooms twice. 2-3 men brought roots.
- 13 Samantha's father came to see her.
- 14 Sat Cold, freezing, 8-10° below freezing. CC, Jesse & some more after supper went & pulled up the cabbage set out for seed on Tuesday, put it in heaps & covered.
- 18 Alfred Lyal & Nathan Wood, both 21-22 years old, brought up by Shakers from children, taken to Troy "and left them in pursuit of happiness as they were not able to find it here among Believers." "CF & family brethren, all that could, came & worked on MH yard, turfing & leveling, etc."
- 19 "We are all very tired (clean, clean all the time)." Two boys brought roots.
- 21 Hannah McDowell came to get a few seeds & appeared very strange. The school inspector came, "he seemed quite inquisitive yet friendly." Saw DAB, Aurelia from CF & Delina Hutchinson from WF. A deaf man came, said he was a teacher in the Asylum at NY, had a little leisure & came to see us; he had supper before he left."
- 22 Sun. "The staff of love was read in the morning service." A young man with Ex-Gov. Marcy's little boy had some dinner.
- 23 Elder Hawkins went to Lansingburgh for the man who is making pickets for MH yard to come & see about gates. Went after John Edict & crew of 6 (masons), making 13 who have been hired.
- 24 Two men came for grafts, 5 with roots, all have dinner. A tin pedlar came, abought \$2.75.
- 25 Wed Tilla the cat had 5 kittens, all very pretty. "Thus far this week have about 58 meals each day."
- 27 Calked & pitched the scow and went to Island for first time.
- 28 Channing went to Greenbush for white leather, CC to Albany for 1 bbl. beef and 2 of mackeral.
- 31 CM went to Albany, "had some bad luck, broke a demijohn of rosewater."
- 2 May Shipped brooms to Buffalo.
- 4 Got cloth from Ida Mills--600 yds. for Union Village.