

- 30 Nov To Ida Mills and got cloth for Union Village.
- 1 Dec Have had a hired hand, Popjoy, digging a well at Pleasant Hill. Have got down to hard pan with no sign of water, quite discouraged.
- 5 SB "burning out" the chimneys.  
Maria finished a cloth partition in the east room, with two brethren fixing the wood and hooks.
- 6 Get a tierce of rice (tierce - equal to 42 wine gal., Webster)
- 7 John Ingham came to see his children.
- 11 Charles Brackett to Lebanon "to show them some about making brooms."
- 13 CC got 2 gal. of extra molasses to eat on pancakes.
- 14 Richard Dean came from SF to say that Alexander Youngs came home from NYC yesterday with \$700-800, put it on a desk in their room, and it is taken "by whom they could give no guess but think it is their own folks."
- 15 Elder Brother, CC & Frederick and some from WF go to South Family. Males all called in one at a time and examined. No clues and no money found.
- 16 A colored man, a previous visitor, came to ask for money to help Negroes. Was to lecture in Methodist Meeting House in evening.
- 18 Simon Atherton and Laban Babbit came from Harvard. Paid CV \$34 for 70 bonnets they have sold for her.
- 21 Finally hit water in well at Pleasant Hill. One man worked 80 days, thinking it would take 4 weeks before it will be finished.
- 23 Caroline Downs came out of "physician's lot" and Matilda Wells went in.
- 25 "Christmas day, we keep it the same as usual, no company except an aged man near 84 years, he stayed all day and night, is very cold."
- 26 Two brothers from Tyingham came to learn something about making brooms and obtain some broom corn. (Aaron Manchester and Richard Van ---)

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- 2 Jan CC and Loren came home (from Lebanon) soon after dinner, informed the folks the Ministry were on the way. "The sisters flew hither and yon as there was no fire at Meeting House. They came in about an hour. It was quite warm and comfortable by then."
- 5 Sat. "The elders, deacons, farmers had a meeting this morning about building the barn etc. and all cannot think alike about it."
- 6 "Just as we are going to meeting a poor man came to get something to eat. CC stopped to attend to him a few moments and got fastened out of the Meeting House and by that means lost his meeting with the Ministry (not a very comfortable feeling)."
- 10 SB went to West Troy to pay the taxes \$295.66. CV lent money to pay the Island tax of \$25.75.